

A thumbnail history of over 40 years

Charter President

Lion Sid Martin...First regular meeting Feb.26th 1963.

First activity - sold tickets on a cottage, netted \$1,199.25

First dance held in Nov., 400 attended, netted \$ 170.40

First kids Halloween party, 150 attended, cost to the club \$11.00

Organized Judo Club for boys and girls aged 10 to 17 years.

First Bingo held as Monster Bingo, Aug.14th 1964

1963-65 Lion

Sid Martin

President

Held a draw for a boat, motor and trailer. Netted \$1000.00

Produced a local area tourist guide book. Netted \$ 800.00

Donated \$300.00 to Blue Mountain Camp for Crippled Children.

Supplied a Christmas turkey and hamper to every needy family reported in the area.

Supplied correction glasses for several children.

Supported C.N.I.B. Camp, Lake Joseph, \$250.00

1965-66 Lion

Clair Robertson

President

Club sponsored visit of Borden's "Elsie the Cow" during the August holiday weekend, realized \$300.00 which was donated to The Blue Mountain Camp.

Twenty-three hampers were delivered to needy families, cost to the club \$260.00

First "Lion Air" news bulletin published Jan. 1966.

Established a Bursary for high school students, not to exceed \$500.00.

Hosted Zone Public Speaking Contest, 12 contestants.

Hosted Zone Rally in April, 165 Lions attended.

Paid for successful eye operation on two children with crossed eyes.

First Bursary presented to Miss Judy Besley in the amount of \$500.00.

Presented emergency vehicle at a cost of \$2,863.40 to the community. The keys were accepted by Past Reeve Anthony Beck from President Clair Robertson.

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1966-67 Lion

Bill Pringle

President

Small Fry club started for pre-school children.

\$250.00 donated to the Blue Mountain Camp for Crippled Children.

\$1,100.00 was donated towards the cost of a new ceiling for the old Community Center.

**1967-68 Lion
Nelson McLeod
President**

Hosted "Elsie the Cow" again, netted \$379.57, there were 6,791 visitors.

Blitz night for Cancer Fund, netted \$250.00.

Lake Joseph, C.N.I.B. pledge \$300.00

Blue Mountain Children's Camp received \$379.50

Meeting night changed from Tuesday to Monday on Oct. 9th 1967.

Surgical crutches purchased for two boys aged 12 and 15.

Halloween party cost \$208.20, 175 children attended.

Eight needy families received Christmas hampers, plus 13 fruit baskets sent to seniors over 80 at a cost of \$164.55

Two pony blankets were presented to Mr. Harry Martin for his many acts of kindness to the village children.

\$100.00 donated to the local library for children's books and supplies.

Sponsored 25 walkers for OX-FAM to the amount of \$307.00.

**1968-69 Lion
Nelson McCleod
President**

\$300.00 donated to Blue Mountain Children's Camp.

\$300.00 pledged to the Lake Joseph C.N.I.B. and \$50.00 was donated to the Wasaga Beach Brownies.

Lion's painting project. The Oakview Center received a coat of paint in Lions colors of purple and gold. Seventeen Lions working for 9 hours painted 6500 sq. ft. of block walls as well as windows and doors.

**1969-70 Lion
Max Layefsky
President**

The club built 16 shelter huts and installed them on the village school bus route, at an approximate cost of \$2000.00.

The Small Fry club was still proving to be popular and successful.

Over 300 children attended the Halloween party. They were entertained by Crazy Seymour the clown, and received candy treats.

\$300.00 was presented to the C.N.I.B.

Handicraft materials were provided to the Boy Scouts at a cost of \$52.50.

\$200.00 was presented to the Contact Center, a distress telephone counseling service staffed totally by volunteers.

19 Christmas hampers were distributed to needy families and 17 potted plants were presented to senior citizens.

The club bought 5 houses for Pakistan at a cost of \$165.00.

\$25.00 was donated to a local church for a memorial window in memory of former charter club member Charles Proctor.

Annual fireworks display was held aided by the volunteer

Firefighters. Approximately 1000 people managed to consume 720 hot dogs and 25 cases of pop. The Small Fry club was dropped due to the advent of kindergarten classes.

**1970-71 Lion
Carl Mitchell
President**

Four visits were made to the Blue Mountain Camp for Crippled Children. A barbecue stove and lots of food, drinks and toys were taken along.

A musical trio from the Nancy Villa offered their services Free. Cost to the Club for the four visits was \$1000.00 \$2150.00 was donated to the G & M Hospital, Collingwood for the purchase of a maternity ward obstetrical bed and a portable electrocardiograph machine. Both items were urgently needed.

An outdoor natural ice rink was completed at a cost of \$1250.00.

\$1000.00 was donated to sponsor a Wasaga Beach minor hockey team.

**1971-72 Lion
Norris Miller
President**

The club supported a minor hockey team again for the 71-72 Season.

On 17th September, the club became incorporated.

The annual Halloween party was a great success, \$177.60 was spent on goodies.

Travelling bags were presented to the Wasaga Beach Novice hockey team at a cost of \$140.00, and a further \$660.00 was made available for ice time for Minor Hockey.

Our Club gained approval from the village council to erect a Medical-Dental Center to house two doctors and one dentist. By the end of the 71-72 meeting season the club had raised \$32,000.00 toward the cost of the Medical-Dental Center and construction had started.

**1972-73 Lion
Ramon Brown
President**

The club sponsored a beer garden in conjunction with the opening of the Main Street Mall, and made a net profit of \$500.00. There was a 90 percent membership turnout.

On August 29th 1973 at a total cost of \$60,000.00, the club officially opened the Medical-Dental Center, providing A facility for two doctors and one dentist. The whole project sparked by a casual remark between a Lion patient and his doctor was brought up at a Lion's meeting, and accepted willingly as a project. The building was turned over to the community with plans that when fully paid for would be

administered by a five member board comprising four Lions and one councilor.

\$1819.00 was raised from a car draw. The money was used to pay down the Medial-Dental Center debt.

\$50.00 was donated to the Youth Bowling Club for the purchase of trophies.

Donated \$100.00 to the District A12 for a motor vehicle for the C.N.I.B.

There was a 100 percent membership turnout at the tenth Charter Anniversary evening on May 14th, 1973.

1973-74 Lion

**Roy Moore
President**

A Mayoral chain of office was presented to the Town of Wasaga Beach with the proviso that it be worn by the Mayor at all public functions. The chain cost \$550.00.

Paul Newton was honored for his work "beyond the call of duty" with hockey and baseball at a banquet held on December 10th at the Nancy Villa.

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1974-75 Lion

**Robert Timlock
President**

The education bursary for \$250.00 was received by Miss Linda Anstett.

\$200.00 was sent to District A12 for their annual project.

The Fish Derby netted \$27.50.

A gala dance was held for the Collingwood G & M hospital \$900.00 was raised, \$1000.00 was donated.

The Honeymoon Weekend draw netted \$200.00 profit.

Ricky Angel was the winner. Doug and Gloria Angel took the honeymoon.

The Lioness Club donated \$1000.00 to be applied against the Medical-Dental Center debt, at a special Ladies Night held on December 14th 1974.

1975-76 Lion

**Arthur Sigouin
President**

Four cassette readers for the blind and disabled were supplied to the Public Library at a cost of \$180.00

The Medical-Dental Center debt was down to \$2850.00

\$250.00 was donated to the Figure Skating Club.

Saturday June 12th 1976 was Medical Center note burning night. A gala evening was held which raised \$2615.00

1976-77 Lion

Larry Chomiak

We entered a float with a real live lion in a cage(courtesy of Wasaga Beach Zoo) in the first ever Santa Claus Parade in Wasaga Beach.

\$50,000.00 was pledged toward the purchase by the town of the Wasaga Stars arena. As any pledge was matched by "Wintario", this pledge was worth \$100,000.00 to the town against the purchase price of the arena.

Our "Junefest" dance was a huge success. Lion Bob Timlock's organizing skills plus Lion Jack Timlock's generous donation of the Dardanella dance pavillion along with club members maximum effort ensured the success of the evening. The event raised \$5000.00 which was used against the arena pledge.

\$25.00 was donated to the Elmvale Lions Snofari.

\$50.00 was donated to the Wasaga Beach Little Theatre Group.

**1977-78 Lion
Sid Taylor
President**

A further \$10,000.00 was paid off the arena pledge.

\$279.00 was donated to the District Leader Dog Program.

The Wasaga Beach Lionettes donated \$2,500.00 toward the Lions arena pledge.

\$80.00 worth of groceries were donated to a destitute Wasaga Beach family.

\$50.00 was donated to the District A12 project for the deaf.

\$35.00 was sent to the Lions International Foundation.

\$100.00 was donated to a fire victim family in Wasaga Beach

The club was in charge of the parade at the District A12 Convention held at Collingwood in April, 1978. Other clubs involved were Elmvale, Creemore and Stayner.

\$25.00 was donated to Penetanguishene Lions to help them replace equipment and regalia lost in a fire.

\$150.00 was donated to a young woman to the U.S.A. for a scholarship contest. As a result of the contest she won an \$8000.00 scholarship.

\$250.00 was donated to the Wasaga Beach Center Board.

\$50.00 was donated to a needy family.

Lion Fred Wilkes was elected Zone Chairman of Region 36 West. This was the first Cabinet Post held by a Wasaga Beach Lion.

Well over 1000 people attended the annual Victoria Day fireworks display. \$817.00 was realized at the gate to offset the cost of the evening.

The "Junefest" dance raised \$3933.83 which was used against the arena pledge.

**1978-79 Lion
Raymond Bartlett**

\$1000.00 was committed to the Library Board for the extension of the facilities.

\$175.00 was donated to the District A12 project, a new vehicle for the C.N.I.B., Barrie unit.

A new sidewalk was installed at the Prince of Peach Church.

\$200.00 was donated to Minor Hockey for team sponsorship.

On November 20th 1978, an application was submitted to Lions International for certification of the organization of a Lioness club. Lion Fred Wilkes was the liason officer.

\$100.00 was donated to assist in the relocation of a youth in difficulty mainly due to his adverse environment.

In December, another \$15,000.00 was paid off to the arena pledge.

\$450.00 was donated to Minor Hockey to help with the Silver Stick Tournament.

A snack booth was operated at the Winter Jamboree Snowmobile Races. The hot drinks and snacks were very welcomed.

The Lioness Club became official on November 28th 1978, and held a recognition night on April 21st 1978.

Lioness representative Gordon Walker and District Lioness representative Mrs. Evelyn Walker, officiated by inducting the Lioness Ladies.

\$100.00 was donated for the Hearing Conservation and Work for the deaf.

\$50.00 was donated to C.A.R.E. and \$50.00 to the Lions International Foundation.

\$350.00 was donated to sponsor Minor Hockey.

\$160.00 was made available for two children to have dental treatment.

A 1979 Stanley Cup Lottery netted \$791.23

\$500.00 was donated to Figure Skating.

**1979-80 Lion
Cliff McWebb
President**

The Junefest Dance raised over \$5000.00. \$250.00 was donated to the Salvation Army.

On Tuesday December 11th 1979 a cheque for \$10,000.00 representing the balance of the Arena pledge was presented to council.

\$40.00 was donated to buy a tea trolley for a partially paralyzed lady to assist her in her home.

\$151.00 was raised from a 50-50 draw held at the village fair.

\$200.00 was donated to the Dorest Dialysis Camp.

\$50.00 was donated to the District Effective Speaking Contest.

\$300.00 was donated to the Ontario Federation of Cerebral Palsied.

\$1000.00 was pledged to teacher Jim Brays Ukulele Group to help them with the cost of a trip to a ukulele convention to Halifax, Nova Scotia.

**1980-81 Lion
Aubrey Gerrard
President**

**\$250.00 was donated to the Terry Fox Run.
On November 27th, the Wasaga Beach Leos Club was founded. The club started with 27 members.**

\$300.00 was donated to the Wasaga Beach Winter Jamboree.

\$150.00 was donated to the Heart Foundation.

A wheelchair was purchased to be owned by the club and to be loaned to anyone in need of one.

**1981-82 Lion
Roy Armstrong
President**

\$200.00 was donated to the Village Fair.

\$200.00 was donated for roof repairs on the Public Library.

Three Wasaga Beach students who made Ontario Scholar status (High School Graduates with a minimum average of 80 percent) each received the \$250.00 club scholarship.

\$25.00 was donated to the Poppy Day Fund.

\$47.00 was donated to the Judy Preston Fund.

\$150.00 was donated to sponsor Riaz Mohammed for the Terry Fox Youth Center.

\$500.00 was donated to the Wasaga Beach Firefighters toward a restoration project.

\$900.00 was given via the Lionesses to the Sweet Briar Nursing Home to be used for multiple sclerosis patients.

**1982-83 Lion
Stan Tate
President**

Casino Nights were held at the amusement park in July and August.

\$100.00 was donated to the Bowlathon.

\$250.00 was donated to the Leader Dog School.

\$250.00 was donated to the Family and Childrens Services to send two children to a Summer Camp.

We hosted the District A12 Convention, an achievement of which the club was justly proud.

**1983-84 Lion
Ed Garback
President**

**\$300.00 was donated to Telecare.
\$200.00 was donated to the Preschool Nursery.
Five Wasaga Beach Ontario Scholars each received the
\$250.00 club scholarship.
A Casino night raised \$1882.00
A computer costing \$1500.00 was purchased for the
Oxbow Park School.
A computer printer costing \$325.00 was purchased and
presented to the Byrns Aveue Public School.
\$200.00 was donated to the Wasaga Beach Pathfinder Unit
to help send a member on a trip to Mexico.
\$1200.00 was donated to the Lynn Eberhart Fund for
liver disease research.
\$300.00 was donated for a V.C.R. for the Dialysis Program
at Collingwood General and Marine Hospital.**

**1984-85 Lion
Bill LeNoury
President**

**Up to \$100,000.00 was allocated for the Senior Citizens
and Daycare extension to the Oakview Center.
\$10,000.00 was allocated to create a soccer field.
\$1000.00 plus volunteer labour was donated to help put
Annie Bournes home back together again after it was
ravaged by fire.
\$250.00 was donated to the Red Shield Appeal.
\$250.00 was donated to the Lions Home for Deaf Children**

**1985-86 Lion
Manuel Antunes
President**

**\$400.00 was donated to the Barrie disaster fund.
\$200.00 was donated students for books.
\$260.00 was donated to the Co-Op Nursery to pay for one
child for one year.
\$250.00 was donated to the Wasaga Beach Ambulance
Service.
\$150.00 was donated toward a teen dance.
\$200.00 was donated to the March of Dimes Snowerama.
\$1500.00 was donated for a student to tour England in a
public speaking contest.
\$200.00 was donated to the Canadian Cancer Society.
\$150.00 was donated to a Minor Baseball team.
\$100.00 was donated to Minor Hockey.**

**1986-87 Lion
Don Jarvie
President**

**A new sign was purchased for the Oakview Center at a cost of \$3500.00.
\$384.00 went to the Collingwood and District Information Center.
\$100.00 was donated to the Rotary Club.
\$2184.00 was donated to Camp Dorset.
\$12,000.00 was donated to Collingwood hospital to purchase a heart monitoring life sustaining machine for heart attack victims.
Books were purchased for two students at a cost of \$535.00.
\$250.00 was donated to Toys for Kids.
\$150.00 was donated to the Canadian Diabetic Association.
\$250.00 was donated to the Co-Op Nursery School.
\$75.00 was spent on the Christmas parade.
\$25.00 was spent on district convention flags.
\$1500.00 engineering bill was paid for the Oakview Center project.
\$65.00 was donated to the A12 Public Speaking Contest.
\$250.00 was spent on new chairs for the Oakview Center.
\$5000.00 was donated to the Stayner Arena building fund
\$150.00 was donated to pay for a band for a teens dance at the arena.
\$100.00 was donated to the Bib Brothers Bowlathon.
\$63.00 was spent on tickets to the Oxbow Public School theatre production.
\$100.00 was donated toward the cost of the Georgian Bay Selects Hockey Tournament.
Lion Fred Wilkes officially became a Life member
Lion Bob Timlock received his 20 year chevron.
\$750.00 travelling costs were paid for a Lions sponsored hockey team.
\$100.00 was donated to pay for a grade 8 graduation class party.
\$100.00 was donated to the Wasaga Beach Minor Baseball team.
\$300.00 was donated to the Junefest slow pitch tournament.
\$500.00 was donated to the Wasaga Beach Figure Skating Club.**

**1987-88 Lion
Dick Coles
President**

**\$79,000.00 Construction of the Lions Den extension on the Oakview Center was approved.
A new pin was designed by Lion Ed Garback for the 25th Anniversary year.
\$25,000.00 Donated to Collingwood General & Marine Hospital**

**1988-89 Lion
Jim Roberts
President**

**Donated \$350.00 to Stayner Kinsmen for their Cystic Fibroses Fund.
Donated \$2000.00 to send 2 teachers on a Seminar.
Donated \$1000.00 Christmas Parade Float.
Donated \$500.00 Camp for the Deaf
Donated \$200.00 Toys for Kids.
Donated \$325.00 Terry Fox Center Seminar
\$300.00 donated to Participation Lodge
\$400.00 donated Canadian Diabetes Association
\$375.00 donated Air Cadets
\$2000.00 Wasaga Fish and Game Club
\$2400.00 Camp Dorset
\$574.00 Leader Dog School
\$200.00 Collingwood Association for the mentally retarded.
\$2500.00 Paint interior of Oakview Center.**

**1989 - 90 Lion
Jack Buck
President**

**\$250.00 donated to Beach Patrolers Swim-Athon
\$390.00 donated to Meals on Wheels
\$500.00 Collingwood G & M Hospital
\$560.00 Children's Aid Society
\$300.00 Arthritis Society
\$1800.00 Golf A Thon for G & M Hospital
\$200.00 Crime Stoppers
\$500.00 Figure Skating Club
\$2500.00 Skills for Adolescents
\$300.00 Breaking down Barriers
\$2000.00 to needy student
\$30000.00 Major upgrade of Community Center**

**1990 - 91 Lion
Hartley Windsor
President**

**\$400.00 donated to Barrie Sea Cadets
\$1000.00 donated to Charlie Archdekin to represent Canada at the World Power Lifting Championships.
\$800.00 Halloween Party for Kids
\$400.00 To sponser a team in Wasaga Beach Minor**

Hockey.

\$500.00 Towards a Van for the CNIB
\$500.00 For children's Fun - A - Thon
\$500.00 School for the Deaf Camp
\$1000.00 Fireworks Display May 24th Weekend
\$2500.00 Camp Dorset
\$200.00 Big Brothers
\$2700.00 Oxbow Public School Playground Restoration.
\$1000.00 Wasaga Community Theatre Group
\$200.00 Crime Stoppers
\$500.00 Air Cadets
\$260.00 W.B. Minor Softball Association
\$1000.00 CNIB Simcoe/Muskoka Office
\$500.00 Community Addictions Network

1991 - 92 Lion

**Ed Spitzig
President**

\$200.00 donated Nottawasaga Big Sisters Association
\$500.00 Epilepsy(Ontario)Simcoe County
\$400.00 Wasaga Beach Minor Hockey
\$600.00 Children's Aid Summer Camp
\$200.00 Participation Lodge
\$1000.00 Collingwood & Area Literacy Council
\$250.00 Wasaga Beach Soccer Association
\$1170.00 Lions Foundation for Humanitarian Projects
\$200.00 Alzheimer Association
\$500.00 Arthritis Society
\$500.00 CNIB
\$1000.00 Salvation Army
\$575.00 Stayner Ringette Association
\$2700.00 Ontario Scholars..Wasaga Beach Lion's Awards
\$500.00 Toys for Kids
\$375.00 Kidney Foundation
\$350.00 Wasaga Beach Figure Skating Club
\$500.00 Winterfest 92
\$1000.00 Wasaga Community Theatre
\$500.00 Camp Dorset

1992 - 93 Lion

**John Conklin
President**

\$1900.00 Donated to Canadian Paraplegic Association
\$1000.00 to Governor's Project ...substance abuse
\$500.00 Camp Huronia...Diabetes Camp
\$390.00 Meals on wheels
\$1170.00 Sight First Campaign
\$943.00 Community Policing
\$200.00 Big Brothers Association
\$200.00 Big Sisters Association

\$300.00 Wasaga Beach Chamber of Commerce
\$1000.00 Collingwood & Area Literacy Council
\$250.00 Wasaga Beach Soccer Association
\$200.00 Participation Lodge for the disabled
\$600.00 Children's Aid Society
\$1000.00 Community Theatre
\$500.00 Epilepsy Simcoe County
\$500.00 Lion's homes for the deaf
\$5200.00 Lion's Quest
\$2550.00 Listening center for Silvercrest Christian School
\$500.00 Salvation Army
\$25000.00 to help with cost of new library

1993 - 94 Lion

**Wayne Henderson
President**

\$200.00 Donated to Canadian Paraplegic Association
\$1000.00 Arthritic Society
\$3000.00 Bleachers at Klondike Park
\$200.00 Lung Association
\$100.00 Cancer Society
\$500.00 Fireworks Display
\$1000.00 Salvation Army
\$874.00 Kinark Child and Family Services
\$200.00 Diabetes Association
\$20000.00 Library
\$500.00 Breaking Down Barriers
\$20,000.00 Children's wing at the new library
\$300.00 Soccer Association
\$400.00 Minor Hockey
\$585.00 Meals on Wheels
\$500.00 Camp Dorset
\$800.00 Wasaga Beach minor hockey

1994 - 95 Lion

**Don Jarvie
President**

\$500.00 Donated to Diabetes Association
\$600.00 Sponser two soccer teams
\$300.00 Kidney Foundation
\$500.00 Birchview Dunes School
\$200.00 Alzheimer Society
\$350.00 Participation Lodge
\$1000.00 Royal Canadian Army Cops
\$1000.00 Creemore Cadet Corps
\$2000.00 Fireworks Display
\$500.00 Breaking down Barriers
\$1000.00 Salvation Army
\$1400.00 Oakview Center Improvements
\$434.00 Governor's Project

\$200.00 Lung Association
\$585.00 Meals of Wheels
\$3000.00 To town for equipment in new park
\$300.00 National Library for the Blind

1995 - 96 Lions

Kevin Dreany/Art Sigouin **\$200.00 Fridge for Birchview Dunes School**
President **\$110.00 Oral communications**
\$525.00 Meals on Wheels
\$100.00 Princess Margaret Building Fund
\$100.00 Community Policing
\$200.00 Community Theatre
\$300.00 Wasaga Beach Soccer
\$100.00 Spirt in Action Marching Group
\$600.00 To students for books
\$700.00 Breaking down Barriers
\$1000.00 Army Cadets
\$2000.00 Fireworks
\$250.00 Diabetes Society
\$150.00 June Fest
\$325.00 Children's Aid Society
\$5000.00 Wasaga Beach Youth Band
\$900.00 Ontario Scholars
\$2000.00 Birchview Dunes School re; Lion's Quest
\$1000.00 Salvation Army

1996 -97 Lion

Art Sigouin **\$1000.00 Donated to Easter Seals**
President **\$200.00 Wasaga Community Theatre**
\$475.00 Skills for Growing
\$500.00 Cancer Society
\$250.00 Children and Family Services
\$1000.00 Lions Quest
\$500.00 Fireworks Display
\$500.00 Food Bank
\$1000.00 Community Policing
\$500.00 Breaking down Barriers
\$200.00 Hospital for Sick Kids
\$475.00 Books for Skills For Growing
\$200.00 Wasaga Boy Scouts
\$900.00 Special Leg Brace for handicaped Lady
\$600.00 To crippled woman for an electric scooter
\$500.00 Santa Claus Parade
\$200.00 Salvation Army Christmas fund
\$1000.00 Food Bank
\$500.00 CNIB, \$500.00 Camp Huronia

**1997 - 98 Lion
Frank Venditti
President**

**\$2100.00 Ontario Scholars...Lion's awards
\$900.00 Wasaga Minor Hockey
\$600.00 New Scout Group
\$2750.00 Paramedic Unit..Fully equipped bike
\$100.00 Covenant House
\$200.00 Fireworks
\$100.00 Heart & Stroke Foundation
\$2000.00 Brock Street Youth Services
\$1350.00Halloween Party
\$100.00 York Lion's Steel Band
\$500.00 Governor's project ... Camp Huronia
\$500.00 Santa Claus Parade
\$2000.00 Local School to expand computer use
\$1000.00 Wasaga Food Bank
\$100.00 Lung Association
\$1000.00 Salvation Army
\$200.00 CNIB
\$1500.00 Breaking down Barriers
\$1000.00 Collingwood G & M Hospital
\$100.00 Heart & Stroke Association**

**1998 - 99 Lion
Blair Holland
President**

**\$200.00 Donated toWasaga Minor Baseball
\$1140.00 Sponsor Team in minor hockey
\$500.00 Local Toastmaster's Club
\$700.00 Sponsored local youth in public speaking finals
\$433.00 Repairs to wheel chair
\$690.00 Printer for Breaking down Barriers
\$400.00 Local Hospice Unit
\$200.00 Safety ID kits for 100 children
\$500.00 Town Crier Competition
\$1300.00 Food Bank
\$400.00 large screen TV for senior's residence
\$2000.00 Collingwood G & M Hospital
\$1000.00 Wasaga Beach's 25th Anniversary
\$500.00 Santa Claus Parade
\$500.00 Local Branch of Army Cadets
\$1000.00 Two benches for new parkette
\$1000.00 Food Bank
\$450.00 Wasaga Figure Skating Club
\$2268.00 Sight Enhancement Clinic
\$500.00 Local Air Cadet Squadron
\$500.00 Fireworks
\$5500.00 Princess Margaret Lodge
\$1090.00 Wasaga Minor Hockey**

**1999-2000 Lion
John Conklin
President**

**\$4000.00 donated Prince Margaret Lodge
\$1200.00 Halloween party for the local children
\$5080.00 towards Chair lift for local resident
\$ 125.00 Public speaking contest
\$ 150.00 W.B. Rotary Club project
\$1400.00 Santa Claus Parade
\$ 500.00 Clearwater Girls Hockey Ass'n
\$1000.00 Salvation Army
\$ 500.00 W.B. Kinnettes Club
\$1000.00 Air Cadets local squadron
\$ 350.00 Municipal Awards program
\$1000.00 Easter Egg Hunt
\$1000.00 Canadian Cancer Society
\$ 200.00 Covenant House in Toronto
\$1000.00 Regional Cancer Center in Sudbury
\$1000.00 Collingwood G & M Hospital, Tree of life
campaign
\$1000.00 Army Cadets
\$1000.00 Child ID program
\$ 350.00 W.B. Figure Skating Club
\$ 400.00 Public Speaking
\$ 700.00 W.B. Soccer teams
\$3000.00 To local resident to help cover costs of lengthy
hospital stay in Toronto.
\$5000.00 W.B. Minor Hockey for Team Jerseys**

Sight Services

**\$1000.00 to the Governor's project
\$1000.00 to "A Life Worth Living"
\$ 280.00 to purchase "A life worth living" pins
\$ 67.00 worth of Dog guide tickets for Blue Jay
game draw.**

Hearing Services

**\$1000.00 to Camp Dorset, the funds to be used towards
the building of a new tool shed.
\$ 125.00 purchased 700 tickets from the Doctors Lion
Club with proceeds going to Camp Dorest.**

Youth Services

**Spent an additional \$600.00 in processing 381 Child ID
kits for local children
\$500.00 to local youth to assist him in attending
National Chess Championships.**

Community Services

**\$ 250.00 to the New Path Youth and Family
Counselling Service of Simcoe County
\$1275.00 worth of Tulips bulbs from the Elmvale**

Legion to help celebrate their 75th Anniversary. Bulbs Donated to Town of Wasaga Beach for various Beautification projects.

\$4200.00 W.B. Minor Softball League

\$ 495.00 ad from the Firefighters Association to assist in publication of Firefighters Manual which is distributed locally.

\$ 660.00 5 trees, to be planted in local park as a memorial to members daughter who died of cancer.

Purchased \$100.00 ticket from the Corvette Club in Local Fund raising project.

\$ 500.00 to local Chapter of Breaking Down Barriers

\$ 100.00 Digital Blood Pressure Cuff for the Simcoe Chapter of the Kidney Foundation of Canada

\$ 150.00 Juvenile Diabetes Walkathon

Health Services

Paid \$812.57 to pay off amount not covered by grants for the purchase of an electric wheelchair for local resident.

Paid \$372.33 for purchased cancer treatment drugs not covered by any health plan for local lion member.

\$ 50.00 to Heart & Stroke Foundation in memory of mother of club member

Other Services

Conducted a Fund Raising Memorial Golf Tourament (Past President Frank Venditti) and donated the \$7000. Raised to the Princess Margaret Lodge who will use the Funds to install automatic doors for their patients.

Purchased \$450.00 in advertising to publicize Lioness blood donor clinic.

Purchased 10 tickets(\$200) from the Elmvale Lions for their Corvette draw.

2000-2001 Lion Moe Callaghan President

\$ 200.00 to Georgian Triangle Hospice

\$ 100.00 to the Lung Ass'n

Sponsored a hole \$100 at OPP's Dare Fundraiser golf tournament

\$ 200.00 to Epilepsy(Ont) Simcoe County Chapter

\$ 500.00 to local chapter of the Terry Fox Run.

\$ 200.00 to Joints in Motion Marathon

\$ 500.00 to Cure for Breast Cancer Marathon

\$ 100.00 to Arthritis Ass'n in memory of Lion Art Turner's mother

\$ 100.00 to Arthritis Ass'n in memory of Lion Clyde

Milley's mother.

\$ 500.00 to most improved W.B. student attending Elmvale High School

\$ 500.00 to most improved W.B. student attending Collingwood High School

\$2340.00 to local chapter of the Red Cross to finance delivery of Meals-on-wheels

\$ 100.00 to Carly Paterson golf tournament with funds going to Cancer research

2000-2001

**Moe Callaghan
President**

\$ 100.00 to Town of Wasaga Beach going towards cost of Labour Day Fireworks

Spent \$175 to complete ID Kits for local Scouts and Beaver Groups

\$ 500.00 to the Clearview Girls Hockey Association

\$ 150.00 to the W.B. Rotary Club to be used for their Samaritan Purse Campaign

\$ 350.00 to the W.B. Chamber of Commerce to a Business Ambassador for their 2001 Business awards program

\$5000.00 to the Governor's project.

\$1000.00 local chapter of the Salvation Army

\$1000.00 Collingwood G&M Hospital – Tree of Life campaign.

\$1820.00 to Victims of Violence for the purchase of safety books to be distributed to local Grade 2, 4 and 5 students.

\$ 500.00 to My Friends House, a home for abused and battered women.

\$ 750.00 to a local resident who needed funds to make up shortfall from government funds to purchase and install a Stairglide.

\$ 815.00 to produce a float and provide candy for children in the Santa Claus Parade.

\$1150.00 to 12 needy families to provide Xmas dinners

\$ 150.00 to Canadian Cancer Research Society

\$ 500.00 to W.B. Kinettes Club for their annual Toys-for-Kids program

\$1200.00 to host approx. 180 children at our annual Halloween party.

\$50 for the purchase of a wreath for Remembrance day.

Purchased \$250 worth of fund raiser tickets from Elmvale Lions Club

Purchased \$20 worth of Poker Rally tickets with funds

raised going to aid Kidney dialysis at Camp Dorest
Purchased \$50 worth of draw tickets with proceeds
going to Friendship Arches
\$ 60.00 in Lions Odyssey 2001 District Convention
draw tickets
\$ 100.00 Annual Show & Shine event
\$ 122.50 Public Speaking
\$ 500.00 Parade Float – Barrie Convention
\$ 85.00 Guide Dogs
\$ St. Noel Academic Award
\$50 Wasaga Beach Chamber of Commerce, Kitefest
\$20 Worsely School awards
\$375 Additional Funds to Children’s Choir

**2001-2002 Lion
Gary Wilson
President**

**\$100 Local resident in dire need of assistance
\$112 Repair of local resident’s motorized scooter
\$500 W.B. minor hockey team sponsorship
\$200 W.B. Chamber of Commerce Autumfest
Bike a thon
\$100 W.B. Fireworks display
\$500 Elmvale District High School – Scholarship for
local child
\$100 Terry Fox Foundation
\$1000 W.B. Library Books and Babies Program
\$100 Collingwood Animal Shelter
\$612.42 Halloween Party for local children
\$1088 Lions Club International Foundation
\$100 Heart & Stroke Foundation
\$100 Slope to Shore Quilters Guild for Cuddle Blankets
\$50 Remembrance Day Wreath
\$125 Public Speaking
\$300 Clearview Girls Hockey Association
\$500 Royal Canadian Air Cadets
\$100 Peace Poster Contest
\$500 LFC
\$500 New Scout group in W.B.
\$500 Santa Claus Parade float
\$500 Local single mother in need of short term help
\$981.42 Purchase of Hearing Aids for local grade 4
student
\$6158.09 World Trade Center Disaster Fund
\$481.50 W.B. Figure Skating Club
\$ 500 Lions Quest
\$2500 Governor’s project
\$500 Camp for the deaf**

\$1300 Local family in dire straits
\$500 Camp Dorset
\$385 Running effective speaking contest
\$400 W.B. Minor Soccer sponsorship
\$350 W.B. Chamber of Commerce Business Awards
\$202 Purchase of Oxygen pump for local resident

2001-2002

**Gary Wilson Lion
President**

**\$500 Miscellaneous which includes \$83 to take 3
disabled kids to a Maple Leaf Hockey game.
Our club is in possession of a Fuse-ball game and have
Elected to donate it to Camp Dorset**

SIGHT SERVICES

\$1000 Lake Joseph
\$ 600 CNIB Clinic

DIABETES

\$2500 Camp Huronda(Governor's Project)

HEALTH SERVICES

\$7500 Cancer treatment Sick Kids Hospital
\$100 Terry Fox Run
\$1000 Spinal Cord Research
\$100 Heart and Stroke
\$100 Lung Ass'n
\$100 Sunnybrook Medical Centre
\$45 Organ Donations
\$100 Ryan's Run
\$100 Arthritis

YOUTH SERVICES

\$500 Wasaga Beach Minor Hockey
\$200 Bike-a-Thon
\$300 D.A.R.E.
\$500 Elmvale High School Scholarship
\$500 Collingwood Collegiate Scholarship
\$ 20 Worsley Public School award
\$612 Children's Halloween Party
\$100 Slope to Shore teddy bears for O.P.P.
\$560 Public & Effective Speaking
\$500 Air Cadets
\$500 New Scout Group
\$500 Kinette Toy Drive
\$500 Lions Quest
\$85 Disabled kids to Hockey Game
\$400 Wasaga Beach Minor Soccer
\$100 Big Brothers Ass'n.
\$100 Wasaga Beach Lacrosse
\$500 Wasaga Beach Brownies

\$1000 Community Services 500 Food Bank
\$100 Fireworks display
\$100 Carly Patterson Golf Tournament
\$500 Collingwood Hospital Tree of Life Campaign
\$500 Christian Church for food vouchers
**\$1000 Bridges Program for troubled and
and underprivileged youth.**
\$200 for Children's activity at dog sled races
\$100 W.B. Figure Skating Club carnival
\$100 Peace Poster Program for youth
\$500 Start up of a Leos Club
\$150 Children's activities, Home & Garden show
**\$100 and 2 cases of Easter Bunnies for Town of Wasaga
Easter event**
\$1500 Dreams take Flight
\$400 Flags for Lions Project Pride

International Relations \$42 Lions Foundation of Canada draw tickets
\$50 Friendship Arches

**Health Services \$120 to buy Ensure to enable local resident with
cancer to eat**
**\$1000 to repair wheelchair lift for local handicapped
boy**
\$200 Purchase coats, boots, etc. for 2 local boys
**\$402 Purchase insoles and footwear for a local man
with diabetes**
\$327 Braille machine for young woman
\$500 towards purchase of scooter for a resident

Charitable Donations \$100 Heart & Stroke
\$100 Elmvale Lions Club draw tickets
\$50 Alzheimer's Society
\$100 Hospice of Georgian Triangle
\$20 Camp Dorset draw tickets
\$250 Wasaga Beach Firefighters
\$500 Camp Dorset
\$200 CNIB Lake Joseph
\$500 LCIF
\$200 Salvation Army
\$100 Crohn's and Colitis Foundation
\$100 Canadian Diabetes
\$100 Lung Association
\$100 Aids Simcoe County

Other Services	\$350 Chamber of Commerce for new maps of W.B. in the form of advertising \$350 Chamber of Commerce business ward ceremony \$600 My Friend's House for house repairs \$500 To help prepare meals for Habitat for Humanity \$425 Effective speaking
2003 – 2004 Lion Ruth Dutt President	
Fundraisers	BBQ in conjunction with I.G.A. - July 19 Annual Craft/Flea Market Sale - Aug. 3 Wakestock Beer Gardens – Aug. 10 Hosted a log sawing competition at the Stayner Fair Sept. 6 and raised \$200.00 to put towards Dreams Take Flight. Participated in What's up in Wasaga with a Membership drive
Youth services	We are attempting to form a Leos Club \$200 Chamber of Commerce \$500 Bursary to Collingwood Collegiate. \$1000 Bursary to Elmvale High School \$500 Wasaga Beach Minor Hockey Assoc. \$300 Children's Halloween Party \$500 W.B. Leo's Club \$300 W.B. Figure Skating Club Carnival \$800 Easter Eggstravaganza \$350 W.B. Minor Baseball \$500 W.B. Pathfinders \$250 for local Stayner Boy \$350 W.B. Garden Show \$500 Salvation Army Christmas drive
Community services	\$314 for dentures for a needy resident \$500 Habitat for Humanity \$50 Remembrance Day Wreath \$350 Santa Claus Parade \$600 Breakfast with Santa \$500 to Kinettes for their toy drive \$250 to local resident for Christmas \$500 Salvation Army to help residents at Christmas \$314 Dentures for local resident \$1000 of cold meat, cheese and sweets to the Men's Mission in Barrie

	<p>\$600 My Friend's House \$450 Worsley Grad Cermonies \$200 M & M Charity BBQ Crohns & Colitis \$5000 Brain Tumour Foundation \$100 Cancer Society \$500 Epilepsy of Canada</p>
Health services	<p>\$5000 Sick Children's Hospital \$500 Breast Cancer \$500 Spinal Research \$500 Heart & Stroke \$1,000 Tree of Life Campaign, G&M Hospital \$500 Brain Tumour Foundation \$500 Canadian Spinal Research</p>
Other	<p>\$425 Effective Speaking \$1000 Camp Kirk, skates for native children \$200 Home & Garden Show \$300 Project Pride \$200 Senior Games in Whitehorse \$500 CNIB Barrie \$200 Lake Joesph</p>
2004 –2005 Lion John Conklin President	
Fund Raisers	<p>Assisted in a Volleyball Tournament on Labour Day with the Lioness Club and netted a profit of \$1409.05 As usual we participated in a \$100.00 a month club and operate Bingo four times a month. We sell Nevada tickets during our Bingos. We are hosting "Dreams Take Flight," an event to raise funds to send physically disabled and underprivileged children to Walt Disney World in Florida for the day. We run a Christmas cake/cookie fundraiser.</p>
Sight Services	<p>Again we are recycling eyeglasses on a year round basis. We volunteer with vision screening at 3 schools which involve 4 Lions working 5 hours each day we do the screening. We donate our den to C.N.I.B. for two events.</p>
Environment	<p>We participate in "Adopt a Road" each year. \$190 donated to plant a tree with plaque in memory of departed lions.</p>

\$600.00 Communities in Bloom hall donation

Youth Services

\$300.00 for Children's Halloween Party
\$150.00 for Peace Poster
\$500.00 to W.B. student youth exchange to Brazil.
\$500.00 to W.B. Minor Hockey
\$500.00 to CCI – Scholarship.
\$500.00 to Elmvale Secondary Scholarship
\$250.00 to W.B. figure skating club
\$125.00 Effective speaking
\$500.00 Kinettes toy drive
\$150.00 W.B. minor soccer
\$1500.00 Dreams take Flight

Community Services

**\$692.40 to help purchase a specialized wheelchair
for a beach resident.**
**\$1800.00 towards purchase of wheelchair lift and
assistance with a scooter for disabled adult.**
\$2000.00 Cancer care travel expenses for resident.
\$300.00 Stayner Fall Fair.
\$200.00 Autumnfest Bikeathon
\$50.00 Memorial Day Wreath
\$1500.00 to building ramp for resident.
\$350.00 to C. of C. Santa Claus Parade

Health Services

\$5000.00 to Royal Victoria Hospital
\$5000.00 to Collingwood G & M Hospital

Other

\$2000.00 to Oakview Recplex.
\$100.00 to Fireworks display
\$100.00 to Carly Patterson golf tournament.
**\$100.00 for resident participating in games in
Iceland**
\$1000.00 to Red Cross Tsunami relief fund.
\$1000.00 to LCIF Tsunami relief fund.

Membership

**Inducted new member in June and reinstated
a member in July. Six members volunteered 3 hours
at the Epicure Festival at the International
convention in Detroit. Four members attended the
Leadership Forum in Reno. Three members received
a Provincial award.**

**2005 –2006
Lion Fred Heyduk
President**

Fund Raisers **This year’s events included, the \$100/Month Club, the 50/60’s Dance, the Home and Garden Show, a Craft and Flea Market, a Casino Night, and a Santa Draw.**

Sight **CNIB**

Environment **Adopt a Road**

Youth Services **Funds were donated/used to support, Breakfast with Santa, Easter Eggstravaganza, Camp Huronda, Camp Burko (Burn Camp), Youth Exchange, Collingwood Collegiate, Effective Speaking, Elmvale District High School, Wasaga Figure Skating Club, Halloween Party, Jean Vanier School, Peace Poster, Wasaga Minor Hockey, Barry & District Leo Club and Gravenhurst Leo Club.
Total Donations in excess of \$12,500.00**

Community **Co-op Nursery \$6,600.00, Communities in Bloom, \$150.00, Community Health Fair \$150.00. Wasaga Chamber of Commerce \$650.00, Salvation Army \$500.00, Food Bank \$1,000.00, Town Fireworks Display \$200. Wasaga Under Siege \$500.00**

Health Services **Royal Victoria Hospital (Cancer Unit) \$5500.00
Collingwood G&M \$5000.00
Canadian Spinal Research \$1,000.00, Walk for Breast Cancer \$200.00, Health and Welfare \$3,775.00, Heart and Stroke Foundation \$500.00 and MS Society \$350.00**

Other **Carly Patterson \$300.00, Humane Society \$100.00, LFC Dog Guides \$1,000.00, Lioness \$3,450.00, Lions Home for the Deaf \$2,000.**

Membership **xxxxxxxxxxxxxx**

2006 –2007

**Lion Richard Ratensperger
President**

Fund Raisers	Events; Golf Tournament and Ball Drop, \$100/ \$100/Month, 50/60's Dance, Home and Garden, Oktoberfest, Jazz in the Park, Beakfast with Santa.
Sight	CNIB \$300.00,
Environment	Adopt a Highway
Youth Services	Dreams take Flight, Youth Exchange, Camp Huronda, Town-New Playground, Camp Kirk, Collingwood Collegiate, Effective Speaking, Elmvale High School, Wasaga Figure Skating Club, Halloween Kids Party, Jean Vanier School, Wasaga Minor Hockey, Wasaga Minor Soccer, Wasaga YMCA, York Lions Steel Band. Peace Poster \$92.34. Total: \$20,000.00
Community	Benches for Recplex \$3,128.00, Town Reclex Pledge \$7,500.00, Food Bank \$1,000.00, Health and Welfare \$5,336.87, Wasaga under Siege \$200, Chamber \$350.00
Health Services	Collingwood G&M \$5,000.00, Alzheimer Society \$1,000 Canadian Spinal Research \$250.00, Epilepsy Canada \$500.00, MS Society \$1,000.00
Other	Elmvale Lions \$600, Lioness \$2950.00, LCIF \$3,000.00, LFC (Dog Guides) \$85.00, Lions District A-12. Lioness \$400.00.
Membership	xxxxxxxxxxxx

2007 –2008

**Lion Greg Hodgins
President**

Fund Raisers	Bingo, Home and Garden Show, Oktoberfest, \$100/Month Draw, Purina Walk for Dog Guides, Bridal Show and Business Show.
Sight	\$9000 Sight First II – Governor's Project

\$1000 CNIB
\$1000 CNIB – Lake Jo

Environment **Participated in Community Clean Up.**

Youth Services **Participated in Effective Speaking contest, Halloween Party, Breakfast with Santa.**
\$1640 Dreams take Flight
\$2700 Camp Huronda
\$1000 Ontario Camp for the Deaf
\$ 520 LCI – School in a Box
\$ 250 Lions Camp Kirk
\$ 500 Jean Vanier School
\$ 500 Collingwood Collegiate Institute
\$ 500 Elmvale District High School
\$ 500 Wasaga Beach Figure Skating Club
\$ 500 Toys for Kids
\$ 500 Wasaga Beach Minor Hockey Club
\$ 400 Wasaga Beach Soccer Club
\$ 100 Funderland
\$ 100 Carly Patterson Golf Tournament
\$ 25 Worsley Public School

Community **\$15,000 Town of Wasaga – Recplex Commitment**
\$2,000 Wasaga Beach Food Bank
\$ 500 Habitat for Humanity
\$ 500 My Friend’s House
\$ 500 Salvation Army
\$3460 Local requests for assistance

Health Services **\$6000 RVH – Cancer Unit**
\$1000 Heart and Stroke Foundation
\$5000 Collingwood G&M
\$1000 Canadian Diabetes Association
\$1000 MS Society
\$1000 War Amps
\$ 100 Crohn’s and Colitis Foundation
\$ 250 CSRO

Other **\$2840 Lions Foundation of Canada – Dog Guides**
\$1000 Lions Camp Dorset

Membership	<p>Membership at this years end was 44. We had three members resign and one member, Lion Jim Walker, passed away after a battle with cancer. We inducted four new members.</p>
2008 –2009 Lion Fred Simms President	
Fund Raisers	<p>Bingo, Home and Garden Show, Oktoberfest, Purina Walk for Dog Guides, Retro Dance.</p>
Sight	<p>\$8,520 Sightfirst II \$1,000 CNIB \$1,000 Lake Jo, Camp for the Blind</p>
Environment	<p>Participated in Community Clean Up.</p>
Youth Services	<p>Participated in Effective Speaking contest, Easter Eggstravaganza and Breakfast with Santa \$200 Toys for Tots \$250 Lions Camp Kirk \$500 Jean Vanier High School \$1,600 Dreams Take Flight \$400 Wasaga Beach Minor Baseball \$1,000 Camp Huronda \$1,590 Worsley School \$8,395 No Child Without \$400 Wasaga Beach Soccer Club \$500 Collingwood Collegiate Institute</p>
Community	<p>\$10,395 Local requests for assistance \$50 Royal Canadian Legion \$17,500 Town of Wasaga (Recplex Pledge) \$500 Habitat for Humanity \$500 Salvation Army \$1,000 Veterans to D-Day \$250 Wasaga Under Siege \$400 Beeton (and area) Guides</p>

Health Services **\$1,000 Canadian Diabetes Association**
\$1,000 MS Society
\$1,000 War Amps
\$500 Crohn's and Colitis
\$5,000 Collingwood G&M Hospital
\$1,000 Heart and Stroke Foundation
\$100 Relay for Life
\$100 Hospice Simcoe
\$500 Ride to Conquer Cancer

Other **\$6,000 Lions Foundation of Canada (Dog Guides)**
\$1,000 Bob Rumball Camp for the Deaf
\$1,000 Lions Camp Dorset
\$1,000 Lions Homes for the Deaf
\$1,000 Salvade

Membership