

The Lion's Roar

Fair Grove Lions Club

"We Serve"

July 2010



Special Points of Interest:



NC's very own Lion Sid Scruggs was elected as our 2010-2011 International President at the convention. He is from Vass, North Carolina, is a retired military and commercial airline pilot and a graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy. President Scruggs' International Theme, A Beacon of Hope, will make service to others the focal point of his presidency.

2010 International Lions Convention Down Under

McAdams Report

What a wonderful trip - and an experience of a lifetime! Monday, after two days of sightseeing in Auckland, New Zealand, we flew to Sydney, Australia, and met up with many of our Lion friends. Tuesday was the big parade and it was incredible to see over 200 countries represented and in their native dress. The weather was much cooler than N.C., but we adjusted and were comfortable marching the one-mile route. What a treat to represent N.C. and especially Sid Scruggs, the new International President. Sid and Judy were there to greet and thank us. We were also treated to an amazing international show featuring some of Australia's most talented performers — fabulous. A trip to the zoo was also in our

schedule and we petted and fed kangaroos and koalas and saw other exotic animals and beautiful birds. The highlight of the trip for us was seeing Sid installed as our new International President and Gary Steele take the reins as Governor of District 31-E. We can be very proud to be Lions and also proud of the leadership in our organization. We look forward to sharing more about the experience when we do a program.

McGuire Report

New Zealand and Australia were beautiful and I would definitely go back again and recommend it to anyone who might be considering the trip. There was so much to see and do and we packed as much in to the short time that we had. The convention was very inspiring to me, especially hearing about all the wonderful things that my fellow Lions are doing around the world to help those in need. A highlight of the convention, and a very touching and emotional moment for me personally, was when they talked about the local program in Australia to help special needs children by providing them with various types of equipment to help them with mobility and other types of assistance. Several of these precious children who had been helped were invited onto the stage. Needless to say, I got pretty choked up at that sight and the tears started flowing. It made me even more proud to be part of such a wonderful organization!



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- 2010 FGLC Bingo**
Thursdays
 July 22
 August 19
 September 16
 October 14
 November 11
 December 9

**2009 - 2010
 District 31-E
 White Cane Goal**

\$166,000


AS OF

June 21

TOTAL

\$151,763.20

July 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4 th of July 	5 No Lions	6	7 HB Tom N.!	8	9	10
11	12 Lions	13	14	15	16	17 31E Banq 11 AM Cleveland NC
18	19 Lions	20	21	22 Bingo! Happy Anniv. Clodfelters!	23	24
25	26 Lions	27 HB Bill C.!	28	29	30	31

2010 Fair Grove Officer Installation and Lions of the Year



New officer installation was held in June and the new roster is as follows:
 Patricia Carroll: President
 Dixie McAdams: 1st VP
 David Rickard: 2nd VP
 Gordon McAdams: Secretary
 Judy Black: Asst. Secretary
 Margaret Cline: Treasurer
 Steve Cline: Asst. Treasurer

Cherie Johnson: Tail Twister; Mary Ann Moody: Asst. Tail Twister
 Lester Clodfelter: Lion Tamer; Luther Watford: Asst. Lion Tamer
 David Rickard, C.L. Everhart: 1 YR Directors; Hoyt Wilson, Dale Grimsley: 2 YR Directors
 Dale Grimsley: Membership Chair (Judy Black, David Rickard, Membership Committee)
 Mary McGuire: Retention Chair

Lions of the Year (holding plaques and recognized for their "above and beyond" work on Lions projects)

Linda Lambeth - - Kitchen renovation for revenue-generation/fund raising opportunities
 Luther Watford - - Christmas parade as PR, fund raising and public awareness for club
 We extend well-deserved CONGRATULATIONS to our Fair Grove's Lions of the Year!!!



And last, many thanks to all who came out for Candy Day at Walmart in June and helped us to raise over \$500!

