



# District 25A-Newsletter



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*"IN RUGBY, YOU SAY THE PHRASE  
'WITH YOU' WHEN YOU WISH TO HELP YOUR  
TEAMMATE.*

*LIONS, I AM 'WITH YOU' WHEN A FELLOW LION  
NEEDS HELP WITH A SERVICE PROJECT, FINDING  
NEW MEMBERS OR NEW LEADERS."*

*DG-NICK GONZALEZ*



*International President Brian Sheehan's Pin*

DG in Canada

*District Governor: Nick Gonzalez*



**Greetings fellow Lions of 25A!**

Thank you to everyone who attended my Banner Night. It was quite a fun evening. There's a reason I was nicknamed the 'Dance Machine' back in middle school. This has been an amazing month so far. I wrote my last article before I attended the Lions International Convention. I enjoyed meeting Lions from around the world. I was able to meet my DGE training group in person for the first time.



I am truly thankful to have lifelong friends from near and far. I wish to send everyone some positive vibes as you begin the new Lions year. Whatever project you do ,no matter how small, should be broadcast for the district to see.

My theme was meant to promote togetherness. Sharing your projects helps your fellow clubs. You may inspire a fellow Lion to come up with a new idea. A spirit of togetherness can also help within the club.

I encourage you to check in on club members who have not been as active as you. Sometimes all a person needs is call or visit to feel included by his/her club. We are all in this together!

My schedule is starting to fill up with official visits. I look forward to visiting each club in 25A. if you have not yet scheduled your visit, please contact me.

You all have wonderful ways of serving your communities. I commend you all for making a difference.

I encourage everyone to attend our first Cabinet meeting. Come meet our new club, the Gary NWI Lions, and share your ideas Thank you all for making a difference in our area. The communities in our district would not be the same without you!

Yours in Lionism,  
DG Nick Gonzalez



## ***1st VDG-Stephen Helmken***

AUGUST 2022

### ***Everyone Knows This!***



LCI stands for Lions Clubs International. We are the largest service organization. We, as Lions, know this. There are clubs all over the world. In Indiana alone we have 345 clubs. On the Lions Clubs International website under "Discover Our Story, About Us" it says:

*"...Being a Lion is about leading by example, building relationships, and improving the world through kindness. It's 1.4 million caring men and women serving together so they can make a lasting impact and change more lives."*

I quote this to show you what we are, what we do, and how we go about doing it. Plus, I wanted to show that they say there are 1.4 million men and women serving together for the greater good all over the world! "When you become a Lion, you become part of a global network of volunteers working together to make a difference." This is another quote from the Lions Clubs International website.

So why do I tell you this? Everyone reading this newsletter should know this information. You're a Lion. If you weren't a Lion, you wouldn't have this newsletter to read all that has and is going on in District 25A. You wouldn't care if you weren't a Lion. But we are LIONS. We belong to the world's largest service organization. We are 1.4 million men and women working together to help our communities and individuals who are in need of help. Everyone knows this...or do they?

On Friday, July 8th Lion Alice and I were checking into the Hilton Garden Inn in Merrillville, IN. Friday evening was DG Nick's Banner Night. Saturday would be the first Council Meeting of the new Lions year. The desk clerk checking us in asked what a Lions Club was when I told her we're here with the Indiana Lions Clubs. She asked what's a Lions Club?

## ***1st VDG-Stephen Helmken***

AUGUST 2022



So, I told her who we are and what we do. She told me there must not be any clubs where she lives. I asked if she was from around here? She said yes that she lives in Schererville. I said, "you have 2 very active clubs in your area. The Schererville club and the Schererville Central club." Her answer to me was "Oh, I guess I need to pay more attention."

This isn't the first person we've come in contact with that's never heard of Lions. Yesterday while Alice and I were out running some errands we came in contact with someone that had never heard of Lions Clubs before. She told us that her and her husband have lived in the Michigan City area most of their lives. There are 2 active clubs in Michigan City. How can this be? We are the largest service organization in the world!! We are 1.4 million strong. Everyone knows this....don't they?

No, they don't. It's now very obvious that we are STILL a secret. Not only a secret to some individuals but I guess a secret to our own communities. What do we do to change this? How do we get the word out about Lions and what they can do to help those in need? I'm told by many club members that they use social media to advertise about fundraisers. They also make sure they use the local newspaper but is this enough?

*My challenge to you is to find ways to make LIONS known to all. Get your activities entered into MyLION. Tell your friends and neighbors what your Lions Club is doing and invite them to come along. Let's all work together on ways to make our clubs and activities more of an eye opener for everyone.*

*Together We Serve but Everyone knows this....*

***1st VDG Stephen J. Helmken***

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# 2nd Vice District Governor Patty Cooke

**Hello Lions of District 25A**

**I just want to give a brief greeting as your new 2nd Vice District Governor. I look forward to working with DG Nick and 1st VDG Stephen in serving District 25A. I was inspired by the energy of LCI President Brian Sheehan at the International Convention in Montreal. His theme is ‘Together We Can’. By working together as Lions, we can make things happens. We can make a difference on our own, but by working together we can have a bigger impact on our communities. We can fulfill our basic motto: We Serve. Thank you all for what you do.**

**Lion Patty Cooke  
2nd Vice District Governor**



**Banner Night for DG Nick Gonzalez  
7/8/22**



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## *Global Service Team- Service Ideas*

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### GLOBAL SERVICE TEAM

## SERVICE IDEAS OF THE MONTH



SPICE UP SERVING IN AUGUST. DID YOU KNOW AUGUST 30TH IS NATIONAL BEACH DAY! CONSIDER DOING SOMETHING FUN WITH A BEACH THEME OR CELEBRATE THE END OF SUMMER LIKE THE END OF SUMMER BASH (LAKES OF FOUR SEASONS LIONS CLUB SHOUTOUT 😊).

MAKE ONE OF YOUR MEETINGS BEACH THEMED. GO CLEAN A LOCAL BEACH! GO OUT TO A WATERPARK WITH YOUR CLUB (DO A FUNDRAISER WITH A WATERPARK OR WATERPARK THEME) HAVE ONE LAST PICNIC BEFORE SUMMER ENDS. THE OPPORTUNITIES ARE ENDLESS! REPORT YOUR SERVICE! REMEMBER, EVEN MEETINGS ARE SERVICE THAT CAN BE REPORTED.

DO YOU HAVE ANY NEAT SERVICE IDEAS TO SHARE? EMAIL ME! YOUR GST AND WE CAN CHAT AND SHARE THEM WITH THE DISTRICT AND THE STATE!

**GST 25A -LION JAY FERRELL- LIONJAYFERRELL@GMAIL.COM**





# District 25A Cabinet Meeting



Hosted by the Gary NWI Lions Club  
Saturday, August 13th, 9:00AM

**\$13.00 PER PERSON**

- COFFEE SERVICE
- ASSORTED JUICES
- DOUGHNUTS
- DANISHES
- BAGELS
- MUFFINS
- FRESH CUT FRUIT
- GRANOLA & YOGURT
- SCRAMBLED EGGS
- BACON
- TURKEY SAUSAGE
- GRITS
- POTATOES
- TOAST OR WAFFLES

Art House, 411 E. 5th Ave Gary IN

RSVP no later than August 6, 2022 to  
CS Carolyn Laviolette  
lioncarolynlaviolette@outlook.com  
219-741-2340 with the final  
headcount from your Club



"WITH YOU"

\*We will also be collecting back-to-school supplies such as book bags, pencils, notebook paper, pocket folders, or color pencils, pens, boxes of Kleenex, etc.

# Events going on around the state

## Indiana Lions Foundation State Fair Project

**Want to visit the Indiana State Fair and save money?** Work at the State Fair for the Indiana Lions Foundation as a ticket seller, monitor, scanner or hand stamper and you do not have to pay either the admission or parking fees. Sorry, you still have to buy your own fair food! Work the morning shift and you'll be finished by 2:30, which is still plenty of time to visit the fair, or come in the morning, enjoy the fair, and check in at our booth at 2:00 for the afternoon shift.

**Need a place to stay if you're volunteering for more than one day at the State Fair?** Three bedrooms are available for your use at the Indiana School for the Blind on a first come first serve basis. Call Lion Rose Russell, Indiana Foundation State Fair Committee member, at 574-250-0125 to make your reservation or for more information.

**Who can volunteer to work for the Indiana Lions Foundation at the Indiana State Fair?** A person need not be a Lion to volunteer at the Indiana State Fair. Ask your friends, your children, and grandchildren to volunteer – all are welcome who are at least 15 years old.

**What are the starting and ending times for the shifts?** There are four shifts available this year. The start time listed for each shift is the time you are expected to check in at our booth. These times have changed from previous years.

- 5:30 am—8:30 am Volunteers on this shift will earn 1 W.P. Woods credit.
- 8:00 am—2:30 pm Volunteers on this shift will earn 1 W.P. Woods credit.
- 2:00 pm—8:30 pm Volunteers on this shift will earn 2 W.P. Woods credits.
- 4:00 pm—8:30 pm Volunteers on this shift will earn 1 W.P. Woods credit.

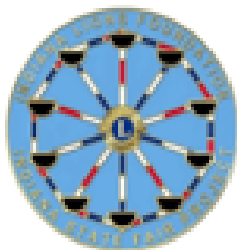
**Sign up today to make new friends and renew old friendships with Lions from all over the state.**

[http://IndianaLionsFoundationMD25.org/?page\\_id=50](http://IndianaLionsFoundationMD25.org/?page_id=50)

Takes you directly to the [sign up page](#)

For more information, contact any member of the Indiana Lions Foundation State Fair Committee.

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If you liked our ~~ferris~~ wheel ...  
You'll love our carousel!



Have you signed up to volunteer at the State Fair?!?  
Make a weekend of fun at the State Fair!



# October Council Meeting

**Date: 10/8/2022**

**Time: 8:30am**

**Wear your favorite sports team apparel!**

Make your reservation by Sept 9th  
for the group rate of \$119/night.

Be sure to let them know  
you are with the Lions Clubs  
of Indiana!



**Who is Your  
Favorite Sports  
Team? Show  
Us!**

A prize will be given to someone in the group of  
first time attendees to a Council meeting.



Wyndham Hotel North  
13500 Tegler Drive  
Noblesville, IN 46060  
317 773 4970



Look forward to seeing everyone there! Go Team!!

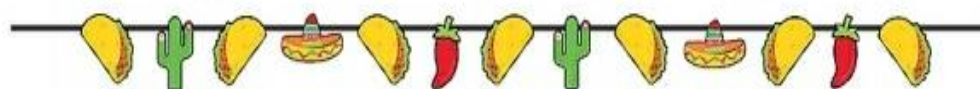


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# 1ST ZONE MEETING

*Hosted by Merrillville Lions Club*



**THURSDAY, AUGUST 18, 2022**



**DOORS OPEN AT 6 PM,  
DINNER AT 6:30 PM,  
MEETING AT 7 PM**

**COST \$15 PER PERSON  
TACO BAR & CASH BAR**

**AMERICAN LEGION  
POST 430  
7430 BROADWAY  
MERRILLVILLE, IN. 46410**

**RSVP TO LION RACHEL FERRELL AT  
LIONRACHELFERRELL@GMAIL.COM BY 8/13**





## ZONE 3B MEETING



**PLACE: SOUTH BEND CUBS VS LANSING LUGNUTS**

**DATE: AUGUST 30<sup>TH</sup> 2022**

**TIME: GAME STARTS AT 6:05 PM CST**

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**IF YOU WANT TO TRY TO CARPOOL MEET AT HAMLET  
LIONS EAT STAND AT 4:30 PM CST**

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**PRICE: \$34/PERSON**

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**INCLUDES 2 HOUR ALL YOU CAN EAT BUFFET & DRINKS  
(WATER, LEMONADE, SODA) AND A SOUTH BEND CUBS  
HAT & LIONS CLUB ON THE VIDEO BOARD.**

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**PARKING PAID IN ADVANCE IS \$5 REG \$8 (NOT  
INCLUDED IN \$34)**

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**WE CAN ONLY TAKE THE FIRST 50 PAID TICKETS.**

**PLEASE CONTACT WENDY SEMANS**  
**219-851-2409 BY TEXT**  
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**SEND CHECKS TO**  
**5200 N 150 E**  
**KNOX IN 46534**



**City of East Chicago &  
Indiana Harbor East Chicago Lions Club**  
INVITES YOU TO JOIN US TO KEEP OUR  
BEACH CLEAN FROM WASTE

# BEACH CLEAN UP

## Jeorse Park Beach

Located behind, the Ameristar Casino parking garage.

**Meet up at Jeorse Park Beach bathhouse,  
3301Aldis Ave., East Chicago, IN 46312**



**City of East Chicago**  
Mayor Anthony Copeland



**LI-EC  
Lions Club**

## SATURDAY, AUGUST 13

### CLEAN UP FROM 9AM - 12PM





**Register Online:**

### EVENT INFORMATION:

This event is open to volunteers, please wear clothing appropriate to the weather. Gloves and trash bags will be provided. Bottle water will be on site, and lunch will be provided by the East Chicago Marina.

Register for the cleanup ahead of time on the Adopt-a-Beach website. This will make your check-in process easier on the beach and will allow your volunteers to receive important cleanup updates and reminders.

<https://adopt.greatlakes.org/s/find-a-cleanup>

## Laporte Lions Club Installs New officers for 2022-2023



**PDG Ralph Steubs (center) installed officers of La Porte Lions at their meeting July 12. Officers are, from left, Lion John Spiggle, treasurer; Lion Sandra Provan, secretary; Lion Barb Smeltzer, vice president; Lion Diane Spoljoric, president.**



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# DOOR VILLAGE LIONS

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For Immediate Release

July 11, 2022



## Door Village Lions Candy Day Proceeds Benefit Salvation Army Food Bank

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Each May and October members of the Door Village Lions club conduct their Candy Day Sales outside the La Porte Post Office, and for over 10 years running, all of the May proceeds have gone directly to the Salvation Army Food Bank. This year 12 members collected \$500 in the day and a half sale and 3 of the members, Lion Bonnie Olson, Lion Dennis Fischer and Lion Cindy Fischer went to two different stores and purchased those items recommend by Food Pantry Co-coordinator Linda Neess.

A few days ago Lions Sue Kaiser, Pastor Sam Polito, Gene Flickinger, George Morley, Bonnie Olson, Cindy Fischer, Dennis Fischer, Carrie Perra and Catherine Veach along with Jr Lions Sam Veach and Nick and Allie Perra, (most of those collecting the donations), gathered at the Salvation Army and carried in all the items that were purchased, much to the delight of Ms. Neess and her co-worker Jan Roberts who holds the title of Social Worker at the Salvation Army.

They were excited mostly because these were the very items they are so short of, and they knew the items would fill an urgent and pressing need by those clients frequenting the Food Bank. Lion Bonnie said to Linda, “If you would please, tell us a little about how the food is distributed to those visiting the Food Bank”. Linda explained that the items are packed in bags in the same or similar groupings so all visitors receive some of everything and that their system is working well for everyone.

She went on to tell that at the present time they are able to help with special needs like formula and diapers for babies. And when items are donated they are able to help with floor fans and the like. She said they also conduct quilting classes for interested clients; and are presently packing 600 weekend lunches for students of three area school every week. She mentioned that they have additional programs and they are in much need of volunteers for many of them. Anyone wishing to help please call Linda at 219-326-5342.

Lion Cathrine Veach asked if Linda or Jan knew her mother-in-law Jan Veach who served at the former Salvation Army building on State Street for decades? Jan said she most surely did, and that Jan Veach was a God send to her when she first came to work. She said, any question she had Jan was right there with the answer. Linda and Jan thanked the Lions and let them know they were filling a real need and making a difference in the lives of those who at a particulate time in their lives are hard pressed to obtain enough food for their families. And the Lions let them know they were totally welcome and that they were happy to know their time and work was coming to fruition in such a good helpful way.

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For more info please call George Morley at 219-362-5653 or cell phone 219-575-3575.





# MICHIANA LIONS CLUB



## Lions Club Opens Free Library at Barker Hall



In the top left corner: Lion Allan Wozniak and Lion Jamie Miller  
Top Right corner: 5th Little Free Library is ready for the ribbon cutting

Top photo:  
Lions left to right, (behind the library) Allan Wozniak, Jim Cross, Tim Fizer, (in front of them) 1st VDG Steve Helmken and wife, Lion Alice Helmken.

The newest addition to Michiana Lions Club of Michigan City's little free libraries is at the entrance to Barker Hall, E. 6th St. at Trinity Episcopal Church, 614 Franklin St., Michigan City, IN. An official opening and ribbon-cutting ceremony took place during the First Friday celebrations on July 1, 2022. Michiana Lions Club has opened 5 Little Free Library box locations in Michigan City. The bright blue and yellow boxes can be found at Sand Castle Shelter, Gardena Park, Imagination Station, Head Start at Neiman School, and the latest at Barker Hall at Trinity Episcopal Church. The libraries are registered on the Little Free Library map at [Littlefreelibrary.org](http://Littlefreelibrary.org). "This is our gift of literacy to the community," says Lions Club member Jamie Miller. The little free libraries are book exchange boxes.

The concept is simple: Take a book, read it, and then return it for someone else to read. Many of the boxes are in underserved areas, where some parents are unable to afford books. "We are proud to add the Barker Hall Little Free Library to our community family and youth services at Trinity Episcopal Church," says Trinity Church leader Matt Kubik.

The Michiana Lions Club started its first registered Little Free Library in Michigan City in July 2018. Fellow Lions Tim Fizer & Brian Pagels designed, painted, and built the structure. Brian & Tim visited multiple Little Free Library locations to decide on the perfect design. Tim Fizer created the design in his very own wood shop. Sherwin-Williams manager Tim Brown donated paint and supplies to complete the library. "If you are near one of our libraries, take a moment to organize it or add a children's book or share your favorite read," says Lion Jamie Miller.

Trinity Church provides Barker Hall to youth organizations including the Michigan City Soul Steppers, Center Stage Youth Theater, and the Rotary Club Strive Youth Mentoring. Other family services provided include the Trinity Food Pantry, Thrift Shop, and several recovery group meetings each week. "Volunteers are always needed," says Kubik. Call Trinity Church at (219) 874-4355 for more information.



# Westville Lions Club

EDITION #2



Six Westville Lions members and one Westville Leo Member started July off with baking homemade cookies or purchasing granola bars for FA (Friedreich's Ataxia) Woodstock campout at the Flying H Ranch in New Durham Township. The campout was July 07- July 09, 2022. FA is a rare genetic condition that causes progressive nervous system damage and movement issues. It usually begins in childhood and leads to impaired muscle coordination (ataxia) that becomes worse over time It's a degenerative disease. Tom and Paula Hook owners of Flying H Ranch have sponsored this year event (with the exception of last year-due to COVID) because their daughter Kati has this disease. Kathi has written two children's books (A Day In Mabel's Paws; and A Weekend in Mabel's Paws-Mabel is Kati's dog) The campout was attended by 60 people and people came from all over the world, so the Lions wanted to support this group and show them what Lions is all about, so when they when they were approached about baking and donating they jumped at the chance. "Lions Serve" They believe this will be their last annual campout, because a drug has now been approved for FA but the FDA will not be releasing it until October 2022.

25 members and guests attended the July dinner meeting on July 07, 2022 at Bluhm County Park in Westville. They enjoyed a delicious 6 foot Subway sandwich from the Westville Subway along with chips and cookies. The guest speaker was Peggy Zarantonello, the Sports Coordinator at the LaPorte County YMCA and also serves on the Tour de LaPorte Committee. Tour de LaPorte is Yjr a 5K or half marathon in LaPorte County on Saturday, August 27, 2022 and then a cycling event on Sunday, August 28, 2022. The riders can choose a 5, 15, 25, 40, 60 or 100 mile course through LaPorte County. There will be SAG (Safety and Gear) stops in various communities and Westville Lions is sponsoring the one in Westville. It will be a Bluhm Park and anyone coming through the Westville SAG stop will be participating in the 100 mile ride and this is their last SAG stop before they reach their destination. Peggy thanked the Lions members for sponsoring this SAG stop for the past several years and offering them refreshments at our SAG Stop and told the members about contests the committee will be sponsoring this year for the SAG stops and the participants will be voting on which SAG stop gets their vote. Peggy told the Lions the refreshments were one of the categories and other SAG stops have already said they cannot compete with Westville, so Westville is accepting the challenge and will show the cyclists what the LIONS can do, The cyclists are always very appreciative for the WESTVILLE LIONS and the support they show to the cyclists.

Besides the phenomenal speaker, the group also got to enjoy the many updates the County Parks have made to Bluhm County Park. This includes an updated restroom, with running water and septic lines, a paved parking lot, and the all amazing brand new inclusive playground. This is the first playground of its kind in LaPorte County and one of a few in the State of Indiana The playground can become a multi-generational gathering space for community enjoyment, socialization, healthy bodies and imaginative fun. There were several families playing on the playground while the Lions were meeting and that was just music to their ears. A truly beautiful night with good food, a great speaker, awesome weather and witnessing families enjoying the outdoors. Bluhm Park is located at 3855 S County Road 1100 West in Westville and the Lions and the LaPorte County Parks invites anyone interested in hearing about this playground to come to the Grand Opening and ribbon cutting on Saturday, August 13 at 10:00 am. There will be a dedication talk, refreshments, giveaways and coloring pages of the playground.





# MERRILLVILLE LIONS CLUB

Merrillville Lions Club donated a Christmas Tree to the Town of Merrillville, which we plan to decorate for the Christmas holiday season. We're so excited. And of course, we celebrated with Christmas in July on July 25th with our town officials and ice cream!



Merrillville Lions club have been busy this last month! We participated in the 4th of July Parade and we got new t-shirts for our club!



## JOIN US FOR A FUNDRAISER



Merrillville

# SPIRIT NIGHT

**August 9, 2022**

**5pm-7pm**

Redeem your Fundraiser Card at

Chick-fil-A Merrillville  
2385 Southlake Mall  
Merrillville, IN 46410 for

an enjoyable meal and

**Merrillville Lions PTO**

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will receive a portion of the total sales of all cards turned in.

On the following page is the fundraiser card, Print that out and come join us for a night of fun! There is a wheel to spin for a chance to win free items! If you have any questions, please contact someone from the Merrillville Lions Club!

Merrillville

# SPIRIT NIGHT

**Merrillville Lions Club**

August 9, 2022  
5-7pm

Stop by and present this form at  
Chick-fil-A Merrillville on your designated “Spirit Night”. Based upon  
sales generated from cards that are turned in,  
Chick-fil-A Merrillville will make a donation to your fundraising campaign.

Amount Spent\_\_\_\_\_

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## **HannaFest 2022**



**Saturday August 13**

**9 am -5 pm**

**Hanna Lions Park**

**(US 30 East in La Porte Co.)**

**Arts & Crafts**

**Vendors**

**Famous Hanna Lions BBQ Chicken**

**10 am 'til gone!**

**Kalita Magic Show 10 am**

**Lion Norm Parade at 11 am**

**Live Music all afternoon**

**Family Fun**



**HVFD Summer Heat Dance at 6 pm**





# LAKEs OF THE FOUR SEASONS LIONS CLUB GOLF OUTING

To Whom It May Concern

The Lakes of the Four Seasons Lions Club is planning a golf outing to benefit the projects of our club. This year’s goal is to raise money to support Indiana School for the Blind and Visually Impaired, Indiana Cancer Control Fund, Leader Dogs for the Blind, food certificates for our local food pantries along with all other LOFS Lions projects.

The golf outing will be held at the Lakes of the Four Seasons Country Club on August 12, 2022. It is a shotgun start, four-person scramble. There are many opportunities for you to donate and receive valuable publicity with the golfers and neighboring communities.

We are asking you to sponsor one or more of the following:

Lunch Sponsor	350.00	
Hole in One Sponsor	500.00	<b>Sold</b>
Golf Ball Sponsor	400.00	<b>Sold</b>
10 Dinner Sponsors	250.00	
Beverage Sponsor	400.00	
3 Raffle Sponsors	100.00	
Hole Sponsors	100.00	
2 Closest to the Pin	100.00 Each	Men’s Sold
2 Longest Drive	100.00 Each	Men’s Sold
2 Longest Putts	100.00 Each	
Door Prize for Raffle		
Goody Bag Gifts	100 of the item needed	

We have enclosed a Golf Outing flyer.  
Thank you very much for your time and consideration. Sincerely,

2022 Golf Outing Committee

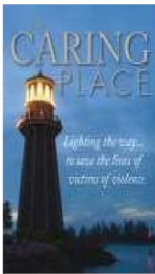
Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Item Sponsored:      Amount Enclosed  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_:

**Please mail or contact one of the Lion members listed.**

C/O Chuck De Las Casas      C/O Bruce Brankle      5030 Spinnaker Ln. Unit A.      1556 Happy Valley Rd  
  
Crown Point, IN. 46307      Crown Point, IN 46307  
219-776-3031      219-678-1171  
cdelas@comcast.net      bbrankle2@comcast.net





# 2022 LOFS Lions Annual Golf Outing

Date: August 12, 2022 – Friday (no rain date)  
Place: Lakes of the Four Seasons Country Club  
Time: 10:30 am Registration – Noon Shotgun Start  
Format: 4 Person Scramble (Limited to first 100 players)

- Event includes:
- Lunch 11:00 – 11:45
  - Dinner Follows Golf
  - 2 Beer Tickets
  - Event 6 Drawings for \$50 cash
  - Hole in One #17 \$20,000
  - Goody Bag / Door Prizes / 50/50 Raffle
  - Driving Range
  - Skins game - optional
  - Silent Auction

Donation: \$90 per player

LOFS Golf Members \$65

Contact: Lion Bruce Brankle

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Crown Point, In 46307

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Lion Chuck De Las Casas

5030 Spinnaker Ln. Unit A

Crown Point, 46307

[cdelas@comcast.net](mailto:cdelas@comcast.net)

219-776-3031

Name (Please Print)	Phone:	Golf & Dinner		Have cart?

# LOFS LIONS CLUB

## END OF SUMMER BASH



SEPT. 10TH  
4P-10P

LAKEHOUSE CONCERT AREA  
\$5 GENERAL ADMISSION  
\$10 DAY OF THE EVENT



SCAN HERE TO PURCHASE  
TICKETS ONLINE

# LIVE MUSIC



JACK CUNNINGHAM  
4P TO 6:30P



7P-10P

BEER GARDEN  
SPONSORED BY



\*THIS IS AN OUTDOOR EVENT  
WEATHER PERMITTING -  
NO ANIMALS ALLOWED  
SERVICE ANIMALS ONLY

FOOD TRUCKS ON SITE





Dedication of the Crown Point Lions Club Interactive Play Area



The Crown Point Lions Club donated \$10,000 to the Crown Point Community Library in 2022 to purchase toys and books for the Interactive Play Area. The Birdzell family donated \$10,000 in 2018 in memory of Sharon Greening, wife of Lion Don Greening, which went towards purchasing furniture for the Interactive Play Area.



The theme of the area changes every month, with setups including a post office, farmers' market, ice cream parlor, veterinary office and pizza parlor (which is pictured). Lion Julie Wendorf, Library Director, said,



"Play is one of the ready-to-read skill and it also sets children up for success. "



Many books are also in the area to compliment the theme. Lions Alyssa Melchor (left) and Donna Worst present their pizzas.



Children playing in this area are preparing pizzas, getting beverages and ice at the beverage station.

Pizza boxes are donated from local pizza parlors. There is also a check out station with play money and a register.



Pictured right, Lion Donna pays Lions Alyssa for her pizza.



Lion Ron Gang , right pretends to eat the pizza he made.



Lions Rose Kendall, Alyssa Melchor, Donna Worst and Celeste Cooley enjoy their pizza at the dine in table.



Lions Cindy Beckman (left) and Julie Wendorf with the plaque that will be hung in the play area.



As you can see, children and adults alike enjoy this area and the Crown Point Lions are proud to be instrumental in providing this for the Crown Point/Winfield Community.



# **Crown Point Lions Club**

## **Annual Golf Outing**

**Saturday, Sept 17, 2022**

**River Pointe Golf Course**

**Hobart, Indiana**

For more information contact

Ed Schiesser – 219-680-6485

Rich Day – 219-793-3535



**10:00 AM Shotgun Start**

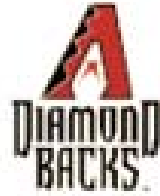
**Lunch and Prizes**

**\$100.00 per golfer**





## BASEBALL TICKET RAFFLE



**CHICAGO WHITE SOX vs ARIZONA DIAMOND BACKS**

Guaranteed Rate Field  
Sunday, August 28, 1:10 pm

4 tickets - Field Box 148, Row 1, Seats 5-8  
includes Parking Pass and Stadium Club access  
*Stadium Club purchases require credit card – no cash accepted*

**Raffle Ticket \$10.00 each**

Drawing to be held at the Chesterton Lions Club  
annual Steak Fry at the Porter VFW, August 23

Winner will be notified immediately

Contact PDG Robin Smith to purchase tickets  
(219) 916-4549 or [mswolfen@aol.com](mailto:mswolfen@aol.com)



# Welcome New Members!!

## Bass Lake

MARIANN K GAPPA

TERESA L VALLICELLI

Sponsor: GLORIA BALLARD

## Crown Point

MICHELLE L HANRAHAN

Sponsor: MICHELLE KATSAROS

## Hamlet

DAVID W PINKHAM

Sponsor: KAREN PINKHAM

## Hobart

LYNN LARSON

Sponsor: JOSEPH LARSON

## Lake Station

ERICKA L CASTILLO

Sponsor: JAMES VANDERLIN

## South Haven

PETE C KMETZ

Sponsor: RANDOLPH GREER

## Whiting

JOEL DAGUIO

Sponsor: MICHELE ROHRMAN





Members that have completed their service

**DANNY R KOUDER SR**  
**CEDAR LAKE, IN**

**GIL STEPHENS**  
**Chesterton, IN**



*Remembering a life of Service*