



The Grand Island Lion

November 2016

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Split Club Jackpot is \$153.00

Lion Brooks drew the three of spades at our last meeting. The Lion who draws the ace of hearts will win the pot.

Upcoming Events:



WE SERVE

Wednesday November 9th

Lions General Meeting

Radisson Inn

Cocktails 6:30PM Dinner 7PM

Program: Ms. Corina Labin

One Island One Team

substance abuse prevention coalition

November 9-12th

Bon-Ton Community

Days

November 24th :

Happy Thanksgiving!



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Sunshine:



Our condolences to the families of former long time Lions Jim Milne and Bob Swan who died this past Month.

Lions,

Happy Holidays to you and your families, they are coming upon us very quickly. What a wonderful time to reflect upon the many blessings we have. A time to spend with family and friends and share the warmth of the season at work and family get-togethers. Especially keep our Veterans and active duty troops all over the world in your thoughts and prayers. Our Veterans day remembrance will be held on Friday November 11th at 11am at Veterans Park, see you there.



Lion President Dick



Bon-Ton will schedule what dates and times our club is assigned to sell during this Community Day Event (November 9th-12th) and at that time I will send out an email to everyone so you can volunteer to take a shift or two.

Thanks for everyone's help!!
Lion Kelly



Lions,
Lion Tom W. and I met with the Bottle Junction manager and set up our Lions club charity account. Just take your returnable cans and bottles there and ask that the deposit money go to the Grand Island Lions. They will send a check to us quarterly. That's all you have to do. Drink up and spread the word to your family, friends and neighbors. Bottle Junction: 2447 Grand Island Boulevard
Grand Island, NY 14072 716-774-1200

IPP Lion Tom Rusert

Lions,

Please remember to bring non perishable food items to our meetings to benefit the Grand Island Neighbors Foundation's food pantry. Also we are still collecting used cell phones for Erie Co. Sheriff Deputy Joe Chuboda's domestic violence program.



Group Photos of some of our Lions and Guests at our 60th Anniversary celebration held on Wednesday October 26th at the Buffalo Launch Club. In addition to community members and Lions District Officials, a large contingent of Lions from our Sister Club of Merriton Ontario were also present (bottom photo). Additional photos on pages 4 and 5.

Grand Island Lions 60th Anniversary Party

Clockwise from upper Rt: Lion Donna Lavallee presented Lion Bob Goulding with the 60 Year Service Award; Lion District Governor John Haak was the keynote Speaker; Merritton Lion George Hosdick presented Lion President Dick Crawford with a Merritton Banner for our Club; and Lions Paul Bassette and Annette Boies-Lobl present the Robert Uplinger Award to the Buffalo Launch Club. Receiving the Award are Commodore Rhonda Ried and Director Bob DeGlopper.





**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY**



William Wind Sr.
Gerald Dubiel

Thanks to Lions Tom Rusert, Dick Crawford, Kelly McGarvey, Annette Lobl and Tom Witkowski for contributions to this newsletter. The deadline for the December Newsletter is Sunday November 27th. If you have material for the newsletter, you can e-mail it to Lion Dave Chervinsky, the editor/publisher, at:
grandislandiodave@gmail.com.

Visit us at:

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Lions Vests/Shirts

Vests can be purchase form the Lions Website. <https://www2.lionsclubs.org/p-255-gold-vest.aspx>
the lettering seems high in price. in the book. Stuarts store in Lewiston can do the lettering.

Lion Annette

Stuart Sports located in Lewiston NY specializes in computerized embroidery and screen printing for teams uniforms and corporate apparel. They do not sell Lions vests but will embroider and sew patches on vests provided by customers. If members are in need of polo shirts mention the Grand Island Lions as they have record of our logo and layout.

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Lion Tom Rusert