

DISTRICT B VOLUME 2

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DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S COLUMN

Here it is December already and probably one of the busier times of the year is upon us. As you hurry through the month getting your Christmas shopping done, getting together with friends and relatives, and wrapping up those year-end items, make sure you take care of a few Lions items as well.

We still need about \$6000 to match the LCIF grant for finishing the basements in the athlete's houses at Turnstone. If our club has not yet sent a donation, please do so before Christmas so we can get things rolling on that.

Also, we are still collecting for the Special Olympics Winter Games in January. You may recall that the Indiana Lions are corporate sponsor for these games. The last I heard from the state is that we were several thousand dollars short of our \$10,000 that we need. Our District's share is \$1500. So if your club has not yet donated to that project, again I would encourage you to do so by Christmas.

December 22 is the District Holiday Social. We will be meeting at the American Legion in Roanoke from 6:00 to 8:00. There is no cost to attend but an RSVP is strongly encouraged so we can make sure there is enough food. Soft drinks will be provided but you will be able to purchase alcoholic drinks from the Legion. Please RSVP to DG Al Arnold at 260-692-6610 or pamalarn@centurylink.net by December 19. All 25B Lions and their guests are invited. So bring a carload from your club.

The next Cabinet meeting will be at the Cornerstone Youth Center in Monroeville on January 27 (see registration form in this newsletter). We will be electing a 2nd VDG at this Cabinet meeting. PDG Roger Cash has submitted his name since there has been no one else

stepping up to fill that position. All members of the Governor's Cabinet are eligible to vote. This includes as quoted from LCI's Standard District Constitution and By-Laws "the district governor shall convene a meeting of the members of the existing cabinet as provided for in the International Constitution and By-Laws and all past international officers who are members in good standing of a chartered Lions club in good standing in the district." Remember the Cabinet consists of the officers of the district and the club's presidents. So please attend this meeting so we can take care of this very important piece of business.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!!!

DG Al



NEW LOCATION

Everything under one roof! The Mid-Winter Conference will be in the Crowne Plaza at the Indianapolis Airport.

FRIDAY NIGHT

Professional FAMILY comedian Craig Tornquist has done over 3000 shows across the country, and according to him, three of those went really well! Full audience participation, hilarious competition and the chance to win some rotten gifts.

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Relive Helen Keller excerpts from the 1925 speech she gave at the LCI convention. The program continues in third person as she relates on Helen's life and experiences. Inspirational and educational!

January 11-12, 2019

Registration information
is on Indiana Lions Mid-Winter Conference
Facebook page or at <https://bit.ly/2F8VaOZ>



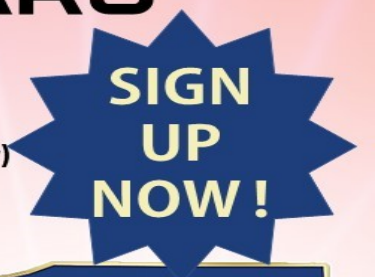
Editors Note: The registration form and information can be found elsewhere in this newsletter. The Mid-Winter Conference will have 16 NEW seminars this year. A complete information and registration packet is available at <https://bit.ly/2F8VaOZ>. Be sure to Like this post and Share it on your timeline. Please note that any hotel registrations for the Crowne Plaza must be made with the LOCAL Indianapolis phone number, not the (800) number, in order to get the special rate. That phone number is also on the registration packet, available at <https://bit.ly/2F8VaOZ>.

ALL NEW SEMINARS

- Eyeglass Recycling – How you can help
- Marketing communications to improve your club's presence
- Beyond the Numbers: People Helping People
- Anyone can make baked beans (or, we've always done it that way)
- Making community partnerships simplify your fundraising
- Have you considered being a Leader Dog puppy raiser?
- What's this fuss about MyLION?
- GPS for Clubs: Orientation for Lions
- Let's broaden our horizons: Getting out of the 'Club Box'
- Effective presentations- Steps to be an effective communicator
- Online Leadership Resource Center
- Internet Fraud Protection
- Organizing and reporting club service projects
- Diabetes Awareness
- Generational Leadership Styles
- Finding Money in Your Community

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2019 Lions International Convention
Buongiorno—good morning, good afternoon, good-day, good evening, good night [interjection, noun] words used (depending on the time of day) when meeting or leaving someone.

2019 Lions International Convention

Are you set to go to the next International Convention or considering it? Here are some important dates to remember for registration:

Registration fee before January 11th is \$150 then goes to \$200 until March 31st. At that point it will be \$225 including onsite registration. Alpha Leo cost is \$20 and Omega Leos is \$100 for all time periods.

Please note that when submitting the hotel deposit there is an 8% fee if using a credit card. If paying LCI by check for initial registration there would not be an 8% fee on the hotel deposit.

Will you be planning some additional fun outside of the Lion events? I hope so! The following preferred tour companies are offering Lions a variety of Pre- and Post-Convention Tours for you to select from. Italy has so much to choose from – the Italian Alps, its famous beaches and coastal cities, its capital city Rome with its historic sites, Vatican City, spectacular art, fashion, sports cars, plus Italy's world-famous cuisine, wines and hospitality.

Are you interested in traveling beyond Italy to another country? These LCI preferred tour companies can help you plan this too! Visit the LCI Convention website LCICon.Lionsclubs.org for more info and links to each of these companies and what they offer.

AIM Italy

Since 1960, AIM Italy has been providing outstanding travel experiences thanks to its extensive network of preferred partners. Its AIM is to take advantage of a global know-how mixed with a local experience.

Central Holidays / Rose Marie's Travel LLC

Since 1972, Central Holidays / Rose Marie's Travel LLC has offered travelers superior travel programs, value, and service to some of the best destinations in Italy, the Mediterranean, Europe, and beyond.

Goway Travel

Goway Travel is offering Lions and their guests custom Pre- and Post-Convention tours highlighting some of the best Italian travel experiences and beyond. Interested in a cooking class in Tuscany? A visit to a charming Italian island on a private boat trip? A Mediterranean cruise? These are just some of their tour highlights. Goway's escorted tour packages include international air, hotels, transfers and touring.

Naonis Viaggi

Based in Italy, Naonis Viaggi has designed their custom "Lions On Tour in Italy" tour packages for Lions that showcase many of their favorite places and activities, or as they say, "Meet Italian charm and culture with the advice of your Italian travel agent." Naonis Viaggi's tours feature top cities and regions.

PCC Reed Fish - PDG Dick McKellar – PDG Patty Cooke
 CC Keith Thomas - Lion Bob Yunker - PCC Sue Topf

Indiana International Convention Committee





LIONS DISTRICT 25B CABINET MEETING

Sunday, January 27, 2019

At
Cornerstone Youth Center
19819 Monroeville Road Monroeville IN 46773
(West edge of Monroeville on Monroeville Road)
Please enter by DOOR 4 from back parking lot.

TIME:

Registration: Begins @ 12
PDG Meeting @ 12:30
Cabinet Meeting Called to Order @ 1 pm

MENU:

Chicken Breast & Roast Beef, Red Skinned Potatoes, Green Beans & California Blend, Salad, Roll/Butter, Dessert

COST:

\$13.00

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:

Monroeville Lions Club

SEND RESERVATIONS TO:

Lion Paul Row
11409 Rowe Road
Monroeville IN 46773
Phone (260) 438-4000
Email: picklepastorpaul@yahoo.com



DEADLINE FOR RESERVATIONS:

FRIDAY, JANUARY 18, 2019

Please bring a door prize to add to the fun

Club _____

Lion _____

Guest/Lion _____

Guest/Lion _____

Guest/Lion _____

Number of Reservations ____ @ \$13.00 ea.



Registration
Information

MEMBERSHIP MINUTE

Here we are rushing into the Holiday season and as of November 19, 2018 we are down 14 members from last year. Now we have time to not only replace these 14 but to grow our district to a plus 51.

There is a lot of information at the new LCI web site on how to grow your club and to start new clubs and branch clubs. Also, there are those, like myself, in the district that are willing to come in and help you develop new members and work with keeping the current members.

One suggestion is to look around and each current member provide a list of three to five prospective members. Have the board per-approve them and then hold a special event and invite them in to see what your club and Lions is all about. Another way is to invite prospective members to join you in a service project. Once involved they will often join. But, do be up front about the dues structure. Remember we do pay to serve.

One more way to help recruit new members is to make sure that your service projects get the publicity they deserve. Put them on Facebook and twitter. Get them in the local paper and if possible, on the local television stations. The more people see our good works the more they will want to be a part of it.

IPDG Roger Cash
25-B GMT





DG Alan and District B Calendar

DECEMBER 2018



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2 Speech and Hearing Luncheon	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10 St. Joe Lions O/V 	11	12	13	14 State Con- vention Committee Meeting 	15
16	17	18	19	20	21 	22 District Christmas Social 
23	24 Christmas Eve 	25 Christmas 	26	27	28	29
30	31 New Years Eve 					

LIONS STATE CONVENTION

Why should you attend the State Convention in Ft Wayne? Along with business sessions, Friday night Party, W.P. Wood Luncheon, All State Banquet, seminars, Memorial service and voting, there will



be golf at Colonial Oaks Friday at 10 am and Walking Tours Saturday afternoon. More details will follow.

Check our Facebook page and website for updates.

Ready to have some fun!? Then come play EUCHRE with some of the best players in the state...at least that's what we've been told!

The 8 round tournament will begin after the Friday night dinner. There is no registration fee, but we ask that you donate a small gift card that



can be used for prizes. It promises to be a fun night of cards and great food...potluck fare, please bring a snack or a dessert to

share.

Pre-registration is requested. Email PDG Peg VanNevel at pitchinpeg@yahoo.com and provide your name, email and phone number. If you don't play euchre and would like to be a part of the fun, volunteers are needed for scorekeeping and organizing the food.



Mid Winter Conference Silent Auction



The Mid Winter Conference will be here before we know it. We are again holding a Silent Auction at the conference on Jan. 12, 2019. Each Indiana Lions District is asked to donate at least 3 items worth \$20 or more for the auction.

Last year we were successful in raising funds for Youth Programs. If you have items to donate for this year's auction please let your District Governor know and send what you are donating to lindamscott@comcast.net. That way I will be able to make the bid sheets before the auction and have things ready to go on Jan. 12. Items may be brought to the dinner on Friday night Jan. 11, or they may be brought first thing Saturday morning.

We will have a nice surprise for the person who donates the item that has the most bids on it.





THE LIONS OF INDIANA
30TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE
SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 2019
ALL NEW LOCATION
CROWN PLAZA - AIRPORT
 2501 South High School Road
 Indianapolis, Indiana 46241

ALL NEW CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Registration & Continental Breakfast	7:00 A.M.	Vendors & Silent Auction 7:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.	
Welcome and Opening Remarks	8:00 A.M.	Lunch	12:30 P.M.
First Session	8:30 A.M.	Keynote Presentation	
Second Session	9:30 A.M.		
Third Session	10:30 A.M.		
Forth Session	11:30 A.M.	Awards and Closing Remarks	
		Adjourn	2:45 P.M.

THE STAND-UP WORLD OF CRAIG TORNQUIST

Craig Tornquist was told by David Letterman to "Keep your act clean, practice as often as you can, and never give up."

Craig Tornquist has performed more than 3,000 stand-up comedy shows across the country. And according to his own promotional flyer, three of those went really well! Known for his quick wit, celebrity impressions, novelty songs, and hilarious audience participation routines, Craig's unique brand of completely clean comedy has put smiles on even the most skeptical of faces.

Whether he's motivating students, inspiring adults, entertaining families, or helping congregations, Craig has consistently proven that "Laughter is the shortest distance between two people." His audiences interact, laugh, and win rotten gifts all at the same time! Be sure to bring the family to this great Friday night event at this year's Mid-Winter Conference.

Check him out at these two links:

<http://www.wnit.org/expmichiana/s/craig-tornquist.html>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7RTbrpzBo-Q>

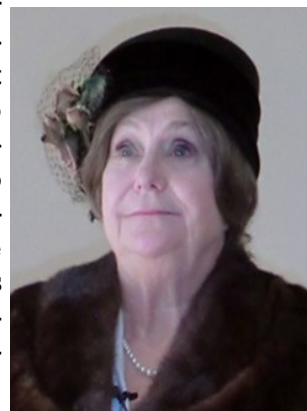


HELEN KELLER – 'A LIFE NEARLY LOST'

This program, originally commissioned by the Lion's Club International, Northern Illinois Division, begins with the blind and deaf Helen being led to the podium where she recites excerpts from the 1925 speech Helen gave to the International Lion's Convention. The program continues in third person as Jessica tells the audience of Helen's life and experiences.

Jessica Michna, recipient of the Presidential Service Center's Distinguished Service Award, is become widely known for her riveting portrayals of First Ladies, notable women of history and fictitious characters. Audiences ranging from young children to senior citizens have been equally enthralled. She has had the honor of performing at the National Churchill Memorial, Lincoln Boyhood National Monument and other esteemed venues. She has appeared before historical societies, schools, libraries, living history museums, senior centers, churches, .

Audiences have left her performances impressed with her knowledge of Helen Keller and educated about her life's contributions to society. This is a presentation you won't want to miss! Jessica's presentation will be featured at the Saturday luncheon at this year's Indiana Lions Mid-Winter Conference, January 12.





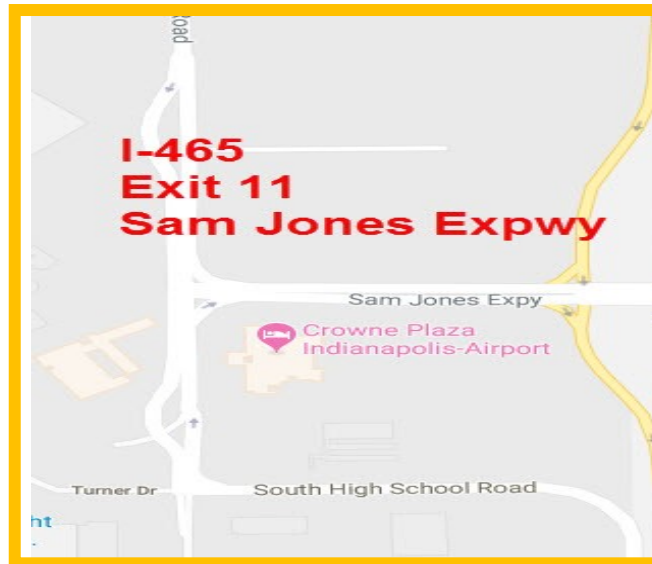
OFFICIAL CONFERENCE HOTEL CROWN PLAZA - AIRPORT



The hotel will be the Crown Plaza Airport
2501 South High School Road
Indianapolis, Indiana 46241
Telephone: 317-244-6861

YOU MUST USE THE ABOVE-LISTED LOCAL PHONE NUMBER and MENTION
INDIANA LIONS when you make your reservations by 5 p.m. December 12th
to receive the LIONS GROUP RATE.

RESERVATIONS: LIONS ROOM RATES ARE: \$109.00 PLUS TAX



*******ALL NEW – SPECIAL SERVICE PROJECT “SOCK IT TO ME!”*******

LIONS ARE ENCOURAGED TO BRING SOCKS, HATS AND MITTENS FOR DONATION TO THE NEEDY TO ADD A NEW SERVICE ACTIVITY TO OUR ALL-NEW CONFERENCE FORMAT. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT PDG KATHY LOZIER AT KLOZIER@INDY.RR.COM





**30TH ANNUAL LIONS CONFERENCE
FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER
CROWNE PLAZA HOTEL
JANUARY 11, 2019**

Make your plans now to join us for an evening of food, fun, and fellowship!

Menu: Italian Buffet – Chicken Parmesan, Lasagna, Garden Salad, Spinach Salad, House Breads and Butter, Potato, Seasonal Vegetable, Salad, Rolls, Dessert, Coffee and Tea.

Price: \$20.00

Social Time: 5:30 P.M.

Dinner: 6:30 P.M.

Fill out your Registration Form today for the 30th Conference and the Friday Night Dinner.
You will have a great time, renewing old friendships and making new ones.

CONFERENCE SEMINARS - 1 HOUR EACH

SEMINAR "1": EYEGLOSS RECYCLING

SEMINAR "2": MARKETING COMMUNICATIONS AND YOUR CLUB!

SEMINAR "3": MEMBERSHIP RECRUITING

SEMINAR "4": ANYONE CAN MAKE BAKED BEANS – BUT WE'VE ALWAYS DONE IT THAT WAY!

SEMINAR "5": COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS/PARTNERSHIPS OUTSIDE YOUR CLUB

SEMINAR "6": ONLINE LEADERSHIP RESOURCE CENTER

SEMINAR "7": RAISING A LEADER DOG PUPPY

SEMINAR "8": INTERNET FRAUD PROTECTION

SEMINAR "9": MY LION

SEMINAR "10": ORIENTATION

SEMINAR "11": GETTING OUT OF THE CLUB BOX

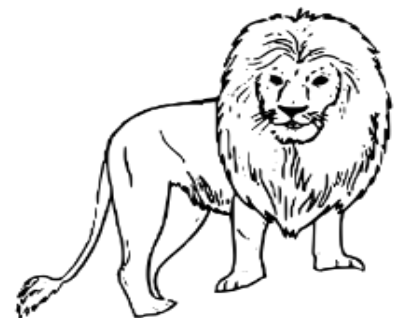
SEMINAR "12": EFFECTIVE PRESENTATIONS: STEPS TO BEING A SUCCESSFUL COMMUNICATOR

SEMINAR "13": HOW TO ORGANIZE AND REPORT A CLUB SERVICE PROJECT

SEMINAR "14": DIABETES AWARENESS

SEMINAR "15": FINDING MONEY IN YOUR COMMUNITY

SEMINAR "16": GENERATIONAL LEADERSHIP STYLES



REGISTRATION FORM

30TH ANNUAL LIONS CONFERENCE

(Each Attendee Must Complete a Separate Form)

PRE-REGISTRATIONS \$40.00

PRE-REGISTRATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY DECEMBER 12, 2019

REGISTRATION PRICE INCLUDES THE 2019 COMMEMORATIVE SOUVENIR CONFERENCE PIN,
AND THE BUFFET LUNCH.

TO GUARANTEE MEAL AVAILABILITY, REGISTRATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY JANUARY 1ST.

CANCELLATION POLICY: Cancellations must be received prior to January 1st to receive a refund. Cancellations requested after that date will not receive any refund. Refunds will not be granted because of the weather.

REGISTRATION AFTER DECEMBER 12TH AND ON-SITE REGISTRATION \$ 45.00

Workshops and Seminars will be filled on a first come, first served basis.

Send registrations early to assure getting the Workshops or Seminars of your choice.

PLEASE SEND COMPLETED REGISTRATION FORM AND CORRECT REMITTANCE TO:

Lion Katherine Holtzleiter, 108 Canterbury Court, Anderson, Indiana 46012

E-Mail Address: kathholtz@yahoo.com **Phone:** (765) 620-0085

Make Checks Payable to: Indiana Lions Conference

OR

Card Type: ☐ VISA ☐ MC ☐ Discover **Card #** _____ **Exp** _____ **Code** _____

Signature: _____

PIP () ID () PID () CC () PCC () DG () VDG () PDG () Lion () Lioness () Leo () Partner-in-Service ()

Name _____ Club _____

Address _____ Lions Office _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ District 25- _____

Phone _____ E-Mail Address _____

SPECIAL DIETATARY NEEDS: _____

() This is my first Mid-Winter Conference. I was encouraged to attend by _____

Registration: () \$40.00 early-bird; () \$45.00 regular; () \$20 Friday Night Dinner = Total \$ _____

Review the Workshops and Seminars offered.

Please circle your selections below to help us plan sufficient seating and handouts for all attendees.

8:30 A.M. SEMINAR: # 6 2 8 12

9:30 A.M. SEMINAR: # 1 7 11 13

10:30 A.M. SEMINAR: # 4 9 3 14

11:30 A.M. SEMINAR: # 5 16 10 15

AROUND THE DISTRICT

NEW HAVEN LIONS CLUB

The New Haven Lions Club participated in the New Haven Downtown Halloween treat or treat night for children in the community on **Tuesday**, Oct. 31st. Candy was passed out to over 1500 children.



The New Haven Lions Club will be selling oranges and grapefruit on Dec. 1st, 8th and 15th at Ken's Meat Market in New Haven, IN. from 9:00 am to 2 :00 pm. Money raised will be used for community needs in 2019.



HAMILTON LIONS CLUB

The Hamilton Lions Club will be sponsoring their annual Jack Gibson Polar Bear Plunge on Monday, December 31, 2018, at 2 P.M. at the public beach (north of the 4 way stop).

All of the money raised will go towards a scholarship in the name of Jack Gibson.

Come join us either to watch or take the plunge.



AROUND THE DISTRICT

MONROEVILLE LIONS CLUB



The Monroeville Lions Club participated in "Trunk or Treat" at Cornerstone Youth Center in Monroeville. Pictured are Lion Judith Kill & Lion Sherry Kill ready to pass out candy.



1st VDG Terry Marker inducted two new members in the Monroeville Lions Club at their November meeting!

L to R: Tom Jones (sponsor), Clara Johanns (new member), Bob Johanns (new member), and 1st VDG Terry Marker.

**District Governor
Alan Arnold
595 E. State Rd. 124
Monroe, IN 46772**

**DISTRICT B
NOVEMBER 2018**

