

Takoma Park / Silver Spring Relief

Fellow Lions,

Requesting assistance to help the 100 displaced people who lost everything they have in this explosion. Our District Governor is contacting LCI for disaster relief. The location of this explosion was 3 blocks from Takoma Park Lions meeting site. At this point these displaced citizens need financial support for new housing. The local citizens have done a tremendous job in donating clothing and food. For those of you who would like to contribute please send checks to the below address, write on check for" Att. Long Branch Fire" and make checks out to <u>Montgomery Housing Partnership.</u>

Please send out in newsletter

Yours in Lionism

Michael L. Bigler, IPDG

Ellicott City Relief

The main relief organization in Ellicott City (and the one I have talked to and worked with) is Ellicott City Partnership.

Their web site is ecpartnership.org .

They are a 501(c)(3) (charitable) organization. So any donation to them is tax deductible. This is the relief organization recommended by DG Chuck Egender 22A.

Waldorf Lions Club/Ducks Unlimited Sportsman's Bash

Save the Date: 1st Annual Sportsman's Bash, September 24th, 11:30 to 4:30, Charles County Fairgrounds. The Waldorf Lions Club and Charles County Ducks Unlimited are holding a Sportsman Bash at the Charles County Fairgrounds. With your ticket you are automatically enrolled in raffles, starting at noon and being held every ten minutes. Prizes include up to \$1,000.00 cash, Yeti products, electronic gear, crossbows and shotguns (see picture for full list). An "attendance ticket" includes food and unlimited draft beer. A cash bar, 50/50 and other raffles available on site. A "non-attendance" ticket gives you the opportunity to win any of the raffle items listed in the attached picture. Attendance tickets are \$50.00. Non-Attendance tickets are \$30.00. All profits go to community service and conservation programs. Great cause, great event, come on out!

Contact King Lion Art Payton at paytonart@aol.com or any Waldorf Lion for tickets.





For information:

Call 301-262-2665, visit <u>www.bowielions.org</u>, or visit the Bowie Farmers Market.



Social Media



50/50 Raffle

Golf Tournament Registration Form		
Please check:	Fee	Please list names of Golfers:
Corporate Sponsor/Team	\$495	
4 Player Team	\$440	Name
Individual Player	\$110	Name
Corporate Hole Sponsor	\$110	Name
Individual Hole Sponsor	\$55	
Super Ticket	\$30	Name
Buffet Meal only	\$30	Contact Phone #:
Check all that apply: Check	enclosed	Will pay day of event Please put me on a team

Please make check payable to: Monocacy Lions Club Foundation, Inc.

Mail Registration Form and payment to: Bill Jamison, 912 Greenfield Rd., Dickerson, MD 20842 For additional information, contact Bill Jamison at 301-428-8200 or by email at <u>billjamison@mris.com</u>.



One of the challenges we as Lions are presented with is how to integrate social media into what we do as Lions. But first let's take a step back and ask ourselves 'Why use social media?'

Using social media allows us to connect with our existing members and reach out to future members. We can connect to other clubs around the corner and around the world. We can share our ideas, activities, events and interests almost at the touch of a button.

The huge growth of mobile technologies such smart phones and tablets we see today is due in part to the social media and in turn social media is a beneficiary of this growth. There are 1.6 billion monthly users of Facebook and slightly over: 1 billion daily user. There are 310 million monthly users of Twitter; of these 35% are daily users. There are 200 million monthly users of Instagram who have posted over 20 billion photos to date. For all of these social media sites almost 50% of the time they are accessed by some mobile device.

Using social media need not be an intimating or bewildering process. Social media is simply another tool in our communications toolkit, in some respects it is a 21st century version of the classic press release. Like any communications and marketing undertaking a plan needs to be developed and individuals assigned all with the understanding this is a long term undertaking.

If you still find yourself confused about social media, then the following chart might help and we all know everything is made clearer with donuts.



In the coming weeks and months there will be more helpful hints and ideas on using social media. Any questions contact ZC Ken Wenzel (ken.j.wenzel@gmail.com).

Lions Vision Research Foundation

VISION DAYS

Supporting Lions Vision Research Foundation at Wilmer Eye Institute

Dear Lions, Lionesses, and Leos,

Think big! Imagine that all across your state, in metropolitan cities and small towns, Lions, Lionesses, and Leos are standing at entrances to businesses engaged in conversations with the customers entering and exiting the stores. It is the second weekend in October, a bright autumn day or an alternate spring weekend the second Friday and Saturday in April and clubs where dates present a conflict, any alternate date is acceptable. Communities will benefit by your choice. Club members will proudly wear their favorite Lions apparel identifying them as members of Lions Clubs International, the world's greatest humanitarian service organization which will celebrate a century of service in 2017.

As we listen to some of the conversations we hear one man tell a Lion "I remember when the Lions bought my grandmother eyeglasses when she couldn't afford them". As he speaks, he slips a dollar into the Lion's Vision Days collection canister. Another person is heard to say "the ad someone in the family who needed a handicap ramp and the Lions built one". A handful of coins is dropped in the container. Another person says "We had a child with a serious eye condition and the Lions connected us to the Wilmer Eye Institute where she received excellent care". A \$5 bill goes into the Lion's canister. Similar conversations by the hundreds take place at locations all over MD-22. By day's end, Vision Days collection containers are brimming to the top with generous donations from an appreciative public and, all Club members are feeling really good about the enthusistic, positive response from the public.

This visualization can be reality if we energize and mobilize you, the Lions Club Family, in support of Vision Days which is a very worthy fund-raising project that generates revenue for the eye research and rehabilitation programs at the Lions Vision Center at Johns Hopkins Willmer Eye Institute. The only investment required is a gifl of your time and energy. Break the task into two hour shifts. Provide a chair for a senior volunteer Lion who may have difficulty standing. Enlist the aid of your grandchildren. The public reacts to children helping with community service projects, and the kids will learn why pop-pop puts on that colorful, pin adorned vest and hat:

Visit the MD-22 LVRF website (<u>www.lionsvision.org</u>) under programs for more tips on how to run a successful Vision Days event and to access the Vision Days Booklet, Poster and Container Label, Please contact me or your District Vision Days Chairperson for further advice and assistance: 22-A PDG John Cullison, 22-B Lion Pasco Fenoglietto, 22-C PDG Ted Ladd and 22-D Lion Melvin Nacc.

Yours in service,

Lion Bob Bullock District 22-W and MD-22 Lions Vision Days Chairman Enclosed: Vision days Booklet and Poster



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2016

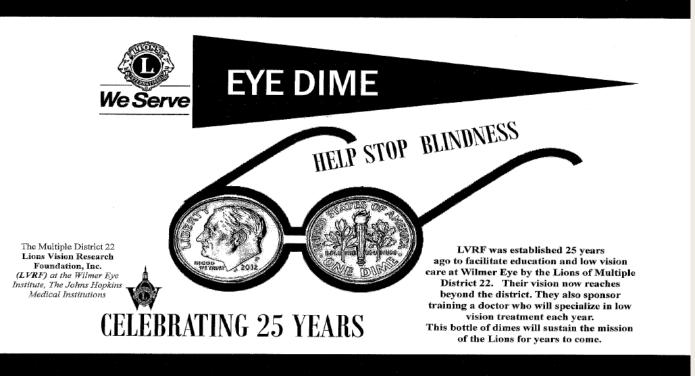


2555 Mayberry Road, Westminster, MD

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2016



511 Pintail Point Farm Lane, Queenstown, MD 21658



Memorial Day Supplies



Brandywine Lions Club

Oct 6, 2016, And Dec 1, 2016

2:30 – 7 pm, Baden VFD, 16608 Brandywine Rd, <u>301-888-1666</u>

La Plata Lions Club

August 22, 2016 October 24, 2016 and December 26, 2016

All drives are held at the La Plata United Methodist Church from 1:30 pm to 7:30 pm. Walk in donors are welcome.

Silver Hill Lions Club

September 27th @ the Clinton American Legion





ATMOTIC NECK COOLERS FOR SALE \$5,00 Exch



Lions All,

Attached is the ad that I have placed in the District 24-A "Lion Reporter". We need to keep up our efforts to raise money for the next Parade.

YOUR CLUB AND PERSONAL DONATIONS ACCEPTED AND ENCOURAGED - THANK YOU

Also, I managed to sell 18 T-Shirts on our recent Medical Mission to Wise County, so please use every opportunity to sell merchandise/solicit donations.

Please give this your widest dissemination to insure that everyone is aware of our efforts in organizing the Parade participation. Post the AD in whatever newsletter that you have. We are able to absorb reasonable ad costs.

Sincerely,

Woody

Ed "Woody" Woodard PDG 2005-2006 PH: <u>703-451-8508</u> Fax <u>703-451-0654</u> Proud Member of Mason Neck Lions since 1996



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All donations are payable to Lions 2017 Host Committee

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<u>Newsletters</u>

La Plata Lions

Camp Merrick

Attached for your enjoyment