He graduated from Borah High and attended the U of I (where he had a big brother by the name of Larry Kidd.). He received his doctorate in Philosophy, Bachelor of Arts and Science and received his Master of Arts at BSU. He is Dr. Don Coberly, the Superintendent of the Boise School District which was founded in 1865 and covers 1072 miles. District #1 was the greatest in the State but now is 2nd to District #2, West Ada. District #1 is the second oldest system in Idaho, the oldest being in Lewiston (founded 3 days earlier). He described the construction and reconstruction of several schools in our area. Timberline (built in 1994 as Les Boise Jr. High) was remodeled in 1998 and in 5 years he predicts Timberline High School will be the largest high school. They tore down the earthen covered Amity School and built a new school. Remodeling of Whittier School should be complete in January & will have 600 kids. He said building the new gym at Boise High is behind but should be done before spring break. The Highland Elementary school, built in 1961, will have the remodeling complete after spring break. In Phase 2 Maple Grove, built in 1971, will have a new separate gym. Mtn. View will have a complete rebuild as will Pierce Park and Collister. There are 4 Senior High Schools, 8 Jr. High Schools and 32 elementary schools. Dr. Coberly did a great job explaining something about most of them. He also advised that 3 new subjects will be added to the High Schools – Plumbing, HAV, & Electricians – and at this time has 40 students (all sophomores) enrolled.

Twenty seven members attended this week, one being Lion Curt Kelley, who took home $45 of attendance money. Sure hope his accountant reads this newsletter. No card money passed out though. First thing on the agenda was for President Larry (back from the USA/CANADA Forum) presented Jay Lugo a check for the Lions Sight and Hearing Foundation in the amount of $18,684.75, the proceeds from Hit the Jackpot Golf Tournament.

A card was passed around the club for signatures due to the passing of Lion Patrick DeWane at age 35. Patrick was the grandson of Lion Bill Hallock. Funeral service information will be sent out when received from the family.

**PROJECTS:..........................**

President Larry reminded the club of the Alzheimer Walk this Saturday at Kleiner Park in Meridian. Please arrive at 10AM to receive the shirts/bracelets etc. and get photos taken. Formal ceremony is 11AM and the actual walk begins at 11:30.

**Dates to put on your calendar:** October 17th

feeding the Veterans at the VA. Please come at 4pm to transport wheelchairs to dinner. **October 23rd** volunteering at the Idaho Food Bank from 12:30 to 2:30pm.

Dan & Patty Frison and Larry Locklear delivered a bunk bed to the Behmer family in Nampa for a 4 year old girl. Volunteer hours 6. Happy Olsen collected and sorted 197 pair used eyeglasses. Volunteer hours 2.
Bragging Rights: LaDawn Kidd has become secretary at the LS&H Foundation. Patty Frison golfed her best ever 88 (but the next 3 days were back to normal.).

The Board of Directors will be a meeting Tuesday the 9th at 6:00pm. Please get agenda items to Jan Brady as early as possible....Midwinter Convention February 22/23, 2019 at the Marriott in Meridian.

Dwaine Hibbs brought several Jackpot Shirts for sale at $22.00 each. Lots of medium and large, no smalls.

BIRTHDAYS: OCTOBER – Shirley Brooks & Darlene Storck 10/07; Henry Cardinale 10/14, Sarah Kohler 10/21; Larry Locklear 10/23

PROGRAMS:
- **Oct. 6 – Walk to End Alzheimers** – Opens at 11:00 AM, Walk 11:30 – Kleiner Park, Meridian. Boise Valley team sponsored by the Club and is open to any Lion or Friend. Registration contact: [http://act.alz.org/gotoboisevalleylionsteampage](http://act.alz.org/gotoboisevalleylionsteampage)
- **Oct. 10 – Speaker** – Bob Chehey, U of I Extension Office
- **Oct. 17 – Speaker** – Myla Jeffries, Ada County Emergency Management
- **Oct 24 – TBD**
- **Oct 31 – Speaker** – Denise Peterson, Dick Eardley Senior Center

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Don't forget to check out the Bench Lions website-----it changes weekly. Check out the website for 39W.......Some great stuff & well done......[http://www.lions39W.org](http://www.lions39W.org) (under “quick links” be sure to check out “blogger”)

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