

District 27B2 Conference Seminars - Saturday 11/2/19

- 8:00 – 8:20 am** **First Timers Program** **Little Chute Room**
PDG Jim Noll, will orientate first time conference attendees on the various seminars, speakers, voting requirements and information booths at their first District Conference.
- 8:30 – 9:30 am** **District 27B2 Business Meeting** **Grand Chute Ballroom**
- 9:40 – 10:30 am** **Human trafficking is not just in big cities** **Grand Chute Ballroom**
Lieutenant Eric Freville, Grand Chute PD oversees the statistical collection of data regarding criminal behavior. He also collaborates with 23 Grand Chute hotels and motels and trains them how to identify human trafficking. Debby Suchyta is a member of the Faith Alliance against Sex Trafficking. Kristine Pierce, is a member of 5 Stones Appleton & Stop Human Trafficking of Oshkosh. She is the co-coordinator of the “Innocence Sold Project”. Kristine brings awareness and education to students, educators & communities on the dangers of the sex trafficking industry.
“This is a must hear seminar!”
- 10:45 – 11:30 am** **Lions Major Projects** **Grand Chute Ballroom**
This session will give updates to six of our Major Lions projects. This is a great opportunity to hear how our Clubs can provide additional support for these service projects.
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| 1. Lions Eye Bank of Wisconsin | <u>PCC Dean Haas</u> | 7 min |
| 2. Restoring Hope Transplant House | <u>Cindi Herbst</u> | 7 min |
| 3. Lions Clubs International Foundation | <u>Dr. Sri Vasudenan</u> | 9 min |
| 4. Wisconsin Lions Foundation | <u>Tal Janowitz, WLF Pres.</u> | 9 min |
| 5. Lions Pride Endowment Fund | <u>PDG Geri Schlender/PID Wayne Heiman</u> | 7 min |
| 6. Sturm Humanitarian Foundation | <u>Jim Zittlow</u> | 4 min |
- 1:45 – 2:30 pm** **Type II Diabetes & Nutrition** **Fox River Room (2nd floor)**
Lee Cleveland, RD, CDE, is a registered dietitian who is also certified in diabetes education with the Ascension Medical Group. He provides medical nutrition therapy and diabetes education to individuals and families.
- 1:45 – 2:30 pm** **Cornea Transplant Recipient** **Neenah Room (west part-Ballroom)**
Kathy Roberg, will tell the heartwarming story of her cornea transplant experience.
- 15 min break**
- 2:45 – 3:30 pm** **New Voices Project from LCI** **Fox River Room (2nd floor)**
PDG Geri Schlender, will provide examples and techniques for recruiting new, younger members into our Lions clubs. This has been a major challenge for our clubs in the past years.
- 2:45 – 3:30 pm** **Protecting our Environment** **Neenah Room (west part-Ballroom)**
Professor Elron Pricklethorn, from the International Society of Arboriculture. Professor Pricklethorn provides a humorous presentation on a very serious topic for all ages. The health of our environment is a challenge we all need to embrace. Professor Pricklethorn will explain how each of us can do our part. Lion Anita Le Cleir, MD 27 Environmental Chairperson, will challenge each Lion to plant more trees which can improve the health of the environment around us.
- 2:45 – 3:30 pm** **Thinking of becoming a District Governor?** **Greenville Room (2nd floor)**
PDG Jim Noll, will diagram the road map to become a District Governor. He will explain the training and leadership positions that should be followed on this journey. If you want to expand your personal growth, the position of District Governor will fulfill it.
- 3:40 – 4:35 pm** **Club Officer Individualized Training** **Fox River Room (2nd Floor)**
PDG Sue Selner, District 27B2 Global Leadership Coordinator, will match you up with a “Subject Matter Expert” to answer your questions and/or problems as a Club Officer. This is your opportunity to have a one-on-one conversation with an experienced Lion leader. Reserve a spot with Lion Sue (ph: 920-863-682)(email: ahead of time so she can provide you with an experienced leader tailored to your question.
- Saturday Luncheon – International Director Dr. Jose Marrero** **Grand Chute Ballroom**

ID Dr. Jose Marrero will inform us of new developments at Lions Clubs International and how we can participate and benefit from these initiatives. You will receive information about the global efforts of our International Association that will energize you and strengthen your pride in our association

Saturday Banquet – *Flow Cytometer Fighting Children’s Cancer* Grand Chute Ballroom

Katie Pitterle, will tell her story of fighting her childhood cancer. Lion Sri Vasudevan, will fill us in on the efforts of Lions and Lioness Clubs across the state of Wisconsin to fund and purchase a Flow Cytometer which is a cutting edge tool for the treatment of Childhood Cancer. The machine takes cells from young cancer patients, “super charges” them with cancer fighting antibodies and infuses them back into the patient. This process dramatically improves the odds of cancer treatment success. It is noteworthy that the largest portion of the District funds raised statewide came from District 27 B2.