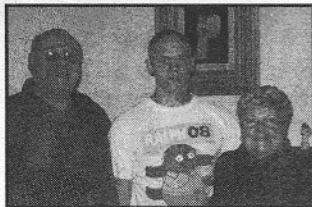


One Family's 1st Hand Experience

Have you ever visited Wisconsin Lions Camp when it was in session? Have you ever spent time with any of the Campers? Robert and Dianne Bayerl tell their family story.

"One of the most satisfying feelings we've had as Lions came during our visit to Lions Camp when I was District Governor [E-1]. On Lions Day at Camp, two blind campers were assigned to take Dianne and me on a personal tour. It was absolutely amazing to "see" Lions Camp through their perspective and to experience their genuine exuberance.

"A few years later, we had the privilege of bringing one of our grandsons to Camp for the



session for children with diabetes. Alec was 13 years old at the time and newly diagnosed with Type 1 Juvenile Diabetes.

"He was able to interact with others who had the same challenges ... and discovered that he was not alone in the world. It gave him valuable tools for dealing with his disease as well as experiencing exciting activities that made his troubles

disappear for a while. As Lions and as family, we were filled with PRIDE to be able to make this experience available to him.

"Dianne and I have supported the Wisconsin Lions Foundation in various ways since becoming Lions; therefore, the decision to support the Campaign for the WLF Lions Pride Endowment Fund was an easy one for us. Insuring that the Lions Camp will be available in the future to give other young people with disabilities a place to grow and learn to deal with life is important to both of us. We know—first-hand—what wonderful things happen at Lions Camp!"