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### Lions take road trip to former Enderlinite's brewery in Moorhead, MN

**by Mike Martin,** Enderlin Lions Secretary

Thirty-four Enderlin, Fargo Gateway and Sheldon Lions, spouses and friends gathered at Moorhead, Minnesota's Swing Barrel Brewery (SBB) on Monday, April 25th. The Enderlin and Sheldon people took an Enderlin Area School bus, driven by Grade School teacher Wyatt Smith. The bus left Enderlin Inn Motel area at 5:00pm. The group was delivered to 814 Center Avenue, Moorhead, MN where the Gateway Lions awaited. Sean Syverson, SBB co-owner and Jane Syverson, doting and proud parent as well as a former long-time Enderlin resident and business owner, graciously greeted all.

SBB is one of the region's newest start-up brewerys. Their opening month was March 2020 but COVID-19 government mandates dictated otherwise. Initial sales were through an opening in a walk-in door but no lobby traffic gave the business a valuable peaceful pause to perfect their craft and pub environment - as this group soon discovered. Syverson is an Enderlin High School graduate, Class of 1997. His helper, besides Mrs. Syverson, was Kyle Thilmony, EHS Class of 1997 graduate. A small world, indeed.

Syverson took command atop a slightly elevated 8x10



Enderlin, Sheldon, and Gateway Lions enjoy evening at the Swing Barrel Brewery in Moorhead, MN

stage and used a microphone to tell the group of the night's pre-arranged food truck's offerings. "Diamond Daisy," owned and managed by Ben Walker, served up scrumptious bacon cheeseburgers and Italian chicken sandwiches. Both were accompanied by jumbo curly fries. All was good.

Following the meal, Syverson gave a background of his beer passion and a history of the brewery itself. Following EHS, he earned an education degree at Moorhead State University where he befriended classmate and fellow musician John Kapla. Syverson went on to teach Eng-

lish and literature in Seoul, South Korea in an International School.

There he married, had 2 boys and became a serious beer afficionado. Returning to the USA in 2017 he reconnected with Kapla and they thought his beer expertise could be managed to a higher and more professional level. Hence Swing Barrel Brewery. And what about the name? Both partners are baseball zealots and the name blends both passions.

Of course a journey of 65 miles guaranteed beer tasting and a flight of 4 SBB beers was served one at a time with a background and taste

description for each one. Syverson's professional educator background coupled with his Andy Griffith "Aw-Shucks" likeability resulted in a memorable learning experience. The four samples were "El Lupador," "Tribute," "Big Shoppa" (Australian for Big Bottomed Woman), and "Sweet Melissa" (a takeout from an Almond Brothers song).

The night's culmination was a walk around in the downstairs brewing area. Brewmaster Nick Bordwell split the group in manage-

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#### Minot City -



Minot City Cleanup May 6th

#### Project Little Room: That's a wrap and how did we do?

**By Tracy Wicken,**Grand Forks South Forks Lions
Club

Hello Lions of North Dakota! I want to inform all of you that our goal for Project Little Room was reached and also let you know the details of how this project all came together to completion. As you already know, this project began in March of 2020 with a goal of raising \$35,000 to purchase 10 Little Rooms. This "vision-related" project

was eligible for grant support through Lions Foundation of North Dakota and many of the Lions Clubs of ND utilized those funds when donating to Project Little Room.

From the Lions Clubs of North Dakota and their foundation, a total of \$34,031.68 was donated to the Project. The North Dakota Association of the Blind also donated \$5,194.

This grand total of \$39,225.68 was used to purchase 12 different sized Little Rooms, 14 Resonance Boards, Little Room accessories and totes for easy transportation and storage

All of the Little Rooms have arrived at North Dakota Vision Services/School for the Blind and a number of them have been issued to families in need of them to be put to use. The maintenance staff at NDVS/SB worked very hard to get the Little Rooms put together and ready to go out to families.

All of this would not have

happened without the support of you and your Lions Club. Many, many thanks to all of you from me as well as from staff that work with infants and toddlers who need these Little Rooms for development. Their parents also thank you for your support as they are informed that Lions made these Little Rooms available to them for their child.

Summary of donations to

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able clusters and described each stage of production. He told how his education in a degree from St. Louis University, specializing in chemistry and beer brewing. He was originally from Aitkin, Minnesota and it was obvious he has an excellent handle on his trade. What followed was Brewing 101 with copious details provided. Bordwell started with "making beer is like making a sandwich." Ingredients are similar as there are 4 ingredients in most beer: water, yeast, malt and hops. Swing Barrel has a leg-up as Moorhead municipal water is scientifically proven to be ideal for beer:

the base commodity is as close as a sink tap. Water is initially combined with malt and malt is sprouted barley, wheat, rye or corn. This mixture is put into a heated vat and all is brought up to near boil, held, then cooled down to 70 degrees. Hops is added in this vat, with the flavoring hops added later in the "boil." The beer is transferred to fermenting tanks where it works 2 weeks (ale) and up to 4 weeks (lager). Carbonation (fizz) is injected for taste enhancement and appearance. Canning takes place on premise with a new 16 oz canning machine on its way.

Swing Barrel is noted for

its wildly imaginative labeling, courtesy of gifted Beau Fraase, EHS graduate of 1992. In the words of Syverson, "I talk to Beau as to the type of beer and my vision for a label. Beau runs with it and seldom fails."

Syverson said the SBB building was a dilapidated wreck-a "pigeon hotel" - when he and his partner took ownership. Historically, a prior use was the Francis Peterson auto dealership.

Syverson also could not say enough good things about the Moorhead community and their constant support. He said there are now 6 brewers in the Fargo-Moorhead trade area. "If you make good beer there is always room for you" is an industry truism and Syverson's personal experience tells his peers support rather than compete.

Throughout the evening there were drawings for door prizes-beer glasses, stocking hat, SBB sign - and part of the crowd left with more than good memories. Questions and answers also flowed freely over 3 hours and a hearty concluding round of applause documented genuine enjoyment. The bus was boarded and headed down the road and pulled up to its' final curb at 10:00pm.

## Carrington Lions Club & Gate City Bank Al Larson Memorial 4 Person Golf Scramble

Male · Female · Co-ed

#### Friday, June 10, 2022

CrossRoads Golf Course • Carrington, ND 393 Highway 281 NE (about 1 mile North of Carrington)
Registration starting at 10:30 a.m.
Shotgun Start at 11:15 a.m.

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#### Headwaters



Members of the Headwaters Lions Club of Wahpeton/Breckenridge were pleased to have six members of the Fargo Gateway Lions Club visit them on April 27th during their regular club meeting. We were able to share ideas about community service projects and very much appreciated the visit.



5NE District Governor Elect Scott Hildre of the Fargo Gateway Lions Club, presented Headwaters Lions Club member Becky Lankow with the Milestone Chevron Award (20 years of membership) on April 27th at a regular club meeting. Becky is a Charter Member of the Headwaters Lions Club.



Billi Jo Zielinski (left), President and CEO, Make-A-Wish® North Dakota and KayCee Fuder, Wish Granter, Make-A-Wish, visited the Headwaters Lions Club on April 27th! Billi Jo informed club members that Governor Doug Burgum has proclaimed April 29, 2022, World Wish Day in the state of North Dakota, the anniversary of the first wish granted 42 years ago.

# Reminder: ND Lion DEADLINE is the 717 of the month!

#### LITTLE ROOM

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Project Little Room since it started March of 2020

#### **Donations in 2020:**

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Magic City Lions Club \$500
Bowman Lions Club \$100
Bismarck Prairie Rose Lions Club \$500
New England Lions Club \$100
Carrington Lions Club \$50
Mandan Lions Club \$200
Personal donation \$200
Fargo Gateway Lions Club \$1000
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West Fargo Lions Club \$1000
LFND, Inc. Video Magnifier Program
\$3500
Grand Forks Lions Club \$1000

Donations in 2021-22: Delta Gamma Sorority \$500 LFND, Inc. Video Magnifier Program \$3,500 Grand Forks Lions Club \$1,000 Stanley Lions Club \$500 Magic City Lions Club \$500 Dacotah Mandan Lions Club \$1,000 Horace Lions Club \$500 South Forks Lions \$400 Grand Forks Lions Club \$1,000 South Forks Lions \$500 Dacotah Mandan Lions Club \$500 Emerado Arvilla Lions Club \$1,000 New England Lions Club Donation \$100 Carrington Lions Club Donation \$100 Bismarck Prairie Rose Lions Club \$300

Capital City Lions Club \$300 Grand Forks Lions Club \$2,000 Fargo Gateway Lions \$1,000 ND Association of the Blind \$5,194 Thank you so much, Lions of North Dakota! You're GRRREAT!

Magic City Lions Club Donation \$1,000 Rugby Northern Lights Lions Club \$200 Alexander Lions Club Donation \$200

#### Horace



The Horace Lions were the judges for the Earth Day posters created by grade 3 - 5 students in Horace Elementary school. This has been a program of the Horace Lions for many years to support the artistic talents of students. Pictured is Lion Chad as he presented the awards.



The Horace Lions again honored the 2022 High School Graduates with street banners. The banners went up May 4th and will remain up through the graduation weekend on May 28. On May 27th, Horace Lions will hold a street parade where the students are asked to stand by their banner pole and the residents of Horace, family, and friends can drive by to greet each of the students. Once the banners are removed in June, they will be given to the students.

#### Carrington



The Carrington Lions Club helped with Open Bowling during the month of March. Loin volunteers were Debra D Leapaldt, Jenni Wede, Kristen Hewitt, Debra J. Leapaldt, Marilyn. Nicholson, and Dani McClean. Not pictured were Lion Kara Brinster, Lion Sharon Paintner, and Lexie McClean.



Lion Jenni Wede presents Lion Josey Page, FBLA advisor, a check from the Carrington Lions Club to help send 23 CHS FBLA students to the National FBLA Convention.



Greetings Fellow Lions.

It looks like spring is slow in 'springing' upon us. I look forward to flowers coming up and farmers working in their fields. I am still looking for those 75-degree days with no wind to ride my bike. Meeting with Lions around the district, I am constantly amazed with the energy Lions demonstrate in serving their communities. COVID obviously slowed us down. but Lions have the grit and tenacity necessary to keep moving forward. We remain dedicated to our motto 'We Serve'.

I have two months remaining on my district governor tenure. My upcoming schedule includes club visitations with induction of new members, installation of officers, and presenting awards to dedicated Lions. After eighteen months of Zooming, it was great to start having in-person meetings. A visitation was made to the Medina Lions Club and a new member was inducted. Another visit was to the Emerado-Arvilla Lions where two new members were inducted and club officers were installed. Both of these clubs are active and doing service in their communities.

A successful Spring Rally was held in Jamestown, ND. Our keynote speaker, IPID Pat Vannett, was successful in motivating and educating us about Lionism and the Global Membership Approach. Other presenters talked about how to use the Lions Club International website (IPDG Grant Kahlbaugh), how to attract new members (1st VDGE Rick Stark), the ins-and-outs of grant funding provided by the Lions Foundation of North Dakota (2nd VDGE Kirk Tingum) and the importance of the District Gover-

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nor's Advisory Committee to the functioning of our district (DG Joe Sowokinos). This committee is made up of the president and secretary from each club along with their respective zone chair. Zone chairs are the important LINK between their clubs and the district governor's team. This two-way communication helps our district to grow and remain strong. Training sessions were also conducted for zone chairs. presidents and secretaries. A few of the veteran Lions mentioned that this was one of the best Spring Rallies they have ever attended.

Our 2022 MD5 Convention will be held at the Resort at Cypress Hills in Saskatchewan, May 12-14, 2022. This is where our new district governor will receive his red jacket. Congratulations Lion Scott Hildre (Gateway Lions, Fargo).

An outstanding convention is being planned for this year's ND State Convention at the Spirit Lake Casino near

Devils Lake, ND, on October 21-22nd. It is expected that over 200 members will register. This a great opportunity to enjoy the benefits of being a Lion while having a chance to win, or lose, a little money on the machines. That's entertainment, right?

The Grand Forks Lions Club will be celebrating their 100th anniversary on June 22nd. More information about this anniversary event will be forthcoming. Congratulations Grand Forks Lions for reaching this milestone.

One of my district goals was to triple the number of Model Clubs in support of LCIF and Campaign 100. We are on course to reach this goal. Three clubs have made the commitment so far. They were Red River and New Rockford Lions (Model Clubs) and South Forks Lions (a Visionary Club). Two more clubs that have the potential to become a Model Club will be contacted soon.

The following statistics



are those for our district 5NE as of mid-April: 282 service projects; 39,114 people served; and 3,139 volunteer hours. Through the 3rd quarter of our Lions year, 38 clubs (73%) have donated \$39,657 to LCIF and Campaign 100.

Next month's ND Lions article will be my swan song and will include an interview with our 2nd VDGE, Kirk Tingum (South Forks Lions).

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## Grand Forks Lions Club is 100 years old!!

All Lions are invited to come celebrate with us the evening of June 22, 2022



CELEBRATION

at the Opal Event Center in Grand Forks
Dinner provided by Sky's Fine Dining

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### **Past District Governors meeting**

The Past District Governors Association Annual Meeting was held in Bismarck on Saturday, May 7th, after the meeting scheduled for April 22 was cancelled due to weather conditions.

Seventeen members attended, with three others attending via Zoom provided by Butch Frank.

The meeting began with a presentation by a representative of Gateway To Science, where the meeting was held.

North Dakota State Pin Chair Brach Johnson showed picture of the 2022 pin which features a Trout in the fish series. There are several more "North Dakota Fish" to feature in future years.

Bruce Schwartz reported that the Kiosk at the state capitol is still not functioning. Major updates and repairs are needed, with newer design and programs in a much larger scope. There is no definite date expected for



those to be completed.

Butch Frank reminded the members that the NDPDGA. org website is fully functional, and is available to all Lions. Lions across the state are encouraged to visit the site. They can expect to be very surprised by the amount of interesting information

that is available there.

The nominating committee presented a slate of candidates, all of which were elected, to take office on July 1.

President: Sheri Fetch, Vice President: Mark Koller, Secretary: Ginny Jones, Treasurer: Kathy Boe, Immediate Past President: Rob Lein, 1st Year Directors: Scott Ressler and Joe Sowokinos, 2nd Year Directors: Grant Kalbaugh & Kevin Bean.

The next PDGA meeting will be held during the State Lions Convention at Spirit Lake.

#### Club News

#### Prairie Rose \_\_\_



The Prairie Rose Lions Club of Bismarck packed over 1700 bags of food to be distributed throughout schools in Bismarck/Mandan.



The Horace Lions along with Cass County Electric Cooperative sponsored a free concert presented by the Red River Valley Veterans Concert Band. This was a fund raising project to benefit the Veterans Honor Flight. The Horace Seniors were also involved in that they prepared and served the delicious meal. Pictured are: PCC Keith Zeutschel, Lion/ American Legion member and Russ Berg as they present a check for \$2,000 to representatives from the Honor Flight committee. Russ Berg also presented a \$1,000 check from the American Legion and the proceeds from the free will donation for the meal resulted in a donation of \$1,500 from the Horace Senior Citizens. The Veterans Honor Flight will be going to Washington, D.C with their first flight of 2022 on April 30 - May 2 with veterans from WW2, the Korean War, and the Vietnam War. Another flight is planned for later in the year.

#### New Rockford -



Members of the New Rockford Lions Club visited The Lutheran Home of the Good Shepherd on Good Friday and handed out Happy Easter balloons and a little bags of Easter candy to all the residents. It put everyone in the Easter spirit even though it looked more like Christmas outside!!



Lions members Jeremy and Julie Shrock pose with a check for \$500 to help with expenses for the Vietnam Veterans Recognition dinner held in March.

#### Club News

#### Mapleton\_



The Mapleton Lions Club partnered with the Mapleton Elementary School for a spring food drive with a "Can-Struction" contest. Each class was asked to collect food and create a sculpture. 4 Lions Club members judged the sculptures and awarded the 1st place prize to the 5th grade class. They created a castle with a moat. Their winning sculpture has earned them a classroom party with ice cream provided by the club. The food was then boxed and transported to the Rural Cass Food Pantry, where it weighed in at 458 pounds.





#### Mapleton



District Governor Joe Sowokinos joined our April meeting. He was very busy by installing new officers, inducting new members and presenting pins for 3 members serving for 20 years and 25 years.

Members receiving service pins (pictured above) are James Johnson and Linda Schmidt for 20 years and Larry Hagen for 25 years. New members Tyler Stover and Scott Hallgren are pictured below with their sponsors.



#### Korner



The Korner Lions have been busy in the last month. We took tickets at the Regional Boys Basketball Tournament and arranged for the Diabetic Educator from CHI to complete glucose screenings at the community Sport and Rec Show where 52 people were screened. We also vision screened 141 kids at the Sport and Rec Show. Several Lions assisted with the Community Egg Hunt. Pictured are Lions Dave Tuan and Sandy Hampton, two of the Lion volunteers at the Egg Hunt.

Greetings Fellow Lions,

I hope all is well in your lives and that by the time you read this letter, the weather is warmer, and, for Western North Dakota, I pray that we've received much needed rain. As of this newsletter, I know many of you have made plans for your summer activities. I wish you all great success, and safety, with all that you have planned.

As I'm writing this, we've just finished up the 5 NW Spring Rally in Wilton. Thanks to the Wilton Lions for sponsoring this event, and to the Washburn Lions, for assisting them. Congratulations to DGE Jeanette. You did a great job in planning all the activities. It's always so wonderful to see those Lions that attend. Everyone was very complementary on the whole event. To me, anytime Lions are together, it is always a great event. There is so much information that can be learned and shared at events like this. My only negative comment is "why don't more Lions attend"?

When I speak to Lions Clubs, one of my messages

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Being proud of what you do is very important. Without pride in being a Lion, it is much harder to invite others to join us. If you don't believe in what you do, you would feel uncomfortable asking others to join your club. I encourage you to look at all that you have done through Lions and what it has meant to you. It is so important to our future that we ask others to join us. Imagine what your community would be like without your Lions club! We are seeing many clubs in our District that are getting close to 100 years old. What an accomplishment that is! Can you imagine all the things that we've done because of those clubs? How much money was raised just to give back to others? What is the impact on people receiving the benefits from a local Lions Club over the years? We work as Lions, we have fun, we help others and for some, we have changed their lives.

What can it mean to a student winning the Peace Poster Contest? What does it mean to someone because



the local Lions Club helped a family in need with food or funding a pair of eyeglasses? How did your Club impact a family because of a fundraiser you did? We've seen how something as simple as helping with the vision testing for kids can change their lives. What if Lions were not doing that? Many Lions have been impacted just because of being involved and helping others. All these wonderful stories are good to talk about.....not to brag about, but to share and be proud of what you and other Lions do. I hope that remembering how important Lions are will be the reason for you to invite others to become a Lions member. Remember that vou only became a Lion because someone invited you!

> In Lionism, 5 NW, DG Scott Ressler

## A nite at the races

An action-packed audience participation event!

The New England Lions Club will host the fifth annual "a nite at the races" on Saturday, June 4th.

The popular event includes a full dinner, cash bar, and twelve recorded horse races, shown on a large screen at the Memorial Hall.

It is not known where or when the races were recorded, but the announcer makes you feel as if you were there. And like watching the Super Bowl on TV, the louder you cheer, the faster your horse will run!

Ticket packages include three bets selected by the guest for each race. Successful win, place and show bets get drawing tickets to be placed in "Chinese Auction" buckets, typically for 30 to 40 prizes. Those prizes, donated by area merchants, range in value from \$50 to usually more than \$300. A guest can win only one prize, so chances of taking home a prize are pretty good.

Guests "dressed for the races" will compete for "Best Dressed Lady" and "Best Dressed Gentleman" prizes, decided by people's choice. More cheering and yelling!!

Seating for the event is

limited to 150. Advance tickets are required, and are available from New England Lions Club members.

This year, profits from the event will support the New England Public School Summer Choir Trip, with stops along the way including Nashville. More than 25 choir members are registered for the trip.



(left to right) President Lion Gelaine Orvik and Lions Duane Zwinger and Mary Ann Zwinger as they display the clubs entry for the MD5 Club of the Year contest.



Lion Duane Zwinger (left) and President Lion Gelaine Orvik from the Gateway Lions Club as they present the clubs entry into the MD5 Newsletter/Bulletin Contest.



President Lion Gelaine Orvick of the Gateway Lions Club and Lion Jo Pederson show the scrapbook that will be entered in the MD5 Contest. Lion Jo was the chair of the Scrapbook Contest.



Pictured above are members of the Gateway Lions Club as they observe Lion Danell Dougherty receive her Boost Up check from LEND A HAND UP organization. Danell and her family are pictured in the centered of the photo. Jenna Peinovich, Director of the LEND A HAND UP organization is pictured on the far left. Danell has been diagnosed with Stage 4 Brain Cancer. The Gateway Lions Club and LEND A HAND UP organization co-sponsored a very successful benefit to help pay for some of Danell's medical expenses.

#### **Lions All-Star Basketball Games**

The Gateway Lions Club from Fargo and the Bismarck Capital City Lions Club are preparing to sponsor the annual Lions All-Star Basketball games. This will be the 46th year of this fun event. The games will be played at Bismarck (July 11th ) and Fargo (July 12th). The games pit the best senior basketball players from Class A playing against the best senior basketball players from Class B. There will be games with both the

boys and the girls. The athletes get into Fargo (boys) and Bismarck (girls) on Friday, July 8th. The players will be treated with fun activities and a very nice assortment of meals. They will practice on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. (July 8-10) This event has been very entertaining and financially rewarding. This is the largest fund raising project for both of the Lions Clubs. The clubs earn money by selling ads for the game booklet. This booklet is then available for purchase at the games. The booklet also contains an autobiography of each player and the coaches. During the games the clubs conduct other fun activities such as a 50-50 drawing, half-time shoot-out, purchase game T-Shirts and other raffles. The games will be streamed live on Chase Miller's Television Station. So, if you can't make it to the games, you can watch them.



5NE District Governor Elect Scott Hildre (left) as he gets a warm handshake from out going District Governor Joe Sowokinos. This action took place at the 5NE Cabinet meeting in Jamestown on Saturday, May 9th.

#### Medina<sub>-</sub>



Sowokinos honored Gerald Horner with a 25 year Certificate and pin as a Medina Lions Member.

The April Medina Lions meeting was filled with a lot of information and celebrations. First off, District Governor Joe Sowokinos and wife Janice (Grand Forks Red River Club Secretary) got the group excited about community and Lions with his slide shows.

The Medina club typically meets the 1st Thursday of the month, now at the Medina Café for a meal and meeting. Anyone interested in joining or just has questions is asked to attend. If you are

interested in ways to help your community and get out of the house once in a while, there are several clubs in our area. Kidder County, Pettibone, Tuttle, and Medina have sportsmen's clubs, most churches have some sort of group with activities and regular meetings, and there are thriving Lions clubs in Medina, Streeter, Tuttle, Napoleon, Robinson, Pettibone, Wing, and Sterling all looking for any men or women interested in helping.



District Governor Joe Sowokinos called up new member Matthew Reister and sponsor Clyde Reister. Clyde, Matthew's father has been a Medina Lions member for over 20 years and currently is the club President. Reister has sponsored several new members over the years.

#### Harvey\_







The Harvey Lions Club made donations to three groups from the funds they raised from their Pancake Breakfast and Community Auction. Lion President Wade Anderson presented a check to Gordie Schmidt, Chief of the Harvey Fire Department. Lion Treasurer Willy Schilling presented a check to Steve Aljets, President of the Harvey Park Board. Lion Secretary Steve Wangen presented a check to Cayle Paulson, President of the Peaceful Valley Golf Course.

#### Tuttle -



## Soup & Sandwich Event

With the growth of members and more hands-on deck the Tuttle Lions Club decided to branch out during the cold long winter season and hold a couple new events where the community could gather, visit, and enjoy fellowship!

On Sunday, March 20, 2022, we held a fun Soup & Sandwich Event at the Tuttle Sr. Center. After the delicious food was served the Lions Club hosted Retro Bingo, No daubers required! All bingo cards were the old-fashioned cardboard slide cards. Fun was had by everyone. BINGO was shouted out by voices of all ages!

On Sunday, April 10th, 2022, the Club held their first annual Palm Sunday Breakfast brunch, and it was a great success! Lion Carol Steichen graciously offered the Club full use of her café in Robinson for the event.

The attendance was overwhelming as local and neighboring communities showed up to support the day, including surrounding Lions club members. Serving was advertised to begin at 11:00AM but the hungry crowd began showing up and were welcomed in by club members at 10:00 AM, instead!

Around 150 people were served with some having to stand patiently outside while waiting for a seat. Everyone seemed to enjoy themselves and the Tuttle Lions Club members had a good time serving the meal.





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• 4 person Team

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NAME:
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Registration: 9:00am, Shotgun Start: 10:00 am. \$100 per golfer Includes 18 hole green fees, Golf Cart, Hole and Tournament prizes, and meal after tournament. Tournament format 4 person Scramble with mulligans available at registration Contests include: Closest to the pin, Longest drive, Longest putt, Putting contest Deadline for Registration: Friday July 15th.

# 20th Annual Robinson Lions Attended Brock Bowerman Memoria

#### **Modified Truck and Tractor Pull**

#### **PULLERS FROM 800 mile radius of Robinson!!**

Come early and look them over. These Trucks and Tractors are really something to see & hear!



Registration and Weigh-In West of the Pull Track Friday 2-5 pm Saturday 11-3 pm

In order to Pull YOU MUST BE WEIGHED IN BY 5:00 on Friday and 3:00 on Saturday For more information Call/Text Bob Bowerman 701-220-5183 or Austin Flath 701-391-7801

Fairfood Vendors will be there beginning 4:00 pm Friday, July 16th.

Camper spots and other accommodations are available. Call Eldean Flath at 701–391–9320.

#### Hanson's Bar Events

Beer Garden in the Park! Cornhole Tournament

100% Payback
Contact Twila at 701-368-8789

Fri. Night Prelims & Sat. 1:00pm
In Front of Hanson's Bar
Teas are back
for both days/nights!

DJ after the Pull at Hanson's Bar Outdoor Stage! Come for the Trucks, stay for the Great Music & Food Modified Trucks, Modified Tractors, & Mini Mod Tractors only No Antique Tractors held every year the 3rd Saturday in July

Robinson, ND July 16th & 17th, 2021

Friday 6:00 PM Saturday 4:00 PM

Friday Night's Pull will be scale back but will allow Pullers another Pulling Opportunity.

Admission: Adults - \$15 Kids 7-12 \$5 Kids 6 & Under Free Gun Raffle Tickets sold by all Lions Members or Contract Bob Bowerman 701-220-5183

#### **Sponsors**

North Plains Honey - Pettibone Flath Trucking - Robinson Bowerman Insurance - Steele Bobcat of Mandan General Equipment - Bismarck

Bismarck Motor Company
Inland Truck Parts - Bismarck
Elite Ag Solutions - Dawson
Wolff's Bar & Grill - Dawson
Sayler's Excavating - Steele
Chiropractic Arts Clinic - Jamestown
Tumbleweed Bar & Grill - Lincoln
Dobbert Farms - Robinson
Woodworth Farmers Elevator - Woodworth
Ongstad Seed - Harvey
Pettibone Farmers Union - Pettibone

Hanson's Bar - Robinson
Action Motorsports - Mandan
Pifer's Auction and Reality - Steele
Agroline - Wimbledon
BEK Communications
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Hefty Seeds - Wilton & Hurdsfield
OK Tire - Carrington
Southridge Chiropractic - Bismarck/Steele
Centrol Ag Consulting Jaden Horsted
RDO - Bismarck
Thomas Motors - Pingree
Advanced Fleet Services of ND - Bismarck
Darwins' Plumbing and Boiler - Steele
Clark Agronomy - Woodworth
Bessette Motors - Carrington

DJ's Home Center - Carrington Heartland Ready Mix, LLC - Carrington Mid Dakota Wheel Alignment - Bismarck Hammer Down Show & Shine - Mandan Johnsen Trailer Sales Inc. - Bismarck LSI - Bismarck

Harvesters Cafe - Pettibone
First Security Bank West - Robinson
Tuttle Farmers Elevator - Tuttle
Steele Vet Clinic - Steele
Steele Ozone & KC Press - Steele
Dewitz Farms - Steele
Farmers & Merchants Oil - Steele
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Carols Kitchen - Robinson
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Steele Drug Store