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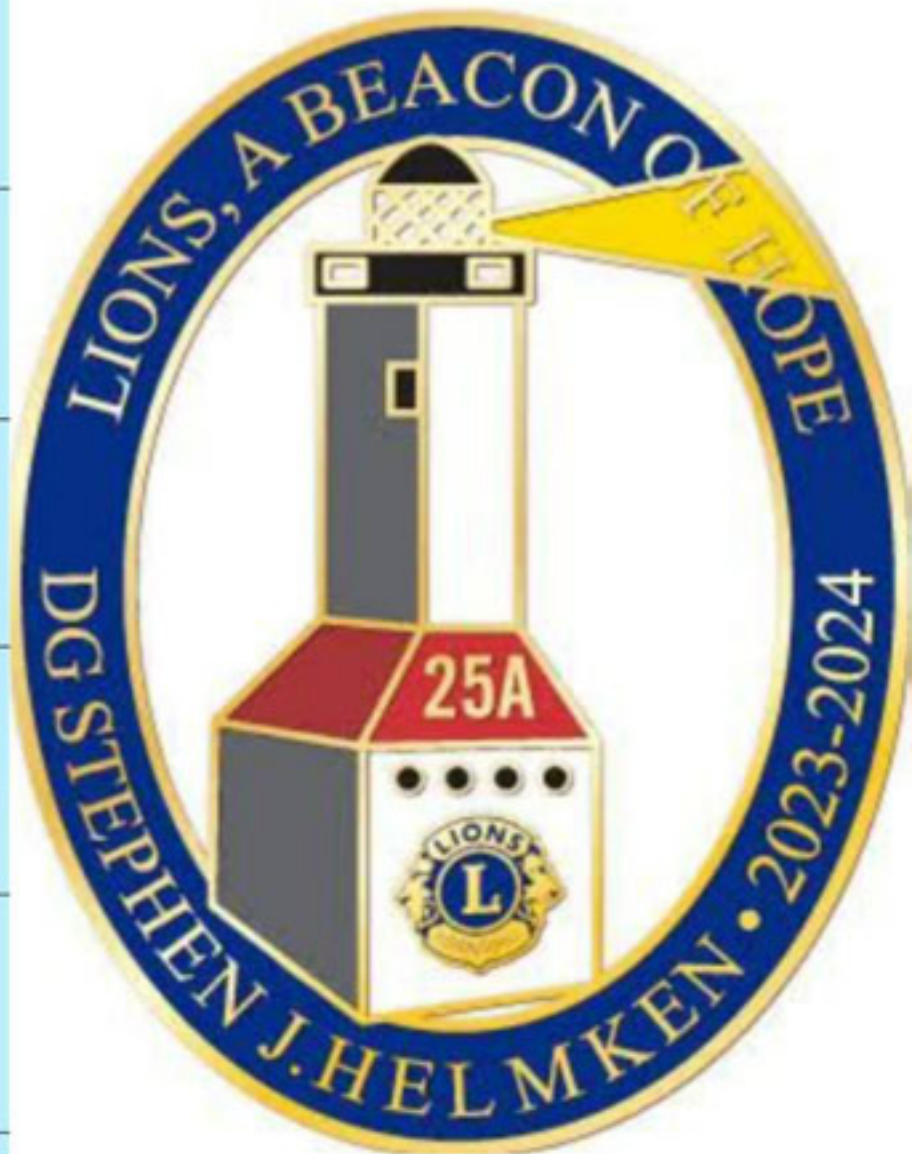
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District 25A Newsletter





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Dear Lions of 25A,

This Lions year is almost over. It's hard to believe it's gone by so quickly. But enough about that. More of my reflections will be in next month's newsletter.

We must help District Governor Elect Patty Cooke-Furlong prepare for her upcoming year. I hope all of the clubs have already held their election of officers. Have your club's secretaries gotten the elected officers entered into LCI? We have a new Lions Portal, and many secretaries are having issues with it. If you can't enter the information of your officers into LCI, please give them a call or reach out to DGE Patty for some help. Remember, she is the District Administrator and will be glad to help you get your club's officers entered. DGE Patty will need this information to put together her District Directory.

At this year's State Convention, PIP Frank Moore presented 1st VDGE Jim Furlong with the International President's Leadership Metal, and PIP Moore presented CS Patricia Greer with the International President's Presidential Metal. When you see these two outstanding Lions, please congratulate them for their years of service and hard work.

Our last District Cabinet meeting will be June 9th at the Lakes of the Four Seasons clubhouse. The time is from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm. I know there is a flyer about this in this newsletter, so please see it and get your RSVP into CS Pat Greer. Remember, Cabinet meetings are not just for your club's officers. A cabinet meeting is held for all Lions to come and find out what's going on in the District. This Cabinet meeting will be slightly different, with more "fun" than usual. This Cabinet meeting place is very special to me. Some of you know why, and for those who don't know why, get your reservation into CS Pat so you can find out why, too.

This year has been challenging as the District lost some clubs. We've dropped many members for various reasons, but the District can grow again. I challenge all members to bring in a new member before this Lions year ends. Make your meetings fun so that new or prospective members will return for more. Contact Lion Jody Greer if you need ideas on how to make your meetings fun. She did a great seminar at this year's District Convention on this very subject. Remember to be encouraging and positive in front of prospective or new members. By being encouraging and positive, you will undoubtedly grow as a human, and your club will grow in membership.

Lions, keep your Beacon of Hope shining brightly for all to see.

God Bless You,

DG Stephen J. Helmken



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1st Vice District Governor

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Hello Lions of 25A

I hope you and your clubs are all doing well. I am optimistic that the "winter" weather is finally over, and we can start enjoying warmer temperatures!

Lion Jim and I have been to a few Pancake breakfasts this spring and there are a few more to come. This past weekend we attended the Indiana Lions State Convention in Noblesville, IN. It was a busy time full of learning, meeting friends, taking care of Lions business, eating good food and just having a great time. My fellow DGE's discussed our plans as governors next year. We are all looking forward to the International Convention in Australia!

Another big event of the weekend was the fundraising for LCIF. All the coordinators sold tickets to have the chance to throw a pie in the face of one of the MD25 State leaders – PID's Linda, Nick and Doug, Council Secretary Sue and a few others. For a more significant donation, one Lion had the opportunity to throw a pie in the face of our visiting dignitary, Past International President Frank Moore. Various other Lions were also pie recipients, but it was for a good cause. With the addition of another large donation, lots of money was raised for LCIF – almost \$30,000.

Now I am back home and working on my year as your Governor – setting dates for meetings, finding Zone Chairs, filling other committee and project leadership positions. It reminds me of my previous year as your DG in 2016-17. Back then I was a little lost. I knew my local club and zone and had helped DG Glenn Swanson as his Newsletter editor and met had other Lions at the Cabinet Meetings. But I had not yet travelled to all the clubs of the district and met the great Lions of 25A. I now know that there is a team of Lions – including VDG Jim - to help me have a successful year. Plus, I am just trusting in God more. Giving Him all my problems and worries makes them smaller and more manageable or eliminates them altogether!

And thanks to my Convention Chair, Lion Chuck DeLasCasas, we do have one big task done. The 2025 convention is already scheduled. Mark your calendars for March 7-8, 2025, and plan to come to Fair Oaks Farms. It will be a lot of fun.

For those using the Portal, please check out the separate article. The Portal is in production and ready to use. There are a few bugs here and there, but generally there is someone on the other end of the phone to help. If you don't get an answer, please contact me and I will try to help or find someone in the District who can.

Lion Jim and I will be cruising the Bahamas the first full week of May, but I will have my phone and laptop with me and will be checking emails.

Lion Patty Cooke-Furlong
DGE, District 25A



2nd Vice District Governor Jim Furlong

NEW CLUB OFFICER TRAINING. Well its that time of year again where most if not all Clubs have had their elections for New Officers. There will be training for all new Presidents, Vice Presidents, Secretaries and Treasurers on Saturday, June 8, 2024 at 9:00 am at St. Paul's Lutheran Church at 507 S. Rose Ave. in Kouts. **THIS IS A DATE CHANGE FROM LAST MONTH'S NEWSLETTER.** So mark your calendars. We will also be giving training to incoming Zone Chairs.

We will also have a short question and answer and demo of the new Lions Portal which debuted on April 15, 2024. Yes it did. You will login with the same account tools that you have used for MyLion and MyLCI.

INDIANA LIONS STATE CONVENTION The 103rd State Convention was held in Noblesville, IN at an Embassy Suites just north of Indianapolis. DGElect Patty and I went down on Thursday and we had a great time meeting with Lions from all over the state with whom we share the value of service. At the Meeting the Lions voted and endorsed PDG Reed Fish from District 25-F to be the State's Candidate to serve as International Director for Lions Club International. PDG Reed still has to be accepted by the International Board which consists of the other International Directors and the International President Patty Hill and the International Vice Presidents. However, it would be rare for them to overturn the wishes of the State. It's a great honor as there are only about 8 International Directors in the United States and Canada. I know PDG Reed and he's a great Lion and will bring honor to the State of Indiana.

Next year's State Convention will be held April 25-27, 2025 right up the road from us in District 25-B at Shipshewana, IN. This will be a great opportunity to see how Lionism works at the State level and you know me, I encourage all to attend and have fun. Shipshewana is known for its crafts, particularly Amish built furniture so save your money and come enjoy the State Convention.

International Convention Speaking of Conventions DGE Patty and I will be attending the International Convention beginning June 24, 2024 in (drum roll please) Melbourne, Australia. At that convention DGE Patty will be installed as



2nd Vice District Governor *Jim Furlong*

your next District Governor. I am so proud of her. Since we're travelling all that way, we are taking a side trip to Sydney after the Lions Convention ends.

This will be my first trip to the Australian continent, and we are both looking forward to it. It will be winter "Down Under" through the temperature will average in the mid-upper 50's so not too bad but a light jacket in the evenings.

Well, the weather here has been steadily warming up so let's get out and attend some of the many summer events our District 25-A Lions do all summer. I always have fun at these events and if you give them a chance I'm sure you will also enjoy them.

Yours In Lionism
1VDGE Jim

Lions Portal

Once you have your username and password, you will be directed to the Portal.

The screenshot displays the Lion Portal interface. At the top, there is a search bar and a navigation menu with options: Home, Membership, Service, Learn, Reports/Insights, Shop, and More. The user is greeted with "Welcome Patty Cooke-Furlong!". Below this, there are four main navigation buttons: MY MEMBERSHIP (with a person icon), MY CLUB (with a house and people icon), MY CA (with a star and podium icon), and MY ASSOCIATION (with the Lions Club logo). The MY MEMBERSHIP section shows a gauge for "Lions Membership Today" with a value of 1,362,882. The MY CLUB section includes a "Welcome to the Lion Portal" message and buttons for "Frequently Asked Questions", "Training Videos", and "Helpful Resources". The MY ASSOCIATION section includes a "DONATE" button and "QUICK LINKS" for various programs and services.

My Membership will take you to the information about you – membership number, club name, birthdate, etc. You should be able to maintain your own personal data – i.e. change your address when you move.

My Club will show you information about your club. If you are a club officer (i.e secretary, treasurer, president, etc) you will be allowed to make changes – just as you did in MyLCI in the past. If you are not an officer, you can just browse the information.

My CA will show you information about clubs in your district (25A) or state (MD25) or constitutional area (CA 1). Except for some district officers, most Lions will only be able to view the data here.

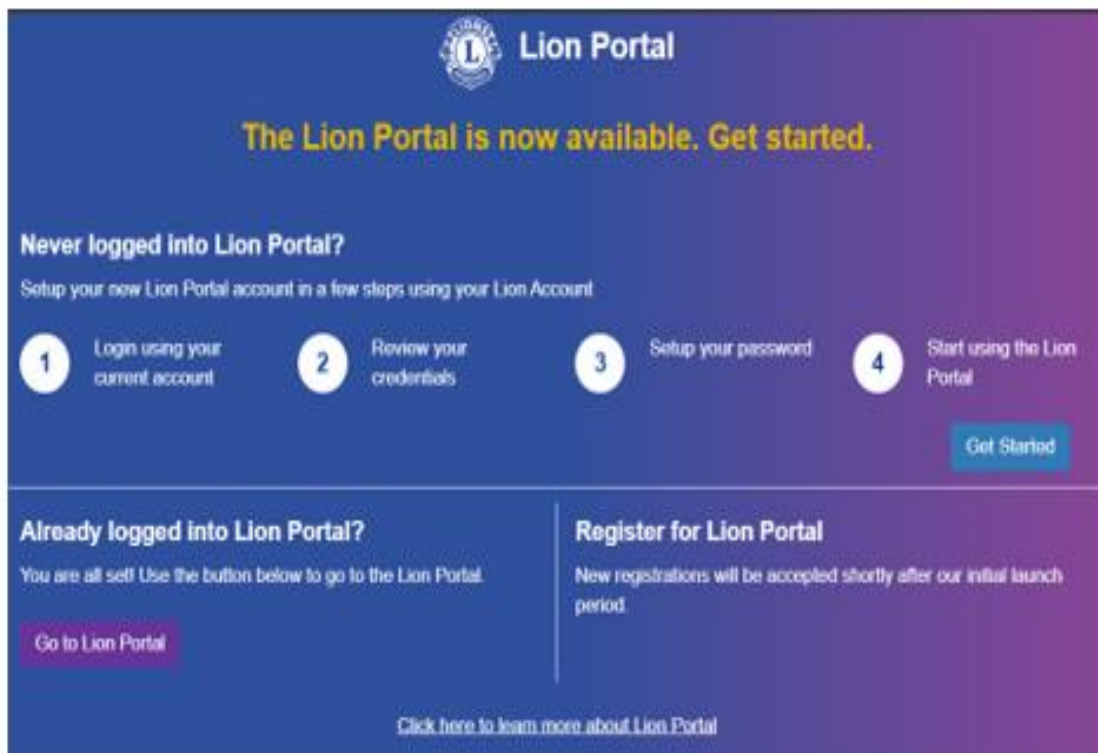
My Association is for the generation of reports – a valuable tool for Lion leaders at any level.

Lions Portal

The new Lions Portal is now available! You should all have access. Just go to www.lionsclubs.org and click on Member Login



This page will popup on your screen. I was able to just use my current ID, as I have always used the previous tools – myLCI, myLion, Insights, etc. So I just clicked on **Go To Lion Portal** in the lower left corner. If this does not work, then follow the instructions at the top of the page to create a new ID.



Lions Portal

Click the buttons in the middle of the pages for more help with the Portal:



Please contact the Member Service Center by calling +1 630-468-6900 or emailing lionssupport@lionsclubs.org. Lions have reported a quick response time when you call LCI.

Please let me know if you run into any issues. Various Lions are already using the Portal and we are sharing our knowledge.

The Portal will be reviewed in the Club Officer training in Kouts on May 18th.

Good Luck. No Fear. You can do it.

Lion Patty Cooke-Furlong, DGE
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District 25A 4th Cabinet Meeting



Governor Stephen J. Helmken



Sunday, June 9, 2024

Lakes of the Four Seasons Lakehouse

1048 Lakeshore Drive Crown Point, IN 46307

1:00PM CST

Cost: \$20.00 (Cook your own Steak)

(Strip steak, Baked Potato, Vegetable, Salad, Roll & Dessert)

Let's Celebrate with Friends, Fun & Fellowship

Reports should be submitted via email to CS Pat Greer prior to

the Cabinet Meeting paticia.agreer6@gmail.com

Please RSVP to CS Pat Greer by May 24, 2024

LOFS Needs 2 weeks' notice to order the Steaks

Number attending ___ X \$20.00 = _____

Name: _____ Title: _____

Name: _____ Title: _____

Make checks payable to the Lakes of the Four Seasons Lions

Mail to: CS Pat Greer

744 Acadia Rd Valparaiso, IN 46385

Cell: 219-928-3618

Home: 219-759-2865

Thank You – Gracias – Merci – Danke - Grazie

Lion Janet and I would like to express our gratitude to the Lions of Indiana for your faith in allowing us to be YOUR voice with Lions International. To be able to be given this chance comes with a great deal of responsibility, which we look forward to embracing. We will show to the members throughout the World that Indiana continues to produce dedicated, thoughtful, forward thinking and professional candidates for every level of leadership in our association.

While there will be a waiting period before we can be on the slate for the Board of Directors, you will see us working service and fund-raising projects in all corners of Indiana. This is our way of learning first-hand what thoughts and concerns our clubs have and possible ideals to make our organization better. Plus as retirement gets closer there will have to be something to keep me busy!

As was said many times during this campaign – Indiana is fortunate to have many quality leaders and that when our multiple district was asked to put forth an International Director candidate – PDG Charlie Short (District C) and myself were able to be considered by the membership to be that endorsed nominee. I personally would like to thank PDG's Charlie and Pat for their dedication to the Lions and their commitment to continue to provide service to the community.

While having this printed in the district newsletters enables us to get our message out to more members with more speed, it will be when we meet again in person that we can share with you what each word of encouragement and show of support during the campaign meant to us. We truly feel blessed to be part of such a great group of people!

Yours  Lionism

PCC Reed & Lion Janet Fish

Lions of Indiana



DISTRICT 25A HAD A WONDERFUL TIME AT THE STATE CONVENTION
PIP FRANK MOORE PRESENTED 1 ST VDGE JIM FURLONG WITH
THE INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT'S LEADERSHIP METAL, AND PIP MOORE
PRESENTED CS PATRICIA
GREER WITH THE INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT'S PRESIDENTIAL METAL.



★ State Convention ★

Special Report:**Children's Eye Foundation of AAPOS Selects Indiana Lions as Partner**

The Children's Eye Foundation of the American Association of Pediatric Ophthalmology and Strabismus (CEF/AAPOS) and Indiana Lions Vision Services have agreed to partner and provide expanded vision care opportunities for Hoosier children.

This is the first statewide Lions partnership for CEF/AAPOS.

Under the terms of the agreement, CEF/AAPOS *All Children See* program will start accepting qualified referrals for pediatric ophthalmic care from the Indiana Lions' vision screening programs.

Children under eighteen years of age and either uninsured or underinsured would qualify for no cost or reduced cost care. This includes ocular surgery and other treatments for pediatric eye conditions.

Megan Pfefferle, Executive Director of CEF/AAPOS said, "The Lions of Indiana are simply amazing. They provide tens of thousands of free vision screenings per year to schools and preschools already. This screening makes early detection possible, so our two programs are a natural fit. They find kids that may need help, our doctors can diagnose them, CEF/AAPOS helps eliminate the cost barriers to care, and the kids get into treatment."

Charlie Short and Henry Rodriguez of the Indiana Lions both expressed how important the new partnership is. "Indiana Lions have worked to help the blind and visually impaired for over a hundred years. Now we have a national professional association's foundation as a partner. It's just terrific," said Rodriguez.

"Indiana is the first statewide Lions partnership for CEF/AAPOS and we couldn't be more pleased," said Short. "Bringing two large-scale organizations together to accomplish more is always a good thing, but when it's such a natural alliance, it's just like meeting a great new friend. We're all excited to get going."

For more information, contact

CEF/AAPOS at <https://www.childreneyefoundation.org>

Indiana Lions at <https://e-district.org/sites/md25/>

DOOR VILLAGE LIONS CLUB ANNUAL EASTER EGG HUNT

Door Village Lions Host Annual Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday March 30th at 8 am, the weather started out lightly sprinkling and continued for about twenty minutes, all of a sudden, it stopped and by the time the eggs were all hidden and the children started arriving, the sun popped out of an early morning bright spring sky; and the very popular Door Village Lions Easter Egg Hunt began at 9 am in Scipio Township Park with sunshine to spare, and... an enthusiastic group of excited children.

A quick count of the crowd revealed eighty-six children, parents and workers, at least half of which were children. It was inspiring to see and hear the crowd, and the children were enjoying having their pictures taken with the Easter Bunny and the Lions Mascot only a little more than the proud and smiling parents, as they waited in short lines for picture taking and the anticipated signal to rush off and find all the eggs they could. Each of the four age groups began to form as Lion members Gene Flickinger, Sue Kaiser, Dennis Fischer and Nancy Weaver & George Morley held up signs to help get them to their proper age group.

Toys and games, etc. covered the picnic tables, waiting to be picked up by those who found eggs marked "prize", and there were a large number of prizes for them to choose from; all purchased by Lions Cindy Fischer and Sue Kaiser both of whom love to shop any chance they get. The close to 1000 eggs hidden throughout the park were stuffed on the previous Monday by Lion members Carrie Perra and her son Nick, Max Unger and his girlfriend Brenna Slaight, Dennis Fischer, Gene Flickinger, Cindy Fischer, George Morley, Pastor Sam Polito and Sue Kaiser. A couple of pieces of candy might have gone missing, but not too many because there was plenty of Pizza, pop and desserts for everyone to munch on, and of course there was lots of friendly banter going on during the stuffing of the eggs.

Door Village Lions have been hosting this project for well over 20 years and they never tire of seeing the children enjoy finding the eggs and collecting the candy, and of course the super nice prizes that are always there for the lucky ones who find the word "Prize" on their egg. For information on volunteering with the many club projects members do throughout each year, just call Lion George Morley at 219-575-3575.

Additional photos on next page



Door Village
Easter egg hunt photos

LOFS LIONS CLUB
WAYNE D. KRONER SR.
MEMORIAL PORK CHOP DINNER

MAY 19TH
4P-7P

SEASONS LAKEHOUSE




SCAN THIS CODE TO PURCHASE TICKETS

DINNER INCLUDES:

- PORK CHOP(S)
- PARSLEY POTATOES
- BAKED BEANS
- APPLE SAUCE
- SALAD
- DINNER ROLL
- DESSERT



TICKET PRICES

1 CHOP DINNER - \$14
 2 CHOP DINNER - \$17
 * \$1 SURCHARGE FOR TAKEOUT

FREE
HOT DOGS
AND CHIPS
FOR THE KIDS

COME JOIN US AT THE SEASONS LAKEHOUSE FOR OUR ANNUAL PORK CHOP DINNER MAY 19TH FROM 4P TO 7P

DINE-IN
OR
TAKE-OUT

TICKET SALES WILL END AT MIDNIGHT ON MAY 14TH
 LIMITED WALK IN SALES WILL BE AVAILABLE

ALL TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE VIA THE QR CODE OR YOU CAN REACH OUT TO ANY LOFS LIONS MEMBER OR CALL:
 LION TOM SNOWDEN - 219-776-6324 / LION DAN MOYNIHAN - 219-713-8575






South Haven Lions Club Presents



PANCAKES

and More!



May 18, 2024

(Saturday)

8 am - 11 am

\$10 per adult

\$ 6 per child

(12 & under)

**South Haven
American Legion**

Post 502

429 W. 750 N.

South Haven, IN

**Pancakes
(AYCE Only)**

Eggs, Sausage,

Biscuits &

Gravy, Milk,

OJ, Coffee

All proceeds support our local projects!

LAKES OF THE FOUR SEASONS LION'S CLUB



THE DISTRICT 25-A INDIANA LIONS FOR LEADER DOG REPRESENTED BY LION CHUCK DE LAS CASAS PRESENTED BOZZ PLACE OWNER, JOHN BERNARD, WITH A LEADER DOG TRIBUTE. LION SARAH GULLEY (NOT PICTURED) ALSO RECEIVED A LEADER DOG TRIBUTE. BOZZ PLACE ALSO SPONSORED A LEADER DOG PUPPY.

THE DISTRICT 25-A LEADER DOG COMMITTEE THANKS BOZZ PLACE FOR THE VERY SUCCESSFUL FUNDRAISER FOR LEADER DOGS FOR THE BLIND. SENDING A SPECIAL SHOUT OUT TO JOHN BERNARD, LION SARAH GULLEY, BOZZ PLACE STAFF AND THEIR CUSTOMERS. THANK YOU ALL.

Lake Station Lions Clubs



We held our 7th annual quarter auction on March 16th. Raised apx. \$2500.
We had a bake sale to raise money for the Lake Station K9 unit. (\$500)
We sponsored a leader dog with a \$500 donation to leader dog program.



SOUTH HAVEN LIONS CLUB

2024 GOLF OUTING



Saturday, June 22, 2024



Check in 7 am / Shotgun 8 am



**Duck Creek Golf Course
638 N. 700 W. Hobart, IN 46342**



**Cost per person: \$75.00
Cost per team: \$300.00
Team deposit: \$75.00**



Skins & Pins, Raffles, Door Prizes, 1st place wins \$400, Food & Drink is included with registration.

Golf Outing Registration Form Scramble **FOUR** a Cause!



Benefiting South Haven Lions Club Projects

Location: Duck Creek Golf Course
638 N. 700 W. Hobart, IN. 46342

When: Saturday, June 22, 2024
Registration @ 7 am / Shotgun @ 8 am

Cost: \$75 per person / \$300 per team / \$75 deposit per team

Contact Information:

Team Name: _____

Team Captain: _____

Contact Number: _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

Participation Entry:

Individual (\$75)

Foursome (\$300)

Deposit (\$75)

Payment Method:

Cash or Check _____ or PayPal

For questions, please contact Randy Greer (728.8432)
or Lion Ken Laviolette (741.4915)

Submit Payment & Form to:
Lion Ken Laviolette 3017 Bender St. Portage, IN. 46368



Crown Point Lions Club Highlights



The Crown Point Lions Club was honored to have three speakers at our April 4th meeting. District Governor Steve Helmken spoke to the club as a Trustee of Indiana Lions Speech and Hearing. In the 1970s, a group of visionary Lions recognized a need to assist Hoosiers with speech & hearing impairments. Helen Keller is quoted to say "Deaf is worse than being blind". To learn more please check out their website. <https://www.indylionsspeechhearing.com>



Zone Chair Wendy Semans, Trustee for Lions Control Fund of Indiana informed the club of the achievements in childhood cancer and the partnership with Riley's Children Hospital to help children with cancer. This is the oldest Lions service project and supports research and education. Lions donated a 3D printer which makes covers for patients undergoing radiation treatments. For more information, check out their website.



<https://www.lionscancercontrol.org/>



Lion Carolyn Toosley explained the benefits for testing for diabetes. Lions with the help of Lions Clubs International Foundation are working to reduce the prevalence of diabetes and improve the lives of those living with diabetes. She encouraged everyone to get tested and watch for the warning signs. For more information go to www.diabetes.org



Four Lions Clubs in Zone 3A of District 25A

La Porte, Michiana, Mill Creek and Rolling Prairie,
are hosting their annual golf scramble

Friday, July 26, 2024
Whispering Pine Golf Course
32280 Ind. 4, Walkerton, IN 46574.

The Lions clubs are soliciting sponsors and golfers for the event with
registration beginning at 10 a.m. CST, 11 a.m. EST.

The donation for each player is \$75, or \$300 for a four-person team, which
includes golf, cart, light lunch, team and individual awards.
There will be chipping and putting contests at 10:15 a.m. CST, 11:15 a.m.
EST.

Deadline for entries is July 19, 2024, limited to 144 golfers, no rain date.

Play will begin at 11 a.m. CST, noon EST with a
shotgun start and scramble format.

Lunch will be served throughout the outing.
Awards will be given out at 3:15 CST, 4:15 EST with one drink included.

Any questions should be directed to Lions
Sandra Provan, 219-362-5618
Nancy Hawkins, 219-363-7128
Emily Howard, 219-608-7531
Ron King, 219-379-6009
Glenn Swanson, 219-324-7149.

BINGO

Another Great Bingo Night !!



Over 500 people attended. Twenty-six Lions did their best to make sure everyone had a great time. The first 50/50 Winner won \$1000.00. The Spring Bingo brought in \$9794.51. This fundraiser will allow the Lions to continue to support many causes in the Crown Point Community. Congratulations Lions for a job well done.





LAW CAMP 2024

The ISP/Lions Law Camps are coming up fast! The Camp directors are getting all in order and are looking forward to working with the campers and with Lions.

Anderson Law Camp June 30 – July 3 (Sunday thru Wednesday)

Columbus Law Camp July 9 - 13 (Tuesday thru Saturday)

Applications are available on line on <http://trooper.org/camps> web site and I have also attached one. The price of the camp is \$150.00. We can help with scholarships.

Law Camps give students entering the 6th, 7th and 8th grades a behind the scenes look at the criminal justice system. This four-day co-ed camp offers an advanced look at law enforcement through field trips, exciting demonstrations, motivating programs and some hands-on learning.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Lions of Indiana for their dedication to the ISP/Lions Law Camps. We know that Law Camps have been outstanding camps that the campers love to attend, meet peers from around the state, and have a better understanding of the different aspects of Law Enforcement through the guidance of the best handpicked counselors who have a real dedication to the well-being of the Campers and the Camps.

During camps the Lions help with registration, provide cookouts, pizza parties, taco parties, ice cream socials, eye screening, transportation, fees for and activities, Leaderdog programs, snacks, water, and gift bags consisting of items we continually collect through the year (toiletries, pencils, pens, small pads of paper, toothbrushes, toothpaste, etc.).

We certainly encourage and thank clubs for "adopting" a meal or activity with Law Camp. Donations of snacks and water are always needed and much appreciated. Feel free to contact any of the District Law Camp Chairpersons for more information.

Again, we want to thank everyone for their assistance with Law Camp and in making the Camps so successful. The kids, parents, and staff appreciate the service of the Indiana Lions and acknowledge that the Lions are an important part of Law Camps.

PDG Betty Weist

P.S. If help is needed for scholarships please contact me at bettyweist@aol.com 765-623-3553.

ISP Printable Camp Registration Form, ITYS

Select Camp Attending:

- Career Camp (\$250):** Trine University, Angola, IN Vincennes University, Vincennes, IN
Law Camp (\$150): Anderson University, Anderson, IN Columbus Youth Camp Grounds, Columbus, IN
Junior Pioneer Camp-Outs: RECOMMENDATION ONLY!! Recommended by: _____
 Lincoln State Park Mounds State Park

We respect your privacy and will never share or sell your email address and information. The email address is for correspondence for the current registration only.

Email Address: _____

Camper Name: _____

Camper Date of Birth: ___ / ___ / ___

Gender: Male Female

_____ _____ _____ _____ _____
Street Address City State Zip County

ADULT Shirt Size: S M L XL XXL

Parent / Guardian First and Last Name: _____

Parent / Guardian Phone Number: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Emergency Contact Phone Number: _____

Roommate Request (1 request only): _____

Medical Information

Camper medical information. Medical information will only be viewed by medical staff and the staff caring for your child. ITYS will keep this information confidential.

Insurance Carrier:

Insurance Policy #:

Allergies and Medical Conditions

Please list all medical conditions, allergies, medication and treatment that the staff should be aware of for the proper care of the camper. This includes the use / need of an asthma inhaler, epipen, etc...

Additional Information of Camper

Please share any information about your child's emotional or mental health that will aid us in their care while at camp. If there are any issues at home or additional stresses your child is enduring, please contact camp staff.

Liability / Waiver

This information is required to be reviewed and by placing your initials and signed/electronic/typed signature and date below, you are acknowledging and consenting to these terms.

I/We give my permission for the camp nurse/designee for medical care, to give my child/ward his/her medication as listed and instructed, pursuant to Indiana Code 16-36-1.

I Agree I Disagree Initials: _____

I/We, as Parent(s)/Guardian(s) give my permission for my child to participate in ANY field trip or special event, conducted by the State Police, an agency of the State of Indiana, that might require such child to be taken off the Indiana State Police Camp University or Camp premises.

I Agree I Disagree Initials: _____

If your camper has a serious injury or illness and we are unable to reach you, we need your permission for EMERGENCY treatment as recommended by the attending physician. I/We give my permission for Emergency treatment if needed and as a Parent/Guardian and I, Parent/Guardian assume all responsibility for any cost as a result of sickness or injury.

I Agree I Disagree Initials: _____

If your camper has a serious injury or illness and we are unable to reach you, we need your permission for Surgery treatment as recommended by the attending physician. I/We give my permission for Surgery treatment if needed and as a Parent/Guardian and I, Parent/Guardian assume all responsibility for any cost as a result of sickness or injury.

I Agree I Disagree Initials: _____

I/We, as Parent(s)/Guardian, give my permission for the use of my child's photographs in camp promotional publications.

I Agree I Disagree Initials: _____

I/We, as Parent(s)/Guardian(s) do hereby release the State of Indiana, the Indiana State Police, and the Indiana Troopers Youth Services, Inc., its agents and employees from all actions, damages, claims or demands which I/We, my heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns may have against the above named agencies for all personal injuries known or unknown and injuries to property real or personal, caused by, or arising out of the above described activities or participation. I/We, the Parent/Guardian, the undersigned, have read this release and understand all its terms, we execute voluntarily and with full knowledge of its significance, pursuant to Indiana Code 16-36-1.

I Agree I Disagree Initials: _____

Signature

Date

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Indiana Lions Foundation at the Indiana State Fair

The dates for the Indiana State Fair this year are August 2, 2024 through August 18, 2024.

There are a couple changes for this year.

- Last year the Fair was closed on Monday and Tuesday each week; this year it will be closed only on Monday.
- Automobile entrance to infield parking will be handled differently this year. In prior years, cashiers collected money for auto parking fees and entrance fees on the access roads. This year, only auto parking fees will be charged at the access roads. Four new gates are being created on the infield and Lions will sell and scan tickets at these new gates. On the website sign-in sheets they are designated at NW, SW, NE and SE gates.

This year, we will have approximately 1,000 shifts and we need your help to fill these positions. Please sign up on the website at :

IndianaLionsFoundationMD25.org

If you have any questions, please contact one of the Indiana Lions Foundations State Fair Committee Members:

Lion Rose Russell	574-250-0125
PDG Don Cooper	260-615-5350
Lion Pam Arnold	260-705-6610
PDG Kathy Lozier	317-431-7655
PCC Bob Booher	317-435-0139



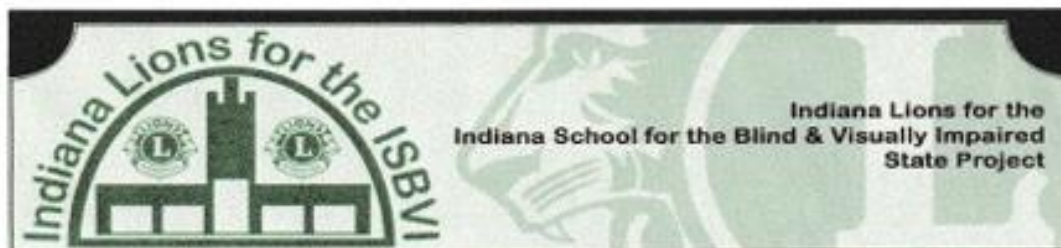
Your ISBVI Lion Trustees are sponsoring a **work day** at the school in Indianapolis on **Saturday, May 18th 2024**. This is a great opportunity for you/family/friends to walk the walk and put our **"We Serve"** motto into action. Our schedule for the day will be:

- 8:30 am Registration and donuts (of course!)
- 9 am - 1 pm Morning work Session
- 1 pm Lunch (provided by the school)
- After Lunch **Tour of the School** for those interested
- After lunch Afternoon work session until done

Come and help us beautify and improve this campus! Interested? Contact...

Lion Mike Okuly
 260-519-3541
mokuly52@yahoo.com

It's a great day of fun, hard work and camaraderie and a chance to meet other Lions from around the state as well as visit this beautiful campus. This is one of **your** Lions State Projects.....take a few hours to help beautify and improve it. You'll get great satisfaction from doing so....and of course, a **free lunch!** Hope to see you there. **Last chance to see the old campus before it totally revamped with the School for the Deaf and ISBVI new campus.**





The Chesterton Lions Club

*Invites you to join us as we Celebrate
90 Years of Dedicated Humanitarian Service to our Community*

Saturday, June 8, 2024

*The Spa Special Events Center
333 N Mineral Springs Rd
Chesterton, Indiana 46304*

*5:30 – Social Time – Hors' d'oeuvres and Cash Bar
6:30 – Buffet Dinner (Ribeye and Chicken Parmesan)
7:30 – Program and Special Guest Speaker*

Cost is \$35.00 per person

A silent auction and 50/50 raffle will be held

Business Attire Requested

Any questions may be directed to Lion Mike Perkins at 219-895-3919 or e-mail skinnyman959@gmail.com

Please RSVP by May 29, 2024

Need a hotel? The Spring House Inn is right next door – (219) 929-4600



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Lion Bill Ellis – 1562 Colonial Dr, Chesterton, IN 46304 – 219-241-8139

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More Than 80% of Children Diagnosed with Cancer are cured, but that number does not begin to make clear the damage cancer wrecks on kids and their families. Approximately 1,800 kids still die each year from this disease in the U.S. alone. For those who do survive, toxic treatments take an irreversible toll on their health. These therapies leave Children with lifelong chronic conditions that range from fragile bones to strained hearts to infertility.

Skylar survived 2 battles with Leukemia that robbed her of her elementary school experience. She is now Cancer free, but her bones were so ravaged by treatment that she has trouble walking and is in excruciating pain and will eventually require an artificial hip.



Tate overcame stage 3 Liver Cancer as a Baby. From his chemotherapy, he must now wear hearing aids and weak bones have led to multiple breaks

Layla was diagnosed with a brain tumor at the age of 4, kidney cancer at 10, and thyroid cancer at 15. Despite all she endured, she remained a bright light for all around her. She passed away in 2022 at the age of 19 when her brain cancer recurred.



There are at least 483,000 childhood cancer survivors in the U.S. Many suffer from lifelong conditions, including heart damage, stroke, and increased risk to develop other cancers.

Welcome New Members

MAY 2024

Welcome to our new
lions club members!

Members that have completed their
service



Remembering a
life of service