



The Grand Island Lion

April 2012

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A New "Pot of Gold" will be started beginning with our April meetings. Be there to win!!!



Upcoming events:

April:

Wednesday April 11th:
Lions General Meeting
G. I. Holiday Inn
Cocktails 6:30 Dinner 7PM
Program: Chinese Culture previewing show at Sheas.

Monday April 16th:
Lions Spaghetti Dinner
GI Holiday Inn
5-8PM

Wednesday April 25th:
Lions General Meeting
Buffalo Launch Club
Cocktails 6:30 Dinner 7:00PM
Program Mercy Flight
Board Meeting to follow



WE SERVE

Guest speaker; Dr. Sandy Sieminski, addressed our club at our March 14th meeting. Dr Sieminski spoke about the newer treatments for glaucoma available at the Ross Eye Institute.

From the President:

Dear fellow members,

I'd like to do something different for the 4th of July parade. I will have grandchildren in town and as you might know, Olivia has been in the parade for a few years. I am going to have black T-shirts printed for them so they will match our dress code somewhat. If you are bringing young kids with you, let me know and I'll have shirts printed for them. I may be presumptuous doing this, so please, if anyone objects let me know. I won't be offended. I sure don't want to overstep and traditions. Sincerely, Lion Pres. Anne



Fellowship with our Merritton Lions Sister Club at our joint meeting on March 28th 2012.



**Grand Island Lions Club
43rd Annual Spaghetti Dinner
Monday, April 16th
5 – 8 pm Holiday Inn – Ballroom**



Adults \$7.00
Children (5 – 12) \$4.00

Basket Raffles

Proceeds benefit the Special Kids Picnic
July 18th at the Buffalo Launch Club

Thanks to Lions Dick Crawford, Anne Fahning, Dave Chervinsky and Donna Lavallee for contributions to this newsletter. The deadline for the May Newsletter is Saturday April 28th. If you have material for the newsletter, you can e-mail it to Lion Dave Chervinsky, the editor/publisher, at dschervin@yahoo.com.

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**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO
THESE LIONS:**

Anne E. Fahning 6-Apr
Patrick Patterson 22-Apr

Seeing Eye Dogs:



A blind man with a seeing eye dog at his side walks into a grocery store. The man walks to the middle of the store, picks up the dog by the tail, and starts swinging the dog around in circles over his head. The store manager, who has seen all this, thinks this is quite strange. So, he decides to find out what's going on. The store manager approaches the blind man swinging the dog and says, "Pardon me. May I help you with something." The blind man says, "No thanks. I'm just looking around."

A man goes to a bar with his dog. He goes up to the bar and asks for a drink. The bartender says "You can't bring that dog in here!" The guy, without missing a beat, says "This is my seeing-eye dog." "Oh man," the bartender says, "I'm sorry, here, the first one's on me." The man takes his drink and goes to a table near the door. Another guy walks in the bar with a Chihuahua. The first guy sees him, stops him and says "You can't bring that dog in here unless you tell him it's a seeing-eye dog." The second man graciously thanks the first man and continues to the bar. He asks for a drink. The bartender says "Hey, you can't bring that dog in here!" The second man replies "This is my seeing-eye dog." The bartender says, "No, I don't think so. They do not have Chiwauas as seeing-eye dogs." The man pauses for a half-second and replies "What?!?! They gave me a Chihuahua?!?"

SAVE THE DATE!!



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The 6th Annual
Lions Club
GOLF CLASSIC
Friday, June 8th, 2012
Willowbrook Golf Course, Lockport, NY

\$95.00 PP Includes
Golf + Cart + Range Balls
Hot Dogs + Hamburgers + Beer + Soda Lunch
NY Strip Steak Dinner
Prizes + Contests

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