PROSPECTIVE MEMBERSHIP

Please consider how your membership in the Lions club can contribute to service to our community and beyond.

Feel free to contact me if you have any questions. I will be calling you in the near future to discuss sponsorship as a new club member and to invite you as a guest to a meeting.

Lion:

Add:

Phone:

Norfolk Lions Bi-monthly Meetings

2nd Thursday, 6:30 p.m. Dinner Meeting Sabad's, Norfolk

4th Thursday, 7:00 p.m. Business Meeting Norfolk American Legion.

2012 - 2013 Membership

Shirley Amo Lloyd "Red" Bresee Chris Emlaw Dale Emlaw Kathy Emlaw Eva Enache Paul Eurto Patricia Fanning Glenna Koch Barbara Lustyik Donald Lustvik Kelly Lustyik Mike Lynch Suzanne Murray Brian Plonka John Plonka Gail Sheldon **Royal Sheldon** Alfred Smith John Turner Laura Gregory

FOR MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION:

Call Lion Donald Lustyik Membership Committee Chair 315-353-2749

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SERVING THE COMMUNITY FOR MORE THAN 50 YEARS

About Lions International

Since 1917, local Lions clubs have offered people just like you the opportunity to give something back to their community. Today, with over 1.3 million men and women in 44,000 Lions Clubs in more than 202 countries and geographic areas, Lions have expanded their focus to help meet the ever-increasing needs of our society.

As a member of a Lions club, you become aware of the needs of your community and have the advantage to effectively make a difference. Our club provides volunteers with project management assistance, leadership training, personal development opportunities, and organized fund-raising programs. Being a Lion empowers you to help others in a way that no one person could alone.

Now, more than ever, people with vision problems, the environment, our senior community, our youth and the disadvantaged around the world need your help. You can make a difference. By participating in our local Lions club, you can help meet pressing needs in our community and around the world.

The strength of the international initiatives comes from local membership – Lions such as those in Norfolk, who share their talents and energy to share the common mission, "**We Serve**".

About The Norfolk Lions

Chartered in 1950, the 21 men and women of the Norfolk Lions Club continue to serve our community in a variety of ways. Bi-weekly meetings provide a forum for club members to meet to discuss means for employing our motto: **"We Serve".** Members have the opportunity to become active through a variety of roles that range from leadership initiatives to hands-on service throughout the community.

> Our 2012 - 2013 officers are: President: Lion Royal Sheldon Secretary: Lion Suzanne Murray Treasurer: Lion Kelly Lustyik

Membership in the Lions Club is bestowed upon individuals who are sponsored by Lions club members in good standing and who have the characteristics and dedication to provide contributions to the welfare of our community, both locally and globally. We encourage your careful consideration; with your sponsor you can attend several meetings as a guest to see if you feel you could contribute to our organization and the community.

Why not take this opportunity to work with local residents towards making our community a better place to live in, while also supporting the humanitarian projects of Lions International.

Service to Our Community

Examples of our service:

- Provide exams and eye glasses for children and adults in need of financial help.
- Recycle used eye glasses.
- Support N. Country Assoc. for Visually Impaired (NCAVI).
- Donations to guide dog schools and individuals to support guide dogs.
- Annual Thanksgiving dinner for seniors in Norfolk senior housing.
- Sponsor a Lions International Peace Poster Contest in our local school district.
- Donations to local youth sports organizations.
- Donation to community projects Rescue Squad Building, Norfolk Arena.
- Participation in Habit for Humanity Building Projects.
- Support a BOCES home building project bi-annually.
- Annual NNCS senior scholarship.
- Support for Lions Camp Badger/ Empire State Speech & Hearing Clinic.
- Semi-Annual Adopt-A-Highway cleanup project.
- Annual support of local hospitals.
- Christmas food baskets for needy families and nursing home visits to our local residents.
- Sponsor one or two students to the NYS Lions Band annually.

Membership Chair: Lion Donald Lustyik Phone: 315-353-2749