

# District 25F Newsletter



## Happiest of Holidays

*District Governor Linda Scott*

Ho, Ho, HO, Merry Christmas everyone! It is a bright, colorful, and busy time of year! I hope all is going well for each club! I know many clubs are very busy this time of year serving their communities. I have heard of plans for Pancake Breakfasts with Santa, adopting families, Christmas parties for children in the community, food collections for food pantries, lighting up a Christmas tree for the town, selling trees and ringing bells for the Salvation Army. I have heard of many eye screenings being done also. Remember to report all you do! Take some time for fun for yourselves too.

I have been visiting lots of clubs and meeting so many great Lions! I have been able to install some new Lions too! Congratulations to you! Keep up the good work. I have passed out chevrons for years of being a member. Congratulations to you! We want to continue to build our membership!

Before we know it, January will be here. Be sure to sign up to attend the Mid-Winter Conference. There are some good seminars this year. It is always fun to attend and catch up with Lions you don't get to see and visit with them. Don't forget the silent auction! There are always some great items to bid on. There is also the chance to participate in two service projects. We will be doing Care-ing Cases and Sock It To Me. Don't miss out on this opportunity.

**I want to wish everyone a safe, healthy, and happy holiday!**

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## Membership

*1st VDG Ed Harper*

Membership in your club is probably on the top of the list of items most club needs to concentrate on for this Lion year. Several of our District 25F clubs have less than 10 members. That makes working on project more difficult than it is for larger clubs.

I have been attending official visitations with DG Linda and I am proud of many of the clubs that we have visited have ask DG Linda to install one or more new members. As of December 2022, District 25F has more members than at the beginning of this Lions year. I have heard many Lions say "Just ask." Give it a try. You might be surprised.

All new members should receive a new member packet. The packet contains a certificate for both the new member and the sponsor. Those certificates and the Lion pin are to be presented during the induction ceremony. Other important information about Lion Club is contained in the packet as well.

If your club needs membership packets, let me or DG Linda know how many you need and we will see that you receive them.

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## Holiday Wishes

*2nd VDG Nancy Baxter*

Merriest of Christmases  
and Happiest of Holiday  
Wishes to the Lions of  
District 25F!

From my family to yours, I  
wish for each of you a safe,  
happy and healthy New  
Year to all!

## District Governors Calendar

### December

December 5 Franklin Lions Club  
December 6 Connersville Lions Club  
December 7 Richmond Noon Lions Club  
December 8 Edinburg Lions Club  
December 12 I-Center Twp & Lawrence Twp LCs  
December 13 Bright Lions Club

### January

January 17 Everton Lions Club  
January 20-22 Mid-Winter Conference  
January 25 Speedway Lions Club

### February

February 8 Middletown Lions Club  
February 11 Winter Cabinet Meeting  
February 13 Greenfield Lions Club  
February 14 Williamsburg Lions Club  
February 22 Charlottesville Lions Club

### March

March 4 District F Convention  
March 8 Blue River Lions Club  
March 13 Carthage Lions Club  
March 23 Ben Davis Lions Club

### May

May 12-14 State Convention - Bloomington

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**Share your events with  
District 25F!**

E-mail your flyers and articles to

**[Newsletter25f@yahoo.com](mailto:Newsletter25f@yahoo.com)**

by the 20th of the month for inclusion in the following months newsletter!

# Indiana State Fair

THE INDIANA LIONS FOUNDATION STATE FAIR COMMITTEE  
WANTS YOUR IDEAS FOR NEW INDIANA STATE FAIR INCENTIVES?

The Indiana Lions Foundation State Fair project is the Indiana Lions Foundation's largest fundraiser. We provide volunteers to sell and scan tickets and provide other support at the two largest State Fair gates. We need approximately 45 - 55 volunteers per day. The Indiana Lions Foundation State Fair Committee has been discussing new incentives for volunteers who work at the State Fair. We have several ideas but thought a more effective approach would be to ask those who volunteer to provide us with input. So, please tell us what you like or don't like about the current incentives, and other ideas you might have for different incentives. We are open to considering all suggestions and look forward to discussing them with all of you.

Yours in Lionism,

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## Lawrence Lions Clubs



Club President Lion Debbi Keith presenting a \$1,500 check to Lawrence Fire Department Deputy Chief of Operations Jim Hardie to assist with the Feed the Needy campaign that took place during the Department's Toys for Tots Campaign

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**Indiana Lions Mid-Winter Conference**  
With the Power of You, Together We Can

**Service Project: Sock It To Me!**

We need your help to make this winter more bearable for those in need in our communities. Please bring new socks, gloves, mittens, scarves, knit hats, and blankets to the Mid-Winter Conference. Our District Governors will distribute them to those in need in their districts.



**Crowne Plaza Indianapolis Airport**  
**January 20-21, 2023**



# Nettle Creek Lions Club

Adapted from an article written by Bob Hansen printed in the *Western Wayne News*

Three of the four winning designs in Hagerstown's Art on Fire competition honor public service.

Ten fire hydrants stand tall with creative new paint jobs in the second decorating contest sponsored by Nettle Creek Lions Club. The community voted on the artwork starting October 10. On October 24, 12 golf cards filled with community members voting on their favorites paraded through town, visiting each decorated hydrant.

Ryan Bayne's design, "Thin Blue Line" won first place prize of \$300. Second prize, \$150, was awarded to Chelsea Jones and family. Two entries shared third place \$50 and feature an honor to the Hagerstown Little League All-Stars and a school bus painted by Brittany Ritter.

The Lions Club organizes the painting with cooperation from the town of Hagerstown, according to Robin Nugent, Club President. Sponsors included Nettle Creek Hardware and Utility Supply Co.



# Williamsburg Lions Club

The Williamsburg Lions club filled 150 treat bags with candy in preparation to hand them out on Oct. 30th to the trick or treaters who stop by. As you can see by the picture we had a great assembly line process going. PDG Jeff Locke was in charge of putting the sticker on the bag letting everyone know the treats inside are courtesy of the Williamsburg Lions Club. We also had a guest and her son join us as she is considering becoming a Lion. Fun was had by all and we look forward to handing them out later this month.

Then on Oct. 30th in the rain 9 members of the Williamsburg Lions club handed out the 150 treat bags. We also handed out 40 coupons for \$1 off our upcoming breakfast on Nov. 19th.

Also pictures are Williamsburg Lions Club members participating in a vision screening at Northeastern Schools.



# Centerville Lions Club

A successful Lions Club event took place on Sat. Nov. 5th at the Centerville Senior Center as members of the club served breakfast for the community. This is the 3rd breakfast project this year and the next is scheduled for Feb. 4th, 2023. Over 70 meals were served in 3 hours.

Photo # 1 - from left Conner Elstro, Holly Stiggelman, and Crystal Jenkins are ready to serve customers at the Lions Club community breakfast Nov. 5th.

Photo # 2 - Enjoying breakfast from left: Past District Governor Jeff Locke, Vicki Chasteen, and Angela Locke, District 25F Secretary.

Photo # 3 - Lion Jim Resh welcomes Lion Richard Lehman from the Richmond Lions Club to the Centerville community breakfast project.



Indiana Lions Club 25-F Governor from Indianapolis was welcomed to the dinner meeting of the Centerville Lions Club on Monday, Nov. 28th at the Senior Center.. DG Linda Scott and First Vice DG Edward Harper were both present to bring greetings from over 50 other Lions Clubs in the district. Linda also thanked the Club for their many local projects and donations to the State projects, including Leader Dog School, Cancer Control, LCIF. She encourages the club to invite new members to join Centerville is helping others in the community.

District Governor Linda also presented awards to Wendy Cook for 15 year a member, Ty Farmer, 10 years, and to Jim Howell for 60 years membership.

The Club voted to donate \$200 to the Centerville Police and Fire Dept. for Christmas baskets.

Entries are being received for the Christmas in Centerville lighting contest and the Lions Club will judge the lights and also provide prizes. Lions Club will also have a float in the Christmas parade. President Jeff Jenkins conducted the business meeting.

The Club's annual Christmas banquet will be held on Monday, Dec. 12th at 6 pm at the high school cafetorium with entertainment by Layla Cate, a CHS Freshman. A musical program is planned.

Pictured below left to right: Wendy Cook receives her 15 year membership award from DG Linda Scott. And Ty Farmer is awarded his 10 year membership. And, DG Linda Scott presents Jim Howell with his 60 year membership award.



# Happiest of Holidays & Happy New Year!



# DG Photo Favorites



Installing 3 new members so Southport Lions Club. Denise Linkous, Sponsor Gayle Gagne, Adam Sims, Sponsor Robert Roe Helen Cannon. (Robert sponsored both Adam and Helen



Cute turkey who was at the Indianapolis-Chapel Hill Lions



New Member Chase Heinold with President Matthew Chapman of the Sulphur Springs Lions Club and DG Linda pictured with members of the Sulphur Springs Lions Club



Fun with the Indianapolis-Downtown Lions



Greensburg Lions Club members receiving Service Chevrons and President David Weigel presented a check for the State Projects



Newly installed Lions in the Aurora Lions Club—Brad Peddenphol, Lyndsay Hays & Liz McGownd

Osgood President Kevin Menchhofer presented a check from Osgood Lions for Candy for Cancer Day and to ISBVI. District Governor Linda brought water bottles filled with Pennies to Lion Bill McDonald from Lion Alice Wyatt for Special Olympics.





# Disaster Relief Florida & Kentucky

Osgood Lion Bill McDonald ( Indiana Knights of Columbus Disaster Response Coordinator) and Osgood Lion Toni McDonald traveled to Ft. Myers, Florida area and met with Della Menchoffer ( Osgood Lion Owen Menchoffer' s wife) and distributed over \$6,000.00 in supplies and \$3,000.00 in gift cards to two Area Resource Centers. In addition, while touring the Ft. Myers Beach disaster zones Bill and Toni passed out gift cards to misplace/ homeless victims. Bill's comment after seeing the destruction, is it reminder him of Mexico Beach, Florida 4 years ago, which is still being rebuilt today.

Thanks to all the Individual, Clubs and Business (CVS-Batesville and Dollar General -Osgood) that made this Humanitarian Mission possible.

Santa Bill and Elf Spencer Johnson (Past Deputy Grand Knight of KC Council #8487, Osgood) make a late-night delivery of much needed pet food to Wiggin Tails in Whitesburg, KY for distribution to the area flood victims, still recovering from the August historic flooding. Thanks to all the support from the Indiana Knights and Lions and a great big THANKS to PSP distribution in Seymour , In for the generous donation.



# Camp Woodsmoke

I would like to thank all the Lions and other volunteers who helped with cleanup day and decorating the Camp for our Christmas at Camp Woodsmoke drive thru light show. As always, we need as many volunteers on these projects as possible. This is a District project and whenever possible, please come and lend your skills and workmanship to keep Camp Woodsmoke "The Best"!!!!

Christmas at Camp Woodsmoke is being held from 6 pm to 9 pm on December 2nd and 3rd, December 9th and 10th, and December 16th and 17th. These dates are Fridays and Saturdays. No charge to drive thru, just asking for donations for this event.

We are still looking for Lions to be part of the Board of Trustees at Camp Woodsmoke "The Best". The more Lions who participate as a Trustee, the more diverse of ideas and plans for the future of the camp, the better.

The Trustees are asking for help in raising funds through possible business sponsorships, grants, fund raisers dedicated to these needs for the Camp. Contact any of our Trustees for any ideas that will help with these needs of the Camp. Thanking all 25F Lions for your help specific to these projects. The Camp has applied for some grants at this time but are always open for more possible grant information.

The Camp is considering a new project. At one time there was an outdoor bulletin board close to the brick walk. Discussion has come forward to replace that item. If anyone, former Trustee or a Lion who remembers this item, please send pictures or descriptions of the bulletin board for possible ideas for a new board. I was not aware of such an item at the Camp since I have been a Trustee.

As always, many thanks to the Clubs and individual Lions who continue to support Camp Woodsmoke "The Best" both financially as well as participation in the Camp events. Without you, we could not do all that we do at the Camp.

For those who have had problems locating Camp Woodsmoke, here are two routes that I use regularly.

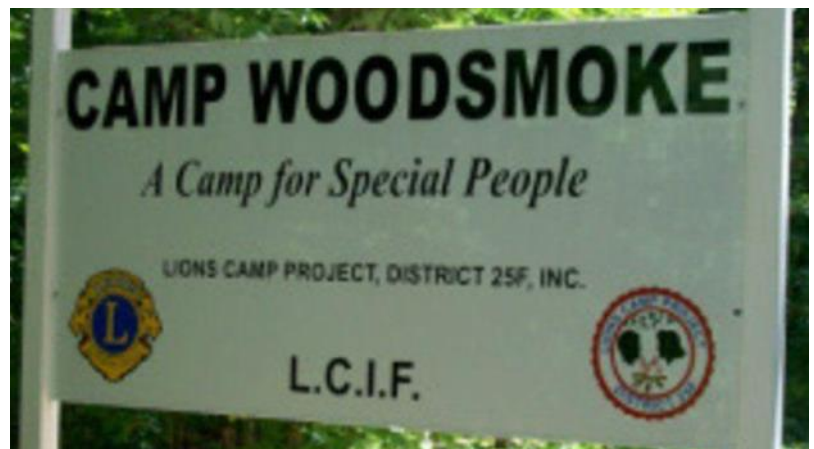
First route: Follow I-74 out of Indy to State Route 244 which is the first exit past Shelbyville. Get off at that exit and turn left. Follow 244 through Milroy and Richland to County Road 450E. Turn right and follow to T at County Road 1000S. Turn left onto 1000S and travel to 500 E. Turn right and follow to stop sign in downtown Clarksburg. There is a Camp Woodsmoke sign at that intersection. Turn left onto 640N and follow to the Camp Woodsmoke entrance where there is a sign indicating right turn at Camp entrance. **FOR THE SAFETY OF OUR VISITORS, SPEED LIMIT IS 10MPH!!!**

Second route: Follow I-74 out of Indy to Greensburg and take the exit that goes north onto State Route 3. Follow State Route 3 north to 300N. Turn Right on to 300N. (There is a school on the northeast corner of that intersection.) Follow to 400E. Turn left and follow to T at 640N. (There is a church at the top of the T.) Turn right onto 640N and follow to Camp Woodsmoke. You will travel through downtown Clarksburg before getting to Camp Woodsmoke.

**FOR THE SAFETY OF OUR VISITORS,  
SPEED LIMIT IS 10 MPH!!!**

Be safe in your travels, count your blessings each day, be grateful for your friends and family, continue to serve when you can and thank all Veterans and First Responders you meet for all they have done for our freedoms and safety.

Yours In Lionism,  
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# MD-25 Lions

## International Pin Design 2024



**June 21–25, 2024:** Melbourne, Australia: With Melbourne's combination of world-class dining, art galleries, homegrown fashion and a packed sports calendar, it's no surprise Victoria's capital is regarded the world's most livable city. The centre of Melbourne is threaded with cobbled laneways, which have become a mecca for coffee shops, cafés and unique shopping boutiques. Start at Flinders Street station, wander down Degraves Street and explore the city's beautiful arcades and street art around every corner.

Pins **MUST** include:

- a-MD 25 Indiana (as text)
- b-the Intl Convention year - 2023
- c-Lion Club Intl Logo
- d-Intl Convention Host City representation
- e-MD 25 graphic representation of MD-25 usually includes a race car and/or the outline of Indiana.

Each club can submit one design to its District Governor. One design will be selected by each District Governor. All District designs need to be submitted to me by January 18, 2023. You can scan and attach it to an email to me at [angbelc@iue.edu](mailto:angbelc@iue.edu). Each District's selected design will be presented to State Council in January. Remember: pin designers do not have to be (a) Lions.

Be creative and have fun!

CS Angela Locke, State Pin Chairperson



# CHRISTMAS AT **CAMP** **WOODSMOKE**



## Drive Thru Christmas Light Display



December 2, 3, 9, 10, 16, & 17  
6pm to 9pm

Visit Santa's Mailbox to drop off your letters!

**9219 E County Rd 640 N, Greensburg, IN**



Support our Camp with a Special Cause  
Donations Welcome and Appreciated

Visit us at [CAMPWOODSMOKE.ORG](http://CAMPWOODSMOKE.ORG)







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## Winter Cabinet Meeting

*Hosted by The Decatur Central Lions Club*

**Saturday February 11th**

Decatur Twp School for Excellence Community Room  
South Entrance 5106 S. High School Rd  
Indpls, In 46221

***Doors Open at 8:45am Meeting to Begin at 10am***

**A Continental Breakfast and a Soup, Salad,  
& Sandwich Lunch will be Served.**

**We would Appreciate a Raffle Basket or  
Item from each Club for the Silent Auction**

**Checks made Payable to: DC Lions**

**Attn Bev Coombs 4622 Tincher Rd Indpls, In 46221**

**317-345-6155      decaturcentrallionsclub@gmail.com**

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**Name & Title** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Club Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Amount \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**\$20 before February 1st**

**\$25 After & At the Door**



THE LIONS OF INDIANA  
34TH MID-WINTER CONFERENCE  
SATURDAY, JANUARY 21, 2023

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 Seminar	1:30 pm – 2:15 pm
First Session Seminar	9:45 am – 10:30 am	Fourth Session Seminar	2:30 pm – 3:15 pm
Second Session Seminar	10:45 am – 11:30 am	Afternoon Workshop	1:30 pm – 3:15 pm
Morning Workshop	9:45 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 \$118 PLUS APPLICABLE TAXES.

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

**Hotel Reservations must be made by 6:00 pm EST Tuesday, December 27, 2022.**

**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.





## 34TH MID-WINTER CONFERENCE FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER JANUARY 20, 2023



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 which will include: Cider Brined Grilled Pork Chop paired with a  
Seared Chicken Breast, 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.

### Friday Night Speaker Charlie Adams

Charlie Adams will present an entertaining and informative talk on people and stories from throughout the  
Hoosier State!

## SATURDAY CONFERENCE LUNCHEON JANUARY 21, 2023

### Menu: BACKYARD COOKOUT

Grilled Black Angus Burgers, All Beef Hot Dogs, Bratwurst with Sauerkraut, Bourbon Brisket, Baked Beans,  
Corn Cobettes, Leaf Lettuce, Sliced Tomatoes, Sliced Red Onions, Pickles, and Assorted Condiments, Breads,  
Orange Cream Sheet Cake and Chocolate Texas Sheet Cake, Coffee and Tea

## TWO SERVICE PROJECTS!!

**“Sock It To Me”** – 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 assemble first aid kits and toiletry kits using  
cleaned hard eyeglass cases that our district governors will share with the needy people in their districts.

## SATURDAY KEYNOTE SPEAKER

To Be Determined

**REGISTRATION FORM**  
**34th Annual Lions of Indiana Mid-Winter Conference**  
**SATURDAY, JANUARY 21, 2023**  
*(Each Attendee Is Asked to Complete a Separate Form)*

**EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION: \$45.00**  
**EARLY BIRD REGISTRATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED OR EMAILED BY NOVEMBER 30, 2022**

**Registrations made after DECEMBER 1ST and ON-SITE REGISTRATION: \$55.00**

**Conference Registration with no meals included: \$25**

**Registration includes: morning coffee and pastries, Buffet Luncheon, use of hotel meeting rooms, Keynote Speaker fee and accommodations, printing and supplies.**

**To guarantee meal availability, Registration must be received by January 15, 2023**

**CANCELLATION POLICY: CANCELLATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED PRIOR TO JANUARY 10, 2023. TO RECEIVE A REFUND. CANCELLATIONS REQUESTED AFTER THAT DATE WILL NOT RECEIVE ANY REFUND. REFUNDS WILL NOT BE GRANTED BECAUSE OF THE WEATHER**

Seminars and Workshops will be filled on a first come, first served basis.  
Send registrations early to assure getting 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](mailto:mwam2893@gmail.com) 317-518-4070

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

Card Type: [ ] VISA [ ] MC [ ] Discover Card# \_\_\_\_\_

Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Security Code \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Lion Title: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ District: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ This is my first Mid-Winter Conference. I was encouraged to attend by: \_\_\_\_\_

Registration: ( ) \$45.00 early-bird; ( ) \$55.00- Dec. 1 - Onsite ( ) \$30.00 Friday Dinner ( ) \$25.00 Conference Only  
= Total Amount Due per Registration \_\_\_\_\_

Review the Seminars offered and note the session time each seminar will be offered. Please circle your selections for each session to help us plan sufficient seating and handouts for each seminar.

9:45 – 10:30	Seminar Session 1	1	2	3
10:45 - 11:30	Seminar Session 2	4	5	6
1:30 – 2:15	Seminar Session 3	7	8	9
2:30 – 3:15	Seminar Session 4	10	11	12
9:45-11:30	Morning Workshop	Session 1		
1:30 – 3:15	Afternoon Workshop	Session 2		



# Seminar Selections

**CHOOSE:** Two (2) Seminars in the Morning and two (2) Seminars in the Afternoon. There are also one (1) morning workshop and one (1) afternoon workshop that are double seminar times.

## Morning Workshop Session One: 9:45 am to 11:30 am

### Workshop #1 LIONS LEGAL ISSUES AND INSURANCE

**Presenter:** PDG Mark Clark

Back by popular demand! Lions International's Legal Division is here to help you. Come find out how! Everything from insurance to general legal information.

## Morning Seminar Session One: 9:45 am to 10:30 am

### Seminar #1 TAIL TWISTING – WHY, HOW, AND POSSIBLE IDEAS

**Presenter:** PDG Peg Dawson and 2VDG Erica Thomas

Are your club meetings in need of more fun? Learn how to add more fun and enjoyment to your meetings.

### Seminar #2 FLOATERS, BLOBS, AND WEBS: LIVING WITH DIABETIC RETINOPATHY

**Presenter:** Lion Jennifer Drapalik

Living my life with Diabetic Retinopathy for three and a half years. What is it? What is it like to live with it? What type of treatments are there? How to prevent it?

### Seminar #3 FINDING AND APPLYING FOR GRANTS

**Presenters:** Lion Debbie Ellis and Past International Director Linda Tincher

This seminar will help you learn where to find grants, how to apply for grants, and learn how to avoid common pitfalls that may prevent you from getting the grant.

## Morning Seminar Session Two: 10:45 am to 11:30 am

### Seminar #4 DIABETES AWARENESS...LIVING A HEALTHY LIFESTYLE

**Presenter:** Tasha Lane

Join in to learn the importance of good nutrition and the importance of keeping your body moving.

### Seminar #5 CREATING PARTNERSHIPS, TOGETHER WE CAN DO MORE!

**Presenter:** PCC Lee Flower

Together we can do more! Learn how to partner for better service and fundraising.

### Seminar #6 MENTORING + SERVICE = RETENTION

**Presenter:** Lion Ruth Kelly

Learn how to increase your membership retention with the equation of Mentoring plus Service equals Retention.

## Afternoon Workshop Session Two: 1:30 pm to 3:15 pm

### Workshop #2 KNOW THE LAW BEFORE YOU PLAY. **Presenter:** Mark Mason, Assistant Director, IN State Gaming Commission

Back by Popular Demand! Does your club host any games that fall under the Indiana Gaming laws? This session will help you stay on top of these laws and how they affect your club.

## Afternoon Seminar Session Three: 1:30 pm to 2:15 pm

### Seminar #7 RECRUITING MEMBERSHIP **Presenter:** PDG Charlie Short

"It's Worth Fighting For: 21st Century Lions." One of America's great gifts to humanity is Lions, and it continues to resonate around the world. Here at home, it's time for a review of our approach to new membership and club growth. How do we grow and prosper in today's highly competitive community service environment? How do we reach the Lions that will carry our Association's proud history forward? Debunk some popular myths, review current programs, and offer a new, proven model for successful growth.

### Seminar #8 SECURING SPONSORSHIPS **Presenter:** PDG Tom Robbins

What you need to know to secure ongoing sponsorships.

### Seminar #9 LEGACY GIFTING

**Presenter:** 1VDG Julia Kozicki

Leaving a Lion Legacy—giving the gift of future service by planning today.

## Afternoon Seminar Session Four: 2:30 pm to 3:15 pm

### Seminar #10 LCICOn BOSTON

**Presenter:** PDG Peg Dawson

The 2023 Lions Clubs International Convention will be in Boston! If you've never been to an International Convention, come and hear what you are missing. If you've been to an International Convention, come and share why you attend. This year the convention is in Boston, a city full of history.

### Seminar #11 KIDSIGHT SCREENING

**Presenter:** Lion Sheila Christoff

Have you or your club wanted to get involved in KidSight Screening but did not know where to begin? Attend this seminar where Lion Sheila can show you how to get involved, show you how to use the Plus-Optix screener and the Blinq screener.

### Seminar #12 RAISING A LEADER DOG PUPPY

**Presenters:** Lions Don and Jan Allen with DG Bob Hrdy

Learn how to get involved in and how to raise a Leader Dog Puppy, followed by a discussion how a Leader Dog has changed their life.



## 2023 Indiana Lions 102<sup>nd</sup> 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 12<sup>th</sup> 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](http://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 BBQ 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: \_\_\_\_\_

Or grilled ham & cheese on sourdough bread: \_\_\_\_\_ \$ 20.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

**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  
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