

Club Officers

President.....Jacob Brumage
 1st Vice Pres.....Keith Long
 2nd Vice Pres..Virginia Gallion
 Secretary.....Carol Baker
 Treasurer.....Bob Brummage
 Tail Twister.....Keith Long
 Lion Tamer....
 Elizabeth Cruikshank
 Directors.....James Coleman
 Nancy Sickles
 Crystal Copeland
 Membership.....Bob Moffett
 Immediate Past
 President.....John Marsicano

Calendar

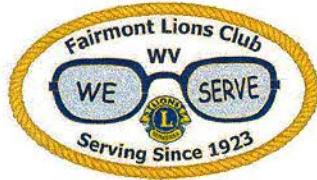
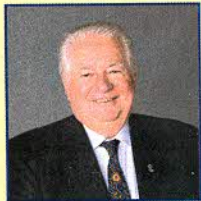
Fairmont Lions meet
 6:30 pm
 Clarion Inn - Fairmont

- August 22 Club Picnic
 Coleman's
 Residence
 6:30 PM
- August 24 Peaches &
 Broom Sale
 Middletown Mall
 9 AM - 3 PM
- Sept. 12 Business Meeting
 6:30 PM
- Sept. 26 Program: 2013
 Lions Clubs Int'l
 Convention in
 Hamburg
 6:30 PM

"If you can dream it, you
 can do it." -- Walt Disney

"The challenge is really
 twofold: first identify your
 dream, and then work to
 achieve your dream, for
 there is nothing more
 disheartening than a dream
 unfulfilled."

-- Barry J. Palmer, President
 Lions Clubs International,
 2013-2014



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*PID Bob Browning & Pres. John
 Marsicano at the 90th Anniversary
 Celebration of the club*

from a newsletter earlier in the club's history. A commemorative pin (as shown at top of this page) was presented to all in attendance.

Fairmont Lions Club Celebrates 90th Anniversary

The Fairmont Lions Club celebrated its 90th Anniversary with a gala event on April 23, 2013, exactly 90 years after the club's charter was presented. Then club president John Marsicano presided and Past International Director of Lions Clubs International Robert Browning was the guest speaker. The evening included entertainment and door prizes, along with a catered dinner. In recognition of this anniversary, the nameplate (top) of this issue sports a Lion and "The Mane Growl" borrowed

Annual Club Picnic August 22nd

The Fairmont Lions Club's annual picnic will be held Thursday, August 22nd, at the home of Elizabeth Swiger and Jim Coleman. Members are encouraged to bring a covered dish and lawn chairs. Bring a spouse or guest, too. Come at 6:30 pm.

Scott Nelson Guest Speaker in July

Scott Nelson, representing the National Youth Advocate Program, was the guest speaker at the July 25th club meeting. This program, which has been in West Virginia since 1983 is in need of help in recruiting foster families.



We Welcome Bill Conrad as a New (Returning) Member

Yard Sale Report and Plans for Peach Sale

The club's annual yard sale was one of the best in recent years, in terms of proceeds for the club. It was again held at S&M Glass on Merchant Street.

Bob Brumage is arranging for a Peach sale to be held on Saturday, August 24th, in the grassy area near Grease Monkey at Middletown Mall. Freestone peaches will be sold from 9:00 am until 3:00 pm, if supply lasts that long. All Lions willing to help out for a couple of hours should let Bob know.

Fairmont Campus - Branch Club Organized

The Fairmont Lions Club has sponsored a branch club on the shared campus of Fairmont State and Pierpont Community & Technical College. Students are back on campus and will be planning their first service activities soon.



(L-R) Cassie Rentz, Sarah Pickett, Bre Lynch, Rebecca Goydel, Kelly Humphreys, Devan Elliott, Robert Alderman - Fairmont Campus - branch members



The rail trail between Norway and Monongah was cleaned June 23rd by (l-r) Guy Ward, Bob Moffett, Aletta Moffett

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District Governor Harry Schramm's theme this year is "A Legacy of Service"



Lions on the Web

Lions Clubs International
www.lionsclubs.org

West Virginia Lions (MD-29)
www.wvlions.org

District 29-L Lions
www.lions291.org

WV Lions Sight Foundation
www.wvsight.org

Fairmont Lions Club
www.fairmontlions.org

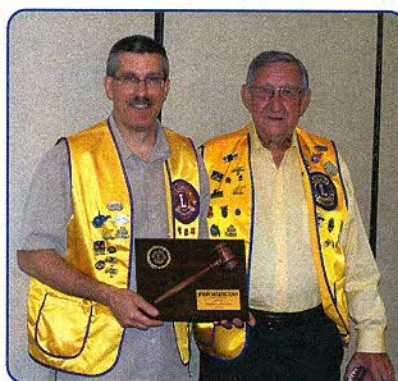
Just a Lion or Two

Dorothy Canfield, a former club member, passed away August 6th in Melbourne, FL. We extend our deepest sympathies to her daughter and club member Connie Canfield.

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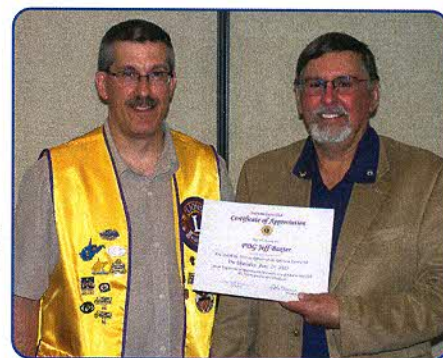
Officers Installed for 2013 -2014 Club Year

New club officers were installed by Past District Governor Jeff Baxter at the June 27th meeting. PDG Baxter presented a football to 2013 - 2014 president Jacob Brumage, after it was signed by the officers. Incoming president Jacob Brumage presented a plaque to outgoing president John Marsicano.



2012-13 Pres. John Marsicano & 2013-14 Pres. Jacob Brumage

Officers for this year are: Jacob Brumage, president; Keith Long, 1st vice president and tail twister; Virginia Gallion, 2nd vice president; Carol Baker, secretary; Bob Brummage, treasurer; Elizabeth Cruikshank, Lion tamer; James Coleman, Nancy



Pres. John Marsicano presents Certificate of Appreciation to PDG Jeff Baxter

Sickles and Crystal Copeland, two and four year directors; PDG Bob Moffett, membership chairperson; and John Marsicano, immediate past president. All of these officers make up the board of directors of the club. However, all members are welcome to attend board meetings.



(L-R) Carol Baker, Elizabeth Cruikshank, PDG Bob Moffett, Keith Long, John Marsicano, Crystal Copeland, Virginia Gallion, Nancy Sickles, PDG Jeff Baxter, and Pres. Jacob Brumage



Past Pres. John Marsicano is collecting and recycling aluminum cans and turning over funds raised to the club. Any member may bring their cans to John for recycling and any proceeds will benefit the club.

The Fairmont Lions Club was presented a "Plus One" banner patch for having a net increase of at least one member during the club year. The club's increase was two members.



