



1938 - 1963

REEDSVILLE LIONS CLUB

ART'S 151 CLUB - SILVER LAKE, WISCONSIN

Saturday November 2, 1963

A HISTORY OF THE REEDSVILLE LIONS CLUB

The Reedsville Lions Club was organized on September 2, 1938 and received their Charter on November 15, 1938. The Brillion Lions Club sponsored the Reedsville Club whose members now proudly look to the original Charter which hangs at the Barnard Hotel. Charter member signatures were almost faded but were recently re-printed. The first meetings were held at the Barnard Hotel. Presently meetings are held at Kabat's Diner on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

Hardly a year passes that the Club does not engage in some new activity in the Community. Yearly acitivities include participation in the Junior Livestock Show held at De Pere every Fall to help stimulate Future Farmers of America in this show; preparation of the Community skating rink in the Fall; Halloween and Christmas party for the children; and sponsorship of a boy to Badger Boys State. Chorus gowns were purchased for the school, and the Arion Award is presented yearly to the best senior music student recommended by the school authorities.

In recent year a basketball tournament has been held with communities from a wide area participating. Prizes are awarded for the best Christmas decorations, and for the best window display at Homecoming time. A score clock was provided when the new gymnasium was built.

The Club has been on hand to help the needy in time of disaster, glasses have been purchased for athletes, and many more things are done for community and school betterment. Contributions to the Wisconsin Lions Blind Camp has been one of the major activities of the Club.

A number of other projects have been initiated by the Lions of Reedsville. A picnic is sponsored every summer to raise money for any worth while project. A home talent play has been sponsored as an annual project with Lion Members making up the entire cast. The New Reedsville Medical Center was promoted by the club, as well as the million dollar high school. Industrial development is of concern to the Reedsville Lions. Presently a better Highway 32 is being promoted.

Educational development, and the affairs of young people are foremost in the thoughts of Reedsville Lion Members.

"We are small, but getting bigger."

25th ANNIVERSARY ROSTER

George Barnard	Dr. H. Leering
William Barnard	Ray Miller
Dr. Richard Bauerfeind	Robert Meissner
F. J. Bergmann	Phillip Mullins
John Burkart	James Phillips
Dr. Davidson Crill	Elmer Remiker
William Cohan	Robert Rolland
Steve Dvorachek	Andrew Schmitt
Archie Dugan	Edward Shimon Sr.
Harry R. Haese	Edward Shimon, Jr.
Vern Hall	Elroy Stueck
Winton Jaeger	Leo Sullivan
Ig. Kabat	Dr. Rufus Weidner
Vernon Kabat	Harry Wenzel
Ralph Kocourek	Robert H. Willems
Thomas McDonough	John Worachek

Members-at-Large

Preston Jones J. G. O'Rourk

TWENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE

Ray Miller, Chairman

Wm. Barnard, Co-Chairman and Tickets

John E. Worachek, Planning and Tickets

Robert Willems, Arrangement

Elmer Remiker, Publicity and Tickets

In behalf of the Reedsville Lions Club we wish to express our sincere thanks to all those who have assisted us in this celebration and you dear Lions of the Brillion Lions Club who sponsored the Reedsville Lions in 1938. We are proud to be part of Lions International.

"May we thank you kindly."

PAST PRESIDENTS of the REEDSVILLE LION CLUB

Arnold March	1938-1939	Claude Harlow	1951-1952
Arnold Rusch	1939-1940	James Phillip	1952-1953
Dr. Erwin Cary	1940-1941	Steve Dvorachek	1953-1954
Rev. Wm. Koutnik	1941-1942	John Hlavachek	1954-1955
R. C. Smith	1942-1943	Elroy Stueck	1955-1956
Charles Kugle	1943-1944	Elmer Remiker	1956-1957
Peter Falvey	1944-1945	F. J. Bergmann	1957-1958
Geo. Barnard	1945-1946	Wm. Barnard	1958-1959
J. G. O'Rourke	1946-1947	Ray Miller	1959-1960
E. J. Shimon	1947-1948	Geo. Kabat	1960-1961
James Cahill	1948-1949	John E. Worachek	1961-1962
James P. Daley	1949-1950	Robert Willems	1962-1963
Harry Haese	1950-1951	Andy Schmitt	1963-1964

OFFICERS 1963-1964

President	- - - - -	Andy Schmitt
First Vice President	- - - - -	Thomas McDonough
Second Vice President	- - - - -	Leo Sullivan
Third Vice President	- - - - -	Harry Wenzel
Secretary	- - - - -	Elroy Stueck
Treasurer	- - - - -	Edward Shimon, Jr.
Lion Tamer	- - - - -	Archie Dugan
Tail Twister	- - - - -	Robert Meissner

Directors

Dr. Rufus Weidner Dr. Richard Bauerfeind
 Ralph Kocourek Robert Rolland
 Ex-Officer Robert Willems

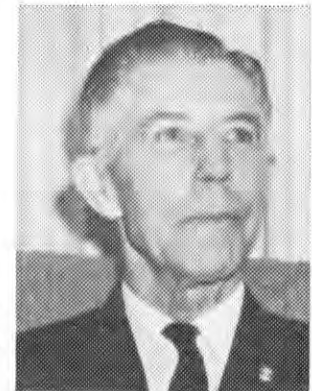
Reedsville Lions Club presents

CHARTER MEMBERS BEING HONORED

on the 25th Anniversary, 1938-1963



Geo. Barnard



F. J. Bergmann



E. J. Shimon



J. G. O'Rourke

MEMBERS SIGNATURE ON ORIGINAL CHARTER

Arnold March*	Wm. Koutnik	E. J. Shimon
J. G. O'Rourke	F. J. Bergmann	Arnold Rusch
Clifford Reinemann	John Kuehne	George E. Barnard
R. A. Piepenburg	Charles Kugle*	Erwin C. Cary*
Louis Busse*	George Benzschawel	Frederick J. Bruss
James P. Daley	R. C. Smith*	Art L. Ottlien
Carl Sagermann	Nilas Wilson	C. A. Bergmann

* Deceased.

John Vondrachek, Member when deceased.

It is to these fellow Lions that this Anniversary Souvenir Booklet is respectfully dedicated

Anniversary Program

RECEPTION

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION OF TOASTMASTER

by Lion President Andy Schmitt

COCKTAILS

HORS D'OEUVRES

INTRODUCTION OF VISITING AND HONORED GUESTS

by Toastmaster Lion Ray Miller

CALL TO ORDER

Lion President Andy Schmitt

RECOGNITION OF CHARTER MEMBERS

by Lion John E. Worachek

GROUP SINGING

Lion Robert Meissner

INTRODUCTION OF LION DIST. GOV. CARL W. SCHUSTER

by Toastmaster Lion Ray Miller

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Led by Lion R. H. Willems

OFFICIAL WELCOME TO LIONS INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR

EDDIE EICK

by Toastmaster Lion Ray Miller

INVOCATION

Lion Wm. Barnard

Guest Speaker:

LIONS INTERNATIONAL PAST PRES. CLARENCE L. STURM

DINNER MENU

Tomato Juice

CLOSING REMARKS

by Toastmaster Lion Ray Miller

Relishes Cole Slaw

Roast Chicken Family Style

BENEDICTION
by State Sec'y. Shafeec Mansour

Mashed Potatoes Dressing

ENTERTAINMENT

Cool City Aires

DINNER MUSIC

DANCING

Music by Dick Fricke

COMMUNITY SINGING

Reedsville Lions
50TH
ANNIVERSARY
1938-1988



MICHIELS BRILLION INN
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9



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PAST PRESIDENTS

1938-39	Arnold H. March	1963-64	Andrew Schmitt
1939-40	Arnold F. Rusch	1964-65	Tom McDonough
1940-41	Rev. Wm. Koutnik	1965-66	Leo Sullivan
1941-42	Dr. E. C. Cary	1966-67	Harold Wenzel
1942-43	Robert C. Smith	1967-68	Ralph Kocourek
1943-44	Charles W. Kugle	1968-69	Vernon Kabat
1944-45	Peter W. Falvey	1969-70	Robert Meissner
1945-46	George Barnard	1970-71	Milford N. Schulz
1946-47	J. Glen O'Rourke	1971-72	Edward J. Tikalsky
1947-48	Edward J. Shimon Sr.	1972-73	Kenneth Schwanke
1948-49	James P. Cahill	1973-74	Fred Haelfrisch
1949-50	James P. Daley	1974-75	Victor Krueger
1950-51	Harry R. Haese	1975-76	James C. Seiler
1951-52	Claude Harlow	1976-77	James Winter
1952-53	James E. Phillips	1977-78	Roman Kugle
1953-54	Steve P. Dvorachek	1978-79	Ronald Zenke
1954-55	John Hlavachek	1979-80	Dale Barnard
1955-56	Elroy Stueck	1980-81	Edward Tikalsky
1956-57	Elmer Remiker	1981-82	James C. Seiler
1957-58	Fred J. Bergmann	1982-83	Leroy Lutzke
1958-59	William Barnard	1983-84	Dale Wasmuth
1959-60	Ray P. Miller	1984-85	Dave Schlegel
1960-61	George J. Kabat	1985-86	Victor Krueger
1961-62	John E. Worachek	1986-87	Robert Lowe
1962-63	Robert Willems	1987-88	John E. Worachek

MEMBERSHIP ROSTER

Steve Dvorachek	Roger Ohlemacher
Harold Geiger	Jerry Runice
Andrew Glaza	Ken Schwanke
Fritz Haelfrisch	James Seiler
Winton Jaeger	Mike Vanden Avond
Mike Klann	Dale Wasmuth
Victor Krueger	Harold Wenzel
Roman Kugle	Dennis Winkler
Randy Leifer	James Winter
Robert Lowe	John Worachek
Leroy Lutzke	Ron Zenke
Tom McDonough	

REEDSVILLE LIONS CLUB

Reedsville, WI 54230



Organized September 2, 1938
Chartered October 11, 1938
Charter Night November 15, 1938
Dill's English Lake

The Reedsville Lions Club was sponsored by the Brillion Lions Club. The first meetings were held at the Barnard Hotel. It was a dinner meeting. During the first three years of the Reedsville Lions Charter the membership was limited to 25 members. The members had to be from within the village limits. One of their early projects was to sponsor the dedication and celebration of the new waterworks and sewer treatment plant.

The Reedsville Lions Club has sponsored two Lions Clubs — The Wayside-Morrison and Collins Clubs. The Reedsville Lioness Club was also sponsored and certified in 1977.

ZONE CHAIRMAN

J. Glen O'Rourk — Ray Miller — Robert Willems
Harold Wenzel -- James C. Seiler — Andrew Glaza

DEPUTY DISTRICT GOVERNOR

Harold Wenzel — James C. Seiler

1988-89 OFFICERS

President	Andrew Glaza
1st Vice President	Mike Klann
2nd Vice President	Ken Schwanke
3rd Vice President	Dennis Winkler
Secretary	Roger Ohlemacher
Treasurer	Steve Dvorachek
Lion Tamer	Robert Lowe
Tail Twister	Randy Leifer
Publicity	James Seiler
Lioness Liaison	Tom McDonough
Director	Tom McDonough
Director	Roman Kugle
Director	Jerry Runice
Director	Harold Geiger
District Governor	Paul Tadych
Deputy District Governor	Victor Voigt
Zone Chairman	James Seiler

CHARTER MEMBERS

George E. Barnard	James P. Daley	R. A. Piepenburg
George P. Benzschawel	Rev. William Koutnik	Clifford Reinemann
Dr. C. A. Bergmann	John C. Kuehne	Arnold F. Rusch
Fred J. "Tippy" Bergmann	Charles W. Kugle	Carl R. Sagerman
Dr. Frederick J. Bruss	Arnold H. March	Edward J. Shimon
Louis A. Busse	Glen J. O'Rourk	Robert C. Smith
Dr. Ervin C. Cary	Arthur L. Ottelien	Dr. Nilas M. Wilson

IN MEMORIAM

John Vondrachek	Alton Loefer	Joe Shimek
Preston Jones	Fred J. Bergmann	*George Barnard
*Glen J. O'Rourk	*Charles W. Kugle	Edward J. Tikalsky
William Barnard	Leo Sullivan	Milford Schulz
Ignatius Kabat	Ray P. Miller	
*Edward J. Shimon Sr.	Robert Rolland	

50TH ANNIVERSARY PROGRAM

RECEPTION

CALL TO ORDER

Lion President Andrew Glaza

GOD BLESS AMERICA

Song Leader, Lion Roger Ohlemacher

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Lion Steve Dvorachek

INVOCATION

Lion Tom F. McDonough

DINNER

SINGING

Song Leader, Roger Ohlemacher

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION OF MASTER OF CEREMONIES, LION RON ZENKE

By Lion President Andrew Glaza

INTRODUCTION OF HONORED GUESTS

ROLL CALL OF CLUBS

GREETINGS FROM DISTRICT GOVERNOR

District Governor Paul Tadych

INTRODUCTION OF PAST LIONS INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR VERN SEIPKES

By Past District Governor Dwaine Habrat

CLOSING REMARKS

By Zone Chairman James Seiler

ENTERTAINMENT

The Jerry Krueger Trio