



# THE ROARING District 20-E1

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Dear Lions,

In my final issue I would like to  
issue many thanks.

Thanks to:

- All of District 20E1

for supporting me

- My cabinet, zone and region  
chairs, GMT, GST and GLT

- Melanie Adams for stepping up  
to be DG

- Karen Guarino for doing the  
newsletter

- Mike Donner for agreeing to continue the newsletter

- My fellow DGs for being a great council

- My husband for driving me to visitations

**May we continue to work together!**

**DG Judy**



**Note: NEW E-MAIL to send articles for District Newsletter**



**JULY / AUGUST District newsletter deadline is August 8.**

**E-mail articles to**

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## NEWS briefs

# Leo Club Chair Needed

Lions,  
District Governor-elect Melanie Adams is seeking a LEO  
Club Chairperson for 2023-2024.

If you, or anyone you know, is interested in the position  
please contact Lion Melanie - 585-331-7190  
or [melanie.adams@saint-gobain.com](mailto:melanie.adams@saint-gobain.com)

## BROCKPORT Lions Club

The Brockport Lions together with Sleep in Heavenly Peace NY Roch and Boy Scout troop 111 & 375, some Chili Lions and other volunteers- cut, sanded, drilled, screwed, nailed, dipped, branded and assembled lumber to make 42 twin beds on Sat. April 22 at the Brockport Area Vets grounds. Pictured are some of the volunteers and staff of SHP NY Roch making ready all the bed parts. This event was possible by a matching grant totaling \$5000 from the Brockport Lions Club. Sleep in Heavenly Peace provides beds for kids that do not have a bed to sleep on in the Rochester area. For more information on the Brockport Lions Club contact president Jim Detar -298-0239.





Pictured are some of the Brockport Lions members together with a huge donation from Kathy Kepler of Sara's Garden Center of flowers and mulch. It gave the roundabout some tender loving care so visitors to Brockport will see and enjoy the improvement in our Village as they visit this summer.



# Lions Club of CHILI

The Lions Club of Chili had a District Governor visitation on February 28.



Our newest member, Ken Schnabel with sponsor Kerri Neathawk, and DG Judy MacKnight



DG Judy MacKnight presents Lion Keri Neathawk with an Uplinger Award.



President Mike Donner presents DG Judy MacKnight with a gift created by one of our members, Carole Agosto. It is a Rochester Red Wing themed welcome sign.



The Lions Club of Chili provided some seed money for the Chili Public Library's upcoming seed library. The club presented a \$250 check for some initial start-up costs. L-R Jennifer Lowden, Jeff Baker, Mike Donner, and Karen McCloskey



Our biggest geranium sale yet was held on Mother's Day Weekend. Thank you to everyone who purchased them. We had Leos and friends help pack the 6000 geraniums and 170 hanging baskets.



Lots of great Lions volunteering in our new location in the Chili Community Center.



On May 23, Member of the Chili and Scottsville Lions visited Jim and Donna's Schiebel pin barn. There is more Lions history in this barn than maybe anywhere else in the universe. OVER 50,000 PINS!!





Everyone walked away with a sense of awe in what was inside.

## CHURCHVILLE Lions Club

Representatives from The First Presbyterian Church of Chili's Food Cupboard recently thanked the Lions Club of Churchville for their support. The Lions have contributed needed food to this cupboard from local food drives they have sponsored in both the Village of Churchville and the Churchville-Chili Central School District. This food has made a real difference in helping to feed families in need in our local communities.



The Lions Food Pantry Committee members pose with representatives of The First Presbyterian Church of Chili.



Patrick Place, a Comfort Care Home for the terminally ill in Scottsville, received a \$2107 donation from funds acquired at the annual LEO Club March Mayhem Benefit Basketball Game held at the Churchville-Chili Middle School. House Director Kate White is shown accepting the check from Churchville Lion Marty Molinari, surrounded by the Patrick Place Board of Directors.

Churchville-Chili Middle and High School members of the LEO Club and their school help to serve the community with such activities as assisting with events at the Batavia School for the Blind, making dinners at the Ronald McDonald House, wrapping holiday items at the Open Door Mission, assisting at Lions Club public functions and many other activities.

### Steak Roast and Induction Ceremony

The Annual Churchville Lions Steak Roast took place on May 23rd with over 30 members and guests attending. Juicy steaks were grilled to one's own liking and topped off with delicious sides and homemade desserts thanks to Lion Jim Ehrmentraut's cooking skills. After dinner Kim Fodge was inducted as our newest member of the Churchville Lions.



Steaks are grilled to perfection.



Membership Chair Jill Kohler and sponsor Jim Ehmentraut congratulate newly inducted Lion Kim Fodge.



Lions Verna Linney and Jill Kohler prepare the desserts.



## Churchville Lions Participate in Memorial Day Parade



Lions Mark and Jill Kohler, Jim Ehmentraut, Al Arilotta and Marty Molinari gather at the Float before the parade starts.



The Lions Float heads up Main Street in Churchville.



Lions Jill and Jim hand out candy treats and good cheer to the onlookers lining the street.

On May 25th the Churchville Lions joined the volunteer firemen at the Churchville Fire Department Hall for a demonstration of the LUCAS 3 chest compression device. The Lund University Cardiopulmonary Assist System (LUCAS) provides mechanical chest compressions to patients in cardiac arrest. It is mostly used in emergency medicine as an alternative to manual CPR because it provides consistent compressions at a fixed rate through difficult transport conditions and eliminates the physical strain on the person performing CPR.

The Lions and Churchville Volunteers both partnered as major supporters.

## LUCAS 3 Chest Compression Device is put into service



The Churchville Lions pose as backdrop to the new Lucas 3 device.





Churchville Volunteer Fire Department Vice President Gary Johnson welcomed the assembly with a discussion of the evening's events pertaining to the demonstration of the recently purchased LUCAS 3 device.



In a simulation of a real time emergency where seconds count, the Churchville Explorers first demonstrated manual CPR compression to allow time to ready the LUCAS device.



The Churchville Explorers demonstrated the workings of the mechanical compressions performed by the LUCAS device.

## FAIRPORT Lions Club

### May 2 Dinner Meeting:

Sherry presented Angelina Barret for the Scholarship Award along with the Barret and McGuirk families.



Barret Family being introduced



McGuirk Family being introduced



Angelina receiving the \$1000 award

### **May 16 Dinner Meeting:**

Sherry discussed Bakashana which is located in a very poor section of Zambia. They started with helping young girls and now also helps young boys. The goal is to graduate from high school and into a career position. Bakashana has several skill courses like financial courses and receives grants from Africa and Europe.



Sherry discussing grants and courses



Dave Farwell giving Sherry our annual donation

### **Special Touch Bakery April 4 at Perinton Community Center:**

Maurie picking up a pie







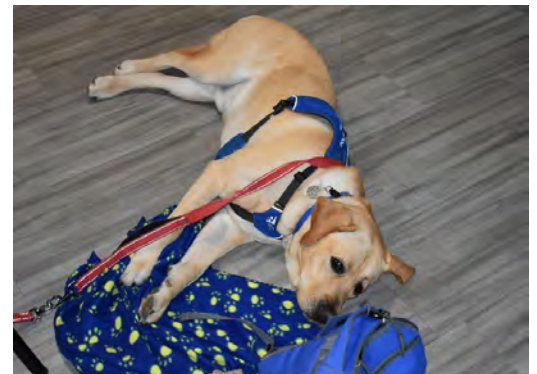
**Dinner Meeting April 4 with the Boy Scouts:**

Scout Master going over the current projects

**Dinner Meeting April 18 with Guiding Eyes:**



Lion Dave presenting Marcy with check



Freddie waiting for treats

# It's here....



Keep sending in your club news for the  
District's newsletter.

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Have a safe, relaxing and LION summer!



PDG Judy McKnight presented fronds from New York & Bermuda Lions Foundation to Lion President Eric Maxon for our project to purchase or resupply AEDs for all the churches in the Kendall community. The Kendall Lions held a July Lottery Raffle to help raise funds for our portion of the project



Kendall Lions welcome new member Lion Darla Trimm.

To celebrate Earth day Kendall Lions presented members of the fourth grade at Kendall Elementary school with a tree for planting.

In support of our environment, Kendall held their annual Roadside Clean Up Day. Lions were joined by the Boy Scouts and several members of our community





The Kendall Lions were pleased to host Kendall High School's graduating Seniors at a breakfast in their honor at the Hamlin VFW on May 12th. The delicious breakfast was catered by The Farmers Table Restaurant in Hamlin. Kendall Lion Tony Cammarata was the MC for the morning and the students were addressed by Chet Fery, "the Bread Man" from Brockport. His message last year centered on the theme of kindness was so well received that we invited him back again this year. Chet baked and gave over 100 loaves of bread to the students and guests.

At our June 1<sup>st</sup> meeting of the Kendall Lions club, we were pleased to present our 2023 Citizen of the Year Award to Julie Kludt. Our annual award is presented to an individual whose volunteerism and dedication have made a significant contribution to the community. The Kendall Lions appreciate the many years of service and congratulate Julie Kludt on her award.





## DINNER MEETINGS

Our April 4th Dinner meeting was well attended. The first order of business was to accept our newest Lion Member, Matt Punch; his sponsor is Mary Herbert.



The guest speaker for the evening was Firefighter/Paramedic Adam Fisher of the Medina Fire Department. He is also the Medical Training Officer. Through the village, he teaches CPR, AED, and First Aide. He demonstrated Hands-Only CPR. Hands-Only CPR has two easy steps: 1. Call 911 if you see a teen or adult collapse. 2. Push hard and fast in the center of the chest to the beat of a familiar song with 100 to 120 beats per minute, such as "Stayin' Alive" or "Walk the Line." The American Heart Association recommends CPR with compressions and breaths for infants and children and victims of drowning, drug overdose, or people who have collapsed due to breathing problems.

The Medina Lions had an excellent showing for the May 2nd meeting. Our guest speakers for the evening were Kelly Ansty and Lisa Bors of The Arc GLOW. Kelly has been with The Arc for 33 years. Their mission statement is "We are a parent and family-driven organization that empowers and supports people of all ages with a broad spectrum of emotional, intellectual, and developmental disabilities. Their vision is "People with intellectual and developmental disabilities will be valued members of their communities, with the opportunity to realize their full potential and a secure future. She shared the many services offered, which include Residential Support, Kidstart Children Services, Business Services, Vocational Support, Day and Vocational Services, Community Support, and Transportation Services. Lisa Bors's area of expertise is public relations, raising community awareness, and fundraising.





### **COMMUNITY KITCHEN**

The Medina and Albion Lions assisted at the Orleans Koinonia Kitchen (coy-no-knee-uh) on April 6 and May 4. It is a beautiful and rewarding way to spend an afternoon. As of April 13, 2023, the kitchen has served a total of 5,305 meals. The cost is \$10,899 or roughly \$2.05 a meal.

### **VISION SCREENING**

The vision screening committee has been busy this spring. The committee has screened children at PRaising Kids and Toddler Inn Day Care. We were also able to assist the Lyndonville Lions with their POP-UP EYE CLINIC and their school-wide screening.

In other news, Ann McElwee was honored as Vision Screener of the Year for District E-1. This award was only made possible by the dedicated members of the screening committee. The committee members are Carol Bellack, Don Colquhoun, Jim Hancock, Vicki Hutchinson, Ann McElwee, Tom McGrane, Terri Moriarty, Tim Moriarty, Tom Robinson, Jeff Smith, Christine Thompson, Charlene Walsh, and Tom Beach.



### **LIONS PARK CLEAN UP DAY**

The Medina Lions and Boy Scouts were out in full force Saturday, May 6, to clean up Lions Park. Many hands make work go quickly. Howie Gardner grilled hot dogs for all.

### **MENU PROJECT**

Lion Billy Roman advanced the idea that restaurants in the Medina area would benefit by including braille menus for visually impaired diners to promote independence. Many restaurants in the area are receptive to this idea. Presently Rudy's and Captain Kidz have these menus.

Darrell's Place, Country Club Family Restaurant, and Mariachi De Oro Mexican Grill menus are being transcribed into





### MEMORIAL DAY PARADE AND SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

The Media Lions marched in the Memorial Day Parade. In addition, the scholarship winners announced at the May Convocation Awards participated in the parade. In the top 10 of her class, Hilda Santiago won the \$1000 award. She plans to enter the medical field. Kayleigh Wright won the \$500 Relisance Award. She is planning to become an elementary school teacher.

What a fantastic two months!



## WEBSTER Lions Club

Webster Lions served up over 300 Sticky Lips BBQ Dinners during our May 18 fundraiser.



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