

 **St. Francis Lions/Lioness Present**

 **Luncheon & Fashion Show**
 Saturday, April 1 at the Am. Legion. Event begins at 11:00am
 \$7.00 donation, tickets at the door [contact; 753-2041]

Continue the fun in the evening, join us for:
Easter Bingo
 at the Legion on Saturday April 1 at 6:30pm
 \$1.00 per card / Win a Ham!
 Cover all prize - \$500.00 from County Market

Refreshments available

Easter Bonnet Contest  Sponsored by
 "Your hometown Team Supporter" 

Proceeds going to a local Food Shelf. Donations of non-perishables appreciated.

Nowthen Lions Club

 **Fish Fry**

Fridays, March 3 & April 7
5:00-7:00 p.m.

Nowthen Alliance Church Dining Room
 19653 Nowthen Blvd. NW

 On the menu is breaded Alaskan Pollock, boiled red potatoes, green beans, cole slaw, bread, cookies and beverages. 

All proceeds will be given back to the community of Nowthen through donations and projects. Questions? Email: jlhbells@earthlink.net **We Serve**

Montrose Lions Smelt Fry -All you can eat-



Eighth Annual Minnesota Lions Diabetes Research Update April 8, 2017

Hosted by the University of Minnesota Foundation and Minnesota Lions Diabetes Foundation, Inc.

More than 29 million people in the United States are living with diabetes—a growing number that includes 340,000 people in Minnesota alone. Unfortunately, that number is on the rise.

Join us at the annual Minnesota Lions Diabetes Research Update to hear from University of Minnesota scientists, who are conducting leading-edge research aimed at both preventing and curing diabetes. Learn how these scientists, funded by the Lions Diabetes Research Foundation, are making a direct impact in our community, state, and beyond.

During a reception, following the research presentations, guests will have the chance to interact with the scientists, learn more about their research, and ask questions.

Saturday, April 8, 2017

11 a.m. Registration
 11:30 a.m. Lunch and program
 1 p.m. Reception

McNamara Alumni Center

University of Minnesota
 200 Oak Street SE
 Minneapolis, Minnesota

Faculty Research Presentations:

- **David Bernlohr, Ph.D.**, Research on the role of calcium in insulin action that could lead to a new drug for treating type 2 diabetes
- **Brian Fife, Ph.D.**, How blocking the body's immune pathway could stop the immune attack on islet cells
- **Michael Garwood, Ph.D.**, Advances in viewing transplanted islets inside the body pre- and post-transplant
- **Bernhard Hering, M.D.**, Discoveries in pig islet research that could lead to a cure

RSVP by Friday, March 24:

RSVP online at www.rsvp.umn.edu/Lions

Please contact Caitlin Ochtera at ochte001@umn.edu or 612-625-8424 with any questions. A confirmation letter, including parking information, will be sent prior to event.



3-7pm at the
 Montrose Community
 Center
 200 Center Ave So

Smelt, Scalloped
 Potatoes, Coleslaw,
 Bread Stick, and a
 beverage



\$10 for ages 12 and up
\$5 for ages 5-11
Free for ages 4 and under

Proceeds to be used
 for community
 projects

Look for a raffle also!

Forest Lake Lions Club invites you to join us for a

BELGIAN WAFFLE BREAKFAST

includes sausage, milk, juice & coffee

All Waffles Made By Coon Rapids North Star Lions!

April 8th, 2017
8 am to Noon

Forest Lake Floral Gift & Garden
 508 S. Lake Street - Forest Lake
 \$6 in advance • \$7 at the door
 Children under 5 eat free • All you can eat!

TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THESE LOCATIONS..

Carter's Jewelry
 BAR Outfitters
 Any Lions Member

Forest Lake Floral
 Rapid Press

Contact Lion Nancy Immel at (651) 982-0627 with questions.

COME MEET THE EASTER BUNNY AND GET YOUR PHOTO TAKEN WITH HIM.



Cedar-East Bethel Lions and Lioness

ANNUAL CRAFT AND GARAGE SALE

April 20: 9 AM-7 PM

April 21: 9 AM-6 PM

April 22: 9 AM-NOON

Set up starts at 8 AM, April 19th

Vendors must have their spaces cleaned up by 3 PM, April 22nd

East Bethel Ice Arena
20675 Hwy. 65 NE

SEEKING VENDORS AND CRAFTERS

Table rental is \$10/table of any size up to 8 feet
 (you provide your own table/s)

To reserve space or for questions contact
 Lion Heather Rickbeil
 763-301-4567

Food and Drink will be available for purchase.

All profits are used to support our local community



We Serve

PALM SUNDAY BREAKFAST BUFFET

SUNDAY, APRIL 9TH

8:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.



Howard Lake Lions Club

625 8TH STREET, HOWARD LAKE



Proceeds to help the HLWW FFA

Some of the members will be traveling on July 1st to July 10th to Germany and Italy this summer to collaborate with youth all over the world on the future of food

Featuring Pancakes, French Toast, Scrambled Eggs,
 Potatoes, Sausage, Biscuits and Gravy,
 Milk, Orange Juice, and Coffee

Free Will Donation
Everyone Welcome

CHISAGO LAKES LIONS

CADILLAC DINNER 2017

NEW LOCATION!

WHERE: Lent Town Hall
 33155 Hemingway Ave., Stacy

WHEN: Saturday April 22, 2017

TIME: Social Hour: 5pm - 7pm
 Dinner: 7pm
 Program 8:00 - 10:00

DINNER: Choice of Prime Rib
 or Cornish Game Hen

No change of menu at the door

Ticket price of \$150 per couple.
Bar drinks will be available.

Winners need not be present to win.
 If you are not able to attend there is a \$100.00 cost for the ticket which will make you eligible to win prizes.

Beer, soda and set ups will be provided by the Stacy Lions.
 Bring your own bottle.
 We will continue to let you know if wine will be available via our Face Book feed.

For Reservations Call:
 Steve Levey.....651-257-2966
 Gary Gerke.....651-257-5679
 Jeff Vitali.....651-253-8416

Name ☐ Prime Rib ☐ Cornish Game Hen
 Name ☐ Prime Rib ☐ Cornish Game Hen
 Phone # _____

Please mark your choice of meat for dinner, tear off and return with your check.
☐ Please send ticket w/o dinner

Over \$3000 Value in Raffle Prizes!
\$4450.00 in Cash Prizes!!

Send your ticket reservation
 by April 20th to:
 Lion Steve Levey
 30010 Norelius Dr.
 Lindstrom, MN 55045

License# X-35568

Big Lake Lions Annual



April 22, 2017

4:30pm to 7:30pm

Big Lake Lions/Township Park
21960 – County Road 5

Potato
Baked Beans
FRIED FISH
Milk and Coffee
Coleslaw
Dinner Roll

Big Lake Lioness Club will be selling dessert!

Adults - \$10.00

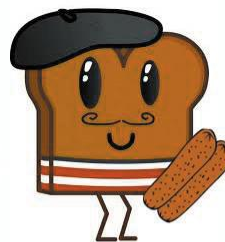
Children (10 & under) - \$5.00

See you there!

Remember we collect all old glasses and used ink & toner cartridges.

Bring them with you!

All proceeds from this event go directly back into our community!



Oak Grove Lions

12th Annual French Toast Breakfast

Sunday, April 23, 2017

8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Oak Grove Senior Center
19900 Nightingale St. N.W.

Ticket prices –

Family \$21*

Adults \$7*

Children (12 & under) \$5*

*Save \$1 – buy in advance

Proceeds from ticket sales
help area youth groups

The Oak Grove Seniors will
be hosting a bake sale
during this event



Albertville Lions 40th Anniversary Celebration

All Lions, Spouses, Guests & Friends are invited

Albertville City Hall

Saturday, April 29, 2017

5:30pm - 6:30pm Social

Dinner and Program to follow

Menu

Broasted Chicken with Dressing/Sliced Roast Beef
Mashed Potatoes/Gravy
California Blend Vegetables/Corn
Cole Slaw/Dinner Rolls/Relish Tray
Coffee/Milk

**Cost: \$20.00 per person includes
an Albertville Lions Club 40th Anniversary Pin**

Cash Bar

Please RSVP with payment by **April 22, 2017**
Please make checks payable to **Albertville Lions Club**.

Mail to Your Host,
Albertville Lions Club
PO Box 82
Albertville, MN 55301

Lion Pat Adamski, President
Phone: 952-215-2497
albertvillelions@gmail.com

**Albertville City Hall
5959 Main Ave. NE
Albertville, MN 55301**

FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN EVENT

Tuesday, April 25, from 6-7:30 p.m., the Lions, Lioness and Leos of Zone 5 AND Zone 6 will come together at Feed My Starving Children, 401-93rd Avenue NW in Coon Rapids to pack food!!

We are also asking all the participating Clubs to donate \$\$ to help pay for the cost of the meals that we pack. Feed My Starving Children is a 501c3. At our last joint Food Packing Event May 5, 2016, donations amounted to \$5,063 which was about \$100 more than the actual cost of the food! Thank You again SO much for your wonderful donations of time and money!!

Appoint 1 Chairman from each Club to do fundraising for the event and to get the names of the volunteers to me so that they can be entered into the volunteer list for that evening.

We are hoping to have GREAT participation for this HUNGER event which would qualify as 1 of the 4 parts of the Centennial Service Challenge. That Challenge also includes Youth, Vision and Environment.

Lions Bill and Marcia Guthrie

Coon Rapids Lions Club

bmguthrie9@q.com

763-786-8072

April 2017

“We Serve”

www.e-district.org/sites/5M7

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5M-7 Lioness Group Meeting

Tuesday, May 2, 2017

6:00 Social

6:30 Dinner (\$10)

Speaker Lion Lyle Goff
Minnesota Lions Vision Foundation

River Oaks of Anoka
910 Western St.
Anoka, MN 55303

Please RSVP by April 20, 2017
Diane Henning
763.427.4076
henning.diane@gmail.com

Photo: May-Blooming Minnesota Native Pasque Flower

Join us June 3, 2017 for the Sixth Annual D-Feet Hearing Loss Fundraiser Walk



Event Details:
June 3, 2017
9:30 a.m.
Landscape Arboretum
Chaska, MN

With your \$25.00 registration/donation you receive:

- Entrance to the Landscape Arboretum for the day
- Event t-shirt
- Lunch (including root-beer floats)
- Featuring the Teddy Bear Band
- Lots of children's activities, games & prizes
- Fun for families of all ages
- A chance to change a child's life through your \$25.00 registration/donation

**Kids 12 &
Under get
in free!**

Bring the whole family for a day of fun for all ages!!!!

FEATURING:



**MARK
YOUR
CALENDARS!
June 3, 2017**

**Dance to the
Teddy Bear Band
while having fun
with Goldy!!!**



Visit us for more info at: www.5mhf.org



Lion Brian E Sheehan for 3rd Vice President of Lions Clubs International

All Lions Golf Outing Fund Raiser for PID Brian's Campaign
All proceeds to PID Brian Sheehan's Campaign Fund

When: July 21, 2017 ● 9 a.m. registration – 10 a.m. shotgun start

Where: Kimball Golf Course ● 11823 Co Rd 150, Kimball MN 55353

Who: Participants are Lions & Spouses of Lions only

- 4 - person teams – limited to 36 teams
- Individuals golfers are welcome at \$60.00 ea.

Cost: \$ 240.00 per team

• Entry fee may be paid on day of event, but must preregister

Contact: PDG Duane Finger for preregistration at fingerelec@meltel.net
or cell phone: 320-980-6219

- Make checks payable to Watkins Lions Club
- Registration includes - Mulligans, Skins, Special events & Lunch

Sponsorship: Clubs or Individuals may sponsor a hole for \$50.00 ea.

(Sponsorship for hole needs to be sent to PDG Duane by June 26, 2017 at
11764 120th St, Kimball, MN 55353)

Non-Golfers: Welcome to join in the fun for \$10.00 ea. Includes Lunch & hayride

MULTI DISTRICT LIONS, LIONESS & LEOS GOLF TOURNAMENT

GOVERNOR'S CUP
4-Person Scramble Golf Tournament

TUESDAY JUNE 13, 10 A.M. SHOTGUN
18 Holes-4 Person Scramble
Full Meal After Event • Contest & Prizes!

Winning Lions Club receives bragging rights for one year and a "1st Place Lions, Lioness & Leos Golf Tournament Champions" traveling trophy!

NOW SERVING
strong beer & mixed drinks

WHISPERING PINES GOLF COURSE
County Road 6, Annandale

2015 Champs! Kokato Lions Club

Proceeds donated to Hearing Foundation, Vision Foundation and Diabetes Foundation Inc.

DEADLINE TO SIGN-UP MAY 14

To support this great cause and have your name or logo listed HERE, please contact Mark at mark@whispering-pinesgolf.com or call 612-385-7181

Supporters of the Multi District Lions Golf Tournament, District Governor of 5m7DG Steve and Lion Kathy, SmS Rob Hod and Lion Rhonda, SmS Pat Findley, Board of Trustees of the Hearing Foundation, the Board of Directors of the Vision Foundation and Diabetes Foundation.

Support this great cause... HEAR US ROAR!

LIONS, LIONESS & LEOS TOURNAMENT TUES, JUNE 13
Registration Form (Registration deadline May 14)

Name _____

Email _____

Phone # _____

Total Amount Due \$ _____ Make check out to: Whispering Pines LLC

Amount to Charge: Visa \$ _____ Mastercard \$ _____

Name on card _____

Card # / /

Expiration: Month _____ Year _____ CSV # _____

Signature: _____

Entry Fee* \$100 per person, \$25 for meal only.

Golfer _____

Golfer _____

Golfer _____

Golfer _____

Please complete registration form, enclose check (no cash), if not using cc, and drop-off at WHISPERING PINES GOLF COURSE.

*Entry fee includes Golf, Cart, Green Fees, Dinner & Prizes.

For More information, please e-mail or call mark@whisperingpinesgolf.com 612-385-7181

Type: Drafted by: Ser R. Haines • 3/20/16/3/6/17



Join us at the
"LIONS OF THE NORTH"
 98TH MD5M Convention
 April 21,22,23, 2017
 Sanford Center, Bemidji, MN
 Hosted by District 5M-10



REGISTRATION FORM

Please Print

☐ Lion ☐ Lioness ☐ Leo ☐ Guest

☐ Lion ☐ Lioness ☐ Leo ☐ Guest

NAME: _____

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE/PROV/ZIP: _____

CITY: _____ STATE/PROV/ZIP: _____

EMAIL: _____

EMAIL: _____

TITLE: _____ DISTRICT: _____

TITLE: _____ DISTRICT: _____

CLUB: _____

CLUB: _____

☐ Check if this is your 1st Multiple Convention

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Please specify any dietary needs: _____

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Will you need Braille convention material? yes or no

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MEAL	AT 2016 MD5M CONVENTION	BEFORE MARCH 1, 2017	ON OR AFTER MARCH 1, 2017	NUMBER ATTENDING	AMOUNT
HOSPITALITY BOOK	USD: \$100	USD: \$110	USD: \$125		
FRIDAY NIGHT MIXER	FREE WITH HOSPITALITY BK	USD: \$20	USD: \$20		
SATURDAY BREAKFAST	FREE WITH HOSPITALITY BK	USD: \$20	USD: \$25		
SATURDAY LUNCH	FREE WITH HOSPITALITY BK	USD: \$25	USD: \$30		
SATURDAY BANQUET	FREE WITH HOSPITALITY BK	USD: \$45	USD: \$45		
SUNDAY BRUNCH	FREE WITH HOSPITALITY BK	USD: \$25	USD: \$30		
<input type="checkbox"/> YES, I AM COMING TO THE CONVENTION BUT NOT STAYING FOR ANY OF THE MEALS. USD: \$0.00				TOTALS:	

"Zero-K Walk for Diabetes" USD: \$20.00 per Person. Includes a free T-shirt.

T-Shirt Size/Quantity: (S) _____ (M) _____ (L) _____ (XL) _____ (XXL) _____ (XXXL) _____

Make checks payable to: **MD5M 2017 CONVENTION**

Mail payment & registrations to:

BEMIDJI LIONS CLUB

P.O. BOX 3045, BEMIDJI, MN 56619

Convention Information Email:

Lion Wayne Tieman: tieman13@yahoo.com

Lion Mel Milender: melmile@msn.com

GRAND TOTAL

SUBMITTED:

Cancellations accepted and refunded prior to April 1, 2017. \$20.00 fee for cancellations.

SEE SEPARATE FORM FOR AVAILABLE HOTEL ROOMS AND RATES

Bemidji 2017



To See and Do!

Tours



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diverse communities across the region.
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Other Opportunities:

**Pinewood Fire Tower and Forest Education
Center**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YJG2uw-9Zh8>

Many other attractions: www.visitbemidji.com

Hotel Accommodations

**Country Inn and Suites
(Convention Headquarters)**
218-441-4800

110 rooms on hold
Attached to Sanford Center

Additional

Accommodations:

AmericInn 218-751-3000

Best Western 218-751-0390

Double Tree by Hilton

218-441-4400

Shuttle to Sanford Center

Hampton Inn & Suites

by Hilton

218-751-3600

Shuttle to Sanford Center

Holiday Inn Express

218-751-2487

Quality Inn 218-444-7700

Super 8 218-751-8481





CONVENTION AND HOTEL RESERVATION FORM
LIONS CLUBS 100TH INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION
Chicago, Illinois USA • Friday, June 30 — Tuesday, July 4, 2017



DEADLINES MAY 1, 2017:

• Deadline for advance registration and hotel reservation. (Registrations after this date will be processed in Chicago). • Deadline to submit a refund request for registration, housing and/or ticketed event cancellation.

REGISTRANT INFORMATION: Please type or print name as it appears on passport/photo ID.

First Name/ Family (Last) Name _____ Badge/Call Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Postal Code _____ Country _____

Daytime Phone _____ E-mail _____

☐ Leo ☐ Lioness ☐ Omega Leo Club No. _____ Membership No. _____ District _____ Title _____

COMPANION: First Name/ Family (Last) Name _____ Badge/Call Name _____

☐ Leo ☐ Lioness ☐ Omega Leo Club No. _____ Membership No. _____ District _____ Title _____

CHILD: First Name/ Family (Last) Name _____ Age _____ ☐ Alpha Leo

PACKAGE A:

Includes convention registration for each registrant listed above plus one (1) hotel room serviced by shuttle buses during convention.

☐ Before January 13, 2017 ☐ Reservation in delegation hotel
☐ After January 13, 2017 ☐ I prefer my delegation hotel ☐ Prefer another hotel

Hotel Name _____

Arrival Day/Date _____ Departure Day/Date _____

Number of Guests in Room _____ Number of Beds Needed ☐ 1 ☐ 2

Special Requirements: ☐ Non-smoking ☐ Wheelchair Accessible ☐ Other _____

The Hotel deposit is US\$200 per room. Your deposit will be credited to your hotel bill at checkout.

PACKAGE B:

☐ NO ROOM REQUIRED (Registration only for each person listed above.)

OPTIONAL TICKETED EVENTS

I/we plan to attend the following event(s): (Must be registered to attend)

EVENT: MELVIN JONES FELLOW LUNCHEON

DATE/TIME	FEE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT DUE
July 3/ 13:30-15:00	US \$75	_____	\$_____

EVENT: DISTRICT GOVERNOR/PAST DISTRICT GOVERNOR BANQUET

DATE/TIME	FEE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT DUE
July 3/ 20:00-22:00	US \$125	_____	\$_____

CENTENNIAL SERVICE CHALLENGE PROJECTS IN CHICAGO

☐ I am interested in participating in a hands-on community service project during the Chicago Centennial Convention. Further details on registering for service projects will be sent to you in the coming months.

PAYMENT: Full payment is required with this form. US currency only. Checks and money orders must be drawn on US banks. Visa, MasterCard & Discover cards accepted.

REGISTRATION FEES:	Adult	Child (17 and under)/Alpha Leo	Omega Leo	PACKAGE A:	PACKAGE B:
EARLY (Before January 13, 2017)	US\$130	US\$10	US\$60	Registrations: US\$ _____	Registrations: US\$ _____
REGULAR (January 14 through March 31, 2017)	US\$180	US\$10	US\$60	Ticketed Events: US\$ _____	Ticketed Events: US\$ _____
LATE (April 1, 2017 — onsite)	US\$200	US\$10	US\$60	Hotel Deposit: US\$ <u>200.00</u>	
				Total Due: US\$ _____	Total Due: US\$ _____

☐ Check # _____ ☐ Wire transfer (payment slip must be attached to this form) ☐ Visa ☐ MasterCard Discover ☐ Discover

Name as it appears on card _____ Credit card must be in the name of the registrant.

Card Number _____ Expires Month/Year _____ Security code (3 digits) _____

X _____

Cardholder Signature _____

Mail: Lions Clubs International Attn: Convention Division • 300 West 22nd Street Oak Brook, IL 60523-8842 USA • Fax: +1 630.571.1689 • E-mail: registration@lionsclubs.org

Please note: Lions Clubs International will be documenting the international convention for promotional purposes. Your participation may be filmed or photographed at this event. Your registration is your consent for use of these images by Lions Clubs International.