

Lions Club of Richmond IN Inc.

Serving Richmond Indiana Community
since October 5, 1924

Richmond Lions Club is a member of the
Indiana Lions District 25F Inc.



UPCOMING EVENTS

November 30th	InConcert - Comedian Tom Mebe
December 2nd	First Fruit Delivery
December 3rd	Selling Fruit Baskets, Christmas in Depot District
December 4th	Annual Official Visit of the District 25F Governor Don Mullins
December 6th, 7th, 8th	Camp Woodsmoke Christmas Gala
December 9th	Centerville Lions 7th Anniversary Celebration
December 13th, 14th	Camp Woodsmoke Christmas Gala
December 14th-22nd	49th Annual Fruit Sale
December 18th	Regular monthly meeting - Christmas Music
December 22nd-30th	Happy Hanukkah
December 25th	Merry Christmas

ALERT: Dues invoices will be going out around December 15th. Watch your e-mail or regular mail. Prompt payment is always appreciated.



**Centerville Lions will be celebrating their 75th anniversary on Monday
December 9th at 6:00 at the Centerville High School Cafetorium.**

Cost is \$10.00 per person.

If you'd like to go, make a reservation by calling 765-855-2034.

FRUIT SALE

It's that time of year again. As we celebrate Thanksgiving, and give thanks for all the blessings we have, we are reminded the Annual Fruit Sale is right around the corner. This year's fruit sale is our 49th annual sale. Dates are December 14-22 at the same location as the last several years—3567 E. Main between the new Domino's location and El Rodeo. We will also have fruit baskets available both to purchase and forms to order baskets for pick up closer to Christmas on Tuesday December 3, 10 and 17th at Christmas in the Depot District. The Club will also sell fruit baskets at Camp Woodsmoke's Christmas Gala on December 6, 7, 8, 13 and 14. Will be a busy month. Fruit will be delivered on Monday, December 2 and December 11th. Anyone who can help with the unloading will be appreciated. As always, workers will be needed to man the sale from December 14th – the 22nd.



INCONCERT
COMEDY
 with Tom Mabe
 Saturday, Nov 30, 2019
 Tickets: \$15 or \$20 at the door *(if available)*
 Doors open at 7pm, 4th Floor Blues Club
InConcertRichmond.com

The next event for InConcert is Saturday, November 30th. Comedian Tom Mabe will be the entertainer. Check out his website at www.tommabe.com. The final event of the 2019 season will be the New Year's Eve gala on December 31st. Always a big event. If you're aware of someone who would enjoy going to either event contact your Lion Secretary, Lion President Dick Lehman or Lion Deloris Rohrer and we will see that you receive tickets. Time is also approaching to seek out sponsors for the 2020 season. If you know of a business who might be a potential sponsor, let your Lion Secretary know and I will get you the forms, or provide contact information and I will be glad to make the contact. As we keep preaching this is a fund raising project that requires minimal physical effort and if we all work a little bit at selling tickets and seeking out sponsors it can continue to be one of our major fund raisers.



GRANT AWARDED

At the November 20th meeting, Misty Hollis, Executive Director of the YMCA accepted a check from the Philanthropic Grant Program to support youth sports at the "Y". The grant award was \$600.00 and will sponsor two youth teams, one winter sport and one spring. Uniforms will have the Lions name on them.

CAMP WOODSMOKE CHRISTMAS GALA

The Camp will be decorated for Christmas

including lights along the drives, trolley rides, hayrides, Santa will be visiting and of course hot drinks and cookies. This is a new event for the Camp Woodsmoke Trustees. If you're looking for a special outing this Christmas season, this just might be it. Richmond Lions will be selling fruit baskets as well as candles for the Indiana Cancer Control project.



MID-WINTER CONFERENCE

Mid-Winter Conference is also fast approaching. This annual event is scheduled for Saturday, January 11th, 2020 at the Crown Plaza Airport Hotel. Cost before November 30th is \$40.00 , after November 30th \$45.00. The Club has money in the budget for those Lions who would like to attend If interested contact Lion Jack Buckland at JBuckland@aol or call at 765-969-8420. This is always an educational event for both new and longtime members. Carpooling will be available for those who prefer not to drive.



The best and most beautiful things in the world cannot be seen or even touched - they must be felt with the heart. - Helen Keller