## **DISTRICT 22-C NEWSLETTER**



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"WE SERVE"

http://www.e-district.org/sites/22c/index.php

# Have a Safe and Happy Memorial Day

Officer Training / Member Orientation

Calling ALL Lions who have NOT had Member Orientation

You are cordially invited to attend the Officer Training sessions on

Saturday, June 3, 2017
Leisure World Clubhouse 1, Silver Spring, MD
from 9am until noon

You will have an opportunity to meet District Governor Elect Carl Vettel and attend a special Member Orientation session designed to tell you everything you've always wanted to know about being a LION!!

Please RSVP your date and place to
PDG Kelley Randolph, GLT Coordinator
kelley22c@aol.com
by May 12th



#### **Brandywine Lions Club**

Jun 1, 2017

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

#### La Plata Lions Club

June 26, 2017 Aug 28, 2017 Oct 23, 2017 Dec 26, 2017

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**

Joint Blood Drive with Clinton American
Legion Post 259
June 20, 2017 (From 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM)
Location: Clinton American Legion Post 259,
Clinton, MD







# Give a Lions Share of Life.



Join the pride. Give blood.



# Blood Drive Lions Club of Burtonsville Liberty Grove United Methodist Church

Fellowship Hall 15225 Old Columbia Pike Burtonsville, MD 20866

Monday, June 12, 2017 2:30 PM to 8:00 PM

Contact Bill Austin at 301-384-4136 or email oakchapel@aol.com or David Hull at 240-676-9955 or David.Hull@redcross.org to schedule your life-saving donation today!

Eligibility concerns, please call the Red Cross at 1-866-236-3276.

Visit redcrossblood.org/RapidPass to complete the pre-reading and donation questions online the day of the blood drive before you arrive!

redcrossblood.org | 1-800-RED CROSS | 1-800-733-2787 | II facebook.com/redcrossblood | \*\*\* @RedCross | \*\*\* RedCross | \*\*\* RedC



#### Donate for the little reasons!



#### Waldorf Lions Club Blood Drive

#### Location:

Sam's Club Parking Lot 2365 Crain Highway Waldorf, MD 20601

Date: June 12th, 2017 Time: 11:00am to 4:00pm To schedule an appointment:

http://www.cnmcblooddonor.com/index.cfm? group=op&step=2&opid=4782&opidh=9F29132E6598E9F7BC53A853B9132257&idt=42844.3403588

Or call (202) 476-5437

Walk-ins are welcome!

For more information about the Bloodmobile, visit:

#### www.childrensnational.org/donateblood.

Children's National Health System, locally referred to as Children's Hospital, is the only exclusive provider of pediatric care in the Washington, Metropolitan area.

Children in the hospital require fresh blood or special rare types of red blood cells. Red blood cells, platelets, and plasma are in constant demand for victims of accidents, cancer treatments, blood diseases, and many types of surgery.

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# Special Olympics Lions Club Melvin Jones

While his service footprint has been made throughout the Washington, DC metropolitan area, his inspiration comes from the hills of Tobago, a small island nestled in the southern Caribbean. It was in these lush, green hills that Kester Edwards learned of the power, and impact, that local service can have on a global population. Thousands of miles from his hometown, Kester recently received a significant distinction from the world's top service club organization, and made history. As a charter member of the Washington, DC Special Olympics Lions Club in 2001, Kester Edwards has taken that inspiration and transformed it into a focused effort to ensure that community service is not just offered FOR individuals with intellectual disabilities, but also FROM them. His signature projects include dedicated support to food kitchens throughout the nation's capital, women's shelters, at-risk youth, and the local Special Olympics program. Fundraising, advocacy, hands-on service, connecting members in various jurisdictions, and inspiring the next generation of Lions, both in his Club and abroad- these are just a sample of the work that Kester Edwards has achieved in close to two decades as a Lions member.

Kester Edwards' story is one of millions, and at the same time- one of a kind. Kester Edwards has provided some of the strongest global service focus to Special Olympics athletes of anyone in the world today- perhaps most notably- because he himself is a former SO athlete. He is also a former SO coach, international member of the Board of Directors, and currently a formidable sport development expert.

His profile not only has inspired a generation of Lions Clubs members and SO athletes, but also the global executive leadership of Lions Clubs International. In the company of Dr. Timothy Shriver, Chairman of Special Olympics, Inc., Lions Clubs International Foundation

Chairperson Dr. Yamada, and a range of Special Olympics and Lions Clubs International Leaders, Kester Edwards received the Melvin Jones Fellowship distinction, recognizing his many years of service to the world of Lionism, and Special Olympics. He is the first Special Olympics athlete ever in the history of Lions Clubs International to receive such a distinction.

"I am proud to stand here before you as the first SO athlete to receive this distinction. My commitment is that I will not be the only, or the last," said Kester, at the Lions Clubs International Centennial celebration event, hosted by Special Olympics in Schladming, Austria at the 2017 Special Olympics World Winter Games. "I have been a solider of Special Olympics for many years- most of my life in fact. And tonight, I commit to all of you at Lions Clubs International, I am now a lifetime solider of Lions Clubs International."

The Lions Clubs International Melvin Jones Fellowship award is given to Lions leaders who have an exemplary record of achievements over many years, and supports the ongoing global work of Lions Clubs International Foundation. "Words do not capture the admiration we have for Kester's deep commitment to a more just and inclusive world for all," said Dr. Timothy Shriver, Chairman of Special Olympics. "Kester is a role model – a man of physical strength, professional achievement, and enormous integrity. A role model not only because of the service he provides to others, but also because he is as a great colleague, dear friend, and strong advocate for change."

Kester continues to support his community by way of a range of projects, and has most recently been identified by Special Olympics and Lions Clubs International as a key driver of the youth activation work underway with Leos throughout the world.

"I have been blessed," said Kester at the Centennial event. "More athletes should be given the opportunity to serve, and that is now my mission: to make sure that I am but the first of many. That is inclusion in action."

David S. Evangelista President and Managing Director, Special Olympics Europe-Eurasia









## **PITCH CARD PARTY**

**BEGINNERS WELCOME** 

JOIN US FOR A NIGHT OF FUN PLAYING PITCH



When: Friday – Jun 2/Jul 7/Aug 4/Sep 1, 2017

Doors open 6:30PM - Game begins 7:30PM
Entrance Fee: \$10.00 to include one free hot dog
and chips per person

Food Available, Door Prizes, 50/50 raffle. Everyone goes home with a "PRIZE"!

Where:

Knights of Columbus Hall 16441 Three Notch Rd Ridge, MD 20680 For information contact: Bobbie Bell: (301) 872-5114 Terri Kaftan: (240) 538-2818

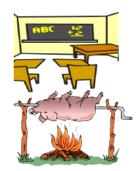
HELP US TO SERVE THOSE LESS FORTUNATE IN OUR COMMUNITY SPONSORED BY THE RIDGE LIONS CLUB

Facebook - https://www.facebook.com/RidgeLionsClub



## LVRF ORIENTATION AND BBQ

For FVDG, SVDG, VDG Candidates, Current and New Trustees, District LVRF Chairs, ALL Interested Lions



Goals to Advance the LVRF Mission

Policy and Procedure

Development Past, Present and Future

Newsletter

Website

Donation & Recognition Request Forms

LOVRNET

Lions Low Vision Fellowship Endowment

#### Saturday, June 3, 2017 1:00 p.m.

Timmons' Residence, 724 Pensinger Road, Greencastle PA 17225 RSVP: 717-597-4500 by: May 29, 2017

COST: FREE





St. Mary's County Fair Grounds 2 MILES SOUTH OF LEONARDTOWN ON MD RTE. 5

# **SATURDAY JUNE 10TH, 2017**

NOON - 8:00 P.M. (RAIN OR SHINE)

#### Eat Crabs At Their Best

CATERERS-

BAILEY'S OLDE BRETON INN . SANDGATES CRAB HOUSE CRABBY HOG CATERING . BELLS OF ST. MARY'S ICE CREAM CRABBY CORN KETTLE CORN • GUY DISTRIBUTING WAYNE COPSEY SEAFOOD . JILLIAN'S FAIR LEMONADE LEXINGTON PARK LIONS SNOW CONES

INDOOR SEATING AVAILABLE

- . LIVE MUSIC FROM NOON TO 8:00 PM
- FREE VISION & HEARING SCREENING



· ARTS & CRAFTS · CLASSIC CAR SHOW

GATE ADMISSION: \$5.00 per person/children under 12 FREE

OOD ADDITIONAL

SPONSORED BY: Leonardtown Lions Club, Inc. Chartered 1940

www.StMarysCrabFestival.com







#### **Bus Trip to Harrington** Raceway and Slots

Sponsored By

La Plata Lions Club

When: June 14, 2017

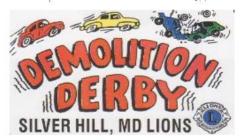
Where: Bus Leaves La Plata Safeway Parking Lot (Between the gas station and Applebee's) at 9:00am with an additional pickup at the Charles County Mall (Parking lot at the rear entrance to JC Penney's Store) at 9:20am. Bus departs from Harrington at 5:00pm.

Cost: \$35.00 per person (\$15.00 "free play cash" & \$7.00 toward the Lunch Buffet given by Harrington Slots) For Reservations Please Call 301-934-4203 or email jburick1@verizon.net (Reservations and payment due by June 4, 2017)

> Proceeds will be used to support La Plata Lions' Projects



# CHAQS AT THE CREEK



# IN CASH & PRIZES FOR THE TWO

Silver Hill Lions Foundation, Inc. Presents: Potomac Speedway @ Budd's Creek, MD www.potomacspeedway.com

2017 Dates: June 17th & 24th and September 9th & 16th



Silver Hill Lions Foundation, Inc. 2017 Derby

1-888-44-DERBY





#### MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Lions Camp Merrick's Lions Appreciation Day! Date: June 25, 2017

Time: 11a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

LCM invites you and your families to come enjoy the camp and see where the children you support are attending. Please bring your swimsuit and enjoy our pool, if you like to fish, bring your gear, the pier is waiting! Bring your sneakers and comfortable clothes so you can hike the trails, play ball, climb the wall or do the zip line!

We are cooking for you so PLEASE let us know if you will be attending Phone: 301-870-5858

E-mail: Info@lionscampmerrick.org



Come and bring the family for a **ROARING GOOD TIME!**  Direction to LCM

From 295

Take 295 SOUTH and exit at Route 210, Indian Head Highway SOUTH.
Go 18 miles on Route 210 into Charles County and turn LEFT onto Route 225.
Go to the next LIGHT and turn RIGHT onto Route 224, then a quick LEFT onto Route 425.
Go 12.5 miles to the second STOP SIGN, and turn LEFT, onto Route 6 (the first stop sign is also Route 6 but go through Ji. Go 1.5 miles and turn RIGHT onto Maryland Point Road, at next stop turn LEFT onto Rivers of the River

From 301

Route 301 SOUTH to La Plata, turn RIGHT onto Route 6. onto Route 6. Go 10 miles and turn LEFT onto Durham Church Road. At 2<sup>nd</sup> STOP sign, turn LEFT

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turn LEFT onto Riverside Road.





Proceeds from this Golf Classic will benefit various community projects



Follow us on Facebook: "Burtons ville Lions

Website: e-clubhouse.org/sites/burtonsville

WHEN:

Friday, June 9, 2017

WHERE:

Hampshire Greens Golf Course 616 Firestone Dr. Silver Spring, MD 20905

WHY:

To benefit the charitable efforts of the Burtonsville Lions Club

DRESS CODE:

Golf shirts with collars No denim shorts

#### TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE:

Sign up Continental Breakfast

9:00 AM

Shotgun start Prize holes

After Golf:

Lunch Buffet Awards Ceremony 50-50 Raffle

\$600

#### **Burtonsville Lions Club Charity Foundation Golf Classic**

June 9, 2017

Hampshire Greens Golf Course Silver Spring, MD



For more information contact Mike Shavatt: 301-452-3353 burtonsvillelions@gmail.com





#### **HOW TO PARTICIPATE**

Platinum Sponsor Four (4) player positions Name & logo on Banner Award Presentation Featured on Club Website

Gold Sponsor Two (2) player positions Name & logo on Banner Award Presentation

Featured on Club Website

Tee/Green Sponsor. Sign placed at a designated tee

Individual Player .. Green fees

Golf Cart Continental Breakfast Lunch Awards Presentation

Note: Registrations may not be replaced or exchanged for any reason

Full refund in the event of cancellation Ticket for new date in the case of postpo

#### OTHER SPONSORSHIPS

Putting Contest Sponsor (1 available)... Putting Contest Sponsor Signage Logo listed on event day sponsor board Special recognition at golf event

Beverage Cart Sponsor (2 available). Beverage Cart Sponsor Signage Logo listed on event day sponsor board Special recognition at golf event

Mens Longest Drive Sponsor... Sponsor recognition sign at contest hole Mens longest drive award presentation Logo listed on event day sponsor board Special recognition at golf event

Ladies Longest Drive Sponsor. Sponsor recognition sign at contest hole Ladies longest drive award presentation Logo listed on event day sponsor board Special recognition at golf event

#### REGISTRATION

Participation is limited to 144 golfers

Name	
Company	
Stroot Address	

City, State, Zip

Email Platinum Sponsor (\$1100) Gold Sponsor (\$600) Tee/Green Sponsor (\$150) Individual Player (\$120) Putting Contest (\$250) Beverage Cart (\$500) Men's Longest Drive (\$250) Ladies Longest Drive (\$250) Closest to Pin (\$250)

TOTAL	ENCL	OSED

Make checks payable to: Burtonsville Lions Foundation

Burtonsville Lions Club P.O. Box 55 Burtonsville, MD 20866

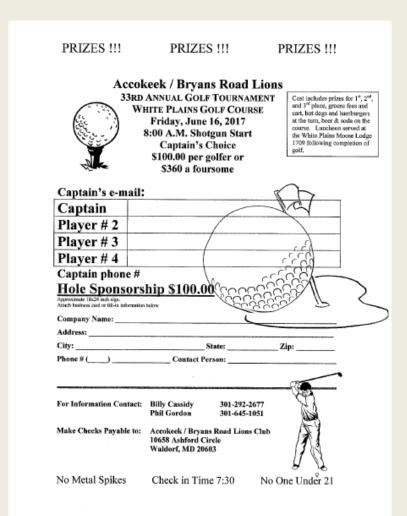
I Would like my foursome to include:

Name/email

Name/email

Name/email









#### THE NATIONAL MEMORIAL DAY PARADE

#### AGREEMENT OF RELEASE

The National Memorial Day Parade C/o American Veterans Center 1100 North Glebe Road Suite 910 Arlington, VA 22201



The undersigned will appear in the National Memorial Day Parade being produced by the American Veterans Center on Monday, May 29, 2017. The parade is being given as a public service.

I assume any and all risks associated with participating in the events and particular activities that I agree to undertake, including but not limited to negligent or reckless acts by other participants and volunteers, all such risks being known and appreciated by me. I also agree to abide by the rules of the events as set forth by designated officials and supervisors.

Knowing these facts, and in consideration for being permitted to participate in the parade, I hereby, for myself, and on behalf of the members of my organization and my heirs, executors, administrators, successors, assigns, or anyone else who might claim on my behalf, covenant not to sue, and waive release and discharge the American Veterans Center, The District of Columbia, The National Park Service, JM Best Entertainment Inc., Under the Sun Productions Inc., any and all parade sponsors, and each of them, their officials, agents, designated event supervisory personnel or anyone acting for or on their behalf, from any and all losses, costs (including without limitation, litigation costs, and attorney fees), claims, damages, suits, actions, demands, liability, and expenses in connection with loss of life, personal injury and/or property damage of any kind whatsoever, in law or in equity, arising out of or in the course of my participation in the event.

The undersigned does hereby release his/her voice, biography, audio/visual clips and likeness(es) solely in connection with the promotion, advertising for this year and subsequent festivals, and archival use of the Parade (including print, radio, television, Veterans Center the right to broadcast, and /or to authorize others to broadcast, via radio, television, cable television, Internet, or otherwise. Clips provided that any such broadcast will be solely for purposes of promoting the Parade. Undersigned acknowledges and agrees that prior to, during or after the Parade, producers may, but will not be obligated to, disseminate information and various materials concerning the Event via the Internet, various online services or through other means or

The undersigned hereby accepts sole responsibility for the conduct and operation in the parade. The undersigned agrees that he/she/it will not involve or conduct itself in any manner that would negatively impact the good reputation of the parade. The undersigned agrees to be legally bound hereby.

Name:		
Name of Organization:	LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL	
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Date:		
Signature:		
	(Parental signature required, if under 18 years of age)	





#### 2017 NATIONAL MEMORIAL DAY REGISTRATION FORM

Title (Lion, PDG, etc.)		First Name			Last Name		
District		Name of Club	þ		Email Address	Email Address	
Cell Phone (to commu	unicate at parade)			anch of Service if Veter	70		
Please chec	k with an "	x" the boxes	in the line be	low which a	apply:		
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(For details and Notes:	prices, see note 5	)	Number Siz	•	Number		

- The National International Pay Finance Described Programmer American Veterans Center.

  Lions Clubs of Multiple District 22 (Maryland, Delaware and Washington, D. C. and Multiple District 24 (Virginia)

- American Veterans Center.

  2. Lions Clubs of Multiple District 22 (Maryland, Delaware and Washington, D. C. and Multiple District 24 (Virginia) are participating.

  3. You may download the Registration Form and fill in the form on your computer using highlighting when choosing items you wish to purchase. You can fill in the Agreement of Release except for the signature and then print it out for signing, (see note 13)

  4. Uniform of the Day Special yellow T-Shirts and black pants or shorts should be worn by all participants veterans will wear the provided red, white and blue sashes. LEOs may also wear official LEO Shirts.

  5. T-shirts are available in sizes 5 thru SYL. @ 310 each; Particit Neck Coolers @ 55 and backpacks (reflective) @ \$10. A set of T-shirt and backpacks is variable) @ \$15: a set of all 3 is available @ 35: a set of all 3 is available @ 55: a set of all 3 is

- 14. France feature and element of Refease to Loop Bin Strauss, 1025 Francis Scott Key Rwy, Keymar, 810, 21767
   9319. An executed release is required to march in the parade.
   15. You will be contacted by e-mail to keep you informed on all matters pertaining to the parade which emerge between now and Memorial Day.

There is a significant schedule change that LCI CON wanted to share with Lions. **The International Show will now be two shows on two nights, Saturday July 1 and Monday, July 3.** 

- July 1, 6:00 7:30 p.m. "The Beach Boys"
- July 3, 5:30 7:00 p.m. "Chicago"

Our Centennial Convention in Chicago is going to be the celebration of the century, and we need your help to make it a success. We ask that you share a special Centennial Convention video with clubs in your area. There are three ways to share it:

- YouTube link The YouTube video includes language subtitles which can be selected using the "CC" (closed captioning). You will need an Internet connection to play the video.
- Video download The video is available in **English only**. Once downloaded, you can view the video offline.
- <u>Facebook link</u> Facebook video includes automatic subtitles based on your browser's language setting. You will need an Internet connection to play the video.

It's a fun, high energy video that captures the excitement of Chicago, the birthplace of Lions. Share it with your Lions today!

Lion Stephen Finger | Past District Governor LaVale Lions Club, MD-22 Int'l. Conv. Comm.

206 Forest DR LaVale MD 21502-1911 (301) 722-3014 (h) | (301) 697-0424 (c) sfinger@atlanticbb.net

> Lions District 22-W Sponsored Bus Trip to the Lions Clubs International Convention June 29 to July 5, 2017



The Lions of District 22-W are sponsoring a Bus Trip to Chicago for the Lion Clubs International Convention. Seats are still available for MD 22 Lions and guests.

Departure: Lions and guests will depart from Frederick, MD on Thursday morning, June 29<sup>th</sup> and will arrive that evening at the Hyatt Regency Chicago Hotel.

Return: Lions and guests will depart Chicago from the Hyatt Regency Hotel on Wednesday morning, July 5 and arrive back in Frederick late that evening.

Cost: The cost is \$284 per person. This price covers only the cost of bus transportation to and from Chicago. Hotel costs and Convention registration fees are extra

The trip should take approximately 12 hours. The bus will be stopping every couple of hours to stretch and for meals. Drinks and snacks will also be available on the bus.

Reservations and payment must be received by May 1, 2017.

For more information or to make a reservation, please contact:

PDG Marion Carmack

Tel: 301-662-4689 (H) or 240-285-2485 (C)

E-Mail: mdc@carmackig.com



### MID-ATLANTIC BREAKFAST AT LCI'S 100TH CONVENTION — TICKET ODDED FORM -

LIONS OF MD-14 PENNSYLVANIA; MD-16 NEW JERSEY; MD-22 MARYLAND, DELAWARE AND THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA; AND MD-29 WEST VIRGINIA

HYATT REGENCY CHICAGO, 151 East Wacker, Chicago, IL 60601, REGENCY A-B BALLROOM SATURDAY, JULY 1, 2017 – 7:00 AM - 8:15 AM

- The menu will consist of a plated hot breakfast with Scrambled Eggs, Smoked Bacon, Breakfast
  Potatoes, assorted Breakfast Pastries, Butter and Jams preset in center of tables, Coffee, Decaf and hot
  and iced tea.
- Price is \$44.00/person
- Reservations and Checks should be made payable to "Lions MD-22 Intl. Conv. Comm." with "Mid Atlantic Breakfast" on the subject line. Mail to PDG Stephen Finger, 206 Forest DR, LaVale MD 21502-1911
- MD-22 received 100 tickets initially. Once our allotted tickets are sold, we will compile a Waiting List
  and collect the money from the Lions on that Waiting List.

Name	Club	District	Address	e-mail	phone	No. of tickets	Amount Paid
			3		9		

# SERVE Where It All Started!

Add deeper meaning to your LCICon experience by participating in hands-on service projects benefiting Chicago's underserved.

Friday, June 30th | 9:00am-11:45am

- Serve with Lions and Leos from around the world
- Transportation, a commemorative t-shirt and refreshments included

## How You'll Serve

Pre-registration along with a \$25 non-refundable payment is required.

**SPACE IS LIMITED!** 

REGISTER NOW

Friday, June 30th | 8:30am-10:30am

https://registration.lionsclubs.or



# 2017 CONVENTION IN CHICAGO

Join Lions and Leos from around the world in doing what we do best – service!

#### **GET STARTED**

From urban gardening to hygiene kit assembly, there are many ways for you to give back while at LCICon. Make your convention experience meaningful by adding a service project to your agenda!

• Explore Chicago neighborhoods





