

## LIONS TALE

### Re: Meeting on September 5<sup>th</sup>, 2012

We had a good first meeting last Wednesday with lots of needed discussion on committee assignments and goals for the upcoming year. For those of you not present, we missed you!

Our primary goal for the 2012-2013 year will be to not only encourage new membership, but to also encourage vitality and participation from all current existing members. We stressed that to continue to be a club of distinction and to continue to offer our services (to our COMMUNITY first and Lions National and International second), we need to focus on working together as a family and fostering new ideas.

Our club has a vibrant history. Let's work together to have a vibrant future!

Committee assignments for the coming year have been almost fully assigned. These will be passed out at the next meeting. As for our meeting schedule for the year it was proposed that we continue to have our normal dinner meetings with programs on the first Wednesday of each month. The third Wednesday the month would consist of the Board meeting (open to public) from 6:30 – 7:30 and then potluck dessert with games/socializing from 7:30 – whenever.

There are several reasons for possibly going to this format which the Board will be discussing this Wednesday. For the month of September meetings will remain as they always have. So please plan on attending our dinner meeting on Wednesday the 19<sup>th</sup>.

Dress Code was brought up. However, because we do not have our meeting format decided I answered hastily. So, for correction: Appropriate full dress will be required for the DG visits and other meetings where we will be with other Lions groups (unless their club states otherwise). For regular program meetings please dress comfortably and appropriately. I do not care about pants versus shorts versus jeans. No holes. No inappropriate sayings. Go with polo shirts or something similar. Attendance and participation is more important than what we are wearing.

BOARD MEMBERS: the board meeting will be at my house 7:00 p.m. sharp. (1975 Quaker Rd.)

Sincerely,  
LP Sarah