

Where there is a need, there is a Lion.

25-F



The Official Newsletter  
of Lions District 25-F  
March, 2017



## New Mountains to Climb...

...as we look forward to Spring, you must agree we have enjoyed a very mild Winter with mild temperatures and little snow but as we all know mother nature can turn on us in a moment's notice with late Winter snow fall, damaging ice storms, threats of severe weather in the form of thundershowers which can result in flooding, power outages and tornadoes resulting in catastrophic damage. Now is the time to make plans to survive server weather. You should consider putting together an emergency supply kit to last at least three days. For an easy to understand guide on how to prepare a kit and what items should be included, visit the FEMA web site at [www.ready.gov](http://www.ready.gov) "Preparing Makes Sense-Get Ready Now". Also, think about a kit for your automobile. Another reference source in the Lions Clubs web site at [www.lionsclubs.org](http://www.lionsclubs.org) and enter IAD-911 EN in the search box. This resource outlines the Lions Alert Program, the different levels of emergency and organizing a Lions Alert Committee for your area. All Lions should become familiar with this program and how it may be able to assist their local Lions Club and their community if severe weather strikes.

If you will remember, I wrote a similar paragraph in March of 2012 not expecting the tornadoes to strike Henryville, Marysville, Daisy Hill, Chelsea and Holton. We cannot set back and say it will never happen here as history indicates it will hit with less than a moment's notice. Lions are generally the first to arrive offering help and the last to leave when a natural disaster strikes. Start preparing now.

March 11th the District 25-F convention hosted by the Richmond Lions Club will be held at Ivy Tech. Community College, 2357 Chester Blvd., Richmond, IN 47374. I hope you have sent your reservation form along with a check to, Lion Idris Smith, 1850 US 27 So. W3, Avon Park, FL 33825. There will be a wealth of information presented on all the Lions State Projects as well as a good meal and a chance to win some fabulous prizes. We will also hear comments from our visiting International Director, Melvyn Bray, see last month's news letter for his biographical information.

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### Newsletter

Current: Pat Henninger

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As an International Director, he has a broad range of knowledge about Lions and their community service activities. If you have not sent your form and check it not too late, however you must hurry as the early bird rate of \$18.00 per person is only available until March 1st. The price will increase to \$20.00 per person after March 1st. I would encourage each of you to attend this year's Convention to learn more about the District 25-F Lions and all the good work we accomplish. We also elect new officers and State Project trustees at this convention.

It is not too early to start thinking about the Indiana Lions State Convention in Evansville being held on April 28th thru 30th. International President Bob Corlew will attend this Convention and it will be a great time to hear him speak about his experiences this past year. Make plans to attend, as this year's Indiana Lions Convention is being held in the hometown of Dr. W.P. Woods, the first President of Lions Clubs. If interested, refer to this month's Hoosier Lion for registration and housing details.

Also, remember the International Convention is in Chicago from June 30th to July 4th this year. If you can only go for one day, I suggest you attend on Saturday to see the International Parade in the morning and International Show in the evening.

On a sad note, the Lions of Indiana, District 25-F and the Ben Davis Lions Club lost a valuable member on February 8th when Cabinet Secretary Lion Gayle Feeney unexpectedly lost her life.

Per Gayle's request an obituary was not published in the paper but a Lions Memorial Service was held at the Clermont Lions Club Building on Monday February 13th. The service was well attended with representation from Lions Clubs from the Indianapolis area. Andrea, Thomas and Morgan, Gayle's children wish to extend their gratitude to everyone who attend the Lions Memorial Service and stayed to enjoy fellowship during and after the meal. We will all miss Gayle. My life is richer for having known Gayle and I thank her for her service to District 25-F

In lieu of flowers the family has requested that donations be made to the Ben Davis Lions Club, 8206 Rockville Rd., Indianapolis, IN 46214 with Gayle's name on the memo line with the intent of funding a scholarship for Ben Davis students.

As you might imagine Gayle left some very large shoes to fill. Fortunately, Lion Don Mullen, PDG Bill Uhrig's Cabinet Secretary stepped up to finish the year in this position. Don's previous experience as a Cabinet Secretary will help him continue duties with little or no training. Thank you Zone Chair. Don for stepping up to help us out for the remainder of this Lions year.

Cabinet Secretary Don Mullen's contact information follows:

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Information for the DG points contest and other communications you used to send to Gayle should now be sent to Don.

- DG Steve Winegardner



*Members of the Ben Davis Lions Club take pride in preparing their award-winning pancakes.*



*L to R Vevay-Switzerland Co. Lions Club President Matt Schmitt, new member sponsor Lion Barry Knaus, New Lion member David Perlman and PDG John Brown.*



*New Salem Lions Club members receive their Monarch Chevrons for years of service. Lion Treasurer Max Block (L) 40 years and Lion Brian Johnson (R) 10 years. Two new members were also inducted during this OV.*



*L-R Greenfield Lions President Sandy Porter received a Centennial Service Challenge banner patch with one Jewel, Lion Ed Stoepler receives his "2016 Indiana Distinguished Lion" Nominee Certificate and Lion Secretary Dennis Porter received his 30-year Monarch Chevron.*

## Hello to my 'F'avorite Lions 'F'amily:

*VDG Melidda Baker*

As I write this, our Lions from the Missions to Mexico are home and getting some well-deserved rest. Almost 6,000 people were served this past week, some who had never received glasses before! A few of our Lions are also back from a medical mission to Haiti where they ran out of supplies before they ran out of people!

We are a truly GLOBAL service organization! Many of us are very involved in our local communities so may feel that they do not have the time or ability to participate outside the U.S. Remember that by working in your local community you embody the very heart of a Lion – taking care of who we can, wherever we are.

You are a member of the biggest Family on the planet – 1.4 million members world-wide. I feel so blessed and proud to be a part of this great group in Indiana. We are 'the Real Thing'.

It is a great thing to be able to visit a club and let them know that we do appreciate what they do. How do we do this? By the Service Activity reports that your invaluable club secretaries file each month. Their best visit I've had so far was to the Everton Lions.

Congratulating their treasurer on paying their dues on time for at least the past two years and their secretary for filing reports for approximately the same time was a treat! Listening to reports on their on-going and future projects, I expressed the hope to keep track of their success by future reports. Inducting two of four new members was truly an honor.

Ask your Secretary if they've added the reports of your activities. It is a wonderful thing to "show off" so that we are no longer 'the Best Kept Secret'. Getting the word out may take us out of our comfort zone – we don't want to appear too proud or boastful – but our mission is the message, not the man. Lions can and should toot their horn, while recognizing those internally who have gone above and beyond with fellowships and pins.

Speaking of tooting our own horn - our newsletter editor does a fantastic job of getting the word out about your activities too. If you have the chance to meet Lion Patrick Henninger, you might say a 'Thank You' for his considerable talent and hard work. Our newsletter is easy to read and looks very professional due to his continued efforts.

Take care of yourselves and each other -

I thank you for all you do from the bottom of my heart – Yours in Lionism,

VDG Melissa Baker <http://www.indianalions25f.org/>

## Season Turning

*2nd VDG Ron Bigham*

Greetings Fellow Lions of 25F. I am sure that by now most of you Lions of 25F have heard the sad news about the passing of Cabinet Secretary Lion Gayle Feeney. Please continue to keep her family in your prayers and quiet moments. She will be missed by the Ben Davis Club which she was President and by the District.

March is the turn toward Spring and that means Lions of 25F have several major events coming up.

1st: Our District Convention coming up on March 11th in Richmond, IN. Again, I want to challenge all 64 clubs to have at least one member attend our District convention. We have many Clubs who are near Richmond that I have not seen represented at a District Cabinet meeting. Please show our visiting ID that 25F is the best.

2nd: Our District is Camp Woodsmoke Clean Up Day which happens to be the same day as Earth Day! What an opportunity to celebrate Earth Day as an environmental project for your Club. Meat will be provided and asking all attendees to bring a covered dish to share. Starting work at 9:00 with lunch around 1:00.

3rd: Our State Convention at Evansville, home of the Lions first President, W.P. Woods. This will be a special time for our State Convention with the celebration of the Lions 100 years of service and the privilege of having the International President attend our State Convention. Indiana is one of a privileged few states that the IP will attend due to their busy schedule. So far, our District is showing a little over 13% registered. District E is at 31%. Let's get those registrations in and plan for a great time in Evansville!!!!!!

Bite'em!!!!!!

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## Happy St. Patrick's Month!

*Lion Pat Bigham, Cabinet Treasurer*

No I am not Irish, but for the corn beef and cabbage and McDonalds Shamrock shake, I claim to be! If you have not tried one from McDonalds they are delicious. Now you can get chocolate added to the shamrock and yes everything is better with chocolate! Arbys' shamrock shake is good as well. Must be lunch time.

With all the instances that have occurred this year with District 25F, I would like to thank all club members for being flexible and supportive through this all. I feel we have the best District!

Currently, all but 4 clubs have paid their membership dues to the District. Thank you to those who have gotten them in. Just remember now to keep an eye on your Business Entity reporting.

If you have any issues, please feel free to contact me.



## Help Serve: Diabetes Alert Day March 28

*Christopher Reinhold District 25 F Diabetes Committee Chair.*

March 28th is Diabetes Alert Day. This day is focused solely on getting people to take the Diabetes Risk Assessment. Why is this day important? One third of US adults are pre-diabetic; 90% of those adults with pre-diabetes do not know it. Diabetes Alert Day is focused on helping those one third of US adults identify their condition so they can begin to take action to prevent future health complications.

How can you and your club help? Print out the one page American Diabetes Association Risk Assessment and pass it out. Ask whether you can set up a table at the local grocery store, or library or senior center – any place where there are adults is a good place to distribute the diabetes risk assessment. As you will see on the bottom of the risk assessment, Walgreens is the national sponsor of this risk assessment so they may be very receptive to Lions passing out the diabetes risk assessment there.

Given the number of people who are pre-diabetic and don't know it, you may help someone identify their risk of pre-diabetes. Those folks can then follow up with their doctor to discuss whether a simple blood test is needed to further assess their risk of diabetes.

Here is the link for the diabetes risk assessment:

- <http://main.diabetes.org/dorg/PDFs/risk-test-paper-version.pdf>

Note the risk assessment is available in both English and Spanish.



If people have follow up questions you can direct them to the American Diabetes Association website or the CDC's (U.S. Center for Disease Control) website.

- <http://www.diabetes.org/>
- <https://www.cdc.gov/diabetes/home/index.html>

This is a simple, low cost way to assist many people help avoid the potential complications associated with diabetes.

Please note the information above is for general discussion purposes. Please consult a healthcare professional for specific questions you may have.

Diabetes awareness is an important Lions initiative. Please contact Chris Reinhold at 317-496-9442 or [cereinhold@yahoo.com](mailto:cereinhold@yahoo.com) if you would like a short presentation with Q&A at your club meeting or to discuss ideas to promote diabetes awareness.

## Centennial Update

*PDG Jack Salsbery*

As I sit here in the warm Florida sunshine, I think of all of you who are working so diligently on upcoming Legacy projects. I hope you have all read the Centennial issue of the Lion Magazine. They truly outdid themselves on this one.

I want to bring you up to date on the Lions Night with the Indians. This will be 10 June 2017, in conjunction with Lions Day in Indiana where each club is asked to do a Service project in their community. As a conclusion of that we are having a "Lions Night with the Indians" at Victory Field in Indianapolis. This night will include a picnic and a Ball game. The cost for both is \$31.00 per person.

The price includes the picnic and admission to the game, BOX SEATS. Picnic includes 90-minute, all you can eat buffet complete with beer, soda, and water. Beer served the first 75 minutes. Buffet includes Hot dogs, hamburgers, pulled BBQ chicken, pasta salad, Mac & Cheese, fruit salad, condiments, cookies.

Now here is the good news: The first 10 Lions who sign-up - with me- at the District 25-F convention in Richmond, I will pay for their tickets. No emails, phone calls or snail mail.

Look forward to seeing you in Richmond.

Jack Salsbery, PDG, Centennial Coordinator

## Directory Change

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P55, change Danny Bolden's email: [dannyjean70@gmail.com](mailto:dannyjean70@gmail.com)

## State Convention Melvin Jones

In just two short months we will celebrate this year's Indiana Lions State Convention. During our convention during April 28 - 30 the new Lions Clubs International President Chancellor Robert E. Corlew and his wife Dianne will be attending. All Indiana Lions eligible to receive their Melvin Jones Fellowship Honor could receive it from the president during the noon luncheon. Plan now to surprise someone! Your club could recognize and honor more than one outstanding lion that afternoon. In order for something like this to happen everyone needs to plan ahead.

PDG Gary Ochs

Indiana LCIF Multiple District 25 Coordinator

## Hope Lions Club Hosting Zone Social

The annual zone social hosted by Hope Lions Club will be Tuesday April 11, 2017 with meal starting at 6:30 p.m., to be held at the Hope Moravian Church, 202 S. Main, Hope, on St. Rd. 9. Cost of the meal is \$11.00. This is payable at the door. Menu is ham loaf. Need to know who is coming by April 3. Contact Lion Mike Crull by phone 812-546-0441 leave message or e-mail [mwscrull@comcast.net](mailto:mwscrull@comcast.net)

Everyone is invited to bring items for auction and boxes to take home auction items. All auction money will be divided to Camp Woodsmoke, "F" Eyeglass Mission Fund, and "F" Eyeglass Recycling. Please come and have a good time.



# USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum

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## SPECIAL NOTICE: *RECEIVE YOUR MELVIN JONES FELLOWSHIP HONORS AT STATE CONVENTION THIS YEAR*

Any Indiana Lions Club or person that would like to receive their Melvin Jones Fellowship presented during the Indiana Lions State Convention on Saturday April 29, 2017 in Evansville, IN. should plan for it now. Everyone will have this unique opportunity in that it will be presented by current Lions Clubs International President Chancellor Robert E. Corlew and PIP Wayne Madden. What makes this a unique opportunity is because of three reasons. First, your MJF plaque with pin will be presented by the International President Chancellor Robert E. Corlew; Second, PIP Wayne Madden will be there to assist; and third, this will be a great photo opportunity for you and your Lions Club. Deadline to enter April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2017.

Even if you do not have the actual MJF plaque during the Indiana Lions State Convention, we will make the presentation using a "sample" MJF plaque and then you will receive your official plaque later.

**Please contact PDG Gary Ochs, Indiana LCIF Multiple District 25 Coordinator by Friday April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2017 at [gochsinlions@att.net](mailto:gochsinlions@att.net) or 812-275-7241.**



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Clermont Lions Club (LCI25F)

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**Wear them with pride, may your club membership grow!**

# 25-F District 25-F Convention

**Special Guest: International Director Melvyn K. Bray  
Hosted in Richmond, IN by the Richmond Lions Club**



MELVYN K. BRAY,  
INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR  
Melvyn K. Bray, from Whiting, New Jersey, USA, was elected to serve a two year term as a director of Lions Clubs International at the association's 98th International Convention held in Honolulu, Hawaii, June 26 through 30, 2015.

Director Bray is a retired bank vice president and regional manager. A member of the Toms River Lions Club since 1973, he has held many offices within the association, including club president, club treasurer, club secretary, club membership chairper-

son, council secretary, cabinet treasurer, council chairperson, district peace poster contest chairperson, district LCIF chairperson, multiple district GMT coordinator and region chairperson. He is also the executive director for The Lions Eye Research Foundation of New Jersey.

In recognition of his service to the association, Director Bray has received numerous awards, including the Club President Excellence Award, a Leadership Award, Senior Builder Key Award, Life Membership Award and three International President's Awards. He is also a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow. In addition to his Lions activities, Director Bray is active in numerous professional and community organizations, including the Sight & Handicapped Foundation of Ocean County, Funds for the New Jersey Blind and the New Jersey Camp for Blind Children.

Director Bray and his wife, Ginny, also a Lion and a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow, have one son, one daughter and three grandsons.

# Regarding the Lions State Convention...

Hello Lions! I am *so* excited to remind you that the Indiana Lions 2017 State Convention is getting closer every day! The end of April will be here before we know it. What a great time to catch up with friends we haven't seen in a year and a time to make new friends from all over the state.

Please make sure to get registered and get your hotel room reserved soon to ensure your spot for the Friday night dinner on the LST as well as a room in the Double Tree Hotel that is connected to the Old National Events Plaza (ONEP). There are so many great things planned, I don't know quite where to start.

Friday morning at 10:00am, the International President Chancellor Corlew will be leading the dedication of the Memorial Tree Legacy Project at the Ford Center right across the street from ONEP. There are group tours of the LST (Landing Ship Tank) just for the Lions Friday afternoon before the dinner. We even get special commemorative tickets!

Saturday starts bright and early with district caucuses and then right into two sets of seminars. We are blessed to have several great speakers: Paul Fugate (USA/Canada Forum) speaking on Millennials and a new century of service; Susie Tittle speaking about the Legacy of Dr. W.P. Woods, The Power of Public Relations with 1<sup>st</sup> DG Tom Polk, as well as many others. There will be a great space for socializing in the hospitality area of the Double Tree Ballroom.

PCC Jeff Schafer has done a great job of making the convention website very user friendly. The site has pull down menus with links to the LST, Centennial merchandise for sale, several places to visit and eat in the Evansville area, other hotels to stay in, and descriptions of all the tours scheduled during the Convention weekend. The website also gives you the opportunity to register and pay with your credit card through PayPal. The website is

[www.indianalionsstateconvention.org](http://www.indianalionsstateconvention.org).

The wonderful news is that several lions are already registered. As of 1/28/2017, the Districts have the following numbers registered:

District A – 8	District E - 32
District B – 6	District F - 11
District C – 13	Distirct G - 6
District D – 4	Non-Lion Guests - 1

Please remember that Evansville is in the Central Time Zone and you may need to adjust travel time accordingly. The Convention Committee can't wait to welcome you with Southern Indiana hospitality!

Co-Chair Lion Erica Thomas



# Centennial Update

The MD-25 Centennial Committee met on 12 November 2016 to finalize our plans for our District Celebration of the Lions 100 years of Service to Mankind.

We will not, as it stands now, have a float in the 500 Festival Parade. However, we are planning on a float in Chicago.

The 500 Festival Parade will consist of a train, racing Lions and a marching unit. Marchers will be limited to 10 per Multi-District.

June 10<sup>th</sup> will be “Indiana Lions day of Service”. We are asking each club to plan a service project for that day. It doesn’t need to be an all-day affair. 1-2 hours of service would be great. Please report to me what you have planned.

Also, June 10<sup>th</sup> will be Lions Night with the Indians. Other districts will be having the same type event with teams from their areas. This will be a fun event with a picnic on the lawn and then watching the game. The picnic will cost \$17.50. The price of the ticket will depend on where you want to sit. There will be a surprise announcement to this event when I return from Florida.

Clubs should contact local businesses to ask them to put on their business signs something like the below suggestion. This should run during the month of June 2017

“Congratulations  
Lions Clubs  
100 years of Service”

Also ask local officials to proclaim 10 June 2017 as “Lions Day in (Town).”

Remember, contact your county fairs to have a “Lions Day at the fair”. Set up a booth, give info and goodies.; a good way to recruit new members. We’re working on the Indiana State Fair, Pacers, and Colts. More info to come.

Remember you service projects. Report them to LCI. Earn awards.  
“WHERE THERE IS A NEED, THERE IS A LION”.

Jack R. Salsbery, PDG, 25-F  
Centennial Coordinator





## Are you coming to Chicago for the Lions Centennial Convention in June, 2017?



Lions Clubs International is planning to celebrate their 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration, the Lions of MD1, Illinois are planning to host the party. We have been in the process of preparing to host the Lions of the World as they arrive in Chicago to be part of this Centennial Celebration. We are looking forward to demonstrate our Midwest welcome and hospitality to all convention attendees and their families.

The Centennial Convention is June 30 - July 4, 2017 in Chicago, Illinois. The main venue will be Chicago McCormick Place. At this time, the anticipated attendance is about 35,000 to 40,000 people from around the World. The different delegations will be housed in more than 18 hotels that are located along the "Magnificent Mile" - Michigan Avenue. The International Parade will be Saturday, July 1, 2017. The parade will step off at 9:00 am and proceed down State Street. We are anticipating about 20,000 marchers, 18 marching bands along with cars, trolley buses and floats. This parade will be one of the convention highlights and demonstrate to the City who the Lions are.

Lions Clubs International has made some changes that will allow all those who attend time to visit the Centennial Exhibit in the main exhibit hall as well as to enjoy the sights and sound that the City of Chicago has to offer. Some of those changes include:

- The hours of the Convention Services and Exhibit Hall have been extended for additional hours per day. This change is to accommodate the high number of attendees.
- The Delegate Certification and Voting Procedures have changed. Instead of getting certified as a delegate any time during the convention and then coming to vote on the last day of the convention, you will now be able to get certified and vote starting on Sunday, July 2 at 1:00 pm through Tuesday, July 4 until 10:30 am.
- LCI has added a Business Session on Saturday, July 1 following the parade. This session will be for the nomination of the candidates for International Directors. The third Vice President's nomination will take place at the Sunday morning session.

On Saturday, July 1, 2017 not only do we have the Parade of Nations and a newly added Business Session, along with the International Show in the evening. The performance at the show will include the "Beach Boys" and "Chicago". Both these bands are internationally known and will be performing individually at the show.

Something else that is new, is that during the International Show the main exhibit hall will be open to the attendees. The idea is to allow those that would like to take a break to go to the hall and walk around. There will be food and drinks available in the hall during the show. The International Show will be starting at 5:30 pm which is earlier than years past. This may be a long day for those who participate in the parade as well as attend the Saturday afternoon business section, but I feel that it would give those the full experience of the convention.

I hope that you planning to come and celebrate this milestone in our Association's History. Chicago has a lot to offer in the areas of site seeing, various food experiences, recreational areas and plenty of shopping opportunities. With Chicago being the Birth Place of Lions, this will be a great time to step back into the History of our Association. There will be a number of sites that you can visit during your convention experience.

Along with the traditional activities of the International Convention, Chicago will offer an opportunity to walk up the steps of the Chicago Art Museum where the photo of Melvin Jones and the founding members had their picture taken with the Lion. There will be time for you to be able to visit the grave site of Melvin Jones on the west side of Chicago. And, an opportunity to visit our international headquarters in Oak Brook, Illinois for a tour of the facility along with viewing more of the historical items on display throughout the building.

As chairman of the MD1 Host committee, I want to assure you that the Committee Members are prepared to make this convention one of the best in our Association's history. Our goal is to make all attendees feel welcome in Chicago and as if they are enjoying a family reunion away from home.

So, as we celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, let's also take the time to renew our commitment to the motto "**We Serve**" and for the centennial celebration remember that "**Where there is a need, there is a LION**". This idea will help us achieve our goals for our Centennial Celebration and at the same time renew our dedication to the service we offer to those less fortunate for our second hundred years of Lionism.

***So plan to COME and CELEBRATE this milestone in the history of LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL .....***  
We will see you soon in Chicago.

**PDG Robert C. Block**, MD1 Host Committee, Chair



## Lions Clubs International

Dear Lion Leader,

We are writing to inform you that we are consolidating new member and charter fees into a single category called *entrance fees*. As part of this consolidation, **we will have one single entrance fee of \$35 as of July 1, 2017**. This consolidation and fee increase, the first since 1993, will allow us to:

- Increase member benefits
- Improve the member experience
- Simplify the new member enrollment process by having a single entrance fee type

Specifically, we are adding:

- An enhanced new member kit with ongoing new member communications and tools
- Upgraded MyLCI 2.0 to provide members a destination to track their activities and engage with other members
- New service programs to support the new global service framework rollout
- A mobile app for members to serve on the go
- Digital LION Magazine including mobile magazine app

It's an exciting time to be a Lion. We look forward to working on your behalf to make sure Lions remain stronger than ever, and we thank you for everything you do to make Lions Clubs International a world-class service organization.

Very truly yours,

Chancellor Bob Corlew Your International President



## Leadership Trends

INFORMATION AND TIPS FROM LCI TO LIONS

Happy 2017! This issue contains: Celebrating 100 Years, Officer Training, Creating Successful Leaders, District E-Book

### Lions --Celebrating 100 Years!



The stage is being set and plans are well underway for the Centennial Convention in Chicago! Lions Clubs International will reach a monumental milestone, 100 years of service, giving Lions from around the world a reason to celebrate! You can attend the exciting International Show featuring music groups the Beach Boys and Chicago. The plenary sessions will include interesting speakers and of course, the colorful Parade of Nations. Look for the special Centennial Exhibit and the opportunity for Leos and Lions to present or perform on stage! And there will be opportunities to take a tour of LCI headquarters. For more information, visit us at [LCICon.org](http://LCICon.org). You don't want to miss this celebration...we are looking forward to seeing you in Chicago!

### Club Officer Training

### Developing successful leaders



With our next century right around the corner, are your club officers prepared? Being able to meet the challenges of creating impact every day, engaging all your members, and managing change are all essential pieces in creating an effective club. Effective club officer training will have your club more prepared to see your legacy pro-

At Lions Clubs International, strong leadership skills are more critical than ever in order to ensure our continued success as a leader in global humanitarian service.

To achieve this goal, the Leadership Development Division provides a variety of training and development opportunities for current and future Lions leaders who strive to enhance the quality of leadership in their clubs, districts, multiple districts and constitutional areas. For more information, please visit the [Development Programs](#) web page.



### District information for everyone, not just District Governors!

Do you want to be able to quickly find the resources you need to complete all your tasks, check on key policies for club and district administration and keep on top of your busy schedule? The District e-Book is for you. The District e-Book provides essential information about MyLCI, membership reports, district chairperson positions, the GLT and GMT team. Something for everyone.

Easy access to the information district governors and other district leaders need!

- Planning Your Year
- Supporting Your District Cabinet
- Materials for Effective Club Visits
- Club Development
- Service Initiatives
- Resources and References
- and More!



### We want to hear from you!



Our objective with the **Leadership Trends** is to provide you with information and tips you can use in your leadership development efforts. If you have a suggestions for future issues or a specific topic you would like to see addressed in the next issue please let us know. Your comments will be welcomed at [gl@lionsclubs.org](mailto:gl@lionsclubs.org). Find us on Facebook! GLT – Global Leadership Team!

However difficult life may seem, there is always something you can do and succeed at - Stephen Hawking





## 100 Years of Service, 100 Ways to Celebrate

Happy birthday, Lions Clubs International! We turn 100 in 2017 and Lions around the world are celebrating! Check out the [Ways to Celebrate](#) page for plenty of celebratory inspiration. You'll find even more great ideas in the [Ways to Celebrate Flyer](#). So throw a party at your club, invite the whole community and make your event the talk of the town.

### Centennial Reminders



- Your club can support the Centennial Service Challenge *and* improve the environment by organizing a Worldwide Week of Service project from **April 17-23, 2017**. Visit the [Worldwide Week of Service to Protect Our Planet](#) page for more information and start planning your club project today!
- Raise the visibility of your club and honor your legacy of service by planning a [Centennial Legacy Project](#) in your community. Keep in mind that a club activity can be both a Centennial Service Challenge project and a Legacy Project.
- Don't forget to [report](#) your club's activities. Regular reporting showcases your club's achievements and ensures that your club gets the recognition it deserves.
- Invite your family and friends to be a part of this exciting time in Lions Clubs history by joining you in service. You'll earn [Centennial recognition](#) and benefit your community.
- You don't even have to pack your bags to take the Lions Journey. [Experience 100 years of Lions service online](#) by exploring each period of life-changing history.



# DISTRICT 25-F CLUB DONATION NOTIFICATION 2016 - 2017



Date: \_\_\_\_\_

The club of District 25-F: \_\_\_\_\_ (name of club)

would like to make the following donations to the projects so indicated:

## DISTRICT 25-F PROJECT

CAMP WOODSMOKE
\$

## DISTRICT 25-F COMMITTEE

EYEGLOSS RECYCLING
\$

## DISTRICT 25-F PROGRAM

VISION SCREENING
\$

## MD 25 LIONS OF INDIANA STATE PROJECTS

CANCER CONTROL	LEADER DOG	EYE AND TISSUE BANK	INDIANA SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED	SPEECH AND HEARING
\$	\$	\$	\$	\$

## ADDITIONAL

\$		\$	\$	\$

## LIONS FOUNDATIONS

INDIANA LIONS FOUNDATION		LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION
\$		\$

**TOTAL DONATION:**     \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Check No:** \_\_\_\_\_

25F Donation 2f

## ATTENTION: CLUB PRESIDENTS AND SECRETARIES

Now is the time for action.

As you know, Lions will be celebrating 100 years of service in 2017. The big celebration will take place in Chicago during the International Convention. However, there are things that need to be done, and reported at the local level.

There are five sets of Centennial report dates, each with a particular area of focus for collection of data and reporting:

The dates are as follows (NOTE change in Due Dates):

**Spring 2017**, area of focus is **Membership**, date due: **March 15, 2017**

**Fall 2017**, area of focus is **Legacy**, date due: **September 15, 2017**

**Spring 2018**, area of focus is **LCI Forward**, date due: **March 15, 2018**

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

**Club Centennial chair:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Accomplishments** (What has been accomplished in the area of Service):

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**Challenges** (Are you reporting service activities, etc.

Yes\_\_\_\_ No\_\_\_\_

**Comments:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Please forward to me at [dosalsbery@att.net](mailto:dosalsbery@att.net), phone 317-823-0821.  
Remember the due date is **March 15, 2017**.

**Jack Salsbery, PDG, 25-F**  
**District Centennial Coordinator**



### **MARCH UPDATE:** Lions Clubs International Convention and 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration

While going to the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary LICCon is an experience all on its own, the city of Chicago has a lot to offer while you're there. Just a few suggestions are . . . The Wrigley Building, Billy Goat's Tavern, Navy Pier, Millennium Park, Second City Theatre (many SNL alums performed here first), Adler Planetarium, Willis Tower Skydeck (formerly Sears Tower – this tower has retractable glass balconies to walk out on), Lincoln Park Zoo, multiple water/dinner tours including the Chicago river and Lake Michigan. And, there's the Miracle Mile where top drawer shopping abounds. Food? You can get whatever kind you want all over the city.

Make plans now and join your fellow Lions from around the world.

Registration is only \$180 from now through March 31, 2017 after which it will increase to \$200. Go to <http://licon.lionsclubs.org> for more information and to register.

**NOTE:** More of the official Indiana Delegation Parade shirts (and hats) required for the Parade of Nations on Saturday July 1, are just about ready for you. The first place to get one will be at your District Conventions in March. Please attend your Conventions and secure one of these awesome shirts.

PDG Dan Wilcox, ICC Chairman – [danwpu@comcast.net](mailto:danwpu@comcast.net)



# **YOU'RE INVITED!**

## **LIONS DAY WITH THE UNITED NATIONS**

### **SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 2017 NEW YORK, NY, USA**

Spend the day with Lions Clubs International, the United Nations and the Special Olympics. Together we will discuss how we can improve health and inclusion around the world to make a big impact.

**Seating is limited. Register today to reserve your spot!**



## **Lions Clubs International**

Hello,

Great News!! Club Presidents and Secretaries now have access to a new Report in My LCI that generates an Invitation Letter to every Lion in your club in good standing!

With Club Officers having the ability to provide an Invitation Letter for those wishing to attend the Lions Clubs International Convention, we are positive that this improved process will benefit all Lion members receiving an Invitation Letter in a timely manner.

Not only do Officers have this added benefit, it is easy to do! Please find a short step-by-step guide to help you through the process of generating an Invitation Letter.

If you should have any questions, please contact the Convention Division at [convention@lionsclubs.org](mailto:convention@lionsclubs.org).

Thank you,

LCI Convention Division





# USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum

PORTLAND, OREGON SEPTEMBER 21-23, 2017



## TAKE YOUR SWEETIE TO THE FORUM

for an unbelievable weekend of learning at the Forum & to explore on the most exciting cities in the United States.



## FREE 24/7 PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION DURING THE FORUM

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[registrar@lionsforum.org](mailto:registrar@lionsforum.org)

805-723-4007







## LIONS CLUBS

# Centennial Coin Update

### ***We need your help!***

Our Centennial Commemorative Coin went on sale January 18, 2017. To date, approximately 38,000 coins have been sold. The first week of sales was encouraging, with a total of 30,456 coins sold. But sales for week #2 dropped considerably from week #1, to just over 8,000 coins. **If sales continue to decline in the first 60 days, the U.S. Mint may cease production** of our Centennial silver dollar as minting additional coins is based entirely on sales expectations.

We can't let that happen, and here's why. Once the U.S. Mint has surpassed the break-even point of the program (approximately 200,000 coins), US\$10 is authorized to be paid to LCIF for every coin sold. If we sell all 400,000 coins of our planned mint-age, **US\$4 million will be given to LCIF to support our global humanitarian initiatives.** Just imagine how many more people we could help!

We know that it takes time to get the word out to Lions, and that's where you, our Lions leaders, can make the difference. In your highly respected and influential position, **you can assist our marketing efforts by promoting the coin during your regular visits to Lions**—at district and multiple district conventions, club visits, etc.—and encouraging them to [purchase a coin](#).

If you have already ordered and received your coin, bring it to events so Lions can see the beauty and value of this limited-edition coin for themselves. You can also download our [Centennial Coin flyer](#) and [FAQ](#) to help promote the coin to Lions.

With your help, we can make this program a success! Very truly yours, Chancellor  
Bob Corlew



Lions of  
Multiple District 25,



Show your pride of Lionism with an official Lions Clubs of Indiana license plate. When you purchase or renew your Lions Clubs plate, a \$25 contribution will be designated to the Indiana Lions Foundation Grant Project. The Grants assist our Lions Clubs, Districts, and State Projects throughout Indiana to help carry out their charitable purposes.

For more information on how you can show your Lions Pride whenever you travel, visit: [indianalionsfoundationmd25.org](http://indianalionsfoundationmd25.org)



## **Indiana Lions District 25 F District Convention**

**Saturday, March 11, 2017**

**Join the Lions of District 25 F in welcoming International Director  
Melvyn K. Bray and his wife Ginny**

**Proudly hosted by the Richmond Lions Club, Inc.**

**Location: Ivy Tech Community College; 2357 Chester Blvd., Richmond, IN 47374**

**Doors open at 8am; meeting starts at 9:30**

**Coffee, juice and pastries available**

**Cost: \$18.00 before March 1st. \$20.00 after March 1st.**

**Menu: Stuffed chicken breasts, green beans, toss salad, rolls, assorted cookies, beverages.**

**Make checks payable to the Richmond Lions Club, Inc. and mail to:**

**Lion Idris Smith  
1850 US 27 So. W3  
Avon Park, FL**

**(I will be flying back from FL for the convention on March 10<sup>th</sup> so reservations should be mailed no later than  
March 5<sup>th</sup> to assure receipt.)**

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

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

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

**Club** \_\_\_\_\_

**Before March 1 - No. attending x \$18** \_\_\_\_\_

**After March 1 – No. attending x \$20** \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Enclosed** \_\_\_\_\_

Ivy Tech Community College is located on the IU East/Ivy Tech/Purdue campus. From 1-70, take the Chester Blvd (US 27 South) exit. Turn left (east) at the 2<sup>nd</sup> stoplight (McDonalds on west side)

onto Horizon Dr. Follow signs to Ivy Tech Community College Johnson Hall.



# BRIGHT LIONS PANCAKE BREAKFAST

**SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 2017**  
**7 AM TO NOON**

**2160 LAMPLIGHT DRIVE**  
**BRIGHT, INDIANA**

(Next to Firehouse on Salt Fork)



**Menu: Pancakes, Sausage, Biscuits & Gravy**  
**Coffee, Milk & Juice**

**Donation: Adults \$7 - Kids 12 & Under \$3.00**

**Pre-Sale tickets available from any Bright Lions Member or at Logan Supermart**

**Event Sponsored by Logan Supermart**





## **5<sup>th</sup> Annual Pike Township and Clermont Lions Club Dinner and Auction**

**Saturday, March 4<sup>th</sup>  
3201 N. Tansel Road, Clermont**

**6:00 p.m.**  
*(Door opens at 5:00 p.m.)*

**\$20.00 per person**  
*(includes dinner)*

**Silent auction, live auction, and raffles!**

**Please join us for an evening of fun!  
Proceeds support each Club's many service  
projects.**



# Indiana Lions State Convention Information

## Happy Birthday Lions!

That is the theme for the 2017 Indiana Lions State Convention in Evansville on April 28—30, 2017. Make your plans now to join Lions from across the state of Indiana at the 2017 Indiana Lions State Convention to celebrate 100 years of lionism. More than 130 Lions have already pre-registered for the Convention. The convention will be hosted by the Oakland City and Petersburg Lions Clubs, assisted by Lions from throughout District 25-E.

Lions Clubs International President Robert Corlew will be our special guest at the convention. IP Corlew will participate in the presentation of awards at the Awards Luncheon on Saturday, and will be the keynote speaker at the All-State Banquet on Saturday evening. Convention attendees will have an opportunity to meet IP Corlew during a seminar session on Saturday afternoon.

A frequently asked question about the convention is: “What is the dress code for the All-State Banquet on Saturday evening?” The District Governors and other Lions leaders seated at the head table will be wearing formal dinner jackets, but this is a Lions function and Lions apparel is always appropriate at a Lions function. Please plan to attend the All-State Banquet, even if you don’t have a Lions vest or shirt. We want you there, no matter what you wear.

Several exciting events and tours are being planned including a Friday evening dinner aboard the LST 325. LST 325 is a restored, fully operational, Navy ship that actually served our country in WWII. The LST is docked in Evansville on the Ohio River and will provide a unique dining experience. There will be a special breakfast commemorating Dr. W. P. Woods, LCI’s first International President, who just happened to be from Evansville. Theme baskets are great items to bring for the Silent Auction. A great way for your club to participate in the convention. There will be many surprises throughout the Convention.

There is no charge to attend the convention business sessions, seminars, or visit the exhibit tables. We have done our best to provide affordable meals at the convention, including children menus for the Saturday Luncheon, All-State Banquet, and Sunday Brunch. Walk-in registrations will be accepted during the convention, however, no meal reservations will be accepted after April 20. The deadline for meal reservations at regular prices is April 1. After April 1, the price for each meal will increase by \$5.00. We encourage you to register early to avoid the added cost.

We look forward to celebrating 100 years of lionism with you at the 2017 Indiana Lions State Convention!



Dear Lions Clubs,

The **2017 Indiana State Convention** will be held on April 28, 29 and 30<sup>th</sup> in Evansville, Indiana. The location will be the Old National Events Plaza.

District 25 E is the sponsoring District and Oakland City Lions Club and Petersburg Lions Club are the Host Clubs for the Convention. We need you and your club's help by selling Advertising for the Convention program booklet.

We are asking each Lions Club to buy an Ad for the program booklet as well as going out into your Communities and asking businesses to place an Ad in the program booklet.

For an example your club could consider buying an Ad or ask each Lion in your club if they would like to have their individual name under your Club Name for \$10 per lion member.

**See Advertisement Application enclosed. (Make copies to sell ads)**

Checks should be payable to: **2017 Lions State Convention**

Send **Camera ready** ads online to: [bs22cs@gmail.com](mailto:bs22cs@gmail.com)  
or to my home address:

**Ceal Schulz  
6305 Old State Rd.  
Evansville, IN 47710**

**Send checks to: CT Richard Kaiser  
1510 Red Leaf Dr.  
Evansville, IN 47712**

We hope you will be attending the State Convention since it is so close to those of us in Southern Indiana. Your help is invaluable in making this the best Convention ever. We are celebrating "100 years of Lionism" and expecting a huge turnout.

We want the rest of the state to know how proud we are to have the honor of holding this Convention in Evansville, Indiana, the home of the First International President Dr. William Perry Woods.

If you have any questions, please contact one of the following:

- Lion Ceal Schulz. Program Booklet Coordinator 812-204-6552
- Lion Bill Schulz. Convention Committee member 812-204-6305
- Lion Richard Kaiser, Cabinet Treasurer 812-204-2518

Sincerely, Lion Cecelia Schulz



## **SILENT AUCTION ITEMS FOR LIONS 2017 STATE CONVENTION**

**Attention ALL LIONS...**

**Could you find it in your hearts to put together a basket  
or item for the 2017 Sate Convention silent auction?**

The Convention will be held in Evansville, Indiana, the home of Dr. W. P. Woods. We are honoring Dr. Woods as the first international president of Lions clubs International.

**This is THE most important Convention since it is celebrating 100 years  
Anniversary of Lions Clubs.**

We want to show the rest of the state that, yes we in southern Indiana do exist and feel passionately about Lions.

The item should be valued at \$50 or more. Any help you can provide would be tremendously appreciated. We suggest bringing Auction items to local cabinet meetings  
Or Spring Convention events to save time and travel.

We are in need of money making donations to help finance our Convention.

I am sure you are all interested in furthering our work in Southern Indiana by helping put us on the map.

Will you ask your clubs if they would be kind enough to help us?

**We need these donations as soon as possible.**

Thank you in advance? You are all important to us.

Sincerely the 2017 Convention Committee

**Phone: 812-867-2900 or 812-204-6552 or [bs22cs@gmail.com](mailto:bs22cs@gmail.com) Ceal Schulz for more info.**



# Lions Club of Southport



**Due to popular request we are once again taking a trip to **Leader Dogs for the Blind** in Rochester Michigan.**

We will be leaving from Indianapolis on April the 6th. 2017 and returning on April 7th. We will park our vehicles at Southport Baptist Church at 2901 East Banta Road where they will be monitored by the Southport Police Department.

We will visit the puppies, kennels, and see how these wonderful animals are trained.

The trip will include:

## **WALK WITH A LEADER DOG**

**"You will get to wear a blindfold and walk using a Leader Dog."**

Transportation to and from *Leader Dogs for the Blind*.

Overnight stay at the Quality Inn in Troy Michigan.

Transportation to and from the Greek Town Casino Thursday Evening.

Breakfast at the Inn on Friday morning

Lunch at *Leader Dogs for the Blind*.

Free snacks and drinks on the bus to and from Michigan

Door prizes and give a ways during the trip.

The all inclusive cost is **\$175.00** per person.

Cash, Check or Credit Card

Please contact Pauline Ulrey 317\*374-7294 or Bob Roe at 317-797-3294.

We must have at least 20 seats sold to make the trip.

If you pay in advance and we don't get the required number of participants your money will be refunded.

Seating is limited and is on a first come first served basis.

# Connersville Lions Club

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Connersville, IN 47331

**1/25/2017**

To: All Area Lions Clubs and Golf Courses

From: The Connersville Lions Club

**The Connersville Lions is sponsoring a golf tournament and a "CHOPPER DROP" on June 10<sup>th</sup> at the Willowbrook Country Club (formerly known as the Connersville Country Club). The entry forms for both the golf tournament and the ball drop are enclosed. Please feel free to run additional copies if needed.**

We would really appreciate your getting this information out to anyone you think might be interested. We are including a special contest that includes teams with all members from the same Lions club. This contest requires no additional entry fee, but it must be checked on the entry form that the team members are all Lion members from the same club.

Following the golf tournament and lunch (included in the golf tournament entry fee), 500 numbered golf balls will be dropped from a helicopter to a special green. The ball closest to the hole or first in the hole will win \$10,000, the second closest -\$2500 and the third closest -\$1000.00. The balls are being sold for \$50.00 each or \$100.00 for three. If all 500 balls are not sold it will be a 50/50 split with the club and the winners. First place will receive 74% of the winner's half, second place will receive 18.5%, and third place will receive 7.5%.

The golf tournament is open to anyone. We need your help with this to be a success. If you have any questions concerning the "CHOPPER DROP," please call Leonard Urban at (765)825-7405 or Hilton Henry at (765)825-4568. If you have questions about the golf tournament, call Tom Whitaker at (765)914-3737.

The Connersville Lions Club thanks you for your help in distributing this information.

**Bill Cox, President**

### Connersville Lions Club "CHOPPER DROP" Entry Form

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, I want to buy a chance in the Connersville Lions Club Chopper Drop

\_\_\_\_\_ One ball for \$50.00 or \_\_\_\_\_ Three balls for \$100.00

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone( ) - \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

**Please make check out to the CONNERSVILLE LIONS CLUB and mail to:**

**Lion Larry Myers**

**1625 W Country Club Rd**

**Connersville, IN 47331**

**Entries must be postmarked by June 1, 2017**

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# Connersville Lions Club

1<sup>st</sup> Annual

## Golf Tournament And Chopper Drop

### GOLF TOURNAMENT JUNE 10, 2017

Willowbrook Country Club  
1982 W. Country Club Rd.  
**Registration Begins 8:00AM**  
**Tournament Starts 9:00AM**

**Entry Fee**  
**\$200**  
**Per Team**

#### **FOUR DIVISIONS**

1. **All Men**
2. **All Women**
3. **Mixed (Men & Women)**
4. **All Lions Members from the same club** *(should also be entered in one of the other divisions)*

- ❖ All Teams Must Have Four Players- Only One Player with Handicap of 10 or Below Per Team
- ❖ Payout Based on Number of Teams for That Division
- ❖ Five or more teams in a division will pay 3 places
- ❖ 3 or 4 teams in a division will pay 2 places
- ❖ 1 or 2 teams in a division will pay 1 place
- ❖ Team of Lion's Club members from the same club will pay 1<sup>st</sup> place only *(will also be their division)*

### ENTRY FORM

#### **Please Check Group**

- ☐ Men's Team
- ☐ Women's Team
- ☐ Mixed (Both Men & Women)

☐ *Check Only If All Team Members Are Lions In The Same Club*

Name of Club \_\_\_\_\_

Names of Team Members    Member's Handicap

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

#### **Please Mail Entry Form To:**

Lion Tom Whitaker  
1145 N. Co. Rd. 200 W.  
Connersville, IN 47331  
(765)914-3737

# CHILI SUPPER

**Hosted by the Southport Lions Club  
and the  
Indianapolis Bowling League for the Blind**



**MEALS INCLUDE:**

**CHILI  
DESSERT**

**TEA, LEMONADE,  
WATER**

**\$7.00 per person**

**PLUS!  
A SILENT AUCTION  
and  
FUN DOOR PRIZES**

**March 25  
4 to 7 PM**

**Southport Community Center  
6901 Derbyshire Rd  
Southport Indiana 46227**

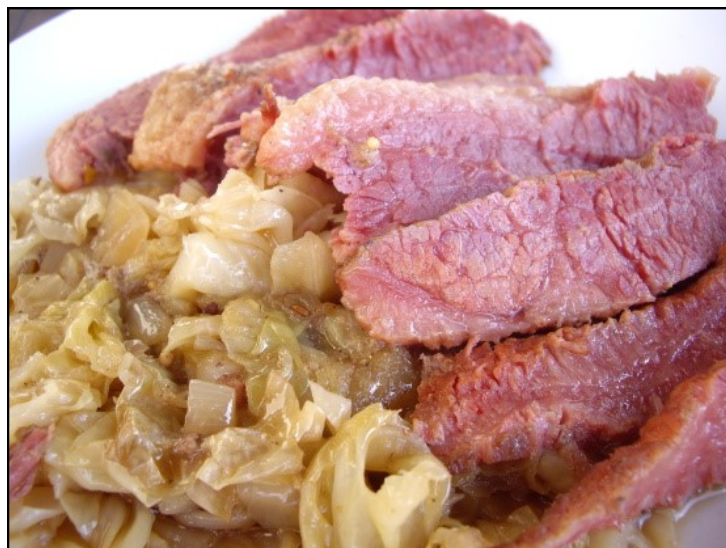
# Corned Beef and Cabbage Annual Fundraiser

Sponsored by  
The Indianapolis Center Township Lions Club

**\$10.00**

**March 13, 2017  
6:30 to 8:30 PM**

Forest Manor Methodist Church  
4062 East 34<sup>th</sup> Street  
Indianapolis, IN 46218



Includes Corned Beef, (or Chicken for those who don't eat corned beef)  
Cabbage, Mashed Potatoes, Corn Bread, Salad, Dessert, Lemonade or Coffee



Bring rakes, chain saws, leaf blowers and any and all tools to get camp ready for the camping season

We will be getting wood ready for the summer and staging it for the for the campers



Will be working on getting the camp and cabins ready for the camping season

## Camp Woodsmoke



### Spring Clean up

**We will be having the Spring  
clean up**

**April 22**

We will start at 9am, lunch will be at 1pm. We will finish at about 430 pm. Camp will provide the meat and drink. All you need to bring is a side dish.



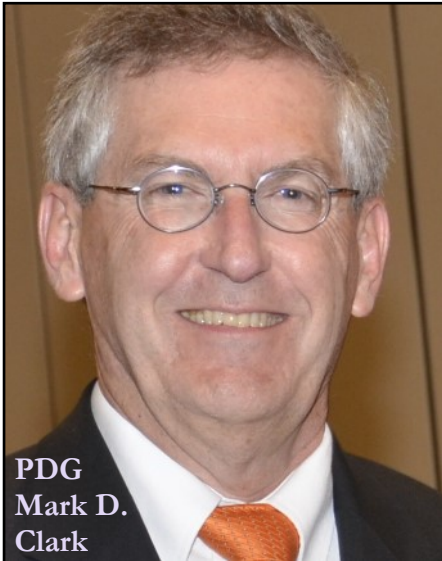




# Candidate for International Director

## Past District Governor Mark D. Clark

### Vision for the Future



PDG  
Mark D.  
Clark

#### Salem Lions Club Achievements

- Member since 1985
- Club President 1988-89
- Club Treasurer 2011-present
- Member of Board of Directors
- Membership Advancement Key
- Club Orientation Chair
- Has worked in all of Club's Service Projects

#### Recognitions

- Three Presidential Medals
- LCI Leadership Medal
- Three Presidential Certificates of Appreciation
- Membership Advancement Key
- Two Club Extension Awards
- District E-2 Lion of the Year
- Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow
- Progressive W. P. Woods Fellow

#### Vision for the Future

- Volunteers
- Ingenuity
- Sincerity
- Integrity
- Opportunity
- Needed Services

#### Why Do I Serve?

Being a part of the world's largest service organization is an opportunity to positively change the lives of individuals throughout the world every day. As a Lion, I am proud to be a Volunteer in an organization that has members who come together to help make life better for others throughout our world.

Our members have an Ingenuity that allows us to accomplish service projects that other groups only dream about. When Lions work with each other locally and globally, we accomplish our goals. We do this with Sincerity of heart that allows us to work in our clubs, zones, regions and districts to improve the lives of those less fortunate than ourselves. We truly work to help others with no thought of benefit to ourselves. Integrity in the character of each of our members strengthens the core fabric of our clubs to continue this service daily.

Our sincerity and integrity leads us to seize Opportunities to expand our service around the world so that we may include more hands for more service and greater participation by our members. By doing so, we know that our work provides Needed Services to the individuals who depend upon our projects.

These values are what drive me to serve the Lions of Indiana and why I wish to extend that service to the Lions of the world.

*PDG Mark*

#### District Contributions

- District Governor E-2 1993-1994
- Vice District Governor 1992-1993
- Region Chair 1990-1992
- Zone Chair 1987-1990
- Two Club Extension Awards
- Trustee for Cancer Control 2015-Present
- Trustee for nine years on Indiana Lions Eye and Tissue Bank serving as Assistant Treasurer and Secretary
- Trustee for twenty years on Indiana Lions Foundation, Inc. and Indiana Lions Holding Corporation, Inc. serving as Secretary, Vice Chairman, and Chairman
- District Global Leadership Chairman 2014-Present
- Past member of MERL & GLT
- Parliamentarian and Resolutions Chairman
- Constitution Chairman

#### Multiple District 25 Service

- Leadership Chair & MD GLT Chair 2008-2014
- Mid-Winter Leadership Chairman 2008-2014
- Indiana Lions Eye & Tissue Bank, Inc., Assistant Treasurer & Secretary
- Indiana Lions Foundation, Inc. & Holding Corp., Inc.; Secretary, Vice Chair and Chair
- Indiana School for the Blind and Visually Impaired Committee Chair
- Attended multiple International Conventions
- Attended Multiple USA/Canada Leadership Forums
- Presenter at multiple Mid-Winter Conferences and District Leadership events



“Where There’s a Need, There’s a Lion.”

# Lions District 25-F Newsletter

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Indianapolis, IN 46228