



The Grand Island Lion

December 2023

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Lions Christmas Party!

When: Wednesday, December 13th
Where: Buffalo Launch Club
Time: 6:00 pm - 6:30 pm cash bar
 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm dinner & Christmas games.

Ho..Ho..Ho...Lions

By the time you are reading this newsletter, there will be less than 25 days till Christmas! I know all of us will be busy Christmas shopping, wrapping gifts, decorating the house, baking your family's favorites and hosting or attending holiday parties. Since I mentioned "holiday parties" I hope you have RSVP for our Lions Christmas Party which takes place on Wednesday, December 13th at the BLC. You should have received an email already with all the details. This is always a fun evening and the BLC never lets us down.



Also in December, I am hoping our club will be able to coordinate with our Tops for a few hours of Christmas caroling and raising funds or collecting non-perishable goods for the Neighborhood Foundation again this year. Remember you can have your children, grandkids, friends or spouses join us.

I want to take this time to wish all of you and your family a Merry Christmas and a safe and prospectus New Year!
LP Kelly



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Keep Lion Henry in your thoughts and prayers as he continues to be challenged with health issues. He is at McCauley Residence Rehab in Kenmore NY but his daughter is making arrangements for him to be transferred to an assisted living facility on Long Island



Lions,

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Menu: \$30 per person for baked ziti* & meatballs, bread and butter,

salad and coffee bar. *Gluten-free pasta,

please request in RSVP.

For desserts we are asking three - four Lions to bring a small plate of your dessert choice.

Your RSVP is needed by Saturday, December 2nd. Please indicate if you need gluten-free pasta and if you are willing to bring a small plate of dessert.

REMINDER..... everyone attending the party (members/ spouses or friends) should bring a wrapped \$10 gift for our Christmas gift game.

Hope to see everyone - at our Christmas party!

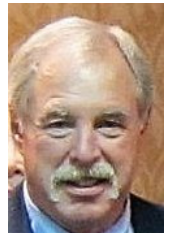
LP Kelly and Lion Donna



In attendance at our Christmas Party will be guests from the Grand Island Neighbors Foundation. Lions are please asked to bring donations of nonperishable food, personal hygiene products, diapers, Tops gift cards, cash or check. Let's show our Christmas Spirit by supporting the Neighbors Foundation and their mission of helping those in need.

Merry Christmas,
Lion Tom Rusert

Please return your empties to Bottle and Can Retrieval Center 2447 Grand Island Blvd, Grand Island, **Grand Island Can and Bottle Retrieval Center is now tracking our donations when items are left for them to credit our account.**



Donations for the Neighbors Foundation are on the upswing so please continue to bring any of the listed items to our meetings or drop off Tops gift cards, food items and checks/cash to me and I will deliver to them. They are also in need of diapers, toiletries and personal care items.

Thank you, Lion Tom Rusert



Stuart Sports has many styles and colors of polo shirts along with other apparel available. Stop in and peruse their catalogs and request that the Grand Island Lions logo be applied to your selection.

It's just a short drive to Lewiston:
Stuart Sports 486 Center St. Lewiston, NY (716-754-4895)

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Lion Tom Rusert

Thanks to Lions Tom Rusert, Donna Lavallee, and Kelly McGarvey for contributions to this newsletter. The deadline for the January Newsletter is Friday December 22nd. If you have material for the newsletter, you can e-mail it to Lion Dave Chervinsky, the editor/publisher at: grandislandliondave@gmail.com.

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