



## District 1A Governor Pat Duda's Monthly e-Newsletter SEPTEMBER, 2017

### Where There is a Need, There is a Lion!



Fellow lions:

Last week was devastating to people in Texas. Hurricane Harvey destroyed entire Houston area and as a result; both airports were closed for business. Many planes sunk in

water. Thousands and thousands lost their homes, businesses, schools, hospitals and churches.

Lions Clubs International Foundation immediately approved \$100,000 as an emergency relief fund to help the needy in Texas. As our slogan says: "Where There is a Need, There is a Lion," it is our duty to pitch-in whatever we can and help these hurricane victims. Make a check payable to LCIF and mail it to International Headquarters. We can also send food items, water, clothes, etc., etc., as many people in Houston lost everything they had due rising of water in their neighborhoods.

Homeowners and Tax payers face billions of dollars from Harvey. It was estimated that people in this area lost more than 500,000 automobiles as they sank under water and became non drivable. One research firm says that Hurricane Harvey damage costs could reach \$35 billion. United is likely to take at least a \$265 million financial hit from Hurricane Harvey due to their reliance on Houston as a major hub.

Simultaneously there were floods due to severe rain in India, Nepal, Indonesia and Malaysia. All these places there were hundreds of deaths and

thousands of people lost their homes and belongings. About a million people lost their day to day earnings and many businesses closed their doors for business due to severe damage.



*THERE IS A LION  
REFLECTED IN  
EACH OF US, IF WE  
HAVE A DESIRE  
TO HELP OUR  
COMMUNITIES & THOSE  
IN NEED.*

*BE YOU  
BE A STRONG LION*

I request all clubs in our District to donate generously for this cause so that our fellow citizens in Texas at least get some help from our District Lions. When you donate please do not respond any e-mails or social media pages as there are too many scammers trying to collect donations from you. Be wise and be careful. To avoid any scam, you can donate to Lions Clubs International Foundation where you can claim your donation as tax deductible donation. Again, remember: Where There is a Need, There is a Lion! Now here is the need in Texas; lest us show them we Lions are with them to fulfill their needs.

**-Pat Duda**

District 1A Governor

[Pduda0614@yahoo.com](mailto:Pduda0614@yahoo.com)



# LIONS OF ILLINOIS FOUNDATION DISTRICT 1A

## CANDY DAY JAMBOREE 2017



**On Wednesday, September 6, 2017**

AT



*Crystal Sky Banquets*

7941 West 47<sup>TH</sup> Street, McCook, IL

**Photo with Governor Pat Duda at 6:00 p.m.**



**Frank Kirar (Robin) - 1 yr.**  
Oak Lawn Lions Club  
5129 Oak Center Drive  
Oak lawn, IL 60453-3939  
H: 708-636-2165  
B: 708-643-3607  
F: 708-636-4814  
E: ncfisolf@aol.com

**DINNER AT 7:00 P.M.**

← FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT →

**DISTRICT 1A  
TRUSTEES**

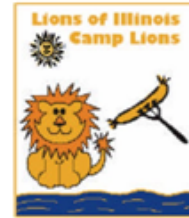


**Steve Anton, PCC (Gail) - 2 yr.**  
Orland Park Lions Club  
17324 Highwood Drive  
Orland Park, IL 60467-6051  
H: 708-479-4779  
C: 708-514-4215  
E: santonlions@comcast.net

**\$24 per person & \$220 for table of 10**

**MORE DETAILS ON NEXT PAGE**

**DISTRICT 1-A TRUSTEES  
PRESENTS THE 2017  
CANDY DAY  
JAMBOREE**



**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6th, 2017**

<b>COCKTAILS, Candy pick up &amp; PHOTOS 6:00 PM</b>	<b>CRYSTAL SKY BANQUETS 7941 W. 47<sup>th</sup> Street McCook, IL 60525</b>	<b>DINNER SERVED 7:00PM</b>
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This year's program will be a forum and testimonial from Lions and Guests who have participated in the many sponsored activities of the Lions of Illinois Foundation with emphasis on the District 1-A coordinators and their service to the District. We wish to continue the excitement and vigor of Candy Day in District 1-A. Please be prepared to join in and express your positive feelings on this important fundraiser for the Foundation and our Lions Clubs.

**Pre-Ordered Candy Will Be Available For Pickup at the Jamboree:**  
Please use the order forms that were sent to your club from the Foundation. Copies of your order will be sent to us (District 1-A) by the Foundation. **YOU MUST ORDER YOUR CANDY** prior to the jamboree, to guarantee getting candy at the Jamboree. The candy is mint rolls like those we used last year. The rolls are nicely marked and should be effective in our fundraising efforts. Each case has 565 rolls and the cost for each case is \$95.00. Ordering what you will use should be considered (this is a special order and there are NO returns). Payment should be made in **ADVANCE**. Your Club should have received an order form from the Lions of Illinois Foundation. If you have not received the order forms or have questions regarding this process please call us and we will do our best to help you. Lion Frank Kirar & Lion Steve Anton, District 1-A Trustees LIF

**Please mail Reservation forms to:**

Lion Frank Kirar, 5129 Oak Center Dr., Oak Lawn, Il 60453

Questions?

Lion Frank Kirar at 708-636-2165 or Lion Steve Anton at 708-479-4779

**Jamboree Reservations are needed before August 28<sup>th</sup> 2017**

Cost is \$24.00 per person, if you have a table of 10 the price will be \$22.00 per person (\$220.00 Total)

Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Reservations: \_\_\_ Total

Enclosed:

Checks made out to **Lions of Illinois Foundation**  
(Sorry, No Dinner Tickets will be Sold at the Door)

# LIONS OF ILLINOIS FOUNDATION

## 2016 CANDY DAY

### ORDER FORM

**EACH CASE CONTAINS  
576 ROLLS OF MINTS  
& COSTS \$95.00**



\_\_\_\_\_ CLUB REQUESTS \_\_\_\_\_ CASES OF CANDY  
(CLUB NAME & DISTRICT)

WILL PICK UP CANDY AT DISTRICT JAMBOREE?  Yes  No (if NOT picking candy up at Jamboree, please contact your local treasurer)

CANDY DAY APRONS \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$12.75      COUNTER TRAYS \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$4.00

Our club will hold Candy Day on the following date \_\_\_\_\_

CANDY DAY SUPPLIES (WE HANDLE THE ORDER ONLY THE AMOUNT YOU ARE PERMITTED TO LINE)

WINDOW POSTERS (11X17) \_\_\_\_\_ CERTIFICATION OF APPRECIATION \_\_\_\_\_

COUNTER CARDS, FOR CANISTER \_\_\_\_\_ VOLUNTEER BUTTONS \_\_\_\_\_

UNDERWRITER LETTERHEAD \_\_\_\_\_ MILK CARTON STICKERS \_\_\_\_\_

FUNDRAISING CANISTERS-PLASTIC \_\_\_\_\_ FUNDRAISING CANISTERS-METAL \_\_\_\_\_

**SPECIAL NOTE: PLEASE READ AGREEMENT CAREFULLY**

WHEREAS: Illinois Lions Candy Day is perhaps the greatest state-wide fund-raising activity EXCLUSIVELY BENEFITTING SIGHT, HEARING, and HANDICAPPED INDIVIDUALS in Illinois; and WHEREAS: Illinois Lions Clubs work together to ensure success and benefits; and WHEREAS: Lions have directed their Lions of Illinois Foundation to provide extensive Services, Programs & Grants, like are award-winning Camp Lions, Mobile Diabetic Eye Unit, Mobile Hearing Unit, Our Low Vision Program, and our design for research and much more and WHEREAS: recognizing that each individual Lions Club also has a real responsibility to its own sight, hearing, and handicap residents in their own community, often to a degree that cannot be met from retained Candy Day funds alone, but must be supplemented by other club fund-raising activities; so THEREFORE, By signing this agreement, Our Lions Club AGREES TO PARTICIPATE in FULL MEASURE in this Lionistic activity; and to contribute a minimum of 60 percent or more of the net proceeds to our Lions of Illinois Foundation for our provided projects, and services; and we FURTHER AGREE that ALL FUNDS RETAINED by our Club shall be used EXCLUSIVELY for aid to sight, hearing, and handicapped individuals in our own community. It is FURTHER AGREED that a full accounting of funds shall be made to the Lions of Illinois Foundation before December 1st of this calendar year.

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ TITLE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

CLUB TO CHARGE \_\_\_\_\_ CLUB DISTRICT \_\_\_\_\_

**ONLY DELIVERIES TO A HOME OR BUSINESS LOCATION  
NO PO BOX NUMBERS ARE NOT ACCEPTED**

DELIVER TO \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

LIONS OF ILLINOIS FOUNDATION  
 2254 OAKLAND DRIVE  
 SYCAMORE IL 60178  
 815-756-5633-TELEPHONE 815-758-2041-DIRECT LINE  
 815-758-8157- FAX [deritega@lifund.org](mailto:deritega@lifund.org) - EMAIL

*Stickney – Forest View Lions Club's  
4th Annual  
"Lions Run for Hope"*



*5K Run/Walk for  
Breast Cancer Research and the Wellness House*



**SUNDAY  
SEPTEMBER 24, 2017**

**8:00AM START**

**(41st & RIDGELAND AV.)  
Off Street Parking Available  
STICKNEY, ILLINOIS...**

**Certified Course  
[www.lionsrunforhope.org](http://www.lionsrunforhope.org)**



**DISTANCE:** 5K

**DATE:** September 24, 2017

**START:** 8:00AM Sharp

**START/FINISH:** 41st & Ridgeland Av.

**COURSE:** Flat and Fast on Asphalt through the Village of Stickney.

**TRAFFIC:** All Intersections with Motorized Traffic will have Marshalls and/or Stickney Police.

**REST ROOMS:** Near the start / finish line.

**WATER:** Mile 1.5 & 3

**SUPPORT:** Ambulance by the Stickney Fire Department.

**RESULTS:** All Registered Entrants will be chip timed.

**AWARDS:** 1st, 2nd, & 3rd Overall: Male and Female  
1st, 2nd & 3rd in each Age Group

**AGE DIVISIONS:** Male & Female 14 & Under, 15-19,  
20-24, 25-29, 30-34, 35-39, 40-44, 45-49, 50-54, 55-59,  
60-64, 65-69, 70-74, 75-79, 80 & Over

**WHEEL CHAIR ENTRIES WELCOME**

**ENTRY DEADLINE:** Mail Entries by ; September 18, 2017.  
In person registration by: Monday Sept. 18th ,2017. at  
O'Reilly's Flowers, 6730 W. Pershing Berwyn, IL.,  
9:00am - 5:00pm.

**ENTRY FEE:** \$30 per entry, Thru September 18, 2017,  
After September 18th, Registration \$35,00...  
Race Day Registration \$35.00 between 7:00am-7:45am  
Children under 18, \$25 per person, pre-registered only...

A \$5 discount, per person, may be taken for runners/walkers that are  
part of a team of five or more.

**INFORMATION:** (708) 795-0997 ask for Dan or Maryanne  
[www.lionsrunforhope.org](http://www.lionsrunforhope.org)

**T-Shirts:** A specially designed T-Shirt for the Stickney- Forest View  
Lions Club 4th Annual "Lions Run for Hope", will be guaranteed  
to every registrant.

**RACE PACKAGE:** Can be picked up at O'Reilly's Flowers,  
6730 Pershing Rd., Berwyn, IL on Saturday September 23rd  
between 11:00am-2:00pm or on Race Day (at the pavilion)  
between 7:00am-7:45am.





Dear Lions Members & Friends,

**In 1991, Lions made a pledge to the children of Illinois.  
We believe that no child needs to face blindness as their future.**

Launched in the spring of 1991 as a pilot collaboration between Spectrios Institute for Low Vision, Illinois College of Optometry, Chicago Lighthouse for the Blind, and Lions of Illinois Foundation the "Seeing is Believing" program has benefitted thousands of students over the years.

We strive to keep all of our programs and services alive and thriving. With L.V. and your donation, we can make our "Seeing is Believing" program a great success for more than 300 students throughout Illinois.

Enclosed with this letter is our "Seeing is Believing" donation form. Please fill it out and send in your donation to help a student through this program. Please remember your Foundation also takes donations by credit card. Just call your Foundation and we can help you.

Remember we are not asking for a donation, we are asking for the opportunity to provide a student with low vision a chance to excel in school, in society, in job placement, in their future. We can continue our mission to make a difference in the lives that we have pledged to serve.

**Thanks to you, we have pledged to help over 300 students!**

Sincerely,

*Mario J. Gumino*

Lion Mario J. Gumino, PDG  
Executive Director





## Dear Lions Members & Friends,

The Lions of Illinois Foundation partners with Spectrios Institute for Low Vision, the Illinois College of Optometry, and the Chicago Lighthouse for the Blind to provide a FREE comprehensive visual evaluation to Illinois students in grades K-12.

Students are referred by special education staff employed by the Illinois Board of Education. The exams are performed by licensed optometrists that travel to the different screening locations throughout the state.

Other components of the program include:

- Referring parents to vocational counseling
- Braille reading instruction
- Orientation and mobility training for child
- Adaptive technology training

The LIF "Seeing is Believing" Low Vision Program for Students provides a visually impaired child with the optical tools and training necessary to help prevent further vision loss or even blindness. But more importantly, these are the children we have promised to help by preserving what sight they have left. Their future is in our hands.



Seeing is Believing Mascot, EL-Vee

Please read the form below as to how you can help.

**In 1991 Lions made a pledge to the children of Illinois.**

**We believe that no child needs to face blindness as their future.**

*Please help to preserve that pledge with your donation.*

Enclosed is our check/money order to sponsor \_\_\_\_\_ student(s) at a cost of \$290 each.

Included is the cost of a vision screen & any optical tools youth are recommended or prescribed by the optometrist.

Amount of donation \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Club Name/or Individual Donor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Club Address / Individual's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Phone number(\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**Please make your check payable to LIF**

**We also accept credit cards, please call us.**

Submit form & donation to:  
Lions of Illinois  
Foundation  
2254 Oakland Drive  
Sycamore, IL 60178



Phone: 815-756-5633

[LionsofIllinoisFoundation.org](http://LionsofIllinoisFoundation.org)

[Facebook.com/LionsofIL](https://Facebook.com/LionsofIL)

Remember we are not asking for a donation, we are asking for the opportunity to provide a student with low vision a chance to excel in school, in society, in job placement, in their future.

We can continue our mission to make a difference in the lives that we have pledged to serve.

**Please join us with your donation today.**





**DISTRICT 1-A MID YEAR FORUM**

**SAVE THE DATE 1/27/18**

**NEW LOCATION**

**NEW FORMAT**

**SHORTER SESSION**

**DRAWING FOR ALL EARLY PAID REGISTRATIONS**

**STAY TUNED FOR MORE INFORMATION**

**HOSTED BY FIRST VDG HOWARD SWACKER**



Hello Lions, I have been asked by 1VDG Howard Swacker to Co-Chair the 2018 MY Forum. This year's upcoming Forum is being redesigned to hopefully attract more participants. To give you an example of some of the changes:

Date: Saturday January 27, 2018

New venue: Holiday Inn Chicago SW Countryside Conference Center 6201 Joliet Road  
Countryside, IL 60525

Food Services: Breakfast buffet---**no increase in price**

Length of event: 8:30 – 12 noon

Speaker(s): 1VDG Howard Swacker is currently working on securing speakers.

Something new this year: **My Forum Mini Expo**

This Mini Expo will take place at the beginning of the event and finish when the speakers begin their program. The goal is to talk about some upcoming events and programs on a one on one basis with the Lions of District 1-A. I would like to invite the following groups to have a table at no cost to them to promote their programs. I only ask that each group provide some type of a giveaway to the attendees. All Expo participants would be asked to pay for their breakfast.

GLOBAL ACTION TEAM - GLT, GMT & GST- Educate the Lions on the changes in this program

VOICES - Promote your vision and Open Areas program

LIONS OF IL FOUNDATION - Promote the Scripts program

DISTRICT WALK - Promote the walk and early registration

DISTRICT CONVENTION - Promote early registration

BOWLING – Promote and sign up bowlers for the event.

Please let me know if you are interested in participating in this new concept that we would like to introduce at the Forum. Please feel free to contact me should you have questions. If you could RSVP me by 8-15-17, it would be very much appreciated.

Looking forward to your participation in this year's My Forum.

Lion Gail Anton, Co-Chairman 2018 MY Forum

**Subject: Volunteer Opportunity - National Braille Press in Chicago**

Good afternoon!

I'm Anna Kaczmarek and I am the Manager of Volunteers for National Braille Press. We're a non-profit in Boston that promotes braille literacy for blind and visually impaired children.

Our Development Department is having a free luncheon in Chicago on September 20<sup>th</sup> for local braille readers and we're looking for some volunteers that could help out at the event from 11am-2pm that day. We'll need some sighted guides for visually impaired attendees, as well as some help serving the lunch. Would anyone from Lions District 1-A be interested in volunteering at this event?

Thanks so much,

Anna

*Anna Kaczmarek*  
Manager of Events & Volunteers

National Braille Press  
88 St. Stephen Street  
Boston, MA 02115  
[\(617\) 425-2437](tel:6174252437)  
[www.nbp.org](http://www.nbp.org)



## Vision First Eye Clinic

### For Needy CPS Students

**What: Volunteer Opportunity!!!!!!!**

**Help address 1000 CPS Students Vision Correction Needs**

**When? - October 16, 2017 through October 20, 2017**

**Where: CPS's Garfield Park Office**

2651 W. Washington Blvd, Chicago IL. 60612

For more information or to Sign up to help,  
Contact Lion Mike Smigielski @708-839-5178

Or E-Mail [LionMikeSmig@aol.com](mailto:LionMikeSmig@aol.com)

Sponsored by

**One Sight, District 1-A Lions,  
Chicago Community in**

**School, Chicago Public Schools  
and United For Sight**



## Lions Clubs International **FOUNDATION**

### **Dear Lions,**

Our thoughts go out to all those affected by the hurricane in Texas, USA. In times of crisis, Lions are often among the first to offer critical supplies of food, water, temporary shelter, and clothing. Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF) is right there beside them, ready to support their efforts with fundraising assistance through disaster relief grant programs.

Your generous donations to LCIF enable us to respond swiftly wherever and wherever the need exists. Please consider making a [donation LCIF's disaster fund](#) today so that we may continue to provide help and hope to those who need it most.

Sincerely,

Chancellor Bob Corlew  
Chairman, Lions Clubs International Foundation

# Pin Traders of Illinois Order Form



Pin Not Shown to Actual Size

Ship to: (Please Print clearly or Type)

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Please send me \_\_\_\_\_ Pin (s) at \$3.00 each ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Shipping & Handling ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

One - five pins ..... \$ 5.00

Six - ten pins ..... \$ 9.00

Eleven - Fifteen pins ..... \$ 12.00

Orders that are for more than 16 pins, call for shipping & handling charges before placing the order.

Total amount enclosed ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

*Please make check or money order payable in (US Funds Only) to:*

## Pin Traders of Illinois

Mail to:

Lion Ken Accola, PDG  
1224 Robinhood Lane  
La Grange, IL 60526-5313  
(708) 579-0345  
jere32@att.net

# JOIN THE Centennial Service Challenge AND MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

**NEW!**



The final year of the Centennial is underway. Beginning July 1, 2017, diabetes projects are included in the Centennial Service Challenge. To help clubs, here are 25 project ideas to consider in your club:

1. Organize a "Strides: Lions for Diabetes Awareness" event in your community.
2. Organize a community support group for parents of children with diabetes.
3. Volunteer to serve at a children's camp for diabetes.
4. Invite a healthcare professional to speak about diabetes at your club or district meeting.
5. Support your nearest diabetes foundation.
6. Partner with local healthcare providers to organize diabetes and vision screenings.
7. Distribute current educational resources to increase diabetes awareness at a community health fair or other event.
8. Organize a walking club for seniors with diabetes.
9. Provide a diabetes magazine subscription to your local library.
10. Sponsor a child in need to attend a diabetes camp.
11. Donate current diabetes books to your local library and insert a bookplate to identify your club's donation.
12. Participate in World Diabetes Day events on November 14.
13. Work with your local school to invite a health care professional to speak about diabetes.
14. Post monthly articles about diabetes on your club or district website.
15. Promote diabetes prevention through a radio public service announcement.
16. Sponsor a healthy cooking demonstration for people with diabetes.
17. Organize a school or community vegetable garden to encourage healthy eating.
18. Work with a community podiatrist or foot care specialist to provide foot screenings.
19. Work with health care professionals to provide "at-risk" populations in your community with screenings and educational materials.
20. Partner with your local diabetes organization to offer programs and materials.
21. Promote community resources and materials available online from LCI partner organizations (NDEP, DECA & IDF).
22. Hold a fundraiser for a local diabetes camp or foundation.
23. Provide financial assistance to people in need to help them obtain medicine and supplies for the management of their diabetes.
24. Promote the importance of an annual dilated eye exam to detect diabetic eye disease.
25. Provide translated diabetes educational materials to schools, libraries and physician offices.

## What a Party!!!!

If you haven't heard, the Lions of Illinois have hosted the largest International Convention in the United States on record as well as managed one of the largest parades in Chicago. The Lions Clubs Centennial Convention is history and we can only talk about what should have been done or should have been done differently. It was completed as a huge success for the Lions of Illinois and Lions Clubs International.



The final numbers are in with a total registration of 30,115 attendees plus guests. There were more than 9,500 guestrooms in 30 hotels throughout the downtown area of Chicago. The Parade of Nations on Saturday was a five hour parade on State Street and for those who helped, almost a nine hour day. The parade had 26,750 marchers, 24 marching bands and more than a dozen floats. Along with the delegations of Lions, there were four antique cars from 1917, Chicago trolley buses, a bicycle built for twelve, two air balloons and a couple of horse drawn carriages. It was unique to Chicago and thousands watched as the day went on.



(MD1 Lions taking part in Lions Centennial International Parade held in Chicago.)

The breakdown of the total registration was that 7,738 were from the USA and 1,194 of those were from Illinois. Both those numbers were the top for the respective country and state. That also showed

our State pride by having the highest registration for the USA over California and New York.

As general chairman of the MD1 Host Committee, I am proud and congratulation goes out to the TEAM for a job well done and to the Lions of Illinois for volunteering to make this a huge success. When the convention started about a month ago, everyone put on their game face and showed the World who the Lions of Illinois are. **You** came through the convention in a blaze of glory working together to achieve a common goal - **SUCCESS**. And we did it. **Great job!!!**

Of course with that many people we had some problems, but those were over shadowed by the way we worked together to either overcome or resolve those situations. From the outside, everything was going as planned. We have been receiving compliments and remarks from Lions Clubs International and the Lions from around the World through face book comments and emails.

For all our volunteers, I would like to thank you for your service. Without **YOU**, we would not have had the success we did. To show our appreciation to all the Lions of Illinois, the MD1 Host Committee is working with the MD1 Forum Committee to have something at their event in November for everyone to enjoy. So, please save the date of Saturday, November 18, 2017 for a **"special" Thank You** from the Host Committee. **YOU** made this a successful project for the Lions of Illinois.

Again, I would like to thank all of the Council of Governors from the beginning and all the Lions of Illinois for their support. This has been a great experience and it was fun doing it. I feel that we have carried out the goal of this committee that was *"to have a successful convention, and have fun doing it"*. And, *that we did*.

See you soon.

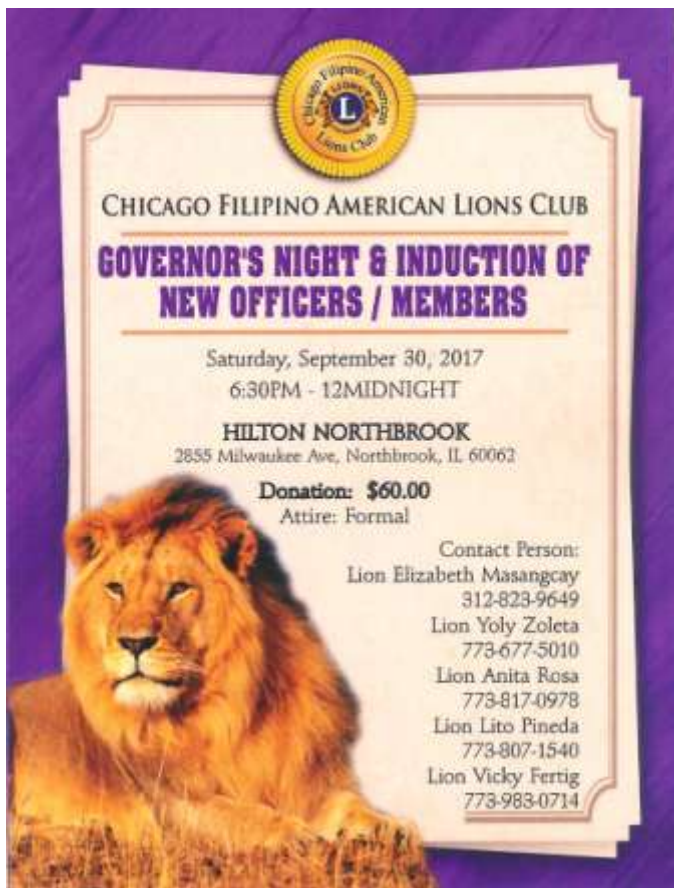
**Lion Bob Block, PDG**

Chairman, MD1 Host Committee 2017-2018

## Upcoming Events:

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- September 6 – Candy Day Jamboree
  - September 21 to 23 - USA-Canada Lions Leadership Forum
  - October 15 – Candy Day
  - October 21 – Nite at the Races
  - November 4 – MD1 Leadership Forum
  - December 10 – District Christmas Party
  - January 27 – 1A Mid Year Forum
  - February 24 – 1A District Bowling
  - March 23-25 – 1A Convention
  - May 18-20 – MD1 State Convention
  - June 10 – Governor's Installation
  - June 29-July 3 – International Convention in Las Vegas
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### Save the date: MD1 Forum

Saturday, November 18  
Abraham Lincoln Hotel in  
Springfield, Illinois

This year the MD1 Forum will be held on Saturday, November 18 at the President Abraham Lincoln hotel in Springfield and is open to all Lions.

Attending the Forum is a great opportunity to increase your knowledge base and gain valuable information. It is also a great time to network, catch up with old Lion friends from around the state, and expand your Lions network.

### Mark Your Calendar!

The Forest Kala Sampath  
Lions Club Presents:

**Melvin Jones Birthday Party!**

**On January 14, 2018**

Four Points Hotel Sheraton  
O'Hare, Schiller Park



Invited Guest:

Chancellor Bob  
Corlew, Chairman  
Lions Clubs  
International  
Foundation.



# JOIN OUR FUNDRAISER AT RAISING CANE'S!

Mention the fundraiser at the register and Cane's will donate 15% of sales to:

Stickney-Forest View Lions Club  
Run For Hope 5k

**DATE & TIME:**

September 12th, 2017 from 4:00am - 8:00pm

**LOCATION:**

2514 Harlem Avenue North Riverside, IL 60546  
708-442-3433



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## ORLAND PARK LIONS CLUB CHARITY BOWL

BENEFITING



Saturday,  
November 11, 2017

9:30PM-1:00AM

Orland Bowl/Mickadoon's  
8601 West 159th Street

\$25 a person/\$50 a couple  
includes 3 games of bowling & buffet dinner  
shoe rental is not included  
Dinner only \$ 10.00

For more information about the event or  
to contribute to the event please contact us at  
(708) 675-7403

To purchase tickets online  
visit our website:  
Orland Park Lions Club  
[www.orlandparklionsclub.com](http://www.orlandparklionsclub.com)

### LOGAN SQUARE LIONS PRESENT A MIND-BENDING MYSTERY!

RECREATED HERE WITH  
AN ADAPTATION OF  
OLD TIME RADIO'S  
"THE HAUNTING"  
SUSPENSEFUL SERIES  
FROM JULY 13, 1945.

# THE THOUGHT

RECEIVING A PHONE  
CALL FROM A  
BIZARRE MYSTIC,  
HELEN IS FILLED  
WITH HORROR  
AND FEAR!



EXPECT THE  
UNEXPECTED!

OCCLUDES LOOK IN THE WOODS...  
ANYTHING COULD HAPPEN...

Hold on to your seats. Don't miss this gripping event!

DATE: SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2017	TIME: 12 NOON TILL 4PM	RSVP: PLEASE REPLY BY: OCTOBER 20, 2017 LION SANDY HOFFMANN 847-966-1266 SANDYHOFFMANN@SECGLOBAL.NET
PLACE: LA VILLA RESTAURANT 3636 N. PULASKI AVE. CHICAGO	TICKETS: \$50.00 NO TICKETS AT DOOR	
CASH BAR CASH RAFFLE		



## AFTER CONVENTION

Prices Slashed

Prices So LOW...  
Everything MUST Go!!!

Polo's Men's & Women's (2XL thru 5XL)	\$15.00 ea
Illinois Blue Vests	\$10.00 ea
Car Flags	\$10.00 ea
Commemorative Crystal Cubes (limited edition of 100)	\$45.00 ea
Magnets	\$2.00 ea
Rally Towels	\$1.00 ea
Pins (limited quantities of each)	\$5.00 ea
Official LCIF Street Banner	\$75.00 ea
Mini Street Banners	\$10.00 ea
(or bundle 1 of each banner) <b>BEST VALUE</b>	<b>\$80.00 ea</b>
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