



Recap – May 7, 2024 Luncheon Mtg
DG Michael & Lana O’Lonegan

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Meeting was called to order by Pres Gary Anderson at 12:17pm with the Pledge & Lion Tim Tuthill gave the prayer

Broke for lunch

Reconvened at 12:41pm

Announcements:

1. Kim Gary did a recap of the social event, GR Rise (Women’s Volleyball). About 21 people showed up and had a great time.
2. Rob Lalley reminded us of a summer picnic at Cascade Park, Thursday evening 6-9pm on July 18 . Very casual & pickle ball courts are reserved. There will also be some youth activities.
3. Kelly Phelps spoke on our service project Monday, May 20 at Kids Basket. Email Sherah Eavey if you can make it or go right to the sign up site.
4. Jamie Junod spoke on the Drive 4 Vision, June 17. Come and play or donate prizes or goody bag items. Talk to Jamie Junod, Kyle Travis, Jeremy Koester or Bob Younger if you have any questions.
5. Brent Spoelstra spoke on Sleep in Heavenly Peace. There was an event a few weeks ago and there will be another build on June 8, 9 am – 1 pm. There is still a need for 300 beds in Grand Rapids area alone.
6. District Convention is Friday, May 10, 2024
7. Annual Meeting is June 11 at Watermark. Details to follow.
8. Mission trip to Jamaica Oct 19-27, 2024 Contact Gary for more details.
9. Eyeglass recycling has moved to Rockford. We still have a need to collect glasses. We need drivers to pick up glasses around GR.

Tailtwister: Jamie Junod

1. Missing pins
2. Guests: Tim Tuthill brought Colette Mattox from ABVI

Happy Bucks:

1. Returners from trips and Keith is happy to be alive.
2. Gail Junod took 2 boxes of readers to Degaje should last a year.

Raffle: Jim Schuyler \$5, Red Chip Jim Schuyler

Presentation: District Governor Michael and Lana O'Lonegan.

Gary explained who and what a Lions District Governor does for Lions. Gary introduced Lana first to talk a little bit about her home country of Ukraine. DG Michael spoke on Lions in the district to around the world. The gift of service is from the heart and is vital to our district, state and world. Try something new, get out of your comfort zone.



Meeting Adjourned at 1:15
Respectfully Submitted,
Lion Cheryl Anderson

Grand Rapids Lions Club Secretary