



District 14C Newsletter December 2024



A Message From the District Governor



District Governor
Galen
Burkholder

We SERVE!

Mission 1.5:

We Be That:

Mission Possible

Can You Believe it?

It's December. As you read this edition of the Newsletter, the Club year is almost ½ over. I have enjoyed every moment of my District Governor year. As promised by others, it has gone extremely fast.

Thanksgiving

I trust that each of you had a *Happy Thanksgiving* celebration and gathering. May we be thankful every day of the year, not just one day. I

am thankful for Lions and what we do as a Club, District, MD14, Region CA1, and Lions International.

Lions logo is a two-headed Lion

December, we want to look at the Lion looking to the left
—Reflection on the first half of the Club Year

International meetings

- **Lions International Convention**—Melbourne, Australia—Installation and Workshops
- **Lions Mission 1.5 Training**—Orlando, Florida—Workshops
- **Lions USA/Canada Forum**—Louisville, Kentucky—Workshops

Multiple District meetings

- **2 State Council meetings**—Joined with 16 other District Governors as the Class of 2024-2025
- **Multiple District GAT Zoom meetings**—Membership, Service, Leadership

District Cabinet meetings

- **2 Cabinet meetings**
- **3 District GAT Zoom meetings—**(By end of December)

District Club Visitations

- **31 Clubs visited—**(By end of December)

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

I want to thank each of you for **all you do** for Lionism and wish each of you a *Merry Christmas* and *Happy New Year*.

January Newsletter

January will be the Lion head looking to the right. It will be about looking forward to Visions and Goals for the next 6 months.

Get ready to **roar!!!**

Lions SERVE.

Let's let the world know.

Lifting People Up
"Make Your Mark."

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A Message From the 1st Vice District Governor



**1st Vice
District Governor
Doug Nace**

Greetings Lions and Leos of District 14-C!

The Holiday Season is upon us and it brings a busy atmosphere to us in our personal lives and as Lions. The Christmas Holiday is a time of giving! As Lions we exemplify this process by giving all year long to individuals that are in need of help. Though your collective efforts as Lions and Leos of District 14-C, you have made a significant impact on the lives of countless individuals. Recently Multi-District 14, which consists of all the Lions Districts in Pennsylvania, conducted a project to collect pajamas for children in foster care. State wide the project yielded around 4,000 pair of pajamas and I am proud to announce that

our district alone collected about 1,000 pair. In early November of this year the call came out to help individuals that suffered losses from the recent hurricanes and WOW did our district ever respond. Individual members and clubs donating more than \$15,000.00 in less than ten days, which helped to purchase food and goods locally and then transported to Asheville NC. With doing all of the able mentioned projects, clubs in our district still had time to conduct eye screening for 475 children. Even though Christmas only comes once a year, being a Lion means giving all year long because we as Lions “Live to Serve and Serve to Live”.

I am deeply honored to be in the presence of such committed individuals that are Lions in District 14-C, that identify and address the needs of your communities and the world. Each and every one of you make a difference though donations and volunteering. These acts of kindness you give will help give us “Peace on Earth” this holiday season. Thank you so much for everything you do!

I wish you and your families a wonderful and joyous Holiday Season; as well as a Happy and Healthy New Year.

Yours in Lionism,
Lion Doug Nace

A Message From the 2nd Vice District Governor



2nd Vice
District Governor
Patti Wurzbacher

Greetings Lions and Leos of District 14-C!

Where does the time go? Here we are again at that time of the year when carols are filling the radio airwaves, trees are being decorated, children are busily writing their lists to Santa, cookies are being baked, workplaces are having parties for the holidays, presents are being purchased and wrapped, and our clubs are hosting their annual tree lightings and the arrival of Santa. The tree lighting and arrival of Santa events are met with excitement in the air, the squeals of the kids when Santa arrives, the oohs and ahhs when the tree is lit, the awe and wonder when the little ones get to see Santa, sit on his lap, and excitedly tell him what they want for Christmas.

We are all like kids at this time of the year. We are filled with excitement, anticipation of the big day, purchasing presents, and hoping for a world that will be better than the year before. This is a time of hope, a time of receiving gifts, but also of giving gifts. Gifts can be tangible; those things that can be wrapped, such as toys, clothes, jewelry, or wish list items. Gifts can also be intangible; they can not be wrapped or purchased, they are invaluable to the receiver. These intangible gifts are also known as “spirit gifts”. They can include Words of Wisdom, Words of Knowledge, Faith, Gifts of Healing, and giving of our time and talents.

As I reflect on the year thus far and hope for the future, I am reminded of our wonderful Lions and LEOs and the many gifts you bring to your clubs. You share your gifts with all in so many ways throughout the year. You serve at Food Banks, you deliver Meals on Wheels, you volunteer at your local churches, you assist your neighbors, you build ramps, you volunteer with the youth, you lead, you guide, you mentor, and you reach out to those who need of your time or just a shoulder to lean on. District 14C has far exceeded our motto, “WE SERVE”. You donated nearly 1000 pajamas to the benefit Foster Care and Youth Programs, and over \$15,000 to disaster relief for the hurricane victims. Each of you has many wonderful gifts and the ability to share your talents with others during this season of giving. As we approach the holiday season, continue to share your gifts with the community. Continue to be the light that shines for all to see as **WE SERVE!**

Patti Wurzbacher

2nd Vice District Governor

District Disaster Relief Program

Resolve to be Ready

The Resolve to be Ready social media toolkit offers practical emergency preparedness tips individuals and families can use to be ready for disasters and emergencies that could happen at any time. You can share these messages on your social media channels directly as written or customize them for your audiences. [Resolve to be Ready Social Media Toolkit | Ready.gov](#)



Being #WinterReady means understanding winter risks you face and taking steps now to prepare. This page will be updated throughout the winter to add more resources and information.

Why should you be #WinterReady?

- **Sixty-three percent** of temperature-related deaths are [attributable to cold exposure](#).
- Home heating is the **second leading cause of home fires**, and winter is when most home fires happen.
- Travel during the winter has unique risks, especially if you travel by car.

Readiness focuses make a great club program or discussion for a meeting.

If you have questions or want to learn more; please reach out to the DRP Chairperson, Ray Highlands at carlislelionray@comcast.net.

Paws for Thought

By LD Puppy Raiser Robbie Teal

As the old saying goes, “There’s more than one way to skin a cat”, there’s more than one way to be a puppy raiser. Did you know that there are options to raising a puppy for Leader Dogs? You could be a “One Household” which is the traditional way for families, college students, singles, retired couples or empty nesters.

There is Co-Raising (Primary and Secondary). This option is for someone who wants to share duties with a person from another household. Great if you are a first time raiser and you want to co-raise with an experience puppy raiser. The primary and secondary raisers work together to schedule who the puppy is with and when. Perfect for people who are close by and can share the responsibilities during the year.

You can also do a Pass-Along. This is where one raiser has the puppy for the first six months, and the second raiser has the puppy for the next six months. This is ideal for a person who only wants to commit to a limited time to raise a puppy. This could include individuals with pet weight or size restrictions, or someone who may be more comfortable handling a younger, lighter dog which they would raise for the first six months. The second raiser may be an individual who prefers a dog that already has the foundational behaviors trained and may be interested in raising the puppy the last six months.



Corporate Employees can raise a puppy individually or in teams of up to three people. This is great for employees engagement in social responsibility, and provides marketing, traditional media and social media opportunities.

Campus Puppies are great for college students raising on campuses approved by Leader Dog. They must participate in campus puppy club and meet with assigned puppy counselor. All the necessity supplies, veterinary care and food are paid by Leader Dog.

York Springs Community Breakfasts - 2025



(All You Can Eat)

Pancakes, Sausage, Ham, Scrambled Eggs, Potatoes,
Juice, Coffee, Hot Tea, & Hot Chocolate

York Springs Fire Hall

312 Main ST
York Springs, PA

Time: 7:00 – 10:30 AM



Sat., January 18, 2025

Sat., February 15, 2025

Sat., March 15, 2025

Price: \$12 - Adults over 12

\$5 - Ages 5-12

Free - Ages 4 & under

(Bring a canned good for our local food
bank to receive \$1.00 off one admission)



Sponsored by York Springs Lions Club to benefit York Springs Fire Company,
PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp, & Hope Walks (Int'l Headquarters in York Springs)

Questions: Contact Ed @ 717-475-4866 or email pchefprosser@gmail.com

Boiling Springs Cleans Up the Town

The Boiling Springs Lions Club cleaned up all along Forge Road, which is the main road coming into town, serving their community with volunteer hours. The club provides this clean up twice per year.



L to R: Lions Slim Connors, John Aigeldinger, Don Hople, Rick Line, and Jim Compton

Shrewsbury and New Freedom Also Clean Up

Lions from Shrewsbury Area Centennial Lions & New Freedom Lions Club picked up trash on October 19, 2024, along Constitution Avenue as participants of the Adopt-a-Highway Program.



Pictured left to right are Lion Cathy Taylor, 2VDG Patti Wurzbacher, Lion Lindy Sweeney, volunteer Hannah, Lion Neil Taylor, Lion Fredy Zuluaga, and Lion Mike Marsicano. Not pictured are Lion Brian Sweitzer and Lion Rich Neubauer.

Plainfield Joins the Clean Up Brigades

On a recent November Saturday, the Plainfield Club picked up trash along PA Route 641, starting in Plainfield and moving east toward Carlisle. Fifteen bags of trash were collected during this time.



L to R: Lion Susan Holtry, Lion Lisa Shade, Club President Lion Ron Garman and Lion Tina Leidigh. Also picking up trash but not shown on the picture was Lion Scott Leidigh.

New Freedom Celebrations Donations

At their October 15th meeting, the New Freedom club celebrated a night of donations, distributing checks to deserving community groups. The club gave out \$37,173 that night to numerous worthwhile organizations. A few are noted below.



Cub Scout Pack 24
- Bob Dickson



Girl Scout Troop 20364
- Tracey Lutz and her daughter



H.O.P.E.
- Cheryl Schroeder



South Central York County
Senior Center
- Nicole Strassman



Southern York County
Food Pantry
- Clay Tauzin



Southern York County
YMCA
- Erin Ferro

Red Lion Hears About Golden Connections

Golden Connections Community Center (formerly Red Lion Area Senior Center), led by Executive Director Kasie Ream, is a vibrant gathering place in Red Lion for adults aged 60 and up. The center offers a variety of programs and services aimed at enhancing wellness, providing support, and building friendships. Members enjoy everything from fitness classes to educational workshops and social activities, creating a space for meaningful connection in the Red Lion community.



Kasie Ream with Club President Matt Doll

District Vision Screening



Anyone doing Vision Screening please remember to report your hours through your Lions Club to Lions International.

AND, please send me your Vision Screening Report form either by email or regular mail (750 Pine Road, Carlisle, PA 17015) so it can be recorded with KidSight directly for the District to get credit. Clubs do not have access to enter information into KidSight, but when I do, Multi-District and International can see what we do. I don't need a ton of information, so please take a couple of minutes and send me your information on your vision screening.

If you have any questions or need any assistance, please reach out and let me know.

Thanks Lion Lisa

Lion Lisa Highlands
Carlisle Lions Club
Vision Screening Chairperson for District 14-C
KidSightUSA14C@gmail.com
717-323-0043

New Freedom Celebrates Its Annual Pumpkin Patch

New Freedom Lions and volunteers came dressed for the festivities and games at the Pumpkin Patch, an annual event held by the club.



L to R: Lion Wayne Wurzbacher, Lion Patti Holbrook, 2VDG Patti Wurzbacher, Lions Nikki & Matt Warner, Pat Jordan, Vincent Jordan, Lion Denise Varteresian, Lion Mike Summers, Lion Fredy Zuluaga, Devin Ramsey, Lion Ken Varteresian, and Abby Lord.



Lion Steve Grothey delivers the pumpkins

Dover Learns About Policing

Northern Regional Police Detective Mark Baker spoke to the Dover Lions Club recently about their Explorer Post 1445 and how it introduces young students to the role of a police officer.



L to R: Dover Lions President, Kathy Hyder, Detective Baker, Sergeant Penelope Brosius , Corporal Caleb Murphy ,and Explorers Austin Delp and Collin Corrigan.

Mechanicsburg Assembles Care Packages

Members of the Mechanicsburg Lions Club contributed to the community by assembling flood buckets and care packages at Mission Central. Mission Central opened in 2002 with the mission of connecting God's resources with human needs.



Hanover Repairs Benches Around Town

The Hanover club replaced worn boards on sitting benches located around Hanover. Below are Lions Tom Krout and Tom Staub putting finishing touches on a sitting bench at the Kohl's Department Store wondering if all looks good.



New Freedom Sweeps the Stewartstown FallFest

Lion Wayne Wurzbacher from New Freedom Lions Club made a clean sweep selling brooms at the Stewartstown Fall Fest held on October 12, 2024.



L to R: Lion Wayne with Lion Jake Schultz (Stewartstown)

Boiling Springs Celebrates with Wreaths



The Boiling Springs club continued its tradition of making wreaths for sale in their annual holiday fund raiser.

Mechanicsburg Assists With Game Night



The Mechanicsburg Lions Club generously stepped in to assist with the regularly scheduled Game Night at One80 Ministries, bringing a spirit of community and fun. Nine Lions Club members volunteered their time to provide snacks, serve refreshments, and call Bingo—a fan favorite for the evening. The event was a success, with around 20 local residents coming together for a night of socializing, food, and friendly competition.

Arendtsville Beautifies the Community

The Arendtsville Club worked to beautify the community in November. On Monday, November 4, three members joined with other community volunteer to help rake leaves, pull weeds and cut off perennials in Hanne Park, the town's park, which is named for former member Bill Hanne and was built on the cleaned up sight of a former garage. That Saturday saw the club perform its annual wreath hanging for the holiday season. Six club members and 2 community members participated in the activity.



Lion Patrick Hardy helps hang wreaths

New Freedom Receives Donation

The New Freedom Lions received a generous donation from Nikki, Matt, and Nathan Warner. Their son Nathan (age 13) came up with the idea of hosting a restaurant night at his parents' house to raise money for a good cause! Nathan has decided to designate the funds to sponsor a puppy through [#leaderdogsfortheblind](#).



NEWSLETTER DEADLINE AND TIPS



Articles for the January issue must be submitted by December 23, 2024.

There is a new email address to use:

district14newsletter@gmail.com

Submission Guidelines:

- Articles should be in PDF or Word format.
- Pictures should be JPG or PNG.
- Submit all pictures separately from the article.
- DO NOT crop, resize, or otherwise adjust photos before sending.
- List everyone in the photos.
- Late articles will be placed in the next issue.
- Not everything that is submitted will be printed.

Tips

- Put your name and club in the email submitting the article.
- If your article discusses a group, event, or cause, tell us about the group, event or cause! What do they do? How many people were there? The more information I get, the better the article. A one sentence description means a very small article.
- Trifold brochures, like the kind many clubs use for golf tournaments, do not fit the newsletter's aspect ratio and have to be heavily edited to fit. If you have a one-page flyer, that would be a better submission.

Sending me a photo of your Christmas party? Please tell me the names of everyone in the photo.

York White Rose Club Awards Scholarship



The York White Rose Club awarded a scholarship to Sophia Gerrick. Sophia was graduated from Central High School and will be attending Penn State University's main campus. She will be majoring in Biology in hopes of one day being a Physician's Assistant.

Carlisle Supports Women's Expo



The Carlisle club set up a booth at the 2024 Women's Expo in Carlisle at the Carlisle Expo Center. Lions greeted show goers and talked about what it is to be a Lion and a LEO.



Carlisle Lion Jay McBride presents the entry prize from the 2024 Women's Expo to the winner Shawndel from Mt. Holly Springs

York Springs and Plainfield Clubs Honors Student Achievers

Bermudian Springs “Students of the Quarter” were honored at the Nov. 19, 2024 York Springs Lions Club meeting.



(L-R) McKenna Emig (Agriculture), Mrs. Mandi Ruberg (new YS Lion & teacher), Logan Hoover (Music), & Adrian Karras (Overall).



Erica Diep was recently honored by the Plainfield Lions Club as their November Student of the Month. Club President Ron Garman presented her award.

Lions International Peace Poster Contest

What an honor it is to announce the winners of the Lions International Peace Poster Contest for 2024-2025 sponsored by the Lions Clubs of District 14-C! The theme for the 2024-2025 competition is “**Peace Without Limits.**” And, truly, the artistic and creative talent of the students in District 14-C is without limits! All of the students did a tremendous job in creating their beautiful posters and displaying how peace and kindness are without limits. We had a grand total of **99** children participating and creating posters this year! I want to thank the six clubs that were able to offer this amazing opportunity to children by sponsoring them in the contest. The clubs that participated this year were the **Apple City Leo Club** (under the guidance of the **Arendtsville Lions Club**), the **Arendtsville Lions Club**, the **Dallastown Lions Club**, the **Jacobus Lions Club, Inc.**, the **Upper Adams Lions Club**, and the **Windsor Lions Club**. The children’s posters were judged on originality, artistic merit and demonstration of the theme in their poster.



Hot off the press, our winners are:

- First Place: **Madison Sevier**, sponsored by the Jacobus Lions Club, Inc. (Madison’s poster will now travel on to be entered in the multi-district competition.) Best of luck to Madison!
- Second Place: **Evlyn Licharowicz**, sponsored by Arendtsville Lions Club.
- Third Place: **Ana Ugalde Diaz**, sponsored by the Upper Adams Lions Club.
- Honorable Mention: **Eli Gates**, sponsored by the Apple City Leo Club under the guidance of the Arendtsville Lions Club.

District Governor Galen, Lion Terry and I were extremely impressed with the quality of the posters and how well they demonstrated the theme. Each of the students demonstrated a high level of artistic talent along with originality in their creations.

We will look forward to meeting the winners and their families in the new year as we recognize and honor them for their achievement. It is always such a privilege to meet these incredible students and see the beautiful posters they have created along with listening to them share their ideas about world peace demonstrated in their posters. The reflections they share always leave me in awe and with much hope for the future.

For more information about the Lions International Peace Poster Contest, contact me at (717) 600-7642 or hullmannt@aol.com

Wishing you the happiest of holidays!
Lion Patti Hullmann
(Peace Poster Chair)

Apple City Leo Club Adds Members

District Governor Galen Burkholder visited the Apple City Leo Club during their monthly meeting on Monday, November 4, 2024. The club was pleased to have him install the club's officers and induct 11 new members. After losing 10 members to graduation in June, club members have worked hard to replace those graduated members and grow the club even more!



DG Galen Burkholder with newly inducted Apple City Leo Club members.

Fall Tree Plantings (Update)

Lions clubs and club members again participated in tree-plantings held by the Alliance for the Chesapeake Bay. On Saturday, November 2, 2024, the Lions clubs in Region 1 contributed funds to provide lunch for volunteers who planted approximately 700 trees at Gettysburg Montessori School. Volunteers enjoyed sandwiches, potato salad, chips, cookies, snack bars, apples and beverages compliments of the Lions. The following Saturday, November 9, 2024, several Lions showed up at a farm south of Dillsburg and help plant nearly 200 trees. Thank you to the clubs and members who supported these two tree plantings.



Dillsburg tree planting volunteers. Lion Ed Prosser, York Springs Lions Club, furtherest away.

The A B C's of LCIF

PDG Keith Shoff, LCIF District 14-C Coordinator

Hello again from LCIF Central (District 14C)

Did you know that LCIF has a “volunteer structure” from the International level down to and including the local Clubs ?? Well here it is:

“Club LCIF Coordinators

All clubs are asked to appoint a club LCIF coordinator, which is a one-year position.

Individuals serving in this role are asked to educate fellow club members on the impact of LCIF grants and key initiatives of the Foundation. Club LCIF coordinators are also asked to encourage donations from both the club and individual members. Clubs are asked to appoint the most qualified member to serve in this position. The immediate past club president is asked to serve in this position if no other member is appointed.”

Some of our 14C Clubs do have a club LCIF coordinator but not all. I would ask you to check with your Club President to verify “IF” your Club does and in the case that it doesn't, please encourage the Club to appoint one and send me the information so I can keep our LCIF files up to date.

Currently District 14C donations stand at **\$8042.33** with the LCIF goal for us being \$35,760. We are very close to where we should be for this time in the Lions year, GOOD JOB Lions !!!!

Although this is **NOT** related to LCIF in any way, I'd like to take this opportunity to mention another fundraiser that our District participated in. Several weeks ago the MD Disaster Relief Coordinator, Jim Groff, put out a call to the Lions of Pennsylvania for a non-perishable food drive to obtain supplies for the North Carolina hurricane victims. Since time was of the essence, Coordinator Jim asked for monetary donations that he would use to buy supplies at or below wholesale from a Distribution Center that he has access to. I am proud to inform you that District 14C, in less than 10 days, once again was the shining star in the State with a donation total of **\$15,515.00**. Jim Groff informed me that PA Lions supplied 2 full tractor trailer loads of food to be distributed from the Ashville area, and to top it off, both trailers that were sent were wrapped with our PA Lions signage, **WE SERVE**. You should be PROUD to be a Lion and especially a PA Lion.

When making a donation to your Foundation, checks should be made out to “**LCIF**” in whatever amount you wish to donate. You can personally send the check to LCIF, but better yet, let me send it in and I will see to it that you get any and all recognition for your donation. Thank You for donating to YOUR Foundation !!!

Stay tuned next month for more about the A B C's of LCIF

District Governor Visitation Schedule – Dec. - March

Date	Club
Monday, Dec. 9	Gettysburg Lions Club - 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Dec. 10	Yorktowne Branch - 11:00 a.m. Carlisle Lions Club - 7:00 p.m.
Thursday, Jan. 9	Spring Grove Lions Club - 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Jan. 14	Hanover Lions Club - 6:15 p.m.
Monday, Jan. 20	Camp Hill Lions Club - 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Jan. 21	Upper Adams Lions Club - 5:30 p.m.
Monday, Jan. 27	Mason + Dixon Lions Club - 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Jan. 28	Mt Holly Springs Lions Club - 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday, Jan. 29	Shiloh Lions Club - 6:30 p.m.
Monday, Feb. 10	Dillsburg Lions Club - 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Feb. 11	Cashtown Community Lions Club - 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday Feb. 25	Newville Lions Club - 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Mar. 11	Jacksonville Lions Club - 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Mar. 18	Windsor Lions Club - 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Mar. 25	Boiling Springs Lions Club - 6:00 p.m.



On November 14th, District Governor Galen Burkholder visited the Susquehanna Lions Club and President Joe Weirich is shown here presenting a check to District Governor Galen for his Project Fund.

District Meetings and Events

Date	Event
Wednesday, Dec. 11	Zone 4A Advisory Meeting - Windsor Lions Bldg. - 7:00 p.m.
Monday, Dec. 30	Global Action Team Meeting - Zoom - 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Jan. 8	Sponsors (New Members) Orientation – Zoom – 7:00 p.m.
Thursday, Jan. 23	Zone Chair Touch Point and Refresher – Zoom – 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Jan. 29	New Member Orientation – Zoom – 7:00 p.m.
Thursday, Jan. 30	Global Action Team Meeting - Zoom - 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, Feb. 15	District 14-C Cabinet Meeting - Dover Fire Hall - 9:30 a.m.
Monday, Feb. 24	Zone 1A Advisory Meeting - Perkins Resturant - 6:30 p.m. Zone 3B Advisory Meeting - Pinchot Park Lions Bldg. - 6:30 p.m. Zone 4B Advisory Meeting - New Freedom Community Bldg. - 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday, Feb. 26	Zone 2A Advisory Meeting - VFW Post 477 - 6:30 p.m. Zone 4A Advisory Meeting - Windsor Lions Bldg. 7:00 p.m.
Thursday, Feb 27	Zone 1B Advisory Meeting - Hunterstown Diner - 6:30 p.m.

2024-2025 District Directory Updates

New changes:

Page 30, 32, 33, 35 and 85 - Change email address for PDG Daniel Brant to:
danbrant44@gmail.com

Page 49 - Hanover Lions Club - Monthly meeting - 2nd Tuesday 6:00 PM

Previously reported changes:

Page 14 - Change Meeting time for Upper Adams on January 21 to 5:30 p.m.

Page 14 - Change Dillsburg visitation date from January 13 to February 10

Page 36 – PDG Hugh Gallagher is a member of the Plainfield Club and his email is

hgallagher99@comcast.net

Page 51 - Change email address for Kreutz Creek Valley Secretary to

wjinnemans@yahoo.com

Page 54 - Under Pinchot Park Lions Club ... Jennifer Hunt is the President, not the Secretary; the Secretary is Beth Dahlhammer, 18 Hull Drive, East Berlin PA 17316, bethdahlhammer@gmail.com, 717-802-5329

Page 55 - Under Red Lion Lions Club, change the phone number for Secretary Don Dippner to 717-342-6378

Page 86 - Change address for PDG Hugh Gallagher to 5703 Cricket Lane, Harrisburg PA 17112

We Serve!

From the desk of PDG Dennis Cope, Global Service Team (GST) Coordinator

It's the holiday season, which means many of our clubs will be working to make sure everyone in their community has the food, shelter and clothing they need to feel safe, warm and well-fed during these cold months of winter. As we close the calendar year, I look forward to seeing the variety and scope of the service projects that are reported in the Lion Portal for the first six months of this Lion year.

Did you know that you, too, can view your club's service activities along with every other club's service activities in Lion Portal? It's really rather simple to do. Here's how to do it ...

Log into Lion Portal (If you don't have your account set up, go to the last paragraph of this article).

From the "Home" page, click on the box labeled "MY CA."

Click on the link labeled "Clubs & Officers."

Click on the blue box labeled "Explore Clubs."

You should now have a white box on your screen with a drop-down bar labeled "Select Level" and the word "None" showing in the box. Click in that box, and you should see some choices. Click on "District," then click the blue box labeled "Next."

You should now see a list of the Lions clubs in District 14-C. Click the check-box beside the name of the club whose service you want to check, then click the blue "Next" box.

You should now see the "Club Details" for the club you selected.

Find the link labeled "Club Service Activities" and click on it.

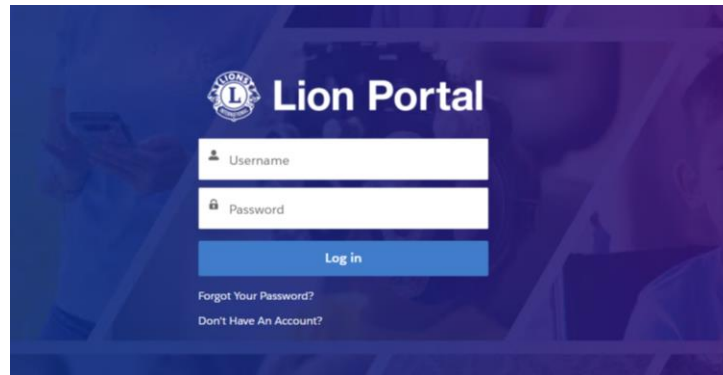
You should now see a listing of the service activities. If the most recent activities are not at the top of the list, go to the first column, which is labeled "End Date." There will probably be an arrow pointing up beside the label. Click on that arrow. The arrow should now be pointing down, and the most recent activities should appear on the list.

There is lots more to see and explore in the Lion Portal. I encourage every member to take a look, but you won't be able to do that without first setting up your Lion Portal Account. If you haven't done that, directions are on the next page of the newsletter.

Setting Up Your Lions Portal Account

Go to the Lions Club website homepage: www.lionsclubs.org

Look for “MEMBER LOGIN” at the top of the page. Click on that link. This should bring out the Lion Portal login page.



Since you haven't set up your account yet, click on the link labeled “Don't Have An Account?” This will bring up a white box asking you for your first name, last name and email address. Complete the information in three boxes, then click the blue box labeled “Sign Up.” If you get a message that your information cannot be found, it is probably because what you typed in one or more of the blue boxes doesn't match the information your Club Secretary has on file for you. For example, if you typed “Fred” for your first name, your Secretary might have “Frederick” in the system. Another possibility is that a previous email address is in the system rather than your current email address. Try to make some changes. If nothing works, Contact your Club Secretary or me to find out what information is on file for you.

Hopefully, you will have some down-time over the holidays, which might give you an opportunity to check out the Lion Portal. Feel free to contact me if you need any assistance: dennis.cope@icloud.com.

To all District 14-C Lions and your families, I wish you that happiest of holidays and healthy start to the new year.

York White Rose Celebrates the Festival of Lights

The York White Rose club decorated a Christmas tree showing the world of Lions as part of the displays for the upcoming Christmas Magic, "A Festival of Lights" at Rocky Ridge County Park.



*Standing L-R : Barb Hilt, Brian Swingle, Zack Hilt, Jean Gleaves, Bill Gleaves, Patricia O'Neill, James O'Neill, Linda Hollenbach, Dwight Hollenbach
Kneeling L-R : Wanda Reisinger and Susan Johnston*

Hanover Holds Successful Golf Tournament

The Hanover Lions Club hosted 120 golfers on a beautiful July day at the Hanover Country Club Golf Course. With strong support from 50+ sponsors, 55+ contributors, and generous participants, the 2024 “Commitment To Sight” Golf Benefit was a HUGE success raising over \$14,000.



Mechanicsburg Member Receives Award

Lion Mike Fenicle has been a member of the Mechanicsburg club for over 16 years. During that time, he has served the local club as Club President, Chaplin & Eyeglass recycling chair. He has also served Lions District 14-C as Zone Chair for 8 years in the past & has just agreed to fill in for this year too. Earlier this year he was honored to be named as a "Fellow" of the Lions of PA Foundation for his meritorious service as Zone Chair & his continued dedication to the causes of Lions International. Congrats Lion Mike!



Past District Governor Marty Zimmerman presents the award to Lion Mike

WELCOME

New Members

New Member	Club	Sponsor
Patrick Hardy	Arendtsville	Jamie Cope
Debra Lebo	Boiling Springs	James McNatt
Chris Hull	Hanover	Tom Krout
Michael Caravello	Mechanicsburg	Ted Cramer
Kathy Christine	Mechanicsburg	Patti Clark
Larry Christine	Mechanicsburg	Mike Clark
Vincent Jordan	New Freedom	Kenneth Vartersian
Hannah Patterson	New Freedom	Patricia Wurzbacher
John Willard	New Freedom	Robert Dickson
John Linton	Shiloh	Dorothy Rohrbaugh
Douglas Kraft	Susquehanna	Robert Bowman
Deborah Jones	Upper Adams	Esther Little



DG Galen inducts Lions Leah Fitzgerald and John Willard into the New Freedom club.



Newly inducted Arendtsville Lion Patrick Hardy with Lion Jamie Cope, sponsor, and District Governor Galen Burkholder.

IN LOVING Memory

With sadness and gratitude for their service, we report the following recently deceased Lions.

Deceased Member	Club	Years of Service
Elwood Repman	Dover	62
Gregory Gruendler	Jacobus	14
Nancy Renoll	Jefferson	30

Hanover Honors Late Member's Service

The Hanover Lions Club finished the summer with its annual Lions Family Picnic. During the festivities, the club awarded a Melvin Jones Fellowship Award to the wife of Lion Charlie Stauffer who passed in May.



L to R: Lion Bob Gotwalt with Gloria Stauffer and daughter Cindy Heim