

# DISTRICT 22B NEWSLETTER



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## DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

### “CELEBRATE SERVICE”

Fellow Lions of 22B:

I want to thank everyone for their great response to our District Social invitation. We are currently sitting at 210 people that are planning to attend, and that number may go up even more. It will be a great night of celebration for all of us, as we gather together to share our accomplishments, share great fellowship, and just have a great time together as fellow Lions. We continue to be very busy in our communities, even as the weather remains cold and wet. Your commitment to the new service areas that were announced at the last international convention is overwhelming to me. We are having 100% participation from our clubs of 22B in the area of Hunger. Now I just need you to share that information with our Hunger Initiative Chair, Darlene Coleman so that we can get accurate information reported to LCI. We are also doing very well in the service areas of Pediatric Cancer, and Diabetes. As I have just about concluded my initial rounds of visits to all the clubs of 22B, I remain astounded by the amount of money clubs are putting right back into their communities for all sorts of projects that will make a huge difference in the lives of their citizens. As I have said throughout my club visit talks, it must be comforting to the citizens to know that if there is a need in a community, the Lions Club is just a phone call away and that assistance is usually immediate. We Serve!!!

I want to talk to you this month about our upcoming Multiple District Convention being held in Ocean City MD on May 13-16, 2019 at the Princess Royale. I encourage the Lions of 22B to come out and enjoy a wonderful convention. I have already seen a preview of the many seminars that will be offered during the convention and they are on target. As you know, we will be electing a new District Governor. PDG John Lawrence has agreed to step in for Lion M.A. Carroll, who requested to step back for a couple of years. We are so happy that Lion M.A. is on the road to recovery and feeling much better these days. Lion M.A. will be a great District Governor and will follow Dr. Wayne Benjamin in the rotation as it stands currently. We will also be handing out some awards at the District Breakout Sessions. These awards will be the specialty awards, similar to the ones I gave out during my first tenure as DG. I will continue the tradition started by IPDG Jeff Beever to hand out the Five Star Awards, DG Exceptional Club Awards, and 100% Secretary's Awards at the Banner Transfer. So please consider attending the convention this year. You won't be disappointed.

Great Job, District 22B Lions for an outstanding month of Membership Recruitment. Fourteen new members in January and an equal amount so far in February. We are beginning to turn things around. Let's continue to work hard in this area. Please continue to reach out to your citizens and invite them into our District 22B Lions family. Our goal of 1350 is obtainable if we continue to have months like this. Awesome work, District 22B Lions.. Until next month, “Be the Change, You Want to See in the World.”

DG Wayne Cole

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**"WELCOME TO THE DISTRICT 22B FAMILY"  
NEW MEMBERS FOR JANUARY 2018**

**Your District Leadership Team would like to extend congratulations on becoming a Lion in the month of JANUARY 2019. Thank you for joining the largest service organization in the world and we look forward to working with you in the future.**

Lion Judy Melton, Chesapeake City Lions Club, Lion Christine Mullen, Sponsor  
 Lion Victoria L Kerin, Crisfield Lioness Lions Club, Lion Linda Singh, Sponsor  
 Lion Kevin M Miskewicz, Deal Island Chance Lions Club, King Lion Debbie Woolen, Sponsor  
 Lion Linda A Miskewicz, Deal Island Chance Lions Club, King Lion Debbie Woolen, Sponsor  
 Lion Madison N Bee, Federalsburg Lions Club, Lion Bobbie Bee, Sponsor  
 Lion Darlene M Hammond, Federalsburg Lions Club, CS Frankie Bennett, Sponsor  
 Lion Patricia A Briscoe, Federalsburg Lions Club, King Lion Kim Abner, Sponsor  
 Lion Gerald Keene, Hurlock Lions Club, No Sponsor Listed  
 Lion Janice L Steffey, Millington Lions Club, King Lion Nevin Steffy, Sponsor  
 Lion William Christmas, Ocean City Lions Club, Lion Steve McMillan, Sponsor  
 Lion Emery Miseneik, Princess Anne Lions Club, Lion Michael Hall, Sponsor  
 Lion Sonald R Sigrist, Princess Anne Lions Club, Lion Michael Hall, Sponsor  
 Lion Andy Gowen, Ridgely Lions Club, Lion Brett Meyers, Sponsor  
 Lion Brian M Shivery, Rising Sun Lions Club, Lion William Fossett, Sponsor



So far from November until present 22B clubs have collected 4,966 pair of glasses and the year total are 11,709 pairs. We collect glasses at every cabinet meeting, just make sure you have the number and club name on the outside of the box.

## COMMITTEE REPORTS

### LCIF

To date Clubs in District 22 have donated only \$ 8,700.00 and this time last year the donations were \$19,000.00. I am requesting clubs, please donate to LCIF. This year DG Wayne and myself would like to have 100% participation in supporting LCIF, last year we had only 70% participation. Remember all donations can go towards a Melvin Jones Fellow for someone in your club, community or yourself. If you should have any questions about LCIF please contact your club coordinator or Lion Frankie Bennett LCIF Coordinator at [csbennett@comcast.net](mailto:csbennett@comcast.net).

#### **Campaign 100** *Increasing Service Impact, Expanding Global Causes*

Lions Clubs International Foundation is proud to announce **Campaign 100: LCIF Empowering Service**. We're celebrating a century of service while working to support Lions' efforts for the next 100 years and beyond. With financial support from Lions, other donors and partners, the foundation is committed to raising **US\$300 million** by June 30, 2021. It's an unprecedented goal but one LCIF is confident we'll reach together. What's the power of your gift to Lions Clubs International

Foundation? A safer and healthier world in which Lions have even greater opportunity to:

Increase service impact in the areas of vision, youth, disaster relief and humanitarian work.

Fight diabetes to reduce its prevalence and improve quality of life for those diagnosed.

Expand our global causes to include:

**Hunger** – Growing resources and infrastructure needed to address food shortages, we'll work toward a world in which no one goes hungry.

**Childhood Cancer** – We'll strengthen medical and social services designed to increase life expectancy of children with cancer and enhance quality of life for them and their families.

**Environmental Issues** – Together, Lions and LCIF will protect the environmental health of our global communities.

#### **Empowering Service through Your Campaign 100 Gift**

You *know* the impact your service makes on communities. Now, expand your contribution to bettering the world through a personal financial contribution to LCIF.

**Donate today** to change the world even more profoundly.

Every Lion in every club worldwide has the power to create a better future.

**Join the Campaign 100: LCIF Empowering Service movement.**





## 22-B Charitable Foundation Exists

Yes, 22-B does have a Charitable Foundation. It provides funds to clubs, a collection of clubs, or zones to help with community projects when extra funds are needed. The Foundation will provide up to 50% of the cost of a project which includes Lions active involvement. As an example, the Kent Island and Queenstown Lions Clubs recently received a grant for \$500 for a community youth project in Queen Anne's County.

There are two ways you can help with the Foundation. First, apply for a grant to help with your Lions project. Consider a Lions Legacy Project to help celebrate our 100 years as Lions. Funds are available. The application form for grants can be found in this newsletter.

The other way to help is by donating to the Foundation. A good way to do this is by recognizing a Lion or a community leader with a Darley Travers Fellowship. They come in four levels: Basic Pin at \$100, Sapphire Pin at \$250, Ruby Pin at \$500, and Diamond Pin at \$1000. The Diamond level also includes a distinctive plaque. The required donation for the pins is cumulative. For example, a recipient of a Basic Pin may upgrade to Sapphire for an additional \$150. To date, we have awarded 70 Basic Pins, 6 Sapphire Pins, 1 Ruby Pin, and 16 Diamond Pins. Any club will also receive special recognition when they become a 100% Darley Travers Fellow club. Thus far, Salisbury Metro Lions Club has received this distinction.



LIONS INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT 22B CHARITABLE FOUNDATION, INC.



REQUEST FOR FUNDS

This application must be completed in its entirety. All requests will be considered at the next meeting after receipt of this application. After due consideration of the Club's needs, and the Foundation's available money, we will give an appropriate response. Remember: we are a team working together for others.

- 1. Name of applicant club: \_\_\_\_\_ Lions Club
2. Name of project chairperson: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

- 3. Name of family or recipient: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Give a brief description of proposed project, summary of need, and pertinent information on the back of this application.

- 5. What is the total cost of this project? \$ \_\_\_\_\_
6. a. What is the recipient's contribution? \$ \_\_\_\_\_
b. What is the local Lions Club's contribution? \$ \_\_\_\_\_
c. What is the total of other's contributions? \$ \_\_\_\_\_
d. What contribution is requested from The Foundation? \$ \_\_\_\_\_
Total (Lines 6a - 6d must equal line 5) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

7. We, the Board of Directors of \_\_\_\_\_ Lions Club, believe this project is necessary and that it will benefit the extension of Lionism through humanitarian service in this community and hereby request the assistance indicated.

Lions Club Secretary: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Club's Project Chairperson: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

"District 22B Lions helping others to see and hear through humanitarian service"

## LIONS VISION RESEARCH FOUNDATION UPDATE JANUARY 2019

It's not too early to think about late spring - the LVRF along with the Clarksville Club is planning a fundraiser Golf Tournament scheduled for June 7<sup>th</sup> at Fairway Hills in Columbia, MD. Details regarding times, prices, and directions will be forthcoming. So whether you are a fairway marvel or a bumbling duffer, get it on your calendar now and plan on supporting the LVRF on the green.

At the LVRF Roundup in November, a total just shy of \$60,000 was donated in support of LVRF through the collective efforts of the Multiple District 22 clubs.

Speaking of donations, online donation capability (PayPal) will be added to the LVRF website in the near future. Your donation is only a click away.

### **DID YOU KNOW?**

- In 1991, the Lions Vision Research Foundation along with the Wilmer Eye Institute of Johns Hopkins established the Lions Vision Center at Wilmer to improve the quality of life for those hindered by low vision.
- Low vision cannot be improved by glasses, surgery or medication. People with low vision may have visual acuity of 20/50 or worse; blind spots; or loss of peripheral vision, all of which interferes with their everyday activities.
- Unfortunately, services available to low vision patients are few and far between so to make these services more assessable, LVRF and the Wilmer Eye Institute have established the Low Vision Rehabilitation Network referred to as LOVRNET. The goal is to make rehabilitation services more available to those who need help learning to live with low vision.
- Through LOVRNET, members of Lions clubs are trained to properly assist visually impaired individuals and to coordinate care by matching patients with service providers in their area.
- The LVRF not only supports Wilmer in rehabilitation efforts, but also in the areas of low vision research and education.



## Kudos!

Making it Personal.....Do you serve when needed?

We all know what good we do as Lions for our communities, but sometimes the act of “serving” can simply be helping a single person when they needed. **Please send me** your Kudos so we can put them in the new section! I am hoping I have so many that I can only put “out takes” on a page or two!

Service Awards were presented, from left to right, a Milestone Chevron Award for 25 years to Bill Neff, past President, a 15-year Milestone Chevron Award to Kitty Neff, past president, and a Gold Centennial Award to Jim Lavin, Board of Directors. Awards were presented at the joint Chestertown Lions and Rotary Club’s Valentine’s dinner meeting on February 13 at the Chester River Yacht & Country Club.



## INTERNATIONAL & MULTIPLE DISTRICT EVENTS

### ZONE, REGION and DISTRICT EVENTS

Multiple District 22 Institute for March 15, 16, and 17, 2019 at the Comfort Inn in Bowie, Maryland.

## ROSTER BOOK CHANGES EDITOR'S NOTES



Dear 22 B Chapters.....

This is YOUR newsletter to advertise and inform other Lion's club members in the area and nationally about what your clubs are doing.

PLEASE send me your information for the newsletter so we can make it better!

Thank you

Lion Kim Abner and  
DG Wayne Cole

If any Club or Committee Chair has something they would like for me to include in the District Newsletter please send me the information at [kmjabner@gmail.com](mailto:kmjabner@gmail.com) by the 15th of each month and I will try to include it in the Newsletter. PLEASE put your clubs information in the subject.

I would like to have anything that is happening during the next month and any projects that you have completed included in the Newsletter. **Club**

**Communication Chairs please distribute to your Club Members!**

# #WESERVE

To keep in theme with Lions Club International, we have started a new section called #WESERVE. Please send me notes about how your club is serving your area and don't forget to post it on twitter at #WESERVE.

## Cecilton Lions Club



Cecilton Lions Club had our elves, Sue and Shannon Bertino and the rest of the Lions give each child a bag of gifts. We also read stories to them. There were over 200 students. It took all day to give them out. The children loved everything we gave them. Sue and Shannon prepare these gifts all year and have already begun plans for next year's gifts.

**District 22B Calendar of Events**

Date	Day	Time	Event	Location
<b>-2019</b>				
3-Mar-2019	Sat	6:00 PM	22B Social	The Fountains, Salisbury
5-Mar-2019	Tue	6:00 PM	Ocean City Lioness Auction & Dinner	Ocean City Lions Den
16-Mar-2019	Sat	9:30 AM	LVRF Trustee Meeting	Wilmer Eye Institute Baltimore
16-Mar-2019	Sat	3:00 PM	Hurlock Scholarship Dinner	Unity-Washington UMC
22-Mar-2019	Fri	6:30 PM	Leader Dog Dinner	Greensboro Fire Hall
23-Mar-2019	Sat	6:30 PM	Leader Dog Dinner	Hebron Fire Hall
30-Mar-2019	Sat	6:00 PM	Night at the Races	Federalburg VFW
6-Apr-2019	Sat		22C Social	Best Western Beltway, Lanham
13-Apr-2019	Sat	11:00 AM	22B Charitable Foundation	Denton Lions Den
13-Apr-2019	Sat	12:00 PM	22B Honorary Committee	Denton Lions Den
14-Apr-2019	Sun	1:00 PM	4th 22B Cabinet Meeting	Federals Community Park
13-16 May 2019	Mon Thur		96th MD22 Convention	Princess Royale Hotel Ocean City, MD
15-May-2019	Wed	9:30 AM	LVRF Trustee Meeting	MD-22 Convention
21-May-2019	Sun	All Day	Ridgely Lions Strawberry Festival	Martin Sutton Park
21-May-2019	Sun	All Day	Crisfield Lioness Soft Shell Festival	Crisfield City Dock
July 5 July 9 2019	Wed - Sun	All Day	102nd International Convention	Milan Italy





## CUB CLUB CORNER

### ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS OF OUR LEO CLUBS



**Our Leo Clubs are doing great things!**  
**Here is a sampling of Leo projects in District 22B- 2018-2019**

1. Conducting food and clothing drives for local food pantries and shelters
2. Making desserts for a local soup kitchen
3. Collecting food and supplies for the Humane Society
4. Collecting box tops for elementary schools
5. Collecting can tabs for the Ronald McDonald House
6. Participating in the Eye Dime Project for Wilmer Eye Institute
7. Participating in Operation Christmas Child- Shoebox Project (Samaritan's Purse)
8. Collecting old glasses for recycling
9. Collecting items for Operation We Care (toiletries and packaged food) for our troops overseas
10. Decorating box flap panels for the boxes sent (Operation We Care)
11. Making cards to send to the military and participating in "Stockings for Soldiers"
12. Volunteering at Relay for Life events
13. Creating Valentine Day cards and delivering them to nursing home residents
14. Visiting nursing home patients on a regular basis
15. Making fleece pillows for sick children in hospitals
16. Making blankets to donate to shelters and churches
17. Filling Bags of Hope for children at the Pediatric Oncology Unit at University of Maryland Medical Center
18. Participating in Pennies for Patients
19. Selling Jack o Grams in school to raise money for projects
20. Volunteering at food banks and shelters
21. Volunteering to help clean up parks
22. Offering tutoring to elementary school students and assisting with After School Programs
23. Volunteering at the local library sorting and unpacking books
24. Working in partnership with sponsoring Lions Clubs at fundraising and service projects
25. Volunteering at civic events
26. Working at school functions (concession stand, etc.)
27. Holding bake sales at school to raise money to donate to various charities
28. Selling kettle corn and cookies during athletic events to raise money for projects
29. Building ramps
30. Adopting families for Christmas
31. Painting bowls as part of a fundraiser to support a local food pantry
32. Filling backpacks with school supplies for needy children
33. Assisting at polling locations during Election Day



Visit Our Website



## Greetings!

I would like to share some exciting news with you. The Leos & Lions of Arizona are hosting the 3rd USA/Canada Leo Leadership Forum on July 24th to 28th, 2019 at the Hilton Mesa/Phoenix. **Registration is now OPEN!** This 2019 Leo Leadership Forum will bring Leos together from across North America and the Caribbean. During the course of the week, we have seminars in various areas of leadership and community-organizing as part of our core curriculum toward the HIGH SCHOOL DEGREE earned during this Forum experience. We also have elective seminars prepared by Leos. It's our goal to also empower our Leos to educate each other in areas of interest to them related to leadership. At the conclusion of every seminar, the facilitator offers a quiz on the subject. The passing of this seminar quiz will give the Leo the credits needed to graduate our program. All seminars are reviewed by our Dean of the High School Program and its committee members.

At every Leo Leadership Forum, we invite an international officer as our guest speaker. This gives our Leos the opportunity to ask questions, learn more about our association and the legacy that Melvin Jones left for the world. Leos also get the opportunity to network and bond with other Lions, Leos, and LCI Staff Members. We provide a full day of fun touring the host city and a day of community service planned by the Leo Host Committee. We have an Opening Ceremony/Dinner together with a Closing Night Dinner Gala that includes the presentation of diplomas and concludes with an entertaining night of dancing. Our Leos return home more knowledgeable about our Association, the Leo Club Program, ways to continue building up their own clubs while bringing bright new ideas for service projects and fundraisers. This Leo Forum will help Leos become great club leaders ready to serve their community and continue growing as individuals while feeling proud to be a Leo. We welcome Leo Club Advisors, Lions, and parents to attend the Forum. We want this to be a learning experience for all.

Please share this email with your Leos or Lions interested in learning more about the Leo Club Program. If your Leo Club is school-based, our team is happy to speak to Principals or Faculty Advisors to better explain our Leo Forum or answer any question. Our contact information is listed below. Take a look at our video with highlights of our 2nd Leo Leadership Forum. We look forward to welcoming all Leos and Lions to the Grand Canyon State.

Sincerely,



**N. ALAN LUNDGREN**

Past International Director &  
Host Chair, 3rd USA/Canada Leo Leadership Forum





**ANNOUNCEMENT LETTER FOR DISTRICTS  
AND LEO CLUB NEWSLETTERS**



The Lions International Pin Trading Club is proud to announce a Youth Scholarship of US\$2,500 for a graduating senior who is the child or grandchild of a Lions, Lioness and/or a member of a Leo Club. The most important aspect of the Youth Scholarship Program is to help a young person pursue his/her education and follow their dreams.

The LITPC takes great pride in fulfilling the motto of Lions Clubs International, "WE SERVE". During the SightFirst II Campaign, the pin traders contributed US\$144,000 to LCIF. Our Scholarship Program is another example of the pin traders' slogan, "Lions First".

Selection of the scholarship recipient will be based on academic achievement, an essay stating the student's goals, a statement of reason(s) for applying and an overview of work, community and school service, and letters of recommendation. Applications and supporting documentation are to be completed and submitted to the pin trading club scholarship chairman named below by *March 1, 2019*.

We encourage all graduating seniors who are the children/grandchildren of Lions or Lioness members or who are members of Leo Clubs to participate in our Scholarship Program.

**Please send completed applications to:**

**PDG Jim Minnich, 228 Sandra Road, Wilmington, DE 19803**

**302-654-7326      Phone      [jlm1lion@aol.com](mailto:jlm1lion@aol.com)      E-Mail**

*Please place the above message in your sub-district and district bulletins and post on your websites. Please be aware that Scholarship Applications and information are on the [LITPC website](#).*



Public Relations Report  
May 3, 2019

INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT  
GUDRUN YNGVADOTTIR



President Gudrun will be attending our MD-22 Convention at the Princess Royale Hotel in Ocean City. She will be arriving on Sunday, May, 12th and Departing on Thursday, May 16th. This should give every Lion a unique opportunity to meet the leader of over 1.4 million Lions worldwide. We should never forget what an honor it is to have the International President visit our Multiple District. We should all thank Past International President Clem Kusiak for helping make this happen. I would urge every club in the Multiple District to publicize this event at every opportunity. This is a great Public Relations opportunity.

Her Bio is as follows:

PRESIDENT Gudrun Yngvadottir, from Gardabaer, Iceland, was elected to serve as international president of Lions Clubs International at the association's 101st International Convention, held in Las Vegas, Nevada, USA, June 29 through July 3, 2018.

International President Yngvadottir is a biomedical scientist and has worked in research, education and management. Since 1990 she has worked at the University of Iceland as Vice Director at the Institute of Continuing Education.

A member of the Gardabaejar Eik Lions Club since 1992, President Yngvadottir has held many offices within the association, including district governor council chairperson. She has dedicated her service to children and youth, membership and leadership development, health and wellness, including vision and diabetes, environmental projects and Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF).

President Yngvadottir served as international director 2010-2012 on the Leadership Committee, as chairperson the second year; 2011-2013 on the Women's Task Force; 2012-2013 she was a board appointee on the District and Club Service Committee; and 2013-2014 on LCIF Governance Ad Hoc Committee.

In recognition of her service, she has received numerous awards including the Kjarans Medal, the highest award of Icelandic Lions; the Lions Crystal, the highest award of Norwegian Lions; several Membership and Extension Awards; eleven International President's Awards; and the Ambassador of Good Will Award, the highest Lions Clubs International award. She is also a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow.

In addition to her Lions activities, President Yngvadottir is active in numerous professional and community organizations, including the Icelandic Association of Biomedical Scientists and has been its representative for cooperation between Scandinavian and European scientists. President Yngvadottir and her husband, Dr. Jon Bjarni Thorsteinsson, a past international director and a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow, have one son, one daughter and six grandchildren.



Lions of Districts Delaware, the District of Columbia, and Maryland;

The Council of Governors has approved a weekend Multiple District 22 Institute for March 15, 16, and 17, 2019 at the Comfort Inn in Bowie, Maryland. Please save the date and publicize this event. The cost for the institute will be \$150 per Lion and includes the institute materials, hotel, and meals.

The institute is open to all Lions. Courses provided are identified below:

- Collaboration to Promote Harmony
- Servant Leadership
- Leadership from the Club Level to the Multiple District Level Roundtable
- Writing and Speaking for Effect
- Identifying the Right Leaders for Each Position
- Communication Ideas
- Closing the Back Door for Greater Retention of Existing Lions
- Promoting Hand-On Service Projects

Please publicize the institute and the dates for the institute. Sign-up information will be provided in future releases.

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## How to serve more and be a better Lion!



### MD22 Regional Lions Institute for 2019

Friday, March 15, 2019,  
Saturday, March 16, 2019, &  
Sunday, March 17, 2019



Comfort Inn Conference Center  
4500 Crain Highway  
Bowie, MD 20716

The \$150.00 registration fee covers cost of training, materials, hotel and meals.

### MD 22 Lions Institute Courses

**Collaboration to Promote Harmony** – Learn how collaboration can promote harmony within the club. Collaboration allows sharing of ideas and decision making responsibility. Harmony reduces conflict and promotes a Lion's team focus for the club.

**Servant Leadership** – A servant leader is a person of character serving a higher purpose who puts people first. The servant leader is a skilled communicator, a compassionate collaborator with foresight and a systems thinker comfortable with complexity. The servant leader leads with moral authority that is granted by others. Learn the characteristics of Servant Leadership and how to implement them into your volunteerism.

**Leadership from the Club Level to the Multiple District Level Roundtable** – An interactive discussion on Lion leadership needs. Discussion of the leadership skills needed to manage a project at your club, the district, and at the multiple district.

**Writing and Speaking for Effect** – Communication includes being able to write and speak in a way that allows for understanding by all who read what you write or hear what you say. Effective communication is presenting information with confidence and clarity. In writing or speaking you must evaluate how the information you are conveying is received by your audience.

**Identifying the Right Leaders for Each Position** – Projects need leaders. This includes an individual Lion elected to a club office, the chair of a service project or fundraiser, a committee or subcommittee chair, and anyone who has an idea they want brought before the club. Identify the leadership skills of your Lions and how to nurture those skills.

**Marketing & Communications Ideas** – Public relations is every Lion's responsibility. Marketing & communications involves communicating information about your Lions club to the community, including the media; keeping your club aware of marketing efforts and results; and promoting your club's service and fundraising projects.

**Closing the Back Door for Greater Retention of Existing Lions** – The only way to increase membership is to recruit more members than we lose. Learn tools to retain members by identifying their satisfaction, why they leave, and what we can do to keep them as successful Lions.

**Promoting Hands-On Service Projects** – Is your club known for service or for fundraising? Our organization's motto is "We Serve". Learn projects where we serve and how our hands-on service can promote your club.

**Please register by returning the completed  
registration form to**

**Lion Martin Bonura at [md22rlli@gmail.com](mailto:md22rlli@gmail.com)  
by January 31, 2019**



**Please send your \$150 registration fee to:  
MD22 Lions Institute  
1743 Deer Park Road**



**MD22 Lions Institute  
March 15-17, 2019**



**Registration fee is \$150 for each participant**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name on name tag: \_\_\_\_\_

District 22- Member of \_\_\_\_\_ Lions Club

Years a Lion \_\_\_\_\_ Member # \_\_\_\_\_  
Your club Secretary has your number

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Highest office/position held in Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Highest office/position external to Club: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please send your \$150 registration fee to:  
MD22 Lions Institute, 1743 Deer Park Road, Finksburg, MD 21048**

**Registration fee is \$150 for each participant**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name on name tag: \_\_\_\_\_

District 22- Member of \_\_\_\_\_ Lions Club

Years a Lion \_\_\_\_\_ Member # \_\_\_\_\_  
Your club Secretary has your number

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Highest office/position held in Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Highest office/position external to Club: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please send your \$150 registration fee to:  
MD22 Lions Institute, 1743 Deer Park Road, Finksburg, MD 21048**

## CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS CONTINUED



**Lions are looking for good used Medical Equipment. Is a Wheelchair, Rollator, Transfer Bench or Hospital Bed Cluttering up your garage or shed?**



**Then donate it to your Local Lions Club We'll Even Pick it Up!**



### “Lions Helping Others- “ WE SERVE”-“Where There is Need – There is a Lion”

Lions Clubs in Caroline County work in conjunction with local social services and health care agencies to help fill the need for medical equipment in the Mid-Shore area. The reuse and recycling of medical equipment that is in good serviceable condition is one of the many community service projects that local Lions Clubs provide. So if you have some gently used and serviceable medical equipment cluttering up your garage or attic space, then contact your local Lions Club. We love to get this equipment out of your way and into the hands of someone who could really use it.

To contact the Lions clubs in your local area go to [www.e-district.org/sites/22b](http://www.e-district.org/sites/22b) .

In Caroline County, MD contact:

Ridgely Lions at [ddavis@goeaston.net](mailto:ddavis@goeaston.net)  
Greensboro Lions [maryorjohn1@gmail.com](mailto:maryorjohn1@gmail.com)  
Denton Lions [dscurto21@comcast.net](mailto:dscurto21@comcast.net)

Marydel Lions [tmhiggins59@hotmail.com](mailto:tmhiggins59@hotmail.com)  
Federalsburg Lions [garnerwe@hotmail.com](mailto:garnerwe@hotmail.com)  
Preston Lions go to [EdQuidas@gmail.com](mailto:EdQuidas@gmail.com).

For a complete listing of Lions Clubs who handle durable medical equipment in District 22B go to [www.e-district.org/sites/22b/projects](http://www.e-district.org/sites/22b/projects) or call Lion Dave Davis @ 443-786-2547

CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS CONTINUED

LEADER DOG DINNER REGISTRATION



FRIDAY

March 22, 2019  
Greensboro VFD  
Community Hall  
13760 Greensboro Rd  
Greensboro, MD

6:00 PM – Social Gathering  
6:30 PM – Dinner

RSVP by: March 15<sup>th</sup>  
Cost: \$18.00

SATURDAY

March 23, 2019  
Hebron VFD  
200 Main Street  
Hebron, Maryland

If attending, please bring your Club Donation Check (payable to Leader Dog Donation) and bring to the dinner with you.

If no one from your Club can attend please make your Donation check payable to Leader Dog Donation and mail to Lion Dal Mann (see below).

Separate donation and dinner checks please.

Dinner Checks payable to: Leader Dog Dinner  
Mailed to: Lion Dal Mann, 22944 Lyn Oaks Drive  
Preston, MD 21655

Club Name \_\_\_\_\_

Location: \_\_\_ Greensboro \_\_\_ Hebron

Number of Attendees \_\_\_\_\_

Amount of Check \_\_\_\_\_

Names: \_\_\_\_\_

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## CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS CONTINUED

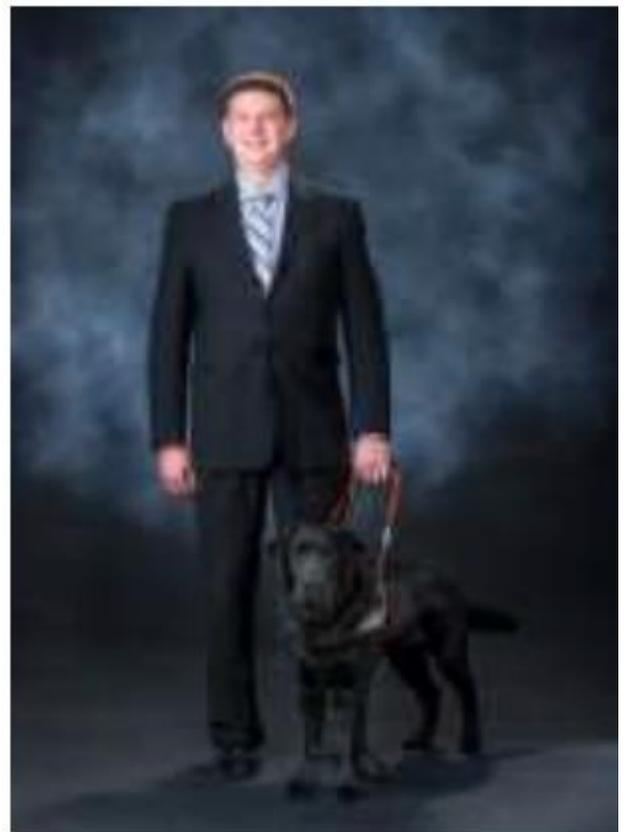
# Leader Dog Speaker

BJ Blahnik is originally from Seymour, Wisconsin. He is the youngest of five children and was raised around farming. BJ was diagnosed with Retinitis Pigmentosa (RP) about the age of 10. After graduating from Seymour Community High School in 1998, BJ moved to Green Bay, Wisconsin. He worked for Schneider National Inc. until 2010. Due to his diminishing vision, BJ retired which ended his career in management. With attempting many different career opportunities, in different corporations, he discovered the challenge of his vision was not allowing him to reach his potential. BJ, along with his wife, Victoria, now own their own business, Reach Forward, which works with special needs individuals through day services and a residential program.

BJ married Victoria in May of 2010 and live in Sheboygan, Wisconsin. They have three sons Emmitt, Trevor and Harvey. BJ enjoys woodworking projects, is a member of the USA Blind Sailing Team and a volunteer in his community. BJ has been a Lions member since 1998 and chartered his current Lions Club, the Sheboygan Community Lions Club, in 2017. He is also the Executive Director of a non-profit organization, VISION (Visually Impaired Sailing Institute & Organization of North America).

In 2006 BJ's life was changed forever when he received his first Leader Dog. In January of 2014 BJ returned for his current Leader Dog, Goober, a male Black Lab. Goober was raised at the Fort Dodge Correctional Facility in Iowa.

Come listen to BJ's life journey of walking into the dim with the power of vision. You will hear stories of how a mutated gene changed his life forever yet allowed BJ to recognize that the struggle of vision can truly change what we actually see in life.



## CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS CONTINUED



Ocean City Lioness Club  
PO Box 6  
Ocean City, MD 21843



## Invitation to Ocean City Lioness Auction

**March 5, 2019 Meeting**

Ocean City Lions Den  
Airport Road, Ocean City, MD

Cocktails 6:00 PM  
Dinner 6:30 PM

**St Patrick's Day Dinner \$15.00**  
Corned Beef & Cabbage +

### LIVE AUCTION

Nice gifts \*Baked Goods\* Lots of fun \* 50/50 \* Visitation

RSVP By February 26<sup>th</sup> with number attending & club:

Lioness Faye Cathell – 410-641-0778 or fncathell@aol.com

Look Forward to Seeing You There!

## CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS CONTINUED

**NIGHT AT THE RACES!**

**Federalburg Lions Club presents:**

**A Night At The Races.**

**Tickets are \$20 and includes food and draft beer. Table of 8 is \$150.**

**Reserve early to ensure a seat!**

**Horse ownership is available for \$20 for non-attendees and  
\$10 for attendees.**

**Winning horse gets \$50 for that race if it wins.**

**Saturday, March 30th. Doors open at 6 pm,**

**Racing starts at 7 pm**

**VFW Federalburg, 2630 Veterans Dr, Federalburg, Maryland 21632**

**For tickets or horse ownership contact Wayne Cole at 443-786-3943 or**

**waynecole66@hotmail.com OR**

**Kim Abner at 443-604-1486 or kmjabner@gmail.com**



Proceeds benefit the Annual Frog Fest (formerly the Duck Derby).

Haven't been to a Night at the Races? There are 12 races with 12 horses in each race. Attendees place bets on each horse for each race. The races are shown on a giant screen and are real races recorded throughout the past years. Lots of opportunities to win from your horse, 50/50 raffles, and 2nd chance prizes!

**CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS CONTINUED**

**CASH BINGO**

**THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 2019**

**SALISBURY MOOSE LODGE**

**DOORS OPEN 5:00, BINGO BEGINS 6:30**

**TO BENEFIT HEBRON LIONS CLUB  
CHARITABLE PROJECTS**

**TICKETS – PURCHASE BY MARCH 25, 2019 - \$15  
MARCH 25, 2019 – APRIL 25, 2019 - \$20  
\$25 AT THE DOOR**

**FOR TICKETS CALL:**

**410 713-4980**

**410 251-8550**

**SPECIAL GAMES  
RAFFLE  
INSTANTS**

**CHINESE AUCTION  
50/50  
FOOD**

CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS CONTINUED

# QUARTER AUCTION



SPONSORED BY THE  
FEDERALSBURG LIONS CLUB



SUNDAY, APRIL 28, 2019

\$5/PADDLE ADDITIONAL \$2 EACH

TO BE HELD AT THE

FEDERALSBURG VFW POST 5246

DOORS OPEN AT 1 P.M. AUCTION BEGINS AT 2 P.M.

DOOR PRIZES, FOOD AVAILABLE, 50/50 &

SPECIAL RAFFLE DRAWING

OTHER VENDORS,

CRAFTERS AND MORE!!!!



FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT

ALICIA MEREDITH @ 410-924-7321 OR WAYNE COLE @ 443-786-3943 OR  
EMAIL [WAYNECOLE66@HOTMAIL.COM](mailto:WAYNECOLE66@HOTMAIL.COM)

## CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS CONTINUED



OCEAN CITY LIONS CLUB  
PO BOX 71  
OCEAN CITY, MD 21843

Dear Patron,

The Ocean City Lions Club is sponsoring a 50/50 Cash Raffle that will begin sales in October 2018 and will terminate with a final drawing on the last day of Springfest, May 5, 2019.

The Lions Club is a service organization whose motto is "WE SERVE." The members volunteer their time and efforts to aid and enrich the community.

The Club was chartered in 1950 and shares a rich history of helping to support charitable and civic projects in the community.

This fundraiser will help us to continue our efforts to provide financial support to those in the community.

The tickets are on sale for \$ 5.00 per ticket or 5 for \$ 20.00. Winner need not be present to win.

Thank you for considering a purchase of Raffle Tickets to assist with this fundraising event. Should you have any questions please feel free to contact me or the Raffle chairperson, John Topfer, 410-208-4567.

Sincerely,

*Norman Cathell, Sr.*  
Norman Cathell, Sr.  
President, Ocean City Lions Club  
410-641-0778 (H)

*97<sup>th</sup> Multiple District 22 Convention**Princess Royale Hotel, Ocean City, Maryland**May 13-16, 2019**Are you ready for the upcoming Multiple District 22 Convention?*The Convention theme this year will be **“Service Beyond the Horizon”**.

**Lions of MD22** are honored to host our International President  
from Gardabaer, Iceland and her husband, Dr. Jon Bjarni Thorsteinsson

Gudrun Yngvadottir,

*Have you gotten your hotel reservations yet?* This year all activities will be at the Headquarter Hotel, The Princess Royale, 9100 Coastal Highway, Ocean City, Maryland 21842.



**Hotel reservations** can be made by contacting the Princess Royale Hotel

By phone: 800-476-9253 – Ref. Group 4014

To Book on-line go to: <http://www.princessroyale.com>

Click on the “Groups” button

Click on the “Book Now” on the dropdown menu

Enter your arrival and departure dates

Enter the number of adults that will be in the room

Enter the **group code 4014**

Click on “Book Now”

Choose the type of guest suite you want by clicking on it

Click the “Book It!” button

Fill out the guest info and payment info sections

Click the box next to “I understand and agree to the booking conditions”

Click the “Book It!” button.

If you have any questions or problems contact the Reservations Department at 800-476-9253 from 9am to 9pm daily.

Rates:

Ocean/Pool View \$119.00 + safe fee + tax

Oceanfront \$139.00 + safe fee + tax

Pool views will be booked first come

Ocean City has lots of activities to do during leisure time. This might be a great time to bring the family for a mini-vacation.

**Have you sent in your Convention registration?** Even if you are not planning to attend the social events, you still need to register. It does not cost anything to register unless you plan on attending dinners and social events. By doing it now you have a better experience later when checking in at the registration desk, so take a few minutes and send in your **registration form at end of this newsletter.**

District registration desks will be open:

Monday, May 13, 2019	1:00 pm-5:00 pm	
Tuesday, May 14, 2019	9:00 am-11:45 pm	2:00 pm-5:00 pm
Wednesday, May 15, 2019	10:00 am-12:15pm	
Thursday, May 16, 2019	9:00 am-10:00 am	



NOTE: there will be no tickets on sale for meals after April 15th. Only those with pre-purchased tickets will get meals.

**Why should you attend?** The Multiple Convention gives you an opportunity to meet and network with Lions, Lionesses and Leos from around our Multiple District. You can attend enlightening seminars that provide opportunities to share ideas and meet today’s challenges of membership in your club and you will have the opportunity to determine the goal of your District in participating in the business of MD 22 and districts in electing District Governors and Vice District Governors.

**Plan to attend and BRING your new members.**

And speaking of the Social Event, the Pre -Entertainment this year it will be **Monday evening, May 13, 2019 8:00pm The Back Bay Strummers – Delaware** started in 1996 and play oldies like Five Foot Two and sing-along patriotic songs.



**Wednesday, May 15, 2019** will be the **Candidate’s Hospitality Night**. This is a fun time to socialize with others from the other District’s in our Multiple and visit with your prospective incoming leadership.

**Did your Club sell or buy your 50/50 tickets?** Don't forget, you can apply your winnings to your Administrative Fund if your club purchases all of the tickets sent to you. Return to Treasurer, **PCC Dave Studley**.

## CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS CONTINUED



**Golfers** – Tee up for the MD22 Convention Annual Founders Cup Golf Tournament Ocean Pines Golf Course 11:00am Registration, Lunch 12:00 pm Shotgun Start.

Send in your registration/your payment to Multiple District 22 Convention Committee, Lion Ed Springer, 224 West Shore Drive, Milton, DE 19968, [miltonlioned@gmail.com](mailto:miltonlioned@gmail.com)

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### Lions Putt Putt Golf Tournament Old Pro Golf, 68<sup>th</sup> Street (only) Ocean City, MD.



Price is \$10.00 per person  
Tuesday & Wednesday (May 14 & 15<sup>th</sup>)  
10am to 9PM

**Lions "Convention Name Tag" is required**

Trophies will be presented for: Best Female; Best Male; Best Team (of two); Youngest Golfer; Oldest Golfer.

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*Are you* a Delegate for your respective Clubs, ***be sure to bring your Delegate cards with you, signed by your President*** and make sure you get it Certified by your Cabinet Secretary or designee at your District's Registration desk. By doing this you will make your voting experience better on the last day, Thursday, May 16th when you cast your vote for District Governor, Vice District Governors and any constitutional amendments of your District.

*Lastly*, join us for the enlightening seminars being presented this year:

Tuesday, May 14, 2019

Princess Royale Conference Center

Seminars 1:45 pm – 3:20 pm

- 1:45 pm – Room A  
2:25 pm      **Lions Saving Kids Sight Foundation** presented by Lion Joe Irr – Learn how many clubs in the multiple district now perform vision screening tests for children in their early years. Present methods provide rapid detailed information about potential vision problems. Then reports are provided for parents or caregivers who are then encouraged to visit an eye doctor for diagnosis and treatment. The methods used are non-invasive and do not require physical contact with the child being screened. The Foundation is prepared to share training ideas for screening programs and importantly to help pay for the purchase equipment needed to perform the screenings. Grant applications will be available at the seminar.
- 1:45 pm – Room B  
2:25 pm      **LOVRNET** presented by PDG Paul Hawkins – Most of you have heard of LOVRNET but many Lions are not familiar with the MD-22 Lions Low Vision Rehabilitation Network Foundation, Inc. At the LVRF Trustee Meeting in January, a question was posed to the Trustees regarding the Foundation and the future of LOVRNET. In preparation for the meeting, the Trustees received background information and a history derived from the official minutes of LVRF and the LOVRNET. It was an eye-opening experience for many of those Trustees. And can be for you as well. Get the back-room story of how MD22 Lions are leading the way in the low vision rehabilitation field. A panel of Lions and invited guests will offer you a history, current status, personal experiences, and plans for the future of LOVRNET. A Q & A session will follow.
- 1:45 pm – Room C  
2:25 pm      **A Time for Service Projects** by John Lawrence
- 1:45 pm – Room D  
2:25 pm      **Time Management** presented by Sonia Wiggins – While we all wish we had more time, we know that there are a limited number of minutes and hours in a day. As Lions leaders, it is important to balance our personal, professional, and Lions lives by effectively managing our time.
- 1:45 pm – Room E  
2:25 pm      **Strategic Recruitment: The Coalition Model for Club Success** presented by Lion Daniel Marney Elkins – Using teachable strategies pioneered in the field of community development, it is possible to greatly increase your club's success rate at membership recruitment. Learn how to leverage community partnerships and harness the potential of branch clubs to increase your club's capacity to serve the community by recruiting new members!
- 2:40 pm – Room A  
3:20 pm      **Our Youth!! Our Present and our Future: Lions Youth Foundation** presented by PCC Dave Studley – Join us for an informative discussion of programs that are being done with the youth in our Multiple District and hear about youth service projects that have been funded by the Lions Youth Foundation.
- 2:40 pm – Room B  
3:20 pm      LOVRNET the back-room story of how MD22 Lions are leading the way in the low vision rehabilitation field panel continues.

- 2:40 pm – Room C **Lions Quest** presented by PCC Bob Muchow – Lions Quest programs are recognized for their effectiveness in the areas of social and emotional learning, drug and alcohol prevention, and service learning. Issues addressed by Lions Quest are responsible decision making, positive interpersonal relationships, goal setting and accountability, peer pressure resistance, anti-bullying, violence prevention, character development, and academic performance. Lions Quest programs are designed for school-age students in grades K-12. LCIF grants are available.
- 2:40 pm – Room D **Leader Dog presented by Lion Beth Slade** – Blindness Changes Everything-Leader Dog is The Answer – Leader Dogs for the Blind is making a world of difference serving the blind, visually impaired and Deaf-Blind in innovative ways. Leader Dog client PDG Tom Simmons states, “30 seconds of a Lion’s time can change a person’s life. Anyone can do that by telling someone about Leader Dog.” Come find out how you can make an impact.
- 2:40 pm – Room E **LCIF presented** by PDG Kent Eitemiller and Anne Schullo from LCIF – Learn how your Lions Club International Foundation (LCIF) works and how you as a Lion and a member for your local Lions Club both support and can benefit from this important humanitarian foundation. Learn the details of Campaign 100 and how your club can become a model club. Find out the formula for computing what the contribution would be so your club can be a model club. Learn what LCIF can accomplish with a donation of as little as \$100. All your questions about Campaign 100 will be answered.

### Wednesday, May 15, 2019

Lions Memorial Service 9:00 am - 10:00 am

#### Seminars 10:05 am – 11:40 am

- 10:05 am – Room A **“Why Service Matters and Why Every Club Should Have a Club Service Chair”** presented by PDG A. Kendall “Ken Chew, III, Area 1A GST Coordinator and PCC John Lawrence, MD 22 GST Coordinator – Learn why a club service chair is an essential component for an increase in service in every club. Increased service might also have an important impact on increased club membership by engaging more club members in service and attracting non-Lions in club service projects. Learn why service matters!
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- 10:05 am – Room C **Lions Vision Research Foundation (LVRF)** – This is the regular bi-monthly meeting of LVRF trustees (including District Governors), committee chairs and advisors.
- 10:05 am – Room D **Lions Camp Merrick** – “Making Memories “at Lions Camp Merrick
- 10:05 am – Room E **Opioid Crisis Seminar** moderated by FVDG Sonia  
In this seminar you will gain knowledge about alternative pain treatments, hear testimonies shared by families dealing with the Opioid crisis and get updates on laws, policies, and resources available throughout communities and the state.

- 11:00 am – Room A      **Hearing and Speech** presented by Linda S. Heller, M.A.C.C.C.A., C.M., CAP-S, audiologist, consumer and President of the Hearing Loss Association of Delaware and owner of AHAD consulting – Hearing loss is the sixth most common medical condition in the U.S. and new discoveries and technologies to assist people who are deaf and hard of hearing are changing rapidly. This session will briefly discuss the status of hearing loss, but the focus will be on latest developments in hearing assistive technology for hearing loss, hearing aids, cochlear implants and more!
- 11:40 am
- 11:00 am – Room B      **Campus Clubs** presented by Lion Nadja Munchow
- 11:40 am
- 11:00 am – Room C      **Lions Vision Research Foundation (LVRF)** – The regular bi-monthly meeting of LVRF trustees continues.
- 11:40 am
- 11:00 am – Room D      **Lions Camp Merrick** – “Making Memories “at Lions Camp Merrick
- 11:40 am
- 11:00 am – Room E      **Opioid Crisis Seminar** continues
- 11:40 am

The below individual will be a presenter at the upcoming Multiple District 22 Lions Vision Research Foundation seminar. Check it out: **Bonnielin Swenor, M.P.H., Ph.D.**, was recently featured on **Hopkins Medicine** in an article titled, "**High Sights for Low Vision.**" In this article, Dr. Swenor shares her personal story with vision impairment, that which, initiated her career and diligent work to advance research on low vision and aging. Learn more from the links below as she credits many individuals who have guided and encouraged her in many ways, including Dr. Sheila West and Dr. Judith Goldstein. On behalf of Wilmer, you are an inspiration to all Dr. Swenor.

**This year's Multiple District 22 Convention Committee:**

**PDG Mary Lee Phillips, Treasurer, 302-250-1100, [lionmlphillips@aol.com](mailto:lionmlphillips@aol.com)**  
**PDG Andy DeMario, Vice Chair, 410-790-9798, [andy.demariosr@gmail.com](mailto:andy.demariosr@gmail.com)**  
**PCC Dave Studley, Treasurer, 410-726-8084, [dstudley0612@aol.com](mailto:dstudley0612@aol.com)**  
**Lion David Mitchell, Registrar, 302-604-2990, [David.mitchell@mchsi.com](mailto:David.mitchell@mchsi.com)**

# CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS CONTINUED

PDG Mary Lee Phillips, Convention Chair  
30206 Zachary Taylor Ct.  
Millsboro, DE 19966



**Ocean City, Maryland  
May 13 – 16, 2019**



**Multiple District 22  
97<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention**

## CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS CONTINUED

## Convention Hotel

Discounted hotel rates have been negotiated by the convention committee and are available **only** if you contact:

**Princess Royale (Headquarters Hotel)**  
9100 Coastal Highway, Ocean City, MD 21842

By phone:  
800-476-9253 - Ref. Group 4014

To Book Online at the Princess Royale,

Go to: <http://www.princessroyale.com>

Click on the "Groups" button

Click on the "Book Now" on the dropdown menu

Enter your arrival and departure dates

Enter the number of adults that will be in the room

Enter the group code: **4014**

Click on "Book Now"

Choose the type of guest suite you want by clicking on it

Click the "Book It" button

Fill out the guest info and payment info sections

Click the box next to "I understand and agree to the booking conditions"

Click the "Book It" button

If you have any questions or problems at all, or if you wish to book directly with the hotel, please call our Reservations Department at 800-476-9253 from 9AM - 9PM daily. Identify yourself as with Group #4014 to make your reservation and receive the discounted rate for the Lions Club.

Thank you for your cooperation!

**RATES**

Ocean/Pool View \$119.00 + safe fee + tax

Oceanfront \$139.00 + safe fee + tax

Pool Views will be booked first come

To: Lions, Lioness and Leos  
Club Presidents and Secretaries  
Past International President Dr Clement F. Kusiak  
Past International Directors  
District Governors  
First & Second Vice District Governors  
Past District Governors  
Multiple District Committee Chairs and Coordinators  
District MD 22 Convention Chairs  
Subject: Multiple District 22 (MD22) Convention:

The Council of Governors invite you, your club members and guests to attend the 97th MD 22 Convention on **May 13-16, 2019** in Ocean City, MD.

The Convention themes this year will be "**Service Beyond the Horizon**". Enclosed you will find the material to register for the convention, order event tickets, arrange for hotel rooms, and register for the golf tournament and the miniature golf tournament. No tickets will be sold after April 15, 2019 and no refunds after May 1, 2019.

The Melvin Jones Luncheon is open to all Melvin Jones Fellows and one, paying guest. Please complete a registration form for the guest.

You can begin the convention playing in the golf tournament at the **Bay Club (East) Golf Course** on Monday, May 13, 2019 and end with the Grand Finale Luncheon on Thursday, May 16, 2019.

**Please share this information with your club members** and encourage them to attend as this is a convention for all Lions, Lioness, Leos and guests. We are looking forward to seeing you at the convention in Ocean City, MD.

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Multiple District 22 Convention Committee.

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**Reasons to Attend.**

- Meet and network with Lions, Lioness and Leos from around the Multiple District.
- Attend enlightening seminars that provide opportunities to share ideas and meet today's challenges of membership in your club.
- Participate in the business of MD 22 and districts in electing District Governors and Vice District Governors.

CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS CONTINUED

Schedule of Events  
 Monday, May 13, 2019  
 Princess Royale Hotel

Golf Tournament at Bay Club (East) Golf Course 11:00 am  
 Registration, Exhibits, Merchandise 1:00 – 5:00 pm  
 Council of Governors Reception and Dinner (by invitation) 5:45 – 7:45 pm  
 Pre-Convention Social 8:00 pm

Tuesday, May 14, 2019  
 Princess Royale Conference Center

Opening Business Session 9:00 am  
 Registration, Exhibits, Merchandise 9:00 am – 11:45 am  
 Miniature Golf Tournament (choice of two days) 9:00 am – 9:00 pm  
 Melvin Jones Luncheon 12:00 Noon – 1:30 pm  
 Seminars 1:45 pm – 3:20 pm  
 Registration, Exhibits, Merchandise 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm  
 Open Discussion with International Guest 3:30 pm – 4:15 pm  
 MD22 Banquet (Palmetto) Social 6:00 pm  
 Dinner 7:00 pm

Wednesday, May 15, 2019  
 Past District Governors Breakfast  
 (Princess Royale Schooner's Restaurant) 7:00 am – 8:00 am

Princess Royale Conference Center  
 Miniature Golf Tournament (choice of two days) 9:00 am – 9:00 pm  
 Lions Memorial Service 9:00 am - 10:00 am  
 (Registration and exhibit booths closed during service)  
 Registration, Exhibits, Merchandise 10:00 am – 12:15 pm  
 Seminars 10:05 am – 11:40 am  
 District Luncheons 12:30 pm – 1:30 pm  
 District Meetings 1:45 pm – 4:00 pm  
 Hospitality Rooms – (Atrium) 6:30 pm – 11:00 pm

Thursday, May 16, 2019  
 LYF Breakfast  
 (Princess Royale Schooner's Restaurant) 7:00 am – 8:00 am

Princess Royale Conference Center  
 Registration 9:00 am – 10:00 am  
 Second Business Session 09:00 am  
 District Business Meetings and Elections 10:30 am  
 Grand Finale Luncheon (Palmetto) 12:00 noon

Lions Putt Putt Golf Tournament  
 Location: Old Pro Golf, 68<sup>th</sup> Street (Only)  
 \$10.00 Per Person  
 Tuesday & Wednesday  
 May 14 & 15, 2019  
 10 AM ~ 9 PM  
 LIONS "Convention Name Tag" REQUIRED  
 Trophies presented for: Best Female; Best Male; Best Team (of two);  
 Youngest Golfer; Oldest Golfer

**JOIN THE FUN!**

**SPONSOR A HOLE AT THE  
 MD22 GOLF TOURNAMENT  
 MAY 13, 2019  
 Ocean City, Maryland**

**FOR ONLY \$50.00 YOU OR YOUR CLUB  
 CAN BE PART OF THE TOURNAMENT**

**A 11" X 17" SIGN WILL BE POSTED  
 ON THE GREEN  
 WITH YOUR CLUB'S NAME, LIONS LOGO  
 AND YOUR DISTRICT**

**PLEASE CALL OR SEND YOUR CHECK TO:  
 CONVENTION COMMITTEE**

Lion Ed Springer  
 224 West Shore Drive  
 Milton, DE 19968  
 302-684-5452

[miltonlionsed@gmail.com](mailto:miltonlionsed@gmail.com)

# CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS CONTINUED

## Instructions for Registering & Ordering Event Tickets

Use the enclosed form to **Register** and/or **Order Event Tickets**. *Even if you are not ordering tickets to any events you need to send it in to register for the Convention.* This form may be reproduced as needed.

The form may be used by an individual registrant or a couple purchasing tickets or registering together. Please **do not use this form for more than two people**. Forms with more than two names will be returned.

**All registrations and orders** are to be sent to the Convention Committee Registrar, **Lion David Mitchell, PO Box 502, Millsboro, DE 19966. Payment must accompany ticket orders.** If not purchasing tickets, completed forms may be emailed to [david.mitchell@lmchsi.com](mailto:david.mitchell@lmchsi.com)

**Hospitality Book** - Tickets included in the hospitality book are for the Multiple District Banquet, District Luncheons and the Grand Finale Luncheon. These must be ordered by April 1, 2019.

**Tail Twister Sticker** - For \$5 per registrant you can order a tail twister sticker to provide exemption from tail twister fines at each event.

**Check or Money Order only** for the function tickets and tail twister stickers ordered. Orders without payment will be returned. Orders may be grouped and covered by one check (preferably a club check); however, *each participant must have an individual registration form.* The check should be made payable to MD 22 Convention Committee.

**Multiple District Banquet** seating will be assigned in the order of receipt of your order. To ensure being seated together, please send all orders (with payment) in one envelope. Each table seats ten persons.

**Registration Packets** - Hospitality books and tickets will not be mailed to the Lions or the clubs. An envelope for each individual or couple will be available for pickup at the District registration desks. This envelope will contain your name badge(s), hospitality book(s), tickets and tail twister stickers ordered.

**Golfer's Note: Your registration package will be at the golf course unless you specify that you want to pick it up at the Convention Center.**

All questions concerning hospitality book, tickets, and tail twister stickers should be addressed to: **PDG Dave Studley, 10377 Norris Twilley Rd, Delmar, MD 21875, 410-726-8084, email: [dstudley0612@aol.com](mailto:dstudley0612@aol.com).**

## Pre-Convention Entertainment

The Pre Convention Ice Cream Social will be on Monday, May 13, 2019, at 8:00 pm at the Princess Royale Hotel Palmello Room. What better time to wind down from your long drive or not so long drive, with friends you have not seen in a while, this year's entertainment will be the Back Bay Strummers. Don't forget to bring your new members and your families.

## Seminars

Seminars are educational and interesting. The information obtained at the seminars can provide personal growth and help to enhance the operation of our Lions organization. **It a great place to bring your new members and officers to educate them on Lionism.**

The schedule for seminars have not been determined but the hours will be

Tuesday, May 14, 2019 1:45 pm - 3:20 pm

Wednesday, May 15, 2019 10:05 am - 11:40 am

Plan to attend the seminars to help yourself, your club and Lionists.

## Meet with your International Guest

## Candidate Hospitality Night

Candidate Hospitality Night will be Wednesday, May 15, 2019, from 6:30 to 11:00 pm. Candidates Hospitality rooms for District Governor and First and Second Vice District Governors will be setup in the Atrium of the Princess Royale. Come and visit with old friends and meet new friends.

# CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS CONTINUED

**Multiple District 22 – 97th Annual Convention  
May 13-16, 2019  
Ocean City, Maryland**

**Registration and Ticket Order Form**

Provide this information to pre-register even if no tickets are ordered.

**DEADLINE: April 1, 2019 for Hospitality Book / April 15 for all other tickets**

**Registrant No 1**

Name: Lion-Lioness-Leo  
(Circle one only)

\_\_\_\_\_ Last

\_\_\_\_\_ First

First Convention?

Nickname \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Street or P.O. Box \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Club \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

District – A B C D W (Circle one only)

Medical Restrictions \_\_\_\_\_

Need vegetarian meals?

**Registrant No 2**

Name: Lion-Lioness-Leo  
(Circle one only)

\_\_\_\_\_ Last

\_\_\_\_\_ First

First Convention?

Nickname \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Street or P.O. Box \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Club \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

District – A B C D W (Circle one only)

Medical Restrictions \_\_\_\_\_

Need vegetarian meals?

Event	Price	Registrant 1	Registrant 2	Amount
Hospitality Book (MD Banquet, Sub-District Luncheon, Grand Finale Lunch)	\$95			
Pre-Convention Entertainment	\$6			
Melvin Jones Luncheon (Circle meal choice)	\$25	Ham Turkey	Ham Turkey	
District Luncheon (if ordered separately)	\$32			
Multiple District Banquet (if ordered separately)	\$40			
Grand Finale Luncheon (if ordered separately)	\$30			
Miniature Golf Tournament	\$10			
Tail Twister Immunity Stickers (Provides immunity from the Tail Twisters at events)	\$5			
<b>TOTAL AMOUNT</b>				

Mail to: David Mitchell  
PO Box 502  
Millsboro, DE 19966

**Make checks payable to:  
Multiple District 22 Convention Committee**

To register for:  
PDG Breakfast  
LYF Breakfast  
Golf Tournament

Contact:  
PDG Bob Eisenberg  
PDG Sandi Halterman  
Lion Ed Springer

410-484-2998 [lionbob@hotmail.com](mailto:lionbob@hotmail.com)  
301-751-8627 [pdgsandi@gmail.com](mailto:pdgsandi@gmail.com)  
302-684-5452 [miltonlioncd@gmail.com](mailto:miltonlioncd@gmail.com)

CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS CONTINUED

**Bay Club (East) Golf Course**  
**Ocean City, MD**  
**2019 MD Convention Golf Tournament**

Monday, May 13, 2019  
 11:00 a.m. Registration/Lunch  
 1 P.M. Shotgun Start  
 Cost \$75.00

Price includes green fee, cart, prizes & lunch  
**Deadline: May 8, 2019**  
 (Contest's and mulligans extra)  
 Format: "Four Person Scramble"

Men, Women or Mixed  
 Annual Governor's Cup Trophy for all Lions teams.

**ONLY ALL LIONS TEAMS ARE ELIGIBLE TO WIN THE TROPHY!**  
 All golfers will be eligible for all other prizes.

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**Multiple District 22 Convention**  
**Ocean City, Maryland, May 13-16, 2019**  
**Golf Tournament Registration Form**

Please enter me/us in the Lions Multiple District 22 Convention Golf Tournament.  
 Enclosed is a check made payable to MD 22 Convention Committee.

No. of Golfers @ \$75.00 each = \$ Tee Time 1 p.m.  
 Complete the form on the opposing page for each golfer.

Contact Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Telephone: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

(You will be assigned to a foursome if no other players are indicated)

**Please make check payable to: MD 22 Convention Committee**

**Send form and check to: Lion Ed Springer**  
**224 West Shore Drive**  
**Milton, DE 19968**

**Player 1**  
 Name: Lion-Lioness-Leo \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Circle One) Last First

**IF ALSO REGISTERING FOR MEAL TICKETS CHECK HERE**  **ELSE COMPLETE BELOW**

Nickname \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street or P.O. Box \_\_\_\_\_ Call Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Club \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ District A B C D W (Circle one)  
 Medical Restrictions \_\_\_\_\_ First Convention?

**Player 2**  
 Name: Lion-Lioness-Leo \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Circle One) Last First

**IF ALSO REGISTERING FOR MEAL TICKETS CHECK HERE**  **ELSE COMPLETE BELOW**

Nickname \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street or P.O. Box \_\_\_\_\_ Call Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Club \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ District A B C D W (Circle one)  
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**Player 3**  
 Name: Lion-Lioness-Leo \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Circle One) Last First

**IF ALSO REGISTERING FOR MEAL TICKETS CHECK HERE**  **ELSE COMPLETE BELOW**

Nickname \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street or P.O. Box \_\_\_\_\_ Call Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Club \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ District A B C D W (Circle one)  
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**Player 4**  
 Name: Lion-Lioness-Leo \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Circle One) Last First

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Nickname \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street or P.O. Box \_\_\_\_\_ Call Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Club \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ District A B C D W (Circle one)  
 Medical Restrictions \_\_\_\_\_ First Convention?

## **CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS CONTINUED**



### **It is Time for Fruit Ridgely Lions Club March Fruit Sale**

**TO ORDER CALL 443-786-2547 or email [ddavis@goeaston.net](mailto:ddavis@goeaston.net) no later than March 14.**

**Include phone # with email order**



## CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS CONTINUED

“Terry” the Terrier mascot at Ridgely Elementary and “Rion” the Lion mascot for the Ridgely Lions need your support for the “Fuel Up to Play 60” program.



“Terry”



“Rion”



“We Serve”

### **RIDGELY LIONS CLUB & RIDGELY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL “PTA” SEEK SUPPORT for “FUEL UP to PLAY 60” 2018-19**

The Ridgely Lions Club in cooperation with the Ridgely Elementary PTA will be sponsoring fruit and vegetable donations from September 1, 2018 thru August 31, 2019 in support of the “Fuel Up to Play 60” program at Ridgely Elementary School. “Fuel Up to Play 60” is a program that encourages students to make healthy choices like eating more fruits and vegetables and getting active for at least 60 minutes every day. The Lions and the PTA are seeking donations and support from local businesses, organizations, and individuals to sponsor the boxes of fruit and vegetables. In return for your \$30 sponsorship we will invite donors to help us deliver the fruit/vegetables to the school and recognize them in the local media and online at [www.ridgelylions.org](http://www.ridgelylions.org) and on [facebook.com/ridgelylions](https://www.facebook.com/ridgelylions). If you’d like to help improve the lives of students at Ridgely Elementary School through the “Fuel Up to Play 60” fruit/vegetable donation program, then contact Lion Dave Davis at [ddavis@goeaston.net](mailto:ddavis@goeaston.net) or 443-786-2547. For more information go to

[www.ridgelylions.org](http://www.ridgelylions.org) and [www.facebook.com/ridgelylionsclub](https://www.facebook.com/ridgelylionsclub)

**“WHERE THERE IS A NEED—THERE IS A LION”**

## CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS COMPLETED

### Chestertown Lions Club



Lion Fred Sherriff, Raffle Chair, on left, and Bob Smith, a Blue Bird Restaurant customer, on right, prepare to draw the winning raffle tickets at the Chestertown Lions Shotgun Raffle on January 9, 2019 at the Blue Bird Restaurant in Chestertown. The winner, Johnathan Chase, won \$1500 of which he donated half back to the Lions Club. His donation will be used to fund an Easter Seal scholarship for a Kent County youth at Camp Fairlee this Spring. The second-place winner, B.B. Bell, won \$300 in merchandise from Molly's Sporting Goods.

KL Dave Dunham, on left, welcomes Andy Sabo, on right, President of the Kappa Alpha Fraternity, Washington College, at a business dinner meeting at the Chester River Yacht & Country Club on January 23, 2019. The Lion Club recognized the KAs with a pizza party again this year for their support in assisting the Lions Club with our Chicken BBQ in September. The KAs have supported the Lions for many years now and we are most grateful for all their help and support.



Chestertown Lions Club KL Dave Dunham, on left, greets John Murray, on right, President of the Chestertown Rotary Club at the Valentine's Day joint business dinner hosted by the Lions Club at the Chester River Yacht & Country Club on February 13, 2019. This is the second year now the two largest service clubs in Kent county have met with their spouses or significant others to express thanks for their support and to celebrate the Club's service they provide to Kent County.



## CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS COMPLETED

### Chestertown Lions Club

Chestertown Lions Club and Rotary Club members celebrated a Valentine's Day dinner at a joint dinner meeting at the Chester River Yacht & Country Club on February 13. A total of 70 members, spouses, and significant others attended and were entertained by a sting-trio from Washington College. All the ladies were presented with roses: from left to right: Phylliss Roberts, Lion spouse; Sandy Leek, Rotary spouse; and Annie Lavin, Lion spouse.



A string trio, from left to right, Mari Mullane, History Major-German Minor; Eric Celmer, Computer Science Major; and Michael Hershey, History & Economics Double Major; from Washington College entertained Chestertown Lions and Rotary Club members with musical selections during the pre-dinner social and entertainment portion of the Valentine's Day dinner meeting. Members got a chance to dance to the music in the Ballroom of the Chester River Yacht & County Club.



# CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS COMPLETED

## Cecilton Lions Club



Members of the The Cecilton Lions and Partners of Cecilton, participate in Student Led Conferences at Cecilton Elementary. Parents are invited to come in and have their child show them what they have accomplished during the first quarter of school. Members take the place of a parent who is either unable to come or is nonexistent. The children are so anxious to show you what they have accomplished.



# **CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS COMPLETED**

## **Cecilton Lions Club**



Cecilton Lions giving gifts to Cecilton's Head Start. Mr. George Rhoades played Santa. The children are all ages 3/4 &5.

