

# DISTRICT 25-A DIRECTORY

2021-2022



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## District Governor *Mitchell D. Semans*

District Governor Mitchell Semans, PCC, joined the Hamlet Lions Club in 1998. Since then he has been very active helping his club during the fair at their eat stand, organizing different fund-raisers and serving the community by taking part in the road clean-ups, eye screenings, etc. He has also served his club as President twice, plus serving on many committees. Lion Mitchell was Zone Chair for Zone 3B.

DG Mitchell has been married to Lion Wendy for seven years and has 4 step-children and 6 grandchildren. He is a financial advisor and has worked in the financial and insurance industry for over 25 years. Wendy is a social worker with the State of Indiana. They are both members of the Hamlet United Methodist Church.

He was elected as 2nd Vice District Governor in 2017; 1st VDG in 2018; and District Governor of 25A for the year 2019-2020. At the District Convention in 2020 DG Mitchell was presented with the W. P. Woods Fellowship. At the close of the 2019-2020 year he was elected as Council Chair for 2020-2021. During the Indiana State Convention in April of 2021, he was honored with the Presidential Leadership Award from International President Jung-Yul Choi.

During his first term as District Governor, Mitchell used as his theme “May the Lions be with you”! His second term could be no less than.....

**“The Lions Strike Back, The Sequel”**

**God Bless**



## **1st Vice District Governor**

*Nicolas S. Gonzalez*

I am a member of the Hobart Lions Club. I joined the Hobart Lions in 2008. I have served 2 years as club president and 2 years as club secretary. I have worked the camera for several KidSight screenings, flipped pancakes, and grilled pork chops to help my club. I was pleasantly surprised by my club when I was awarded a W.P. Woods Fellowship at our 2018 Holiday Party.

At the district level, I served as Zone Chair for Zone 2B for 3 years. I was your 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice District Governor in 2020-2021. This is my 2<sup>nd</sup> year serving as a trustee for the Cancer Control State project.

I graduated from Merrillville High School in 1997 and began my collegiate career at Purdue University's West Lafayette campus. I changed majors along with campus location and earned my Bachelor of Science in Accounting & Finance from Purdue University Calumet in 2003. I pursued a law career but gave that up after 1 year of law school. I then chose to pursue a Master of Accountancy, which I earned from Purdue University Calumet in 2007.

I have worked for U.S. Steel for 13 years. I ensure that manufactured steel slabs meet our chemistry standards before continuing along the steelmaking process. My co-workers encouraged me to run for a union leadership position. I am currently a Trustee for USW Local 2695.

Outside of Lions, I have served as treasurer and match coordinator for the Northwest Indiana Rugby Club. I have also volunteered with the White Sox Volunteer Corps. You may have seen my photo in the April 2021 newsletter.

I want to thank everyone for continuing to serve our communities despite the pandemic. You are all appreciated!

**Here's to an outstanding 2021-2022 Lions year!**



## 2nd Vice District Governor *Stephen J. Helmken*

Stephen Helmken joined the Michiana Lions Club in September 2013 and was appointed Chaplain the following year. He was elected Secretary in July 2016. That same year he assumed the office of President and served in that position through 2018. He was elected Co-Secretary in 2018. After having 1 year off, he now holds the position of Secretary again. This past December, he was presented the Melvin Jones Fellowship from his club.

He and Lion Alice have been married for 19 years. They share their home with their cat, Max. (However, Max thinks it's his house and they live with him!)

Lion Steve is employed by the Michigan City Public Library and has been there for 44 years having been the Cataloguer for the last 37 of those years. He and Alice are members of the First United Methodist Church of Michigan City.

At the District level, Lion Steve has served as District Chaplain for 25A since 2018. He is a Trustee of the Lions Speech and Hearing, Inc. project and has been since 2015. In 2020 he was a Zone Chair for Zone 3A. He has served the District as Cabinet Secretary for the last 2 years.

Lion Steve is looking forward to serving District 25A as their 2nd Vice District Governor. "I want to thank the Lions of our District for their support in the next few chapters of my life in Lions. I know that working together we can move our District and the Lions organization to a new level in membership and in the way we serve others."

***Let us always remember to serve with our hearts!***



## **Cabinet Secretary**

### ***Carolyn Laviolette***

Carolyn joined the South Haven Lions Club in 2009. Since then, she has served her Club as Secretary, President, and Immediate Past President. She has volunteered & chaired many committees i.e., South Haven Lions' Club Strikers Game at the Porter County Fair, Bass Pro Grill for the Annual Christmas Project, Haven Hollow Fest for the community, South Haven Lions' Pancake Breakfast and more. Carolyn especially enjoyed her time working with eye screening in the various communities.

She has served as a Zone Chair for 2 years. Lion Carolyn has been the Chairperson or co-chair for such projects as the Chellberg Farm's Maple Syrup Pancake Breakfast. She has also transcribed books into Braille for the visually challenged, not only for children but all ages. She continues to be a mentor to other Lions when needed.

She has been the chairperson for RAP (Reading Action Program) and for the Peace Poster/Essay Contest for District 25-A.

Married to her husband of 32 years, Lion Ken, she is retired from Morgan Stanley (formerly Smith Barney) Financials. They have 3 lovely daughters, an awesome son, 2 wonderful grandsons and a precious great granddaughter.

She eagerly faces this next year as Secretary, working with a great DG and the rest of his terrific Cabinet.



## **Cabinet Treasurer**

### *Tiffany R. Nagai*

Lion Tiffany has been a Lion for 7 years as a member of the Hamlet Lions Club. She previously served as the President and is currently the Treasurer. Lion Tiffany is also currently serving as the Cabinet Treasurer.

Lion Tiffany enjoys the semi-annual community service road clean up activity and helping at the Hamlet Lions eat stand during the Starke County Fair, which is the main fundraiser for the club. Lion Tiffany loves to attend all the meetings that serve food. She has become good at frying eggs for the annual Hamlet Lions Pancake Breakfast.

Lion Tiffany is married to Lion Lee Nagai. They have two daughters, Victoria, and Elizabeth. She graduated from Purdue University in 2006 with a degree in Farm Management. Tiffany farms with her husband and father. Lion Tiffany enjoys collecting old International farm tractors with her father and attends tractor shows displaying some of the tractors she and her father have. Lion Tiffany enjoys eating out with friends and going on road trips to restaurants that are known for a specialty menu item.

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Chartered May 14, 1943

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Chartered September 22, 1944

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Chartered June 5, 2008

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Chartered August 6, 1943

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Chartered July 1926

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Chartered November 5, 1925

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Chartered March 5, 1951

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Chartered January 12, 1938

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## **OGDEN DUNES LIONS CLUB (9447)**

Chartered November 17, 1958

Meets 2nd & 4th Monday 7:00 PM

Ogden Dunes Fire Station, 111 Hillcrest Rd.

Ogden Dunes, IN

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## **PORTAGE LIONS CLUB (9448)**

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Meets 2nd Monday 12:00 PM  
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Portage, IN

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## **REMINGTON LIONS CLUB (28017)**

Chartered February 26, 1974

Meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday 7:30 PM  
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## **RENSSELAER LIONS CLUB (9449)**

Chartered October 28, 1943

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## **ROLLING PRAIRIE LIONS CLUB (9450)**

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## **SCHERERVILLE LIONS CLUB (9454)**

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## **SCHERERVILLE CENTRAL LIONS CLUB (40860)**

Chartered February 19, 1982

Meets 3rd Tuesday 7:00 PM

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## **SHELBY LIONS CLUB (9456)**

Chartered May 25, 1944

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## **SOUTH HAVEN LIONS CLUB (9457)**

Chartered November 3, 1965

Meets 2nd & 4th Thursday 7:00 PM

Only 2nd Thursday during summer (June/July/Aug)

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South Haven, IN

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## **ST. JOHN LIONS CLUB (9452)**

Chartered February 12, 1957

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## **STAR CITY LIONS CLUB (9458)**

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## **UNION MILLS LIONS CLUB (31211)**

Chartered September 30, 1975

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## **VALPARAISO LIONS CLUB (9460)**

Chartered September 18, 1939

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Chartered September 25, 1944

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## **WESTVILLE LIONS CLUB (9462)**

Chartered May 26, 1943

Meets 1st & 3rd Thursday 6:30 PM  
(1st Thursday meeting place varies)

Westville United Methodist Church

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## **WHEATFIELD LIONS CLUB (9463)**

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## **WHITING LIONS CLUB (9464)**

Chartered June 7, 1929

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## **WINAMAC LIONS CLUB (42769)**

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## **District Dates to Remember**

### **DG Mitchell Semans' Banner Night**

Saturday, July 24th

Quality Inn & Suites  
Conference Center,  
La Porte, IN  
6:30 PM CDT

### **Women's Symposium**

Sunday, August 29th

Wanatah Lions Club  
2:00 PM CDT

### **District 25A Cabinet Meetings**

|                        |                                              |
|------------------------|----------------------------------------------|
| Saturday, August 14th  | 9:00 AM – 11 :00 AM CDT<br>Shelby Lions Club |
| Saturday, October 9th  | 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM CDT<br>Place TBD          |
| Saturday, January 22nd | 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM CDT<br>Place TBD          |
| Sunday, June 11th      | 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM CDT<br>Hamlet Lions Club  |

### **District Convention**

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|-------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Friday & Saturday | March 18th & 19th, 2022<br>Quality Inn & Suites,<br>La Porte, IN |
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### **State Convention**

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|-----------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Friday – Sunday | April 29th – May 1st, 2022<br>Wyndham West Hotel,<br>Indianapolis, IN |
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### **International Conventions**

- June 24 - 28, 2022: Montreal, Canada**
- July 7 - 11, 2023: Boston, Massachusetts**
- June 21 - 25, 2024: Melbourne, Australia**
- July 4 - 8, 2025: Mexico City, Mexico**
- July 3 - 7, 2026: Atlanta, Georgia**
- July 2 - 6, 2027: Washington, DC**
- June 23 - 27, 2028: Singapore, Southeast Asia**

## **MEDICAL CLOSET CLUBS**



Griffith Lions

Hamlet Lions

Hebron Lions

Highland Lions

Hobart Lions



LaCrosse Lions

Lake Station Lions

Rolling Prairie Lions

South Haven Lions

Wanatah Lions

Westville Lions

Wheatfield Lions

“Great opportunities to  
help others seldom come,  
but small ones surround  
us every day.”

- *Sally Koch*