Ohio Lions Pediatric Cancer Foundation

November 2024 Report

Our Foundation has elected a new treasurer. Thank you to PDG Dave Luttrell for stepping up into this role. We have also recently set up a new checking and money market account with Huntington Bank to help our money start to work for us that our Lions and Clubs trusted us with.

Since 2022, OH5 has had 4 approved applications for our gas card program. The Journey of Hope Fellowship is a way to continue to provide families with some relief in transporting their sick child to a hospital/clinic for treatments. For \$300/can be collected over time, you provide 4 \$75.00 gas cards (2 per month) for those families that are struggling to help their child. The foundation has approved 41 applications throughout the state and will continue to approve future ones to ensure that we are meeting our mission to provide direct assistance support to families most in need.

As IPDG Sara Camacho, our Interim Executive Directions stated in her report to the Council of Governors, "As we step into the giving season this year (preconvention and parade of check season), we hope Lions and Clubs will remember our Foundation – while small and young – we will continue to fight for the small and young children in Ohio battling cancer. Where there is a need, there is a Lion.

PDG Deborah Luttrell OH5 District Representative