WE MEET AT NOON EACH WEDNESDAY AT
CASA MEXICO – 10332 FAIRVIEW AVENUE, BOISE, ID 83704

Somehow in the miss communications we did not have a speaker today. Greg Curtis from Nampa-Meridian Irrigation District will be speaking next week. Tail twister LaDawn filled some space with her memory questions for the club and Lion Patty Frison entertained the Club with tails of being an airline stewardess in some strange circumstances.

Curt Kelley brought three Lion guests from California – Chuck Cassy from the Ventura Downtown Lions Club est. 1923 and has never repeated a president. Mary-Catherine Henggeler and daughter Leslie Oney are from the Camarillo Amber's Light Lions Club est. 2011. They have all held several club and district leadership positions. Curt Kelley also won the attendance drawing. No card money given out.

The Club welcomed Snow Bunny Lion Larry Spencer back and Patty Frison is back from Foot Surgery. ROAR.

Next Jackpot Board Meeting is Tuesday the 23rd at Envision starting at 6:00pm.

Patty passed around a sign up for Sprouts which has moved to 1500 Shoreline Drive with lots of parking. 1st weekend May 4th is cooking class and second weekend planting flowers for Mother's Day.

The Build a Bed crew was active this week. April 11th the Frisons and Marchettis set up 2 beds for the Gardner Family of 3 boys – 13, 14 & 17 and 1 girl, age 11. 11 volunteer hours. On the 15th the Frisons, Bradys and Lynne Burks set up one bed for the Lee family in Nampa for 2 girls ages 10 & 11. 15 volunteer hours.

The Club purchased eye exams/glasses for four for a total of $100.00. Curt Kelley and Dan Frison will be visiting Parma Lions on Tuesday & if you would like to join them contact Curt for a meeting place. Dan Frison brought in 60 pair of used eyeglasses.

The Run/Walk (YES – Dash for Donations) will be April 27th at Kleiner Park with a cost of $35. President just invited the club members to attend.

Environment Service Project presented by President Larry – a. River to Ridges, April 25th, 3-5pm – trail maintenance or b. Greenbelt cleanup on April 22nd – Earth Day from 5-6:30pm. Location: turn south toward the Boise River off State St. on South Edgewood Lane (about 1.0 mile east of Eagle Road). Proceed to public parking area near greenbelt entrance. Bring trowels, gloves & water. Wear shoes & clothes for crawling in the bushes and absolutely no dogs.

Darlene Stork said volunteering at the Food Bank will be April 23rd noon to 2:00pm. Gayle Chaney said she will be holding hearing tests at Envision on May 1st starting at 1:30pm. Call Edie or Chris for reservations.

Lions International sent out a notice that Clubs will have an opportunity to receive a grant of $35 for new Lions who are reported during April 2019. Payments will come in two equal installments on December 31, 2019 and June 30,
2020 if the new members stay active. Funds should be used to plan activities that engage new members in service so they have a great onboarding experience in our club. Let's get recruiting!

The USA/CANADA FORUM, in Spokane, WA will be September 19-21, 2019. A great educational forum for new officers, or even old officers. Mark your Calendars.

The **Charter Party will be April 19** at the Riverside for a cost of $37.00. It will be held in the Aspen Room with cocktails at 6:00 and dinner at 7:00. Patty Frison will keep the festivities going with some fun games.

The **Sun Valley Convention** will be May 24-26, and the club will reimburse each member attending $100. 2012 PIP Wayne Madden from Indiana will be the speaker. Envision will be celebrating 50 years and the Bench Club will be involved in this celebration.

**PROGRAMS & PROJECTS:**

- **April 19 – Charter Party – Riverside – 6pm cocktails – dinner @ 7pm - $37 Buffet – Aspen Room**
- **April 24 – Speaker – Greg Curtis – Nampa-Meridian Irrigation District**

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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 (under “quick links” be sure to check out “blogger”)

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*Bench Lion Claudio Negrao in the back* (subject...Easter gifts to a poor kids foundation)
Boise Bench Lions

IT’S PARTY TIME

“68th” Charter Party
April 19th 2019
at the Riverside Hotel
Caldwell Lions Club 2019

24th Annual

Cinco De Mayo Golf Tournament

River Bend Golf Course, Wilder

Only one player 10 handicap or lower per team

Sunday, May 5th - 9:00 AM Shotgun Start

Entry Deadline April 20th, 2018

Only 140 entries - 18-hole 4 person team scramble

All proceeds go to Scholarship Funds

Come with a team or come by yourself and be put on a team

$75 per person before April 20th $80 per person after April 20th

Fee includes: Green Fees & Cart, BBQ & Beverage

Make checks payable to: Caldwell Lions

Mail to Caldwell Lions Golf Account P.O.Box 236, Caldwell, ID 83606

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