District 25-A Newsletter



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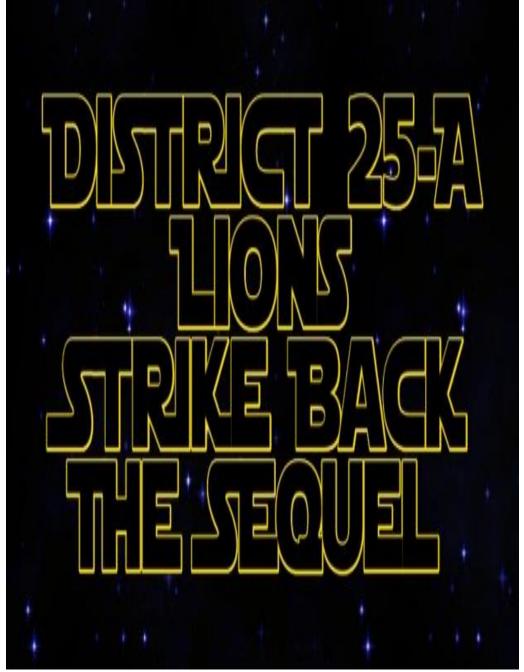
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Happy New Year District 25A Lions,

I hope everyone had a joyous, safe and healthy holiday. There are a lot of good things going on to kick off 2022. We are in the final stages of setting up a new club in Gary and will be having a banner night soon and I hope everyone comes out to support our new club. I appreciate all the clubs that has scheduled an Official Visit and rescheduled. I ask that you be patient as we maneuver though these challenging times. One of the most common questions I get from clubs is how do we increase membership. I would like all the clubs to make a NEW YEARS RESOLUTION. If you are really serious about increasing membership and the quality of your clubs then try this for 1 year. GET INVOLVLED!!! Not just the officers of the club but everyone. I hope Presidents and Secretaries or someone from every club is forwarding messages to all their club members, this is important. There are several opportunities to GET INVOLVED these next three months and the opportunity is for every Lion!!

First, we will have a cabinet meeting hosted by our new club in Gary, January 15th, Cabinet Secretary Carolyn Laviolette has been sending out info and will continue to do so. Second, Mid-Winter Conference January 21st-22nd in Indy. Again, information has been sent out and details are in the newsletter. And lastly, the District and State Convention. District 25A convention will be March 18th and 19th in LaPorte and the State Convention is being hosted by US, District 25A, PDG Robin Smith and PDG Connie Roe along with their committee are doing an amazing job putting things together for this convention. You will be getting more information on both the District and State Convention so it is extremely important all this information gets to every LION. If you have never been to a cabinet meeting, banner night, or convention you are missing out on valuable networking and sharing of ideas. This is where new members come in, the more Lions the GET INVOLVED the more ideas and positive energy gets produced. I have seen several clubs, once they have members GET INVOLVLED, they go back to their club meetings and report and get everyone FIRED UP and the next thing you know they have over 30 members and are striving. Doing more good things, more community service and serving more people. IT WORKS, so my NEW YEAR CHALLENGE for every LION is to GET INVOLVED and I hope to see more Lions at these upcoming events. May the Lions be with you and God Bless

DG Mitchell Semans

END VDG, STEPHEN HELMKEN

HAPPY 2022 LIONS,

I hope everyone had a joyous and blessed Christmas and that you were able to spend time with family and friends. Lion Alice and I were invited to spend Christmas Eve with our very good friends again this year. We are so thankful for these friends we call family.

Many clubs were able to have Christmas parties this year. I had the privilege of attending the parties of my home club, Michiana, Hamlet, and a meeting of the Griffith Club. Michiana held their party at Galveston Steakhouse in Michigan City. PDG Randy Greer and Lion Pat were in attendance, and PDG Randy presented a Melvin Jones Fellowship to Lion Tim Fizer. Lion Tim was very surprised! It was well-deserved recognition for all his hard work on behalf of our club. Congratulations, Lion Tim!

I had never attended a meeting of the Griffith Lions Club and was happy to join DG Mitchell Semans on his official visit. It was interesting to hear what this club has been doing this year. We also got to sit with PDG Margaret Verkuilen and catch up on life.

Lion Alice and I attended the Hamlet Club Christmas Party. The evening was filled with good food, fun, and friends. Their entertainment was "The Dueling Pianos". These two men knew how to entertain, with music, laughter, and sing-alongs! Prior to the entertainment Boss Lion Wendy Semans honored two members for their years of service: one for 40 years and one for 45 years. That's a lot of service. Congratulations!

At the beginning of December Lion Alice and I attended the Council Christmas Party at the Carmel Lions Clubhouse. The event was hosted by Council Chair Jim Query, and we had a very nice evening. The following day was the Speech & Hearing, Inc. Christmas luncheon. We had a very good turnout this year and gave away a total of \$53,000 for scholarships and grants for programs and/or equipment.

I pray this year we can get back to our "normal" way of life. But mainly, I pray that all Lions will be safe and healthy as they travel through this new year. In closing, let me share a couple of favorite quotes:

"You are never too old to set another goal or to dream a new dream".

c. s. lewis

"Happiness is a new adventure".

"Peanuts" philosopher, Snoopy

2nd VDG Stephen J. Helmken

AT THIS TIME, THE JANUARY 15TH CABINET MEETING OF DISTRICT 25A HAS BEEN POSTPONED. THE RESCHEDULED DATE TBA!

THIS DECISION WAS MADE DUE TO THE INCREASED NUMBERS OF COVID CASES. AS USUAL OUR FIRST PRIORITY IS THE SAFETY OF OUR DEDICATED LIONS! THANK YOU FOR YOUR PATIENCE AND UNDERSTANDING.

This is just a reminder to all of you that, with the joy of giving this season (and the need is great!), comes the scam artists & con games. The latest one being a letter about renewing your Domain name (website) for a "small" fee!

Lions are known for their generosity and big hearts! Please DO NOT SEND any gift cards, donations, cash/checks or anything else unless you know for sure from where/whom the request originated!

Please pass this along to all of your members. This is not just for a Club but for Lions everywhere! Happy Holidays to You & Yours!

DG Mitchell Semans District 25A

There will be a silent auction at the Mid-Winter Conference on January 22. We are in need of items for the auction. If you would like to donate something, please contact PDG Alan Arnold at 260-216-1101 or email at pamalarn@myfibersolution.com. I would like a short description of the item so bid sheets can be created. Funds raised from this auction will go towards offsetting meal costs for the conference. Thanks for your willingness to make this event a success. PDG Alan Arnold Lion Pam Arnold Silent Auction Co-Chairs

State Administrative Secretary position available.

Must have a good working knowledge of the workings of Indiana Lions and work well with others. Please contact Council Chair Jim Query at jpmq77@yahoo.com (or 812-829-4496) to apply. All applicants must apply by January 15, 2022. All applicants must be available for interviews following the Council Meeting on January 23, 2022. For complete list of duties please go online to www.e-district.org/sites/md25/, click on Constitution & By-Laws and Policy Manual and click on the Policy Manual, Duties start on page 15.



2022 INDIANA LIONS STATE CONVENTION

Hosted by District 25-A

Wyndham Indianapolis West, 2544 Executive Dr. Indianapolis, IN 46241 April 29 to May 1, 2022



Registration Form

Register and Pay online - http://indianalionsconvention.org/convention-registration Or complete this form (NO MORE THAN 2 PEOPLE AT THE SAME ADDRESS PER FORM)

Please Print or Type All Information

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Lion Title First Name Last Name

Name on Badge

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Lion Title

First Name

Last Name

Name on Badge

Address:

Mailing Address

City

State

Zip Code

Telephone:

Club:

E-Mail:

District:

Special Dietary Needs:

Emergency Contact:

Name

Daytime Telephone

Evening Telephone

This is my FIRST Indiana Lions State Convention (circle one)

Yes

No

HOTEL

Wyndham Indianapolis West, 2544 Executive Dr., Indianapolis, IN 46261

PLEASE RESERVE YOUR OWN LODGING BY MARCH 28, 2022

Call: (317) 248-2481 or (877) 361-4511 for Reservations**Mention "Lions of Indiana" or code 042822LIO Room Rate: \$120/night plus tax - Double or King Rooms and rates cannot be guaranteed after March 29, 2022

Meal Prices Increase by \$5.00 / meal after April 1, 2022. - No Meal Reservations Accepted after April 21, 2022.

	nail Vern Tincher to RSVP * vtincher2750@gmail.com *\$25		at Golf Cou	ırse
So	outh Grove Golf Course – 1800 West 18th St. – Indianapoli			
		QTY	PRICE	TOTAL
Friday Dinner	Choose One Entrée			
	Smoked Pork Chop dinner		\$18.00	\$
	Fried Catfish dinner		\$18.00	\$
* 5:00 PM to 7:00	PM * Clermont Lions Club * 3201 Tansel Rd * Clermont, II	N (317)	332-5450	
Saturday Awards Lunch	Choose One			
	Club Style Turkey Croissant		\$ 15.00	\$
	Grilled Chicken Caesar Salad		\$ 15.00	\$
Saturday Night All-State Herb Roasted Pork Medallions with Blacken Mahi Mahi			\$ 25.00	\$
Banquet	Please circle as needed: Gluten Free or Vegetarian			
Sunday Key Member Brunch	Brunch Buffet		\$ 20.00	\$
Saturday Afternoon	Strides Walk for Diabetes –			
CONTROL CON CITY - CONTROL CON	Shirt size (circle one) S-M-L-XL-2XL-3XL		\$ 15.00	\$
	Convention Souvenir Limited Edition Pin		\$ 4.00	\$
	Total	Amoun	t Enclosed	\$

Make your check payable to: Lions of Indiana, Inc State Convention and mail to:

Lion Sally Davis, 4767 E 61st Avenue, Hobart, IN 46342 (Contact information: Csdavis61@comcast.net - (219) 942-4433



2022 Indiana Lions State Convention

Wyndham Indianapolis West, 2544 Executive Dr Indianapolis, IN 46241 April 29 to May 1, 2022



Exhibit and Vendor Application

Lions Project/Club Exhibitor - \$0 Non-Lions Exhibitor - \$75 Add'l booth - \$50

Each Booth includes:

10 x 10 area 1 skirted table 2 Chairs

Please indicate if electricity is needed - \$40

Please return this completed form and payment by March 7, 2022 to:

PDG Patty Cooke 1520 N Gard Drive Crown Point, IN 46307

Make checks payable to: Lions of Indiana, Inc State Convention

Questions, please contact PDG Patty

Patty.cooke@gmail.com or (219) 671-4668

Name	
Organization/Club	
Phone	Email
Lions Exhibitor - \$0	Non-Lions Exhibitor - \$75 Add'l booth - \$50
Electricity - \$40	Total enclosed \$
Thank you for supporting the	e Lions of Indiana!!!



2022 INDIANA LIONS STATE CONVENTION

Wyndham Hotel West, 2544 Executive Dr. Indianapolis, IN 46241 April 29 to May 1, 2022



Convention Program Book Advertising Application

So...what might an ad include?:

- Invite others to the upcoming events of your Club, District, community, or business.
- Honor or thank a Lion, community member, or employee for their exemplary service.
- Welcome Lion dignitaries to MD25 and thank keynote speakers, sponsors.

The 2022 Convention Program Book with be standard 8.5"x11" and printed in full color. Please check the box next to the example to indicate chosen size/price.

Deadline for submission is Monday, March 7, 2022

FULL PAGE 7" X 10" NO BLEEDS	HALF PAGE 7" X 5" HORIZONTAL ONLY \$200	QUARTER PAGE 3.5: 5" VERTICAL ONLY \$100
<u>\$300</u>		BUSINESS CARD SIZE 3.5" X 2" \$50

To place your ad:

- Email your print ready Ad to: witchywillow@hotmail.com
- 2. Mail your check (payable to
 Lions of Indiana, Inc.
 State Convention)
 this completed application,
 and a copy of your ad to:
 Lion Karlene Roe
 701 S Huddleston RD
 Winamac, IN 46996

PLEASE EMAIL WITH QUESTIONS

Your Name	
Club, Organization, Business Name & Address	
Your Address or Address Cont	
Contact Phone Number	
Email	

THANK YOU, SEE YOU IN INDY!

A FEW NOTES ON DESIGN

I can work with just about any format, but I prefer:

PDF, JPG, or Publisher, (Word is ok).

Files should be saved at a minimum 200 DPI, 300 is preferable.

If you would like me to design something for you please let me know ASAP, email me with your ideas and form.

If you send me a paper copy and I'm able to recreate it digitally, I most likely will for consistency.

If I feel as though your ad will not reproduce well, I will be in contact.

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JUNE 24-28, 2022 | PALAIS DES CONGRÈS DE MONTRÉAL

Get excited about convention!

Join us in Montréal to come together with fellow Lions and Leos, and enjoy convention:

- Serve the people of Montréal at projects around the city.
- · Hear from Lions leaders and inspiring speakers.
- · Connect with international staff and the next generation of leaders.
- · Take part in the Parade of Nations.
- Celebrate the final year of Campaign 100.
- · Enjoy the beautiful architecture and buzzing arts scene of Montréal.

The Registration fee through January 7, 2022 is \$175. January 8 through March 31, 2022, the regular registration fee is \$225. April 1, 2022 through on-site registration, the fee is \$250.

The Lions will be assigned to their delegation hotels on a first-come, first-served basis (subject to availability) through **January 7, 2022.** After January 7, Lions can choose their delegation hotel, or a hotel based on rate or location (subject to availability). The Indiana Delegation Hotels are Hotel Monville and the Omni Mont Royal. The Monville is next to the Convention Center and will require no busing!

For the International Parade of Nations, we will be wearing our new BLUE shirts. The ICC Committee will have a table at the Mid-Winter conference. Plus, we will have order blanks to take back to your clubs and district.

Here are a few brief facts from the Lions Clubs website - https://lcicon.lionsclubs.org Please follow the link for current facts on COVID restrictions or other basic information.

Please check out the LCICON website for all the facts and plan on going to Montreal!!



LCIF Update on Response to Multi-state Tornado Damage

As of today, LCIF has awarded \$20,000 in a Direct Disaster Grant to District 43K in Kentucky (directly to the District Governor who is a member of the Mayfield Lions Club) for use in the Mayfield Kentucky area.

In addition, they have authorized \$100,000 in a Major Disaster Grant which is going to the multi-state area that was affected (Kentucky will get the majority of the funds).

This is only the first round of grants and others will undoubtedly be coming in the next few days according to Lions Clubs International Foundation.

Personal and club donations may be sent to LCIF. Just specify that money go for **Kentucky Tornado Relief** -- or any of the other affected states -- and the dollars will go directly to the s*tate* specified by the club or individual. Melvin Jones Fellowship credit will be given for all these types of donations.

Some Lions have been wondering about LCIF's role is this disaster response. They are working with all the districts that are affected and will be sending additional funds as needed. LCIF Funds will be used for whatever is needed at the specific time.

Once again thank you for doing what Lions do best -- serving the needs of the many people in need! As we are notified of donations for any specific needs, we will send out LCIF updates.

You can go directly to the LCIF web site to donate using a credit card at the link below – please specify Disaster Relief Fund: https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/donate

Or you can contact either Lion Randy Greer or Lion Patty Cooke for a copy of the donation form you can send with a check. Our contact info is listed below.

Thank you for all you do.

Lion Randy Greer (219) 728-8432 LionRandy@yahoo.com (219) 671-4668 LionRandy@yahoo.com Patty.Cooke@gmail.com



Indiana Lions, District 25A EIN # 35-1792616

Dear Friend of the Lions Clubs International,

The Lions of Indiana District 25A will be holding our annual convention on Friday and Saturday, March 18 & 19, 2022 at Quality Inn in LaPorte Indiana. The Lions of Indiana are 9,000 strong and are represented by 360 Lions Clubs from throughout the State. District 25A represents the 7 northwest counties of Indiana and consists of 50 Lions Clubs. Over 250 Lions from Northwest Indiana will be attending our convention.

The Lions of Indiana are a part of the world's largest service organization, Lions Clubs International. As Lions, we focus our service activities on local community needs as well as projects addressing Vision, Cancer Control, Hunger and the Environment. As a part of our convention, the Lions of District 25A are requesting your help in one of three ways.

___ There will be a silent auction. We are looking for baskets or items that could be incorporated into one. Contact Lion Connie Frausto at 708-254-0938 or connief1571@icloud.com.

There will be an ad book given to all participants. This has the potential to reach the 1,200 Lions in District 25A. Prices and directions for placing an ad in the book are enclosed. Contact Lion Sally Davis for questions at 219-942-4433 or csdavis61@comcast.net.

There will be "gift bags" for attendees. This could include pens, cards, candy, etc. or any item with any business logo. To provide items contact Lion Joy Robinson at 219-973-3457 or email irobinson28@hotmail.com.

The Lions of Indiana District 25A appreciate your consideration. **Any support you can provide to help make our convention a success is appreciated.** If you have any questions regarding our convention, please contact me directly.

Yours respectfully

Lion Clarence Davis

District 25A Convention Chairman 219-942-4433

csdavis61@comcast.net

DISTRICT 25A 2022 CONVENTION AD BOOK

2022 District 25A District Convention, March 18th -19th 2022

ADV	ERT!	ISE Y	OUR!	

DO YOU OWN A BUSINESS? PLACE AN AD --- SUPPORT THE LIONS!

All Business Ads, ½ page or larger will be posted in the Registration Area & placed in 2 editions of the District Newsletter

Full Size page 8.5 X 11	\$	Actual ad Size W x H				
Color Front Inside Cover	\$150.00	7 x 9	SOLD			
Color Back Page	\$200.00	7 x 9	SOLD			
Color Back Inside Cover	\$150.00	7 x 9	SOLD			
Color Regular Page	\$100.00	7 x 9				
Color ½ Page	\$ 60.00	7 x 4.5				
Color ¼ Page	\$ 40.00	3.5 x 4.5				
CHECK: \$						

Make checks payable to: District 25A District Convention
Mail to: Lion Sally Davis, 4767 E 61st Ave, Hobart IN 46342
PH: 219-942-4433

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Chesterton Lions

During the month of December, the Chesterton Lions donated to two local organizations that have a great impact in their community. The top picture is Lion President Robin Smith presenting a donation for the Westchester Neighbors Food Pantry to Lion Dawn Ruge, Food Pantry Director. The bottom picture is Lion Doug Leicht, presenting a check to Director Doug Tuter for the Westchester Meals on Wheels program.





DISTRICT 25-A

Crown Point Lions Club

Lion Dollars at Work

- •Thanksgiving Gift cards/baskets \$776.00
- Shop with a Cop \$500.00





Toys for Tots were collected and delivered by Lions Dom and MaryJane DiMichele

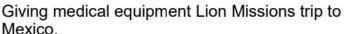




LIONS IN SERVICE



Lion Carla Smolek preparing for the Lions mission trip.





Meals on Wheels food preparation. Lions Louise Moore and Carla Smolek also deliver the meals,



These ladies put in an amazing amount of hours and serve more than 150 people.



Lion Carla Smolek delivering Village Food Pantry Buckets

East Chicago Evening Lions

East Chicago
Evening
Lions
club
inducting
new
members
Jim and
Karen
Fife.





Hamlet Lions

The Hamlet Lions
Club had a
wonderful and
festive Christmas
party!









Hobart Lions Club

PORK CHOP DINNER

CARRY OUT ONLY

DATE:

TIME: 3:30-



February 6th 5:30 PM

LOCATION: TRINITY LUTHERAN SCHOOL

891 LINDA ST. HOBART

COST: \$11 one chop; \$14 two chops

For tickets call

Clarence at 942-4433 or Joe at 781-9604

Profit supports:

Pack Away Hunger and Hobart Food Pantry

Lake of the Four Seasons Lions

The Lake of the Four Seasons Lions hosted their annual Christmas Party for Children. It was a great success!









Michiana Lions

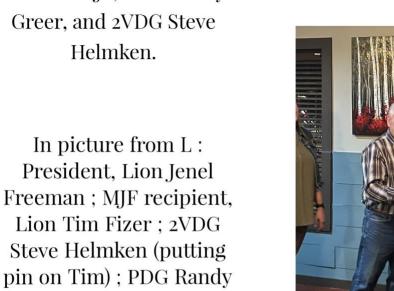
The Michiana Lions hosted their annual Christmas Party in December. PDG Randy Greer was there to present Lion Tim Fizer a Melvin Jones Fellowship. Lion Tim was very surprised!! Pictured from left tp right are Boss Lion Jenel Freeman, Lion Tim Fizer with his MJF, PDG Randy Greer, and 2VDG Steve Helmken.

> In picture from L: President, Lion Jenel

Lion Tim Fizer: 2VDG

Steve Helmken (putting

Greer (who presented the MJF to Tim).







Mill Creek Community Lions

The Mill Creek Community Lions
Club held their initial Blood Drive
of 2022 on January 5. Pictured is
our Club President, Lion Barb
Berby signing in one of our donors.
Twenty one (21) pints were collected.



SPEECH AND HEARING



In the picture is L to R : L : Sarah Cieslak who's attending Indiana State University

C : 2nd VDG Stephen Helmken R : Bailey Henderlong who's attending Indiana University.

Both girls received scholarships from Indiana Lions Speech and Hearing, Inc. to help further their education.

THE SCHERERVILLE LIONS



Congratulations to Lions Karen Aldrich and Phyllis Vargo on receiving the Lions Clubs highest award, The Melvin Jones Award. Left: PDG Patty Cooke, Lion Karen and ID Robert Block at our 75th Anniversary. Right: Lion Phyllis is Lion Tom Talaga, also a Melvin Jones recipient, at our Holiday gathering.





The Schererville Lions celebrated their 75th Anniversary on November 21st. ID Robert Block, DG Mitch and 2VDG Stephen were in attendance along with some of our Town Leadership, members of the Schererville Central club and many of our members.

Above: Lion President Caleb Johnson with his wife Leah and Lion Jerry Tippy

Below: Lion Gladys D'Mello, Lions Sharon and Phil Przybylinski and Lion Becky Talaga



THE SCHERERVILLE LIONS



Above: Lions Karen Aldrich, Cindy and John Vaught and Phil Alrdich

Below: Lions Kristi and Mike Hmurovich and Lion Treasurer Jim Nance



Wanatah Lions

Wanatah Lions
contributed funding
to support the Blessings
in a Backpack project
at Tri-Twp. Elelmentary
and HS. Lions, teachers
and staff packed 105
backpacks with food
for use by students
over the Christmas
holidays.



Wanatah Lions sponsored two nights of Milk and Cookies with Santa at Wanatah Elementary School. Parents and student joined Lions members in the school cafeteria for refreshments and fellowship after the Christmas programs on Dec. 14 th and 15 th.



Westville Lions







Three women from Westville, Donna Bunch, Joyce Smith, and Deb Ingram, came together to get a child-sized wheelchair for a very special young lady with Cerebral Palsy. Donna Bunch, a social worker at Westville Schools, called the Westville Lions Secretary, Deb Ingram, to see if the Westville Lions would purchase a child-sized wheelchair for a Westville Elementary student. With help from the Westville Lions Club, this student can now return to school after Christmas break.





THE LIONS OF INDIANA 33RD MID-WINTER CONFERENCE SATURDAY, JANUARY 22, 2022

CROWNE PLAZA INDIANAPOLIS AIRPORT INDIANAPOLIS, IN

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Registration & Continental Breakfast	8:00 am – 9:00 am	Lunch - Buffet	11:30 am – 12:15 pm
Displays And Silent Auction	Open until 3:00 pm	Program and Keynote Speaker	12:15 pm - 1:15 pm
Opening Session	9:00 am – 9:30 am	Third Session Semin	nar 1:30 pm – 2:15 pm
First Session Seminar	9:45 am – 10:30 am	Fourth Session Sem	inar 2:30 pm – 3:15 pm
Second Session Seminar	10:45 am – 11:30 am	Closing Session	3:30 pm – 4:00 pm

Official Conference Hotel - Crowne Plaza Indianapolis Airport Hotel

The location of the hotel is 2501 S. High School Road, Indianapolis, Indiana 46241.

TELEPHONE NUMBER IS 317-244-6861.

LIONS ROOM RATE IS \$113 PLUS APPLICABLE TAXES.

Specify your choice of a king room or room with two double beds.

Hotel Reservations must be made by 6:00 pm EST Tuesday, December 28, 2021.

Directions to Crowne Plaza: From the north via I-465 - Take I-465 to Exit 11 (Sam Jones Expressway). Turn right (to the west) on Sam Jones and be in left lane. Turn left at High School Road and the hotel is on your left.

From the south or Northbound I-465 - Take I-465 to Exit 11(Sam Jones Expressway). Turn left (to the west) on Sam Jones but keep to the left to High School Road. Turn left at High School Road and hotel is on your left.

CANCELLATION POLICY: Cancellations requested ten (10) days before the conference will receive full refunds, but cancellations requested after that date will not receive any refund. **Refunds will not be granted because of the weather**.

*Note: The Mid-Winter Conference Committee would like those attending for the First Time to indicate who is sponsoring them to attend or who has influenced them to attend their first Mid-Winter Conference. There is a line on the registration form for this information.



33RD MID-WINTER CONFERENCE FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER JANUARY 21, 2022



Make your plans now to join us at the Crowne Plaza Indianapolis Airport Hotel for an evening of food, fun, and fellowship.

Menu: Down Home Hoosier Buffet with Pot Roast and Vegetables, Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes and Gravy, Country Green Beans, Corn, Fresh Garden Salad, Sugar Cream Pie Bars or Derby Pie, House Bread and Butter, Coffee and Tea

Price: \$ 27.50

Social Time: 6:00 P.M. Dinner: 6:30 P.M.

SATURDAY CONFERENCE LUNCHEON JANUARY 22, 2022

Menu: Buffet with Cider-Brined Pork Loin, Sweet and Smoky Rotisserie Chicken, Macaroni and Cheese, Vegetable Medley, Fresh Garden Salad, Chilled Fresh Fruit, Dessert, House Bread and Butter, Coffee and Tea

Price: Included in Registration Fee

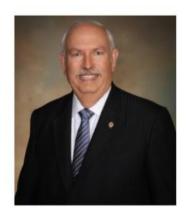
TWO SERVICE PROJECTS

"Sock It To Me" – Bring new socks, gloves, mittens, scarves, and knit hats that will be collected and divided among the district governors to distribute to needy people in their districts.

"Care-ing Cases" – Friday night after the dinner program, we will assemble first aid kits and toiletry kits using cleaned hard eyeglass cases that our district governors will share with the needy people in their districts.

SATURDAY KEYNOTE SPEAKER

PAST INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT CHANCELLOR BOB CORLEW



Chancellor Bob Corlew, from Milton, Tennessee, USA, served as president of Lions Clubs International 2016 to 2017. Past President Corlew is retired as chancellor for the State of Tennessee and a professor of law. A member of the Murfreesboro Noon Lions Club since 1978, he has held many offices within the association. He is also a Vanguard of the Melvin Jones Memorial, a Progressive Lindsey-Jennings Fellow, and a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow. In addition to his Lions activities, President Corlew has been active in the Boy Scouts of America, the Jaycees, and the American Red Cross. He has also served as a councilman in Milton and was a Major in the U.S. Army Reserve. President Corlew is married to Dianne, also a Lion and a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow.

Seminar Selections

CHOOSE: Two (2) Seminars in the Morning and two (2) Seminars in the Afternoon.

Morning Session One: 9:45 am to 10:30 am

Seminar #1 LCI LEGAL DIVISION IS THERE TO HELP YOU. COME FIND OUT HOW!

Presenter: PDG Mark Clark

Everything from insurance to general legal information.

Seminar #2 VISION SCREENING FROM PRESCHOOL TO HIGH SCHOOL

Presenters: Lion Sheila Christoff and PCC Steve Winegardner

This session will help you know the difference between Operation KidSight and school age screenings, the equipment used, and how to get started.

Seminar #3 ZOOM MEETINGS, DON'T BE AFRAID OF THEM!

Presenter: Lion Jennifer Drapalik

From hosting to attending, this session reviews what you need to know to host or attend a zoom meeting.

Seminar #4 TIPS FOR CONDUCTING A NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION

Presenters: PID Nick Xinopoulos and PDG Mark Anderson

Discuss the importance of new member orientation and how to make it happen.

Morning Session Two: 10:45 am to 11:30 am

Seminar #5 KNOW THE LAWS BEFORE YOU PLAY.

Presenter: Indiana State Gaming Commission Mark Mason

Does your club host any games that fall under the Indiana Gaming laws? This session will help you stay on top of these laws and how they that affect your club.

Seminar #6 SERVING BEYOND THE CLUB

Presenters: PDG's Tom Robbins, Mike Imbler, and Robin Smith

This session will discuss leadership opportunities beyond the club level from zone chairs and cabinet positions, to project trustees and committee chairs and District leadership.

Seminar #7 HOW TO CREATE A SPECIALTY CLUB

Presenters: GAT Area Leader PDG Dave Wineman & PID Tom Matney

This seminar will explain the special focus club concept and explain growing our membership in this way.

Seminar #8 SUCCESSION PLANNING FOR CLUB AND DISTRICT LEADERSHIP

Presenter: PID Doug Lozier

PID Doug will discuss what succession planning is for officers and committees and why it is important to your Lions Club and to your district.

Seminar Selections

Afternoon Session Three: 1:30 pm to 2:15 pm

Seminar #9 WOMEN... WE WANT YOU FOR LEADERSHIP ROLES!

Presenters: Gretchen Xinopoulos, 2VDG Julia Kozicki, 1VDG Linda Scott, Lion Erica Thomas, and Lion DeLene Worsena

Panel discussion to encourage women to step up to leadership roles.

Seminar #10 MAKING LION CEREMONIES INTERESTING

Presenter: PDG Mary Jane Bodnar

Let's explore some fun and interesting ways to conduct new member inductions and officer installations.

Seminar #11 TAKE THE SCARINESS OUT OF GRANT APPLICATION WRITING

Presenters: Lion Denisse Jensen and MD25 LCIF Coordinator PDG Ken Faulkner

Does your club need additional funds? Of course it does! Come and learn about grants like where to find them, how to write them.

Seminar #12 LEO SEMINAR

Presenter: Lion Dara Guse

Leos, come to a session for Leos by Leos!

Afternoon Session Four: 2:30 pm to 3:15 pm

Seminar #13 NEW AND CREATIVE FUNDRAISING IDEAS

Presenter: PID Linda Tincher

Something for Everyone...whether your club is big or small, or is made up of younger or older Lions, there's a project just right for you! Join us to find exciting fun ideas for fundraisers and service projects for your community.

Seminar #14 NEW ON-LINE TOOLS FOR LIONS:

Presenter: PDG Charlie Short

Check out this introduction to the top online products and services to strengthen your club, district, and MD25.

Seminar #15 DIABETES AWARENESS...LIVING A HEALTHY LIFESTYLE

Presenters: Tasha Lane and Amanda Grarant

Join in to learn the importance of good nutrition and the importance of keeping your body moving.

Seminar #16 WANT TO LEARN HOW TO START A LEO CLUB?

Presenter: Lion Dara Guse

Lion Dara will help you learn what you need to know to start and keep a Leo club.

October and November registrations pay the Early Bird discounted fee of \$ 40.00, which is the same fee as 2019.

REGISTRATION FORM

33rd Annual Lions of Indiana Mid-Winter Conference SATURDAY, JANUARY 22, 2022

(Each Attendee Is Asked to Complete a Separate Form)

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION: \$40.00

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED OR EMAILED BY NOVEMBER 30, 2021

Registrations made after DECEMBER 1ST and ON-SITE REGISTRATION: \$50.00

Registration price includes morning coffee and pastries and the Buffet Luncheon.

To guarantee meal availability, Registration must be received by January 15, 2022

CANCELLATION POLICY: CANCELLATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED PRIOR TO JANUARY 10, 2022, TO RECEIVE A REFUND. CANCELLATIONS REQUESTED AFTER THAT DATE WILL NOT RECEIVE ANY REFUND. REFUNDS WILL NOT BE GRANTED BECAUSE OF THE WEATHER

Seminars will be filled on a first come, first served basis. Send registrations early to assure getting the seminars of your choice.

PLEASE SEND COMPLETED REGISTRATION FORM AND CORRECT REMITTANCE TO:

Lion Angie Crouch, 9051 Greystone Court, Indianapolis, IN 46234 <u>mwam2893@gmail.com</u> 317-518-4070

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