October 2, 2019

BOISE BENCH LIONS NEWS

Meet at Casa Mexico every Wednesday at Noon 10332 Fairview Ave, Boise

Speaker BB Lion Curt Kelley
Thank you program chair PID Gary

Tail Twister Corner:

TT LaDawn stumped the Lions. Not sure about what but she always seems to!

More Information:

October 23rd group club picture in lobby of Casa Mexico. Wear vests, pics available for $5 for tail twister fund. Hoping to make this an annual event.

Save the Date: Veteran’s Parade November 2nd at 10 am. Come walk with the Lions. The Meridian Lions Rodeo queens will be riding in the candy truck.

Ask a Veteran to lunch with us at our noon November 6th meeting!

Information:

Our very own Lion Curt Kelley took us on a picturesque tour through Southern England, Ireland and Iceland. Curt and his wife Pat both won ribbons for their photos from their trip at the fair. Beautiful photos of cathedrals, huge 100+ year old trees and rhododendrons. He spoke of the murder of Saint Thomas of Canterbury. They learned next year will be the 400th anniversary of the sailing of the Mayflower and founding of the Plymouth colony. They stopped in Reykjavik, Iceland on the way home. Summers with temperatures only in the 50's. The Vikings cut down all the trees so it seemed quite barren. The cathedrals they saw in Iceland seemed pretty plain compared to the ones they saw in England. They rode on 8 trains and 7 airplanes on their trip. The driving was very scary. A Magical Trip for them both!

34 members and 3 guests, Chris Mai and Ryan from Envision and Ken Cameron brought Sam Storck.

The BB Lions sang Happy Birthday to Lion Chris Mai it was her special day today!

October 2 is "National Name Your Car Day!"

Sprouts sign-up sheet was passed around. Sprouts will be over the end of October. What will we do in the winter?!

Foodbank sign-up sheet for Tuesday October 22 from 12-2 was also passed around for October.

Lion Happy has been knitting scarves since her cancer days. She has about 40. If you have an idea where she can donate them send her an email.

Bragging rights:

Larry Kidd’s softball team played in LV and got 7th out of 22! Good Job!

Terry Brady got a new puppy!

Karen Wood announced the birth of her 30th great grandchild!

Tom Caperon did his own laundry cause his wife is out of town.

President Rob’s quote:

When a man opens a car door for a woman, it is either a new car or a new wife. Prince Phillip

When everything is coming your way, you’re in the wrong lane. Steven Wright
Calendar for Programs and Projects:

- **October 5** - Alzheimer's Walk Kleiner Park 11:00
- **October 9** Jennifer Zielinski Idaho anti-trafficking coalition/human trafficking
- **October 16** Guard spokesman Col Christopher Borders and a guest with an update on Gown Field
- **October 23** BB first annual club photo in lobby of Casa Mexico. You can order a pic from PID Gary for $5 for the TT fund. Club officers will have their pic taken for the website.
- **October 30** Special Guest
- **November 2** Veteran's parade 10:00
- **November 6** Grace Zimmerman Miss Idaho 2019 accompanied by RZC Betty Simpson
- **November 6** Ask a Veteran to join you for lunch
- **November 13** Lindsay Meloy Community Development Auric Energy, everything you wanted to know about solar energy but were afraid to ask

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")

Club Newsletter: Lynne Burks if you are out and about doing Lions stuff, take some pics, send them my way for the newsletter: lynne6659@gmail.com or text 208-570-0845

October Birthdays:
- Shirley Brooks 10/7
- Darlene Storck 10/7
- Henry Cardinale 10/14
- Sarah Kohler 10/21
- Larry Locklear 10/23

Club Secretary: Happy Olsen email: olhap64@gmail.com

Larry Kidd presented Jay Lugo with Envision a check for $10,856.24 from the Hit the Jackpot Golf tournament. Jay said this money will provide 55 eye surgeries, 500 eyeglasses and 40 hearing aids. 100% of the money goes back into our community. Way to go BB Lions!!

Happy Birthday!
Lion Chris Mai
Chris works at Envision

Bragging Larry Kidd about softball in LV.