

## WLF Board Meeting, January 23<sup>th</sup> 2016 Lions Pride Endowment Fund of WI, Inc., Report

Lions Pride would like to extend a thank you to President Jack Reindl for his support at conventions by including and sharing WLF time with Pride.

The LPEF Board Meeting was held on Friday, January 15, 2016 at the Suby Office in Madison. The BMO Team, Kristin Barry and John Benjamin presented the 2015 Annual Wealth Management Review in detail to the Board.

LPEF has hired Kerry Mondloch to manage the bookkeeping duties of Lions Pride. We are still looking for a parttime office assistant to round out the staff.

LPEF annual audit is scheduled for March 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup>

The 2016-2107 incoming Council as appointed D2's DGE, Jim Olson to be the Council Representative on the LPEF Board beginning July 2016 through end June 2017. DGE Jim Olson is a recently retired CPA.

The Lions Pride 9th Annual Sporting Clay Shoot will be held on June 11, this is a rain or shine event. We rely on Shooters, sponsors and the donations of door prizes and auction items to ensure a successful event. Save the Date cards were mailed to all past shooters, volunteers and sponsors. As always we look for your support of and at this event.

This year's Friendship 100 Ride is scheduled for July 13<sup>th</sup>; this is their 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Ride on Lions Pride's behalf. We look forward to their visit every year.

Response to the Hempel Fellowship remains encouraging and we would ask you to promote it as an additional tool for in the club's award arsenals.

Lions Pride invites you to check out our blog at; blog.lionspride.org a new one post every Thursday. You can go to our website and click on the owl icon to view the blog and sign up to have the blog come directly to your email account. It doesn't always talk about Lions Pride for example; we recently featured the Deer Hide Collection along with Hunter Safety Tips, the A1 Convention and International President Yamada's visit, Camp applications and supporting National Blood Donor Month.

As always we ask for your continued support both personal and from your districts and extend an invitation to join the Pride family if you are not yet a member. When you join the Lions Pride family you truly become part of "Today's help, Tomorrow's Hope".

Visit us at www.lionspride.org and be sure to like us on Facebook.

Respectfully submitted,

Geri Schlender, LPEF Executive Director