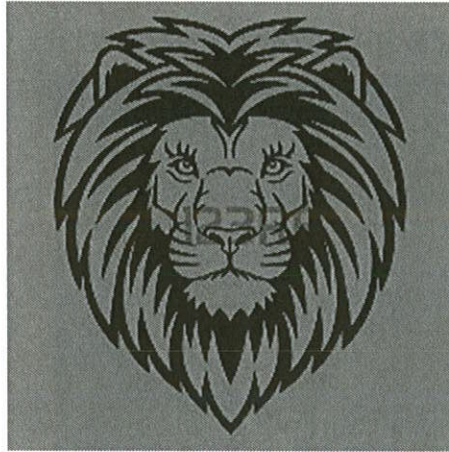


DISTRICT 25B NEWS LETTER

July, 2015



From DG Kens Desk

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With the International Convention behind me and the fun and special friends I met there, my year as your governor has just begun. I look forward to the work and the challenges this job provides. We will begin with a banner night on August 1st, at Cosmos Restaurant; everyone is invited. Bring your club banner and enjoy the food and friends. The address is 9807 Lima Rd., Fort Wayne, In.46818. Linda Tincher will be our guest speaker. She has a lot of travels behind her and she will bring a special insight on Lionism. The restaurant will have special hours for us. They will reopen at 4:00PM to 7:00PM for my Banner Night so we will have the whole building to fill. I've keep the cost down to \$14.00 per person. Will you help fill up the place and make it a memorable occasion?

The first cabinet meeting will be on August 16th at Pokagon State Park, starting at 9:00 am. Pick out your spot in the shelter; use the lake, enjoy swimming, fishing and other water sports. Also there is a nature center which you might enjoy. I have asked everyone to bring their own picnic lunch and drinks to keep costs down. Except for the park entrance fee of \$7.00 per car, this cabinet meeting will be a low cost affair. This meeting start at 12:00 p.m. and will have a first ever for our district; a club merger. Both the Rome City Lions and the Brimfield Lions will become a merged club; the resolution will create the Brimfield/Rome City Lions Club.

My news letter will NOT be about me your District Governor but about YOU and YOUR CLUB. So with that said I encourage each club to submit photos and stories about your club and the service projects you are involved in. Send them to our news letter editor Carrie Warble at lion_carrie81@yahoo.com At the end of the year I will pick a memorable story with photos for a special award. Get busy; have your P.R. person take pictures, and write interesting stories about your club and the projects you are involved in. May the best club win!

DG Ken Krauter

2015-2016 INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT'S THEME

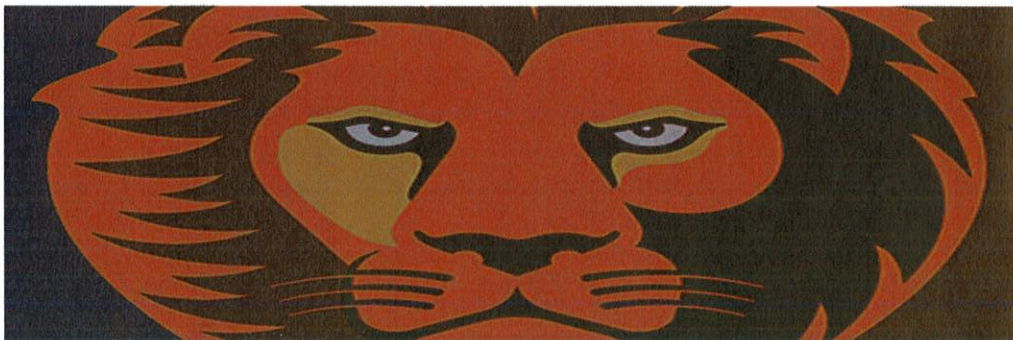
DIGNITY. HARMONY. HUMANITY



International President Dr. Jitsuhiro Yamada is encouraging lions around the world to bring dignity to others through service. Visit the President's theme page to meet Dr. Yamada, download his presidential theme and find innovative tools to get your club performing at its highest level. Find out how you can help bring dignity and harmony to humanity today!

Strengthen Your Commitment to Children - Host a Symposium!

Is your club involved with a dynamic children's project that other clubs in your district or multiple district could replicate? Would you like to expand local efforts to assist vulnerable children in the areas of literacy, health, hunger or education? Consider hosting a Lions Services for Children Symposium! The coordination of a day-long symposium allows Lions to exchange ideas, collaborate with community leaders, expand or develop new meaningful service and strengthen their commitment to serving disadvantaged children. Limited funding opportunities are available to help you with symposium expenses! Applications for 2015-2016 will be accepted starting July 1, 2015.



DATES TO REMEMBER

July 24th 1st Council Meeting Shipshewana, In

August 1st Banner Night 4pm to 7pm Cosmos's

August 16th 1st Cab Meeting, Pokagon State Park 1pm

Indiana Lions Foundation Needs Your Help

Please volunteer to work at the Indiana State Fair

The Indiana Lions Foundation provides ticket sellers and ticket scanners at four gates at the Indiana State Fair. **The fair runs from Friday August 7th—Sunday, August 23rd.** Over 600 shifts need to be filled over this 17 day period. This is the single largest fundraiser for the Foundation and the money is used to provide Foundation Grants to individual clubs.

Working at the State Fair as a ticket seller or scanner is much easier than it has been in the past. The computer terminals worked very well last year and selling tickets requires only pushing three buttons. Scanning tickets requires only that the worker hold the hand held scanner over the barcoded ticket and press the trigger.

All positions are sitting and two of the four gates have air conditioned booths for the ticket sellers.

Two shifts are available to work. The morning shift is from 7:30 a.m.—3:00 p.m.. The afternoon shift is from 1:30 p.m.—9:00/9:30 p.m..

In return for working the Indiana Lions Foundation is offering W.P. Woods Fellowship credits for workers—one credit for the morning shift and two credits for the afternoon shift. It takes 10 credits to earn a W.P. Woods. Bring a car load of Lions and friends and join us at the Fair this year.

To volunteer please go to the following link.

<http://indianalionsfoundationmd25.org/>

BANNER NIGHT

August 1, 2015

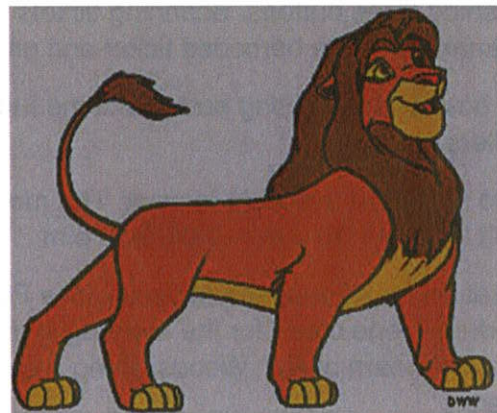
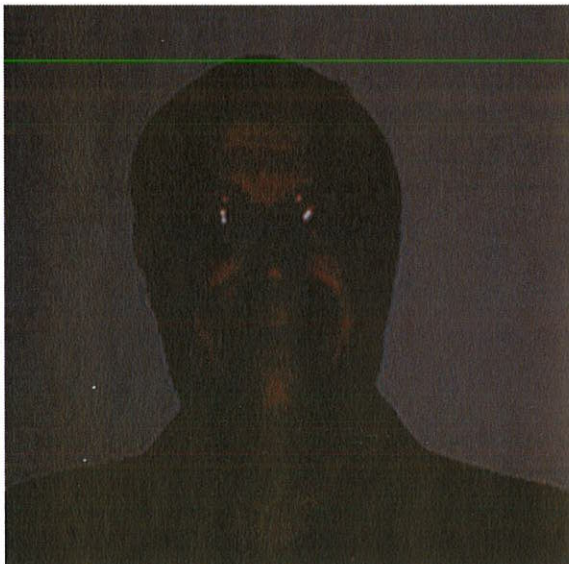
4 pm to 7:30pm

Full Name _____

Club Name _____

Number of Reservations _____

Banner Night will be held at Cosmos 9807 Lima Rd. just south of Dupont off Lima rd. The cost is \$14.00 per person. You will have your choice of different pasta dishes, salad, and dessert. (Chicken Parm in a red sauce, chicken Alfredo in a white sauce and Red Velvet or Chocolate cake) Make check payable to Ken Krauter or to the Huntertown Lions Club, P.O. Box 124 Huntertown post office 46748. Don't forget your club banners, lets see how many banners we can get there. Looking forward to seeing every one there.



“BITE ‘EM”

News Letter Editor