



EASTON LIONS CLUB

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**Next Meeting – 6:30 p.m. Wed., June 9 – at Chateau
Installation Night - Members \$10, Guests \$15**



President's Message

By **Bill Palmer**,
President

Not Above You;

Not Beneath You;

But With You

They tell me that this is my last President's Message. Sounds good to me! The best part of the year has been seeing how hard so many Lions work to raise \$ for Eye Research, Scholarships, and Community Needs. So many projects I see the same people pitching in. Thank You.

This month we have Installation Night at the Chateau on June 9th (New Officers/ Melvin Jones Award/ Lion of the Year). The Candy Sale is on June 11th and 12th (sign-up now!). Finally we have our Year End Cookout on the 23rd at the Gun Club on Howard Street. Frank Smith's Golf Tournament has been moved up to August. Ken Wood and his Yardley/Wood Center School Rink team have Summer Concerts scheduled for July 14/ July 28/ Aug 11/ and Aug 25 (all Wednesdays from 7ish to 9ish).

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Family Fun Day will be Sept 11th (Sat 10-5). The Lions/Grange Yard Sale will continue to run throughout the summer, raising much needed \$ for Eye Research!

When I took over as President last year I said that even if we were no longer "officially" the #1 Lions Club in the world; we were IN FACT still #1....I would like to thank all the people (Lions and friends of the Lions) who have helped keep us the best Lions Club in the World , and more importantly: helped us to serve!

As always, contact me at 508-517-6668 from 7 am to 12 mid for help/info or email me at Palmersoxfan@comcast.net

Yours in Lionism ,
Bill Palmer / Go Lions !!

Easton Lions Club Officer Listing 2010 - 2011.

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| President | Janice Melley |
| Immediate Past President | Bill Palmer |
| 1 st Vice President | |
| 2 nd Vice President | Frank Smith |
| 3 rd Vice President | Ken Love |
| Treasurer | Marilyn Cyr |
| Asst. Treasurer | Dick Connolly |
| Dues Treasurer | Mark Ingalls |
| Secretary | Chris Dunlea |
| Membership | Nancy Sullivan Marilyn Henderson Pam McCann |
| Newsletter | Mark Vinocoor |
| Publicity | Jim Lee |
| Lion Tamer | Tyler Bourne |
| Board of Directors One Year | Scott Kudcey Amos Keddem. Jeannie Ebert Dennis Gutman |
| Board of Directors Two Year | Rick Gravely Al Soucia Jerry Denault John Parker |



We Serve

Thrift Store Happenings

We are really loaded with a great inventory of new stuff to sell at low, low prices. Lots of furniture, bikes, appliances and other useful items. Over 3,000 items in stock.

Our loyal "regulars" are most appreciated. We get people coming in week after week. Some spend an hour or two looking over, under, and around to find all those "hidden gems". Regulars make up at least 25% of our traffic. We love it.

Surprising how many come in from out of town. We don't mind. They pay with American currency, too.

We are still looking for donors of automobiles, motorcycles, boats, campers, etc for the Easton Lions Club TV Auction. The donor would be recognized on the TV show and such gifts could be in honor or remembrance of a lost friend or relative. All such gifts are tax deductible, of course, as the Easton Lions are 501C3.

We still do those VHS tapes to DVD format of your favorite family videos. Don't let them be lost to time. Grandchildren and Great Grandchildren will get a kick out of seeing you

and your family in generations to follow and those VHS tapes go bad with time. We charge only \$10 for each tape - the very best price elsewhere (Costco) that we've seen is \$20 for a 2 hour tape.

St Marks Church will hold a Perfect Harmony Concert on Sunday, June 13 at 3 PM. The music will be classical, pop and jazz. Tickets are \$15 for adults and \$10 for students. Contact Sandy Rollo at sjr16m@verizon.net for info and tickets. Their yard sale is Saturday, June 19 from 9 to 2 PM.

After checking out their wares, come up to the Grange Hall, corner of Route 138 and Elm Street in North Easton - between Bob's Ski Doo and the Union Villa Pizza place. We are open every Saturday from 9 AM to 3 PM - whenever the door is open and Don Tuck's white pickup truck is parked out front. Call Don at 617 899 1772 for info on "wassup " at the Thrift Store.

Hey, check out this site !!

http://eastonlions.com/?q=information/grange_hall



**The Lions Thrift Store Would Like to
Thank You All!!**

**Thank you to all of the people who help run the weekly sales
and help to make this such a successful fund raiser!!**

And

**Thank you to all who donate goods for sale!!
The real home of "Good Stuff Cheap"**

Eye Safety

Eye injuries can happen when one least expects them. The best treatment is prevention that can sometimes be overlooked to our detriment and a lifetime of regret. The ideal scenario for an eye injury is for it never to have happened. All eye injuries can be prevented with the proper protective eyewear. Proper protective eyewear usually involves Industrial Safety Lenses (3 mm. center thickness polycarbonate) in combination with an appropriate safety frame. By the way, one of the benefits of polycarbonate is that it blocks UV rays. My prescriptions are now printed with my recommendation that polycarbonate is the material of choice especially for children.

Imagine if you will that one moment you are seeing perfectly fine and the next you are forever unable to read or drive. Your life is indelibly changed forever. Remember Tony Conigliaro. I was young at the time; but, I remember his black eye on the cover of Sports Illustrated. He was never the same after that injury.

The usual suspects for sport related injuries include: a ball (baseball, softball, lacrosse ball, tennis ball, golf ball, paintball or air gun pellet), puck, stick, bat, racquet, windblown dirt, UV radiation from sunlight and fireworks. There can also be unintended finger injuries with games like basketball or volleyball.

Eye injuries are not confined to sports. They can occur with eyelash curlers, mascara brushes, fingernails, lawn mowers, weed whackers, bungee cords, battery acid, corks, home accidents, etc. And work related injuries can include: drills, other power tools like saws, splash injuries involving gasoline, oil, solvents, acids,

plaster injuries and arc welding.

The more energy the projectile possesses, the worse the injury. As you may imagine, the worse injuries are related to air gun pellets (capable of traveling 400 MPH), BBs (160 MPH), Tennis balls (110 MPH), Golf balls (90 MPH), Baseballs (up to 100 MPH depending on the pitcher) and lacrosse balls (around 70 MPH).

If an accident occurs

If you have any eye injury at any time, contact your eye doctor immediately. Most eye doctors have emergency contact numbers for injuries that occur after normal business hours. My cell phone number is mentioned on the outgoing message for my office's answering machine as well as listed on my web site.

Depending on the situation, your doctor may want you to flush your eye with water or saline solution. Or it may be more prudent to get to the hospital immediately. Tell the doctor if you wear contact lenses.

If you work with chemicals, your workplace should have a sink area where you can flush your eyes with water if a chemical splashes or otherwise invades your eyes. Flush your eyes for several minutes to dilute and rinse out any chemicals that may have contacted your eyes. Your doctor should have a type of litmus paper to ascertain if the splash has been neutralized or not.

Treat all eye injuries as potential emergencies, and contact or visit an eye doctor immediately. Remember, you have only one pair of eyes! Best Wishes for a safe and enjoyable Summer. See you in the Fall.

Neil Kozol, OD



Great food!
Great Fun!

Easton Lions End of Year Cookout!
June 23rd 6PM

Easton Rod & GUN CLUB
HOWARD STREET, Easton MA



Get Ready for the
Easton Lions Candy Sale
Friday June 11th & Sat. June 12th

Get ready to lend a hand with all
your Lion friends to raise a lot of money
for eye research!!

We'll be calling for your help.

For more information
contact Bill Palmer.



*Massachusetts
Lions
All State Band*



Founded 1980
by
Frederick W. Blake, PDG

**The Easton Lions Send
Congratulations To:**

Diane Schiller, Grade 12, Alto Saxophone

And

Eames Bennett, Grade 12, Trombone

Queen of Hearts

By Leo McCann, Chairperson

The -♥ Queen of Hearts ♥- Raffle is over
\$2000...?????????????..wow!!...



Name the song and the artist

Win a prize:
1st one in wins.....!

Don't care to hear them play a tango
And In The Mood they take a mambo
It's way to early for a congo
So keep a rocking that piano

email answers to mvinoco@comcast.net

Internet assistance not allowed. If suspected thereof,
please realize that you may be subject to singing this
song at an upcoming meeting.

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