

MARCH 2023

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Lions Talkin' District 25C



From the Desk of DG Bob Hrdy

Whew! District C convention is in the books! I think it was a great success. I want to thank everyone who attended and especially everyone who worked behind the scenes. A special shout out to PDG Pat Short, Convention Chair Extraordinaire and PDG Tom Robbins for emceeing the “Bob & Tom show”

I want to thank ID Debra and Lion Ron for sharing their time and insights with our District as well as PID Nick & Lion Gretchen Xinopoulos for acting as co-hosts for the weekend.

We had a very interesting trip to Wolf Park then lunch at the Buttery Shelf in Lafayette followed by our service project – sorting oranges at Food Finders Food Bank- (I believe Team Ron came out the winner) The day ended with a dessert reception at the Whittaker Inn where District leadership had an opportunity to mix and mingle.

Thanks to our hosts at the Whittaker INN for a great stay. They were wonderful to work with accommodating all our needs.

The Silent Auction at the convention was successful thanks to the efforts of Lion Gail Robbins and her team. We could not have raised over \$3000 without their efforts. This will be split between Leader Dogs for the Blind and LCIF.

In February we had the pleasure of visiting with members of: Young America, Battleground, Mooresville; and Jamestown Community Lions Club. We were impressed with the ways they are serving in their communities. In March we will have another busy month with many Club Visits – if you have not scheduled a Visit with me – please reach out. The Club visits are the part I enjoy the most about my DG role.

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On a personal note – we kicked off March with a visit to New Hampshire, to celebrate the 1st birthday of our 3rd grandchild – 1st Grandson: Adam. What a blessing we could be there for his first steps too!

Here are some upcoming things to be aware of:

- State Convention May 12-14 in Bloomington; International President Brian Sheehan is our Keynote Speaker
- 4th Cabinet meeting will be held during the District Caucus at the State Convention
- Prepare for LCI software upgrade – in June. Make sure all of your members data is entered correctly. If you need help reach out to our District Administrator Lion Gretchen Xinopoulos.
- Lions International Convention in Boston July 7-11. This is a great opportunity to meet Lions from around the world.

Yours in Lionism

DG Bob Hrdy

DG Bob Hrdy and Lion Vicky at District 25 C convention
(Photo credit Bob Ford)



Lafayette Lions



Lion Veronica Pickens received her 2 Member Key presented by PDG Charlie Short

(Photo credit: PDG Pat Short)

District 25D

PDG Charlie Short updating District 25G Lions on status of new club start up in Muncie at their Cabinet meeting on February 4 in Tipton, Indiana.

(Photo credit: PDG Pat Short)



Brazil Lions



Our Brazil Lions Club vision screening with Lora Fenwick, Vickie Wheeler And Kathy White. Not pictured Max Short.

(Photo credit: unknown)

Plainfield Lions

The five Plainfield elementary schools made 755 valentine cards for the Plainfield Lions to distribute to surrounding senior living facilities (Sugar Grove Senior Living Facility, The Oaks at Plainfield, Plainfield Health Care Center, Cumberland Trace, and Glasswater Creek) by Club members. This is just one of the many service projects the Plainfield Lions Club and Plainfield Elementary Schools take great pride in.

(Photo provided by Worth Donaldson)



Zionsville Lions



Zionsville Lions Club Environmental Committee took a tour of the REPUBLIC SERVICES INDIAN-APOLIS. The committee was guided around the 25 TPH Residential Single Stream Recycling System. They would encourage groups to take this eye opening tour and see how committed Republic is to the recycling stream.

(photo credit Gail Robbins)



District C Silent Auction

Thank you , Thank you , Thank you

The Success of a Silent Auction is only as good as the people in the District that bring items to bid on. Then if all the guest realize that to bid on an item and win, is actually to make a donation and actually get something to take home !

Congratulations District C for your support to your District Governor Bob Nrdy in making his Silent Auction a success by donating \$3,027 !

Gail Robbins, Silent Auction Chair



Display tables of just a few of the silent auction items available.

(Photo credit Bob Ford)

A Message from 1st Vice District Governor Patti Foxx

Hello Everyone!!!

What an awesome 25C Convention!!! Everything was so nice and to hear from International Director Debra Weaverling and her husband Lion Ron. If you miss it then planned on coming to next year convention which is February 24, 2024. I was even surprised to receive the International President Certificate of Appreciation Award from ID Debra. Thank you very much!! I also received from District Governor Bob Hrdy Certificate of Appreciation award. Thank you so much. Go Team C.

I also been working on my Team C for next year and still have a few openings that need to be filled. The following are:

2VDG – WHO IS READY TO STEP UP ???

Zone 3 which cover the Clubs of Brownsburg Colfax, Crawfordsville, Frankfort, Jamestown Comm., Ladoga, Lebanon, Lizton, Michigantown, Rossville Area, Thorntown, Whitestown, and Zionsville. WHO WOULD LIKE TO KEEP ME INFORMED OF ALL THESE CLUBS!!!!

The following District Committee Chairs Environmental and Law Camp. So, call, email or text me!!!!

Serving With A smile.

Patti Foxx

1VDG 25-C

DGE training at St Charles

(photo provided by 1VDG Patti Foxx)



A Message from 2nd Vice District Governor John Waymire

Hello Fellow Lions of 25 C,

Welcome to Spring! And Spring means that many clubs are getting back to the reason they became Lions – to Serve. Spring is a time of renewal and new growth. A time to renew our beliefs that Lions Serve and have Fun doing it.

District 25 C Convention is behind us and I hope, you had the opportunity to participate in the many activities that make our district great. Even more exciting and more fun is the MD 25 State Convention in Bloomington from Friday, May 12 to Sunday, May 14th. One featured event is a presentation of the Monroe County Limestone works. The State Convention also includes other presentations, dinners, conferences, service projects, and golf. A special convention highlight is keynote speaker International President Brian Sheehan and Lion Lori hailing from Bird Island, MN. (Where the hell is Bird Island? Google it.) President Sheehan is an exciting and dynamic speaker. Having an International President at our convention is a tribute to Indiana Lions and worth every penny of the registration fee. You may register at www.indianalionsconvention.org. Registration forms must be postmarked by April 30, 2023.

Lions Club secretaries continue to report MMR (which only takes a couple of clicks in MyLCI) and SAR (which takes a few more clicks in MyLion).

Lastly, as your 2nd VDG, my goal is to help all 25C Lions Clubs be the best club they can be. You can help me with this goal by inviting me to your meetings, projects and fundraisers. Only by interacting with your club and your officers will I get to know District C Lions better and in turn be a better VDG.

Together We Can – Together We Will

Vision Through Darkness

John Waymire



A Message from Cabinet Treasurer Karen McKellar



Nonprofit Tax Changes for 2022-2023

Dear Customer,

You are receiving this email because you filed an NP-20A or NP-20.

The Indiana General Assembly recently passed new legislation affecting nonprofit organizations, including:

- Revising the filing frequency for [Form NP-20](#), Nonprofit Organization's Annual Report, from annually to every five years.
 - You will need to file [Form NP-20](#) for tax year 2021 in 2022 to qualify for the new filing frequency.
 - After 2022, the due date for the new Form NP-20R, Nonprofit Organization's Report, is based on the last two digits of your organization's federal employer identification number (FEIN).
 - Form NP-20R will be due on:
 - May 15, 2024, if the organization does not have a FEIN or if the organization's FEIN ends in 00 through 24.
 - May 15, 2025, if the organization's FEIN ends in 25 through 49.
 - May 15, 2026, if the organization's FEIN ends in 50 through 74.
 - May 15, 2027, if the organization's FEIN ends in 75 through 99.
 - After the date shown above, your organization must file Form NP-20R by May 15 every **fifth year**.
 - You still need to file [Form IT-20NP](#), Indiana Nonprofit Organization Unrelated Business Income Tax Return, for each year in which your organization has unrelated business income (as defined under Internal Revenue Code Section 513) of \$1,000 or more.
 - You will not need to file Form NP-20 in 2023 for the 2022 calendar year. Fiscal year filers who file Form NP-20 for a fiscal year ending after July 31, 2022, will not need to file an NP-20 during the 2023 calendar year.
- Beginning Jan. 1, 2023, exemption certificates will no longer be mailed and will be available only through INTIME.
 - You should no longer use Form ST-105 because the option for nonprofits will be removed. You will need to go through INTIME to request Form NP-1 as a replacement for Form ST-105. (Previously issued ST-105s will remain valid.)
 - Nonprofits that are not registered for INTIME, DOR's e-services portal, will need to create an INTIME account to access their exemption certificates. Instructions on creating an INTIME logon are available through [DOR's website](#).
- Effective July 1, 2022, nonprofits must collect state gross retail sales tax after exceeding \$20,000 in sales during a calendar year.
 - This includes sales made by all units operating under the organization's registration with DOR.

For more information, see the [Nonprofit Tax Forms](#) page on DOR's website, dor.in.gov.

Sincerely,

Indiana Department of Revenue

A Message from ISBVI



ISBVI WORKDAY

ISBVI WORKDAY IS BACK ON TRACK AFTER AN ABSENCE DUE TO COVID.

This is an opportunity to show others our motto WE SERVE.



INDIANA SCHOOL for the BLIND and VISUALLY IMPAIRED will once again start up its annual workday for Lions and anyone that wants to participate. This event is held at the school in the spring on the weekend before graduation. Coffee and donuts along with lunch will be provided. If you want to bring a covered dish to share that would be appreciated. This event is free we will not be asking for donations or hitting you up for funds. All we need is your help to clean windows, pick up grounds, pull some weeds in main entrance flower beds and maybe place some bark chips in playground areas. We give certificates to any college or high school student that helps this certificate will look good on a college application form or job interview resume. Work starts at 8:30 am with registration and donuts/coffee (of course) Work hours 9am- 1pm. Lunch 1pm (provided by the school)

After lunch tour of school for those interested. (This is worth taking)

After lunch Afternoon work session until done or you are worn out.

Event will be Saturday, MAY 20th 2023.

If interested contact your ISBVI District Trustee or contact

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

This is your Indiana's Lions State Project

A Message from Cancer Control Project

Cancer Control Project Expanding to Address Childhood Cancer



For more than 75 years, Indiana Lions have supported cancer treatment, research, and education through our partnership between the Lions Cancer Control Fund of Indiana, Inc. and the Department of Radiation Oncology at the Indiana University Medical Center campus in Indianapolis. The department serves cancer patients of all ages, but the vast majority of the patients are adults.

In order to better serve pediatric cancer patients in Indiana, the Board of Trustees of the Lions Cancer Control Fund of Indiana, Inc. has voted unanimously to establish a partnership with the pediatric oncology programs at Riley Hospital for Children. We will kick off this partnership with a \$25,000 commitment to support ongoing research by Dr. Jennifer Belsky and her team at Riley to address severe neuropathy experienced by more than 50 percent of the children undergoing chemotherapy.



We look forward to this new partnership with Riley Hospital for Children, even as we continue our long-standing relationship with the Department of Radiation Oncology.

If you would like to learn more about the Lions Cancer Control Fund of Indiana, Inc., please contact one of your district's Cancer Control Fund trustees. Their names and contact information are listed below.

District 25-C Cancer Control Fund Trustees:

Lion Susan Bowron-White
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caranddia@gmail.com

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Rossville, IN 46065
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mellross@mintel.net

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Spencer, IN 47460
(H) 812-829-4496
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jpmq77@yahoo.com

District 25 C Convention

(Photo credit Bob Ford)





LAND of LAKES LIONS ANNUAL EYEGLASS SORTING

Where: VFW in Angola

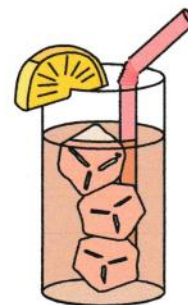
When: Tuesday, March 14, 2023

Menu: Chili and Drinks \$6.00

It is time for our annual recycling evening at the VFW.

Wear old clothing and expect to be busy.

We have several glasses to sort.



A Message from Emergency Preparedness and Disaster Assistance Committee

New Tools for Disaster Assistance

John Wilkins, Chair, Emergency Preparedness and Disaster Assistance Committee

When natural disasters strike, Lions are among the first to offer help. LCIF offers a variety of grant options to support various stages of disaster relief operations and these are detailed at <https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/start-our-approach/grant-types/disaster-grants>. The Emergency Preparedness and Disaster Assistance Committee is excited to announce two additional tools for Indiana Lions to help those impacted by a disaster to complement what is available through the LCIF. Earlier this year, the Indiana Lions Foundation announced the creation of disaster assistance grants. These grants, not to exceed \$1,000, are for Districts impacted by a natural disaster that has affected at least 100 people. Grant applications must be made by the District Governor of the affected area within 30 days of the occurrence with funds spent within 30 days of receipt of funds and may be used to help meet immediate relief needs such as food, water, clothing and medical supplies. The second new tool is the Lions of Indiana being admitted to a statewide disaster assistance consortium called Indiana Volunteer Organizations Active in Disasters (IVOAD.) The Indiana VOAD consists of approximately forty not-for-profit organizations committed to providing disaster assistance. Being a part of this consortium, which meets monthly, will allow us to coordinate our disaster assistance efforts in a focused way and help us avoid duplicating what other volunteer organizations may be providing. The VOAD has asked Lions to consider assisting in the area of case management. This would involve assisting victims of disasters who have suffered property loss to put their lives back together by assisting with filing insurance claims, applying for disaster loans, arranging for repairs to their property and other assistance as may be needed. If this kind of people-helping opportunity appeals to you, we are scheduling a 90 minute online webinar to provide an overview of what his commitment would be. There is no obligation beyond this webinar as individual Lions can decide if this opportunity is something they want to pursue or not. If you would like to participate in this webinar, please send an email to John Wilkins at jw6222@earthlink.net



Indiana Lions Mid-Winter Conference



Opportunities for Learning

**It's not too early to
start planning for
2024.**

**Mark your calendar
now for the 2024
Mid-Winter
Conference.**



Opportunities for Service



Opportunities for Fellowship

**Crowne Plaza Indianapolis Airport
January 19-20, 2024**



District 25 C Convention

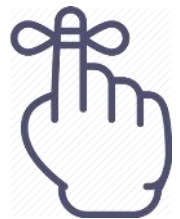
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March 2023

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DG Bob Hrdy is scheduling to attend club meeting now. If you have a particular date in mind, reach out ASAP to schedule.

dg.25c@inlions.org



April 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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Photos from 25 C Convention



*(All photos credit
to Bob Ford)*



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Indiana Lions State Convention

Bloomington/Monroe County Convention Center

Bloomington, Indiana

May 12-14, 2023



Special Guests

International President

Brian Sheehan & Lion Lori

Your State Convention Needs You



The Indiana Lions State Convention which will be held in Bloomington, May 12th through 14th, needs your help. We would like every club to donate an item for the Silent Auction. The International President will determine where the money will go. IP Brian is a penguin guy so he or his wife may possibly bid on an item or two.

Please assist if you can. You can contact me for more information at clermontlionlady58@yahoo.com or by calling me at 317-271-3314.

Thank you,

Lion Cheri Faulkner

Indiana Lions State Convention News

International President to Speak at State Convention



Lions Clubs International President Brian Sheehan and Lion Lori will be our guests at the 2023 Indiana Lions State Convention, to be held in Bloomington, Indiana, May 12-14, 2023.

President Sheehan was elected to serve as international president of Lions Clubs International at the association's 104th International Convention, June 22 through June 28, 2022.

President Sheehan is the founder and CEO of Rural Computer Consultants, a software development company.

A member of the Bird Island Lions Club since 1991, he has held many offices within the association, and has received numerous awards in recognition of his service to the association. In addition to his Lions activities, President Sheehan is active in numerous professional and community organizations.

President Sheehan and his wife, Lori, also a Lion and Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow, have two sons and two daughters. And in their spare time, they have enjoyed raising many types of exotic animals.

A Message From State Convention Co-Chairs PDG Mark Clark & PDG Gary Ochs



TOGETHER WE WILL (IN BLOOMINGTON IN MAY, 11-14, 2023)

PDG Gary Ochs and I want to give EVERY Lion a personal invitation to attend the 102nd 2023 Indiana Lions State Convention in Bloomington, Indiana on May 11-14 -2023. All Lions will have a great opportunity to meet other Lions, hear great speakers, attend wonderful seminars and learn what wonderful things that the Lions are doing across the State of Indiana. But for one especial reason to come to the convention, you will have the opportunity to meet one particular Lion, OUR INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT BRIAN SHEEHAN. President Brian and his wife, Lion

Lori, will be the special guests of Indiana Lions and will be traveling to Indiana just TO MEET YOU, HEAR FROM YOU, AND TO GET YOUR INPUT FOR THE BETTERMENT OF LIONS.

The convention will start on Friday, May 12, 2023. You can come into Bloomington and stay at either the Courtyard at the Monroe County Convention Center or at the Hyatt Place on Kirkwood. Both of those hotels have blocks of rooms reserved for the Lions at rates that you will not want to pass up. See the registration form for the specific details to register with the block reserved from the Lions.

On Friday morning, there will be a presentation in the Monroe County Convention Center on the limestone industry of Lawrence and Monroe Counties. This industry has in the past provided the limestone for major monuments and buildings in Washington DC as well as in numerous states and countries. We will have a special speaker from Bloomington to make this presentation to the Lions. This will be given on Friday morning at 9:00 am, so you will want to plan to attend this event.

Friday night the Ellettsville Lions will be sponsoring a bar-b-q dinner with the High Sierra band performing at the Monroe County Fairgrounds. This will take place prior to the first general business session of the convention at the convention center. The dinner will be sure to be a good time to catch up with old friends and make new friends over great food and music. The first business session will be the official beginning of the convention.

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Indiana Lions State Convention News

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Saturday is filled with the district caucuses, vendors, exhibits, the second general business session, seminars, and the ALL STATE BANQUET. See the full schedule of events for the convention at www.indianalionsconvention.org. Not only will we have the keynote address from IP Brian, but he will lead a seminar at 1:30 in the afternoon and his wife, Lion Lori, will lead a seminar at 2:30 pm. But make sure to plan to attend the All State Banquet to enjoy the presentation from the INDIANA SINGING HOOSIERS that will perform during our dinner meal. This will be a great performance given just for the Indiana Lions.

Sunday will be a special day of remembrance for those Lions whom we have lost in the past year. PDG Newell Clifton and his wife Lion Judy, will lead the memorial service and help us remember those we cherish for their past service. The brunch will fill you up and we will conclude the convention with the third business session. At the end of the third business session all the ladies will receive a gift for attending the convention on Mother's Day.

All in all, the convention will be a busy and exciting time for the Lions of Indiana. Make plans now to attend in Bloomington and have a great experience being a Lion. We both look forward to seeing you in May.

See you then,

PDG Mark Clark & PDG Gary Ochs.

Donations Wanted for Silent Auction!



The Indiana Lions State Convention is quickly approaching. The Convention Committee is asking for silent auction items to help achieve our mission of providing relief to those in need. We can use items unique to your geographic locations. Perhaps there are very talented members in your local clubs that love to craft. And...who can't use a spa/relaxation treatment, or maybe a movie night would interest people. Please bring your auction items to the Convention Center. If you know in advance what you are bringing, contact me and I will prepare a bid sheet for each item.

Thank you in advance. If you have any questions, please contact Lion Cheri Faulkner at 317-271-3314, via text or voicemail or you can email me at clermontlionlady58@yahoo.com.

Lion Cheri Faulkner, Silent Auction Chair for the Indiana Lions State Convention.

Indiana Lions State Convention

Bloomington/Monroe County Convention Center

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International President

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2023 Indiana Lions 102nd State Convention

Hosted by District 25E

May 12,13,14, 2023



Bloomington/Monroe County Convention Center

with special guests: International President Brian Sheehan and Lion Lori

PLEASE RESERVE YOUR OWN LODGING BY APRIL 11, 2023

Courtyard by Marriott Convention Hotel (attached to Convention Center)

310 South College Avenue, Bloomington, IN 47401 (Free Parking available at Convention Center)

Room Rate: \$109.00 per night, plus tax, until April 11, 2023.

Call 1-812-335-8000 for Reservations and mention LIONS CLUB 2023 in making the reservation

Hyatt Place Hotel: 217 S. Kirkwood Avenue, \$119 per night w/ breakfast

Hyatt Hotel does charge for parking; 1 ½ block north of Convention Center & free parking

Call 812-339-5950 and use block code LION for the reservation.

Come and visit several Lions project tables and related booths including a USA/Canada Forum apparel vendor.

Friday Golf Outing to be at Stonecrest Golf Club – 18 holes at \$39. Meet in the hotel lobby.

Scooter rental is \$120 for Friday thru Sunday.

Friday, May 12th 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM, MONROE COUNTY LIMESTONE PRESENTATION

Registration Form (one per person)

Register Online and pay with PayPal: www.indianalionsconvention.org

Deadline: All Registration Forms must be postmarked by April 30, 2023.

Please print name/Lions Title as desired on name badge:

Name and Lion Title: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

District: _____ Club: _____ Email: _____

Is this your FIRST Indiana Lions State Convention (circle one) **Yes** **No**

Attend the Friday morning Monroe County Limestone Presentation (circle one) **Yes** **No**

Friday Evening BBO Dinner at Monroe County Fairground Sponsored by Ellettsville Lions Club

Choose pulled pork: _____ or pulled chicken: _____ \$ 18.00= _____

Saturday Lunch: sandwich bar: chips, seasonal fresh fruit, pickle spear & drink

Choose warm beef & swiss sub w/ lettuce & tomato: _____ \$ 20.00 = _____

Or grilled ham & cheese on sourdough bread: _____

Saturday Night Banquet: Choose 1 Entrée below

Choose: citrus glazed pork chop _____ mushroom chopped steak _____ \$ 28.00 = _____

Sunday Brunch: fried chicken, scrambled eggs, fresh fruit, bacon, french toast \$ 20.00 = _____

Saturday Strides Walk T-shirt Size (S to 3XL, other) _____ \$ 18.00 = _____

2023 Indiana Convention Pin \$ 4.00 = _____

Scooter Rent (Friday thru Sunday) \$120.00 = _____

Total Registration Paid: \$ _____

Special dietary needs, list here: _____

Mail this Registration Form and Your Check, payable to
Indiana Lions State Convention 2023 to
CT Debbie Ellis, 8262 East Center Road, Sullivan, IN. 47882
Contact Info: 1-812-798-2096 or ellisdebbie259@gmail.com

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING 2023 STATE CONVENTION

FREE SOUVENIR COFFEE MUGS



THANKS TO A NEW SPONSOR FOR THE
2023 STATE CONVENTION
THE FIRST 200 REGISTRANTS FOR
THE STATE CONVENTION WILL
RECEIVE A SOUVENIR COFFEE MUG
UPON THEIR ARRIVAL AT
BLOOMINGTON.

WE HAVE 61 REGISTRANTS ALREADY,
SO MAIL YOUR REGISTRATION INTO
CT DEBBIE ELLIS **RIGHT NOW.**

CT DEBHORAH ELLIS

8262 Center Road

Sullivan, In. 47882.

2023 Indiana Lions 102nd State Convention Schedule

Friday May 12th

9:00 am-11:00.am Welcome to Monroe County Limestone Quarries Presentation in Bloomington Indiana. Enjoy a historic limestone slideshow presentation with Duncan Campbell, an experienced preservationist with a passion for limestone. During the presentation you will learn about the deep history and heritage of the world-renowned limestone industry that exists in Monroe County and nearby Lawrence County, Indiana. Campbell's presentation will last approximately one hour. A special 2023 Convention limestone gift will be presented to you for attending.

9:00am	Golf Outing	Courtyard Lobby
9am-6pm	Convention Committee Staging / Break	Cook Group West
9am-11am	Monroe County Limestone Quarries Presentation	Cook Group East
9am-noon	Exhibits setup	Olcott Young/Upstairs Hall
9am-noon	Silent Auction setup	Convention Hall Lobby
9am-noon	Blue Frog Vendor setup	Finch Room
9am-noon	Registration Table Setup	Information Desk
Noon-5pm	Registration open	Information Desk
Noon-5pm	Exhibits open	Olcott Young/Upstairs Hall
Noon-5pm	Silent Auction open	Convention Hall Lobby
Noon-5pm	Blue Frog Vendor (LCI Apparel vendor)	Finch Room
1pm-2:30pm	Cabinet Secretary Training	Ralph Rogers
2pm-4pm	Service Project	Zebendon/Hansen
2:30-3pm	Credentials Committee Meeting	Ralph Rogers
3pm-5pm	Credentials open	Lobby
5:00-7:30pm	BBQ at the Monroe County Fair Grounds	Fair Grounds
7:30-8:30pm	General Session #1	Duke Energy East/West
15 minutes after General Session	Hospitality	Hospitality Area in Hotel

Saturday May 13th

8am-4pm	Registration open	Information Desk
8am-4pm	Exhibits open	Olcott Young/Upstairs Hall
8am-3pm	Silent Auction open	Convention Hall Lobby
8am-5pm	Blue Frog Vendor	Finch Room
8:00-9:00	District A	Cook Group West
	District B	Cook Group East
	District C	Zebendon
	District D	Hansen
	District E	Duke Energy West
	District F	Duke Energy East
	District G	Ralph Rogers
9:00am-4pm	Credentials open	Lobby
9:15am-10:00	Strides Walk	Back Parking Lot
10am-11am	Leader Dog Quarterly Meeting	Ralph Rogers
10:30-11:45am	General Session #2	Duke Energy East/West
11:55-1:15pm	Awards Luncheon	Great Room

2023 Indiana Lions 102nd State Convention Schedule

Afternoon Seminars First Session: 1:30 pm to 2:20 pm

1:30-2:20pm	Seminar #1 "Together We Can, Together We Will" with IP Brian Sheehan For Club Presidents and Vice Presidents (Everyone Welcome)	Duke Energy West Room
1:30-2:20pm	Seminar #2 Indiana Lions Foundation and Holding Corp. Presented by PDG Don Cooper	Hansen Room
1:30-2:20pm	Seminar #3 Indiana Lions Speech and Hearing Inc. Presented by PDG Alan Arnold	Cook Group East Room
1:30-2:20pm	Seminar #4 Indiana School for the Blind and Visually Impaired. Presented by PDG Connie Roe	Cook Group West Room
1:30-2:20pm	Seminar #5 Indiana Lions Leader Dogs for the Blind Presented by Lion Pauline Ulrey	Ralph Rogers

Afternoon Seminars Second Session: 2:30 pm to 3:20 pm

2:30-3:20pm	Seminar #6 Lions in Motion and LCIF Presented by Lion Lori Sheehan and PDG Ken Faulkner	Duke Energy West Room
2:30-3:20pm	Seminar #7 How to add new members into your Club Presented by PDG Charlie Short	Hansen Room
2:30-3:20pm	Seminar #8 Indiana Lions Cancer Control Fund Presented by Lion Bev Coombs	Cook Group East Room
2:30-3:20pm	Seminar #9 VisionFirst Indiana Lions Eye Bank Presented by PDG Kevin Roe	Cook Group West Room

3:30-4:00pm	PDG meeting	Cook Group East Room
5:15-5:45pm	Receiving Line prep (Council, IP, & PIDs)	Cook Group West
5:45-6:45pm	Receiving Line	Outside Great Room
6:45-7:00pm	Introductions	Great Room (Spotlight)
7:00pm	Welcome and Opening	Great Room
7:15pm	Begin Serve Dinner	Great Room
7:15-7:50pm	the "Singing Hoosiers" Perform	Great Room
7:55pm	Formal Introduction of IP Brian Sheehan	Great Room
8pm	Keynote Speaker and Awards	Great Room
15 minutes after All State Banquet	Hospitality	Hospitality Area in Hotel

Sunday May 14th

6-7am	Credential Committee Breakfast (not on printed schedule)	Ralph Rogers Room
8am-noon	Blue Frog Vendor	Finch Room
8am-10am	Voting	Hansen Room
9am-noon	Exhibits open (if they choose to open)	Olcott Young
9am-10am	Memorial Service	Duke Energy East/West
10:30-noon	Key Member Brunch/Keynote Speaker "Mother's Day Presentation at Brunch"	Great Room
12:30-1:30pm	General Session #3	Duke Energy East/West
1:45pm	Council Meeting	Zebendon/Hansen



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2023 Indiana Lions State Convention

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May 12-14, 2023

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In Remembrance



Honoring those that have Served in District C and now left us. The touching Memory Service was presented by Reverend Jennifer Drapalik (not pictured) . 1st VDG Elect John Waymire and DG Elect Patti Foxx assisted.

PDG William Birk

Lion Dale Peiffer

Lion Don McCain

Lion Jackie Berry

Lion Norv Gotulla

Lion Charlie Simon

Lion Jane Beck

Lion Donald Sedwick

Lion Thomas Stierwalt

PDG James Randle

Lion Nancy Rice

Lion Guthrie Carr

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Lion Virginia Elkins

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Lion Cecelia Stiles

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Lion Benny Redding

Lion George Tikijian



DISTRICT 25-C NEWSLETTER
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Hello District 25-c and friends. Thank you for putting your faith and confidence in me to send out a timely and informative newsletter.

Thank you so much for submitting your clubs news articles and photos. They are greatly appreciated and I will do my best to include each and every one. Keep them coming!! I kindly ask that you have a brief description of what the photo depicts and perhaps the names of anyone in the photo. I also like to give credit to those behind the lens—the photographer!

Also, if there is anything you would like to see added or removed from the newsletter, please share that as well.

FINN'S TALE

What a month.... ending up with our District Convention on February 25 here in Lafayette. I felt so proud to be part of the Hrdy Team! I'm extremely proud of your DG (Bob) and wife (Vicky) and how warmly they were received.

As the Lafayette Lions meet at the Arts Federation location for their 2 meetings each month, I am familiar with it, but to see it full of Lions was exciting.... Lions from our district clubs and surrounding districts too! All are great people giving time and energy to help others. I, for one, understand how it feels to be there for others (in my case, Bob). It sure does feel good every day. Just wish more people got up every morning with this feeling.

Intl Director Debra Weaverling and her husband, Lion Ron were lots of fun and full enthusiasm for Lions. They were both very interested in what you are all doing.

I heard that the convention attendees really pulled it out for the silent auction with about \$1,520 being allocated to Leader Dogs. Big WOOF from me.

I attended both seminars - Lion Ron's on "Groupthink in Lions" and Lion Vicky's "How six days changed my life." I was surprised to listen to Lion Vicky's talk about the impact of the arrival of Bob's 1st Leader Dog on her life. I'm not Bob's 1st Leader dog so never thought about this. I now have a greater respect for Vicky and want her to know that we share the same goal.....to make Bob's life as safe and easy as possible. I love her just as much as Bob. He needs me more every day, but she is always there for us both. And, they even bought me a new van so I could be more comfortable when visiting clubs. How thoughtful!

By the way, thanks to all those Lions who brought candy bars to the District Convention for both Bob and me. I gave him the sweet chocolate ones but kept the dog cookies!



**Lion Leader Dog Finn
Team Hrdy**