



Lions ROAR!

Nevada Lions Club

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- IVP - Susan Radke
- 2VP - Paul Malsom
- 3VP - Mike Seaboch
- Secretary - Loren Heckathorne
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- Directors - Elijah Hansen & Terence Beaston
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President's News for Winter 2017-2018



President Jerry Radke

We held our annual fall pancake feed in conjunction with Nevada Parks and Rec's "Pancakes with Santa" at Gates Hall on December 9, 2017. This was the second year in a row that we partnered with Parks and Rec and since we weren't charged any hall rent, we made out very well with our 50/50 drawing plus the pancake receipts. Net profit is still being determined.

Our Annual Christmas Party was held at the Indian Creek Country Club on December 13 with the Tail Twisters (Charlie Lloyd and Charlene Jarboe) in charge. Jim Fenn (a country club member) helped negotiate prices for the meal. Over 30 members and guests were expected but we fell a little short due to sicknesses, etc. The Nevada High School Choir came to provide entertainment for the evening. A good time was had by all in attendance.

John Beals once again headed-up our KidSight eye screenings: 18 at Lil' Cubs, 13 at Head Start, and 55 at Elementary for a total of 86. A few retakes were made after results were returned.

Jim Fenn took care of getting new Lions' shirts for the members who wanted them. They were delivered in time for our pancake feed. Treasurer John Beals will pay the bill for the shirts and then bill the members on his next invoice.

Bob Hunter, Mike Seaboch, Jim Fenn and others are looking after the paper recycling trailer. This is turning out to be one of our biggest money makers. Thanks to former member Jean Bodensteiner for getting this project started.

We still need some more new members to help us with our projects and fund raisers. Peach sales will start in the spring and we are looking for other means to raise money.

Jerry Radke

Up-Coming Events

January 2018 — GLAUCOMA AWARENESS MONTH

- January 11-13, 2018 — Mid-Winter Convention, Sheraton, West Des Moines
- January 10, 2018 — Dinner Meeting at Windsor Manor (Carlene Hunter, program)
- January 10, 2018 — Board Meeting following the Dinner Meeting

January 13, 2018 — MELVIN JONES' BIRTHDAY

- January 24, 2018 — Dinner Meeting at Windsor Manor (Mike Miller, program)
- February 14, 2018 — Dinner Meeting at Windsor Manor (Susan Radke, program)
- February 14, 2018 — Board Meeting following the Dinner Meeting
- February 28, 2018 — Dinner Meeting at Windsor Manor (Sandy Richardson, program)
- March 14, 2018 — Dinner Meeting (John Beals, program)
- March 14, 2018 — Board Meeting following the Dinner Meeting
- March 28, 2018 — Dinner Meeting at Windsor Manor (Loren Heckathorne, program)



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Recent Happenings



**Dr. Naresh Aggarwal, LCI
President**



At a recent board meeting it was decided to try selling peaches as a fund raiser next year. Susan checked with ISU Dining for possible work and was told that the next opportunity would be next May. Susan also checked on getting magnetic name badges and brought two samples to the board meeting. The board decided on the smaller and cheaper of the two.

Downtown Nevada Trick or Treat in front of the C of C Office on October 26, 2017. Paul Malsom is in the Lions suit and Charlene Jarboe is by the table. John Beals is taking the picture (above).

Bob has been doing an excellent job keeping track of our recycling project. He reported that the 40th load went out with 21,390 pounds for \$439.40 bringing the grand total to 1,391,090 pounds and \$25,558.25 since 2008. He thanks Mike and Jim for their work with the project.



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Thank You, etc.

Thank you to Lions Bob Hunter, Mike Seaboach, and Jim Fenn for their work with our recycling project.

Thank you to Jim Fenn for checking on the Lions shirts and Susan Radke for checking on the ISU Dining and magnetic name badges..

Thank you to all of our dedicated Lions for your outstanding service, loyalty, and devotion to Lionism.

I have set a goal to gain five new Lions this year. If you see a good prospect be sure to ASK them to join. Younger members and female members are especially encouraged.

With our Lions' year now half over, it is important to maximize our efforts to achieve our goals for the Lions' year. Our goals are more members, new fund raisers, and increased enthusiasm.

With 2018 here, we need to think about Lionism. The Lions Mid-Winter Convention is January 11 through 13, 2018 at the Sheraton in West Des Moines. Our club has not been good in attending these events in recent years. In the past, our club has picked up part of the cost. Registration alone is \$20 with meals extra.

Happy New Year