



Billerica Lions Club

November

2005 1st

EDITION B/E

Fred Pais

The Billerica Lions Club had the privilege of hosting the lions youth speech contest recently. Students from Billerica Memorial High and Shawsheen Tech expressed their thoughts and feelings about "What Family Means To Me" to Lions members and guests. Alan Kessler, Christina Skillman, and Margaret Smith decided a first place winner with everyone a runner up. The contestants Lauren Ennis, Lynne Scott, Marcela DeMelo, Victoria Papas Nisha Wali and Anthony Lever, provided a variety of insights on this years subject. Anthony Lever will move on to the next level Of competition in December. Congratulations to all who participated

RESIDENTS MESSAGE:



FALL IS IN THE AIR, AND LIONS ACTIVITIES ARE IN GEAR. THANKS TO ANNETTE DAVIS AND HER COMMITTEE, WE HAD A VERY SUCCESSFUL SPEECH CONTEST AT THE CANAL MUSEUM WITH SOME VERY TALENTED AND POISED SPEAKERS. OUR FIRST BREAKFAST OF THE NEW YEAR IS COMING IN SUNDAY THE 13TH AT THE MASONS. PLEASE INVITE Friends AND RELATIVES, BREAKFAST WILL BE SERVED FROM 7.00AM TO 11AM. The Christmas festival committee is gearing up and our Christmas party with the masons is taking shape for December 20th I want to encourage all to participate and thank you for our efforts.

Yours in lionism, Paul Kilian

Speaker at the mtg Tuesday the 15th will be Ron Nagy, executive director of the boys and girls club.

5 lions attended the meeting of the speech contest, this must be a record for the lions club of Billerica!

Deve & Barbara Bourdon did a bangup job with the place mat sales \$500.00 SUPER SALESMENSHIP!

A businessman taking an efficiency seminar, presented a case study on his wife's routine for cooking breakfast. "After a few days of observation, I determined what was slowing her down and suggested ways to speed up the process"

"Did it work?" the teacher asked

"It sure did. Instead of taking her 20 minutes to cook breakfast, it takes me only seven" RD

SPEECH CONTESTANTS FROM LEFT TO RIGHT. LAUREN ENNIS, LYNNE SCOTT, MARCELA DE MELO, VICTORIA PAPAS, NISHA WALI, ANTHONY LEVER. CONTESTANT LEVER WAS THE WINNER. ALL SPEAKERS WERE EXCELLENT



UPCOMING EVENTS

Nov.8 th	Speech contest Canal museum
Nov. 13th	Pancake breakfast 8-11 a.m. Masonic ldg
Nov.15th	Reg. Mtg. Wyndham Hotel
Nov 22nd	Bd.Mtg 6.30 pm Pauls office
Nov. 22nd	District cabinet mtg
Nov.29th	District advisory mtg Wyndham, Andover
December 6th	Regular mtg canal museum
December 20th	Christmas party????? ???????????????????? D.G. VISITATION

Be an Active Lion, PARTICIPATE at these LIONS functions. You belong to the GREATEST organization in the world.

Sunshine Note: Golf cart.

Two golfers met at the club."I heard about your terrible tragedy last week" said one.

"yes" said the other sadly, sipping his drink.

"I was playing a two-some with winthrop, and he dropped dead at the ninth hole"

I understand you carried him all the way back to the club house too," the first man said sympathetically. "that must have been very difficult, considering that Winthrop weighed Over 200 pounds"

"the carrying wasn't that hard. It was putting him down at every stroke, then picking him up again that wore me out"

Be constructive,

Not

Distructive.

Speaker program:

At the last meeting at the Wyndham hotel, we had the pleasure of having Dr. Michael Sandberg, associate professor of ophthalmology, Harvard Medical School of Massachusetts Eye and Ear infirmary, give a power point talk on "screening for eye disease."

Very well presented.

OPERATION, HONOR OUR HEROES

Items needed:

AT&T phone cards, Toilet wipes, baby wipes, medicated foot powder, lip balm with sunscreen, tooth brushes, deodorant, socks, stationery, DVD's for lap tops, small board games, powdered juice drink mixes, packaged cookies, beef jerky, chewing tobacco, dried fruits and nuts, and candy except chocolate. No aerosol cans, shampoos,

Or potato chips.

Items collected can be dropped off at THE COFFEE EMPORIUM, NORTHERN BANK AND TRUST for the Honor Our Heroes Program. you can drop off your donation there before Nov 20TH.

As a group let's show our support for our soldiers. This is a repeat of last year HONOR OUR HEROES for help, you can contact

JOAN PROCTOR, 781 272 4848

The lions holiday party will be held at 6.30pm at the Wyndham hotel, Tuesday, December 20th. The lions have again invited the members of Thomas Talbot Lodge to join us for the event. There will be some excellent items to be auctioned, and we are requesting that treasures from your attic be donated for this auction. We will also have a 50/50 raffle. Tickets are \$20 each, no tickets will be sold at the door call Betsy Burton 978 667 1036