



The Voice of District 22-C

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August 1, 2020

"Seeing and Serving the Future with 20/20 Vision."

DG Message

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FROM THE DESK OF

DISTRICT GOVERNOR Ruth Moses

Hello Lions!

I hope you are doing well as we continue to navigate the challenges of the Coronavirus. Please stay safe and be healthy. Social distancing is one of the ways for us to stay safe and the use of Virtual Meetings has served as a lifeline for our clubs and our members. Many clubs are meeting online and by teleconferencing. This keeps us engaged and motivated. Many members may be isolated since they live alone and they may not have access to a computer. Please stay in touch with all of your members. A phone call is very meaningful and hearing a member's or friend's voice may lift someone's spirit.

Since we're spending so much time online, it may be a good opportunity for clubs to update their websites, Facebook pages or other social media. Don't have any social media? This may be a good time to do some research and see how it may benefit your club. Does your club have a newsletter? It's another great way to keep members engaged with the club and the community. Please forward me your club's newsletters; I enjoy reading them and finding out what's going with your club. I will also encourage you to view the 22C website @ <http://www.lionsdistrict22c.org/>. The website is being continuously updated to give members (1) place to go to for District 22C news. I look forward to hearing feedback about the website and any suggestions.

Stay encouraged, motivated, healthy and please stay in touch with each other!

During the August 1, 2020 Zoom Advisory/Cabinet meeting of the new year, PDG Rich Barb from the Silver Hill Lions Club presented DG Ruth Moses with her official DG Banner.



Secretary/Treasurer Corner **Reminders**

Secretaries

**** Monthly Membership Report due by end of each month by MyLCI reporting.**

****Submit District 22-C 5-Star Award Activities Report quarterly, no later than the last day of July, October, January, April. **NOTE: the July 5-Star report has been extended to the end of August.****

District 22-C 5-Star Award Corrections

Secretaries, by now you should have received the District 5-Star XL spreadsheet. If you have not, contact Lion **Laura Salers at ljboat@aol.com**.

During a Zoom training the following corrections were noted. **If you would like a corrected copy of this XL**

spreadsheet, also contact Lion Laura.

The three items corrected are:

CATEGORY 3 - MEMBERSHIP AND LEADERSHIP

It currently reads - "Must complete all SIX (6) of the following requirements:"

It SHOULD READ - "Must complete all FIVE (5) of the following requirements."

CATEGORY 3 -

#5 currently reads - "Three (4) Club Officers or Board of Directors attended the following District Meetings."

It SHOULD READ - "FOUR (4) Club Officers or Board of Directors attended the following District Meetings."

CATEGORY 4 - #2 (a)

Lions Camp Merrick has \$1,000 donation entered in the form. This is not mandatory. It was simply a place holder and can be deleted.

Thank you,
GLT Lion Laura Salers

Treasurer's – Semi-annual per-member dues for International, Multiple District 22 & District 222-C are due no later than September 30, 2020 (1st half of year) and again by March 31, 2021 (2nd half of year).

NEW MEMBERS TO DISTRICT 22-C



No new member noted for the month of July.

Club Membership News

Now is the time to think about signing up new members! Invite your family, friends, co-workers, Church members, someone you see doing random acts of kindness, etc. From July 1 – December 31, 2020 Lions Clubs International has waived Charter and Entrance Fees.



Lions Community Outreach Foundation Corner

During the Covid pandemic and LCOF not physically meeting, we have been talking about a multi-club pick-up of eyeglasses and hearing aids in your Regional area.

Your Regional Representatives to LCOF have been asked to contact each Club. If you have glasses or hearing aids you can contact your Regional Representative or contact the LCOF office, leave a message and we will work with you for pick-up. Of course you can still contact Lion Mary and make arrangements to deliver at the LCOF/Melwood Office

Regional LCOF Reps are:

Region 1 Mary Francis Gosnell,

mgosnelldamascuslions@gmail.com

Region 2 – Ervin Whitehead,

Ervinwhitehead41@gmail.com

Region 3 – Kelley Randolph – Kelley22c@aol.com

Region 4 – Mike King – msking7303@gmail.com

REMINDER!! Please provide them in boxes, not bags as they are too cumbersome for our volunteers to handle and store. Also, please only send complete glasses (no pieces) and **NO eyeglass cases**.

Anyone who would like to volunteer to sort glasses, contact Lion Mary DeHart (301) 266-8074.



The Francis J. Garner Memorial Fund was established by the Benning Lions Club of Washington, D.C. in memory of Past President of the Lions of District 22-C Eye Bank and Research Foundation which was formally opened on March 1, 1957. This memorial fund, established in 1982, would be administered by the Eye Bank and would be used to assist persons in dire need who required eye surgery.

Since that time, the Lions of District 22-C Eye Bank and Research Foundation role has been redefined in its mission (no longer performing eye cornea replacement) and the Lions Community Outreach Foundation (LCOF)

was formed. The mission of the Francis J. Garner Memorial Fund remained the same for vision related surgeries, but was enhanced in 2015 to provide financial aid to individuals who are in need of hearing related medical services.

The goal of the Francis J. Garner Memorial Fund is to provide financial assistance to qualifying candidates experiencing vision and/or hearing loss. The Garner Fund will provide up to \$2,500 in matching funds to assist Lions clubs and individuals to cover these vision or hearing related issues, subject to Lions Community Outreach Foundation (LCOF) board approval.

While servicing your community, think about applying for a Francis J. Garner Memorial Fund to help you in your mission.

Application information can be obtained from LCOF Grant Chair PDG Gary Burdette at glburd54@comcast.net.



Our District 22-C Pin Trader Chair, Rodrick Harris announces that he has District Governor Ruth Moses pins for sale at \$3.00 each. If interested, contact him at: lionman22@gmail.com, or (cell) 301-300-6566.



In District 22-C

Our Achievements and Awards



to the following Lions or Clubs who received special recognition from Immediate Past District Governor (IPDG) Sonia Wiggins during her year at the first Advisory/Cabinet ZOOM meeting on August 1, 2020.

These awards were presented, some in person, at the Brandywine Lions Receiver Hall by IPDG Sonia Wiggins, Past International President Clement F. Kusiak and PID Joe Gaffigan.

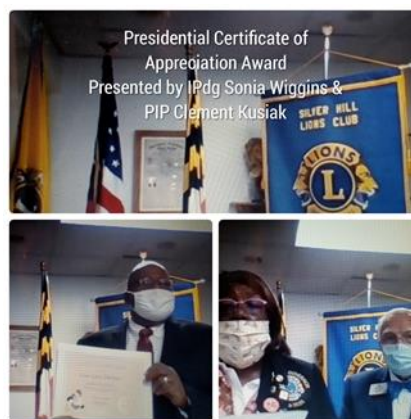
Presidential Medal (2nd highest award in LCI)

PDG Elizabeth “Dee” Hawkins – Olney Lions Club
Lion Rodrick Harris – Rockville Lions Club

Leadership Medal (3rd highest award in LCI)

Bonnie S. Jones – Silver Spring Leisure World

Presidential Certificate of Appreciation (4th highest award in LCI)



PDG Gary Burdette – Monocacy Lions Club
PDG Sandi Halterman – Gateway Lions Club
Lion Marshall Joe King – Accokeek-Bryons Road Lions Club
Lion Larry Shelton – Suburban Lions Club (pictured)

Lion Sherri Hitt – Silver Hill Lions Club
Lion Maxine Hooker – Silver Spring Leisure World Lions Club

Presented by DG Ruth Moses (selection made as one of her 1VDG duties) District **22-C Honor Roll**

James Flood, Laytonsville Lions Club

James Hodges, Hollywood Lions Club

Charles Spadone, South Gate-Clinton Lions Club

Joe DeCicco, Olney Lions Club

Ronnie Cervanka, Bowie Lions Club

Distinguished Service Award presented by Committee Chair PDG Don Beeson

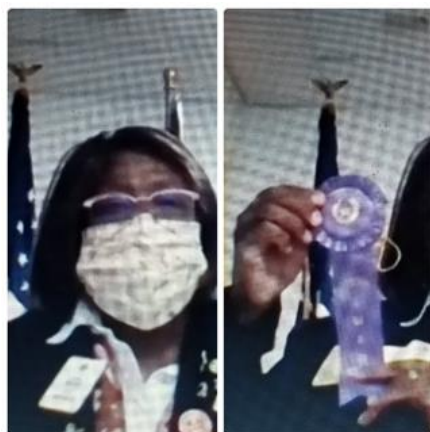
Lion PDG Kelley Randolph, South Gate-Clinton Lions Club

Special Lion Medal of Honor Award (one of the highest awards presented by Lions Club International and recommended by PIP Clement Kusiak). This award was posthumously presented to Lion Addie McBride (Ridge Lions Club) to her spouse, Lion Buddy McBride for her dedication through the years to Lionism and especially the youth.



Additional award presentations were presented by IPDG Sonia Wiggins as follows:

5-Star District Governor Club Award – Damascus LC, Hollywood LC, Leonardtown LC, LaPlata LC, Silver Spring Leisure World LC, Rockville LC, Sandy Spring LC. IPDG Sonia showed the award that will be sent to the above clubs.



Additional District Governor Awards from IPDG Sonia was given to the following for their assistance to her during the year: Cabinet Treasurer Larry Shelton (Suburban LC), Administrative Assistant Sherri Hitt (Silver Hill LC), PDG Sandi Halterman (Gateway LC) and Cabinet Secretary Maxine Hooker (Silver Spring Leisure World LC).

It was noted that the District Smile Awards will be presented at a different time.



Silver Hill Lions Club Recognizes

Deserving Lions

It was announced at a recent Zoom Region 3/Zone 2 meeting by Zone Chair Lois Barb, that the following lions were recognized at a Silver Hill Lions Zoom meeting.



Congratulations to PDG Rich Barb on receiving an Dr. Arnall Patz Award



And Lion Sherri Hitt on receiving the Lion of the Year Award

Message from PDG Ted Ladd

Fellow Lions

On July 30, I received a call from the woman District 22-C Lions helped with eye surgery expenses in May. On 5 May an artificial tube was implanted in her one remaining eye to facilitate draining. A blockage was

causing drastically increased eye pressure, which would lead to blindness.

She said she was in the Doctor's office having stitches removed from her eye on 29 July, and added that it was a painful process.

She apologized for not calling earlier, but was waiting until the stitches were out. Her doctor said the pressure in the eye was so greatly reduced that prescription medications she was on may not be necessary any longer.

Overall, she was very joyful. She expressed warm thanks to the Lions Clubs that helped her achieve this great result: Beltsville, Mt. Rainier Brentwood, Southgate Clinton and Takoma Park. Silver Hill Lion Susan Matthews made a significant personal donation.

Lions joined forces and made this happen. I extend my personal thanks to you.



The Greater Olney News, July 8, 2020 edition highlighted two of our District 22-C Clubs. Thank you PDG William Thomas for providing this information

Olney Lions Club awarded scholarships to four graduating seniors at area high schools based on their community service and academic performance.

This year's scholarship process was coordinator by club members Bernadette Rogers, Wendy Hoover and Steve Bready with input from other members, as well as staff at the school.

The recipients of \$1,200 awards are Catherine Little and Sydney Bartolich from Sherwood High School, Sophia Burtnick from James Hubert Blake High School, and Sehyeon Gwag from Col. Zadok Magruder High School.

Burtnick will study at the Fashion Institute of Technology in New York and Gwag will study business at the University of Maryland.

Plans were not available for Little and Bartolich

For more on the Olney Lions Club,

www.olneylionsmd.org



The Sandy Spring Lions Club gives out three awards

The Sandy Spring Lions Club continued its tradition of supporting youth and recognizing their achievements in academics, school activities and service to the community by awarding three scholarships.

The Club presented the following awards:

\$1,500 to Sandy Spring Friends School senior Meeka McCain

\$1,500 to Sherwood High School senior Gina Khan; and

\$2,000 to Sherwood High School senior Katherine Mohoney, who is the Lion James Kibbe Memorial Scholarship winner.

LA PLATA LIONS INSTALLS 2020-21 OFFICERS

Members of the La Plata Lions Club met via Zoom Thursday, July 14th, 2020, to install officers for the 2020-21 club year. First Vice District Governor William (Bill) Lavely conducted the installations. The following officers will lead the La Plata Lions Club:

President.....Carolyn Rogers

1st Vice President.....Jerry Hill

2nd Vice President.....John Anderson

*Secretary.....William (Bill) Crowley**

*Treasurer.....Pat Wathen**

Membership Director.Bambi Porter

Lion Tamer.....Darrel Rogers

Tail Twister.....Phil Wilk

*One Year Directors...Lorrie Anderson, Larry Ferris**

*Two Year Directors...Connie Burick, Jenny Wathen**

Immediate Past President...Bambi Porter

Director Emeritus.....Jordan Burick

(*Officers unable to connect to Zoom.)

Following the Installation Service, In-coming President Carolyn Rogers presented her goals for the upcoming year. New and Old items were discussed. Many Thanks to FVDG Bill Lavelly for installing our officers in a very enjoyable, informative way – explaining each officer's duties. Phil Wilk took the photos below during the meeting. Cheers to the Challenges for another Year of Covid-19 – We Will Get Through It Together!!



Fundraisers **in District 22-C**



Golf Tournaments in District 22-C

Contact Clubs for more information

September 21, 2020 - Olney Open Charity Golf Tournament, Montgomery Country Club, Laytonsville, MD. For information contact Mike Fekete Cell 301-466-9342 mgfekete@verizon.net (make checks to Lions Club Foundation Inc – send entries & check to Mike Fekete, 2705 Gold Mine Road, Brookeville MD 20833)

October 5, 2020 – Monocacy Golf Tournament – Bretton Woods Golf Course, Germantown, MD

October 5, 2020 – Calvert County Golf Tournament – Chesapeake Hills Golf Club, Lusby, MD

October 9, 2020 – Sandy Spring Golf Tournament –

Willow Springs Golf Course, Sykesville, MD

September 11, 2020 - Lions Vision Research Foundation golf tournament at Fairway Hills in Columbia.

October 12, 2020 - Damascus Lions Club Golf Tournament, Glade Valley Golf Club, Walkersville, MD

OUTSIDE OUR DISTRICT GOLF

9 TH ANNUAL LIONS GOLF TOURNAMENT IN HONOR OF RICHARD LIEBNO

To Benefit American Diabetes Association® Lions Vision Research Foundation, Inc. District 22W Hearing & Speech Action Program Lions Clubs Region IV Zone III (Carroll County) Fund Raiser

Friday, August 28, 2020 7:30 a.m. Oakmont Green Golf Course 2290 Golfview Lane Hampstead, MD 21074 (410) 374-1500

Some Golf registrations were included in the email sent on August 1, 2020, with this issue of The Voice to Presidents and Secretaries, or contact the individual Lions Club.



Contact Clubs for more information

Brandywine Lions Blood Drive

October 1st, December 3rd

Calvert County Lions Blood Drive

August 14; October 9; December 11; February 12, 2021; April 9, 2021; June 11, 2021



LIONS SPONSOR BLOOD DRIVES



Every other month, St. Mary's County Lions Clubs sponsor American Red Cross blood drives. The schedule was necessarily disrupted by the pandemic, but Zone Coordinator, Lion Joe Joseph (Hollywood), says things are back on schedule now.

On Friday, 19 June 2020, Leonardtown Lions hosted the blood drawing at the Hollywood Volunteer Fire Department with Lions Theresa Fincham, Tim Twigg, John Brown, and Frank Nuhfer assisting in the collection of 55 productive units of blood for the Red Cross. This was the first blood drive under the COVID-19 pandemic protocols. Lions confirmed the appointment of each donor and took temperatures at the first checkpoint. At the second checkpoint, Lions scanned donor's card or driver's license into the Red Cross data base and ensured each had a current rapid pass or provided those without with a device to complete the rapid pass requirement. COVID19 protocols were followed with all equipment and furniture sanitized between donors.

The next blood drive is scheduled for October 16. Save the date and plan to be a donor. For more information, please call Lion Joe Joseph, 240-577-9970.

District 22C Family and Women's Specialist

My Fellow Lions,

Hello all. I hope you are having a relaxing summer and safely enjoying the cautious reopening of most businesses, religious institutions, and parks in the state. I wanted to take a few minutes to introduce myself and send a few reminders.

I am Queen Lion Paula Jarrett Nasta of the College Park Lions. This year, I am honored to serve as the District 22C Family & Women's Specialist during District Governor Ruth Moses's administration. We will be

working to bring programs, events, and information to all District 22C Lions that promote the role of families, including the Lion Cubs, and women in Lions. Please keep an eye out for future e-mails from me regarding these events.

I would like to encourage each of you to welcome new members to your clubs. I understand that Covid – 19 has created some challenges to our traditional meeting formats but it has opened up the opportunity to bring in guests from a wide range of venues without the burden of travel. Additionally, our opportunities for service continue.

As you reach out to bring in new members, I encourage each of you to remember our Districts Harassment Policy. The policy, which can be found in our "22-C Policy and Procedures Manual – Approved 3-23-2019" reminds us to be respectful of all members. Although I know our members are respectful and considerate, it never hurts to remind ourselves how to be kind to our fellow Lions during changing and challenging times. With the outpouring of compassion, terms like dear, baby, honey, are sometimes used. However, these terms are best left out of the Lion's environment. In our effort to encourage the inclusiveness of our organization, we should make every effort to retire these "terms of endearment". It has long been established that the terms "Lion," "King Lion", "Queen Lion", or their additional titles such as Past District Governor, etc. be used as the modifier in front of our fellow Lion's names. Let's all work together to make sure these are the only 'terms of endearment' we use in Lions. Together we can encourage respectful participation from new and experienced Lions alike.

Thank you all for your help and making women and families feel welcome and included in District 22C Lions. If you are interested speaking directly on how to increase women and family engagement in your club, please email me directly. I look forward to working with each of you over the next year.

Best Regards,

Paula Jarrett Nasta
District 22C Family and Women's Specialist '20-'21



District 22-C Global Action Team (GAT) Corner

Global Membership Team Coordinator – IPDG Sonia Wiggins
Global Leadership Team Coordinator – Lion Laura Salers
Global Service Team Coordinator – Lion Maxine Hooker

The GAT is a powerful bridge between Lions and the international association. It's a field team specifically designed to connect clubs, districts, leaders and beyond to tools and resources developed to improve their service impact.

The District 22-C GAT aims to enhance the service of Lions in our District and help more people than ever before. To accomplish this task, Lions need to take on an even bigger role in our Clubs and our Communities.



The North American Membership Initiative is a program through LCI to assist districts increase membership numbers within our AREA 1 (United States). District 22 Leaders will work as TEAM to provide support to Clubs with their membership goals.

The North American Membership Initiative (NAMI) objectives are:

- 1) Rejuvenate districts with new clubs. We will start new clubs in new locations and new clubs for shared interests.
- 2) Revitalize clubs with new members. We will help existing clubs grow by increasing our visibility in our communities.
- 3) Re-motivate members with new fellowships and exciting service. We will inspire Lions with fresh ideas for service and fellowship.

A district team is being developed to concentrate on these areas of focus:

- New Clubs,

- New Members,
- Member Satisfaction and
- Leader Support.

I am looking forward to working with the Global Action Team (GAT TEAM)

PCS Maxine Hooker, Global Service TEAM Coordinator and Lion Laura Salers, Global Leadership TEAM Coordinator.

WE are enthusiastic and dedicated to serving our district and YOU!!!

IPDG Lion Sonia Wiggins

22C NAMI Champion / Global Membership TEAM Coordinator

Ready to
SERVE?
Ready to
GROW?
Ready to
LEAD?

**FIND YOUR PURPOSE,
BECOME UNSTOPPABLE.**

Your GAT Team is here to help!

Global Action Team Service Coordinator –
Lion Maxine Hooker hookermesa@gmail.com

Global Action Team Membership Coordinator –
PDG Sonia Wiggins lionssmilesoz@gmail.com

Global Action Team Leadership Coordinator –
Lion Laura Salers ljsalera@asl.com

Global Service Team (GST)

The goal of the Global Service Team is to increase our service impact and improve service reporting for 2020-2021. Our district will be working hard to encourage our clubs to report the service. Our survival as the

largest humanitarian organization truly depends on our service. So please help our district service team and encourage hands-on service as much as possible; while practicing all social distancing regulations. It may require some imagination and thinking outside the box to come up with some projects.

How can you and your club help?

Monthly report your service using MyLion. The process has been streamlined to allow you to report in a matter of minutes. Should you need assistance GLT Laura Salers is willing to assist you. She may be contacted via email at ljboat@aol.com.

You can also help by striving to do activities that impact about 120 lives per member during the next year. Remember our Motto “We Serve”.

The Global Service Team (GST) of District 22-C plans to embrace the service framework of LCI and LCIF and empower Lions and Leos around the District to maximize impactful service, action and growth.

Lion Maxine Hooker,
GST Coordinator



NEW Way to Support LCIF, Text-to-Donate.

Donating to LCIF can now be as easy as sending a text! Lions and friends can now support LCIF with a donation via your mobile phone. If you reside in the United States, text LCIF to 243-725. Remember, every donation makes a difference, no matter the size.



(Multiple District 22, Lions Clubs International)

District 22-C Leader Dog Coordinator Lion Lois Barb and PDG Rich were highlighted on Page 13 of the Leader Dog publication “UPDATE”.



Lois & Rich Barb DONOR HIGHLIGHT A Plan for the Future

When Rich Barb, a Lions club member, was invited to visit Leader Dog in 2009, he thought his wife Lois might want to accompany him. “After hearing the clients speak—that was it! I had to get involved in Leader Dog and I filled out an application to become a puppy raiser,” said Lois. In 2013, after raising two puppies, Lois became a Lion and has served as a Leader Dog Chair for her club ever since.

Two of the dogs the Barbs raised became LDB breeding moms, three became working Leader Dogs: one in Spain, one was issued to a Stanford University student and most recently, one in Mexico. The Barbs are now preparing to bring home their 10th Leader Dog puppy. Lois and Rich love representing Leader Dog throughout the state of Maryland, visiting Lions and Leos clubs with a Future Leader Dog (FLD) in tow and spreading the word about



MENU



MyLION

Post your Service Activities to get participation and publicity! Report it when complete!

MyLCI

Enter your Club Officers! Don't forget about your Monthly Membership Reports!

The Voice

Be sure to forward THE VOICE to ALL of your Club members, friends of Lions and prospective members!

Want to submit an item of news? Email PDG Sandi, pdgsandi@gmail.com

Five Star Award Program

Award form was emailed to all Club Secretaries! Fill it out and turn it in by 8/31! (Include May, June, July activities)

Need a copy? Email Lion Laura, Ljboat@aol.com

how Leader Dog changes people's lives.

Through her work sharing information about Leader Dog, Lois learned how important philanthropy is to ensure that the Leader Dog mission continues long into the future. She had already listed LDB as one of the beneficiaries of her IRA through work, but she knew it was time to make sure all her financial wishes were planned for. When she received an email from Leader Dog mentioning FreeWill, a free way to create a legal will, she and Rich took advantage of using this easy tool.

According to Lois, "The FreeWill tool was easy and took less than 20 minutes to complete. It just walks you right through the steps." She said that the hardest part in creating her will was deciding how much to leave to her family and how much to leave to Leader Dog.

We rely 100% on the kindness and support of donors like the Barbs. You can create your will at www.freewill.com/LeaderDog. If you'd like to learn more about other ways to leave a gift to Leader Dog, please contact Lora Cabarios, director of personal and planned giving at 248.650.7109 or Lora.cabarios@leaderdog.org.



Lions Vision Research Foundation Aim for Sight Sporting Clay Shoot

Saturday, September 26, 2020 2555 Mayberry Rd.,
Westminister, MD

Entry Fee: Individual Shooter - \$70 Four Person Team - \$260



LIONS VISION RESEARCH FOUNDATION "Virtual" Golf Tournament

Our annual golf tournament had to be cancelled due to the on-going coronavirus pandemic. In an attempt to mitigate the financial impact on our fundraising, we are having our first ever "Virtual" Golf Tournament. For a mere \$10, each golfer can make a difference in the lives of legally blind people. This will be a fun event that you can participate in close to your home at a time convenient to you and your playing partners.

How it works: Form your own foursome and play at a

course of your choosing. Each golfer will play their own ball. The team score on each hole for the foursome will be the lowest score among the four golfers. Teams posting lowest score in relation to par receive prizes. **Cost: \$40 for a foursome (\$10/player)**

To enter: Send check with completed registration form on the next page. **Play your round between the dates of August 10-24** and **send a copy of your scorecard to tournament director at coach13@zoominternet.net** (Questions can also be emailed to this address).

Rules: Course must have a minimum par of 70. Golfers should use the following tees: men – white, seniors (over 65) - yellow, women – red. A golfer may play for more than one foursome, but a separate entry fee is required for each foursome.

LIONS VISION RESEARCH FOUNDATION
"Virtual" Golf Tournament Prizes: The number of prizes will be determined by the number of teams entered, but we are hoping to have at least 5 and will be either gift certificates or cash.

The Lions Vision Research Foundation is a 501c3 charity so donations are tax deductible and the proceeds from this event will be directed towards funding an annual fellowship at the Wilmer Eye Institute at Johns Hopkins Hospital.

LIONS VISION RESEARCH FOUNDATION
"Virtual" Golf Tournament Registration Form Golfers:
1. 2. 3. 4. POC: POC email: POC Phone #: Course to be Played: **Make Check payable to "Lions Vision Research Foundation" and mail with registration form* to: Larry Burton 3175 Deths Ford Rd Darlington, MD 21034** Sponsorship Opportunities: • LVRF Event Sponsor \$1,000 • Gold sponsors \$500 • Silver sponsors \$200 • Bronze sponsors \$100 • Friends of LVRF \$ 50 Sponsors will be recognized on our Facebook page with publication of the tournament results ***If you don't have your four players locked down at time of registration, put in TBD for player(s) and email names when determined to tournament director at coach13@zoominternet.net**



Mark your Calendar to Celebrate 100 years of Multiple District 22 (Delaware, Maryland, and District of Columbia)

Planning has started for this special event slated for **August 12, 2022** at the **Delta Hotel Baltimore Hunt Valley**. More information will be provided as the planning progresses.

If while you are cleaning house or your offices and find anything historical for District 22-C, please keep it handy or contact me. PDG Sandi Halterman, PDGSandi@gmail.com

Let's Party!



See life through Lion lenses in Montréal!

Online registration is officially open for the **Lions Clubs International Convention (LCICon) 2021** in **Montréal, Canada** where Lions and Leos from around

the world will come together to celebrate a life of service while indulging in the culture and life of Montréal. Find out what's in store for you at this year's international convention!



Apply for the Club Excellence Award

Did your club achieve a net increase, provide service to the community and promote your club's events or activities to the community for the 2019-20 Lions year? If so, download the application and apply for the Club Excellence Award **before August 31, 2020**.

Club Excellence Awards

Make it your club's tradition to achieve excellence every year!

Clubs that excel in community service, membership growth, communications and organizational operations may qualify for the prestigious Excellence Awards.

Please use the qualifications outlined in the club excellence award application as your road map to excellence.

Club Excellence Award:



Is your club striving to finish the year with a net growth in membership? Will your club participate in at least three service projects? Are you promoting your club's events or activities to the community? If you answered yes to these questions, you may be eligible for the Club Excellence Award.

The Club Excellence Award is more than an

award... it is proof that your club is STRONG!

For questions, inquiries or to submit your Club Excellence Award Application you may contact us by email clubexcellenceaward@lionsclubs.org or by phone (630)468-6828.

Make achieving the award a winning tradition!

[2019-2020 Club Excellence Award Application](#)

[2020-2021 Club Excellence Award Application](#)

Deadline date to submit your Club Excellence Award Application is **August 31st**.

August 28, 2020 – 9th Annual Lions Golf Tournament in Honor of PID Richard Liebno.

SEPTEMBER

September 11, 2020 - Lions Vision Research Foundation golf tournament.

September 21, 2020 - Olney Open Charity Golf Tournament



September 26, 2020 - Lions Vision Research Foundation Aim for Sight Sporting Clay Shoot



September 30, 2020 - Lions Community Outreach Foundation Board & Council Meeting, New Carrollton Municipal Center, New Carrollton, MD (7pm)

September 30, 2020 - Deadline for Semi-annual per-member dues for International, Multiple District 22 & District 22-C to Cabinet Treasurer Larry Shelton.

OCTOBER

Secretary Deadline – 5-Star Award Activity Report, submit by end of month.

October 1, 2020 – Brandywine Lions Blood Drive

October 5, 2020 – Monocacy Golf Tournament – Bretton Woods Golf Course, Germantown, MD

October 5, 2020 – Calvert County Golf Tournament – Chesapeake Hills Golf Club, Lusby, MD

October 9, 2020 – Sandy Spring Golf Tournament – Willow Springs Golf Course, Sykesville, MD

October 9, 2020 – Calvert County Lions Blood Drive

October 12, 2020 - Damascus Lions Club Golf Tournament, Glade Valley Golf Club, Walkersville, MD



October 17, 2021 2nd Cabinet Meeting – Silver Spring Leisure World

DECEMBER

December 3, 2021 – Brandywine Lions Blood Drive

Announcements and Upcoming Events

NOTE: NBC4 Health & Fitness Expo and Melvin Jones Luncheon, date/time will be determined at a later date.



La Plata Lions starting up their Bingo Night. Contact them for date/time/restrictions.

AUGUST



August 1, 2020 - 1st Advisory & Cabinet Meeting – Camp Springs Elks Lodge




August 10-24, 2020 – Deadline for the LVRF Virtual Golf Tournament (refer to August 1, 2020 The Voice for details).

August 14, 2020 – Calvert County Lions Blood Drive

December 11, 2021 – Calvert County Lions Blood Drive

JANUARY

Secretary Deadline – 5-Star Award Activity Report, submit by end of month

January 23, 2021  **3rd Cabinet Meeting – Waldorf Lions Den**

FEBRUARY

February 12, 2021 – Calvert County Lions Blood Drive

MARCH

March 15, 2021 – Club Secretary - Deadline to submit Club Delegates & Alternates to the MD-22 Convention.

March 1, 2020 – 22-C Honor Band contribution deadline. Send to Lions Charles & Marcia Holpuch, 24405 Hanson Road. Laytonsville, MD 20882, (301) 253-6240. Lions.22c.honor.band@gmail.com

March 27, 2021  **District 22-C Social – Waldorf Jaycees'**

March 20, 2021  **2nd Advisory & Cabinet Meeting – Brandywine Lions Den**

March 31, 2021 - Deadline for Semi-annual per-member dues for International, Multiple District 22 & District 22-C to Cabinet Treasurer Larry Shelton.

APRIL

Secretary Deadline – 5-Star Award Activity Report, submit by end of month

April 9, 2021 – Calvert County Lions Blood Drive

April 15, 2021 – Secretary Deadline to report New Officers for 2021-2022 to LCI through MyLCI.

April 15-18, 2021 – Multiple District 22 Convention, Gettysburg, PA

JUNE

June 11, 2021 – Calvert County Lions Blood Drive

June 25-29, 2021 – Lions Clubs International Convention, Montreal, Quebec

Upcoming Conventions

MD22 Convention

April 15-18, 2021	Gettysburg, PA
April 21-24, 2022	Gettysburg, PA
April 20-23, 2023	Ocean City, MD

Lions Clubs International Convention

June 25-29, 2021	Montreal, Quebec
July 1-11, 2022	New Delhi, India
July 7-11, 2023	Boston, MA
June 21-25, 2024	Melbourne, Australia

