



PURRS AND ROARS

**Late October
2016
Maryville Lions
Club
Officers
2016-2017**

President:

Reese Wills

1st VP: Tom Miller

2nd VP: Elaine
Bowers

Lion Tamer:

J.V. Britton

Tail Twister:

Fred Becker

Treasurer:

Bobbie King

Secretary:

Ron Hultgren

Program Director:

Susan Shearin

Membership Chair:

Susan Shearin

Outreach Chair:

Kathi Browne

All Lions are
Membership gatherers

Newsletter Publisher:

Ron Hultgren

**Lions Clubs
International Mission
Statement**

To create and foster a spirit of understanding among all people for humanitarian needs by providing voluntary services through community involvement and international cooperation.

**** WEB SITE -- MaryvilleLions.org ****

This web site contains ALL of the detailed schedule data and more for the Maryville Lions Club. Please use this source for information concerning all the activities of the Club.

**** MEETING SCHEDULE ****

October 20, 2016 – Parents Day – 1st Baptist Church – 202 Lamar Alexander – 10 am to 1 pm.

November 1, 2016 – Shannondale Community Center – noon – arrive early for conversation – Fred Becker to supply dessert and drinks.

November 15, 2016 – Maryville College Dining Room – 6 pm. Gather at 5:15 for a meal using the College cafeteria.

SPECIAL NOTE: Our noon meetings are at the Shannondale Community Center which is handicapped accessible. It is located at 1507 New Providence Road in the Shannondale of Maryville Community just off Montvale Road. It is a “bring your own sandwich” meal with drinks and desserts provided by Lions starting at 11:30 am – Reese does his best to end by 1:00 pm

**MEETING MINUTES
MARYVILLE LIONS CLUB
MARYVILLE COLLEGE DINING ROOM
October 18, 2016**

Lions President Reese Wills called the meeting to order at 6 pm with 12 Lions, 2 Lions guests and 3 guests present. Lions Tom Miller led the Pledge of Allegiance, Reese Wills provided the prayer and Charlotte Miller led the Lions toast.

Lion Fred Becker successfully located the quote that Reese had posed as a puzzle in the agenda for the meeting.

Secretary Ron Hultgren recognized 6 Lions with letters from International President Bob Corlew and Milestone Chevron Awards for their years of Lions service:

Bobbie King	20 years
Elaine Bowers	15 years
Lon Fugate	25 years
Tom Miller	15 years
Ron Hultgren	15 years
J. V. Britton	30 years

Kathi Browne pointed out the colorful new banner sign that she had developed. WOW! She has also worked with a Maryville College student to develop a brochure to aid in member recruitment.

Our guest speaker, Chuck Bailey, presented a brief history of Lionism and the place our club plays in the overall structure.

Our Treasurer, Bobbie King has found it impossible to carry out her duties with her usual thoroughness due to illness. With due recognition of the service that Bobbie has provided over the last 15 years, the Club moved to select a replacement. Lion Fred Becker made a motion to have Jana Weaver act as Treasurer until the end of the 2016 calendar year and then have Karen Fontaine assume the Treasurer's position for the last half of our fiscal year. The motion was seconded by Ron Hultgren and was carried unanimously.

Charlotte Miller said that 40 cases of nuts have been ordered for the fall fund raiser and they will likely be delivered to the Red Cross Warehouse during the first week in November.

Jana Weaver said that she can put a Lions symbol on a shirt or Tee-shirt for \$6.50. You bring the shirt to her and she will have the logo sewn on.

Lions President Reese Wills adjourned the meeting at 7:15 pm.

Ron Hultgren