



# *25-D Roars*

*March 2015*



**“PEACE THROUGH SERVICE”**

**“WORKING TO STRENGTHEN THE PRIDE”**

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*I would like to thank everyone who helped make the District Convention so special. "Mother Nature" threw a fit and tried to keep us from getting together, however, about 65 Lions and guests did make it to Greentown and we had a great convention. International Director Karla Harris and Lion Clarence were absolutely fantastic and I am so glad that they were our guests for the weekend. The Greentown Lions were wonderful hosts for the convention and I thank all of you for a job well done.*

*Congratulations to all of those who have been elected to serve our district. District Governor-Elect Betty Weist, 1st Vice District Governor-Elect Steve Holtzleiter and 2nd Vice District Governor-Elect Cindy Wright will make an excellent District Governor Team for the 2015-2016 Lions year.*

*We still have four months to "Strengthen the Pride" of District 25-D, but it is going to take all of us to turn this downward spiral around. As I said at the beginning of this Lions year, "this trend cannot be stopped or changed by just one person". We must all want to save our "Dynamic" district and I believe we can accomplish anything if we set our hearts and minds to doing the job which needs to be done. Fellow Lions, please get out there and keep up the good work of adding members to your clubs and reducing drops which has helped our retention results! Remember, Ask One/Keep One. Our clubs will grow instead of decrease and falter. We must do this if we don't want to be faced with the possibility of losing our identity as a district within the next few years!*

*The Lions of Indiana State Convention will be held in Columbus, Indiana, on April 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, & 26<sup>th</sup>. The prices this year are very reasonable and we are encouraging everyone to attend as much of the Convention as possible, especially the Saturday night banquet, when the keynote speaker will be our International President, Joe Preston. Please see reservation forms elsewhere in this newsletter for more information.*

*Also, remember to add the International Convention which will be in Honolulu, Hawaii, from June 26<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup>, 2015, to your calendar, as well as the USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum to be in Grand Rapids, Michigan, on September 17<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>, 2015. Hope to see you all there!!*

*Until next time, May God Bless Each and Every One of You!!!*

**Kathy Lozier, District Governor**



### WHAT A GREAT DAY TO BE A LION 3-2-15

The Dynamic 25D Convention was held March 1, 2015 and was led by our outstanding District Governor Kathy Lozier. The Greentown Lions were the perfect host. And what a nice touch to have all that snow just to welcome our guests from Wisconsin, International Director Karla Harris and Lion Clarence. They felt right at home- and didn't have to shovel! DG Kathy, VDG Steve and I appreciated all who braved the elements to join us for this great occasion. We had several guests from outside the district who also joined us for the day. Luckily the roads were safe for the journeys home at the end of the day.



The workshops presented on Sunday were very appropriate for the times in which we're living. PID Doug talked about the Centennial Celebration and gave us good pointers on what our clubs can do to be a part of the celebration. PDG Dan Wilcox updated us on social media and beyond. We even enjoyed his dance moves! We do live in exciting times. And we had a short "Easy fundraising ideas" presentation. I'm still thinking what all I could use in a "Pound Auction". (Believe me, Karen Mace's candy would bring top dollar!) Of course, our friends from Wisconsin thought Cheese Curds would be the best.

1<sup>st</sup> VDGE Steve Holtzleiter from Anderson Noon Lions Club is a very dedicated Lion and is always ready to assist in any way he can. His wife Kathryn was inducted into Lionism during the convention by ID Karla. I'm so honored that Steve "stepped" up last fall and committed to 2<sup>nd</sup> VDGE. (Remember, where there's a need, there's a Lion)

Our new 2<sup>nd</sup> VDGE is Cindy Wright from the Upland Lions Club. She and Lion Rick are very dedicated Lions who will help Lions move into our 100<sup>th</sup> year and beyond. I am excited that she is taking this journey with us. She is already making plans for our district for the 100th year.

It is Lions International goal to serve 100,000,000 people around the world by June 2018 as part of our Centennial Service Challenge. Can you believe we've already hit the 20,000,000 mark!! Way to go Lions. Let's bring in more members so there will be more hands to serve. There will always be needs out there and the LIONS are always there to help.

DGE Betty



## Missing MMRs

### SOME SECRETARIES STILL BEHIND WITH MMRs

As of Mar 4, six secretaries of 25-D Lions Clubs need to file their club's February Monthly Membership Report (MMR) to be current. These reports are due at International by the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month.

After last month's ROARS newsletter, several secretaries have brought their MMRs up to date and are now current. Congratulations!

However there are nine (9) clubs who are way behind on submitting their MMRs. I will be contacting them to help bring them up to date.

Please remember: An MMR is to be submitted each month even if there are no changes in your membership. If your club is dark, there still is to be an MMR submitted each month to International.

If you have questions concerning this, please contact PDG Sandy Price by e-mail: [sunshine4u@indy.rr.com](mailto:sunshine4u@indy.rr.com), or by phone or text at 765-661-1356.



**A Ladies Tea Party** is coming to District D! Save the date of April 18, 2015. What fun we will have as a number of Lions from District D will invite a non-Lion to accompany them to the Tea. Each lady will go home with a tea cup and other goodies, and information about the greatest service organization in the world. Keep watching for more information. Feel free to contact 1VDG Betty at [BettyWeist@aol.com](mailto:BettyWeist@aol.com)





### **ITEMS TO SAVE AND RECYCLE TO SERVE OTHERS**

Plastic Lids (from pop bottles, butter, sour cream containers, etc.) to Markleville Lions who haul them by the truck load to Evansville to sell them with the money going to Riley Children's Hospital.

Used eyeglasses, hearing aids and ink cartridges collected and brought to the Lions Eyeglass Center in Upland to be sorted, cleaned, prescription read and sent out on missions all over the world to be given out at no cost for the recipients who cannot afford eye care.



Upland Lion's Senior Activity Center is very active each Wednesday with such programs as on March 11<sup>th</sup>, after the noon meal Johnny Appleseed will be telling stories about his life and adventures. His stories will be interesting and entertaining.

**CLUB ACTIVITIES for the District Contest should be sent to Lion Tom Moor, 228 W. High Street, Greentown, IN 46936 or e-mail them to him at: [tjakmoor@comteck.com](mailto:tjakmoor@comteck.com). Have you let him know what your club is doing?**

Something to remember - all Lions Clubs want everyone to come to their event but remember if you made a meal reservation for a Lions meeting and do not attend and have not cancelled by the deadline, you still owe for the meal. The sponsoring club has made your reservation with the caterer and has to pay for your meal even if you do not attend. Please help the host club and always pay for the meal you ordered.



## Upcoming events – Let's support our 25-D Lions Clubs!



**Upland Fish & Tenderloin Fry** March 14<sup>th</sup>, at the Upland Elementary School, 694 S. 2<sup>nd</sup> Street. Proceeds will go to the School Backpack Program. Contact Lion Cindy Wright at (765) 998-2103 or email her at rcwright72@att.net.

**Pennville Lions Fish Fry** 4:00-7:00 pm on Saturday, March 14. In April they'll be having **Lunch am and Euchre** at 1:00 pm on Saturday, April 4<sup>th</sup>. Contact Betty Drinkut ([bettrysued5@gmail.com](mailto:bettrysued5@gmail.com)) for details.



**Upland Lions** will celebrate their 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary with a dinner Monday, March 16<sup>th</sup>. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. with dinner at 6:30 p.m. Cost is \$8.00.

See flyer attached for more details.



**Wayne-Fall Lions Club** is having their annual **Palm Sunday Pancake Breakfast** Palm Sunday, March 29<sup>th</sup>. 7 am – 1 pm. The club is located on the north side of 191<sup>st</sup> Street, about 3 miles east of SR 37 at the intersection of 191<sup>st</sup> and Deshane Avenue (11940 E. 191<sup>st</sup> Street, Noblesville). They will be accepting freewill donations to help Lions community service projects. Come for breakfast, brunch or lunch! Contact Lion Dave Barker (317) 459-6232.

**HomePlace Area Lions Easter Egg Hunt** will be held Saturday, April 4<sup>th</sup> at 11 am at Pleasant Grove UMC, 4511 E. 111<sup>th</sup> St, Indianapolis.

**Fowlerton Lions** will hold their annual **Tenderloin Fry** the Saturday after Easter – April 11<sup>th</sup> from 4:00-7:00 pm in the Lion's Den. Advance tickets are \$8.50 or \$9.00 at the door.

**HomePlace Area Lions** are working with the HomePlace Neighborhood Association to have a **Pancake Breakfast**, Saturday, April 18<sup>th</sup>, 8 am – 11:30 am at the Government Center at 106<sup>th</sup> and College Avenue. Contact Lion Cindy Hanssen at [deanhanssen@aol.com](mailto:deanhanssen@aol.com).

**Marion Lions** are taking orders for a **dozen long-stemmed roses** to be delivered on April 22<sup>nd</sup> to anyone in Grant County wanting to honor an employee or loved one. Roses are \$18.00.



# *District 25-D Happenings*



*DG Kathy and PID Doug Lozier attend a joint meeting in Markleville. Pendleton represented by Lion Jeff Cash, Lion John Holmes and Markleville President Jane Holmes, DG & PID, and Lapel president Matt McClintick and wife Holly.*



*Fun and games at the Markleville-Lapel-Pendleton joint meeting where Lions are trying to roll a cookie down their face and eat it without dropping it.*



*Lions listening to DG Kathy Lozier speak at the joint meeting.*



*DG Kathy Lozier present a 10-year Monarch Award to Lapel Secretary Lion Linda Hormell.*



*Former Leo and prospective Lion Cassandra Lemons with her Leader Dog Stella was the speaker March 5, 2015 at Anderson Noon Lions.*





*Lion Ron Wilson of Fowlerton Lions receiving his 20-year Monarch Award from DG Kathy Lozier. Fowlerton President Laverne Coulter is seated.*



*Lion Clarence and ID Karla Harris, 2nd VDG Steve and Lion Holtzleiter listen as Lion Dottie Flack conducts a tour of the Cancer Control Center.*



*International Director Karla and Lion Clarence Harris on a tour of the Indianapolis Motor Speedway.*



*Katherine Holtzleiter (Anderson Noon Lions) being inducted into Lions at the District Convention by ID Karla Harris. First VD Governor-Elect Steve Holtzleiter watches and is her sponsor.*



# DISTRICT 25-D CONVENTION

Reports were made...



*PDG Dan Wilcox talks Technology*



*Lion Isabel Atcheson, Marion Lions, gives an update on Leader Dogs.*

**Greentown Lions host the convention...**



*Greentown Lions make presentations to ID Karla Harris*

*International Director Karla Harris recognizes Greentown Lions, hosts for the District 25-D Convention.*



## Recognitions were made...



*Special WP Woods Fellowships are presented to Lion Steffannie Fuydal (Carmel Lions) and Cub Katie Fuydal by District Governor Kathy Lozier for work at the State Fair. PDG Steve Marsh of the Lions Foundation is pinning Steffannie. PID Doug Lozier (left) with PDG Jack and DGE Betty Weist seated in front.*

*Lions International President Joe Preston recognizes Lions Leaders of 25-D. Presentation was made by ID Karla Harris.*



*PDG Steve Marsh of Lions Foundation with DG Kathy Lozier present ID Karla and Lion Clarence Harris with WP Woods Fellowships.*



## And VDG Betty Weist becomes DGE Betty...



*DGE Betty says ...*

*"It's a great day to be a Lion"*



*PDG Sandra Price is "All In" for VDG Betty Weist*



*Carmel Lions vote for Betty*



*ID Linda Tincher shows her support for VDG Betty Weist*



## WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS

Member	Club	Sponsor
Steven Bryant	Albany	Bob Sloniker
William Holt	Greentown	Mike Imbler
Denny Middlesworth	Greentown	Jay Freeman
William Lucas, Jr.	Greentown	Steve Skiver
Randy Middlesworth	Greentown	Jay Freeman
Dered Nicholson	Lynn	Steve Skiver
Blake Clevenger	Union City	Larry Amspaugh
Ed Speight	Union City	Harold Speight
Waneta Linton	Van Buren	John Ellis
Carl Wurtz	Westfield	Brian Abraham



## LIONS WHOSE SERVICE IS OVER



Stanley Corliss ..... Fairmount  
Robert Hill .....Greentown



# DATES TO REMEMBER

<u><b>MARCH 2015</b></u>		
<b>1st - District Convention - Greentown (Fairgrounds) - 8:30 am-5:00pm</b>		
<b>4th - Fowlerton Lions Club Official Visit - 7:30pm</b>		
<b>10th - Markleville/Lapel/Pendleton Lions Clubs Official Visits - 6:30pm</b>		
<b>16th - Fairmont Lions Club Official Visit - 7:00pm</b>		
<b>17th - SAINT PATRICK'S DAY</b>		
<b>18th - Kokomo &amp; Area Lions Club Official Visit - 7:00pm</b>		
<b>19th - Cowan Lions Club Official Visit - 6:30pm</b>		
<b>23rd - Wayne-Fall Lions Club Official Visit - 7:00pm</b>		
<b>24th - Frankton Lions Club Official Visit - 7:00pm</b>		
<u><b>APRIL 2015</b></u>		
<b>2nd - Portland Lions Club Official Visit - 6:30pm</b>		
<b>3rd - Kempton Lions Club Official Visit - 9:00pm</b>		
<b>5th - HAPPY EASTER</b>		
<b>7th - Taylor Township Lions Club Official Visit - 7:00pm</b>		
<b>11th - Foundation/Holding Corp. Meeting - 10:00am</b>		
<b>12th - Speech &amp; Hearing Meeting - 12:30pm</b>		
<b>13th - Yorktown Lions Club Official Visit - 6:00pm</b>		
<b>14th - Winchester Lions Club Official Visit - 6:30pm</b>		
<b>18th - Ladies Tea - 1:00pm</b>		
<b>24th-26th - State Convention - Columbus, Indiana</b>		
<b>28th - Gaston Lions Club Official Visit - 7:00pm</b>		
<u><b>MAY 2015</b></u>		
<b>6th - Kokomo Noon Lions Club Official Visit - 11:30am</b>		
<b>30th - 4th Cabinet Meeting &amp; Awards Picnic - Selma Lions Park - 1:00pm</b>		
<u><b>JUNE 2015</b></u>		
<b>26th-30th - International Convention - Hawaii</b>		
<b><i>Clubs Still Needing to Schedule Their Official Visit</i></b>		
<b><i>EATON</i></b>	<b><i>SWAYZEE</i></b>	<b><i>UNION TOWNSHIP</i></b>



*70th Anniversary*

# *Upland Lions Club*



*Chartered March 1945*



*Celebrating 70 years of Service  
on*

*Monday - March 16, 2015*

*Doors Open - 6:00 p.m.*

*Dinner Served - 6:30 p.m.*

*Program:*

*Vice District Governor - Lion Betty Weist*

*Induction of New Members*

*Member awards*

*Upland Lions Club History Program*

*For reservations: call Lion Cindy Wright*

*765-998-2103 or e-mail: rcwright72@att.net*

*Menu: Chicken-N-Noodles - Mashed Potatoes*

*Seasoned Green Beans - Dinner Roll - Drink & Dessert*

*\$ 8.00 per person & payable upon arrival Deadline: March 8*







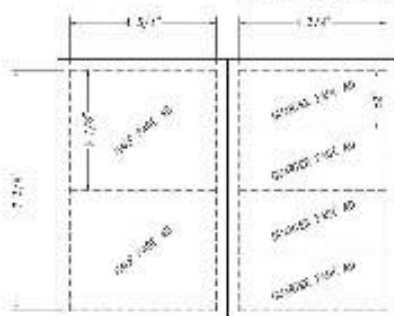
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April 24-26, 2015

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**\*\*Early Registration\*\***

**DEADLINE**

**April 1, 2015**



#### Registration Form (one per person)

Name & Title

(Lion, DG, PDG, PID, VDG etc.)

*Please print name as desired on badge.*

Address

Phone

City, State & Zip Code

District

Club

Email

Friday Golf Outing - 9:00 am (lunch included)

\$ 40.00

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Friday Evening Dinner

15.00

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Saturday Celebrate the Pride Luncheon

10.00

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Saturday All State Banquet

15.00

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Please check entree choice:

Chicken Cordon Blue

Roast Beef

Caribbean Salmon

Please check any dietary needs:

Gluten-Free

Vegetarian

Other

Sunday Brunch

15.00

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**TOTAL ENCLOSED \$**

Send registration form and check payable to "2015 Indiana Lions State Convention"  
Lion Cindy Lindgren, 8747 Blooming Grove Drive, Camby, IN 46113 (317) 690-5573



Register online and pay with  
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Email: [ILSC2015@gmail.com](mailto:ILSC2015@gmail.com)

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*Registration and Certification will begin on Friday, April 24th at 12:00 pm*

**\*\*Registrations received after April 1, 2105 will be accepted with each meal cost being \$5.00 extra.**

**Convention pin / Convention bag will also be \$5.00 after this date\*\***

**ALL ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND**

Everyone Invited