

- The **Vision** raffle – Proceeds to help the visually impaired in the Upper Valley (a traditional Lions International Mission). Various Cash prizes, with a top prize of \$500.00

Because there was a raffle menu, entrants were able to buy as many tickets to any of the raffles as they wished. With the sale of more tickets, we could add more prizes to your overall entries, so participants' chances stayed the same, while raising more money for Our Community Needs in the meantime.

There were \$4,955 in ticket sales among the contests, as follows:

- **Hunger:** 175 tickets
- **Children's:** 129 tickets
- **Vision:** 517 tickets

The drawings for the nine prizes (three in each contest) occurred at the club's December 15th Zoom holiday party. Each entrant was assigned as many consecutive numbers in a spreadsheet, as they had purchased tickets in each contest. Each number corresponded to a numbered ticket, specific to the contest. Those tickets were placed in the appropriate jar for the contest. At the time of the drawing, the tickets were shaken in a closed container, placed into a bowl, and a ticket drawn for first, second and third prizes. Upon each drawing, the number was checked against the spreadsheet to identify the winner. Each winner was announced in the live Zoom feed.

The ticket numbers and the tickets were dually audited several days before the drawing and then placed under seal.

We thank the following sponsors, who contributed substantially to the success of our raffle with \$4,800 in sponsorships:

Summit (\$500)—Betty & Bob Porter • the Wheeler Family • White River Family Eyecare (x2)

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Other—Bronwen B. Lewis

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