



District 25E Southwest Indiana Lions

October 2017 Newsletter

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Serving 22 Counties and 65 Clubs!



Upcoming Events:

- Oct 14: Guiding Lion / Rebuilding Training - Sandborn
- Oct 14: Fayetteville Lions Ham & Bean Supper
- Oct 28: 2nd Cabinet Meeting – Francisco
-Mt Vernon Pancake Breakfast
-Chandler Smoked Chop Pork Dinner
- Nov 4: Indiana Lions Annual Conference
- Nov 18: Georgetown Lions Club Optimist Event

See more details at our Website under **Calendar**
www.lions25e.org



Governor's Corner

Hello Lions!

I would like to invite everyone to attend the next cabinet meeting in Francisco on October 28th. We are planning to try something different like less reports, more training, and more fun. The DG Team has had request for more information on the new MyLion App and LCI Forward. We have also had several requests for rebuilding assistance and help with retention. So we are planning to work on offering training in these areas, so bring your tablets and smart phones so we can help you set up the app and work on rebuilding/retention ideas. If your club has P/R materials promoting your club, please bring samples for discussion and sharing. Also, since the cabinet meeting is a few days before Halloween, wear a costume and have some fun. The RSVP information is later in this newsletter.

The week of November 13th to the 17th, the district will have a new club development coordinator to help rebuild the Sullivan Lions and start a new club in the Vincennes area. I have invited the closest clubs in the area to help, but I am inviting all the clubs in the district to attend the workshop and help get members for these clubs. By attending the workshop and the recruitment drive, you will get the skills to go back to your community and be able to recruit new members for your club. We will send out more information as it is available.

In late September, I attended the Vision First: Indiana Lions Eye Bank's Circle of Life Celebration. It was a very emotional afternoon, but it was a great reminder for me of why we do what we do. If you have the chance to attend a similar event, please do so. You will feel inspired and ready to redouble your efforts in your service.

Sorry I have been a little slow in getting the District Diabetes Facebook page up and running. Please check it out, like and share the "District 25E Lions Diabetes Awareness Page". Help the district in promoting diabetes awareness so we can make a difference.

Now for something completely different, I recently visited the Medora Community Lions for their official visit. At this visit Erica and I learned about the Medora Covered Bridge. We returned to Medora on the September 23rd for the Rebuilding/Guiding Lion Training. After the training we took the time to go see and walk across the bridge. The covered bridge is a 3 span bridge over the east fork of the White River. After the visiting this gem, I got to wondering what other gems we have around the district that I should visit in the future. So please email me at ktomas@threeidesign.com with the subject line of gems in the district.

Racing off to Serve! DG Keith Thomas



Upcoming Official Visits:

- Oct 9: Elizabeth
- Oct 10: Chandler
- Oct 16: Richland
- Oct 17: Georgetown
- Oct 23: New Middletown
- Oct 25: Indian Creek
- Oct 26: Oakland City
- Nov 2: Harrodsburg
- Nov 6: Mitchell
- Nov 7: Rockport

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1st Vice DG Corner

Lions Resources



One of DG Keith's goals is to retain existing members and to form new clubs. This is not new, but his approach is. Jo Hannah and I recently attended a training session for Guiding/Rebuilding Lions. Several Lions also were in attendance and the material presented was very good. Included was the emphasis on Officer or Leadership training. Each year the district leadership provides training sessions for club and district officers in regional locations. Just as our clubs struggle with retention of members and developing new leaders the District is faced with the same challenges but on an amplified scale.

In our society, the only constant is change. As we transition to the digital age and the internet of things we and our organizations must strive to keep up. In addition, information transmission is so much easier and quick, it is affecting every aspect of how LCI and our clubs conduct their activities. Reporting by club officers has migrated to electronic form and the information required has increased.

Training is a critical aspect of every Lions member. New members must be oriented to Lions activities and to understand the duties of specific offices Officer Training is necessary. It has been my experience Officer training sessions have been sparsely attended. Some repeat officers might say "been there, done that", while others might have schedule conflicts and still others might say it is not value additive. Almost every year changes are made to our organization and the best way to keep abreast of those changes and procedures is to attend training sessions. Just as important is to network during those sessions. Contacts can be established with other office holders who can be a resource to get answers to questions that might arise.

Understandably, physically attending training sessions might be unavoidably impossible. In this case training is available on the LCI website. One comment I would like to make is that these on line training sessions should be visited before a physical training session to have ready questions to get ready answers before your year is underway. Below I'm listing a few links to the LCI resources.

Club President/First Vice President e-Book:

<http://www.lionsclubs.org/resources/EN/pdfs/ebook/DA-CPFVPEB.pdf>

This contains a link to the Club President self-study module and workbook link, a link to the standard form of Constitution and By-Laws, planning your year description, describes other offices as Member Chairs, using My LCI, transitioning out of the office and other useful information.

Club President PowerPoint Module:

http://www.lionsclubs.org/resources/EN/ppt/club_president_training.pptx

Club President Workbook:

http://www.lionsclubs.org/resources/EN/pdfs/club_president_workbook.pdf

Club Secretary e-Book: <http://www.lionsclubs.org/resources/EN/pdfs/ebook/DA-CSEB.pdf>

Club Secretary PowerPoint Module:

http://www.lionsclubs.org/resources/EN/ppt/club_secretary_training.pptx

Club Secretary Workbook:

http://www.lionsclubs.org/resources/EN/pdfs/club_secretary_workbook.pdf

Membership Chair e-Book: <http://www.lionsclubs.org/resources/EN/pdfs/ebook/DA-CMEB.pdf>

Membership Chair Guide: <http://www.lionsclubs.org/resources/EN/pdfs/me44.pdf>

Club Treasurer e-Book: <http://www.lionsclubs.org/resources/EN/pdfs/ebook/DA-CTEB.pdf>

Club Treasurer PowerPoint:

http://www.lionsclubs.org/resources/EN/ppt/club_treasurer_training.pptx

Club Treasurer Workbook:

http://www.lionsclubs.org/resources/EN/pdfs/club_treasurer_workbook.pdf

Making It Happen: <http://www.lionsclubs.org/resources/EN/pdfs/tk10.pdf>

My hope is you have some new resources from this information to assist you in your service. Navigating the LCI website can be intimidating, so the direct links here should be of value.

Thank you for all you do.

Lion 1st VDG Ron Edwards

2nd Vice DG Corner

Fellow Lions,

It is October already and where does the time go? I know a lot of Clubs are busy with vision screening in the schools and preschools. There are also lots of Clubs busy with Fall Festivals, getting ready for Thanksgiving and Christmas too. These are all great things to help our communities. Please don't forget if you need help to do your project ask the Clubs around you or ask your Zone or Region Chair for help.

Don't forget that the Peace Posters must be voted on in your club and then bring the poster to the 2nd Cabinet meeting on October 28th at the Francisco Lions Club. We will then vote on the best Peace Poster to represent our District and DG Keith will carry it to a meeting with the remaining Districts of our State to vote on the Poster to represent the State of Indiana at the International level.

PCC CS Jeff and I are in Upper Michigan on travel for his work. I am trying to catch up on things and enjoying the color change in the trees. Enjoy the Fall Foliage!

Remember, "We can do it."

2nd VDG Sheryl Schafer
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Fallen Lions Reported in September 2017

None	
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Prayer List:

Our thoughts and prayers are with those Lions and their family members or friends around the world that are sick or in the hospital or at home, and all others whose losses were unknown to us at this time.

Please email PDG Phil at plange@twc.com or call or text at 812-677-0500 with names, club and condition of those needing prayers.

PDG Trea McCandless	Lion Doris Bliss	PDG John Ferry	Lion Cindy DeHart
Anita Bottom	Lion Jaline Spurgeon	Alice Lange	Lion Bob Evans
PDG Alvetta Wallace	PDG Phil Lange	Lion Jo Hannah Edwards	
Lion Henry Spindler	Lion Harry Martin	Lion Tonya & Paul Higgs	
Family of Lions Bill & Ceal Schulz			

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Articles and
Pictures (with
captions) by the end
of each month to:**

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Preferred format for
articles is .pdf and for pics
is .jpg.

We're on the Web at:
www.lions25e.org

Newsletter, Public Relations & Hoosier Lion

Some of you have ask the question of who to send information (photos including captions, event flyers & articles) to when it comes to the newsletter, public relations and the Hoosier Lion. Below are the points of contact and deadline (if there is one) for each:

25E Newsletter: CS PCC Jeff Schafer, jeff.schafer1@comcast.net. Deadline by the 25th of each month.
Public Relations: DG Keith Thomas, kthomas@threeidesign.com. No deadline.
Hoosier Lion: Lion Jaline Spurgeon, jaspurg@hotmail.com. 5th of each month.

WHAT AND WHO IS THE GST?

Lions do love their abbreviations. DG, VDG, GLT, GMT, RC, ZC PPC, and now GST. GST is the position that has been created to work with the GMT, GLT and clubs to help provide resources to region, zone, and club service chairpersons to empower clubs to meet the priority needs of their communities through service projects. The Global Service Team (GST) works with the Global Leadership Team (GLT) and Global Membership Team (GMT) to empower and strengthen clubs throughout the district. The GST is a Lion who exists on the club, district, multiple district, constitutional area levels to help Lions Clubs identify and meet the service needs in their areas of operation. The Global Service Team with the Global Leadership Team, and the Global Membership Team form the Global Action Team for the District.

As the GST for District 25E, I urge clubs in our district to consider doing community service projects that are in alignment with the Centennial Service Challenge and LCI Forward Service Framework. This does not mean that these are the only projects that clubs are to consider, or that clubs are to forgo traditional signature service projects for which they are known in their community. On the contrary, making these signature service activities a focal point of the club is on great importance to a club's identity within a community so that the members of the community can always identify the local Lions Club with its signature community project. But through the Centennial Service Challenge and the LCI Forward Service Framework, clubs can find new ideas and impactful service projects that will increase a community's awareness of the local Lions Club. These new service challenges in the areas of:

1. Diabetes
2. Youth
3. Vision
4. Hunger
5. Environment

Which can and will provide opportunities for clubs to find:

1. New service projects to do
2. Reach out to new individuals and groups whom the club has not before provided service,
3. Reach out to new individuals and groups to partner within the community to accomplish a new service initiative, and
4. Allow for an opportunity to attract new individuals into a club who now may see a club doing more innovative and contemporary service projects for the community.

Another important person in this arena and whom the GST may work closely with is the District LCIF chair person in maximizing LCIF resources for clubs and the district towards new and different service projects that a club or a group of clubs may work on together. LCIF may be able to provide different resources to a service project and by working together the GST and LCIF coordinator for the district can make those resources a reality.

Finally the GST is to urge clubs to report their service activities to the DG and to the GLT and GMT. The use of the activities report for this procedure is crucial. Too often clubs do not "blow their own horns" as to the tremendous and life changing work that they do in their communities. By making sure that the service projects are reported on the activities report, then clubs can achieve the recognition that honor that they deserve by serving their community.

Remember, Lions International has a goal of 200 million service hours by the end of Lions year 2018. By each club reporting its service activities, this goal will be met and the club will receive the recognition due to it for participating in a service project.

Please contact me to come to your club to discuss with you the ways that I as GST for District E can help you meet the needs of your community.

Respectfully, PDG Mark D. Clark
GST, District 25E

District 25E Cancer Control Program

CANCER CONTROL PROJECT GETTING INNOVATIVE

Since 1946 the Lions of Indiana have been proud of the work that they have done through the Cancer Control Project. As our oldest state project, the Lions have supported the efforts to provide research, education and advocacy to not only the Lions of Indiana but to citizens in our state and visitors from around the world.

Today our advocacy and patient Liaison Lions Dottie Flack continues this effort with the support of the Trustees of this important state project. Whether the need is for a program regarding the Lions Cancer Control Project, arranging doctor referrals and patient visits, providing comfort and support for family members during a patient's treatment sessions, arranging a place for a spouse or partner of a patient to stay in Indianapolis during the patient's trip to the Indiana University School of Medicine, Department of Radiation Oncology, or to arrange a speaker for our statewide leadership conference or state convention, Lion Dottie meets the need for the Lions of Indiana.

Most recently the Trustees of your state project heard from Dr. Brian Overshiner on how he is working in collaboration with engineers from Purdue University at Indianapolis and the IU School of Informatics and Computing at Indianapolis to use 3-D printing as a way to provide materials needed to make radiation treatments more efficient for both adults and children in their battle with cancer. With the use of 3-D printing, different materials can be designed and made to personally fit the individual contours of a patient's body so that the radiation treatment the patient receives is the most efficient and effect in fighting the person's disease. At this time, the Department of Oncology at IU is the only department in the country using 3-D printing in this medical application. The Trustees of the Cancer Control Project recently approved a grant of \$30,000.00 to help fund a 3-D printer for the Oncology Department so that Dr. Overshiner's work can continue and meet the needs of the patients who need our assistance. Developing and using this technology with child patients from across our state, will help Indiana Lions address one of the new service areas of Lions International which is the treatment of pediatric cancer. This use of 3-D printing technology will be especially important to child patients undergoing radiation therapy as their needs are much more individualized and not always met by the standard items produced for adults by the medical industry.

By supporting this new technology and its use in the radiation field, the Lions of Indiana are truly leading the way in saving the lives of individuals who need radiation therapy as an effective means of winning the battle against cancer.

To learn more about this important state project and the work we as Lions of Indiana are doing, please contact PDG Fred Wattula, PDG Bill Willis, or myself for a program at one of your club meetings.

Respectfully, PDG Mark Clark
Trustee Cancer Control Project, 25E

Hello Club Secretaries and Region/Zone Chairs,

As we are striving to increase the value of being a Lion, we are wanting to make sure our current members are getting everything they should. So I would like you to check with your members on the following items:

- 1.) Are they getting the Indiana Hoosier Lion and the Lion Club International Magazine? If not, please ask them for their correct mailing address and make the correction in MyLCI under their membership.
- 2.) Are they getting the District Newsletter? If not, would they like to start? If yes, please ask them for their email address and send it to CS Jeff Schafer at jeff.schafer1@comcast.net.

The information from the above needs to be sent to Cabinet Secretary Jeff Schafer to make sure they start receiving these publications.

Thanks, DG Keith

Tax Filing Information

Lions: Please remember that all Lions Clubs, Districts and Multiple Districts that have annual gross receipts less than \$50,000 and do not have to file Form 990 or 990-EZ, must file the ePostcard (also known as 990-N). If your Lions club, district or multiple district has a foundation, which is a separate legal entity, the appropriate form will need to be filed as well.

All filers must register at IRS.gov prior to filing their next Form 990-N. This is a one-time registration if the designated Lion files annually. If the designee changes from a prior year, the new designee must register with the IRS.

Please refer to the following chart regarding annual filing requirements:

2017 Tax Year* Form to File Gross receipts normally less than \$50,000 990-N Gross receipts greater than \$50,000 and less than \$200,000, and total assets less than \$500,000 990-EZ or 990 Gross receipts greater than \$200,000 or Total assets greater than \$500,000 990

The e-Postcard is due by the 15th day of the fifth month after the close of your tax year. Lions Clubs operate on a fiscal year, July 1 – June 30, and the e-Postcard will be due by November 15th each year. Please note that an organization cannot request an extension for filing the Form 990-N.

If you do not file, you risk losing your tax-exempt status. Any Lions Club that fails to meet its annual reporting requirement for three consecutive years automatically loses its tax exempt status under the new law. A club may get reinstated if they complete an application for recognition of exemption even if they originally fell under a group exemption.

Every Club and/or District (single, sub- and multiple) must have an employer identification number (EIN), even if it will not have employees. The EIN is a unique number that identifies the organization to the Internal Revenue Service. To apply for an EIN, you should obtain a Form SS4 and its Instructions from the IRS. You may also apply for an EIN online, by telephone (1-800829-4933), or by fax (fax number at the location accepting applications from your state). It is important that the Clubs and Districts are using the correct EIN for their annual filing.

For frequently asked questions about tax issues and regulations affecting Lions clubs and leadership, go to the Lions Tax FAQ. Go to www.irs.gov/eo for complete details and while you're there sign up for Exempt Organization's free email newsletter, EO Update, to receive upto-date information posted on the charity pages of irs.gov.

Legal Division Lions Clubs International

"Secretary's Challenge"

In August, **we had 66% MMRs** submitted and a **38.5% on the Activity Reports** submitted. The MMRs average went up by 6%, great job Club Secretaries and the Activity Reports remained the same. Please contact me if you need help in submitting these via MyLCI account. Let's keep pushing for that 85% submittal rate!

Need Help: Call or email CS PCC Jeff Schafer, 812.325.3130, jeff.schafer1@comcast.net **anytime!**

Let's keep up the GREAT effort and work!

District 25-E Points Contest (as of September 30, 2017)

Large Clubs (>30 Members)

Georgetown	6,175 pts
Bedford Evening	5,975 pts
Fayetteville	5,925 pts

Small Clubs (<= 30 Members)

Petersburg	16,745 pts
Bedford Noon	5,650 pts
Bloomfield	5,300 pts

Club Anniversaries

Club	Charter	Age (Yrs)
Odon	10/4/1929	88
New Salisbury	10/14/1997	20
Jasper	10/25/1950	67
Seymour Evening	10/28/1925	92



New Members Reported in August - Welcome!

Club	Member	Sponsor
Ellettsville	Austin Jarrett	Ken Williams
Lanesville	Chad Shireman	John Lyskowski
Odon	Joseph Cabel	Frank Armstrong
Winslow	Debra Lamb	Rosella Hill





Got Your Calendar Handy?

The 29th Annual
Indiana Lions Conference
(formerly Known as Mid Winter Conference)
Will Be Held
November 3rd & 4th, 2017

Same Great Place-Plainfield High School
 New Learning Experiences

Save the Date & Stay Tuned
 for Event Details...

See pages 22-27
for details and
registration form.

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President's Message



Diabetes is a global epidemic. And it's growing. More than 400 million people are living with the disease, including friends and family—even children. That's why we are elevating diabetes as a new global focus in our service framework.

We have an opportunity to put the Power of We into action to change the world as only we can. Addressing the threat posed by diabetes will be our biggest challenge yet, but Lions have always risen to the challenge.

We have so much to accomplish in the year leading up to our official diabetes rollout in Las Vegas. And your commitment is essential to our success. I need you to encourage your clubs to learn more about the dangers of diabetes and find ways to make a difference in their communities. Because our communities are counting on us.

Your support of diabetes will be the difference in our fight against this disease. Learn more about how your district can contribute to this cause and help me promote it to Lions so we can change the world together.

Sincerely,
Dr. Naresh Aggarwal
Your International President

Special Olympics Winter Games

At the April council meeting, the immediate past council of governors decided to challenge the districts to raise \$1500 each for the Special Olympics Winter Games. To help our district reach this goal, we are asking the clubs to make a small donation of \$20 to \$25 per club to help the district to reach the \$1500 goal. To date, we have raised a little over \$500. To learn more about the Special Olympics Winter Games, contact one of our co-chairs for Special Olympics, Doug Ray hrylray@yahoo.com and Peggy Bakel pbakel63@gmail.com. If your club would like to help, please send CT Richard Kaiser your club's donation check.

Thanks, DG Keith Thomas

Guiding Lions & Rebuilding Club Training

Date/Time

Location

October 14 - 10am-2pm Sandborn Lions Club (118 Anderson St)
Meal Cost: \$10

Please RSVP to CS Jeff Schafer at jeff.schafer1@comcast.net or 812-325-3130



Lions Clubs International
FOUNDATION

OUR FOUNDATION

Dear Lions,

What can you do with US\$1? Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF) can use it to help save the life of a child.



LCIF remains committed to ending measles. Measles remains a heavy public health burden in developing countries where parents do not have access to immunization services that could protect their children from the disease. Factors such as poverty, poor health systems and a lack of information make it difficult for families to secure preventative medical care.

In 2013, Lions and LCIF committed to raising US\$30 million by December 2017 for Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance, to support measles vaccinations for the children who need them most. It only costs US\$1 to cover the cost of a life-saving vaccine to one child. The funds raised by LCIF will be matched by the UK's Department for International Development and the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, bringing the total to US\$60 million.

Together, we have vaccinated more than 80 million children against this disease. Now, with only a few months remaining, we are working hard to raise the final US\$5 million, and you can help!

As you visit with clubs in your area, please talk to Lions about the importance of supporting the One Life, One Shot: Lions' Measles Initiative. We have collected several resources, including talking points, magazine articles, videos and more that you can use when you visit Lions. LCIF needs your help to get life-saving vaccines to the world's children.

Sincerely,
Chancellor Bob Corlew
Chairman, Lions Clubs International Foundation

Fayetteville Lions Annual Ham & Bean Supper And Silent Auction

Date: Saturday, October 14 from 4:30 – 7pm

Where: Multi-Purpose Building Located Behind the Fayetteville Baptist Church

Cost: \$6 / person in Advance, \$7 at the Door. 6 Years and Younger Eat Free. Carry Out Available

Included: Ham & Beans, Cornbread, Slaw, Fried Potatoes, Drink, & Dessert. Hotdogs Available too.



Your club can make a difference in your community and contribute towards the goal by participating in the Centennial Service Challenge Campaigns. You decide when to serve and which projects are right for your club and community.

Join the Worldwide Week of Service for Diabetes



Diabetes impacts more than 400 million people, resulting in five million deaths each year. So encourage your clubs to participate in this special [Worldwide Week of Service](#), November 13-19, dedicated to stopping this deadly disease. The event is a great opportunity to support Lions' new global service framework, and our goal of serving 200 million people a year by 2021. By supporting diabetes, clubs can earn a special diabetes patch when they report their service through MyLCI.

Hello Lions,

The District Picnic will be on June 16, 2018 and I'm looking for a club to supply a location and act as the host club. If you are interested in submitting your location/club for consideration, please contact me by email at kthomas@threeidesign.com

Thanks, DG Keith





Lions Clubs International
FOUNDATION

OUR FOUNDATION

LCIF First Quarter Status

Recently our country has been struck by several hurricane disasters. LCIF will respond to these events and our clubs as well as individual members may assist by donations directed to specific functions as Disaster Relief. This is a great example of how we can, together, make a greater difference in service not only to our local communities, but to communities across the country. Our donations designated for Areas of Greatest Need help those with other requirements on a priority basis throughout the world.



Listed here are areas of our district assigned to specific co-coordinators. Your club need not wait to be contacted by a coordinator. Take the initiative to contact you coordinator and ask for a program presentation about LCIF.

PDG Trea McCandless: 812-582-3367:

Bloomfield	Carlisle	Dugger	Ireland
Jasper	Mt. Olympus	Odon	Petersburg
Sanborn	Shoals	Wheatland	Winslow
Worthington			

PDG Glen Georges: 812-215-9420:

Boonville	Chandler	Chrisney Elberfeld
Evansville East Side	Francisco	Lynnville Mt. Vernon
Oakland City	Princeton	Richland Rockport
Sullivan	Tell City	Tennyson

Lion Sam Hopper: 812-951-2185:

Central	Corydon Crandall	East Washington
Elizabeth	Fredricksburg	French Lick/WB
Hardensburg	Lanesville	Martinsburg
New Middletown	New Salisbury	Palmyra
Ramsey		Georgetown
		New Albany
		Paoli Meridian

Lion VDG Ron Edwards: 812-275-3139:

Bedford	Bedford Noon	Bloomington	Brown County
Brownstown	Campbellsburg	Canton	Crothersville
Ellettsville	Fayetteville	Harrodsburg	Indian Creek
Medora	Mitchell Orleans	Pershing Twp	Salem
Seymour Even	Seymour Noon	Stinesville	

We just finished our first quarter and donations have been received from 10 clubs totaling \$890.00. This calculates to 7.4% of our district goal of \$12,000. LCIF was developed to help communities locally and worldwide. Like all establishments, rules apply to insure all clubs are treated alike. It may seem cumbersome in applying for a grant and in many cases we in the clubs must come up with half the funding. Help is available to assist in the paperwork and the matching part is to insure the project is viable and the club has a part in the financial effort.

Don't wait until the last minute to donate as it is required for a club excellence and Melvin Jones Honor Award. Your club's donations make it possible to reach needs in communities on a scope not possible by individual clubs.

Thank you for your service.

Lion Ron Edwards
1st VDG District 25 E

LCIF Co – Coordinator District 25 E

CDC Prediabetes Screening Test



COULD YOU HAVE PREDIABETES?

Prediabetes means your blood glucose (sugar) is higher than normal, but not yet diabetes. Diabetes is a serious disease that can cause heart attack, stroke, blindness, kidney failure, or loss of feet or legs. Type 2 diabetes can be delayed or prevented in people with prediabetes through effective lifestyle programs. Take the first step. Find out your risk for prediabetes.

TAKE THE TEST—KNOW YOUR SCORE!

Answer these seven simple questions. For each "Yes" answer, add the number of points listed. All "No" answers are 0 points.

Yes	No
1	0
1	0
1	0
5	0
5	0
5	0
9	0

Are you a woman who has had a baby weighing more than 9 pounds at birth?

Do you have a sister or brother with diabetes?

Do you have a parent with diabetes?

Find your height on the chart. Do you weigh as much as or more than the weight listed for your height?

Are you younger than 65 years of age and get little or no exercise in a typical day?

Are you between 45 and 64 years of age?

Are you 65 years of age or older?

Add your score and check the back of this page to see what it means.

AT-RISK WEIGHT CHART

Height	Weight <small>at risk</small>	Height	Weight <small>at risk</small>
4'10"	129	5'7"	172
4'11"	133	5'8"	177
5'0"	139	5'9"	182
5'1"	143	5'10"	188
5'2"	147	5'11"	193
5'3"	152	6'0"	199
5'4"	157	6'1"	204
5'5"	162	6'2"	210
5'6"	167	6'3"	216
		6'4"	221

National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion
Division of Diabetes Translation



IF YOUR SCORE IS 3 TO 8 POINTS

This means your risk is probably low for having prediabetes now. Keep your risk low. If you're overweight, lose weight. Be active most days, and don't use tobacco. Eat low-fat meals with fruits, vegetables, and whole-grain foods. If you have high cholesterol or high blood pressure, talk to your health care provider about your risk for type 2 diabetes.

IF YOUR SCORE IS 9 OR MORE POINTS

This means your risk is high for having prediabetes now. Please make an appointment with your health care provider soon.

HOW CAN I GET TESTED FOR PREDIABETES?

Individual or group health insurance: See your health care provider. If you don't have a provider, ask your insurance company about providers who take your insurance. Deductibles and copays may apply.

Medicaid: See your health care provider. If you don't have a provider, contact a state Medicaid office or contact your local health department.

Medicare: See your health care provider. Medicare will pay the cost of testing if the provider has a reason for testing. If you don't have a provider, contact your local health department.

No insurance: Contact your local health department for more information about where you could be tested or call your local health clinic.



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www.cdc.gov/diabetes



HAM & BEAN SUPPER



& SILENT AUCTION

Hosted by:

**Fayetteville Community
Lions Club**

\$6.00 Per Person in Advance

\$7.00 at the door

6 Years and Under Eat Free

Carry-Out Available

WHEN:

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14TH

4:30 P. M. TO 7:00 P. M.

WHERE:

**MULTI-PURPOSE BUILDING LOCATED BEHIND
FAYETTEVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH**

INCLUDED:

Ham & Beans, Cornbread, Slaw, Fried Potatoes, Drink, and Dessert.
Hotdogs available.

***PROFITS TO BENEFIT THE FAYETTEVILLE LIONS
PARK AND LIONS SUPPORTED PROJECTS***



To find out more about the park and Fayetteville Community Lions Club contact any Lions Member.

NEW SALISBURY LIONS CLUB INVITES YOU TO OUR 20TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION ON THURSDAY OCTOBER 12TH

Location: Central Barren United Methodist Church
11170 Highway 135NE New Salisbury IN 47161

Time: Dinner 6:30 pm (Eastern)

Cost: \$10.00

Key Note Speaker: PDG Mark Clark

Deadline: Monday October 9, 2017

Questions: Contact Phyllis Krush President 812-364-6335 or
502-762-6166

Reservation Form

I/We plan to attend: _____ @ \$10.00 each = \$ _____

Payment to be made out to New Salisbury Lions Club

Mail reservation form with payment to:

Betty Froning

269 Flatwood Rd NE New Salisbury IN 47161

Names of Lions attending:

_____ Club _____

_____ Club _____



BINGO

for

BASKETS

and More



October 27, 2017

**Monroe County Fairgrounds
Community Building**

Optional *** Dress in your Best Halloween Costume **** Optional
Special Prize awarded to the best dressed.

Sandwiches, snacks and drinks
available for purchase

Great Door Prizes

Raffle Tickets and 50/50 Draw Available

Entrance plus 20 games = \$12.00
Extra game cards \$5.00 ea.

Doors Open: 5:30pm

Bingo Starts: 6:30pm

**Sponsored by the
Bloomington Lions Club, Inc.**

EARLY PURCHASE BONUS

Purchase an admission ticket prior to the event for \$12.00 and receive an additional door prize ticket. Also, donate your old/used glasses, one pair or 100 pairs, and receive an extra door prize ticket.

-- Information or Tickets --
Call: Dixie @ 812-327-7823
or Marilyn @ 812-327-6947

**All proceeds for this event support
our community projects:**

Community Kitchen	Eye Care
Holiday Food Baskets	Girls Inc.
MCCSC Scholarships	
Boys & Girls Club	
Middle Way House	
Jr League Baseball	MCUM
Salvation Army	Lions Law Camp

The Bloomington Lions Club members provide Vision Screening for Monroe County Schools, ring the bells for the Salvation Army during the Christmas Season, volunteer at Peden Farm.



Brown County Lions Club



Left Photo: The Brown County Lions Outhouse Race Entry! Pictured are Lions Gerhard Weber, Jacob Moore, Secretary Deadra Nail, Jim Rispoli, President Larry Hanson, and Dana Phillips.

Photo taken by Lion 1VP Mariea Hoefling

Oakland City Lions Club



Right Photo: Oakland City Lions Brian Norrington and PDG Dale Leffler passing out dictionaries to 3rd grade students at the Oakland City and Barton Elementary Schools.

Photo submitted by Lion Sue Leffler.

Medora's Covered Bridge



Photo submitted by DG Keith Thomas

Brownstown Lions Club



Left Top Photo: DG Keith Thomas visited the Brownstown Lions Club and presented Lion John Spurgeon for sponsoring a new member.



Right Top Photo: New members of the Brownstown Lions Club and their sponsors. From left to right: Lion Jaline Spurgeon sponsored new member Mike Howell & Lion John Spurgeon sponsored new member Jonathan Spurgeon.

Right Photo: Lion Jaline Spurgeon with District 25E's Frog for Diabetes Awareness. Photos can be taken with the Frog and proceeds goes to raise funds for Diabetes Awareness.



Photo submitted by Lion Jaline Spurgeon

Bedford Evening Lions Club

The Bedford Evening Lions Club's Secretary Carol Hobbs receives the award for the Bedford Lions Club finishing the 2016-2017 Lions Year in First Place in the District 25E Large Club Points Contest. This is the second consecutive year they have finished in first place. Shown from left to right: President Judy Heichelbech, Secretary Carol Hobbs, and 1VDG Ron Edwards.

Photo submitted by Lion Jim Fisher



Bloomfield & Worthington Clubs Working Together!



WRV Elementary School Vision Screening

The Bloomfield and Worthington Lions joined together to vision screen students at the WRV Elementary School. Not pictured is Lion Jerry Murdock (Worthington).

Far Left Photo: PCC Jeff Schafer (Bloomfield) conducting vision screening.

Right: Jane Lueking screening final forms for completeness

Lower Photo: Lion Ashton Ison (Worthington) and 2VDG Sheryl Schafer (Bloomfield) conducting vision screening. It was Lion Ashton's first vision screening event.

Photos submitted by Jane Lueking (wife of Lion Jim Lueking)

District 25E 2nd Cabinet Meeting

Save the Date!

Date/Time: October 28, 2017 from 9:30am – 3pm (Honorary Committee meets afterwards)

Location: Francisco Lions Club, 201 1st St., Francisco, Indiana

Cost for Brunch: \$7

Tentative Agenda:	9:00am	Registration
	9:30am	2 nd Cabinet Meeting
		Call to Order
	11:00	Lunch
	3:00pm	Adjourn
	3:15pm	Honorary Committee Meeting

Focus during this Cabinet meeting will be on MyLion App, LCI Forward, GMT & GLT Activities, and Halloween Costumes.

RSVP to CT Richard Kaiser or CS Jeff Schafer by October 20.

A NIGHT OUT FOR ALL-SEASONS DINNER

Date/Time: Monday, October 23, 2017 at 6pm EST

Location: Village Inn, Hwy 57 South of Petersburg

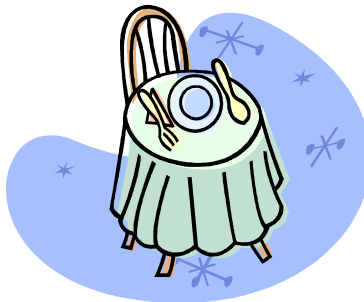
SPONSORED BY THE WINSLOW LIONS CLUB

Cost: \$20.00 / Person

RSVP Only: Call PDG Trea McCandless @ 812-582-3367

COME ENJOY A NIGHT OUT

SEE TABLES DECORATED FOR ALL SEASONS



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CHANDLER LIONS CLUB ANNUAL FALL SMOKED PORK CHOP DINNER

DATE:	Saturday, October 28, 2017		
PLACE:	Chandler Community Center Carry Out Service Available		
PRICE:	Adult		\$8.00
	Child (10 and under)		\$4.00
	Under Age 3		\$Free
TIME:	4:00 pm – 7:00 pm		
TICKETS:	Any Lions Club member or at the door		
MENU:	10 oz Smoked Pork Chop Cole Slaw Potato Salad Baked Beans Roll/Butter Iced Tea/Lemonade/Coffee Dessert		

Mount Vernon Lions Club



PANCAKE BREAKFAST

October 28, 2017

7-11 am

American Legion Home

\$8.00

per person





THE LIONS OF INDIANA
29TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2017

PLAINFIELD MIDDLE SCHOOL
709 STAFFORD ROAD, PLAINFIELD, IN

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Registration & Continental Breakfast	8:00 A.M. – 9:10 A.M.	Lunch	12:00 P.M. – 1:00 P.M.
Displays And Silent Auction	Open until 3:30 P.M.	Keynote Speaker	1:00 P.M. – 2:00 P.M.
Opening Session	9:15 A.M. – 9:35 A.M.	Afternoon Workshop	2:15 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.
Morning Workshop	9:45 A.M. – 11:45 A.M.	Third Session Seminar	2:15 P.M. – 3:15 P.M.
First Session Seminar	9:45 A.M. – 10:45 A.M.	Fourth Session Seminar	3:30 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.
Second Session Seminar	11:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.	Closing Session	4:35 P.M. – 4:45 P.M.



**TO REACH PLAINFIELD
MIDDLE SCHOOL:**

Exit I-70 at Plainfield Exit (Exit 66), turn North on IN S.R. 267 (Quaker Blvd.)
Turn left onto E County Road 450 South. Arrive at Stafford Road. Your destination is on the left.
709 Stafford Road, Plainfield, IN 46168

**Enter building at Door #11, in the
BACK of the building.**

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 LIONS 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.



29TH ANNUAL LIONS CONFERENCE FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER NOVEMBER 3, 2017



Make your plans now to join us at the **CLERMONT LIONS CLUB**
(3201 Tansel Road, Indianapolis, IN 46234-1652)
for an evening of food, fun, and fellowship.

Menu: *Beef Tenderloin, Tilapia, Roasted Red Potatoes, Vegetable Medley
Salad, Rolls, Dessert, Drinks*

Price: \$15.00 Social Time: 6:00 P.M. Dinner: 6:30 P.M.

Fill out your Registration Form today for the 29th Conference and the Friday Night Dinner.
You will have a great time, renewing old friendships and making new ones.



Friday Evening Speaker, Lion Scott Peska

DIRECTIONS TO CLERMONT LIONS CLUB FROM 465 WEST:

Take exit 14 toward 10th St (0.3 mi)
Turn right onto W 10th St (2.0 mi)
Continue on W 10th St (1.0 mi)
Turn left onto N Raceway Rd (0.2 mi)
Turn left onto Warrington Dr (0.1 mi)
Continue on Tansel Rd (91 ft)
Arrive at 3201 Tansel Road.

"Juggling it All: Lionism, Leadership, and Life"

Lion Scott Peska is a member of the Elburn Lion's club in Illinois, which is one of the largest clubs in Illinois with over 180 members. Lion Scott serves on the Board of Directors and has for the last four years. In his day job, Dr. Scott Peska serves as the Dean for Students at Waubensee Community College (Sugar Grove, IL) with responsibility for Athletics, Student Life, Testing Services, and Student Conduct. Prior to Waubensee, Dr. Peska worked at Northern Illinois University and the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign in a number of Student Affairs positions. He received both his baccalaureate and master's degrees in communication from Illinois State University, and a doctoral degree in higher education administration at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, with a research emphasis on the adjustment of community college transfer students to four-year universities. He holds multiple leadership positions on local boards and national associations within higher education. Dr. Peska speaks publicly on overcoming adversity, moving forward after campus tragedies, benefits of laughter, fostering inclusion and promoting diversity education, juggling multiple priorities, and engaging in ethical leadership.

Official Conference Hotel – Baymont Inn and Suites in Plainfield

The hotel will be the Plainfield Baymont Inn and Suites.

Their address is 6010 Gateway Drive, Plainfield, Indiana; Telephone number is 317-837-9000.
YOU MUST USE THIS LOCAL PHONE NUMBER TO RECEIVE LIONS ROOM RATE!

RESERVATIONS: LIONS ROOM RATES ARE: \$65.00 PLUS TAX
MENTION INDIANA LIONS TO GET THE SPECIAL LIONS RATE.

Directions to Baymont Inn and Suites: From the North: I-65 South to I-465 SW to I-70 West to exit 66.
Turn right and go to 1st light and turn left, then turn at 1st left onto Gateway Dr.

From the South: I-65 North to I-70 West to exit 66. Turn right and go to 1st light and turn left, then 1st left to Gateway Dr.

From the East: I-70 West to exit 66. Turn right and go to 1st light and turn left onto Gateway Dr.

From the West: I-70 East to exit 66, turn left at 2nd light, then left and then quick left onto Gateway Dr.

Baymont Inn and Suites, Plainfield 6010 Gateway Drive 317-837-9000

Seminar and Workshop Selections

CHOOSE: one (1) Workshop in the Morning and one (1) Workshop in the Afternoon; OR one (1) Workshop in the Morning and two (2) Seminars in the Afternoon; OR two (2) Seminars in the Morning and one (1) Workshop in the Afternoon; OR two (2) Seminars in the Morning and two (2) Seminars in the Afternoon.

"WORKSHOPS - 2 HOURS EACH"

(Morning: 9:45 A.M. to 11:45 A.M.) (Afternoon: 2:15 P.M. to 4:30 P.M. with short break)

WORKSHOP "A": CAUGHT IN THE WEEDS: A Basic Overview of Legal Matters Affecting Lions Clubs. (A. M.)

Presenter – **David Kingsbury, LCI Legal Division**

This session will cover the General Liability Insurance Program, Use of Funds Policy, Foundations and other matters of interest to Lions Clubs and Districts.

WORKSHOP "B": INDIANA LIONS VISION SERVICES: YOUR INDIANA LIONS SUCCESS STORY (P.M.)

Presenters – **PDG Charlie Short**

Learn how we screen, whom we screen, and why Project School Sight is now the largest and hottest service project in Indiana Lions history. Learn about new presentations for vision education, and the brand new club resources available through Indiana Lions Vision Partners, and much more.

"SEMINARS - 1 HOUR EACH"

(Morning: 9:45 A.M. to 10:45 A.M.) (Afternoon: 2:15 P.M. to 3:15 P.M.)

(Morning: 11:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.) (Afternoon: 3:30 P.M. to 4:30 P.M.)

SEMINAR "1": LIONS ORIENTATION (P.M.)

Presenter – **PCC Reed Fish**

This session will go over the history of our Association at the International and state level. Many sources will be cited on the little-known facts as well as LCI and Lion member publications.

SEMINAR "2": WHY IS LCIF SO IMPORTANT TO A LIONS CLUB? (A.M.)

Presenter – **PDG Gary Ochs**

Learn more about your Foundation during this session. Lion's support of their Foundation is critical, as donations from Lions provide the majority of LCIF's revenue (75% - 80%). New things are happening as we prepare for year 2021.

SEMINAR "3": LIONS CLUBS 2018 INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION IN LAS VEGAS (P.M.)

Presenter – **PDG Gary Ochs**

The Indiana Lions International Convention Committee is planning for our next exciting 101st International Convention in Las Vegas, June 29th - July 3rd. You may already know that Indiana's delegation hotel is the "Pyramid Journeys of Light" Luxor Hotel. Wow! Start planning for your trip to Las Vegas now!

SEMINAR "4": BRINGING FUN TO TAIL TWISTING (P.M.)

Presenter – **1VDG Jim Reeve**

Tail Twisting sounds painful, but it's not. As Lions we come together to serve but also to have some fun. Learn how you can take some of the dry stuff out of meetings and replace it with smiles and laughter.

SEMINAR "5": ACHIEVING CLUB EXCELLENCE (A.M.)

Presenter – **PID Dave Fiandt**

Simple tools to help your Club become a stronger Club, better able to serve your community and improve member satisfaction.

SEMINAR "6": FIRST VICE PRESIDENTS: PLANNING TO BECOME CLUB PRESIDENTS (P.M.)

Presenter – **PID Doug Lozier**

This seminar will assist vice presidents to prepare for their year as a highly successful club president in responsibilities, conducting meetings, delegation of work, committee selection, conflicts, expectations, giving recognition, etc.

SEMINAR "7": CANCER – KNOWLEDGE REALLY IS POWER (P.M.)

Presenter – **Lion Maria Walker (Professor and Program Director of Radiation Therapy Technology)**

This presentation will focus on cancer facts and trends featuring the most common cancers, risks, causes, and ways of controlling them. New techniques and research will be discussed as well as patient sentiments. Don't miss this requested, repeated presentation.

SEMINAR "8": CLUB TREASURERS (A.M.)

Presenter – **PDG Marty Juel**

This session will help treasurers understand their roles and responsibilities to their clubs, including some simple methods to track income and expenses that meet LCI standards and the importance for clubs to develop and monitor budgets to avoid a future financial crisis.

SEMINAR "9": FISHING WITH THE RIGHT TACKLE: FUNDRAISING FOR BIGGER CLUB PROJECTS

(A.M.) Presenter – **PDG Charlie Short**

Lions Clubs are great at raising small amounts of money for things, but what happens when a project is bigger than your club's tools to fund it? Want to land gifts of \$10,000 or more? Join our seasoned team of seasoned fundraisers to learn how to match your club's fundraising "tackle" to the "fish" you want to catch! Get the lowdown on the newest gear, meet new fishing buddies, scout for good fishing holes, and how to land the really big ones with ease. Bring your fish stories, too! Prizes, games, and swag for all.

SEMINAR "10": LEGACY CENTENNIAL PROJECTS (A.M.)

Presenter – **PDG Vern Tinch**

If your club needs an idea for a visible gift that commemorates the Centennial and creates a lasting legacy of your service contributions, then plan to attend this seminar. No idea is too large or too small. Bring your ideas and questions, and let's make sure everyone knows WE SERVE.

SEMINAR "11": PROTOCOL: IT'S NOT THAT DIFFICULT (P.M.)

Presenter – **PDG Linda Tinch and PDG Steve Winegardner**

Special events are fun, but if you are concerned about who to introduce first at your event, on which side of the podium to place the US flag, or even who should sit at the head table, then this is the seminar for you. Established protocol helps to alleviate these questions and make sure respect and tradition are honored.

SEMINAR "12": DIABETES AWARENESS: THE TIME IS RIGHT; LIONS CAN HELP (A.M.)

Presenter – **Lion Chris Reinhold**

Diabetes could affect 100 million Americans in the next few years. Lions are well positioned in the fight to reduce that number. The key step is to identify who is at risk of diabetes. Learn the basics of diabetes and take away a number of tools that can be implemented at the Club and district level to aid in the fight against diabetes.

SEMINAR "13": THE INS AND OUTS OF THE GLOBAL ACTION TEAM (A.M.)

Presenter – **PIP Wayne Madden**

We will discuss what the Global Action team concept is and what your Club can do to be involved.

SEMINAR "14": GO GET THE MONEY: FINDING YOUR NICHE WILL MAKE RAISING FUNDS EASIER

(P.M.) Presenter – **PDG Frank Ruane**

No matter how small your Club, fundraising is possible for your community projects. Learn the techniques of asking and convincing donors their gifts matter.

SEMINAR "15": IS YOUR CLUB PREPARED TO HELP IF A DISASTER HAPPENS IN YOUR COMMUNITY?

(P.M.) Presenter – **Lion Mike Imbler**

Learn how your Club can be prepared before a DISASTER might occur in your community. Learn what steps are required to help your community if a DISASTER happens. The most important step is being prepared before you need to be! Listen to a panel of Lions who have experienced disasters in their communities.

SEMINAR "16": YOUR CLUB, YOUR WAY: SOME INNOVATIVE WAYS TO REENERGIZE CLUBS (A.M.)

Presenter – **PDG Dick Silveira**

In today's changing times and with the advent of technology, we need to look at some new ways to attract and keep members. While traditions are important, challenging traditional meetings and how decisions are made can reenergize the club to attract new members and keep the ones we have.

SEMINAR "17": INVISIBILITY: A CAUSE AND A TREATMENT (P.M.)

Presenter – **Lion Ray Furner**

Hearing loss leads to social withdrawal. Captioned telephones allow better communication, which improves visibility.

SEMINAR "18": MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK: WOMEN MEMBERS IN LIONS CLUBS (P.M.)

Presenter – **Lion Charlotte Query**

The “Whys” of Women in Lions and the “Hows” of attracting them and keeping them as members. Would you believe there are still Lions Clubs that don’t have female members? We’ll present several methods of inviting women members. Join in and share what has worked for your club.

SEMINAR "19": EXPLORING THE LCI WEBSITE - IT IS YOUR FRIEND! (P.M.)

Presenter – **PCC Sue Topf**

Not just for Officers! All Lions Welcome! This session is an opportunity to learn more about the Lions Clubs International Website; how to enter activities, My LCI, Legal, new Programs and initiatives, and much more.

SEMINAR "20": ALPHABET SOUP – ARE YOU CONFUSED? (P.M.)

Presenter – **PDG Kathy Lozier**

Do the abbreviated titles of our Lions members have you scratching your head in confusion? Then join me for this seminar and I will try to clear away the fog. Also, share ideas to get new and non-active club members more involved with club activities.

SEMINAR "21": YOUR RAP: THE LIONS READING ACTION PROGRAM (A.M.)

Presenter – **Lion Linda Madden**

Find out what is going on in Indiana with the Reading Action Program. Get information and ideas about developing a Reading Action Program project with your club.

SEMINAR "22": CLUB SECRETARIES (A.M.)

Presenter – **PCC Jeff Schafer**

In this program you will learn about MyLCI reporting (MMRs & Activity Reports), meeting duties (before, during and after meeting), agenda and minutes, and election reports.

SEMINAR "23": CHARITY GAMING AND YOU (A.M.)

Presenter – **Kim Barnett, Indiana Gaming Commission.**

This seminar will assist your Lions club conduct legal 50/50's, raffles and other charity games in the state of Indiana. What you don't know could cause your club some big problems if charity gaming rules aren't followed, so be safe and learn the rules.

SEMINAR "24": MOVING FORWARD AFTER A TRAGEDY: RECOVERY EFFORTS AFTER THE 2-13-2008 SHOOTINGS AT NORTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY (A.M.)

Presenter – **Lion Scott Peska**

The speaker was tasked with directing an office of support and advocacy for the survivors and families of the victims. Learn about the heavy volunteer support he received and what many things community organizations, and Lions Clubs, can do when such events occur.

Saturday Keynote Speaker

BRIAN E. SHEEHAN, PAST INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR

Brian E. Sheehan, from Bird Island, Minnesota, USA, was elected to serve a two-year term as a director of Lions Clubs International at the association's 94th International Convention, held in Seattle, Washington, USA July 4-8, 2011. Past Director Sheehan is the founder and CEO of Rural Computer Consultants, a software development company. A member of the Bird Island Lions Club since 1991, he has held many offices within the association, including council chairperson, long range planning chairperson, membership chairperson, retention chairperson, women's initiative chairperson and the MD convention chairperson. He has also served as the chairperson of the Headquarter Operation & Finance Committee, USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum Seminars chairperson, Lions University coordinator, DGE group leader, GMT liaison and board appointee to several committees including Constitutions and Bylaws, LCIF Executive, LCI Executive, USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum and the Centennial Action committees.

PID Sheehan has been a presenter at numerous Lions events, including the USA/Canada Forum. He currently serves as the GLT area leader and is a member of the USA/Canada Lions Leadership Planning Committee.

In recognition of his service to the association, he has received numerous awards including Club Lion of the Year, the District 5M 4 Diabetes Awareness Award, the MD 5M Web Site Appreciation Award, the MD 5M Al Jensen Leadership Award, the Founders Membership Growth Award, six International President's Certificates of Appreciation, an International President's Leadership Award, four International President's Awards and the Ambassador of Good Will Award, the highest honor the association bestows upon its members. He is also a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow.

In addition to his Lions activities, Past Director Sheehan is active in numerous professional and community organizations. He has served as president of Bird Island Civic and Commerce, director of the Learning Funhouse and as a member of various school committees. He also received the 2011 U.S. Small Business Association Minnesota Small Business Person of the Year Award.

Past Director Sheehan and his wife, Lori, also a Lion and Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow, have two sons and two daughters.

(Each Attendee Must Complete a Separate Form)
DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATIONS: OCTOBER 20, 2017

EARLY BIRD PRE-REGISTRATION FROM SEPTEMBER 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

Lions - \$30.00 Lioness - \$30.00 Partner-in-Service - \$30.00 Leos - \$15.00
 Friday Night Dinner - \$15.00

PRE-REGISTRATION FROM OCTOBER 1 TO OCTOBER 20, 2017

Lions - \$35.00, Lioness - \$35.00, Partner-in-Service - \$35.00, Leos - \$15.00
 Friday Night Dinner - \$15.00

NO PRE-REGISTRATIONS ACCEPTED POSTMARKED AFTER OCT. 20, 2017

Conference Registration(s) _____ Friday Night Dinner(s) _____ +Books @ \$8 _____ Total \$ _____

ON SITE REGISTRATION \$40.00

**REGISTRATION PRICE INCLUDES THE 2017 COMMEMORATIVE SOUVENIR CONFERENCE PIN,
 PROCEEDINGS CD, AND THE BUFFET LUNCH.**

(☐ Please add \$8.00 extra for Proceedings Book.)

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

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

PLEASE SEND COMPLETED REGISTRATION FORM AND CORRECT REMITTANCE TO:

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

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

Make Checks Payable to: **Indiana Lions Conference**

NEW THIS YEAR - PAY BY CREDIT CARD!

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

Signature: _____

ID ☐ PID ☐ CC ☐ PCC ☐ DG ☐ VDG ☐ PDG ☐ Lion ☐ Lioness ☐ Leo ☐ Partner-in-Service ☐

Name _____ Club _____

Address _____ Lions Office _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ District 25- _____

Phone Number _____ E-Mail Address _____

Need diabetic meal ☐ Need gluten-free meal ☐ How Many Mid-Winter Conferences Attended ☐

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

Review the Workshops and Seminars offered.

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

CIRCLE 1 WORKSHOP OR 2 SEMINARS (NOT IN THE SAME LINE) FOR BOTH MORNING AND AFTERNOON.

"MORNING"

WORKSHOP: (9:45 A.M. – 11:45 P.M.) _____ A

"OR"

SEMINAR: (9:45 A.M. – 10:45 A.M.) _____ 2 8 10 16 21 24

"AND"

SEMINAR: (11:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.) _____ 5 9 12 13 22 23

"AFTERNOON"

WORKSHOP: (2:15 A.M. – 4:30 P.M.) _____ B

"OR"

SEMINAR: (2:15 P.M. – 3:15 P.M.) _____ 1 3 6 15 14 20

"AND"

SEMINAR: (3:30 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.) _____ 4 7 11 17 18 19



For Immediate Release:

Brian's Trike Race 20th Running!

Lion Pat Henninger, Trike Race Coordinator

Updated September 17, 2017

The Indiana Lions for the Indiana School for the Blind and Visually Impaired State Project's fundraiser "Brian's Trike Race" will be held **April 22, 2018**. This change will better align with the ISBVI's calendar and allow students and faculty to participate more fully.

This will be the *20th running* of the Race and we are working to make the event more fun for all ages while expanding the event to provide even greater visibility and benefit to the ISBVI and Lions!

In addition to the traditional Trike Race, we will also feature:

- A Disc Golf competition
- Trophies created in the ISBVI's own 3D Print Lab
- other activities to-be-announced!

Additional details and specific activity dates will be forthcoming! Keep an eye on your e-mail and newsletters for more information.

For questions, please contact Lion Pat Henninger at iwtlions@gmail.com

- Thank You!



Lions Club International Convention (LCICon) 2018



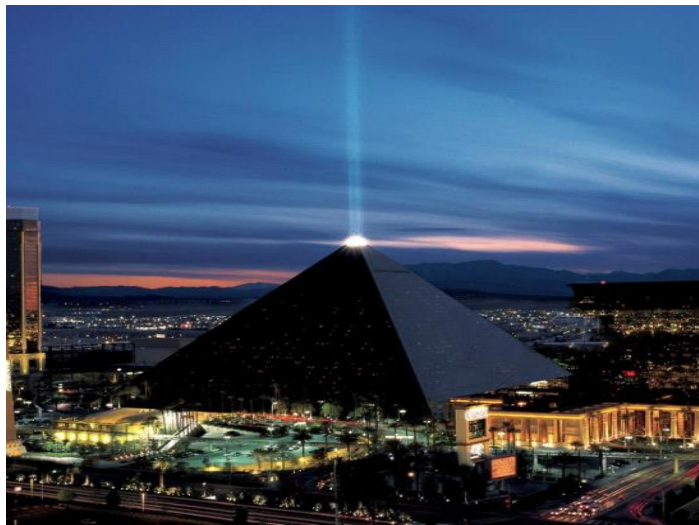
Make your plans now to attend the 2018 Lions Clubs International Convention June 29th – July 3rd, 2018 in Las Vegas, Nevada this year. All convention venues are located at the MGM Grand on the Las Vegas Strip. The Indiana Lions attending will stay at the Luxor “Egyptian Pyramid” hotel within walking distance of the MGM Convention Center. RV travelers enjoy special rates at the Oasis RV Resort which is located a short distance from the convention center.

Las Vegas is a perfect setting for you and your fellow Lions and Leos to come together to begin the celebration of the next 100 years. So, Lions get ready to celebrate in The Entertainment Capital of the World! Lions Clubs International is planning a magnificent celebration of Lions and for Lions in Las Vegas. Highlights of the many activities scheduled throughout convention week include the three plenary sessions, the festive International Parade of Nations, thought provoking guest speakers, a spectacular international show, and the installation of our 2018-2019 International President. See you there!



Lions District 25E October 2017 Newsletter

DG Keith Thomas
400 12th Street
Petersburg, IN 47567



The Luxor Hotel & Casino – The Location at LCIcon 2018 for the Indiana Lions

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