



PAWS-LIONS-CLAWS



Lion Zach Ribble

September 2010

A DECADE OF DEDICATION

The Ann Arbor Host club has been fortunate to have a wonderful person like Lion Jeanne Snyder lead our recycled eyeglass program. With her leadership, she has played a significant role in helping our Lions Club recently collect the 100,000th pair of eyeglasses! Imagine that — thousands and thousands of people have improved their vision with these recycled eyeglasses to help them read, study and work.



Jeanne has served in this role for over 10 years. She has profoundly enjoyed interacting with people in our community and educating them about how the recycled eyeglasses make a difference.

Jeanne recently announced that she will step down from this role. She looks forward to spending time with her two beautiful grandchildren recently born in Arizona and Colorado.

The Ann Arbor Host club thanks Jeanne for her tremendous heart and dedication for leading our recycled eyeglass program the last 10 years! Thousands of people now smile as a result of Jeanne's service!

NEW WEB SITE NOW LIVE

As of September 1, the new Ann Arbor Host Web site is live. Feel free to contact Lion Zach for any feedback or possible additions you would like to see. We are always looking for ways to better reach out to our community and serve the needs of Ann Arbor residents.



In order to help boost our impact on the community, our Web site now has a resource guide for the visually impaired. There are over 200 links to organizations providing important services for people with little or no vision.

Please help us spread the word to your friends, colleagues and family in the community about this important resource guide. This is another way we can make a difference for individuals with little or no vision who rely on these organizations that provide important products and services to the visually impaired.

DIXBORO DUO ENTERTAINS CLUB

At the August 18 meeting, our Lions Club was treated to an enjoyable performance by a local bluegrass group — the Dixboro Duo! Stephanie Tossey turned heads with her impressive performance playing the fiddle while Chris Sorenson, Stephanie's boyfriend, entertained everyone on the banjo and guitar.

Believe it or not, bluegrass is what brought Chris and Stephanie together as a couple in February 2010! The inspiration to play bluegrass has kept them "jamming" ever since. Some of their influences include artists such as Ricky Skaggs, Don Williams and Lester Flatts.



In addition to these famous bluegrass artists, Stephanie and Chris give credit to their family members as the main reason why they started playing instruments.

In the near future, don't be surprised when you hear the name of the Dixboro Duo playing at open mic nights in downtown Ann Arbor!

MEMBERSHIP INCENTIVE PROGRAM

District Governor Barb Treichel is providing our Lions Club and every club in District 11-B1 with a terrific incentive to new members. In the 2010-11 Membership Incentive Program, our Lions Club will receive a check for \$40 for each new member that joins our club.

Talk Lions with your family, friends, neighbors, co-workers and even acquaintances, and tell them how great it is to be a Lion to "serve" others. If you have any questions about the Membership Incentive Program, contact Lion Alison at 734-887-2304.

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS!

September brings an abundance of birthdays to our Lions Club!

We wish a Happy Birthday to Jan Ableson, Jeffrey Cox, Howard Conlon, Debbie Link, Robert Phillips, Dan Reynolds and Kevin Ross.

