

Akron Lions Club General Meeting 01 March, 2011

Call to order at 6:30 p.m. by Vice President Angela Ericson .

Opening remarks and welcome .

Introduction of Guest of Honor Sheriff Van Otterloo, Doug Colt, and Julie Madden.

Pledge of Allegiance and Singing of 1st verse of "My country, 'tis of thee" .

Invocation by Chaplain Dee Watson.

Meal catered by Akron Jo's; Guests go first.

Tail twister Karen Mortensen entertains members & guest with the true story of how St. Patrick drove the Norwegians from Ireland.

Introduction of tonight's speaker Sheriff Mike Van Otterloo, well liked and respected, has been our Sheriff since 1990. He is the second longest serving Sheriff in Plymouth County's history.

Presentation "Plymouth County Weapons Law" by Sheriff Mike Van Otterloo from the Sheriff's office in Le Mars, Iowa. He also spent time answering general questions about law enforcement.

Presentation of Certificate of Excellence and Appreciation to our Sheriff.

Passing around Thank-you letter from LCIF President Eberhard Wirfs

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New Business:

Sales of coloring books have stagnated; we may have to withdraw books from the bank and sell the rest of them at the Omelet Breakfast in the fall. Coloring books (smaller) are also now sold at Maynard's.

PCC Judy Hankom was endorsed by the Lions Mid-winter conference, as expected, and will most likely be elected at the Lions International Conference in Seattle in early July this year.

Next Regular Meeting: Awards Night on 5 April, 2011 at the Akron Fire Station at 6:30 p.m. with presentations and delicious food.

Next Board Meeting: Tonight immediately following the club meeting.

Adjourn

Yours in Lionism;

Bob Watson, Secretary