



# CORTLAND LIONS CLUB *Nov. 1, 2007*

## Monthly Newsletter



### LIONS BID FAREWELL TO OUR FRIEND AND FELLOW LION JIM ELLIOTT

#### Monthly Events

##### Meal Teams

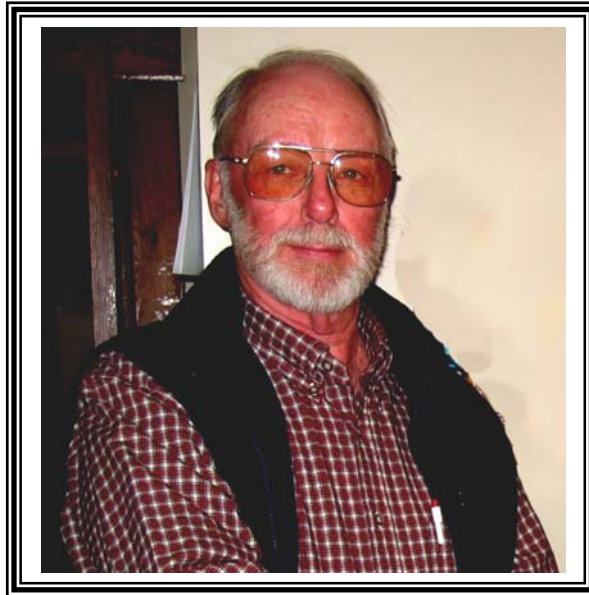
- Nov 7<sup>th</sup> – Basil Jarrett & Bruce Gullberg
- Nov 14 & 21 – Jim Gorse & Joe Giardina
- Nov 28<sup>th</sup> & Dec 5<sup>th</sup> – Joe Ferenchak & Peter Kozup

##### Events:

- Nov. 14 Thanksgiving Dinner and bring a friend!
- TBD – ID Theft talk
- June 26, 27 & 28 Street Fair

##### Web Site:

[www.Cortlandoh.lionwap.org](http://www.Cortlandoh.lionwap.org)



James R. Elliott 1929 - 2007

On October 13<sup>th</sup> 2007, Lion Jim Elliott passed away from lung cancer. He had been in the Cortland Lions since 1963 and was honored by being selected in 2000 to be a "Melvin P. Jones" Fellow. Lion Jim had also served as President and Treasurer and was very active in the Cortland Street Fair in previous years.

His many years of service and his kind and friendly nature will long be remembered by us at the Cortland Lions Club

#### OFFICERS OF THE CORTLAND LIONS CLUB 2007 - 2008

- King Lion.....638-1039  
Jim Gorse
- 1<sup>st</sup> VP.....881-0301  
Ryan Barnot
- 2<sup>nd</sup> VP.....637-0605  
Joe Arp
- 3<sup>rd</sup> VP.....856-1162  
Mike Wisniewski
- Secretary.....772-6462  
Tom Williams
- Financial Secretary.....637-2652  
Marc Arnal
- Treasurer.....638-1795  
Lee Ford
- Tail Twister.....638-5701  
John David
- Lion Tamer.....395-0975  
Pete Kozup
- Past President.....637-9416  
Dan Pedigo
- Chaplain.....637-9978  
Bruce Gullberg

### THE KING LION OF CORTLAND



**KING LION**  
*Jim Gorse*

Our condolences go out to Lion Jim Elliott's family and friends and in our own club the loss will be felt by all.

In other news I will be preparing the Thanksgiving Dinner with my trusty partner, Joe Giardina on November 14<sup>th</sup>. This year we would like you to bring a guest to our Thanksgiving Dinner and invite them to possibly join the Lions!

The Cortland Area Care fundraiser proved to be successful and we enjoyed working with the Rotary and the other clubs involved (Optimist & Kiwanis).

The Halloween Party was a great success and the crowd seemed larger than ever. Thanks to Lee Ford and all the helpers; we had a great turnout of Lions Members.

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## LIONS HALLOWEEN PARTY



At left are some of the Lions that helped put on the Halloween Parade and Party at the Elementary School. This year we had a great turnout of ghosts & goblins with support from our Police and Fire Departments. Thank You, Thank You.

Lee Ford did a great job of taking care of all the details and I think everyone had a donut or two.

Cost details are being calculated! Great Job by all who attended.

### CROP WALK



L to R: Lion Lee Ford, Unknown supervisor, and Lion Harold Cox

The Crop Walk put on by the area churches and supported by the Cortland Lions Club (we give the walker's lunch) was deemed a great success once again this year. As usual we gave all 117 of them hot dogs, chips and a drink and all were happy! Cost to our club \$137 - Look on the walker's face eating a hot dog - priceless



Lion Mark Arnal begins preparing his secret coffee receipt

### VISITORS FROM JAMESTOWN, PA



On October 17<sup>th</sup> we were honored by a visit from the Jamestown Lions. Most years they manage to give us a visit and it is much appreciated. They usually kid us quite a bit but they don't take our bell. Also, they have invited us over for a visit and let us know about there big gun raffle (about 50 guns we hear).

L to R: Bob Hutchinson, Jack Ries, David Volosin, Tim Barber, King Lion Jim Gorse, Ernie Bell, Don Valentine & Lyle Brolkway

### STREET FAIR ANNOUNCES PROFITS

In a surprise presentation Street Fair Chairman, John David, presented a check for many thousand's of dollars to the club. At the left King Lion Jim Gorse is shown receiving the check from Lion John David.

For many years the Street Fair Board has been putting a major portion of the profits into the infrastructure. Now, with most of that paid off a good profit is shown.



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## CORTLAND AREA CARE COMMUNITY FUNDRAISER

The Rotarians invited us to be a part of this spectacular fund raiser to help this local group. John Billock of the Rotary came and told us the plan and we agreed to help out.

The basketball game between the Harlem Ambassadors and the local Mosquito Lakers proved to bring in quite a crowd. The gym was packed and they couldn't have had a 100 tickets left of the 900. \$7,000 was presented to CAC!

We were happy to be a part of this effort and thank the Rotary Club for inviting us and look forward to working with them and other groups on community wide projects.



L to R: Lions Bill Lowther and Dan Pedigo selling 50:50 tickets helping to raise more funds at the game!

## MEAL TEAM SCHEDULE 2007 - 2008

November 7th  
November 14th & 21st  
November 28th & December 5th  
December 12th & 19th  
January 2nd & 9th  
January 16th & 23rd  
February 6th & 13th  
February 20th & 27th  
March 5th & 12th  
March 19th & 26th  
April 2nd & 9th  
April 16th & 23rd  
April 30th & May 7th  
May 14th & 21st  
May 28th & June 4th  
June 11th & 18th  
June 25 & July 2nd  
July 9th & 16th  
July 23rd & 30th

Basil Jarrett & Bruce Gullberg  
Jim Gorse and Joe Giardina  
Joe Ferencak & Peter Kozup  
Tony Niemi & Ryan Barnot  
Mike Cavender & Harold Cox  
Chuck Commons & Joe Hrusovsky  
Don Jones & Ray Vanderpool  
John Robbins & Gary Pegowski  
Mike Wisniewski & Dennis Demsey  
Jeff Payne & Jack Keith  
Jim Gorse & Barry Mazarik  
Chuck Meigs & Frank Danso  
Bob Popovich & Bill Hallett  
Glenn Dales & Henry Morrison  
John Campany & Mitch Piluga  
Dan Pedigo & Dennis Cook  
Bob Cavender & Bill Cavender  
Dean Nobel & Joe Megyesi  
Randy Sheldon &

## THE MAIL AND OTHER NEWS

-Lions Bruce Gullberg & Basil Jarrett - have completed taking down all the flags from the telephone poles in all of Cortland - what a great representation of the Lions Club!

-King Lion Jim Gorse & Lion Joe Giardina - are planning to cook for the Thanksgiving Dinner to be held on November 14<sup>th</sup> - this is becoming one of our favored traditions with the great turkey dinner with all the fixings! This year everyone is asked to bring a friend in hopes of membership.

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