Lions District 27 C2 36th Annual Lions Convention-April 11 & 12, 2025 Tentative Schedule of Events

<u>Friday</u>	April 11
2:00-7:00	Convention Registration
2:00-4:00	Vision Screening Training and Certification
3:00-4:00	Lions Eye Bank of Wisconsin Certified Transporter Training
4:00-5:00	District Cabinet Meeting
6:00-10:00	Fun Night -Luau and Deal or No Deal Game, Food Included in your Friday Night Registration, Music by DJ Whittlesey Lion Tim Kramas, Money Raffles
<u>Saturday</u> 7:00-12:00	April 12 Convention Registration
7:00	Breakfast Buffet at Eagles Nest Restaurant On your own: Please support the buffet so we will have it for our future conventions. Please tip as the workers came to work early just for our event
7:00-9:00	Strides Walk Walk at your leisure. Submit your donations for Diabetes at the Diabetes Table between 9-11. Strides Merchandise will be available.
8:00-4:00	Governor's Raffle Tickets Sales and Cash Raffle Ticket Sales
8:30-10:00	Opening Ceremony and Reports: Restoring Hope, LCIF, Birch-Sturm, Lions Eyebank of Wisconsin, Lions Pride, Wisconsin Missions, State of the State-Council Chair PDG John Reil, WLF (5 Statewide projects)
10:00-10:15	Voter Certification
10:00-10:15 Break: Visit Expo Tables, Check out of Hotel, tickets for Raffles	
10:15-11:15	Service of Remembrance
11:30-1:00	Luncheon Keynote: International Director: Hans Niedhardt Awards Nominations Cash Raffle Winners announced

1:15-2:00 **Breakout Sessions-**Sleep in Heavenly Peace: Robert and Beth Learn about this organization in Northern Wisconsin who assist with building beds so no child has to sleep on the floor. Lion Elizabeth Fryseth-Leader Dog 2:00-2:30 **Voter Certification** 2:00-2:15 **Break: Visit Expo Tables, Governor Raffle tickets** 2:15-3:00 **Breakout Sessions-**Wisconsin Lions Camp- Campers and Families (Tentative) Member Orientation-PDG Judy Hatz and PDG Tammy Rockenbach 3:00-3:15 **Break: Visit Expo Tables, Governor Raffle tickets** 3:15-4:00 Breakout Session- Lions Ignite: Sparking Service Ideas for a **Brighter Future** Join fellow Lions for an interactive brainstorming session to generate fresh service ideas, share successes, and amplify our impact. Discover innovative ways to serve, build partnerships, and revitalize your club's mission. Bring your passion and creativity let's ignite the future of service together! 4:00-4:30 **Posting of Governor Raffle Basket Winners** 4:15-4:45 **Elections** Proceed as directed through the Bad River Room entrance in the Hall of Nations hallway 5:00-6:00 Social Hour, Cash Bar 6:00-8:00 **Governor's Banquet** Keynote: ID Hans Niedhardt Voting Results and Acceptance Speech PM Cash Raffle Winner Closing Remarks