#### DISTRICT B

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#### SERVE WITH THE HEART OF THE LION

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#### DISTRICT GOVERNOR COLUMN

Happy New Year from your Governor.

The end of the year finished by being very busy. Christmas parties, Indiana Lions Speech and Hearing Holiday luncheon where we were pleased to help some students studying in the audiology field and some grants for research and of course a grant to the Indiana School for the Deaf Leadership camp.

In all it was a fun month to end the year and now on to the New Year and all that it holds in store. To start the year we are having a little get together at the Lucky Turtle (where we held the banner night) on Jan. 13 to raise funds for LCIF. The fee for the meal is \$30.00 with \$10.00 going to LCIF in your name. It will be a fun night of fellowship and games. So come out and help the District meet its goal for the year. (See insert for further information.)

Then on January 20 it is Mid-Winter Conference. A good time to meet fellow Lions from around the state and swap ideas. Also many good seminars to attend. If you're up to it come on Friday night for the banquet and entertainment. This is a great way to learn and grow as a Lion.

January 27 is our 3<sup>rd</sup> District Cabinet meeting. It is being hosted by the Cromwell/Kimmel Lions Club at the Noble County Public Library in Cromwell, on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor. There is a elevator for those of us who need it. Come out and see the youngest Club president in our District and I am pretty sure the state.

As we start the New Year it is a good time to set some goals for the rest of the year. One that I hope you are making is to work at getting more members in your clubs. I challenge you to get two member per club and if you have already done that, then go for two more. It starts with asking.

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But like a good salesman know what you are selling. We are the largest service organization in the world that is serving and making a difference world wide, and it starts right in our community. Each club serves in different ways so know what your club does and how you spend your money to enrich your community.

LCIF still needs our help in the way of money. They would like each member to give \$26.00, or each club to raise that for each of their members. They have also come up with a way to recognize those who are generous through a special pin. You receive a Bronze pin for a one-time donation of \$50.00. A Silver pin for a one-time donation of \$100.00 and a gold pin for a one-time donation of \$200.00. I or FVDG Jim Bush have the pins so see us to donate and make a difference. Remember the state of Indiana has received far more back from LCIF than we have ever donated, so don't say it is all going someplace else, because it is not.

One more thing. The District Convention will be held at the 5C Farms Event Barn. There will be more info to follow. If you want to see what it looks like go to Facebook and put in 5C Farms Event Barn, 1261 N. 300 E. Albion, IN 46701.

I hope this may get you to think about what your club can do in 2024.

Keep on serving,

DG Terry L. Marker

## THIRD 25 B DISTRICT CABINET MEETING

NOBLE COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY, CROMWELL, IN 46762 JANUARY 27, 2024

Registration: 8:30 am.

PDG Meeting 9:00 am.

District meeting: 9:30 am.

**Guest speaker: PDG Ken Faulkner** 

**State LCIF Coo** 

#### **UPCOMING DATES**

Jan. 13 - CANCELLED LCIF Holiday fund raiser at Lucky Turtle Lounge on Dupont Road, Fort Wayne, IN.

**Jan. 20**-- Mid-Winter Conference at the Crown Plaza Hotel, Indianapolis, IN

**Jan. 27-** District 25 B 3rd Cabinet Meeting Cromwell Public Library, Cromwell, IN. Registration at 8:30 am.

**Mar. 23** - District 25 B Convention – Place to be determined.

**Apr.** 26-28 - Embassy Suites by Hilton, Noblesville Indianapolis Conference Center, 13700 Conference Center Fr. South, Noblesville, IN.

June 21-25 - Lions International Convention, Mel-

#### PLEASANT LAKE LIONS CLUB



Pleasant Lake Lions Club Secretary, Elten Powers, and President, Tom Adamson present a Melvin Jones Fellowship Award to Jim Simons for his many years of dedicated service to the Club and the Pleasant Lake community

## FROM THE DESK OF 1ST VDG

Submitted by 1st Vice District Governor Jim Bush Greetings from the District

UPDATE ON MEMBERSHIP GOALS AND PROGRESS

As most of you have probably heard by now, District Governor Terry's goal this year is to grow the district by one member per club, that means a gain of 46 members in the district. Our membership balance at the beginning of the year was 1012 members, so when we reach our goal we'll have at least 1058 Lions in 25-B! So far this year WE'VE ADDED 37 LIONS. GREAT JOB! Now for the not so good news, we've lost 40 Lions, so our mid-year balance is at 1009. So, we all have some work to do, but I know we can do it. LCI has all sorts of tools and techniques for gaining and retaining members, but it all begins when we ask a friend to come to a meeting, or even better a service project. We can do this together, we just have to stay vigilant and work through the end of the year and hit that goal!

#### FREE TEACHER LIBRARY

A quick update on the free teacher library. The effort continues. We are still working on expanding our network for book suppliers and project supporters. At the moment the shelves are empty, wiped out by midyear graduates no doubt. Not to worry, there's still money in the bank and re-stocking will take place in time for graduation. Thank you for supporting this project and stay tuned for future updates.

#### CALL FOR LEADERSHIP

A few years ago, someone asked me if I'd be a zone chairperson and, frankly I didn't know what the implications of accepting would be. I'm here to tell you that I don't regret saying yes, and I'm sure those of you that have been in my shoes would have to agree your time as a Lions leader were worth every minute invested. Bottom line is this, our district needs more leaders. If you are qualified and interested in serving at the district level, we need you to let us know. Not later, now. The sooner, the better. Currently we have immediate openings for Zone Chairs, and Second Vice District Governor. I will be contacting eligible Lions in the next month to discuss the opportunities with you personally. In the meantime, please consider how you'd like to serve at the district level. Thank you for your consideration.

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### LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL MEMBER RESOURCES

Looking for new ideas for a service project? Now is a good time to start planning for your spring and summer projects. Not sure how to go about it, or need some tools to help you plan? Look no further than LCI member Resource Center for the tools you need to get the ball rolling. There are planning guides for fundraising, service project planning, partnering with local organizations, etc. The materials are well thought out and produced and can be easily adapted if you don't find one that is made for your exact service project. It's worth checking out and may even help you with projects you've been doing for a long time. Just go to lionsclubs.org, Resources for members, Resource Center, and Featured Resources and browse away! While you're at it, make a plan for who you've been meaning to invite to become a Lion, this is a great way to introduce them to your club and Lions in general. We Serve!

#### UP YOUR DIGITAL GAME

Speaking of Resources, how are your social media skills? If they're like mine, they could probably use some improvement. LCI Learning Center has online education training that can assist you in learning how to improve your digital game. If you're good at using social media already, maybe you can be your club's media person. It's important for us to tell our story in our communities, especially when we're doing service projects. We need to promote before and during our service projects and advertise the results after. When people see what we're doing and hear about what we did, they will want to be a part of it. Related to digital promotion, our State and District news will only be available only by digital channels soon. We've already gone strictly digital for the District newsletter, and it's only a matter of time until the Hoosier Lion is strictly digital as well. Why is this important to know? Because if you don't have an e-mail account, or don't check to make sure your e-mail address is correct, then you won't receive any communication from Lions in Indiana. Now's the time to get everything in order, you don't want to be left out!

#### LCIF FOUNDATION

LCIF Update

Happy mid-year 25B!

Thank you for your strong support of LCIF. 25B's LCIF fundraising goal for this year is \$27,324.00 and at this point, we've raised \$10,000.89, a little over 36.5% of our goal. That's outstanding considering the majority of our clubs haven't made an LCIF contribution yet. Please remember we don't have to wait until the end of the year to make our personal and club contributions. I'm sure you're saying we're a little off pace to hit our goal, but I'm confident we can hit the mark. Check out this video and share with your clubs to see how LCIF is making a difference in people's lives everywhere. <a href="https://youtu.be/li3-xMjaFzQ?si=hNJZaiki2hugMsLo">https://youtu.be/li3-xMjaFzQ?si=hNJZaiki2hugMsLo</a>

#### CHANGE FOR CHANGE

Club LCIF Coordinators, at last check, only 15 out of our 46 clubs have Identified an LCIF chairperson, if you don't have one, it falls on the immediate past president to take up the mantel. Here are a few suggestions for upcoming dates to make honorary contributions to LCIF.

Melvin Jones' Birthday, January 13, 1879 WP Woods' Birthday, May 20, 1877

Lions Clubs International Foundation was officially founded in 1968, that means LCIF has been making a difference for 55 years! Maybe a donation of \$55.00 is in order? Just a thought.

There will also be a LCIF Fundraiser on JANUARY 13, 2024 at 6:00 pm.

LCIF Fundraiser at the Lucky Turtle 622 E Dupont Road

Fort Wayne, IN 46825

30.00 per person includes Dinner, and a \$10.00 LCIF Donation in your name.

Payments can be sent to DG Terry Marker, 3454 N Skinner Lk Dr W, Albion, IN 46701 by Jan. 1, 2024, you may also pay at the door. Come on out and enjoy some food, fellowship and fun supporting our foundation.

Thank you so much for everything you do. YOU ARE ALL making a difference in your communities and the world.

Happy New Year,

Jim

2024 Mid-Winter Conference
I anuary 20, 2024
"Catch the Magic of Lionism!"

We are in need of items for the silent auction at the 2024 Mid-Winter Conference. If you would like to donate something, please contact either Co-Chair Lion Gretchen Xinopoulos at liongretchen@att.net or PDG Linda Scott at lindam-scott@comcast.net with a description of item or items by January 18, 2024.

Funds raised from this silent auction will go toward support of the Mid-Winter Conference, to better help defray the costs.

Thank you for your willingness to make this event a success.





#### LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION FUND RAISER FOR DISTRICT 25 B

#### **JANUARY 13, 2024 AT 6:00 PM**

AT THE LUCKY TURTLE 622 E. DUPONT RD FT. WAYNE, IN 46825

Come join us for a fun evening of food, fellowship and fund raising.

Every person automatically donates \$ 10.00 to LCIP just for paying for and eating dinner with us this evening.

We are asking everyone to bring a gift to be auctioned off.

There will also be steal tickets that you may purchase to steal a gift.)

One on out for a night of Food, fun, and Fellowship
Put on by your LCIF COORDINATORS

	Please reserve by January 8, 2024
Please reserve Amount enclosed	Dinners at \$30.00 each (\$20.00 Dinner/\$10.00 for LCIF in your name.)  Make check payable to DG Terry Marker
NAME	TITLE
Mail to: DG Te	erry Marker

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#### **OPERATION CANCER HERO**

Indiana Lions Fighting Pediatric Cancer In August, the Walther Cancer Foundation and Riley Children's Foundation announced that the Walther Cancer Foundation has pledged \$10 million to match donations of \$100,000 or more from other organizations and individuals to fund pediatric cancer research and treatment. The Lions Cancer Control Fund of Indiana, Inc. (CCF) has accepted this challenge and have started our campaign: Operation Cancer Hero! We need your help to fight pediatric cancer. If you would like to donate or join the team for your district, click on one of the links below.

- District 25-A https://give.rileykids.org/25A
- District 25-B https://give.rileykids.org/25B
- District 25-C https://give.rileykids.org/25C
- District 25-D https://give.rileykids.org/25D
- District 25-E https://give.rileykids.org/25E
- District 25-F https://give.rileykids.org/25F
- District 25-F https://give.rileykids.org/25G
- Indiana Lions https://give.rileykids.org/ LionsCCF

Follow the CCF page on Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/IndianaLionsCancerControl Join the CCF group on Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/groups/1470990497011888

Operation Cancer Hero





Please remember that all Lions clubs, districts and multiple districts with annual gross receipts less than US\$50,000 that are not required to file Forms 990 or 990-EZ must file the e-Postcard (also known as the 990-N). Please be advised this filing relates specifically to the 501(c)(4). If your Lions club, district or multiple district has a foundation, which is a separate legal entity, the appropriate form will need to be filed as well.

Please review the Annual Tax Filing information below. Thank you!

#### Annual Tax Filing Information

Please note that Lions Clubs International is not authorized to provide guidance regarding your filing. For specific questions, please contact a local tax professional or the IRS.

Kindest regards, Legal Division Lions Clubs International

## CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS NEWS

Submitted by PDG Roger Cash

There are a number of amendments to the multiple district constitution and by laws that have been proposed.

One of the proposed amendments is to allow the Council to appointed an assistant comptroller.

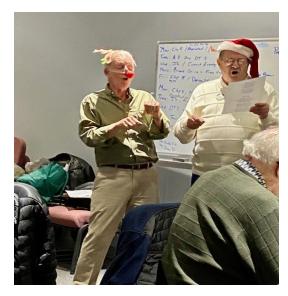
Other amendments deal with times of registration and voting, who and why a special convention can be called and there is one to bring the appointment of the Council Chair more in line with the international constitution and by-laws.



#### KENDALLVILLE LIONS CLUB



Lion Ken Lash and wife Beth are dressed as Clauses and rang the Salvation Army bells twice for the Kendallville Lions Club.



Lion Randy King, left, creates Rudolph, the rednosed reindeer, as Fred Inniger leads group singing at the Kendallville Lions Christmas dinner-party held at Impact.



#### KENDALLVILLE LIONS CLUB



Kendallville Lions from left John Clifton, Fred Inniger, Dave Blackman and some Albright's staff load hams to deliver to Kendallville's Christmas Bureau for distribution to needy families. Lions Tony Blomeke and Harold Sollenberger also assisted.

#### **NEW HAVEN LIONS CLUB**

DECEMBER 7TH, NEW HAVEN LIONS BOB AND SUSIE HUDSON WENT THE WOWO BROADCAST AT THE JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT BUILDING AND PRESENTED A CHECK FOR \$250.00 TO JOHN ZIMNEY FROM WOWO FOR THEIR PENNY PITCH PROJECT..

PICTURED BELOW ARE (L TO R) MAR-SHA EASTMAN, LION PRES. SUSIE HUDSON, JON ZIMNEY FROM WOWO, LION BOB HUD-SON AND RACHEL BAKER



## LIONS OF INDIANA MD25 SPECIAL OLYMPICS COMMITTEE

The Lions Special Olympics Committee would like to inform all Indiana Lions Club of a unique opportunity to support Special Olympics of Indiana in two separate Sports Venues, for the same amount of donations (\$10,000.00) we have been doing for just the Winter Games.

We are proposing to the Council of Governors to continue our support of the Special Olympics Winter Games at a new level of \$5,000.00 per year. (This is made possible because the Indiana Knights of Columbus has agreed to become a cosponsor of the Winter Games for the other \$5,000.00) This means the Winter Games will not lose any support/funding, ensuring that our Indiana Athletes will continue to enjoy a quality Winter Games experience.

With this in mind we have been offered to also Sponsor the fastest and expected largest single sport for Special Olympics of Indiana – "Corn Hole" competition.

If we become the "Corn Hole" Sport Sponsor, plans will include semis finals in each of our District with the State Finals help in Indianapolis.

We will have the opportunity to place the Lions Logo on all State Competition Corn Hole boards along with the toss bags. This will give the Lions exposure not only to all athletes, coaches and families but the public/spectators.

It will also give the Lions in each District the opportunity to assist in the administration of the "Semi Finals Games" and "State Final Competition Games" as registers, score keepers, referees etc.

As an added bonus this will also give all Lion Clubs the opportunity to contact their local Special Olympics County Program and offer the same assistance for the local competitions. In addition each Lion Club could offer to help supply/make their Local County Program Corn Hole supplies. This would give each Club the ability to negotiate with the County Program Coordinator to allow the Local Lions Club to place their logo on

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the Corn Hole Board and Toss Bags just like what will happen on the state level.

All this Membership Involvement and Recruitment Opportunity for only a \$5,000.00 Sponsorship of the fastest growing sport for Special Olympics. Besides providing endless opportunity for "Service Hours" we can also participate as "Unified Partners" in the competitions. Great way to attract younger members and old alike.

Please let your leaders and members know you support these opportunities for your Club to participate in.

Thanks,

PDG Steve Holtzleiter

Co-Chair Indiana Lions Special Olympics Committee

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#### NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS ALERT

Submitted by PDG Roger Cash

Please note all nominations for District Governor, 1Vice District Governor, 2Vice District Governor and Trustees for each of the state projects is due to the Nominations and Election chairperson NO LATER THAN February 14, 2024. Nominations for trustees must have their letter of intent to run along with their club's endorsement. Those standing for DG, 1VDG or 2VDG need to submit the appropriate biology form along with their intent to run letter and their club's endorsement. Since the District does not currently have 2VDG a PDG may run for 1VDG. If you have questions on this please contact the Nomination and Election Chairperson.





## THE LIONS OF INDIANA 35TH MID-WINTER CONFERENCE SATURDAY, JANUARY 20, 2024

#### CROWNE PLAZA INDIANAPOLIS AIRPORT INDIANAPOLIS, IN

#### CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Registration & Continental Breakfast	8:00 am – 9:00 am	Lunch - Buffet	11:30 am – 12:15 pm
Displays And Silent Auction	Open until 3:00 pm	Program and Keynote Speaker	12:15 pm - 1:15 pm
Opening Session	9:00 am – 9:30 am	Third Session Semin	nar 1:30 pm – 2:15 pm
First Session Seminar	9:45 am – 10:30 am	Fourth Session Sem	ninar 2:30 pm – 3:15 pm
Second Session Seminar	10:45 am – 11:30 am	Closing Session	3:30 pm – 4:00 pm

#### Official Conference Hotel - Crowne Plaza Indianapolis Airport Hotel

The location of the hotel is 2501 S. High School Road, Indianapolis, Indiana 46241.

TELEPHONE NUMBER IS 317-244-6861.

LIONS ROOM RATE IS \$122 PLUS APPLICABLE TAXES.

Specify your choice of a king room or a room with two double beds.

#### Hotel Reservations must be made by 6:00 pm EST Thursday, December 28, 2023

Directions to Crowne Plaza: From the north via I-465 - Take I-465 to Exit 11 (Sam Jones Expressway). Turn right (to the west) on Sam Jones and be in left lane. Turn left at High School Road and the hotel is on your left.

From the south or Northbound I-465 - Take I-465 to Exit 11(Sam Jones Expressway). Turn left (to the west) on Sam Jones but keep to the left to High School Road. Turn left at High School Road and hotel is on your left.

CANCELLATION POLICY: Cancellations requested ten (10) days before the conference will receive full refunds, but cancellations requested after that date will not receive any refund. Refunds will not be granted because of the weather.

\*Note: The Mid-Winter Conference Committee would like those attending for the First Time to indicate who is sponsoring them to attend or who has influenced them to attend their first Mid-Winter Conference. There is a line on the registration form for this information.



#### 35TH MID-WINTER CONFERENCE FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER JANUARY 19, 2024



Make your plans now to join us at the Crowne Plaza Indianapolis Airport Hotel for an evening of food, fun, and fellowship.

Menu: A plated dinner that will include Grilled Pork Chop or Chicken Marsala with Scalloped Potatoes, Garlic Green Beans, Fresh Garden Salad, Dessert, House Bread and Butter, Coffee and Tea

Price: \$ 30.00 Social Time: 6:00 P.M. Dinner: 6:30 P.M.

Registration table will be open for packet and meal ticket pick-up on Friday evening until 6:30 PM

Friday Night Entertainment:

Magician Daniel Lusk



#### SATURDAY CONFERENCE LUNCHEON JANUARY 20, 2024

Menu: BACKYARD COOKOUT

Grilled Black Angus Burgers, Bratwurst with Sauerkraut, Bourbon Brisket, Cole Slaw, Macaroni Salad, Baked Beans, Corn, Vegetable toppings for burgers and assorted condiments, Breads, Sheet Cake, Coffee and Tea

Price: Included in Full Conference Registration

#### TWO SERVICE PROJECTS!!

"Sock It To Me" - Please bring new socks, gloves, mittens, scarves, knit hats and blankets to be collected and divided among the district governors to distribute to needy people in their districts.

"Care-ing Cases" - Friday night after the dinner program, we will again assemble our Care-ing Cases, which consist of first aid kits using cleaned hard eyeglass cases and toiletry kits made up of personal hygiene items. These cases will be given to the district governors who will share them with the needy people in their districts.

SATURDAY KEYNOTE SPEAKER

To be determined

#### 2024 MID-WINTER CONFERENCE SEMINARS

#### Seminar Session 1 (9:45 am – 10:30 am)

**Seminar** #: 1 **Title**: Mission 1.5

Presenter: PID Thomas Matney, GAT Area Leader

Description: Everything you ever wanted to know about our campaign to achieve the goal of 1.5 million mem-

bers globally.

Seminar #: 2 Title: All You Need Is Love

Presenter: Lion Jeff Kozicki, District 25-D GMT/GET Coordinator

**Description**: Have you ever needed help? Do you feel like you are working eight days a week? Can you only get by with a little help from your friends? Is it true that all you need is love? If you have wondered about any of these questions, then this is the seminar for you! We will come together to explore Lionism through the music of the Beatles.

Seminar #: 3 Title: You've Got A Friend In Me - Becoming A Mentor To A New Lion

Presenter: Lion Ruth Kelly, Zionsville Lions Club

**Description**: This seminar is for members who want to be of service to new members of their club. Being "the new person" is difficult for many people. The goal of this seminar is to help you learn why mentoring is important to your club, provide an example of a mentoring program, and provide information that will assist you in establishing a mentoring program that works for your club. It is hard work to find new members. You need to have an action plan to keep those new members engaged and enjoying being a Lion. We can never have too many friends.

Seminar #: 4 Title: Serving Beyond the Club Presenters: PDG Tom Robbins & PDG Jeff Locke

Description: This session will discuss leadership opportunities beyond the club level from zone chairs and

cabinet positions, to project trustees, committee chairs, and District leadership.

#### **Seminar Session 2 (10:45 am – 11:30 am)**

Seminar #: 5 Title: Indiana Lions Fighting Pediatric Cancer

**Presenter**: Representative from Riley Children's Foundation

**Description**: Learn about the Cancer Control Fund's new partnership with Riley Children's Foundation & the

Walther Cancer Foundation.

**Seminar** #: 6 **Title**: Putting Fun In Your Club Meetings

Presenter: Luanne Julian, Middletown Lions Club

**Description**: Discover new ways to dispel the persistent myth that Lions Clubs meetings are B-O-R-ING.

**Seminar** #: 7 **Title**: Why are Leos Important for our Future?

Presenter: ZC Wendy Semans, Hamlet Lions Club

Description: Learn how Leos can benefit your Club. What do the Leos need from you? What's involved in

having a Leo club? Ideas and projects for your Leos.

#### 2024 Mid-Winter Conference Seminars

**Seminar** #: 8 **Title**: Building A Cabin for Children with Type 1 Diabetes

Presenter:: PCC Ross Drapalik & Jenna White, Camp Director

**Description**: The Martinsville Noon Lions Club has partnered with Diabetes Youth Foundation of Indiana

(DYFI) to construct a new cabin and laundry facility at "Camp Until-a-Cure" in Noblesville, Indiana. PCC Ross Drapalik will discuss process of turning a \$10,000 memorial contribution into a \$204,000 turn-key project, and Jenna White, the Executive Director of DYFI, will talk about the camp, its needs, and how your Lions Club can help.

#### **Seminar Session 3 (1:30 pm – 2:15 pm)**

**Seminar** #: 9 **Title**: Finding & Applying for Grants

Presenters: PID Linda Tincher

Description: Where to find grants, how to write LCIF grant requests, and how to avoid common pitfalls that may pre-

vent you from getting grants.

Seminar #: 10 Title: Securing Sponsorships Presenter: PDG Tom Robbins, Zionsville Lions Club

**Description**: What you need to know to secure ongoing sponsorships.

Seminar #: 11 Title: Lions International Convention in Melbourne, Australia

Presenter: PDG Alan Arnold, Indiana Lions International Convention Committee Chairman

Description: Everything you need to know about the 2024 International Convention in Melbourne, Australia

Seminar #: 12 Title: Eyeglass Recycling: An Eye-Opening Experience

Presenter: PDG Marty Juel, District 25-G

**Description**: Does your club collect used eyeglasses for Lions eyeglass missions? Find out what it takes to get used eye-

glasses from your club's donation box to new owners in Mexico.

#### **Seminar Session 4 (2:30 pm −3:15 pm)**

**Seminar** #: 13 Title: Lion Cubs, Our Future Lions

Presenters: ZC Wendy Semans and Lion Gloria Ballard

**Description**: What is a Cubs Club and what are the benefits of starting a Cubs Club? Who can join? What's involved in

starting a Cubs club?

**Seminar** #: 14 **Title**: New Member Orientation

Presenter: Lion Jeff Kozicki, District 25-D GMT/GET Coordinator

**Description**: Congratulations! You have added a new member to your club! Now what? This seminar will discuss how to start your new member right and get them the information they need to get a solid start. This seminar will also be great for Lions that have been around for a while as there may be a few things they can learn about their Club, their District, and Lionism.

Seminar #: 15 Presenter: PDG Kathy Lozier, Indiana Lions Foundation Vice President

**Description**: How to decode the "alphabet soup" of Lions acronyms and abbreviations, and recognize Lions officers by the shape of their name badges.

Seminar #: 16 Title: USA/Canada Lions Forum, Louisville KY

Presenter: PCC Chuck Carlson & Lion Karen Nitschke

Description: What happens at a Forum, the seminars, speakers, meals, and other details to encourage you to attend the

Forum in Louisville in September of 2024 and become educated, motivated, and inspired.

#### REGISTRATION FORM

#### 35th Annual Lions of Indiana Mid-Winter Conference SATURDAY, JANUARY 20, 2024

(Each Attendee Is Asked to Complete a Separate Form)

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION: \$40.00 (\$5.00 less than last year)

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED OR EMAILED BY NOVEMBER 30, 2023

Registrations received or postmarked after DECEMBER 1ST and ON-SITE \$50.00
Conference Registration with no meals included: \$25

Registration includes: morning coffee and pastries, buffet luncheon, use of hotel meeting rooms, audiovisual equipment, keynote speaker expenses, printing, and supplies.

To guarantee meal availability. Registration must be received by Monday. January 15, 2024.

CANCELLATION POLICY: CANCELLATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED PRIOR TO JANUARY 10, 2024, TO RECEIVE A REFUND. CANCELLATIONS REQUESTED AFTER THAT DATE WILL NOT RECEIVE ANY REFUND.

REFUNDS WILL NOT BE GRANTED RECAUSE OF THE WEATHER

Seminars and Workshops will be filled on a first come, first served basis. Send registrations early to ensure the seminars of your choice.

PLEASE SEND COMPLETED REGISTRATION FORM AND CORRECT REMITTANCE TO:
Lion Angie Crouch, 9051 Greystone Court, Indianapolis, IN 46234

mwam2893@gmail.com
317-518-4070

Make Checks Payable to: Lions of Indiana, Inc. OR

Card Type: [ ] VISA [	] MC [ ] Discover	Card#_					
Exp. Date: Note: If using a Visa processing company.	a or Master Card cr	edit card, you will b	e charged a 3	% fee ad	ded to yo	ur char	ge by the
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10:45	5 - 11:30	Seminar Session	on 2	5	6	7	8
1:3	0-2:15	Seminar Session	on 3	9	10	11	12
2:3	0 - 3:15	Seminar Session	on 4	13	14	15	16



# DISTRICT B AND DG TERRY'S CALENDAR JANUARY 2024



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Happy New Years	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9 Monroeville & Heritage Lions Club O/V	10	11	12	13 LCIF Fund Raiser at the Lucky Turtle  CANCELLED  Lions Clubs International FOUNDATION
14	15 Kendallville Lions Club O/V	16	17	18	19 Mid-Winter Conference	Mid-Winter Conference  DEADLINE FOR HEVSLETTER ARTICLES
21 3 <sup>rd</sup> Council of Governors Meeting.	22	23	24 Bippus Lions Club O/V	25	26	District 25 B Cabinet meeting at Cromwell Public Library hosted by the Cromwell/ Kimmel Lions
28	29	30	31			Meeting Reminder!

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