



SPRING ACTIVITY LISTING

APRIL, MAY, JUNE 2025

Activities: “For people who are Blind or Visually Impaired”

**Sponsored by:
The Lions & Leo Clubs of
Districts 27-A1 & 27-A2.**

Each event is free for all VIPs and guides.

Guests are allowed if space is available and may be charged a fee.

Learn more about BOLD on our website.

www.wisconsinBOLD.com

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Wed., Apr 9 & 23, May 14 & 28, Jun 11. Virtual Bingo
Sun., Apr 13 Lions Day with the Admirals
Thu., Apr 17 Board of Directors Meeting
Sun., Apr 27 Burlington Lions Square Dancing
Sat., May 3. Chicken Comedy
Fri., May 16 Suburban Singers Community Choir
Sat., May 17 Bethesda Park Bike or Hike
Sat., May 31 Rockwall Climbing
Sat., Jun 7 Fishing on Lake Michigan
Sat., June 14. Motorcycle Ride
Sat., Jun 21. Lisbon Community Park Bike or Hike
Wed Jun 25 Virtual Family Feud

**Please be sure to call the BOLD Activity Call-In Number:
877-878-3030 before 9:00 PM on the call-in deadline date.
Press the number of the event that you want to sign up for;
leave your name and phone number, state if you will bring a
guide or guest along with their name or if you will need a guide.
Also let us know if you will be bringing a guide dog to an event.
ADA requires that all service animals must always be under the
control of the handler.**

**If you would like to be a guide for an event, please call in to the
Activity Call-In number listed in the activity. This will help us
to be sure that there is a guide for each VIP.**

**Please do not call the Activity Leader to sign up for an event.
Only call the Activity Leader with questions about the event.
Their name and number are included at the end of each article.
Please allow our transportation director until Thursday evening
at 9pm to contact you about transportation to the event.**

**If you must cancel, it should be done no later than 48 hours
prior to the event.**

UPCOMING EVENTS

Whitewater Lions Fishing and Water Sports – Sat., Jul. 26th

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

To all VIPs, Lions, Leos and Guides.

It has been enjoyable to meet many of our new VIP's and see them blend in with our veteran VIP's. The new relationships provide benefit for all, giving a new feel at our events. This is good and we look forward to this continuing.



The new feel is also one of fullness as we have signups exceeding capacity at some of our events. We will do our best to allow all VIP's an opportunity to attend events. For some events we will offer them more than once and for others we will find ways to increase capacity if possible. We also ask you to attend the event after signing up and avoid last-minute canceling, as it could cause someone to miss an opportunity to attend, not to mention create a bit of havoc for us in the arrangement of transporting to the event.

We have enhanced our activity listing format with more complete activity information such as: physical requirements, min/max capacity and event specific information. This will help you determine if signing up for an event is right for you. Some events have some physical or event specific requirements so please read the articles carefully before signing up.

April will be our annual election meeting of the Board of Directors. This year, there are 4 directors whose terms will be expiring. If you would like to be a part of this governing body now is your chance. Each of the directors term last for a period of 3 years. As a director you could be elected to serve as an officer. The officer term last one year. I highly encourage Lions to consider becoming a board member. Contact BOLD Vice President Jim Freuck before the April meeting if you would like to be added to the ballot.

**PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE
(continued)**

Feel free to contact any Board member with comments or suggestions or use the "2-2" line in our call-in system. Contact info is located at the end of this activity listing.

On behalf of the BOLD Board of Directors,

**Lion Ray Tweedale
BOLD President**

VIRTUAL EVENT ZOOM SIGN IN INFORMATION

Please note that ALL virtual events listed in this Activity Listing will use this same sign in unless otherwise noted. To save space it is NOT repeated throughout this activity listing. Times listed are Central Time Zone. You DO NOT need internet access or a smartphone to join virtual events. You can join using your landline.

Join the Zoom Meeting with the ZOOM APP on your computer or smart device using the link below:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88378110370>

Use your landline or SMARTPHONE without the Zoom APP to join audio only.

Dial any number below covered by your Long-Distance plan:

**312 626 6799 (Chicago)
301 715 8592 (Washington DC)
646 876 9923 (New York)
253 215 8782 (Tacoma)
346 248 7799 (Houston)
408 638 0968 (San Jose)**

Enter the Meeting ID: 883 7811 0370, press the pound key (#) and wait to be let in.

NEW MEMBERS

Welcome to all our new members. We are so happy to have you with us. We hope you enjoy the events as much as we do.

VIP's:

**Greg Urban
Adelaide Hoppe
Dan Smars
Alicia Doerr
Michael Smith**

Guides:

Kim Stuart

DO YOU HAVE AN IDEA FOR AN ACTIVITY?

Do you have an event or activity that you would like to do? If so, contact VIP Lion Marty Hutchings with your idea. BOLD is always looking for new and fun activities. We would love to hear from you.



Marty Hutchings (262) 605-8981

ACTIVITY LISTING ACCESS

Did you know our Activity Listing is published on our website? If you ever need a current issue, it is always available there in PDF, text and as an audio format on YouTube. We deliver the Activity Listing via email and US Mail using the formats stated above.



Virtual Bingo
Wed., Apr 9 & 23, May 14 & 28, Jun 11
Time: 6:00 pm - 8:30 pm

You are invited to a virtual Bingo game!

To play, contact Lion Ray Tweedale at (262) 224-5517 to request your large print Braille and embossed card or provide the numbers of your own card. You can also request a PDF card to be emailed to you that can be printed. Only ONE CARD can be played per person and your card MUST be registered with Lion Ray Tweedale.

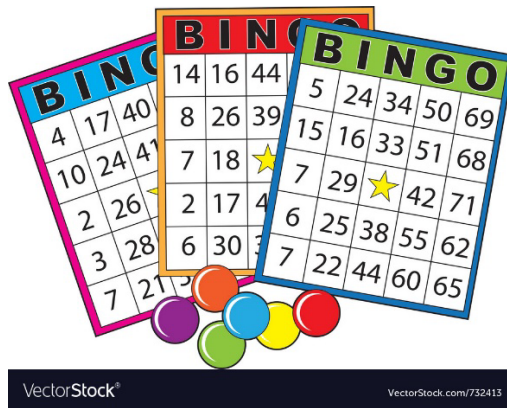
Min/Max Participants: No Limit. You can join/remove yourself whatever time works for you.

Physical Requirement: None. Patience and a lucky card are helpful!

Event Specific Requirements: The Last Number Called rule will be enforced. There are cash prizes. No need to sign up, just join using the Zoom sign in listed at the beginning of the Activity Listing.

Lion Ray Tweedale will be on Zoom early, 5:30pm, for anyone who wants to be sure they can get in or to provide the numbers for your card.

GOOD LUCK AND HAVE FUN!



Lions Day with the Admirals
Sun., Apr 13
Time: 3:00 pm

The Milwaukee Admirals are again offering our VIP's, guides and guests a free ticket to this game. This is NOT a BOLD event and you will need to arrange your own guide and transportation.

To sign up for your free tickets, please contact Lion Ray at tweedale@charter.net or 262-224-5517.

Tickets will be picked up at will call the day of the game and Ray will provide details.



Board of Directors Meeting
Thu., Apr 17
Time: 7:00 pm

The meeting will be held via ZOOM using the virtual sign-in information listed earlier in this Activity Listing. All VIPs, Guides, Lions and Leos are welcome to join. If there is an issue, good or bad, that you would like to bring to the board's attention, please contact any member of the board. Contact information is listed at the end of this Activity Listing. Time is allotted at the beginning of the meeting for VIP or guest comments.



Burlington Lions Square Dancing
Sun., Apr 27
Time: 1:00 – 4:00 pm

This event is sponsored by the Burlington Lions Club. Lots of fun, dancing, and good food. They will teach you how to dance! All that is required is that you be able to stand and go through a range of motion and remember the moves that they show you. So, come and join the fun!

Location: Burlington Senior Center
587 E. State St. Burlington WI

Activity Leader: Marty Hutchings (262) 605-8981

Call in deadline: April 20, 9:00 pm, to Box 1



Chicken Comedy
Sat., May 3
Time: 5:45 pm – 10:00 pm

Who couldn't use a good laugh after this Winter? Come with us to listen to Ralph Roberts at the Memories Ballroom in Port Washington. Doors Open at 5:45 pm, dinner Begins at 6:30 pm with the 2-hour show beginning at 8:00 pm.

The menu is all You Can Eat Buffet featuring:

- **Broasted Chicken**
- **Mashed Potatoes**
- **Steamed Vegetable Blend**
- **Coleslaw**
- **Dinner Rolls**
- **Memories Famous Fluff**

Grab a friend and sign up early as seats are limited. If you need a ride, we will get you there. A \$10 deposit per ticket is required and should be sent to the activity leader by April 26. Send a check for the deposit made out to BOLD to:

Marty Hutchings
4826 28th Ave.
Kenosha, WI 53140

Or PayPal friends and family to:
mhutchings152730@gmail.com

Location: Memories Ballroom
1077 Lake Drive
Port Washington, WI 53074

Activity Leader: Marty Hutchings (262) 605-8981

Call in deadline: April 10, 9:00 pm to Box 2.

TIME SAVING TIP

Here is a time-saving tip that some of our VIP's find helpful when using the call-in system.

Read about the event in the Activity Listing, remember the event number you wish to sign up for. When you call in, the greeting has 40 seconds of what to say as mentioned above. You can press the box number at any time which will bring you to the box so you can record your message. If you choose, you can listen to the complete message.

If you would like to make a comment regarding any events, new events, etc., good, bad, or indifferent, feel free to attend a Board of Directors Meeting or leave a message in Box 22 of the call-in system.

Suburban Singers Community Choir
Fri., May 16
Time: 7:00 pm

Come out and support 2 of your fellow BOLD VIP's as they perform in the Suburban Singers Community Choir. The theme is BEAUTY AND THE BEATLES.

Location: James E. Dottke High School
7815 West Lapham Street
West Allis, WI

Activity Leader: Marty Hutchings (262) 605-8981

Call in deadline: May 10, 9:00 pm to Box 3.



FREE TELECONFERENCE LINE-ANYTIME

Do you want to chat with other members? Our BOLD Conference Line is still available for your use! This is a wonderful way to connect with three or more people. There is no charge, and no scheduling needed other than setting it up with your friends and or family. If someone is already using the line, we ask that you be courteous and ask when the line will be free and honor that. Just call 605-468-8070, enter the access code when asked 8 7 0 8 1 9 and follow with the pound key (#).

**Bethesda Park Bike or Hike
Sat., May 17
Time: 10:00 am – 3:00 pm**

Join us for a ride or hike on the Glacial Drumlin Trail. You will be matched with an experienced guide who will pilot the front of a tandem bicycle while you peddle on the back. When you call to sign up, let us know if you will be riding or hiking. BOLD has 13 tandem bikes, so it is first come first served. You may be placed on a waiting list. You will be notified of this when you sign up. You may come and hike and if a bike becomes available, it will be offered to the first name on the waiting list. If you plan to hike and are bringing a guide dog, please let us know when you sign up. Guide dogs would not be recommended for those who are biking. Guides should arrive at 9:30 am. Water will be provided for the ride and lunch will be served after the ride.

**Location: Bethesda Park
560 Dunbar Ave
Waukesha**

Activity leader: Scott Clemence (414) 467-8873

Call in deadline: May 10, 9:00 pm to Box 4

**Rockwall Climbing
Sat., May 31
Time: 9:45 am**

Adventure Rock has been serving the needs of climbers of all ages in Southeastern Wisconsin for over 20 years. Adventure Rock specializes in offering climbing experiences for new climbers, as well as seasoned rock jocks. All participants must fill out a visitor waiver agreement prior to the visit, which is available to complete on their web site. Go to:

<https://adventurerock.com/mke/>

to complete the waiver. We plan to arrive at 9:45 with the 2-hour session beginning at 10:00am. We may go for lunch after the session.

**Location: Adventure Rock
21250 W. Capitol Dr
Brookfield 262-790-6800**

Activity leader: Marty Hutchings (262) 605-8981

Call in deadline: May 24, 9:00 pm to Box 5

STAY IN TOUCH WITH BOLD

Have you recently moved and changed your phone number? Do you have a new email address? Contact Lion VIP Marty Hutchings with your changes or updates so you will get all the information you need to stay in touch with the great organization named BOLD!

Lion Marty Hutchings (262) 605-8981



Fishing on Lake Michigan
Sat., Jun 7
Time: 5:30 am – 1:00 pm

Note that this is NOT a BOLD event and it is open to people with disabilities in the entire southeast Wisconsin area.

BOLD has been invited to join Fishing Has No Boundaries for their annual Big Fish Event on Lake Michigan. Each participant is allowed to bring one guide with them. No fishing license is required. This event is for people with many different disabilities.

Volunteers actively plan the event, guide and assist participants on and off the boat, clean and cook the fish and handle all the logistics.

The day goes like this:

5:30 am - Check-in begins

6:00 am - Boat cast off from dock

11:30 am - Boat return. Fish weigh in, lunch and ceremony to follow.

Location: South Shore Yacht Club
2300 E Nock St.
Milwaukee, WI 53207

To Sign up: <https://www.fhnbgreatlakesmke.com> or email us at fhnbmilwaukee@gmail.com

Note:

If you live outside of Milwaukee County call, text or email Marty Hutchings after you register to arrange transportation.

(262) 605-8981 or email mhutchings152730@gmail.com

VIP's in Milwaukee County can arrange a ride with Transdev.

This event is limited to the first 30 participants, so sign up right away. There will be a waiting list if needed.

Annual Motorcycle Ride
Sat., Jun. 14
Time: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

Hey motorcycle enthusiasts! It's time for our 23rd Annual BOLD Motorcycle Ride!

This year will be a DYNO-mite experience. Yes, we are planning for a DYNO where you can sit on and “drive” the motorcycle and ride into the wind. You'll feel like you're going 100mph but actually will be going zero. We will also have part of the group doing a local ride while others take their turn on the DYNO. We will end it all as usual with one of the Richfield Lions legendary dinners. The ride will happen rain or shine

Location: Richfield Firehouse
2008 HWY 175

Activity Leader: Lion Ray Tweedale – 262-224-5517 or
tweedale@charter.net

Call in deadline: May 24, 9:00 pm to Box 6
Please specify if you need a trike or sidecar.

Note:

The liability form is electronic this year but if you require a paper copy, please request that when you call in. Also let us know if you are over 200 pounds and you would like to ride with Lion Ray in his vehicle to enjoy the activities.

Guide Dog Recommendation: Guide dogs are not recommended for this event.

Min/Max Participants: We do not know how many bikes we will have until the day of, but will try to accommodate as many VIP's as possible. This possibly will mean some VIP's might only ride part of the route to allow more to have a ride.

**Annual Motorcycle Ride
(continued)
Sat., Jun. 14
Time: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm**

Physical Requirements: The activity leader reserves the right, as per BOLD POLICY, to deny access to events to insure the safety of everyone in attendance. This event requires: That you have good balance and have arm strength to hang on to the driver or seat and not weigh over 200-pounds.

Event Specific Requirements:

A liability form is required and can be found online at <https://forms.gle/pDd7CmnFfGdBamu4A>

IMPORTANT!! The order the returned forms are received will determine the order riders will be assigned to a guide and motorcycle.

VIPs providing their own transportation need to arrive between 9:00-9:15 am.

Remember to dress for this occasion in long pants, eye protection and closed-toed shoes. (In other words, no sandals, or flip flops.) You know the weather in Wisconsin could be 40 degrees or 80 degrees, so a jacket or sweatshirt is highly recommended.



Lisbon Community Park Bike or Hike

Sat., Jun 21

Time: 10:00 am – 2:00 pm

Come and join the fun riding or hiking the Bugline bike trail. You will be matched with an experienced guide who will pilot the front of a tandem bicycle while you peddle on the back. When you call to sign up, let us know if you will be riding or hiking. BOLD has 13 tandem bikes, so it is first come first served. You may be placed on a waiting list. You will be notified of this when you sign up. You may come and hike and if a bike becomes available, it will be offered to the first name on the waiting list. If you plan to hike and are bringing a guide dog, please let us know when you sign up. Guide dogs would not be recommended for those who are biking. Guides should arrive at 9:30 am. Water will be provided for the ride and lunch will be served after the ride.

**Location: Lisbon Community Park
N78W26970 Bartlett Parkway
Lisbon**

Activity leader: Scott Clemence (414) 467-8873

Call in deadline: June 14, 9:00 pm to Box 7



ibvi MILWAUKEE

If you are a diligent worker looking for a sense of community, we may have the job for you!

ibvi Milwaukee is a leading manufacturer, supplier and distributor of office furniture and does customized kitting of promotional products. Nearly 50% of the employees are blind or visually impaired.

ibvi Milwaukee is looking for machine operators, hand assemblers and professionals to join our team at our West Allis, Janesville and two Menomonee Falls locations. We pride ourselves in offering competitive wages and benefits and having an engaged workforce where people are key to what we do.

If you're ready to take the next step in building your future, visit: <https://ibvi.org/careers/>

WISCONSIN LIONS CAMP

Registration for the 2025 blind and visually impaired adult week at Wisconsin Lions Camp went live on January 15. Camp will run from June 1 to 5. More information and registration details are at:

<https://www.wisconsinlionscamp.com>.

You can also call Lions Camp on: (715) 677-4969 ext. 314.

Although this is not considered to be a BOLD event, BOLD does help with transportation to and from camp. After you register for camp and are accepted, you can call Lion Cindy Alioto at: (414) 265-4785 to be added to the transportation list. You will be asked for a \$25 transportation fee to help defray the cost which will need to be paid when you leave for camp.

Virtual Family Feud
Wed., Jun 25
Time: 6:15 pm

Back by popular demand!

We will be using actual Family Feud survey questions and will follow the format used by the actual game show. There of course will be prizes but the real win will be in all the zany fun we will have.

6:15 PM Sign in and starting 6:30 PM SHARP!

Activity Leader: Lion Ray Tweedale 262-224-5517
Email: Tweedale@charter.net

Register your team or as an individual using Box 8

Min/Max Participants: There is a 16-player limit so first come first served and you need to stay for the whole night which is usually until 8:30pm!

Physical Requirements: Strong voice and quick wits!

Event Specific Requirements: Please use the ZOOM sign-in provided at the beginning of the newsletter to join the game.

Have a great day every day!



May



Transit Plus

Do you have fears of riding on the city bus? Does this hold you back from participating in the community? Here is how you can become more comfortable and increase your transportation options.

Transit Plus has a Mobility Management team. The team provides travel training for individuals wanting to ride the bus. The team will show you how to get on and off the bus, how to pay your fare, plan your trip, review safety tips, and use the stations on the Connect 1 route. It is easier than you think! Riding the bus allows you to travel throughout the city and surrounding suburbs!

Do you know of the new Same Day transportation service? This transportation can be used for health and medical issues that come up and are unable to schedule a ride 24 hours prior to the appointment.

Paula Schultz is the Mobility Manager. To contact her call 414-343-1700. She will conduct a learning session on both programs provided by Transit Plus.



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**Deadline for the next Activity Listing is May 22, 2025
Send submissions to Nancy Mueller**



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