



The Voice of District 22-C

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District 22-C Website: <http://Lionsdistrict22c.org>

March 1, 2021

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

DG Message

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FROM THE DESK OF

DISTRICT GOVERNOR Ruth Moses

Hello 22C!

Do you know a member who is a Visionary? A member who works to modernize the club by embracing technology? A member who recruits towards membership diversity? Someone who works with community partnerships to expand our services to the community?

If you have a member in your club who meets at least one of these criteria then please nominate them for the Visionary Award. The Visionary Award is the 2020-2021 District Governor's Award.

I have asked the 22C membership to work towards or improve the following traits during my year as District Governor: Modernization; Diversification and Community Partnerships. (MDC)

Modernization-Embrace technology to make the club, its fundraisers and service projects more efficient

Diversification-Reaching out to potential members to diversify the club

Community Partnerships-Forming Community Partnerships to continue and expand the club's service

Each club is asked to nominate a member for the Visionary Award. This member should have worked towards any of the above criteria and should be someone who's always thinking about how to improve their club and the club's service footprint on their community.

Nominate a club member for the Visionary Award by writing a few words about how your club member has embraced any or all these qualities. All nominations are due by April 30, 2021 and should be forwarded to CS Dave Golden davegolden99@yahoo.com and DG Ruth Moses lionruth22c@gmail.com

Have a great month!

Take care,

District 22C DG Ruth

Seeing and Serving the Future with 20/20 Vision



See below changes & information.



April 10, 2021 - 4th Cabinet/2nd VIRTUAL Advisory meeting, Brandywine Lions Den. This is a change from March 20th. -Candidates for District Governor, First Vice District Governor and Second Vice District Governor will be introduced and they or their representative will give up to a (5) minute campaign speech.

Honor Roll and Distinguished Service Award due date **extended to March 31, 2021.**

Honor Roll Chair FVDG Bill Lavelly,
bwlavelly@verizon.net

Distinguished Service Award Chair Lion Ken Burton,
kburton13@verizon.net /cc: PDG Brother Pattie,
mpattiejr@comcast.net

District 22C Social has been *postponed* and its hoped to have more information soon. The plan is to have an outdoor event and it may happen later in the summer. More information to be presented at the 4th Cabinet/2nd Advisory Meeting.

May 21-22, 2021 - The MD 22 Convention (Friday/Saturday). Orientation is the afternoon/evening of May 20th. This Convention will be VIRTUAL.

District 22C is responsible for providing (2) members for Sgt at Arms and (1) member to assist with Staging for the Memorial Service which will be pre-recorded. This person will need to be available to help set up for Memorial Service taping which is tentatively set for April 17, 2021. If you are interested in any of these positions or know of a District 22-C Lion who would be interested, please let DG Ruth Moses know.

Has your Club received and sold your Multiple District 22 Convention 50/50 Raffle Tickets? If not, please try to do that in the month of March. If you need additional tickets, **please contact IPDG Sonia Wiggins, Lionsmile2021@gmail.com** who is the Treasurer of the MD 22 Convention Committee.

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 April.**

Treasurer's – reminder to pay any bills due to LCI and District 22-C

Please Notice This



Please see the below changes for the

Olney Lions Club President will be Wendy Hoover.
Email: wehoo@verizon.net



TRAINING



DISTRICT 22C SERVICE TRAINING

Sat. March 13, 2021 – 1 p.m. – 3 p.m.

Tuesday, March 16, 2021– 1 p.m. – 3 p.m.

“Your Gifts Will Make Room For You”

The Service Training is designed to accomplish the following objectives:

- Encourage clubs to utilize the MyLion to record service activities.
- Familiarize club leaders with the service recording process, and issues.
- Discuss Service Projects: “What we know, what we’re Learning, and what next”.
- Familiarize club leaders with Marketing Material: For Service and Fundraisers.
- Promote Childhood Cancer.

Who should take this training?

All club leaders; especially Presidents, Secretaries, and District Leaders. Lion members are welcomed.

You may register by providing the following information via email to GST Maxine Hooker at hookermr59@gmail.com:

Name: _____
Member of _____ Lions Club
Position held in Club: _____
Specify Training Date: _____
Email: _____

The Zoom link will be provided to upon completion of registration.

Make a positive impact on your club and District.

GST Maxine Hooker

Register Now – Deadline March 12, 2021

Our ACTIVITIES

in District 22-C

Laytonsville Lions Club coat drive started about mid-January and ended the 15th of February. They collected 400 coats, adult, and children, that have been delivered to the agencies supporting the homeless just in time for this cold spell.

Palisades Georgetown Lions made a donation to the National Children's Medical Hospital in memory of long-term Lion Larry Beaver who recently passed. When this was posted on their club's Facebook page, a reader wrote the club on how they might donate as well in his memory.

Zone Chair Tommye Grant noted that this is the service project for her club in conjunction with Lions International focus, Childhood Cancer. She donated \$50 to Children's National Hospital in memory of Lion Larry. In the February Newsletter, the Voice, it was suggested ways to support this focus was to donate to local hospitals treating childhood cancer.



LA PLATA LIONS SERVE DURING THE NEW NORMAL

The 2019-2020 year of Covid-19 has required new procedures for everyone. The La Plata Lions have met that challenge with gusto! Our monthly meetings (3rd Thursday, 7 pm) have moved from the La Plata Lions Bingo Hall to Zoom, with members learning how to new technology in order to participate. 2019 was the Charter birthday for the club, but members voted to put the celebration on hold until restaurants open for larger groups.

Incoming President, Lion Carolyn Rogers, began the club year with the project of updating the La Plata Lions Constitution and By-Laws that was 10 yrs. Old. Lion John Anderson agreed to chair the project and after many hours of work on his part, and input from members, the club approved the updated document at the December 2019 General Meeting. Lion John contacted several Lions with expertise to review and approve it, and it is now compliant with the Lions International Constitution and By-Laws. Well done Lion John!

22-C District Governor Ruth Moses visited the club in October and presented Milestone Chevron Awards to our members who belong 5 to 45 years – Congratulations! We also received our 5-Star Award. 1st Vice-District Governor William (Bill) Lavelly installed our officers via Zoom at the July meeting – Thanks for performing this important program. Five members participated in the annual Walk for Diabetes organized by Zone Chair Chris Wooters at the Charles County Rail Train on October 3rd. The weather was a brisk beautiful morning and we met members from the Waldorf and Brandywine Lions Clubs.

La Plata Lions were able to perform the following service projects with covid protocol adjustments: Holiday Food Baskets were delivered to 50 families December 19th. These families were provided by Charles County Social Services. The club adopted a family with children and provided \$100 to purchase gifts for Christmas. Gift cards were given to residents of the Charles County Spring Dell Center for the holidays. PPI materials were delivered to the University of Maryland Medical Ctr. in La Plata, and the La Plata Volunteer Fire Department. Annual monetary donations were made to the following Lions Programs: LCIF Melvin Jones, LCOF Low Vision Foundation, Camp Merrick, and Band

& Music scholarships. Local scholarships to Charles Co. graduates in our club zone will also be given June 2020.

We continue to keep our “WE SERVE” motto at the forefront of our club activities and happily adapt to the challenges of life during the Covid New Normal!

Doodling for Safety; Takoma Park Lion Keeps Busy Even During a Raging Pandemic



For 27 years, Lion Jim Jarboe, a life member of the Takoma Park Lions Club in suburban Maryland, has just about seen it all. No, not necessarily as a Lion, but as a 63-year-old veteran firefighter and public safety educator in Montgomery County, Maryland. Today, due to the pandemic, Lion Jim is spending the vast majority of his time doodling...using his funny characters as spokespersons for his public safety cartoon messages. Since being home-bound for the past 12 months Lion Jim has drawn more than 120 cartoons, many of which have been published in community and local Lion newsletter.

Hello, my name is Jim Jarboe I am a 2 hatter, with “I don’t consider myself to be an artist,” he the Takoma Park Lions Club and the Takoma Park says. “I just want to use what talent I have to Volunteer Fire Department in Maryland. I am sending spread the word about fire and life safety you a few of my doodles and messages regarding topics.” If one life is saved from death or COVID-19. I am not an artist at best a doodler. I’ve serious injury by my drawings, then it will be all done over 120 doodles since March. Just spreading worth it.” the word wherever. Your magazine would be an excellent vehicle to help spread the word throughout the country, since it affects all of us. Should you be interested in publishing any, make sure that when it’s printed, the readers will be able to read it.

Finally, Club background... our Club was chartered on December 26, 1929. For the past 90 years, we have been serving the City of Takoma Park (Maryland) and the



surrounding Prior to the onset of the pandemic, Lion Jim has coordinated the club’s many service projects, including Thanksgiving meals for needy families, Toys for Tots, and winter coat drives.



Throughout his public safety career and continued activity with the Takoma Park Volunteer Fire Department, Chief Jim has devoted countless hours of his time to reach out to youngsters and older adults to offer sound advice on how to protect one another from life’s



bad beats. Lions clubs wishing to use Lion Jim’s characters for community and club publications can contact him at email address: jejarboe@aol.com

From the **Sandy Spring Lions Club newsletter, The Headlioneer** the following projects were noted:

Sandy Spring Lions Club Blood Drive was held on Friday, January 29 at Ashton Baptist Church/Christ Community Church of Ashton. 30 pints were collected. The next blood drive will be Friday, February 26 11-4 at the same location.

Sandy Spring Lions voted to donate to the following charities: CALMRA - \$200, Our House - \$500, Central Union Mission - \$350, TRRC - \$300, Camp Merrick - \$1,000 and LOVRNET - \$1,000.

The Foundation voted to award the Arnall Patz fellowships to PDG Don Beeson and PDG Paul Hawkins

for their amazing work over the years in vision and sight.

The golf outing is ready to go on the 14th of May. Registration is from 7:30 to 8:30 with a start at 8:30. There will be lunches, but they may be boxed due to COVID.

Adopt-a-Road will be held on March 13 at 9:00 am.

Medical equipment had 36.5 hours by 9 Lions in January. So far in February, there has been 16 hours, with 4 Lions, serving 13 clients.

White Cane Vision Days are coming up on March 15-18 and 23-26.

PDG Don has been busy handling eyeglasses and hearing aids. A lot goes on with this community outreach project and PDG Don handles these donations wonderfully.



The Takoma Park Lions and **proud parents Lions Kirk and Beth Szymanski** welcomed their son, Thaddeus “Teddy” Bernard Szymanski into the world on February 25, 2021. Sharing in this good news is PDG Mike and Lion Donna Bigler & Aunt and Uncle: Lions Hannah & Nelson Ticas



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Congratulations

The **Sandy Spring Lions Club** expresses its most sincere tribute and gratitude to Sandy Spring Lion



James H. (Tim) Conner

for **completing 65 years of service to his club**, his community and Lions International. Lion Tim is a past president, a Life Member, and a Melvin Jones Fellow. He is shown here with his lifelong “sweetheart” Sue Conner. Thank you for your commitment to our club!

Congratulations

Calvert County Lions Honors

Lion Mike King was presented a plaque for being Lion of the Years!



Lion David Lingle was given plaques for Outstanding Club Leadership & Dedicated Service as Secretary and a plaque for Outstanding Service, Loyalty and Devotion to Lionism



Burtonsville Lions Club

James M Holley No Sponsor Noted
Clyde William Wolfrey No Sponsor Noted


Leonardtown Lions Club

Byron Kevin Thompson Sponsor Joh Candela

Silver Spring Leisure World Lions Club

Jay J Karow No Sponsor Noted





 To the **Burtonsville Lions Club** and the family of **PDG Donald N Norton** who passed away February 15, 2021. PDG Don was District Governor of District 22-C from 1992 to 1993. He was a true leader as demonstrated by those who were on his Cabinet, many of whom succeeded to District Governor status or higher: Leaders of his Cabinet were: Ellsworth Messersmith, Beltsville LC (Cabinet Secretary), Walter Ramsammy, Midtown/Washington LC (Administrative Assistant) William Lynch, then Germantown LC (Cabinet Treasurer), Jordan Burick, La Plata LC (Lieutenant Governor) and Immediate Past District Governor Joseph Gaffigan, PID, Suburban LC. Region and Zone Chairs: James Pope, Montgomery Central-Derwood LC, Andrew T Smith, Thomas Fahres, Larry Hairfield, Burtonsville

LC, Ben Santaiti, John "Sandy" Kemper, Joseph Palmer, Bowie, Elmer Cooper, Wayne Spong Jr, Alfred Jackson Jr, Ft Stevens LC, Jak Meyerowitz, David Thornhill, William Crown, Oxon Hill LC, Douglas Zveare, Robert Stahl, Bertram "Tom" Stout Jr, Lexington Park LC, Jack Cross, W. Clarence Bowles.

PDG Don was a true friend to many. He was the C-Night Editor, aka Circulation Manager and printed/formatted many of our roster books & C-Night social books for many years. He will be missed by many.



 The **Brandywine Lions Club** is sad to report the death of one of their own, **Lion Donald Cooke**. As a member of our Club for 21 years, Lion Don held many positions and was very active within the Club and is a Melvin Jones Fellow. He will be greatly missed.

 The **La Plata Lions Club** is saddened to report that **Lion Donna McKenzie** has passed away. They will miss her bright smile.

 **Laytonsville Lions Club** reports the passing of **Lion E. Keith Steele**.

 It was just learned that **Lion Robert Clark Sausser** of the **Riderwood Lions Branch Club** passed away on July 27, 2020.





South Gate-Clinton Lions report with great sadness the passing of **Lion Gene Maxey** on February 27, 2021. Lion Gene was one of the last members of the former Clinton Lions Club and a Life Member of South Gate-Clinton.



Past Lioness and wife of Lion Joe McClelland, Monocacy Lions Club, **Virginia 'Ginny' McClelland**, unexpectedly passed away on Friday, Feb. 5th. While she was not at the time of her passing, Ginny was well known and respected throughout District 22-C. Lion Ginny worked alongside Lion Joe on many Lions projects, particularly the Lions Youth Band.



Honor Band Scholarships

Whatever our District 22-C Celebration looks like this year, we want to continue the tradition of recognizing the outstanding student musicians throughout the District with scholarships. If we are able to meet in person, we will return to our previous format. If that is not possible, we will repeat the process we followed last year by conducting scholarship auditions remotely. We were able to award 7 scholarships to deserving students, totaling \$6,200.

The only way the scholarship program can be kept alive is by donations from the clubs within the District. Although fundraising efforts have been impacted this year, we are hoping there is something in each club budget to make a contribution to the Honor Band Scholarships. No amount is too small. It would be especially exciting if every club made a donation this year. Donations from individuals are also welcome.

These clubs have already donated for this year: Leonardtown, South Gate-Clinton, Monocacy, and Silver Hill. Thank you for leading the way! Let's show the students that they can count on the Lions. Please submit

your donation today.

Honor Band Scholarships From Marcia Holpuch

Many thanks to the clubs that have made a donation in support of the scholarships for musicians in the Honor Band for the Spring 2021 program. The donations received this past month include Damascus, Gateway, Colesville, Mt. Rainier-Brentwood, La Plata and Burtonsville. Additional thanks to Queen Lion Carol and Lion Charlie Stone (Damascus) who gave a personal donation this year.

Donations of any amount are appreciated and distributed to graduating seniors as scholarships following a music audition. As difficult as this past year has been on us, imagine how much harder it is on our youth. Your support of the scholarship program lets them know that Lions care and we are there for them even when times are tough.

Thank you, Lions, for all you do!!

Fundraisers in District 22-C



Golf Tournaments in District 22-C

Contact Clubs for more information.

Sandy Spring Lions Club Golf outing will be the second Friday in May at Willow Springs Golf Club, noted in their newsletter.

Noted in their newsletter "The Headliner", The golf outing is ready to go on the 14th of May.

Registration is from 7:30 to 8:30 with a start at 8:30. There will be lunches, but they may be boxed due to COVID.



~~October 5, 2020~~ – Monocacy Golf Tournament has been postponed. The new date is **Monday, May 24, 2021**. It will be held at the Bretton Woods Golf Course. Information and registration form are available from Lion Bill Jamison at williamhjameson@outlook.com.



October 5, 2020 – Calvert County Golf
Tournament – Chesapeake Hills Golf Club, Lusby, MD
Rescheduled to June 7, 2021

Palisades/Georgetown Lions Club



**Upcoming
Contingent on the
Pancake
Tuesday, February 16,
at the Palisades Community**

**Community Flea
Sunday, June 6,
at the Wells Fargo Bank**

**Crab
Friday, September 24,
at St Ann's**



Lions Community Outreach Foundation Corner
Do you have eyeglasses or hearing aids that you have collected? Contact your Zone Chair who will work with LCOF to make a mass pick-up.

REMINDER!! Please provide eyeglasses 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**.

Application information for a **Francis F. Garner Grant** can be obtained from LCOF Grant Chair PDG Gary Burdette at glburd54@comcast.net.

Coordinator for the **Joseph F. Gaffigan Fellowship** is PDG Gary Burdette at glburd54@comcast.net



Blood Drive!

Contact Clubs for more information.

Brandywine Lions Blood Drive

Baden VFD, Baden, MD.

April 1, 2021, May 27, 2021, July 22, 2021, September 30, 2021, December 2, 2021

Calvert County Lions Blood Drive

April 9, 2021; June 11, 2021

The **Damascus Lions** are hosting a blood drive on Thursday & Friday, March 4 & 5 at Grace Fellowship Church, Damascus, from 10-3:30. Register in advance at redcrossblood.org

Silver Spring Lions Club Blood Drive

March 23, June 22, September 28, and December 28.

Blood drives are held at the Clinton American Legion Post 259 from 9:00 AM until 2:00 PM

Sandy Spring Lions Successful Blood Drive

From KL David Hull

Another successful blood drive was held on Friday, February 26th at Christ Community Church of Ashton in Ashton, MD. 36 individuals presented to donate with 31 units of blood collected. Incoming King Lion John McCloskey donated one pint of blood as well as your current KL David Hull with a Power Red donation. These donations have the potential to help up to 77 patients in need!!



The next blood drive will be on Friday, April 30th at Christ Community Church of Ashton in Ashton, MD from 11AM to 4PM. Please contact KL David Hull if

you wish to sign up and donate!! Blood type O is always in demand!! The DMV collects around 11,000 pints of blood per month to meet the need of the 55 hospitals were serve!! Roll up your sleeve and make that donation. All we need is one hour of your time!!

KL David Hull making his Power Red donation on Friday, February 26th. Those who are blood type O-, O+, A-, B- are encouraged to make this type of donation as it allows for 2 sets of red blood cells to be collected. Red blood cells are the most requested component of your blood that hospitals order. Many thanks to all those Lions who have donated throughout the years!! I cannot imagine how many lives have been saved with Lions donations!!!!

That yellow stuff next to the white machine has my plasma and platelets in it. They are returned back to me along with some saline!!



From Lion Charlie Spadone

LIONS All,

A great effort all the way around and a great partnership between Camp Springs ELKS Lodge and the LIONS of District 22C.

3 winners from ELKS. 4 from the LIONS.

Marciah Holpuch will be dishing out the rainbows on her end with 2 hits from Damascus LIONS club. Marciah with the assistance of her club sold 70 tickets.

Melwood Lions club had a winner. Tommye Grant Palisades Georgetown.

We will have to work out the dispensing of the prizes. I will talk with Marc Newkirk and our Treasurer at the ELKS.

Thank you.

Please pass along as needed.

Tell em where you got it.....

A lot of thank you's to go around. Raffle sold out on both ends. Article to follow.

Raffle was witnessed/certified by several people. Tickets drawn by our grandchildren.

Charlie Spadone
LIONS Camp Merrick Executive Committee

Lions Camp Merrick/Elks Club Raffle Results From PDG Kelley Randolph

Ready for raffle drawing. Left to right:

Bertha Page, Kelley Randolph, Patricia McInnis, Rich Barb, Earl Mitchell, Charles Spadone, Nate Key

Winners:

\$1000

Lion Tommy Grant	Palisades/Georgetown LC
Lion Del Mayhew	Damascus LC

\$500

Shirley Hammon	Elks
King Lion Carol Stone	Damascus LC
Lion June Wood	Melwood Environmental LC
Janice Harich	Elks
Toni Cane	Elks





Lions Clubs International & Multiple District 22 Information



100 Year Anniversary

Multiple District 22 LIONS

100 Year Celebration

Friday August 12th - Saturday August 13th, 2022
Delta Hotels by Marriott
245 Shavhan Road Hunt Valley MD

100 Years of Service

WJLA Channel 7 web site it was noted a LCIF banner ad at the top right of the screen. Following the link takes you to the 'Make a Donation' page on lionsclub.org



Lions Camp Merrick – Your Help is Needed

It's the time of year when we start getting the camp ready for the season. No final decision has been made yet for the summer camp program, but we have booked a rental for late March and need to open up some of the cabins and the dining hall in advance of their arrival. Our off-season rental income helps to keep our summer camp fees down so they are a very important part of what goes on at the camp.

Volunteers are needed for 2 opening days. The first is scheduled for Saturday, March 20th. The duties to be completed on that day include:

- Put out paper products
- Clean up around Memorial Bricks
- Wipe down tables & chairs in dining hall
- Start on electrical wiring in counselor cabin
- Determine electrical upgrades needed for cabins & dining hall – charging stations and additional outlets for insulin pump recharging.

We will continue progress on our originally scheduled date of Saturday, April 17th with the following Honey Do list:

- Clear gutters and rake leaves
- Run new ceiling wiring and install gable vents, insulation & drywall in counselor cabin.
- Install outlets and charging stations in cabins.
- Clear debris from riverbank
- Painting

Bring your mask, work gloves and dress to be comfortable to work and get dirty. If you like your own rake or other tools, bring them along. Grab a friend or two, some other Lions or Leos and come on down to camp. We'll be ready to start as early as 8am and lunch will be served. RSVP to Lion Dennis Maguire by email to pomfretmd@verizon.net or give him a call or text to his cell phone at 301.509.6265.

Important Information from



Lions Clubs International

Now more than ever, your club's stories of kindness and compassion will inspire your community and bring hope to a world in need. That is why your role as marketing communications chairperson is so important. Your efforts ensure that your club's life-changing stories are told—on social media and in your local media.

To help you succeed, we are excited to announce the launch of the brand-new Lions Press Center, the association's online newsroom designed for both clubs and journalists. The press center provides you with the tools you need to promote your club, including customizable press releases, media kits, photos, news and more.

The Lions Press Center provides everything you need to start sharing your good news in your community. Check out the [Lions Press Center](#) today!

Your Lions International Marketing Team

Lion Logo T-Shirts and Face Masks For Sale

All net proceeds go to help fund the Lions Participation in the National Memorial Day Parade

Small - 3X-Large	\$12.00
*4X-Large - 5X-Large	\$14.00
Lion Logo Face Masks**	\$8.00

Ladies V-Neck Style T-Shirts Available

Face Masks are reusable

*Shirts 4XL & 5XL are in limited supply but can be special ordered
**Masks available with Large or Small Logo

We will gladly fill and ship orders at cost of the T-Shirt plus Shipping. We will ship at the lowest rates possible. Orders over \$100 will ship free.

Our slight increase in Price (First in 12 Years) is due to increases in price from our suppliers.

Contact info: PDG Woody Woodard (24L)- woodywoodard@cox.net
 PDG Don Beeson (22C)- donb798@gmail.com
 Lion Mike Yucenger (24L)- myucenger@comcast.net
 VDG Bill Lavelly (22C)- bwlavelly@verizon.net
 Lion Bill Strauss (22W)- williamstrauss@msn.com
 PID Joe Gaffigan (MD22)- pjdjfg@gmail.com

WHAT LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL DO

Lions Community Focus

1. Youth Development Projects
2. Temporary assistance to those in need
3. Disaster Relief
4. Medical Initiative & Research
5. Assistance for the Disabled
6. Building Community Infrastructure
7. Community Festival/Event

Member Benefits

1. A sense of belonging
2. Developing Personal Skills
 - Public Speaking
 - Project Management
 - Finance Control
 - Leadership Development
3. Making lifelong friends
4. The satisfaction of helping others in need
5. Enjoying the company of like minded people

Announcements and Upcoming Events

MARCH

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

March 1, 2021– 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

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DISTRICT 22C SERVICE TRAINING

Tuesday, March 16, 2021– 1 p.m. – 3 p.m.

March 20, 2021 - Lions Camp Merrick Camp Clean-up (1st date)

March 23, 2021 – Silver Hill Blood Drive

POSTPONED - ~~March 27, 2021~~ District 22-C Social – Waldorf Jaycees’

 **~~March 20, 2021~~ to April 10, 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~~ Changed to May 21-22, 2021**

April 17, 2021 -  2nd date Lions Camp Merrick Camp Clean-up

May

May 21-22, 2021 - Multiple District 22 Convention, Virtual (Date changed from April 15-18, 2021)

May 24, 2021 – Monocacy Lions Club Golf Tournament.

JUNE

June 6, 2021 – Palisades/Georgetown Lions Community Flea Market

June 7, 2021 - Calvert County Golf Tournament – Chesapeake Hills Golf Club, Lusby, MD

June 11, 2021 – Calvert County Lions Blood Drive

June 25-29, 2021 – Lions Clubs International Convention, Montreal, Quebec **will be VIRTUAL,**

SEPTEMBER

September 24, 2021 – Palisades/Georgetown Lions Crab Feast

Continuing



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



Calvert County Lions invite you to their Applebee's Fundraiser, last Wednesday of each month.

Upcoming Conventions, Forums & Celebrations, MD22 & International

MD22 Convention

~~April 15-18, 2021~~ **Date changed to May 21-22, 2021,**
This will be a Virtual Convention, more to come soon

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

Lions Clubs International Convention

June 25-29, 2021 **LCI Montreal Quebec Convention will be VIRTUAL,**

OPPORTUNITY



How will you & your Club seize the opportunity? Now that we have all had a moment to process LCI Con 2021 going virtual, it's time to look for the opportunities this virtual Convention brings...

For only \$50, Lions who could never afford to travel to an International Convention can experience the true nature of being part of a global network of Lions!

For only \$50, your club could host a community picnic & broadcast the Convention on a big screen to raise awareness about the amazing things we do.

Our District 22-C LCI Convention Coordinator is PDG Michael Bigler, mike.bigler@verizon.net.

Or visit

<https://lcicon.lionsclubs.org/>

Our Leaders

(2021-2022)
• Lions Clubs International •

Vote for:



Douglas Alexander
(1st Vice President)



Brian Sheehan
(2nd Vice President)



Dr. Patti Hill
(2nd Vice President)



Fabricio Oliveira
(3rd Vice President)

LCICon2021
JUNE 25-29

July 1-11, 2022	New Delhi, India
July 7-11, 2023	Boston, MA
June 21-25, 2024	Melbourne, Australia
July 4-8, 2025	Mexico City, Mexico
July 3-7, 2026	Atlanta, Georgia
July 2-6, 2027	Washington, D.C.
June 23-27, 2028	Singapore



 **Save the Date** 
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100 Years of Service

If you have any questions or find anything historical for District 22-C, please keep it handy or contact me.
 PDG Sandi Halterman, PDGSandi@gmail.com or PDG Sonia Wiggins Lionsmile2021@gmail.com

District 22-C Lions Clubs who have Websites, Facebook, Twitter and the like.

District 22-C

Website - District 22-C - Lions e-District Houses (e-district.org)

Facebook - Lions of Maryland 22 C

Lions Community Outreach Foundation

[https://www.facebook.com/Lions-District-22-C-Lions-Community-](https://www.facebook.com/Lions-District-22-C-Lions-Community-Outreach-Foundation-1582303735315026/)

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Clubs

Beltsville LC – Facebook -

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=beltsville%20lions%20club>

Bowie LC -

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=bowie%20lions%20club%20maryland>

Brandywine LC -

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=brandywine%20lions%20club>

Calvert County LC -

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=calvert%20county%20lions%20club>

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Colesville LC -

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=colesville%20md%20lions%20club>

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College Park LC -

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Damascus LC -

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=damascus%20lions%20club>

Greenbelt LC -

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=greenbelt%20lions%20club>

Hollywood LC -

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=Hollywood%20Lions%20Club>

La Plata LC -

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=la%20plata%20lions%20club>

Laurel LC - <https://www.facebook.com/groups/139116042774555/about>

Silver Spring Leisure World LC -

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=Silver%20Spring%20Leisure%20World%20Lions%20Club>

Leonardtown LC -

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=Leonardtown%20lions%20club>

Lexington Park LC -

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=lexington%20park%20lions%20club>

Website Lexington Park – <https://lexingtonparklionsclub.org>

Mechanicsville LC -

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=mechanicsville%20lions%20club%20-%20md>

Melwood Environmental LC - [\(20+\) melwood environmental lions club -](https://www.facebook.com/melwoodenvironmentallionsclub/)

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Monocacy LC -

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=monocacy%20lions%20club>

Olney - <https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=olney%20lions%20club>

Washington Palisades/Georgetown LC -

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top/?q=Washington%20Palisades%20Georgetown%20Lions>

Potomac LC -

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=potomac%20lions%20club>

Ridge LC -

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=ridge%20lions%20club>

Sandy Spring LC - <https://www.facebook.com/groups/168664076516976>

Silver Hill LC -

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=silver%20hill%20lions%20club>

Washington D.C. Special Olympics LC -

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=washington%20dc%20special%20olympics%20lions%20club>

Waldorf LC -

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=waldorf%20lions%20club>



Lions Camp Merrick - <https://www.facebook.com/campmerrick>

Clubs with additional sites contact Editor Sandi at PDGSandi@gmail.com

Have you conducted a **ROLL CALL** of your Club members lately? Give them a call, make sure they are ok and if you can help them in any way.



DON'T CHUCK THOSE MARKERS.

15 pounds of dead markers that will NOT end up in landfills or our oceans.

Did you know that Crayola has a program called ColorCycle? Crayola ColorCycle will accept all brands of plastic markers, not just Crayola markers. That includes dry erase markers & highlighters. If you collect the dead markers, they'll send you a free shipping label & you can ship them back to Crayola to be recycled! Link to get started with this program: <http://www.crayola.com/colorcycle.aspx>

This program is currently in the US & parts of Canada, check website & www.crayola.com/colorcycle/frequently-asked-questions.aspx



The Lions Year will soon be upon us. If you have not made all your Visitations for 5-Star Recognition here are the known



Clubs meeting by **Contact the Club President/Secretary or a member regarding the link.** Days and times in the District 22-C Roster Book

Beltsville – 1st Wednesday, 7pm
Brandywine – 2nd & 4th Tuesday, 6:30pm
Burtonsville – 2nd Wednesday, 7pm
Calvert County – 1st & 3rd Monday, 7pm
College Park – 2nd Tuesday, 6:45pm
Damascus – 1st & 3rd Tuesday, 6:45pm
La Plata – 3rd Thursday, 6:30pm
Laurel – 2nd & 4th Tuesday, 6:30pm
Laytonsville - 2nd & 4th Thursday, 6:59pm
Leonardtown – 1st Wednesday, 7:00pm
Lexington Park – 4th Monday, 6:30pm
Mechanicsville – 2nd Wednesday, 7:00pm
Monocacy – 2nd Monday, 7:00pm
Montgomery Central-Derwood - 1st Tuesday, 5:00pm
Mt. Rainier-Brentwood – 2nd Tuesday, 6:45pm
Ridge – 4th Thursday, 6:30pm
Rockville – 1st & 3rd Wednesday, 7:00pm
Sandy Spring – 4th Monday, 7:00pm
Silver Hill – 2nd & 4th Wednesday, 6:30pm
Silver Spring Leisure World – 3rd Monday, 6:00pm
South Gate-Clinton – 3rd Thursday, 6:30pm
Suburban – 3rd Thursday, 6:45pm
Takoma Park – 3rd Tuesday, 7:00pm
University Park – 2nd Tuesday, 6:45pm
Upper Marlboro – 3rd Tuesday, 6:30pm
Waldorf – 1st & 3rd Wednesday, 6:59pm
Washington Palisades/Georgetown – 3rd Wednesday, 7:00pm

Any Club not listed, or not meeting by Zoom or other ways, please contact Editor Sandi Halterman, PDGSandi@gmail.com.

