



MD 7 Arkansas Lions

July/August 2015

Volume | Issue |

A View From The Chair

To the Great Lions of MD-7,

Thank you so much for your service to your communities and our state! Because of your dedication to serving others, Lions Clubs provided service to over 37 million people during the past year. What a magnificent start for our goal of 1200 million people to be served for our Centennial Celebration in 2017.

There are many hours spent "behind the scenes" in service you do for Lions in addition to all that others see and hear. Please let our State Newsletter/PR Chair Myrna McGee (mmcgee610@cox.net) know what you are doing whether you take time to write a small article or just send a snap shot with the information about the event. Your work is greatly appreciated.

Our next Council of Governors meeting will be Oct 23 in Heber Springs at the District 7-O Convention. I would appreciate all DGs and VDGs to attend along with State Chairs. Hal Griffin, our Regional GMT, has requested to come visit our state. We will meet with him an hour before our regular meeting at 4.

Please let me know if there is anything I can do to help achieve your District Governors and local clubs goals.

Don't think what you do does not matter, it does.

Together in Service,

CC Angela

MD7 Council

Lion Angela Smith
PDG
Council Chair

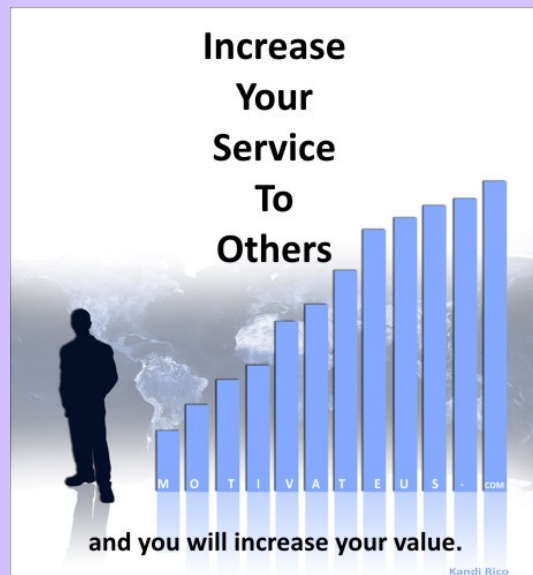
Lion Maxine Crittenden
District Governor (7-L)

Lion Diane Archer
District Governor (7-I)

Lion Bill Hankins
District Governor (7-O)

Lion Stan McDougal
District Governor (7-N)

Lion Wanda Barnett,
PDG
Administrative Secretary
Secretary



COMING EVENTS

MD 7 District Conventions

District 7-I - September 11-12 - Mountain Home

District 7-L - October 30-31 - Texarkana

District 7-O - October 23-24 Heber Springs

District 7-N - November 6-7 - North Little Rock

Plan on attending—you
always learn something you can use as a Lion!!

SAVE THE DATE

Plan now to attend!!

MD 7 Midwinter Leadership Forum

January 22 - 23, 2016

Jonesboro

Lion Brad Baker has some outstanding speakers lined up—several we've not heard before, so it promises to be a lot of new information and experiences!!



CLUBS AROUND THE STATE ARE MAKING NEWS!!

CALICO ROCK

Representatives from the Calico Rock Lions Club and the Calico Rock Organization for Revitalization Efforts came together and presented checks in the amount of \$250 each in support of the Izard County chapter of the Single Parent Scholarship Fund program. As the state level program matches county chapter donations dollar-for-dollar the program will actually realize \$1000 in available funds for distribution as scholarship awards to eligible Izard County applicants.



Single Parent Scholarship Fund donation presentation included (from left to right) Rich Fischer, CORE president; Laura Lawrence, Izard County chapter secretary; Josh Wilson, Izard County chapter vice chair; and John Yutsus, Calico Rock Lions club immediate past president.

MARIANNA CHARTER NIGHT



Marianna Lions Club members

DG Stan presenting President Millie Hill with Club Charter



Brad Baker, speaker

MD7 GLT CORNER



It may be incredibly hot outside but that doesn't hinder our District GLTs from getting down to business. We would like to thank PDG Wanda Barnett and Lion Brad Baker for their years of service as their District GLTs. They have done an outstanding job and will be missed. We are excited to welcome our two new team members, PCC Earline Hankins (7O) and PCC Matt Webber (7N) to our GLT team. All of the GLTs have been busy hosting numerous Zone, Officer and Leadership trainings across the state.

Our Vice District Governors are also busy preparing for their upcoming training. We are again partnering with our MO counterparts and our VDG's will be participating in virtual training on Aug. 24th and August 26th. They will be attending our first face to face meeting of the new Lion year on October 10th in Lonoke. I would like to thank all the presenters for our first training in Lonoke (CC Angela Smith, PDG Phyliss Fry, PDG Eric Edwards, and 7L GLT Dr. Claudia Griffin). We have applied for MD GLT funding again this year. Hopefully we will hear some good news soon.

I am looking forward to serving as MD7 GLT again this year. We are always opened up to any suggestions that you may have concerning any training opportunities that are scheduled or additional training that you would like to see in the future.

An honor to serve,

*PDG Leanna
MD7 GLT*



DISTRICT 7-I CONVENTION

SEPTEMBER 11 & 12 2015

THE SHEID

ASU MOUNTAIN HOME

1600 South College Street Mountain Home

<http://www.thesheid.com/>



(A) Name:			
<input type="checkbox"/> Lion	<input type="checkbox"/> Lioness	<input type="checkbox"/> Leo	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Member
(B) Name:			
<input type="checkbox"/> Lion	<input type="checkbox"/> Lioness	<input type="checkbox"/> Leo	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Member
Club Name:		Office Held (if applicable)	
Your Mailing Address:		e-mail:	
Home ()		Business ()	
<p>REGISTRATION FEE: All attendees must pay full registration fee.. Individual meal tickets will NOT be available. Includes meal and program Friday night and Banquet and Speaker ID Linda Tincher on Saturday. Friday night is Country Western Night, dress is casual (jeans, boots hats) Dinner will begin at 6:00 pm Guest Speaker Friday Night will be PDG Vern Tincher Hotels are the participant's responsibility.</p> <p>IF YOU HAVE A NUT ALLERGY PLEASE CHECK HERE>>>>>> <input type="radio"/></p>			
Postmarked by:	<u>08/30/15</u>	<u>08/31/15 or later</u>	<u>First Timer</u>
(A)	\$40.00	\$45.00	\$30.00
(B)	\$40.00	\$45.00	\$30.00
Amount Due:	\$	\$	\$

Make checks payable to: DISTRICT 7-I LIONS

Mail to: DISTRICT CONVENTION CHAIR

**JENNIFER CAREY
347 WEHMEYER LOOP
MOUNTAIN HOME AR 72653
angelmom72653@hotmail.com
870-321-3054**



District 7 - 0



Convention



[Home Page](#)

[for directions, and registration/delegate forms scroll all the way to the bottom](#)

WHEN AND WHERE

BINGO FUN NIGHT (details below)

October 23rd

Holiday Inn Express
1350 Southridge Pkwy
Heber Springs, AR

(Special \$89 room rate, call (501) 887-9500 ask for the LIONS rate)

CONVENTION

October 24th

9:00 a.m.

ASU Campus
101 Rivercrest
Heber Springs, AR



Your convention host club (Heber Springs Lions), will sponsor a "BINGO FUN NIGHT" with free snacks and free Bingo on Friday, October 23rd from 6:30-8:00 p.m., at the Holiday Inn Express. This is included in your registration. (make room reservations before Oct. 18th)

Convention registration will be from 8:15 to 9 a.m. Saturday. Convention begins at 9 a.m.

THERE ARE MORE DETAILS BELOW SO:

1. Click [here](#) to fill in a registration form.
2. Click [here](#) to fill in a delegate certification form.
3. AND for specific directions from your location to fun night at the Holiday Inn Express, click [HERE](#)". OR for specific directions from your location to the convention at the ASU Campus, click [HERE](#)". When you see the map, click on "directions". Then where the cursor is blinking (**by the little black circle**) type in your complete starting address (including city and state) and press enter. Directions will be shown.



SERVING THOSE WHO CANNOT **SERVE THEMSELVES**

Plan now to attend the

2015 Arkansas Lions

Multiple District 7L Convention

Friday and Saturday, October 30 & 31, 2015

HAMBURGERS PREPARED BY THE

PRESCOTT LIONS CLUB

**SING AND DANCE TO MUSIC OF THE “MOTOWN” ERA
AT HISTORIC WASHINGTON STATE PARK’S WPA GYM**

Washington, Arkansas

Tours of the Park Available – All day Friday

SATURDAY

Come and exchange ideas and learn new skills and strategies

HEAR KEYNOTE SPEAKER

PAST INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR



HOWARD JINKINS

From Columbus, Mississippi

Saturday's Meeting

at the University of Arkansas Experiment Station

Hope, Arkansas

2015 District 7N Convention

Dignity.
Harmony.
Humanity.



November 6—7
Wyndham Riverfront Hotel
2 Riverfront Place
North Little Rock, Arkansas



The ABCs of Lionism



Entertainment by the
Award Winning
Diamond State Barbershop
Chorus
Of Little Rock

Friday Night Entertainment
Treble in the Village Quartet
from the Top of the Rock
Sweet Adelines Chorus of Little Rock



ABCs of Lionism
Breakout Sessions
LCIF
Protocol
Constitution
Centennial Service Challenge
7N Academy