



# The Grand Island Lion

## June 2020

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### Upcoming Events:

#### Grand Island Lions Club Meeting Dates and Places for- 2020

Cost to Club will be \$26. All reservations must be made by the Monday before the meeting. If you reserve and do not attend you will be charged as the Club is charged for all reservations, You will receive an e-mail from Lion Danielle Rose.

JUNE 10,2020 BLC INSTALLATION DINNER  
This will be a zoom meeting. Look for your invitation in a coming email.

June 13 2020 Island Cleanup 9AM Meeting at the Viking Restaurant. We will clean GI BLVD to Webb Rd.

July 15th 2020 Special Kids Picnic Cancelled

Dear Lions,

As we end this most unusual year I want to thank each and every one of you for your support and patience.

We continue to look for ways to serve. We will be doing the street clean up project in June and the White Cane fundraiser in August . I hope we can enhance that project to include more of us since we have had so few opportunities to raise money to give back to our community.

I look forward to working with the new Board and would like to help our newer and less active members find projects that speak to them. While it's important to actively support our Club, it is also important that we find satisfying ways for you to do that .

I hope and pray that you continue to stay well as Covid 19 will be with us for a while more. Please reach out if you personally need help or support. We are all friends as well as Lion s Club members. I miss each of you.

We will have our final meeting on June 10, via Zoom. You will receive an invitation by e-mail. I will do my best to make it easy for all to join.

With my very warmest regards,  
Lion Pres. Anne



Lions,  
**Our annual membership dues must be paid by June 1st according to Club bylaws. Payment of \$75.00 or family rate of \$128.50 should be mailed to our PO Box 71, Grand Island NY 14072.**

Thank you, Lion Kelly

**Don't forget to wear your magnetic Lion emblem. Show the public you are a Lion. Words of wisdom: Perseverance breeds "success"**



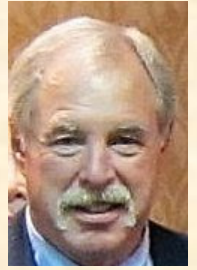
Lion Bob Goulding

### Grand Island Lions Club Meals on Wheels Schedule May-Dec, 2020

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| May 01       | Henry,Annette and Dave              |
| May 15       | Anne fahning and Pauli Bassette     |
| June 05      | Shelia Ferrentino and Tom Witkowski |
| June 19      | Henry ,Annette and Dave Chervinsky  |
| July 03      | Henry, Annette and Dave             |
| July 17      | Anne fahning and Paul Bassette      |
| August 07    | Shelia Ferrentino and Tom Witkowski |
| August 21    | Henry, Annette and Dave             |
| September 04 | Henry, Annette and Dave             |
| September 18 | Anne Fahning and Paul Bassette      |
| October 03   | Shelia ferrentino andTom Witkowski  |
| November 06  | Henry, Annette and Dave             |
| November 20  | Anne Fahning and Paul Bassette      |
| December 04  | Henry, Annette and Dave             |
| December 18  | Henry, Annette and Tom Witkowski    |

## Lions,

Non-perishable food items will be collected to benefit the Grand Island Neighbors Foundation when we resume meetings **Eighty pounds of food has been delivered to the Neighbors Foundation from our ongoing collection.** Also used cell phones are needed by the Sheriff's Department Domestic Violence unit. Phones are reprogrammed for emergency use by victims under their watch.



Please return your empties to Bottle and Can Retrieval Center 2447 Grand Island Blvd, Grand Island, NY. Just mention that you would like the deposit money to be credited to the Grand Island Lions Club. At our January meeting I presented Our Club a check for \$202.25 from Bottle Junction.

Stuart Sports has many styles and colors of polo shirts along with other apparel available. Stop in and peruse their catalogs and request that the Grand Island Lions logo be applied to your selection.

It's just a short drive to Lewiston:

Stuart Sports 486 Center St. Lewiston, NY (716-754-4895)

<http://www.stuartsportsinc.com/>

Lion Tom Rusert



**WE SERVE**

Dear Lions.....

Our 2020/2021 Club Officers have been elected. The voting occurred during our Zoom club meeting this past Wednesday. Here are next year's Officers:

President – Annette Lobl

1st VP – Kimberley Pressley

2nd VP – Paul Krupa

Treasurer – Tom Witkowski

Recording Secretary – Donna Lavallee

Corresponding Secretary – Kelly Mc Garvey

1 yr Director – Tom Rusert

1 yr Director – Anne Ryan (for Tom DiJohn)

2 yr Director – Paul Bassette

2 yr Director – Bob Goulding

Lion Tamer – Ashley / Tom Digati

Tail Twister – 1st meeting Ashley/Tom Digati

-2nd meeting Anne Ryan

Membership Committee Chairperson – Dick Crawford

Past President – Anne Fahning

Congratulations and a BIG "Thank You" to those who will serve our Club next year!

Lion Kelly McGarvey



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

Kelly McGarvey

David Chervinsky

Richard Crawford

Thanks to Lions Tom Rusert, Donna Lavallee, Bob Goulding, Kelly McGarvey, and Anne Fahning for contributions to this newsletter. The deadline for the July-August Newsletter is Friday June 26th. If you have material for the newsletter, you can e-mail it to Lion Dave Chervinsky, the editor/publisher:

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