

August 2017

District Lion



Youth Exchange Students L-R: Astrid - Belgium, Isabella - Brazil, Alexander - Russia, Hilary - Netherlands, Kristof - Hungary, Rieke - Germany, Luke -United Kingdom, Rikke - Denmark, Alexandre - France, and Ingrid -Norway

Continuing a tradition since 1978

The C. Kirby Smithe Lions International Youth Camp began in 1978 and since then it has hosted over 340 students from almost every continent in the world. This year ten students were hosted for one month in Arizona; 2 weeks with host families, one week each exploring the northern and southern Arizona.

The students reflected on their trip and most were amazed at the size of the Grand Canyon State along with the size of meal, the inexpensive price for shopping and the love they developed for their host families. Already they are planning their re-union.

The Youth Camp is always in need of host families and volunteers. If you would like to host or volunteer, please contact Lion Tony Luick - Youth Exchange Chair on 520-850-6725.

Important Dates:

USA/Canada Forum
September 21, 2017
Portland, Oregon.

MD-21 Mid-Year Forum
November 04, 2017
Prescott Resort, Arizona.

2nd MD21 Coucil meeting
November 04, 2017
Prescott Resort, Arizona

ELLI and ALLI
November 11, 2017
Denver, Colorado.



July Clubs Review



Some of the members of Benson Lions Club strike a pose for a photo for their new facebook page.



Engaging our Youth: Club President Bob handed over 26 backpacks and supplies to Mesquite Junior High School.



Engaging Our Youth: Chandler Lions supports the Chandlers National Little League champs as they head off to California! We wish them the BEST!



The Douglas Lions Club held its annual Kids Fishing Kirby which was a huge success. Get into the action next year.



Lions bobbie and Phil takes their oath of Office. Congratulations!!



Fellowship: Mesa Leisure World Lions joined with their community for a social event. Having fun is important.



State of Arizona Certification: Lions from Safford, South Tucson, North Tucson, Sierra Vista, Casa Grande and Catalina Oro Valley joined health personnel from the Tucson Catholic Diocese schools today to receive their State Certification.