

## 50/50 DRAW

Lion Brian Jewitt won the 50/50!



## WHAT IS IT?



Lion Rick Castle had a shingles shovel. To be used on a roof, not the skin.

## LIONS TALES

These are actual comments made by Vermont State Troopers that were taken off their car videos:

1. "You know, stop lights don't come any redder than the one you just went through."
2. "Relax, the handcuffs are tight because they're new. They'll stretch after you wear them a while."
3. "If you take your hands off the car, I'll make your birth certificate a worthless document."
4. "If you run, you'll only go to jail tired."
5. "Can you run faster than 1200 feet per second? Because that's the speed of the bullet that'll be chasing you."
6. "You don't know how fast you were going? I guess that means I can write anything I want to on the ticket, huh?"
7. "Yes, sir, you can talk to the shift supervisor, but I don't think it will help. Oh, did I mention that I'm the shift supervisor?"
8. "Warning! You want a warning? O.K, I'm warning you not to do that again or I'll give you another ticket."
9. "The answer to this last question will determine whether you are drunk or not. Was Mickey Mouse a cat or a dog?"
10. "Fair? You want me to be fair? Listen, fair is a place where you go to ride on rides, eat cotton candy and corn dogs".
11. "Yeah, we have a quota. Two more tickets and my wife gets a toaster oven."



**Choose your ride.**  
Drink. Drive. Go to Jail.



12. "In God we trust; all others we run through NCIC." ( National Crime Information Center )
13. "Just how big were those 'two beers' you say you had?"
14. "No sir, we don't have quotas anymore. We used to, but now we're allowed to write as many tickets as we can."
15. "I'm glad to hear that the Chief (of Police) is a personal friend of yours. You know someone who can post your bail."

AND THE WINNER IS....

16. "You didn't think we give pretty women tickets? You're right, we don't. Sign here."



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## LIONS GRRROWL

**Proudly serving our community for over 35 years!**

**CONGRATULATIONS LION WAYNE GREIG!**

### PRESIDENT'S PRIDE OF PLACE

Fellow Lions:

Congratulations to Lion Wayne Greig who was presented with an award for his 45 years of Lionism and the prestigious Helen Keller award. Great work Lion Wayne! Thanks to Governor John Johnston who took time out of his busy schedule to present these awards at our 33rd Seniors' dinner.

Over 170 guests partook in the delicious turkey meal prepared by wives of club members. A big thank you to them and to the Club members who worked so hard on the preparation of this event, especially to Lion Paul Rau and the committee. Our seniors always appreciate it.

The Poplar Hill Hillbilly float has had great success again this year with both 1st place award on Nov 22nds at the Strathroy and Nov 29th at Hyde Park Santa Claus Parades....and more to come. Great work Hillbillies!

YOURS IN LIONISM



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## SENIORS CHRISTMAS DINNER



All Seniors Dinner photos: Lion Wally Bedford

On Sunday November 23rd, the hall at Coldstream Community Center became exactly that, a community center! The picture above shows the effort **Poplar Hill & District Lions** and their band of helpers put into the occasion. Our Seniors Dinner entertains the golden generation of our area to their annual get-together.



Left: The table of desserts to round off an excellent Christmas dinner cooked to Perfection. Nine turkeys filled the plates. Below: The beautifully decorated Christmas tree



## facebook

Now here's a record. This video (see below) of the popular **Poplar Hill Hillbillys** almost went viral! Well okay, a little shy of Justin Bieber's few million but an astounding 3,414 people have viewed the post, 459 people have clicked on the post itself and 143 people have "liked" the post. It shows the power of our Facebook page.

If you want anything posted on Facebook, see **Zone Chair Lion Jeff Zavitz** who posts the posts and keeps our community involved online.



Poplar Hill & District Lions Club

Posted by Jeff Zavitz (?) · November 22

Here's a little sample of what we bring to a parade.



3,396 people reached

Boost Post

Unlike · Comment · Share

34 Shares



## DATES TO REMEMBER

Wed Dec 10 7:30pm Turkey & Ham Bingo, Township Hall, Coldstream

Sun Dec 14 5:15 pm BINGO! at Forest City Bingo Country, London

TEAM 4

JERRY BERGSMA

BOB DALE

GLENN DIXON

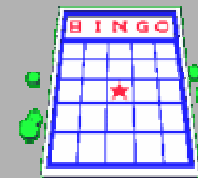
BRIAN JEWITT

KURT SCHOEPSDAU

IAN MacDONALD

CAREY THODY

RICK CASTLE



If you can't attend, please find a replacement or inform Lion Walter.  
we need to have 3 bona fide members there before 5:30 in order to sell sheets legally



## CHARTER PRESIDENT LION WAYNE GREIG HONOURED



Left: **Lion Wayne Greig** was our **Charter President** and probably the "*Father*" of the **Poplar Hill & District Lions Club**. Standing with Heather, he was presented with an award for his 45 years of **Lionism** and the esteemed **Helen Keller Award** by District **A-1 Governor John Johnson**. A fitting tribute to a **Lion** of his calibre. Great work **Lion Wayne**!

Below: **Lion Wayne's** lifelong friend **Beth Burdick**.



Below (L-R): **Lion Wayne Greig**, Our President **Earl Trainor** and District **A-1 Governor John Johnson**.



## AILS CRAIG ZONE CHAIR VISIT



At the Lazy Diner in Ailsa Craig, **Lion Earl Crisp** gets lots of ice cream on his pie! Lekk out South Lobo WI!

On November 25th, our very own Poplar Hill **Zone Chair Lion Jeff Zavitz** was visiting **Ailsa Craig Lions Club** on a Zone visit and presents **Lion Richard Dennett** with his chevron. Congratulations **Lion Richard**.



Right (L-R): 100 years of service between them, **Lions Bob Dale, Evan Campbell and Larry Griffith** greet our celebrated guests.



Left: **Lion Ron Ireland** and Vivian check everyone in as they arrive.



Below: The bountiful spread of the season makes sure no-one goes home with an empty stomach!

Below (L-R): **Joyce Campbell, Marg Cormier and Heather Greig** in the kitchen preparing the dinner with other helpers. Helpers are as important as **Lions** in our events and for that we are eternally grateful.



Below: No **Lion Rick Castle** is not ejecting a rowdy but just being a gentleman for a lady.





## POPLAR HILL HILLBILLYS CHRISTMAS TOUR



Saturday Nov 22, our **Poplar Hill Hillbillys** started their Christmas tour in Strathroy with the help of our new Hillbilly, **Lion Wayne Hillbilly** and his shineee new veee-hikle!

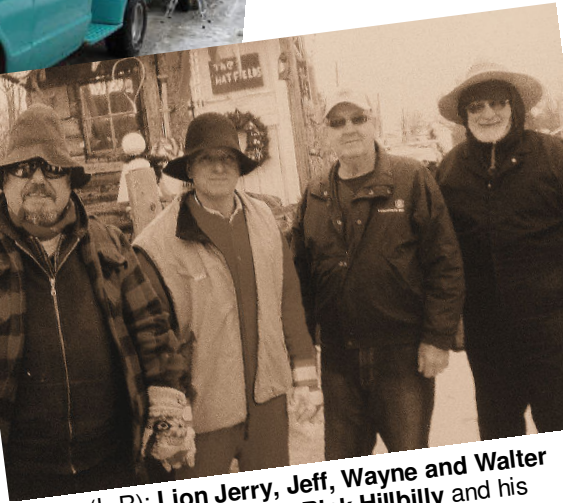


Left: **The Poplar Hill Hillbillys** won over all best at today's Santa Clause Parade in Strathroy, hence the silverware!

Below left (L-R): **Lions Rick & Walter Hillbilly** get the crowd a-rockin to the Hillbilly beat!



Below right: **Lion Jeff Hillbilly** says, we have the still this year but we're STILL winning!



Above(L-R): **Lion Jerry, Jeff, Wayne and Walter Hillbilly** as taken by **Lion Rick Hillbilly** and his funky picture mowchine.



Then on Nov 29 Hyde Park the **Poplar Hill Hillbillys** took to the place where our first prize was denied by our "Still" last year. This time our moon shined and we won!!!

(**Lion Wayne Hillbilly** had to come to rescue again when the hydro-thingy-mah-bob broke down—thanks)

**FLOAT PARADE DATES**  
Nov 30 Parkhill  
Dec 6 Lucan (5pm)  
Dec 13 Ailsa Craig

Below: The Hillbillys dance and sing till the batteries run out! And they did!!



Above: **Lion Barb Hillbilly** is back smiling with her hand in her moose next to **Lion Jerry Hillbilly**! You better be nice to her **Lion Jerry H!**



Left: Our prize. We're going to need this a lot!



Below: **Lion Bert Hillbilly** does his own Hillbilly ritual an' a lotta cussin' to start the veee-hickle.



Above: Read it and weep Hyde Park!  
No stopping us this year!!  
**Poplar Hill Hillbillys**  
- FIRST PRIZE -  
(For most entertaining float!!)