



February 3, 2010



## Over the river and through the woods !

Lion Em got a little confused when reading the calendar, but he quickly recovered and said it sure does feel and look like winter right now. There were 30 members, plus one guest, **Joseph Messenger**, who was brought by Lion Iverson Grove who also forwarded Joe's membership application to the secretary.

### Lion Iverson twisted a few tails, made some leave as winners

A dollar here, a dollar there--pretty soon you're talking real money (unless you're a politician). Cited today were:

- Chris Peterson for not having his name tag on;
- Nancy Carter for starting one of the songs in the wrong key;
- Bill Loftus for not visiting other Lions clubs while he was on his worldly tour;
- Greg Dowsett, 'cause he tried to sign in as a guest;
- Karin Frey, who was cited instead of the president;
- All those without Lions pins visibly on their person.

Winners: Diane Parker; Warren Brenimann  
Travel Fund Winners: Chuck Stenberg, Dave Dufour

### Other Stuff

Under Good of the Order (or, as we usually refer to it: GOTO), Paul Thomas read the names of those members with birthdays this month.

### Other Stuff

It was reported that Dick Cocks' wife, Anna, passed away this past Monday. Services will be Thursday, Feb. 4 at Episcopal Church of St. John the Evangelist.

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Dave Dufour mentioned he as a few posters announcing the Dodgeball Tournament for members to take and place in high traffic areas. Individuals interested in serving on a committee to work this tournament should contact Dave. His committee will be named in a few days.

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Someone reported that there are only 61 days left before the Cubs can start losing again.

Lions Clubs International has special relief efforts Lions can consider. More information is at the following link:

<http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/lci-foundation/haiti-relief/news-updates.php> You can make contributions that can qualify for a Melvin Jones Fellowship.

Read the Lions Magazine online! See the special info block and

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link on the home page of our website.

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Al Norris and Laura Swinehart are in the initial planning stages of another 'Couples' event. You know, members and spouses, or significant others or whatever. Some of the things we've done in the past include River Queen cruise, Tabor Hill bus trip, winery tour, and lunch or dinner, Elkhart Civic Theatre dinner and play, Wagon Wheel dinner & play, Lake Wawasee Lilypad boat cruise. Some thoughts about something new and different might be: South Bend Silver Hawks game, Elkhart Express game, Amish Acres dinner & play, etc. PLEASE, if you have any additional ideas or want to repeat any of the aforementioned, contact Al or Laura. They are looking for your input to help them plan another superior event.

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Keep Saturday, April 10 open. This is the date of our Dodgeball Tournament. There is a special website devoted to this project: [www.lionsdodgeball.com](http://www.lionsdodgeball.com)

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Don't forget our new web-based calendar of events. PLEASE, if you have an event planned, be sure to pass on the info to Marty Juel so it can be listed (or updated). **Did you know that if you subscribe to the calendar, you can get email alerts to the Lions events?**

## Other Stuff

**Program** Askok Sanghovi, Get ready for 2009 Taxes.

**Next Meeting** Bruce Carter will discuss his solo trip on Lake Mich. Who will be the first to ask him if he went alone?

**Thought for the Day** Change is inevitable- except from a vending machine.



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