DISTRICT 22-C NEWSLETTER



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"WE SERVE"

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

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 Montgomery Housing Partnership.

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.

District Governor Visits

October 4 - Damascus - Charter Night

October 11 - Washington CH - AM

October 12 - Olney/ Sandy Springs

October 17 - Silver Spring LE SURE WORLD

October 20 - Washington M DTOWN

October 24 - Monocacy

October 25 - Potomac

November 7 - Bowie

November 9 - Beltsville

November 14 - Hollywood

November 15 - Montgomery Central-Derwood

November 17 - Suburban

December 14 - Silver Hill



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 users. 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).

THEmenu and info for the Cabinet meeting October 8, 2016

Cabinet meeting location: Brandywine Lions Den 11501 Cherry Tree Crossing Road (& Rt. 301) Cheltenham MD 20623

Social @ 11:30 am

Lunch @ 12:00pm

Send RSVP to: Lion Sonia Wiggins lion2sweet@gmail.com or call 301-876-4424 (home) Lion Sonia Wiggins District 22C Administrative Assistant Look forward to seeing you there.

NOTE: If you have received this email and not an attendee for this meeting Please consider this an FYI.

MENU

Lasagna and Eggplant Parmesan Salad / Rolls Dessert Coffee

The cost is \$25.00 pp Please RSVP by October 5th if you have not already done so.

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 "I had 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 enthusiastic, 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 Wilmer Eye Institute. The only investment required is a gift 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 (www.lionsvision.org) under programs for more tips on how to run a successful Vision Days event and to access the Vison 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 Nace.

Yours in service.

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

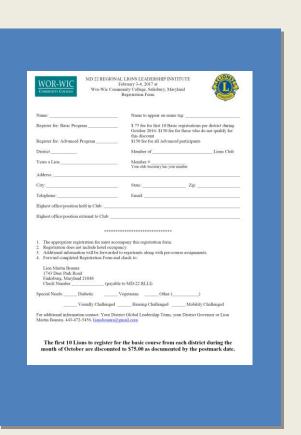




2555 Mayberry Road, Westminster, MD

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2016







SAVE THE DATE

MD22 Regional Lions Leadership Institute. Friday, February 3 and Saturday, February 4, 2017 at Wor-Wic Community College in Salisbury, Maryland.

Memorial Day Supplies



LIONS, YOUR HELP IS NEEDED TO SUPPORT OUR PARTICIPATION IN THE "NATIONAL MEMORIAL DAY PARADE"



LIONS T-SHIRTS FOR SALE \$10.00 Each



CIX COOLERS FOR SALE \$5.00 E.w.fi.



YOUR CLUB AND PERSONAL DONATIONS ACCEPTED AND ENCOURAGED - THANK YOU

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.

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.

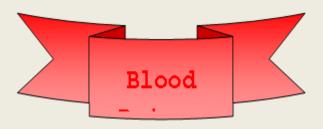
Please give this widest your dissemination to insure that everyone is aware of our efforts in organizing the Parade participation. Post the AD in whatever newsletter that you have. We are able to absorb reasonable ad costs.

Sincerely,

Woody

Ed "Woody" Woodard PDG 2005-2006

PH: 703-451-8508 Fax 703-451-0654 **Proud Member of Mason Neck Lions** since 1996



Brandywine Lions Club

Oct 6, 2016, And Dec 1, 2016 2:30 – 7 pm, Baden VFD, 16608 Brandywine Rd, 301-888-1666

La Plata Lions Club

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.

Newsletters Leisure World October

Attached for your enjoyment

COLESVILLE LIONS CLUB FLEA MARKET

The Colesville Lions Club Flea Market will be held as a public event open to Vendors to sell personal items new or used on the first four Saturdays in October (1, 8, 15 and 22) at a cost of \$15.00 per vendor per site per day from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM with setup one hour before and take down one hour after closing (Weather Permitting). Tables can be rented for \$5.00 each. Registration is on site on the day of the Flea Market Event. It will be held at the Southern States Turf Center, Inc. located at 1409 Spencerville Rd., Spencerville, Maryland 20868.

All Lions Clubs are welcome to setup as our guests at No Vendor Charge!

Contact: King Lion Ed Messer at: Moffittmill@verizon.net

FLEA mARKET











Join us for a Leader Dog Open House - Presented by Crittenton Hospital Come celebrate our new Canine Development Center

Date: Saturday, October 8, 2016

Time: 12 - 4 p.m.

Where: Leader Dogs for the Blind, 1039 S. Rochester Rd., Rochester Hills 46307

Parking: In the shopping center lot at the southwest comer of Avon and Rochester Roads. On-campus

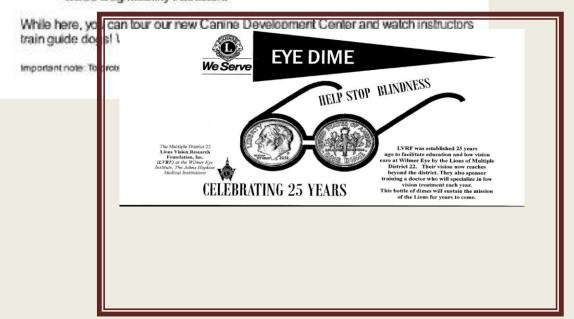
parking will be restricted to handicapped and clients only.

Learn how:

- · Leader Dogs are trained
- · People travel using a white cane
- · A person who is blind uses GPS

Meet:

- . Leader Dog clients and their guide dogs
- Puppy Raisers and Future Leader Dogs
- Guide Dog Mobility Instructors



The five Lions Clubs of Region 4, Zone 2 (St.mary's County) partnered with other County Community Service Clubs to honor the County Fire/EMT/Rescue Squad volunteers. The Lions Club's contribution was to buy and distribute 15 bushels of steamed hard crabs during the County Appreciation Day for the Fire/EMT/Rescue Squad volunteers in early August. Lions from all 5 Zone Clubs were present to pass out the crabs to the over 500 County volunteers honored during the day long event.

Respectfully submitted Zone Chair Lion George Kirby









Bus Trip to Harrington Raceway and Slots

Sponsored By

La Plata Lions Club

When: November 16, 2016

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 November 10, 2016)

Proceeds will be used to support La Plata Lions Projects



THE DAMASCUS LIONS FAMOUS AUTUMN PANCAKE, SAUSAGE & SCRAMBLED EGG BREAKFAST All You Can Eat



Saturday, October 15, 2016 7 am to 11 am Damascus UM Church, Dining Room 9700 New Church Street, Damascus MD

Adults \$9.00 Children \$4.00 Under 4 Free

For Tickets contact Lion Joy Schwab 301-253-3294 Or Lion Sue Suddath 301-253-3434 or ask any Lion







Lions Vision Research Foundation Aim for Sight **Sporting Clay Shoot** Saturday, October 15, 2016





511 Pintail Point Farm Lane, Queenstown, MD 21658

EGISTRATION - \$65 per Shooter or \$240 per 4 Person Team

Shooters Name	Phone	Team Name	Amount
Total			

Fifty targets - 2 boxes (50) shells provided
Lunch Provided 11:30 to 1:30
Lewis Class Scoring - everyone has a chance to win a prize
Individual and Team Prizes Awarded
9:30 am to 11:30 am (last shooter off course by 12:30 pm)
Bring Your Gun if You Have One - If Not
Gun Provided at Pintail Point
Register as a Team and Lions Wear Your Lions Apparel

ke checks payable to: "LVRF Aim for Sight" Send to: Lion Dal Mann Lion Dal Mann 22944 Lyn Oaks Drive Preston, MD 21655

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Roster Book

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