

## 25A Pace Setter

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With our District 25A Convention on the horizon, just weeks away, we need to take a closer look at our greatest challenge, which happens to be membership. Our focus at the Convention this year is going to be on membership and state projects. We need to inform our membership as to who we are and what we do and then invite others to join in our mission.

The workshops on membership and state projects will serve to give Lions in our District information to take back to their local clubs. It is one thing to come up with clever pins, mottos' and sayings to put in our publications, it is quite another thing to give the information to our local club membership. The ASKI pin is a great tool, but how many Lions in our local clubs have asked a person to join this year? If we are going to grow or even survive as a Service Organization, we need to get our members to invite others to join! Has your club met the goal of taking in two new members this year?

Encourage your members to visit our District, State & International websites to see what is happening in the world of Lionism. Has your club talked about starting a new project this year? Come to the Convention with the idea of learning something new to help grow your club or stimulate new direction to motivate your membership to move forward. Let people know in your town or community what we are doing to help others. Contact your Zone Chairman, Region Chair or Global Membership Chair to set up a Meet & Greet or Membership Drive in your community.

Come and join us at the District Convention in LaPorte on March 13 & 14. Let's make this a learning & sharing experience in which we have a lot of fun and move toward setting new goals for growth. The Convention Committee has been working tirelessly to make this convention one to remember.

Yours in Lionism,

District Governor

Lion Glenn Swanson

Maple City Lions

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### Governor's Challenge

At our first cabinet meeting in August, DG Glenn issued a challenge to his Zone Chairmen. He asked that they work with all the clubs in their zones to develop a Zone Project. He felt that Clubs working together would develop bonds that would help them grow. Plus pooling their resources would improve their fundraising efforts. Many of the Zones were up to the challenge.

Zone 1B will be participating in a local Relay for Life. This is the signature event of the National Cancer Society to raise funds for their fight against cancer. The Lions will be selling a pancake breakfast in the morning to provide sustenance for the walkers. The profits will be split with the NCS.

Zones 2A and 2B have decided to raise funds for the blind and low vision students of their county. **They will be selling pancakes, sausages during the annual Maple Sugar Time festival held at the historic Chellberg in the Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore. Please make your way there either the weekend of 3/7-3/8 or 3/13-3/14.** 🍩

Zone 3B will be assisting Reins of Life whose mission is to improve the quality of life for children and adults with disabilities through equine assisted therapy. The Lions will be providing some much needed assistance fixing fences, the barns and other repair tasks at the stables.

Zone 4A has set their project on increasing club membership. Their goal is to add two new members to each club in April.

Zone 3A continues to work together on their golf scramble. This initial Zone project of the district is now in its 5<sup>th</sup> year. Last year the six clubs each made about \$1000 in 2014 to support their various service projects.

The other Zones in the District are just as busy and we are optimistic that "Zone Projects" will catch on. Governor Glenn asked that the projects be repeated and grow over a period of years. The future leaders of the district plan to continue the challenge.

Yours in Lionism

2nd VDG Patty Cooke



The Morocco Lion Club recently sponsored meeting for **Zone 4A**. Three clubs—Morocco, Remington and Rensselaer were in attendance and 2VP Patty. Zone Chair Bob Souza has charged the clubs with adding 2 new members in the month of April. It was a good night—except for the drive home in the snow. Pictured are Morocco Lions Roy Nordyke (P), Dan Blaney (Sec), Bill Blaney (VP) and Zone



### Zone 1A Meeting

March 23, 2015 6:00 pm gather, 6:30 pm meeting  
Flat Rock Tap 6732 Calumet Ave.,  
Hammond, IN 46324.

For more information — Contact, Zone Chair PDG Patrick G. Rodriguez Sr. at [219-902-6459](tel:219-902-6459).

Lion Club secretaries, please RSVP so we can have a head count.

Sponsored by the Hammond Lion Club.



## DISTRICT 25-A LIONS



please join  
**Governor Glenn Swanson**  
for his  
**District Convention**

**"Set the Pace"**  
**March 13-14, 2015**

### **Best Western Hotel and Conference Center**

**Room Rate: \$79.99** per night (plus tax). Ask for Lions Rate

Reservations are to be made directly with the Hotel

8 am to 10:15 am, Conference Registration is **FREE**

**Deadline** for Convention & Meal Reservations: **Feb 16, 2015**

444 Pine Lake Avenue

La Porte, IN 46350

210-362-4585

Buffet Breakfast Saturday

Available for \$8.95/person

(free if you stay at hotel)

			Total
Friday, March 13th	Meet the ID	\$20.00 per person X _____	\$ _____
Saturday, March 14th	Deli Lunch	\$15.00 per person X _____	\$ _____
Saturday, March 14th	Banquet	\$27.00 per person X _____	\$ _____

Display table for our club \_\_\_\_\_ need electric \_\_\_\_\_

\$10 charge for clubs doing fundraisers

State & District Projects are **FREE**

Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Name/Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Name/Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Name/Title: \_\_\_\_\_

**Mail to:** CS Lion Roy (Bo) Zimmerman 602 E. Hamilton St. Union Mills, N 46382  
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**\*\* Please Make Checks Payable to District 25-A Lions \*\***





## District 25A Convention Schedule

Saturday, March 14, 2015

8:00 - 10:00 Registration  
8:00 - 1:00 Displays and Table Sales



### Seminars 9:00 to 9:50 10:00 to 10:50

Room A: Membership Forum

Room B: Five State Projects

12:15 to 1:15 Lunch

1:15 Banner Line Up

### 11:00 First Business Session

Call to Order	DG Glenn Swanson
Sergeant of Arms	PDG Kevin Roe
Posting of Colors	Am Vets
Pledge of Allegiance	Lion Butch Weston
God Bless America	2nd VDG Patty Cooke
Invocation	PDG Paul Freeland/Ron King
Greeting	Lion Butch Weston, Chair
Welcome	Sheriff John Boyd
Welcome & Introduction of ID	DG Glenn Swanson
Resolution	1st VDG Randy Greer
Necrology Service	PDG Margaret Verkuilen
Peace Poster &	2nd VDG Patty Cooke
Environmental Photo Winners	1st VDG Randy Greer
Lunch	

### 1:30 Second Business Session

Presentation of Club Banners	2nd VDG Patty Cooke
Club Role Call	CS Bo Zimmerman
Reports (limit 2 minutes)	
<i>RC, ZC, District and State Committees &amp; Projects</i>	
Induction of New Members	LaPorte Lions & ID Wm McKinney
Message to Lions of 25A	ID William McKinney
International Convention	PDG Paul Russell
State Convention	IPCC Sue Toft
Rules	DG Glenn Swanson
Parliamentarian	PDG Kevin Roe
Constitution and by-Laws	Lion Gary Shaffer
Nominations	Lion Gary Shaffer

*(3 minutes demonstration allowed)*

Elections and Voting  
4:00 PDG Meeting with ID William McKinney  
4:00 to 5:00 25A Hospitality Room 222  
5:00 to 5:30 Social and Cash Bar in Banquet Room  
5:30 Head Table Line Up  
5:45 Banquet and Awards Celebration

### 5:00 Reception and Banquet Schedule

5:00 to 5:30	Reception-Cash Bar
5:30	District 25A Banquet
Introduction of Head Table	Lion Butch Weston, Chair
Invocation	PDG Paul Freeland
Introduction of Dignitaries	Lion Butch Weston Chair
Dinner	
Awards	ID William McKinney & DG Glenn Swanson
Voting Results	Lion Gary Shaffer
Introduction of DG Elect	DG Glenn Swanson
Introduction of 1st VDG Elect	DG Glenn Swanson
Introduction of 2nd VDG Elect	DG Glenn Swanson

Recap and words by ID Wm McKinney and PCC Lydia Ellis

Silent Auction	PDG Margaret Verkuilen
Tail Twisting	Lion Chuck DeLasCasas
District Raffle	PDG Kevin Roe
Announcements	Lion Butch Weston
Benediction	PDG Paul Freeland

25A Hospitality (Room 222) 9:00 to 11:00

Please note that the silent auction, raffles and other prizes will be announced throughout the after-dinner entertainment by the Nightshift band. Please Enjoy!

**FRIDAY—3/13**

**Dinner with ID William McKinney**

**Social Hour starts at 6:00 pm**

**Dinner at 6:30 pm**





## 2015 State Convention Committee

*"Celebrate the PRIDE in Columbus"*

*April 24-26, 2015*

### 2015 INDIANA LIONS STATE CONVENTION

Hosted by the Clermont Lions Club and Lions of District 25-F, Inc.

With Special Guest

**International President Joe Preston**



#### CLARION HOTEL & CONFERENCE CENTER

2480 Jonathan Moore Pike | Columbus, IN 47201 | (812) 372-1541

Room Rate: \$89.00 plus tax (includes complimentary breakfast)

For room reservations call (812) 372-1541 and mention

"Lions of Indiana" to receive convention room rate.

**\*\*Early Registration\*\***

**DEADLINE**

**April 1, 2015**

#### Registration Form (one per person)

Name & Title

(Lion, DG, PDG, PID, VDG etc.)

*Please print name as desired on badge.*

Address

Phone

City, State & Zip Code

District

Club

Email

Friday Golf Outing - 9:00 am (lunch included)

\$ 40.00

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Friday Evening Dinner

15.00

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Saturday Celebrate the Pride Luncheon

10.00

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Saturday All State Banquet

15.00

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Please check entree choice:

Chicken Cordon Blue

Roast Beef

Caribbean Salmon

Please check any dietary needs:

Gluten-Free

Vegetarian

Other

Sunday Brunch

15.00

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**TOTAL ENCLOSED \$**

Send registration form and check payable to "2015 Indiana Lions State Convention"  
Lion Cindy Lindgren, 8747 Blooming Grove Drive, Camby, IN 46113 (317) 690-5573



Register online and pay with  
(small convenience fee will be charged)



Email: [ILSC2015@gmail.com](mailto:ILSC2015@gmail.com)

[www.ILSC2015.COM](http://www.ILSC2015.COM)

*Registration and Certification will begin on Friday, April 24th at 12:00 pm*

**\*\*Registrations received after April 1, 2015 will be accepted with each meal cost being \$5.00 extra.**

**Convention pin / Convention bag will also be \$5.00 after this date\*\***

**ALL ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND**

### **Lions State Convention Is Just Around The Corner!**

Lions all,

Please join us to “Celebrate the Pride” at the MD 25 Lions State Convention. The dates are Friday, April 24<sup>th</sup>, Saturday, April 25<sup>th</sup>, and Sunday, April 26<sup>th</sup>. Our honored guest is current International President, Joe Preston. Please join us to give him a big Hoosier Lions Welcome! The state convention offers a time of fellowship, motivation, learning, and understanding our state organization. It can be a time when Lions from all seven Districts can come together to make new friends, and renew friendships. Everyone will leave with more knowledge than they had before.

The Convention is being held at the Clarion Hotel and Conference Center in Columbus, Indiana, just a short distance down the road. District 25F and the Clermont Lions Club are the hosts for this year’s convention.

The State Convention Committee has tried to keep prices as low as possible. For example the Saturday night All State Banquet is only \$15. Rooms at the hotel are only \$89, which includes breakfast. I understand that many of us are on fixed incomes, so I am asking if clubs would consider using some of their admin funds for members to attend! What a great way to teach new members about Lionism! Please use the Registration form in the newsletter to register as many club members as you can!

Another way that you can show your Lion’s Pride is to place an advertisement in the State Convention Program. A copy of the form is in this newsletter. Prices range from \$50-200 for an ad. This is a way that you can show support for your officers, your current District Governor, your District Governor Elect, International President Joe Preston, and also inform the state about the wonderful projects your club supports.

Columbus, Indiana offers many sights. The architectural tour is fantastic. Many buildings were designed by Frank Lloyd Wright. The Edinburg outlet mall is less than ten minutes from the hotel, and Brown County is about a 25 minute drive! There is so much to do outside of the convention itself!

Friday morning begins with a golf outing for those who play golf. Others are welcome to take a tour of the shops in Brown County. On Friday evening, you can help to support the Columbus Lions Club, and go to the dinner they will sponsor. After the dinner you can attend the first business session and go to the Hospitality Rooms!

Saturday begins with the District Caucus sessions, then the 2<sup>nd</sup> Business session, followed by seminars, and the “Celebrate the Pride” luncheon. In the afternoon there will be more seminars, and the receiving line for the All State Banquet will begin at 5:45 PM. Of course, at the banquet, we are honored to have our International President, Joe Preston, as the keynote speaker! I am certain he will give us the motivation we need to get right out there and get those new members!

Sunday brings our Necrology Service where those who have passed are honored. Then the Awards Brunch, and finally the 3<sup>rd</sup> business session. You can see that we have much to do during three days!

I look forward to seeing everyone at the convention!

- PCC Sue Topf



**CROWN POINT LIONS CLUB**  
Smoke Free

## SPRING BINGO

**THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 2015**  
**6:30 p.m.**  
Doors Open at 5:00 p.m.

St. Elijah Hall  
8700 Taft Street - Merrillville

*Absolutely No Carry-in Food or Beverages Allowed*  
*Food and Beverages Available on Premises*

### BINGO DOOR PRIZES

**DONATION \$6.00**

Bring a pair of used glasses and receive an extra bingo card.

TICKETS MAY BE PURCHASED  
FROM ANY CROWN POINT LIONS CLUB MEMBER

TICKETS ALSO AVAILABLE AT THE DOOR.



Lots of Princesses—young and old—at the recent **Lake of the Four Seasons** Princess Gala. Below, Lion Jason DeLasCasas took the first jump in the First Annual Polar Plunge on Feb 7th



## Pancake Breakfast



The **IH-EC Lions** will be have an "all you can eat" pancake breakfast fundraiser.

April 19, 2015

Heritage Hall 4506 Tod Ave. x`

## Chili Luncheon

The **Dyer Lady Lions** are having a chili luncheon on March 15, 2015 Noon to 4:00 pm

St. John Township Center on US 30 in Schererville, IN IN.

Price: \$10 adults and \$5 for children 6 and under.

Luncheon includes two bowls of chili, 1 hunk of cornbread, 1 desert, and 1 beverage.



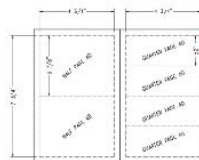
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### Convention Booklet Advertising Application

- Promote an upcoming event for your Club, District or Business •
- Honor your club's Melvin Jones, W.P. Woods Fellows or Past District Governors •
- Thank your District Governor for a great 2014-15 Lions' year •



Outside of Back Cover (full color) - one available	\$300
Inside of Back Cover (full color) - one available	250
Full Page	200
Half Page	100
Quarter Page	50

Copy may be in Color or Black and White

Please send your camera ready ad by March 15 to [Ymccann@iupui.edu](mailto:Ymccann@iupui.edu)  
Please mail this application with check payable to  
2015 Indiana Lions State Convention  
Lion Cindy Lindgren • 8747 Blooming Grove Drive • Camby, IN 46113

Detach and Return with Payment

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Club ☐ District ☐ Project ☐ Business ☐ Other ☐ \_\_\_\_\_

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Indicate Ad Size: Full Page ☐  
Half Page ☐  
Quarter Page ☐

Ads will be accepted in the order that payment is received.

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## Volunteer Application

The Tri-City Special Games will be held on Saturday, May 16, 2015 at the Soccer Field at East Chicago Central High School, located at 1100 W. Columbus Drive, East Chicago, IN. We are asking volunteers to register between 8:00 and 8:15 a.m. You will receive your assignment and t-shirt at that time. If you are available for early assignments (ex: balloons, etc.) please report by 7:30 a.m. Events should end by 1:00. Volunteers must be 16 years of age or older.

PLEASE PRINT

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization/Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

Shirt Size: (ADULT SIZES: Please check one) \_\_\_Small \_\_\_Medium \_\_\_Large \_\_\_XL \_\_\_XXL \_\_\_XXXL

Please return this form by **MARCH 27, 2015**, via:

- U.S. Mail to: JUNE TELLEZ at the Administration Building, 210 E Columbus Dr., East Chicago, IN 46312; -or-
- Email to: [jtellez@ecps.org](mailto:jtellez@ecps.org); -or-
- Fax to: 219.391.4146

If you have any questions, please contact June Tellez @ 219.391.4100 ext. 2360 -or- [jtellez@ecps.org](mailto:jtellez@ecps.org)



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## LOWELL LIONS CLUB 63<sup>rd</sup> ANNUAL PANCAKE BREAKFAST

*"All You Can Eat"*

**Saturday, April 11, 2015 6am -12pm.**

**Lowell Middle School Cafeteria  
19250 Cline Avenue, Lowell, IN**

**Adults- \$6.00 3-12 - \$3.00 2 & under - Free**

Breakfast includes; Fluffy pancakes, sausage links, egg & sausage casserole, regular & decaf coffee, white & chocolate milk, orange juice, regular & sugar free syrup.

**HOMEMADE BAKED COOKIES, PASTRIES, PIES, CAKES, AND GOODIES FOR SALE.**

**50/50 drawing at 12 Noon, winner will be notified after the drawing.**

**Free blood pressure checks by Tri Creek Ambulance E.M.T.'s.**

**Lowell Police - Free Picture & Thumbprint I.D. Cards for youngsters.**

For more information about our breakfast please call one of these members:

Leon Morrow @ 696-7344, Clifford Tetrault @ 219-306-6569

Jeff Greco @ 708-906-9800, Paul Palmer @ 219-730-4314.

On Internet -- [www.facebook.com/lowellionsclub](http://www.facebook.com/lowellionsclub) Click "Like" & "Share"

*The Decatur Central Lions Club was Organized in March, 1945.*

*We invite you to Join us on April 18, 2015*

*to Celebrate our 70th Anniversary*

*Providing Successful Service to Our Community and Our Schools*

*Our Celebration will be held at*

*Decatur Central High School*

*5251 Kentucky Avenue*

*Indianapolis, Indiana 46221*

*The Schedule for the Evening includes:*

*6:00 p.m. Gathering / Visit Displays*

*6:30 p.m. Banquet*

*7:30 p.m. Program by PID Doug Lozier*

*The Cost of the Catered Meal is \$20.00.*

*Checks, payable to Decatur Central Lions Club*

*To insure Seating for the Banquet, Please RSVP by April 5, 2015.*

*Send Reservations to:*

*Norma Gaston PO Box 151 Camby, In 46113*

*If you have any questions, please call*

*Lion Norma Gaston at 317-496-7784.*

*President, Decatur Central Lions Club*

"Join Your Friends in Columbus"

PCC Stephen Winegardner

No better way to spend Saturday evening than with fellow Lions to renew friendships and meet new Lions from around the state of Indiana while enjoying a delicious set down meal. For the past several years attendance at the Saturday evening All State Banquet during your Indiana Lions State Convention has been trending in the wrong direction. The planning committee this year decided to make an effort to reverse that trend and encourage attendance by initiating the following changes:

- Affordable meal price, \$15.00 per person.
- Promote the Saturday All State Banquet.
- Start the meal earlier to allow for drive time home.
- Negotiated reasonable hotel rates for those who want to spend the night.
- Acceptable attire is Lions Attire. Those who need formal attire will be notified.
- Reserving tables for ten Lions members or guests so you can all set together.
- Establishing goals from each District based on the percentage of last year's attendance.

In short, removing all barriers we could think of and encourage attendance this year.

### DISTRICT GOALS FOR 2015

District	2014 Attendance All State Banquet	2015 Goal All State Banquet
A	25	46
B	32	59
C	35	64
D	26	47
E	23	42
F	56	102
G	24	44
TOTALS	221	404

Three forms of recognition will be awarded this year:

- Each District that meets their goal as listed above.
- Districts with the highest percentage of membership attending.
- The top three Lions Clubs from each District with highest attendance.

Won't you join us at the All State Banquet in Columbus, Indiana on April 25, 2015 to demonstrate some real "Hoosier Hospitality" and the great work of Indiana Lions for your International President Joe Preston as the key note speaker and to learn of the many great accomplishments of Lions Clubs throughout Indiana during the past year.

## 25A Pace Setter

The **Whiting Lions Club** is having their famous pancake breakfast on March 22, 2015 from 7 am till 1 pm at St John Panel Room, located corner of Lincoln Ave and 119<sup>th</sup> Street, across from St John Baptist Church. Adult tickets are \$5.00 and children under 12 can eat for \$3.00. You can buy the tickets at the door or in advance from any Whiting Lion member.

The Whiting Lions Club puts on one of the best pancake breakfasts in the area. The pancakes are made to order! They have pancakes with apple slices, banana and/or chocolate chips inside. You can even add blueberry, strawberry and whip toppings to them. There are many pancake flavors to choose from. The children can even request a Mickey Mouse Pancake and it will be made to order for them. They will also be serving sausage, coffee, milk and juice.

The Whiting Lions will be collecting old eyeglasses as well as hearing aids that morning and when you bring your items you will be entered in a drawing for a gift just for remembering to bring your items with you to the breakfast on March 22nd.

The Lion members are also selling raffle tickets for \$1 each or 6 for \$5 and first prize is a \$500 Southwest Gift Card/trip for two to Las Vegas.

So please join us for a delicious breakfast as well as meeting a "Leader Dog in training".

Hope to see many of you at our annual fund-raising pancake breakfast!



**Rensselaer Lion**  
Bob Souza tests Jack Y. at Rensselaer Primary School Preschool. Lion Paul Gates looks on. Rensselaer Lions completed their annual eye screening. They tested 125 children in their small community.

**WHITING  
LIONS CLUB**  
**FAMOUS PANCAKE  
BREAKFAST**  
**SUN., MARCH 22<sup>nd</sup>**  
**7:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.**  
**ST. JOHN PANEL ROOM**  
119th AND LINCOLN AVENUE  
WHITING, INDIANA

- Special Toppings
- Door Prizes



- Fun For All
- Pancake Variety

**SPECIAL RAFFLE: BRING IN AND DONATE AN OLD PAIR OF EYE GLASSES OR HEARING AID TO ENTER**

Proceeds to:

- LOCAL COMMUNITY PROJECTS • LEADER DOG
- FORSYTHE PARK MEMORIAL • INDIANA CANCER CONTROL
- SPECIAL KIDS SUMMER CAMP • INDIANA EYE AND TISSUE BANK

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### **Schererville Lions Club Annual A.Y.C.E. Pancake Breakfast**

Pancakes, Scrambled Eggs, Sausage, Coffee, Juice, Milk

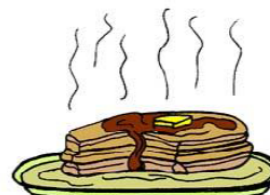
**Sunday April 26, 2015**

**7:30 A.M to 12:30 P.M.**

**At Immanuel Presbyterian Church,  
140 W. Highway 30 in Schererville**

**Cost Of The Breakfast Is A Donation**

**For More Info Please Call 219-322-2551 or 219-677-0678**



**All Proceeds To Benefit Schererville American  
Legion Post 485 Raise The Roof Campaign**

To Donate through GoFundMe, go to <http://www.gofundme.com/laz0ss>.





## Welcome New Members!!



Club	Member	Sponsor
Dyer	Erin L. Tacke	Vicki Morris
Hebron	E Ray Bales	
Hebron	Genay N. Steinhilber	Richard Gideo
Lake of the Four Seasons	Kathy Winebrenner	Kimberly Brownlee
Munster	Jeff Tucker	David Shafer
Union Mills	Ronald Heider Jr.	Vickey Kelter
Union Mills	Christina McPherson	Vickey Kelter
Union Mills	Jennifer Zimmerman	Roy Zimmerman
Westville	Brian Burns	Suzanne Burns
Westville	Sasha Burns	Suzanne Burns

### And Remember those who have Completed their Service to Lions.

Koontz Lake —Lion Arthur J. Borrelli Jr.  
 Indiana Harbor East Chicago —Nick Sarengach  
 Star City—Tom Blinn



**Munster Lions** held their annual Pancake Breakfast on March 1— Girl Scouts checked coats, Boy Scouts cleaned tables and there were lots of Lions to make it a success. Pictured above are Lions Bob Mangus, Dave Nellans and Kathy Kazuierczak.



**Schererville Lions** cooked a turkey dinner for the Hammond Warming Shelter. Pictured above Lion PCC Mike Gutyan, Cindy Ferrini, Patty Cooke, Jerry Tippy, Sharon Moore, Phil Aldrich, Sue Beach, Phyllis Vargo and Ken Jones.

March 13, 2015	District 25A Convention	May 20, 21, 21	16th Tri City Special Games
	LaPorte, IN	<b>SAVE THE DATES!!!</b>	East Chicago, IN
March 23, 2015	Zone 1A Meeting		May 23 Zone 3A Golf Out-
	Hammond, IN	ing	
April 23-25, 2015	MD25 State Convention		LaPorte Beechwood
	Columbus, IN	June 13	Fishing for Life
May 2	Karen's Angels Chicken Dinner		Westville
	Medaryville, IN	June 21	4th District Meeting
			Lake of the Four Seasons



## Club Visitation Schedule

Cedar Lake	Tuesday	May 5, 2015
Koontz Lake	Tuesday	April 15, 2015
Lowell	Tuesday	March 24, 2015
Star City	Wednesday	March 18, 2015
Door Village	Monday	April 13, 2015
Medaryville	Thursday	April 16, 2015
Dyer	Tuesday	May 12, 2015

Our District Mission group is back home! I will leave it to them to write their story of this adventure. Below are a few pictures of their successful venture.



Check out our Facebook webpage for additional pictures and stories

<https://www.facebook.com/25Alions>

Go to our website for full size copies of all the announcements and other links

<http://www.e-district.org/sites/25a>

Please send information pictures, articles, etc for the newsletter to Lion Patty Cooke

# 25A Pace Setter

## March 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
					Discript Convention—La Porte	
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Dyer Lady Lion Chilli			Star City OV			
22	23	24		26	27	28
Whiting Pancake	Zone 1A Mtg.	Lowell OV		Crown Point Bingoi		
29	30	31	1	2	3	4

## April 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
						Lowel Pancake
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	Door Village OV		Koontz Lake OV		Medaryville OV	
						Maple City Hoagie
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
East Chicgo Pancake					State Convention—Columbus	
26	27	28	29	30	1	2
State Convention—						
Schererville Pancake						