

The Year of the Volunteer!

District 19E Newsletter August 2016

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NPOV Lions "Down River Days train rides" by Gayle Pollock
The North Pend Oreille Valley Lions Club hosted their Down River Days train rides, which were sold out – including an extra ride that was added on Sunday. They also organized the local parade and served a Cowboy Breakfast in the city park as a fundraiser, assisted by District Governor Glen Barry

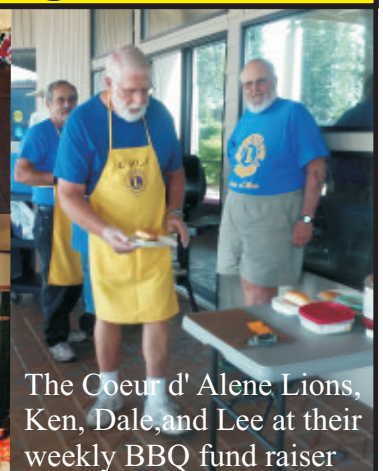
Every year, the North Pend Oreille Valley Lions Club has been privileged to host the Kimberley Pipe Band during Down River Days. The band takes part in a flag ceremony on Friday night where the flag at the Ione Community Center is retired and a new flag is raised. Each year the flag is dedicated to a veteran who has passed away and honors all who have served in the armed forces. The band then takes a place of honor in the Down River Days parade the following morning.



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19E Cabinet Meeting 20 Aug. 2016



The Coeur d' Alene Lions, Ken, Dale, and Lee at their weekly BBQ fund raiser



We Serve!



Welcome New Members

Listed below by Zone and club are our new members added in the month of August 2016 and their Sponsors. Welcome to all the new members and thank you to all.

| club | Zone | member | sponsor |
|----------------------|------|--------------------------|----------------|
| Rockford | E09 | Pastors Katy E. Shedlock | reinstated |
| Spokane Central | E01 | Sharon Stafki | Cheryl Roberts |
| Spokane Central | E01 | Dave Stafki | Cheryl Roberts |
| Spokane Central | E01 | Mark Mashtare | Steve Maggio |
| Spokane Central | E01 | Jim Bell | Steve Maggio |
| Spokane Central | E01 | Donald Powell | Steve Ball |
| Spokane Shadle North | E01 | Maria Escobedo | Bob Yeoman |

To our fallen Lions, our thanks for their past service and condolences to their family and friends, you will be missed.

| club | Zone | member |
|-----------------|------|-------------------|
| Lake Windermere | E10 | Raymond D. Brydon |
| Lake Windermere | E10 | George Lucko |
| Lake Windermere | E10 | Albert Ostrander |
| Nelson | E08 | Earle Cutler |

Sliders Walk by Kay DeFrancesco

Hello to all Lion's members in our District. Congratulations to all new officers, elected and appointed Our new District Governor Glen Barry and his cabinet congregations to all.

Everybody get your walking shoes out as you are going to need them in October for a Strider's walk at the District 39 Convention being held in Spokane. A nice walk around the park with leaves on the side walk and falling from trees for a beautiful stroll. I will have more information next month. Be sure to register and attend the convention so close to home this year. You don't have to be a diabetic to take a walk with us that are fighting diabetes everyday.

Speaking of Diabetes when attending a convention it is one of the hardest times to keep on a diabetic plan for eating what's best for us with all the goodies available. Meal planning is one of the most powerful tools you have to control your diabetes. Meal planning for diabetes means putting together a daily eating plan that includes healthful foods in the proper amounts Meal planning will help you. If some of would like to help or have questions please get in touch.

For more Information contact Lion Kay DeFrancesco at bkde1944@gmail.co

The Chewelah Valley Lions Club is excited to host the 1st Annual



Golf

Romp 'n Roar

Tournament & Scavenger Hunt

Formerly known as "Rowdys R Us" – Same Crazy Format with a Twist!

Funds raised will support Chewelah Valley Lions Club community projects and benefit local persons in need.

Saturday, September 17th
Chewelah Golf & Country Club

4-PERSON SCRAMBLE P GAMES P RAFFLES P PRIZES

Registration begins at 9:00 P Shotgun Start at 10:00

COFFEE GROGS served from 8:30 to 9:30!

FEES FOR NON-CG & CC MEMBERS:

\$35.00/person + \$20 Green Fees

FEES FOR CG & CC MEMBERS:

\$35.00/person

- **REGISTRATION DEADLINE: SEPTEMBER 12th** (no refunds after Sept. 5th)
- **Players will be placed randomly on a team according to handicap**
- Entrance fee includes a souvenir beer glass and coupon for a free beer at Chewelah's Quartzite Brewery, two CG&CC drink tickets, grogs, lunch & snacks – plus many chances to win fabulous prizes!
- Carts available for \$15 per person
- Green fees and cart fees to be paid to the CG & CC Pro Shop

Return this ENTRY FORM (keep a copy!) and \$35 ENTRY FEE PER PLAYER to: Chewelah Valley Lions Club, P.O. Box 994, Chewelah, WA 99109 or drop entry form and fees at the Pro Shop. Please do not include green fees or cart rental fees with this entry (pay those directly to CG&CC at the Pro Shop).

Please make checks payable to Chewelah Valley Lions Club. Fee enclosed \$

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Contact Phone number I/we will be bringingcart(s) of our own.

If additional information is needed contact Bob Graybeal at 509-936-3051.

Donations for raffle baskets gladly accepted – contact Debbie Charron at 509-936-1940.

Thanks for the support by 1st VDG Harry Lippincott

Thank you for electing me to serve as your 1st Vice District Governor 2016-2017. I also want to thank you for your support during the last Lions' year and respectfully ask for your continued support in the coming year.

In the meantime I encourage you to continue to seek new members. There's nothing like the satisfaction of serving others. It's why new members become Lions, and why experienced members remain Lions.

Whether seasoned or new, membership satisfaction is the key to keeping all members happy. Operating your club effectively and keeping members involved is the basis of keeping members satisfied. Use the resources on the LCI website to create a Lions club experience that your members will want to tell their family and friends about.

The Membership Satisfaction Guide can help ensure your club continues to meet the expectations and needs of your Lions. Get tips for planning effective meetings, creating a positive club culture and identifying service projects and activities that match your members' interests. Download the Membership Satisfaction Guide today and keep your members happy and coming back in Service and Lionism.

Lions are in the business of doing good, and Lions Clubs International Foundation helps Lions do more of it. Learn about the humanitarian projects being done around the world through the efforts of Lions and the financial support of LCIF.

District 19-E Peace Poster Contest By Chairperson Margie Walters

My name is Margie Walters and I am the District 19-E Peace Poster Chairperson. I am not aware of how many of your clubs have participated in the Peace Poster contest for youth ages 11-13, but I would like to encourage you to promote this contest. It is a great opportunity to encourage young people to express their visions of peace.

It is also a positive public relations activity for your clubs. Since school will be starting soon, the peace poster kits need to be distributed as soon as possible, so students can have time to work on their posters.

The posters are usually due around the end of October, so your club can pick the winners that will go to the district governor by November 15.

For more information and/or to order your kits you can view members.lionsclubs.org (search-peace poster contest) or contact 630-203-3812. If you have any questions you may also send me a email at tomargie@centurytel.net

A Message from Our DG Glen

I wish to thank all those cabinet members that were able to attend our first cabinet meeting; we had a good turnout and covered a lot of ground. We welcome all Lions that would like to see how your district is run to come to our meetings, I would like to thank all the guests that did attend our meeting and participated. I would also like to thank those members from the NPOV Lions Club that assisted in hosting our meeting you did an awesome job. THANK YOU!

Our second cabinet meeting will be held in November and reports will be requested, please send reports to PDG Kim our Cabinet Secretary ahead of time. Date, place and time will be announced very shortly.

Many of our clubs will be returning to the normal meeting schedule soon so now is a good time to think about recruiting some new quality members from your community. I would think that Lions like yourselves would have friends or know others that share similar life values as you and that have made you very good Lions. These are the people to draw from.

If you are a Lion that has possible thoughts of leaving Lions please consider this. We really need you, your experience and your willingness to volunteer your time and energy to the betterment of your communities. Please do not hesitate to contact me, it would be my hope that we might find a way to keep you in Lions and be a Happy Lion. Call me by phone 1-403-563-4077 or glenbarry288@yahoo.ca anything we discuss will be kept as confidential as you wish.

Remember, no one appreciates all you volunteers more than the ones you are volunteering to help.

Wasa Lions celebrated their 40th Charter anniversary

On August 21st, the Wasa Lions celebrated their 40th Charter anniversary by hosting a BBQ for the community. About 150 people were in attendance. The day began with a pancake breakfast for Lions members from the entire zone who gathered for the third annual Zone Walk. This year the 8km walk was to raise funds for the Guide Dogs of Canada program. Over \$5200 was raised this year.

As a zone event, there were about 30 walkers who had an enjoyable time walking around Wasa Lake. Several members from the other clubs had never visited Wasa Lake before and I believe were surprised and pleased to see what the Wasa Lions have been doing for their community over the years.

A special "thanks and well done" to Lion Krys Borek (Lake Windermere) and the Rockies Law Office who raised \$1050 of the total for this year's walk.

After the walk, a dedication ceremony for the recently completed Wasa Memorial Gardens was held. These Gardens were a labor of love for the Wasa Lions and they should feel proud of their contribution to the community.

Following the dedication, the BBQ provided a time for socializing, good food and some bocci ball.

Along with citizens from the community, Lions members from Golden, Lake Windermere and Fairmont were in attendance.



A collection of photos from the day's activities can be [seen here](#)

On behalf of the Wasa Lions, I would like to thank all the fellow Lions for attending and helping make the entire day a huge success!!

MD-19 Convention by Cliff Miller & PDG Laura Wintersteen-Arleth

Advertising in the Convention Program is a great way to get exposure for your business. Hundreds of Lions will be there and everyone gets a program. If you would like to advertise in the Program for the 2016 MD-19 Convention please contact the MD Office. Rates for advertising are as follows:

Full page 7.5"x 4.4" ----- \$100
Half page 4" x 4.5" ----- \$ 75
1/3 page 2.5" x 4.5" ----- \$ 50
Business Card ----- \$ 20

September, 2016 Lion Events by: Denise Murray

1.) Sat.-Sept. 3, 2016-Northport Lions Club-Rail Car Derby & Watermelon Eating Contest

Location: In front of the Fire Hall

Ages: Children ages 5-12

Registration starts at 11 a.m.

Watermelon eating contest at 11:30 a.m. / Racing starts at noon (long pants & shoes required in race)

2.) Mon.-Sept. 5, 2016-Northport Lions Club Annual Labor Day "Beef BBQ & Beer Garden"

Location: Northport City Park

BBQ served 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. (or until beef is all gone!) Sno-Cones, Pop, Water for sale!

BBQ Cost: Adults=\$8.00 / Children under 10 yrs. old=\$5.00

Beer Garden open from 11:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. / Also purchase "50/50" Tickets!

3.) Mon.-Sept. 5, 2016-Rathdrum Lions Club "Annual Pancake Labor Day Breakfast and Mustang Raffle"

Location: Rathdrum Lions clubhouse, Rathdrum, Idaho

Time: 7 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Menu: Pancakes, Sausages, Eggs, Juice and Coffee

Cost: \$5.00 each or \$20.00 for a family of 5 or more!

MUSTANG RAFFLE-TICKETS ARE ON SALE NOW! Cost: \$5.00 each or \$20.00 for 5 tickets!

The winning ticket will be drawn at noon on Labor Day, September 5, 2016, and tickets will be sold at the Pancake Breakfast! **You do not have to be present to win.**

Contact us for tickets: Norm Heitstuman [normancherry@frontier.com](mailto:norman.cherry@frontier.com) 208-687-1212

Lonnie Morse lionlonnie@gmail.com 208-777-5157

4.) Sat.-Sept. 17, 2016-Chewelah Valley Lions Club "Lions Romp 'N Roar Golf Tournament & Scavenger Hunt"-4 Person Scramble

Location: Chewelah Golf & Country Club, 2537 Sand Canyon Rd, Chewelah, WA. 99109

Time: 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

For more information, go to <http://www.chewelahvalleylions.com/> or contact a Chewelah Valley Lion

5.) Thurs.-Sept. 22, 2016-Liberty Lake Lions and Spokane Valley Lions Clubs "Spaghetti Feed"!

Location: Good Samaritan Society-Spokane Valley Community Center, 17028 E. 8th Ave., Spokane Valley, WA. 99016

Cost: \$10.00 each (5 yrs. old and under FREE) (Bed Race Team Participants are FREE!)

Please RSVP to Kathleen by 9/19/2016 or to buy Spaghetti Feed Tickets, contact Kathleen at 509-924-6161 or e-mail at kburzyns@good-sam.com

6.) Fri.-Sept. 23, 2016-Liberty Lake Lions Club and Spokane Valley Lions Club "5th Annual Lions Club Bed Race"

Location: On Sprague between University & Bowdish **BEFORE** the VALLEYFEST PARADE! Spokane Valley, WA.

Time: 6:15 p.m.

Teams of 5 per Bed Racer / Team Entry Fee: \$175.00

Contact Lion Kathleen Burzynski by 9/19/2016 to enter your team in the Bed Race! Call 509-924-6161

or kburzyns@good-sam.com

7.) Sat.-Sept. 24, 2016-Priest Lake Kaniksu/Coolin Lions Clubs presents the "Chuck Sterns Memorial Turkey Shoot", Bake Sale and Kid's Carnival

Location: Nordman Store, Nordman, Idaho

Time: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

For more information, contact PDG Lion Bob Ekler at 208-443-7039 / meatcutter.88@gmail.com

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Lion Denise Murray of the Spokane Shadle-North Lions Club Honored with Melvin Jones Fellowship-2015

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The banner being held up by E8 ZC Gayle Pollock and NPOV Club President PDG Kim DiRienz, will be at every **DG visitation**, to be signed by as many Lions in each club as possible----wouldn't be nice if we got every Lions name in the District on this BANNER!

The banner will travel to Chicago next year to the 2017-18

International Convention and put on display.