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DISTRICT 14-P

"We Serve"

DISTRICT GOVERNOR GARY HILBERT

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DT PDG RICHARD TAYLOR

JULY 2021

Calendar of Events

July 9th & 10th:
Shoemakersville
Summer Picnic

July 18th: PLAD at
Beacon Lodge Camp

July 25th: West
Goshen 50th
Anniversary at
Radley Run Country
Club

Join us for our
passing of the Banner Celebration!

Special Guest
PID James Cavallaro



Bring your
own chair

August 28th, 2021 at 1:00pm

Boyertown Park

417 South Madison Street, Boyertown, Pa 19512

Food will be prepared by local restaurant (Chef Chris Dietz, CD's Place)
including Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Pulled Pork, and picnic sides.
Water and other various drinks will be provided.

Cost: \$15.00

Entertainment by Yingling & Porter

RSVP by mailing along with check payable to: Boyertown Lions Club and send
to: Paula Hilbert 735 East Philadelphia Ave, Boyertown, Pa 19512

Name(s): _____

Club: _____

Number of People Attending: _____

Amount Enclosed: _____

RSVP by August 14th



"Service from the Heart"

Douglas X. Alexander, from Brooklyn, New York, USA, was elected to serve as international president of Lions Clubs International at the association's 103rd International Convention, June 25 through June 29, 2021. President Alexander is a retired vice president for J.P. Morgan Chase Bank. A member of the Brooklyn Bedford Stuyvesant Lions Club since 1984, he has held many offices within the association, including club president, zone chair, region chair, vice district governor, district governor, cabinet secretary, cabinet treasurer and DGE group leader. He also served as a Lions Eye Bank transporter, a member of the District and Multiple District PDG Association, a trustee of the New York State and Bermuda Lions Foundation, and was appointed as the Lions representative to UNICEF-New York from 2012-2014. He has served on the USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum Planning and Host Committees and has been a presenter at several USA/Canada Forums. In recognition of his service to the association, he has received numerous awards including the club Lion of the Year, Club President's Award, the Robert J. Uplinger Service Award, several District Governor Appreciation Awards, and the Multiple District Membership Growth Award. He is also the recipient of numerous International President's Certificates of Appreciation, seven International President's Awards and the Ambassador of Good Will Award, the highest honor the association bestows upon its members. He is a Dr. Franklin G. Mason Fellow, a W. P. Woods Fellow and a progressive Melvin Jones Fellow. In addition to his Lions activities, President Alexander is active in numerous professional and community organizations. He has served as chairperson of the advisory board for the New York Urban League and as a board member of the St. Francis DeSales School for the Deaf. He is also a recipient of the Congressional Record Award. President Alexander has two daughters, and his partner in service, Shabiki Cazabon, is a Lion and a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow.





A Message from District Governor Gary Hilbert

Happy New Lions Year!

The beginning of something means there is an end to something else. And so I would like to extend my sincere appreciation to IPDG Art Pecht for leading our District 14P during a very difficult year. Due to covid guidelines and shelter in place restrictions our activity was limited. Meetings were held virtually (if at all) and social gatherings were few. That is not what Lions are known for. My hope is for ALL our Lions Clubs to start meeting and serving again. I believe this will happen. As your new DG, I've received several invites to summer picnics, charter nights and other traditional events. Our annual "Passing the Banner" is scheduled for Saturday August 28 in Boyertown Community Park. (Please see ad in this issue)



I scheduled my visitations based on last years district directory. I'm looking forward to spending time with you whether it's at a restaurant dinner meeting or business meeting at the local library. I'll be sharing International President Douglas Alexander's message. "Service from the Heart" We serve with love and compassion in communities around the world. The selfless giving of our time and effort is precisely what makes Lions so special. I was overwhelmed by his message. Why? Because it just so happens to align with mine. "We Serve from the Heart"

Volunteer service needs to be real and intentional. Not forced or distorted. We are called to "Love thy neighbor". Do you make a New Year's resolution on January 1? A good start to our new Lions year is to read Article II of the International Constitution and By-Laws. It describes our purposes of the association. This is not a suggestion but a declaration as to how we are to function as a member of Lions Clubs International.

Next month I will share my District Governor's project. Hint...Happy Campers. In the meantime, enjoy your summer as the world begins to open up again. If there is anything I can help you with, Please contact me. It is an honor to be your 2021-2022 District Governor and to represent District 14P to MD14.

WE SERVE FROM THE HEART,
DG Gary



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with us!



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610-468-4788

Proposed District Governor's Schedule

**July 18th: PLAD
(Pennsylvania Lions
Appreciation Day,
Beacon Lodge**

**August 6 & 7th:
State Council
Meeting (Red Lion
Hotel, Harrisburg)**

**August 14th: District
14P Cabinet Meeting
(Trinity Church,
Boyertown)**

Visitations



A Message From 1st VDG Chrissy Smaltz

Happy Summer!

I hope everyone continues to stay safe and well. This past year was very trying for all of my fellow lions, with the new Lion year approaching I am looking forward to a fun filled year, and getting to meet new lions and also reunite with familiar faces. DGE Gary is a good friend and I am excited and honored to serve next to him this coming year. I was honored and privileged to serve under DG Art Pecht this past year, thank you for everything that you have done for me DG Art. I am excited for all the 1st Lions functions I will be attending this coming year, the next few months are just the beginning, starting with Beacon Lodge, and the international convention, also the USA / Canada forum. I want to wish everyone a very happy 4th of July, please stay safe.



1st VDG Chrissy Smaltz

From IPDG Art Pecht



I would like to thank ALL the Lions of District 14-P for helping me as District Governor. While I was not able to visit all clubs in person, I did visit most clubs via Zoom or in person visits. I wish our in coming DG Gary nothing but the best for his upcoming year. I will be taking over as Global Service Chair. I am very passionate about service and reporting it on My Lion. If your club is not reporting on My Lion I am here to help you not bury you. Please reach out to me. It was a great honor for me to serve as you District Governor. THANK YOU.

IPDG Art Pecht



Diabetes



Environment



Hunger



Vision



Childhood Cancer



Mini Golf Tournament & Picnic



Hi District 14P!

Do you remember seeing these faces before?

Wanted but only reward - a smile!

West Goshen Lions June 12th Zoom Meeting

President Tony Simkovich, Lion Peg Huebner, Lion Jim Ferrier

Lion Bob Stratton, ZC Toby Price Gelma, Lion Pat Staffelbach

Lion Willi Weichelt, Lion Regina Smith & Lion (Stan Lieberman

Lion Hugh Parnell, Lion Ed Weiss, Lions THK (Tim & Tina Knauer)



**Encourage Our
Leaders of
Tomorrow!**

Did you know?

*Lions International
has waived all
Charter & Entrance
fees from July 1–
December 31,
2021?*

Pennsylvania Lions Beacon Lodge Camp

Pa Lions Appreciation Day July 18, 2021



Beacon Lodge has designated July 18 as Pennsylvania Lions Appreciation Day. This is a day to not only recognize Immediate Past Governors and District Liaisons, but also ALL Lions, Lionesses, and Leos for their outstanding support of Beacon Lodge! Join us for a relaxing day getting to know your camp.

We will be having several new activities this year!

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|-----------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|
| • Name That Tune | • Mini Golf |
| • Corn Hole | • Fishing |
| • Blind Bowling | |
| <i>Don't worry, we are keeping the favorites from the past:</i> | |
| • The Great Duck Race | • Basket Raffle |
| • 50/50 Raffle | • Pin Traders |
| • Camp Store | • Worship Service |

You are most cordially invited to bring your families to Beacon Lodge for this occasion.

A picnic meal of hamburgers, hot dogs, kielbasa, and all the fixings will be prepared and served from 11:30am until 12:30pm. Cost is \$5 per person.

Reservations are required and must be received by July 5, 2021. To purchase tickets, please make check payable to Beacon Lodge with PLAD on the memo line.

Mail to:

Pa Lions Beacon Lodge Camp

114 State Route 103 South Mount Union, Pa 17066

When: July 18, 2021

Starting at 9:00am:

- Camp Store
- 50/50 Raffle Tickets
- Basket Raffle

9:00—11:00 Mini Golf

10:00—11:00 Worship Service

11:00—1:30 Pin Traders

11:30 Introduction of IPDG's/
Invocation / Lunch

- Hamburgers, Hot Dogs,
Kielbasa

12:30 The Great Duck Race

12:30—2:00 Camp Tours

12:30—2:30 Afternoon Activities

3:00 Announcements /
Winners

3:30 End of the day /
Benediction

Pin traders are invited! Please contact:
Amos Shatzer
11268 Alexander Ave.
Mount Union, Pa 17066
(814) 542-9654
ashatzer@verizon.net

Clubs planning to attend by bus are urged to give us ample notice so that we may have adequate parking arrangements.

Pennsylvania Lions Beacon Lodge Camp

114 State Route 103 South
Mount Union, Pa 17066

(814) 542-2511
Office@BeaconLodge.org





PENNSYLVANIA LIONS BEACON LODGE CAMP

114 STATE ROUTE 103 SOUTH, MOUNT UNION PA 17066 (P) 814-542-2511 (F) 814-542-7437

Web: www.BeaconLodge.org

Email: office@beaconlodge.org

PENNSYLVANIA LIONS APPRECIATION DAY CELEBRATING 73 YEARS OF CAMPING SUNDAY, JULY 18, 2021

Sunday, July 18, 2021 has been designated as "Pennsylvania Lions Appreciation Day". This is the day to recognize Immediate Past District Governors, District Liaisons, and all Lions, Lionesses, and Leos, for their outstanding support of the PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp project.

You, as a Lion, Lioness or Leo, are cordially invited to bring your families to Beacon Lodge to join the festivities. Our day starts at 10:00 am with a morning worship service at the Governor's Green. Camp tours are available throughout the day. A meal including hamburgers, hot dogs, kielbasa, linguine salad, baked beans, iced tea, sodas and dessert will be served from 11:30 am to 12:30 pm.

Pin Traders are invited to participate – contact PGD Amos Shatzer, (814) 542-9654, or email ashatzer@verizon.net if you wish to display pins.

Clubs planning to arrange for bus transportation are asked to notify the camp so adequate parking arrangements can be made. You may bring lawn chairs and/or blankets for seating during the worship service.

We hope you will be able to visit the camp on Pennsylvania Lions Appreciation Day to observe what your contributions have built. Every Lion in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania should be very proud of the part they play in making Beacon Lodge Camp possible.

Meals will be by reservation only. Reservations can be made by including a check for \$5 per meal and the form below to Beacon Lodge by July 5.

PENNSYLVANIA LIONS APPRECIATION DAY JULY 18, 2021

PLEASE RESERVE _____ MEALS AT \$5.00 EACH = TOTAL \$_____

TICKETS WILL BE PICKED UP ON JULY 18 BY:

NAME & ADDRESS OF PERSON MAKING RESERVATION:

NAME

STREET

CITY

STATE

ZIP

Club and District

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$_____

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ELDER ABUSE SYMPOSIUM

'SILENT NO LONGER'

<https://youtu.be/yYXqtX0QUnQ>

The words to be repeated over & over as the crisis escalates.

Why?

Elder abuse (violence, psychological abuse, financial, sexual & neglect) has been on the rise during the Covid-19 pandemic. It's time to take the crisis seriously.

Key Facts.

- 1) Approximately 1 in 6 people 60 years & older experienced abuse in community settings this year
- 2) Rates of elder abuse are high in institutions such as long-term care facilities & nursing homes in the past year
- 3) Elder abuse is predicted to increase as the population ages.

Statistics

In recent years 16% of the elder population have been abused, but only about 4% has been reported.

In Pennsylvania

Fiscal year 17-18 57% of the Report of Need (RONs) were investigated

Fiscal year 18-19 67% of the Report of Need (RONs) were investigated – a 10% increase

ELDER ABUSE "Silent No Longer" PANELISTS REPRESENT

Chester County Dept of Aging Service

U.S. Senator Bob Casey

Domestic Violence Center of Chester County

Berks County District Attorney

Curran Estate & Elder Law

<https://youtu.be/yYXqtX0QUnQ>

Committee Chair: Lion Zone Chair Toby Price Gelman (Ms)
Sandra Murphy, Director Chester County Dept. of Aging Services
Amelia Rayburn-Pizzica, Director Educational Programs Domestic Violence Center Chester County
Detective Pam Mathias, Berks County DA Office
Ebony Staton Weidman, Regional Director Southeast Pennsylvania U.S. Senator Bob Casey
Lion Barbara Smith
Lion Lathea Moskel

**All District 14P Lions
should distribute to
55+ communities as
a service project**

OUR PARTNERS

Chester County
Department of Aging
Toll-Free: 1-800-564-7000
Local (610) 344-6350

Domestic Violence Center
of Chester County
Toll-Free: 1-888-711-6270
Local (610) 431-1430

U.S. Senator Bob Casey
Local (215) 405-9660
Toll-Free: 1-866-461-9159
Toll-Free: 1-855-303-9470

District Attorney of
Berks County
Local (610) 478-6000
Toll-Free 1-800-490-8505

Curran Estate & Elder Law
Local (610) 406-5377
Reading, PA

Chair-Zone Chair Toby Price Gelman

Local Resources:

Statewide Elder Abuse Hotline
1-800-490-8505
www.aging.pa.gov

National Center on Elder Abuse
www.ncea.acl.gov

**Chester County
Department of Aging**
Toll-Free: 1-800-564-7000
Local: (610) 344-6350
www.chesco.org/486/Protective-Services

**Domestic Violence Center
of Chester County**
Toll-Free: 1-888-711-6270
Local: (610) 431-1430
www.dvccpa.org

**Berks County
Department of Aging**
(610) 478-6500

SAFE Berks
Toll-Free: 1-844-789-SAFE
Text "SAFE BERKS" to 20121
www.safeberks.org

**IF YOU ARE IN DANGER,
CALL 911!**

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Berks County Adult Agency on Aging



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Educate • Advocate • End Abuse

Elder Abuse: "Silent No Longer"



Information & Resources

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What is Elder Abuse?

Elder Abuse is a term used to describe any knowing, intentional, or negligent act by a caregiver or any other person that causes harm or a serious risk of harm to a vulnerable adult. Elder abuse can come in various forms:

Physical/Sexual Abuse

Hitting, pushing, kicking, punching, pinching, biting, unnecessarily restraint, intentionally causing pain, intentional misuse of medication, sexual abuse/exploitation, etc.

Verbal Abuse

Calling names, put-downs, making fun, embarrassing/humiliating, criticism, etc.

Emotional Abuse

Threats of harm or abandonment, manipulation, mind games, gaslighting—making you feel crazy, isolation, non-communication, intimidation, control, etc.

Financial Abuse

Pressure to make or making undue changes to legal, financial documents, theft of or withholding of funds, identity theft, etc.

Neglect & Self-Neglect

Deprivation of basic needs: food, water, housing, clothing, hygiene, medical care, emotional/social engagement, etc.

Self-Neglect involves an older adult, living independently, who is unable/unwilling to care for themselves leading to an environment threatening to health and safety.

Risk Factors for Elder Abuse

There are some factors that can put an older adult at increased risk for experiencing abuse including:

- An adult child who is still dependent on their older parent for financial assistance or housing—especially in cases where the adult child suffers from mental illness or a substance abuse disorder (addiction).
- A history of domestic violence in the home or family—as families grow and age, present problems of domestic violence often continue.
- Living with others in isolation—prevents likelihood of reporting of abuse.

PA Statistics on Elder Abuse

In national statistics, 1 in 10 adults 60+ have experienced some form of abuse. In Pennsylvania, since 2016, we have seen a **32% increase** in number of reports of elder abuse—with a **38% increase** in substantiated, or proven, claims of abuse.

- The age group most reported to be in need of protective services in PA were those between the ages of **81—90** and **almost half** of them lived in their own homes.
- **46.8%** of perpetrators of abuse were between the ages of 30—59 and **16.7%** were identified as family members.
- The most common substantiated forms of abuse were: **self-neglect, caregiver neglect, financial exploitation, physical, and emotional abuse.**

Reporting Abuse

In the state of Pennsylvania, if you work with and suspect abuse of an individual over the age of 60—you are mandated to report it to the appropriate authorities.

PA Statewide Elder Abuse Hotline
1-800-490-8505

- If you believe an adult is being abused and their life is in imminent danger, call 911 immediately! Then report directly to protective services.

To make a report you may need to know:

- Age of the victim
- Address of the victim
- Victim's level of physical/mental capacity
- Date of the incident
- Whether or not there are weapons present in the home, if there is a history of drug/alcohol abuse or domestic violence in the home.
- How the alleged perpetrator might react to a worker coming to the home
- What the best times to visit may be

*Failure to report suspected
abuse is a crime.*



Welcome New Members!

Heatherly Duty, Sponsored by Larry & Carol Heilner to Eagle— Glenmoore

Charles Johnson, Sponsored by Lisa Johnson to Hamburg

James Hepner, Sponsored by Tracey Melia to Lionville

Michael Hepner, Sponsored by Tracey Melia to Lionville

Ray Jones, Sponsored by Jerome Zeiler to Muhlenberg

Lawrence Ross, Sponsored by Thomas Yeager to Spring Township

Carolee Norton to West Chester

Reminder! Charter & entrance fees for new members are waived until December 31, 2021!



Lions Take Care

"We all find ourselves in the same circumstance. We must support each other. We are all one and we live in the same home: the earth."

— Andrea Garcia
Universitarios Caracas Andrés
Bello Lions Club (Venezuela)

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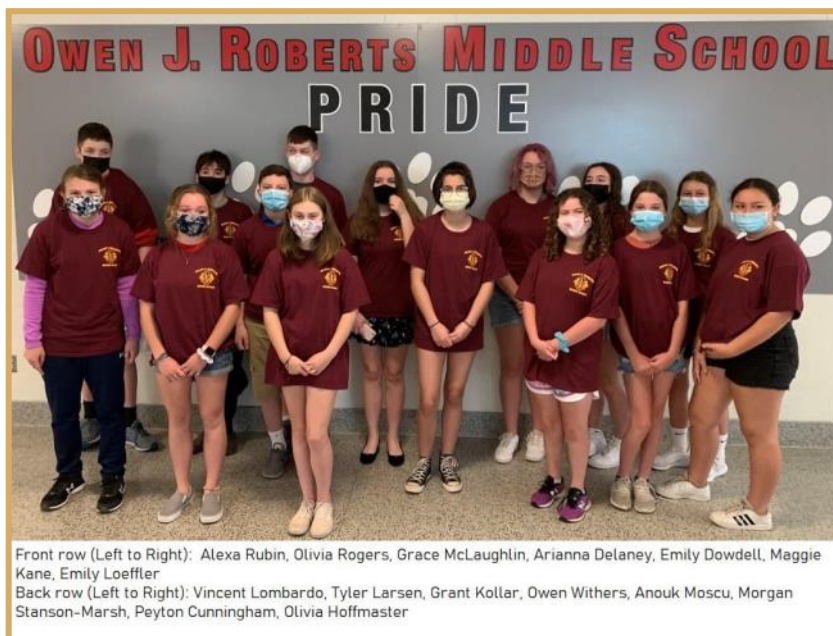


"Service from the Heart"

Avon Grove



The Avon Grove High School Leo Club collected over 1,000 pounds of plastic bags as a community service recycling project during the school year. For their efforts, the Trex Corporation awarded a Trex park bench that the Leo Club donated for the residential gardens at Luther House, West Grove, Pa. Pictured here (L to R) are Leos Josh Arencibia (past president), Angelina McGrath (president elect), Jessie Griffith (current president), Sofia Trone, Meghan Obez, Tanvi Joshi. Seated are Bonnie McCloskey (Leo Advisor) and Lion Dave Priebe (Leo Coordinator)



On June 2nd Mrs. Jennifer Scott, the Middle School Leo Advisor hosted an in-person meeting at the Middle School. This pandemic year there were 21 Middle school Leos. All members completed the required commitment for induction. Two members and several parents attended the meeting virtually. Mrs. Scott welcomed the Leos and guests with a video presentation showcasing the year's activities. Mr. Terry Stouffer was introduced to the Leo Club and help with the presentation of t-shirts and certificates. After the presentation the Leos recited the official pledge of membership to the club. Following the induction of Leo Members, Mrs. Scott was presented with an Appreciation of Service Award by the Coventry Lions Club for her excellent leadership throughout her tenure as Advisor. This year marked her fifth year and she was Awarded with a Five-Year Advisor Certificate. A very satisfying year of service and activities was recognized by the school as the club was feted with a nice breakfast at the conclusion of the induction ceremony.



"Service from the Heart"

District 14p Zone 4a (Zone Chair Toby P. Gelman) had their 6 month joint eye glass collection Saturday June 12, 2021. PDG Dave Sampson and Lion Linda Sampson met the clubs at the old Kmart Shopping Center in West Goshen. Below are the totals glasses collected.

Pictured left to right

Lion Barb Smith -PBM, Lion Lathea Moskel - Coatesville, Zone Chair Toby P. Gelman - West Goshen, Zone Chair Tracey Melia - West Chester & Lionville, Lion Linda Sampson. Lion Peg Huebner West Goshen took the picture. Lion Jim Steiner PBM & PDG Dave Sampson present

PBM - Regular Glasses - 1,148 Sunglasses - 122 Loose lenses - 150

West Goshen-Regular - 522 Sunglasses - 51

West Chester-124

Lionville-376

Coatesville-875

TOTALS 173 150 3,045



Eagle-Glenmoore



The Eagle-Glenmoore Lions Club held their 1st Chicken Barbecue on May 1, 2021. The dinner was offered as pre-sale, pick-up only and sold out in weeks! The \$12 dinner included ½ chicken with sides and dessert and our club plans to make this an annual fundraiser.

We greatly appreciated the generous donations from Carmine's Parkside Pizza, Montesano Brothers, Crop's Fresh Marketplace, Somerset Nursey, and individuals that made this fundraiser a success.

The proceeds were given to our local all-volunteer fire companies, Ludwigs Corner and Glenmoore by Club President Kathy Ewell shown in the pictures. In addition, proceeds were used for Anysoldier.com.



"Service from the Heart"

Avon Grove

The Avon Grove Lions held their Distribution of funds night on Thursday June 10, 2021. The Lions distributed funds to twenty organizations totaling over \$22,000. This added to the funds distributed earlier in the year came to over \$41,000.

The Avon Grove Lions would like to thank everyone who made these donations possible, by visiting the Lions Book Barn and Christmas Tree sale as well as donating to the White Cane Fundraisers.



Grace Blevins from the Avon Grove Charter School is the winner of the Avon Grove Lions Scholastic Achievement Award for the 2020-2021 school year.



The Avon Grove Lions awarded 3 Scholastic Achievement Awards to students at the Chester County Technical College/High School. This year's winners are.

Luc Stackhouse-Culinary Arts

Nicole Zamores-Chavez-Health Career Pathways

Austin Wells-Engine Technology



Jessica Griffin from the Avon Grove Charter School was awarded the Avon Grove Lions Scholastic Achievement Award.





"Service from the Heart"

Coatesville



Pat Milliken, Past President

Lathea Moskel, President

Cindy Leahan 1st.

Michael Moskel 2nd

Eagle-Glenmoore

The Eagle-Glenmoore 22nd Annual Golf Tournament was held on June 9, 2021. This tournament was started in 1988 by longtime Lion Don Greenleaf (pictured) and since has raised over \$134,000 for charity.

We greatly appreciate the generosity we received from our local businesses, corporations, and individuals contributing to its success. Our 72 Golfers not only purchased the raffle tickets, but some gave donations, too!

Sponsoring a tournament requires the entire club members to participate in seeking hole sponsors, the lunch raffle prizes, mailings, and too many steps to mention. Our club is fortunate to have the leadership of Lion Herb Mays as Tournament Director, Lion Don Greenleaf as adviser, and newer member Lion Karen Milchanoski who assumed the momentous task of coordinating and chairing the tournament. Lion Karen Milchanoski was presented the Lion of the Year Award from our club.





2021 Virtual Camp at PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp

We are happy to announce that Beacon Lodge Camp will be offering Virtual Camp during the 2021 camping season!

We will not let the pandemic stop us from getting together and having fun with our Beacon Lodge family!

Virtual camp will run from July 10 through July 14, for two hours each day, and will replace in-person Camp for the following sessions:

Adults – Transitional Care, Assisted Living, and Hearing Impaired.

Children- Camp ALIVE, Assisted Living, Blind/VI, and ENERGY

The daily schedule will be as follows:

7:45 AM to 9:45 AM – Adult Transitional Care and Assisted Living

10:00 AM to Noon – All Children's sessions

1:00 PM to 3:00 PM – Deaf/Hearing Impaired

For Virtual Camp attendees, the Camp fee will be waived for this year!

What will be required: \$100 Registration Fee, Online Registration Form, Recent photo of camper (so we can recognize their smiling faces), signed Photo/Video Release Form, and a valid email address.

Virtual Camp is online, so an internet-connected device and high-speed internet service (able to stream video) will be needed. Also, if the camper may require assistance, please make sure someone is available to help.

Upon receipt of the above-listed payment and documents, a confirmation email will be sent to the email address provided. Prior to virtual camp, an access link for the first day's session will be emailed to all attendees. Each day a new access link will be emailed for the following day's activities.

We will not require the Medical Form for Virtual Camp, but we do recommend that any camper who has a seizure disorder consult a doctor before enrolling.

What to Expect

Each day of virtual camp will begin with the National Anthem, flag raising, and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Each day will also have a theme – color of the day, word of the day, hat day, pet day, etc...

Each day may include – Singing and dancing, Storytime, Exercise, Campfire Talks, good hygiene practices, round table discussions for thoughts and comments from campers, and more. There will also be cameo appearances from Itowe, the Camp mascot! We will have arts and crafts as well, but don't worry – you don't have to go shopping! Each registered camper will receive a package in the mail with all the needed supplies, mailed to the address on the registration form.

We are excited about Virtual Camp and are looking forward to reconnecting with all of our beloved campers - old friends, and new!

P.S. Virtual Camp forms can only be filled out online. Visit BeaconLodge.org to find the forms for your session.



2021 CAMP CALENDAR – Revised 2/2021

PA LIONS

PA State Convention - May 13-16, 2021 Altoona, PA
VDG/New Board Member Seminar - July 17, 2021
International Convention – June 25 – 29, 2021 Virtual
Pennsylvania Lions Appreciation Day - July 18, 2021
USA/Canada Forum - September 9 - 11, 2021 Des Moines, Iowa

PA LIONS Board of Directors

Board Meeting: December 12, 2020 – 9:30 Virtual
Board Meeting: March 14, 2021 – 12:30 Virtual
Board Meeting, VDG/New Board Member seminar:
July 17, 2021 – 1:00 Beacon Lodge and Virtual. VDG in attendance
Committee meetings in morning.
Board Meeting: September 19, 2021 – Beacon Lodge and Virtual
September 18 and morning of September 19, committee meetings.

BEACON LODGE CAMP

Staff Pre-Camp Training - July 1 – July 8, 2021
Camp Opens - July 10, 2021
Camp Ends - August 11, 2021
Popeye Fleck Fishing Derby - July 11, 2021
5th Annual Golf Outing - August 28, 2021
14L Picnic - August 29, 2021
14C Work Weekend - April 16 – 18, 2021
14N Work Weekend - April 29 – May 1, 2021
Leo Rally - August 20 – August 22, 2021



Virtual Camp		
Adult Camp		
Session 1	Transitional Care	July 10 - 14
Session 2	Assisted Living	July 10 - 14
Session 3	Transitional Care	July 10 - 14
Session 4	Assisted Living	July 10 - 14
Session 5	Hearing Impaired	July 10 - 14
Session 6	Assisted Living	July 10 - 14
Children's Village		
Session 1	A.L.I.V.E.	July 10 - 14
Session 3	Assisted Living	July 10 - 14
Session 7	Blind VII	July 10 - 14
Session 8	ENERGY	July 10 - 14

In Person Camp		
Adult Camp		
Session 7	Blind VII	July 17 – 27
Session 8	Blind VII	July 31 – August 10
Children's Village		
Session 2	Family Camp	July 17 – 21
Session 4	Project New Hope	July 24 – 28
Session 5	Family Camp	July 31 – August 4
Session 6	Project New Hope	August 7 – 11

PLEASE NOTE:

Some sessions fill up quickly, the best way to reserve a camp session is to send in the camper registration form with the \$100 registration fee as soon as possible.

Check-ins are from 12 noon to 3:30 pm. Check-outs are from 9:00 am to 12 noon.

Any Questions? Contact

PDG Charles Finney irishcarver@aol.com

Berks County Music Fest

Saturday, August 28, 2021

12:00 pm until 7:00 pm

Saint Benedict's Picnic Grove

4541 Morgantown Road, Mohnton, PA 19540

Featuring:

The Uptown Band

Jeff Krick, Jr.

The Large Flowerheads

Advanced ticket price \$ 15.

Day of the Event ticket price \$ 20.

Children 17 and under admitted free.

Tickets may be purchased in advance by contacting

Lion Karl Stamm 484-513-6966 or at www.mohntoncumrullions.com

Enjoy Hours of continuous music. Food and beverages for purchase, including beer by the glass.

(Proper I.D. required to purchase adult beverages)

No food, drinks or pets are allowed to be brought into the park.

Rain or shine. Bring your chair or blanket.

E-Z up canopies allowed, only on perimeter of grounds.



Erich Cawalla and The Uptown Band



Jeff Krick, Jr.



The Large Flowerheads

Sponsored by:
Mohnton-Cumru Lions Club



Looking for a sweet & easy way to fundraise?

Try selling Lions Mints! Ten Lions mint displays available for free.

Please contact Lion Anne Ostrowski at anne15@frontiernet.net if interested!



8TH ANNUAL

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Assisted by Muhlenberg Township

THE UPTOWN BAND

SATURDAY, AUGUST 14TH

4 PM to 8 PM

JIM DIETRICH PARK in MUHLENBERG TOWNSHIP

(Rain Date, Sunday August 15th from noon till 4 PM)

Bring your own food, table & chairs, we'll sell you the wine

(Limited food available from Monte Lauro Italian Food and Station House Grille)

Cover charge \$10.00 in advance \$15.00 at the gate

FOR TICKETS CALL BILL SANDEL 610-921-2620 OR PICK THEM UP AT THE MUHLENBERG TOWNSHIP BUILDING, MUHLENBERG LIBRARY, AT THE EVENT, OR FROM MUHLENBERG LIONS OR ROTARY CLUB MEMBERS



Serving the Community Together

(Must be at least 21 years old - No Pets Please)



SHOEMAKERSVILLE AREA LIONS CLUB

2021 SUMMER PICNIC

JULY 9TH and JULY 10TH

SHOEMAKERSVILLE PARK

MUSIC - FOOD - ENTERTAINMENT

Food at 5:00 pm

Music at 6:30



For More Info, Scan the QR code or Visit
www.SHOEYLIONS.com

ORDER RAFFLE TICKETS NOW

\$ 950

IN CASH PRIZES

\$2.00 Each or \$5.00 for 3 Tickets

NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN

CLICK THE RAFFLE BUTTON BELOW TO MAKE YOUR DONATION TO THE RAFFLE PRIZES



Beacon Lodge 5th Annual Golf Outing

Saturday, August 28th 2021

Check In at Noon

Shotgun Start at 1pm

**American Legion
Country Club**

Mount Union, PA 17066



18 Hole Scramble

Just \$75/golfer includes:

- ⇒ Green Fees
- ⇒ Cart
- ⇒ Prizes & Awards
- ⇒ Snacks, Beer, Pop, and Water all day
- ⇒ Food is available throughout the day

Prizes

1st Place Team: \$300

2nd Place Team: \$200

3rd Place Team: \$100

Plus- Skills Prizes on all par 3's,
Longest Drive, Longest Put-\$50 Pro Shop Gift Certificate

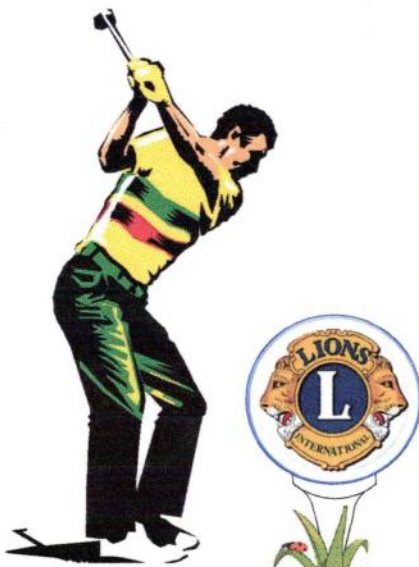
Limited to 80 Players- First come, first served

Contact: Jonathan Carver-114 State Route 103 South, Mount Union Pa. 17066

814.542.2511

Send checks payable to: Pa Lions Beacon Lodge Camp

www.beaconlodge.org



GOLF 2021

MUHLENBERG LIONS CLUB

24TH ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

(WEATHER REPORT DAY OF THE EVENT: 78° F & SUNNY)

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 20TH

RICH MAIDEN GOLF COURSE

234 Rich Maiden Road, Fleetwood, PA

(Rain or Shine)

Cost includes green fees, cart, soda, beer, coffee/donuts prior to start, and catered lunch following the event!

Prizes include:

Men's & Women's, Closest to the Pin, Longest Drive, and much more!

Register by Sept 10th Make checks payable to and send to:

Muhlenberg Lions Club, Joel Johnson
3507 Chestnut Street, Reading, PA 19605

Cost Per Player \$65

Shotgun Start 8:00 am

Scramble – Better Ball

- Seniors (age 65 or older) may play from the gold tees!
- Prefer entries as foursomes, but Individuals welcome!
- Putting contest during the event!
- Mulligans for sale \$5, max 4 per Team!



Entry Form, 24th Annual Muhlenberg Lions Club **Fund Raising** Golf Tournament

Contact person:	Names of Players
Address:	Player 1:
City / Zip Code:	Player 2:
Phone:	Player 3:
e-mail:	Player 4:
Total Amount of Payment Enclosed: \$ _____	

SHILLINGTON LIONS CLUB FOUNDATION
45TH ANNUAL FLEA MARKET-2021
SPACE ORDER FORM

Governor Mifflin Intermediate School Parking Lot, 600 Governor Dr, Shillington

1st Saturday of each month, May, June, September and October from 7:00am to 12⁰⁰ noon

<u>Number of Markets</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>
3-space spot (27 feet wide)	16	31	45	58
4-space/3+Grass Area Spot	20	39	57	74

To be eligible for the multiple markets discount, all months must be paid prior to attending your first market.

****Reservations and payments (using PayPal) can be made on line at ShillingtonLions.org**

Market Date	3-space spot	4-Space or/3-Space + Grass Spot
May 1, 2021		
June 5, 2021		
September 4, 2021		
October 2, 2021		

Total Amount Paid _____

Name _____

Phone Number _____

Email or Mailing Address _____

Contact Mark Kenney at mkenney60@yahoo.com or 610-909-2229

Payment may now be made using the online form at ShillingtonLions.org through PayPal, or by mailing check or money order payable to Shillington Lions Club Foundation, PO Box 153 Shillington PA 19607



West Goshen Lions Club 50th Anniversary

Radley Run Country Club (Main Bldg - Elevator - Outside)

1100 Country Club Rd, West Chester, PA 19382

Sunday July 25th, 2021 4pm

Buffet Dinner (Cash Bar)

Tossed Salad Caesar Salad

Carved Roast Turkey Grilled Salmon Sauteed Chicken Breast

Carved Roast Tenderloin of Beef Penne with Sauteed Spinach

Fresh Vegetables

Roasted Bliss Potatoes

Water/Coffee/Tea

Selection of Cakes & Tarts

Cost Single \$47.50

Couple \$95.00

For Reservations

Make check payable to West Goshen Lions Club & mail form & check to

Toby P. Gelman

1316 West Chester Pike G5

West Chester, PA 19382

Name _____ Email _____

of people attending _____ Amount \$ _____

Reservation Deadline July 14, 2021

****** MASKS & SOCIAL DISTANCING WILL BE OBSERVED**

To make this special occasion even more memorable, and to defray costs, we are preparing a commemorative program booklet as a souvenir of the event. We are inviting your participation in this venture by purchasing an ad or becoming a member of the patron list. Ads are available at a cost of: \$30.00 for a ¼ page, \$ 60.00 for a ½ page, \$ 100.00 for a full page, Patron listings are \$10.00 each.

Checks can be made out to the West Goshen Lions Club, for ads or patron listings along with the ad to be printed, mailed to: Tony Simkovich, 821 Kimberly Lane, West Chester, PA 19382. Ads can also be emailed to simkovich1@comcast.net.

Any funds left over will be donated to Lions charities to be determined by the committee. We look forward to your cooperation and participation in this historical event.

Respectively, West Goshen Lions Club



To develop leaders, motivate and educate attendees, provide an open exchange of ideas,

Des Moines, Iowa

September 9-11, 2021

What are the best things to do in Des Moines?

GREATER DES MOINES BOTANICAL GARDEN

JOHN & MARY PAPPAJOHN SCULPTURE PARK

DES MOINES ART ROUTE

ADVENTURE LANDS PARK

PRAIRIE MEADOWS CASINO RACETRACK & HOTEL

BLANK PARK ZOO

LIVING HISTORY FARMS

OUTDOOR TRAILS



The Planning and Host Committees continue to plan the finer details of the USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum.

Thank you to all of you who have pre-registered. I know I'm not the only one looking forward to being with like-minded Lions for an inspirational weekend of leadership, friendship, and service!

It's not too late to register (the current fee is \$320), but some of the hotels have filled up, so don't stay on the fence too long.

There are many interesting things to do in Des Moines, and we are bringing some new features to the Forum this year to complement the many things you already enjoy. There will be something for everyone at #LionsForum2021!

Register at <https://lionsforum.org>

Together in Service, Wendy Cain

2022 Lions International Convention Relocated!

Due to the ongoing challenges presented by the coronavirus (COVID-19), the board of directors has voted to relocate the 2022 Lions International Convention from New Delhi, India to Montréal, Canada.

The ongoing travel and health advisories, and the size and complexity of our convention, led to this difficult decision. The board of directors also agreed to host a future convention in the beautiful city of New Delhi in a mutually-agreed upon year.

Unfortunately, this is not the first time COVID-19 has required our organization to make adjustments for the health and safety of our Lions, staff, vendors and local communities. In 2020, the board of directors voted to cancel the Singapore convention due to the government of Singapore restricting entry to the country. In January 2021, the 103rd Lions Clubs International Convention was transformed from an in-person event in Montréal, Canada to the organization's first virtual convention in response to the ongoing global pandemic.

We would like to recognize our Lions in India, who are such an important part of our Lion family. They have been dealing with a very challenging moment in their country, like so many others around the world. We know that Lions are working there to safely serve their communities, and everywhere we serve. While COVID has forced us to change the way we live, work and serve, we will continue to meet this challenge together.

We will be working to move ahead with planning our 2022 international convention in Montréal, which will take place on June 24-28, 2022. As plans come together, we will be sure to communicate to the Lions of the world.

PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp GOLF OUTING August 28, 2021

Add-Ons

Overnight Accommodations

at Beacon Lodge Camp Free

Please call Beacon Lodge

814-542-2511 to make arrangements

☐ Friday ☐ Saturday

Early Bird Golf – 18 holes

Friday, August 27 (all day) \$24

Sponsor Information*

District 14 - _____

Name for Sign: _____

Contact: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

*Send before August 19, 2021

Thanks for helping us serve!

In 1948, Lion Carl Shoemaker helped found Vacations for the Blind, a summer camp designed for adults with vision impairment. Since then, the name was changed to PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp. The program has also changed to include children and adults with a wide range of disabilities. By providing a sponsorship or joining us at the Country Club, you will be helping us continue our mission of providing a summer camp experience to our statewide community of Special Needs Children and Adults.



PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp
5th Annual Golf Outing

Saturday, August 28, 2021, 1:00 pm

American Legion Country Club
Mount Union, PA, 17066

814-542-4343



PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp
c/o Jonathan Carver
114 State Route 103 South
Mount Union, PA, 17066

PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp

Are you looking for a way to help special needs children and adults AND have fun?

Then, this golf outing is what you're looking for.

When: Saturday, August 28, 2021
Check-In - Noon
Shotgun start at 1:00 pm

Where: American Legion Country Club
Mount Union, PA, 17066

Format: 18-hole Scramble

Price: Just \$75/golfer includes—

- ✓ Green Fees
- ✓ Cart
- ✓ Prizes & Awards
- ✓ Snacks, beer, pop, and water all day
- ✓ Food is available throughout the day

Note: make checks payable to "PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp" and return:

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Mount Union, PA, 17066

5th Annual Golf Outing

Prizes

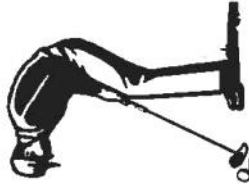
- 1st Place Team \$300
- 2nd Place Team \$200
- 3rd Place Team \$100

Plus, Skills Prizes on

all par 3's: Longest

Drive, Longest Putt

\$50 Pro Shop Gift Certificates



Your support as a Sponsor is crucial to the success of PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp.

Sponsor Levels:

- **Diamond - \$5,000** Includes Naming Rights for the outing, 2'x3' diamond-shape Pavilion Sign, two paid Foursomes and a 12"x16" Hole Sponsor Sign (at a tee or green)
- **Platinum - \$2,000** Includes Platinum sign, 2 paid Foursomes, and a Hole Sponsor Sign
- **Gold - \$1,500** Includes a gold-colored Pavilion Sign, paid Foursome, and a Hole Sponsor Sign
- **Silver - \$1,000** Includes a silver-colored Pavilion Sign, paid Foursome, and a Hole Sponsor Sign
- **Bronze - \$500** Includes a bronze-colored Pavilion sign and a Hole Sponsor Sign
- **Hole - \$100** Includes a Hole Sponsor Sign
- **Cart - \$50** Includes sign on cart



Golfer Registration Form PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp

Format: 4-Person Scramble
(One single-digit handicap per team)

Team Name _____

Golfer #1 _____

Address _____

City/St/ZIP _____

Phone (H) _____

Phone (W) _____

Email _____ Hcp _____

Golfer #2 _____

Address _____

City/St/ZIP _____

Phone (H) _____

Phone (W) _____

Email _____ Hcp _____

Golfer #3 _____

Address _____

City/St/ZIP _____

Phone (H) _____

Phone (W) _____

Email _____ Hcp _____

Golfer #4 _____

Address _____

City/St/ZIP _____

Phone (H) _____

Phone (W) _____

Email _____ Hcp _____

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TOGETHER



Happy New Lions Year! I just want to take the opportunity to say "Hello", and send out good wishes for this upcoming year. It certainly looks like we are working through Covid and getting to the other side– our "new normal", and even though parts of going forward are new, we don't need to let go of the "normal". That is, the human compassion, friendship and service that is innately a part of us.

From the Editor

I have been receiving many more flyers and ads for upcoming events and fundraisers for our clubs of District 14-P. It is very exciting! The events and fundraisers for our communities will help the community in more ways than we are typically used to. We need to come together. Our communities need that "normal" again. Let's help provide that sense of normal if we can.

Lastly, I would like to ask that clubs bring up Lion Eyes in their meetings. For a short minute, ask if everyone has been receiving or even knows about Lion Eyes. I have started sending the newsletter out to each individual email address that is in MyLCI. I have seen an increase in those who take the time to open and read the newsletter, and I hope that we can reach as many Lions and friends as possible. Please reach out to me via email or phone with any problems with Lion Eyes!

Thank you,

Lion Eyes Editor– Stephanie Gerlott

sgerlott@comcast.net

484-624-1902



Happy Independence Day!