



# The Urbandale Lion

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**Board Meeting:** Next board meeting is Thursday, August 8, 2013, starting at 6:30 pm in the Shelter House.

**Membership Meeting:** the next membership meeting is Thursday, July 25. It will be held at the Iowa Primate Learning Sanctuary (formerly the Great Ape Trust) starting at 6:30 pm. Address: 4200 SE 44th Ave., Des Moines, IA 50320. Map is shown on page 2 of the newsletter. Those interested in carpooling should meet at the Lions Shelter House at 5:45.

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**Menu:** After the primate presentation we will meet for dinner at Hessen Haus (the old downtown train depot). Address for Hessen Haus: 101 4th St., Des Moines, IA 50309.

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**Program:** We plan to have a 30-45 minute program at the Iowa Primate Sanctuary which will include a tour and a 'meet and greet' with some of the inhabitants.

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## **Upcoming Events**

UHS Homecoming: Friday, October 11

## **2013-14 Lions Directory**

The finishing touches are being put on the new directory. If anyone would like to share a photo of Urbandale Lions in action that would be suitable for the directory, please forward your snapshot to either Bill Kuhn or Bill Shutters.

## **4th of July Activities**

**Button sales:** we sold out! We were allocated 4,500 buttons and here's the sales breakdown: Lions: 3,325, Lioness: 300, Boy Scouts: 625, and Breakfast Lions: 250. Tremendous teamwork and dedication by so many Lions and their families. Thanks to Bill and Joyce Kuhn for keeping everything on track!

**Bingo and Fish Pond:** 344 hours were spent by all the volunteers who helped make this one of our most profitable bingo projects in several years. Thank you fellow Lions, Lioness and Leos, and our leader Bill Shutters. And kudos to our celebrity callers!

Shown below is bingo caller (and Urbandale Lion) Mary Polson being handcuffed (in good fun) by one of Urbandale's finest. Bingo is 'serious stuff' at Urbandale's 4th of July festivities!!



**Directions to Iowa Primate Sanctuary**