



Wardensville Lions Club

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Meet at Wardensville War Memorial Building 2nd
& 4th Wednesdays at 6:00 pm

Dates to Remember

March 9, 2013

Proof Show Ads – 10:00 am
Library – Rear Entrance
Wardensville, WV

March 13, 2013

Regular Meeting – 6:00 pm
Wardensville War Memorial Building

March 20, 2013

Board of Director's Meeting – 7:00 pm
Wardensville Library - Rear Entrance

March 27, 2013

Regular Meeting – 6:00 pm
Wardensville War Memorial Building

March 30, 2013

Easter Egg Hunt – 11:15 am
Wardensville Park

Web links

Lions Club International
<http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/index.php>
WV Multiple District
<http://www.wvlions.org/>
Wardensville Lions Club
<http://le-clubhouse.org/sites/wardensville/index.php>

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Steve Rhoades Receives Melvin Jones Award

In early February, Mike & Ann Funkhouser were in Phoenix Arizona. While they were there, they had the opportunity to visit Steve and Sue Rhoades on several occasions.



One of those visits was special for Steve and Sue, Mike, and Ann as Mike, on behalf of our club, presented Steve the Melvin Jones Fellowship Award.

Lions International recognizes outstanding individuals by bestowing on them an award that is named for its founder, Melvin Jones. This Fellowship Award (LCIF) is the highest form of recognition and embodies humanitarian ideas consistent with the nature and purpose of Lionism. The recipient of this award becomes a model because of the exemplary service to his club and the community for which it serves.

Steve has made many contributions to our club including serving as President for a total of nine years. Thanks Steve for your service to both the Wardensville Lions Club as well as the Wardensville community.

Meylin Returns to Lima Peru



Meylin arrived in the US on January 17th and for the next five and half weeks she met Lions from around District 29-I while attending the District Cabinet meeting, and the State of West Virginia while attending the Leadership School.

She was invited by DG Fishel to join the ski trip for the blind students at Timberline on February 11th. Being from Peru, Meylin had never seen snow before and learned to ski without poles! She quickly learned to ski and was skiing the 2-mile long Salamander Run, on her own within a couple of hours. She fell a few times but she did GREAT for a first time skier.



Meylin (continued)

Meylin served at the Ruritan Sr. Christmas dinner and attended two of our regular meetings. She quickly made friends with the youth at Shiloh United Methodist Church where she attended services.



She made two sightseeing trips to Washington, DC. She visited several of the monument, museums, the Capitol, Union Station and had a White House tour. On Abraham Lincoln's birthday, we visited the Lincoln Memorial, Ford's Theatre and the house where Lincoln died.



She had never been in a cave before so we took her to Smokehole Caverns. When asked what she thought her comment was, "Awesome! Much more than I expected." I asked what she expected and she said, "a hole in the ground." We later took her to Luray Caverns where she used up her batteries in her cameras and ran out of space on her video camera. I know all of our trips together and meeting all of the people that she met will be lifetime memories for her.

Meylin walked into our lives as an exchange student on January 17th and left as our third daughter on February 26th. She has forever changed our lives and those who got to know her. She truly touched the hearts of all those that she met and I know they will never forget her. It is our hope that she will return to the Capon Valley again.

Service Anniversaries for February

Sam Earle	February	2001
Paul Bockting	February	2010
Lorrie Krautwurst	February	2010
Henry Krautwurst	February	2010
Pat Harman	February	2010

Congratulations and thank you for your service to our community.

We're Looking for New Members!

Membership is always an important topic with any organization. As our membership grows so does the strength of our club. Membership numbers shrink over time for a variety of reasons. In the near future we will be holding a membership evening. Therefore, over the next several weeks please think of neighbors, family members, people with whom you do business or go to church with that you believe may be interested in joining our Club. Jot down their names and give that information to Les Barr who is our Membership Chairman. These names will provide a pool of people that we can invite to a special membership evening

