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LIONS CAMP DORSET PRESIDENT'S UPDATE **Spring 2015**

Once again this past winter three successful fund raising events were held at Lions Camp Dorset. The mini putt tournament raised approximately \$7,000 plus cottage rentals and the Tall Pines Snowmobile Club and Camp Dorset Poker Rally raised \$9,832.75 plus cottage rentals. The ride for dialysis took place during the Carruthers family weekend, raising just under \$14,000.

Camp Manager Steve has been busy coordinating Lions work parties as they assist in Camp maintenance and preparing the buildings and grounds for this year's dialysis season. The annual work week will be held June 12th to 18th to ensure that the facilities are in top shape and have all the items necessary to make the vacation week as relaxing as possible for the families.

The major reconstruction of the Wasaga Beach Cabin is now complete thanks to the financial commitment of the Wasaga Beach Lions for this project and will be ready for occupancy in the summer of 2015.

Major renovations are being done to cottage #2 this spring and will be ready for occupancy this summer.

Major repairs were done on the pool this winter and will be open this summer..

The new outdoor mini golf and shuffle board will be available for the summer of 2015.

We are in the final planning stages for an addition onto the Recreation Hall. Further news will be available in my Fall update.

We have hired Karla MacKay to run the Rec hall with the assistance of Taylor Clark for the summer of 2015.

The Administrative Coordinator - Dave Goulden will be welcoming the Dialysis families

Thank you to the Lions Family for the continuing financial support provided to Lions Camp Dorset. Without this support we could not provide the excellent facilities for the patients and their families.

Work parties are always welcome, other than the 12 weeks of Dialysis season. Please contact Steve Woolman, Camp Manager stevewoolman@xplornet.ca or 705-766-2780 for information.

The Board of Directors currently has a vacancy and interested Lions can send their letter of interest and a brief resume to me at mariette.desjardine@gmail.com or by mail to 470 Petersen Ave. Strathroy, On N7G4L5.

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