



## Naches Lions Club May 2026 Newsletter

### Sportsman's Days

Planning for Sportsman's Days 2026 is underway! We have three chairs: Ryan Lambert, Kim Freeze, and Lindsay Fontaine. A planning meeting will be held at D'Nile Taphouse TONIGHT (the very day this newsletter is being released) Wednesday, May 20th at 6:30 pm. Booth/Vendor applications for this year are now available and can be accessed at our website or by contacting our vendor chair, Andrew Sinift, at [andsinift@gmail.com](mailto:andsinift@gmail.com). Remember, Sportsman's Days this year will be September 11-12.

### May Dinner

This month's potluck dinner gathering will be on Wednesday, May 27th at 6:30 pm at the Naches Fire Station. Our speaker for the month will be Cheryl Reese, education coordinator for the Central Washington Ag Museum. As always, everyone is welcome! Invite a friend or neighbor. We always have plenty of food. If you are unable to prepare a dish, do not make that the reason you don't come!

### Ted Cowan Day

Remember, Ted Cowan's service will be Saturday, May 30th at 2:00 pm at the Yakima Convention Center. Lions are encouraged to wear our vests. The American flags will be kept up an additional weekend after Memorial Day in honor of Ted Cowan Day.

### Save the Date: Summer Picnic July 22nd

Our annual summer picnic will be on Wednesday, July 22nd. The location is TBD (either the depot or Applewood).

### Important Upcoming Dates

- May 20 (Wed) – Sportsman's Days Planning – 6:30 PM at D'Nile
- May 27 (Wed) – Dinner Gathering – 6:30 pm at the Naches Fire Station
- May 30 (Sat) – Ted Cowan Memorial Service – 2:00 pm at Yakima Convention Center
- June 6 (Sat) – Litter Patrol – 9:00 am at Depot
- June 10 (Wed) – Board Meeting – 7:00 am at Cot's Peak
- July 22 (Wed) – Summer Picnic – 6:30 pm