

District 14C Newsletter April 2023



A Message From the District Governor



District Governor Keith Shoff

Fellow Lions, Lioness/Lions and Leos.

My year of service as your District Governor has certainly gone quickly. When you read this, my visitations will be complete, except for 1 make-up. Visitations are a fun way of meeting fellow Lions and learning about all of the different fund raisers and service projects we provide to our local communities. I am in awe of all the "good work" that goes on in our District. Needless to say, "good work" requires a time commitment, and the more members we have helping means that we as Lions can provide much more to our communities. Somewhere in my training, I remember being told that for every new member we bring in, we can affect 70 more lives, both locally and worldwide. Please continue to make membership a priority.

As we begin the final quarter of this Lions year, let's not lose sight of the importance of service. Try to find a new way for your club to engage in hands-on, active service. As you elect your club's leaders, look ahead and develop a plan for the 2023/2024 Lions year. Involve your newer members and encourage them to take leadership roles, either as club officers or project chairpersons. Active engagement in service is both motivating and invigorating - the enthusiasm this generates can be contagious. It improves member satisfaction, which results in better retention. It's also attractive to prospective members who will be more inclined to join. That is the key to keeping our clubs and our organization alive and thriving!

First Vice District Governor Marty Zimmerman is busy preparing for his upcoming year of service. If he contacts you to be a part of his District Leadership Team, I hope you will seriously consider doing so. You will never regret it. Also, please consider supporting him by placing advertisements in the 2023/2024 Directory. This helps to defray the costs of printing the Directory.

As mentioned in the March Newsletter, our District 14-C convention will be held at Wyndham Gardens Hotel, 2000 Loucks Road in York on April 15. The guest speaker will be Ron Keller, a current International Director from Columbus, Ohio. We're trying something totally new this year, and I hope you'll join us for the fun.

A Message From the District Governor con't

After I said this last month, many of you told me how much you appreciated hearing it, SO, it deserves to be repeated.

No matter what position you hold within Lions, from Club Member to International President, we are all still Lions. We are here to SERVE our communities and sometimes that means stepping out of our comfort zone and accepting more responsibility. I learned a very valuable lesson regarding "we're all Lions" on my life changing trip to Mayfield Kentucky in January 2022. There in the mud, the snow, no matter the task at hand, there working beside us was our International President, International Directors, Past International Directors, people just like you and me, no air of importance. Just regular Lions helping those in need.

There is no difference between us. We are LIONS !!

Until then, Lion Kathy and I wish you continued success in your efforts to meet the needs of your community and fulfill our motto, "We Serve"

Together we can. Together we will!! Yours in SERVICE and Friendship.

LET'S ROAR!



A Message From the 1st Vice District Governor



1st Vice District Governor Marty Zimmerman

Fellow Lions, Lioness/Lions and Leos:

Thank you for all you do. As March comes to a close, and I begin to look at how much needs to be done to prepare for next year. I have a range of emotions. Yes, there is anxiety but also excitement. I have started to reach out to some of you to ask if you would continue to serve the District in your current position. Our District has been blessed with a great team of creative and dedicated volunteers. Yes, we are all volunteers, something that sometimes is lost when results are not what we had hoped for or expected.

In keeping with the Lion tradition of service, I again want to thank all of you for all you do to serve others. I also realize that some of you have

decided to give an opportunity to someone else, again I thank you for all you have done. I am hopeful that as some of you read this message you may realize it is time for you to take a chance to try something new.

I also know there is a delicate balance when it comes to serving others and also letting others know about the service we provide. (Yes, time to put in a plug to report your service activities). We don't want to be the best kept secret in our community, but at the same time we don't want to be known as an attention seeking organization. In my time as a Lion, I have seen the tremendous impact the organization has on the local, State, national and international level. I am especially, thankful for everyone who has served in a leadership position: a position that might be somewhat like an umpire in that each decision may not be cheered by a part of the crowd, but the game goes on.

Also, I am thankful for what I call the invisible Lion, those members that are acting behind the scenes, often addressing an issue when they see it resolving it before others even realize it was an issue. I would love to nudge some of the invisible Lions to consider a position in the district, as your track record of service proves you are qualified. In looking at leadership, a positive quote I found is "The first responsibility of a leader is to define reality. The last is to say thank you. In between, the leader is a servant," Max Depree.

I am asking for your help and thank you for providing me the opportunity to serve.

Lion Marty Zimmerman, 1st VDG

A Message From the 2nd Vice District Governor



2nd Vice District Governor Galen Burkholder

Lions "We Serve."

Lionism. It's all about Volunteering, Training and Service. Every member is "plugged" into at least 1 category. Many are "involved" in 2. Fewer members have accepted the "call" to be included in all 3.

May I remind you of the importance of training and 14-C has among the best facilitators. See list of linked signup courses offered in May and June in this issue.

Lions: We Serve. But what is service?

It is defined as *the action of doing work for someone*. If our heat pump stops working, we call service. For this service, we know we are going

to receive a bill

So how does Lions service differ; we don't get paid.

I learned about service at an early age. I was an only child. I helped my dad in the barn, with the animals and in the field. I helped my mom with cooking, cleaning, laundry (including ironing) and windows (not the computer kind). But that was involuntary service. We were family. It was expected for all they did for me growing up. So, what does voluntary service look like?

Back in the 50s (that's the 1950s), my dad was in a traffic accident and broke his arm. It was spring, an important time of year for farmers. It was planting time; a time to plant corn. Without the planting, there would be no harvest. Where did the service come in? Three brothers-in-law and two neighbors came in and plowed and prepped a 25-acre field in one day. By the end of the next day, the corn had been planted; a harvest *would* come later in the year. It was voluntary service; a thank you paid the bill.

In my early years of being a Lion (1970s-80s), the Shippensburg Club did service for the community outside the normal scope of Lionism. Among other things, we put shorts and boot waders on, and got in the Branch Creek and installed logs to create sways in the water. The purpose was to slow down the flow of water. We did that prior to stocking the stream with fish. We painted the fence in



the yard for the Public Library. This was voluntary service. We supplied the manpower; they supplied the thank you.

A Message From the 2nd Vice District Governor con't

Western Cumberland County Lions Projects (Zone 2A clubs) provides financial assistance for county residents. It too is outside the normal scope of Lionism. This too is voluntary service. We are approaching the \$100,000 assistance level this year.

You are a Lion. **We Serve** Lions International (LCIF), our state projects (Beacon Lodge), our district and zone projects. We serve our local clubs. We serve our community, too.

We are hungry Lions. We devour opportunities to help others and make the world a better place. We do it all, just for a *Thank You* and the feeling that we have *Made a Difference*.

Thank you for your service.

Galen Burkholder

2nd Vice District Governor



Lions Work for the Environment



On March 18th 21 volunteers helped clean up the Exit 4 I-83 Diverging Diamond area. litter pick-up held on Saturday, March 18, 2023. The volunteers were from SYC Rotary, Hopewell Township, VFW Post 7012, Shrewsbury Area Centennial Lions, New Freedom Lions, and Stewartstown Borough picked up 30 bags of trash and miscellaneous debris. A great day of service!!





Leader Dog Puppy Raiser Robbie Teal

Bus Tour to Leader Dogs

Where: Leader Dogs for the Blind, Rochester Hills, Michigan

Dates: July 21st – 23rd, 2023

Cost: \$154.00 per person

Cost does not include Meals or Hotel. I have arranged special pricing at the Days Inn in Rochester Hills for \$75.00 a night plus tax. Phone number is 1-248-270-5438, and ask for Giovani. Confirmation number is 85146EE005887 for the block of rooms for this trip.

The bus will be making several stops along the turnpike for rest breaks and food. Friday and Saturday nights we will be going to a restaurant to eat. Lunch on Saturday will be at Leader Dogs at your cost. The hotel has a continental breakfast.

Elite Coach will pick up and drop off at two different places, to be determined.

Contact: Robbie Teal at <u>beerbaroness.rt@gmail.com</u>. Reservations must be in by June 26th, 2023.



"The world gets better and problems get smaller when people unite to serve their local and global community. Lions serve neighbors who live next door and people on the other side of the world we may never meet."

Caption This Photo!!

Here is the April entry in our Caption This Photo Contest. We're asking for the funniest caption that describes this picture from the Regional Lions Leadership Institute. Send your entries to: <u>stewartstownlions@protonmail.com</u>.

Entries must be received by April 24, 2022 to be considered.



Thanks to those Lions who have responded with pictures so that we can continue this feature.

If you have a photo that would be fun for the caption contest, send it as well to the above email.

New Oxford Lions Club Community Blood Drive Thursday, April 20th • 1:00 pm - 6:00 pm United Hook & Ladder Station 1

21 N. Bolton Street, New Oxford 17350 - In the Social Hall

Everyone will receive:

- Certificate for a FREE sandwich from McDonalds in New Oxford
- Certificate for a FREE 6 inch sub of your choice from Subway in New Oxford
- Certificate for a FREE Pint of Ice Cream from Bruster's



3 ways to schedule your donation appointment:

- go to 717GiveBlood.org & click on DONATE NOW
- call 1-800-771-0059
- scan the QR code





A form of ID is REQUIRED to donate

- We strongly suggest you schedule an appointment to donate blood. Appointments help us improve your donation experience.
- Walk-Ins are welcome; however, donors with appointments will be taken first and this may result in a significant wait time.
- Current CDC recommendations make masking for our donors & staff optional. CPBB will provide masks to anyone who wishes to wear one.

Western Cumberland County Lions Project Aids Hearing

The Western Cumberland County Lions Projects provided a check to local resident Tonya Sheaffer, enabling her to purchase needed hearing aids. WCCLP is comprised of Lions Clubs from Boiling Springs, Carlisle, Jacksonville, Mt. Holly Springs, Newville, Plainfield, and Shippensburg.

DED 2 DATE March 2, 2023 PAY TO THE Amplifon Hearing Center \$ 2,890.00 Two Thousand Eight hundred Ninety and ^{OO} 100 DOLLARS
FOR Hearing Aids WCC LP Treasure

2nd Vice District Governor 14-C Galen Burkholder; Tonya Leigh; Leigh Stinson, Hearing Aid Specialist with Beltone, and WCCLP Treasurer Pete Schultzenburger.

Dover Donates Towards History

Dover Lions Club President Duane Hull is pictured giving a check to Joan Mummert, the President and CEO of the York County History Center, after her presentation to the Dover Lions. Her presentation focused on the purpose, history, and future plans of the York County History Center.



Place Your Club's Activities in this Newsletter!

Submit your items to Editor Carl Birkmeyer: stewartstownlions@protonmail.com



Limit your items to no more than one page. Submit articles in PDF or Word format. Please don't just write your article in the body of an email. Name your pictures! Include your name and club's name in your email. Submit it by the 25th of the month preceding publication.



Shiloh Lions Club "Rich Arnold Memorial Hoops for Sight" April 15, 2023 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM Zion United Methodist Church, 1030 Carlisle Road, York

Tons of Prizes!!!!

Shooting for a Cure for Retinal Degenerative Diseases!!

The Shiloh Lions Club is helping children who are going blind, by funding research to find cures for retinal degenerative diseases. The "Rich Arnold Memorial Hoops for Sight", is local residents gathering pledges and shooting foul shots for prizes with all proceeds going to the Foundation Fighting Blindness. The money raised will fund research which may give sight back to these children.

Both Girls and Boys Divisions

Win Ciff Cards Elementary, K - 2nd grade (8' baskets) -- \$50 gift card to winner, \$25 to second Elementary, 3 – 5th grade -- \$50 gift card to winner, \$25 to second Middle School, 6 – 8th grade -- \$50 gift card to winner, \$25 to second High School, 9 – 12th grade -- \$50 gift card to winner, \$25 to second

Combined Divisions

Adults (through age 49) -- \$50 gift card to winner, \$25 to second Seniors (age 50+) -- \$50 gift card to winner, \$25 to second

Each shooter will register and drop off pledges collected, then shoot foul shots (or closer shots for the younger shooters) for 3 minutes. The goal is to make as many shots as possible in the 3 minute period. Just drop off your pledges, shoot, and have some fun!!! The more pledges you bring in, the higher value gift cards you earn!

\$100 of pledges: \$10 gift card! \$300 of pledges: \$30 gift card! \$500 of pledges: \$50 giftcard! \$1000 of pledges: \$100 gift card!



Raffles - Food - Fund

www.ShilohLionsClub.org 717-764-1964

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Attention Club Secretaries

The voting credentials for the District 14-C convention were mailed on March 13th. If you have not received them by now, let PDG George Reisinger know as soon as possible.

PDG George Reisinger, buddyrot@comcast.net 717-266-1923

DISTRICT 14-C CONVENTION - SATURDAY, APRIL 15 2023

It's not too late to register for this year's District 14-C Convention. In fact, walk-in registrations are welcome! However, if you want to join us for the District Social (Cowboy Roadkill Cafe), you need to have your registration to PDG Dennis Cope no later than April 5th so we can provide Wyndham Garden with a final count. The cafe will feature a variety of "cowboy foods" available to attendees throughout the time of the social. There will also be a variety of games and activities to enjoy during the social. The dress code for the convention is casual and cowboy attire - jeans, boots, and hats are highly recommended!



The schedule for the convention is as follows:

NOON - 2:30	Registration and Certification
1:00 - 1:10	Convention Opening
1:10 - 1:30	District Cabinet Meeting
1:40 - 2:00	Necrology Service
2:00 - 3:00	Keynote Address, Recognition & Awards
3:00 - 3:35	District Caucus and Voting
3:35 - 4:45	Seminars
4:45 - 5:15	Convention Committee Reports & Election Results
5:15 - 7:00	District Social

Additional information is included later in this newsletter along with a <u>registration form</u>, which can also be accessed by clicking the link.







DISTRICT 14-C LIONS CONVENTION "Riding for the Brand"

Saddle up and get ready for a rip-roaring good time at the 2023 District 14-C Convention on Saturday, April 15, 2023, at the Wyndham Garden Hotel in York. District Governor Keith Shoff invites all District 14-C Lions to a casual, cowboy-themed convention with a District Social to follow. Registration for this year's convention will begin at Noon. The fourth District Cabinet Meeting will begin at 1:00 p.m., followed by the formal opening of the convention. The remainder of the afternoon will be filled with interesting and informative activities.

Following the opening of the convention and a few formalities, our District Chaplain, Lion Rodger Snyder will honor our recently deceased members by leading the District 14-C Necrology.

Our Keynote Speaker, International Director Ron Keller, will follow the Necrology with an inspiring message, which will include the latest actions of the International Board, programs and projects being worked on by international committees, building a successful retention project, and ways to boost a club's image within the community. Director Ron Keller comes to us from Millersport, Ohio, and is serving his first year as an International Director. Director Keller has more than 35 years experience as a government administrator and events coordinator. He is currently the Cultural Arts and Events Manager for the city of Columbus. He has revived numerous association and president's awards and is a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow. Director Keller will be accompanied by his wife, Lion Kitty Lea Keller, who is also a Melvin Jones Fellow. They have three children and seven grandchildren.

Director Keller and District Governor Keith will honor several deserving Lions with awards following the Keynote Address. After a short break, we will conduct our annual District Caucus and Election of District Officers. This is an opportunity to learn about the candidates who have agreed to run for District Governor and Vice District Governor for the upcoming year before casting your vote.

Three "breakout" seminars have been schedule following the voting. "Marketing Your Club to the Community" will focus on ways to build your club's brand in the community. The seminar will include both tried-and-true methods as well as a few new ideas. "Building Your Leadership Pizza" will help participants learn about and apply 9 different leadership styles. "Effective Strategies to Grow Your Club's Membership" will introduce participants to LCI's new Global Membership Approach. The seminar will include tips for planning and for approaching prospective members.

Following the seminars, we will have a report on the election and hear from our Governor-Elect and Vice Governors-Elect. After some closing remarks, the convention will close, but that won't be all. A District Social will follow the convention with fun, food, and fellowship at the "Cowboy Roadkill Cafe" for all who sign-up to attend.



DISTRICT 14-C LIONS CONVENTION Saturday, April 15, 2023 Wyndham Garden Hotel 2000 Loucks Road, York, Pa 17408

REGISTRATION FORM

<u>Each registrant</u> must complete a <u>separate registration form</u>. Send the completed form and payment to Dennis Cope, PO Box 514, Arendtsville, PA 17303. Please mail forms and payment by <u>Friday, March 31, 2023</u>.

Registrant Name	Phone Number			
E-mail or Postal Address				
Circle One: ID - PID - DG - PCC - VDG - PDG	- Lion - Leo - Guest			
Club Name				
Years as a Lion	First District Convention	on? <u>Yes - No</u>		
Seminars - To help us determine room assig indicate the seminar you are most likely to a Marketing Your Club to the Com Building Your Leadership Pizza Effective Strategies to Grow You	attend munity	lease		
Registration Fee - \$15 (Leo Club members f	ree): \$_			
District Social: Round-Up at the Cowboy Roadkill Cafe - \$20 \$				
Total Enclosed w/ Registration \$				
Make checks payable to: "District 14-C" with "Convention" on the memo line				
Mail registration and payment to: PDG Dennis Cope, PO Box 514, Arend	tsville, PA 17303			

Questions:

PDG Lisa Griffie, lgriffie1963@icloud.com, 717-870-2145

Regional Lions Leadership Institute Faculty

The faculty for the 2023 Regional Lions Leadership Institute proudly gave their time to help fellow Lions improve their leadership skills.



Front row left to right: PDG Susan Edwards, PID Cindy Gregg, PDG Deb Burkholder Back row, L to R: PDG Tom Gregg, PDG Jason Long, PID Jim Cavallaro, PID Larry Edwards, PDG Kerry McKnight

PDG Kerry McKnight Receives Honors

Past District Governor Kerry McKnight was awarded The Past International President Joseph Wroblewski Award Plague and lanyard/pin set from this year's 1st Vice District Governors for training them to become District Governors at the PA Sate Council Meeting.

PDG Kerry was also awarded the LCIF Chairman's Award - Medal and Certificate and the Presidential Award from last year's International President Douglas Alexander for his work with LCIF. The Presidential Medal is the second highest award in Lions. Thank you, Kerry for all you do for Lions.



Shadow box of pins shaped like the Lions logo from the current 2022 - 2023 District Governors of Pa. Pictured from left to right: Past International Director Cynthia "Cindy" Gregg, PDG Kerry McKnight, and State Administrator PDG Deb Burkholder.



Boiling Springs Rewards Years of Service

At their March 14th meeting, District Governor Keith Shoff and Zone Chair Ray Highland distributed awards to members of the Boiling Springs Club.



Zone Chair Ray Highland presents Lion Jim Compton with the 20 Year Service Chevron Award



Zone Chair Ray Highland Presents Lion Rev. Dave Reed with a 40 Year Service Chevron



Lion Rev. Dave Reed also received a Melvin Jones Fellowship from ZC Ray.

Dover Celebrates Scouting

The Dover Lions Club recently celebrated their local scout troops and presented checks to both the girls and boys troop leaders.



Club President Duane Hull, Debbye Reynolds , Sujan Holbay, Chrissy McCullough, and Jacqui Morris.



Scouts Joshua Myers , Kevin Myers , and President Hull .

Jacobus Area Lionness Club Hosts District Governor



DG Keith Shoff presents Lioness Sandy Sheffer with the Silver Lioness Award for 25 years of service.



DG Keith Shoff inducted a new member, Stephanie Becker, to the Jacobus Area Lioness Club. Pictured here is her sponsor, Charlene Shearer (left), DG Keith Shoff and Stephanie.

New Lions Portal Information

Not much information has been released yet, but we are being told all reporting will be done from one landing page. No more jumping back-and-forth between MyLCI and MyLion. LCI is stressing the importance of making sure the member information in MyLCI is up-to-date and accurate prior to the roll-over to the new portal, which is expected sometime between July 1 and December 31, 2023

It is highly recommended that Club Secretaries run the *Membership Information Update Report* for your club from MyLCI. This report will give you a page for each member that contains the information on file for them in the MyLCI database. Members can review their page, make necessary updates, and return the paper to you so you can make the necessary updates in MyLCI. Please encourage members to include an email address, which will be needed to access the new Lions Portal. Email is also the primary way members receive information from LCI and District 14-C.

PA Lions State Convention Information

This link will take you to the page on the PA Lions website that has all of the state convention information and forms ... <u>https://www.palions.org/events/event/2023-state-convention/</u>.

New Member Kits

District Governor Keith Shoff still has a few new member packets. If you need a packet, contact DG Keith, and he will be happy to see that you receive what you need.



Caption Contest Winner

In March's newsletter we asked you to provide a humorous caption for the following picture of Stewartstown Lions Club member John Barton:



The winning entry is:

"I am ready to win the District 14-C Caribbean Vacation!"

Lion Theresa Craley Dallastown Lions Club

We Serve!

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



I hope your clubs are gearing up for an active Spring, Summer and Fall of service in your communities. As has been the case in each newsletter this year, there are 5 new suggestions for club service activities related to Lion's five global: Childhood Cancer, Hunger, Diabetes, Environment, and Vision. I encourage your club to consider a new project this year and stand ready and willing to assist in any way I can.

Has your club considered partnering with another community organization for a joint service project or fundraiser? The Seal Beach Lions Club in California has grown their membership to over 400 members using this strategy. They have made a very deliberate attempt to engage with other community organizations and participate in nearly every community event that happens in Seal Beach. I encourage you to watch this 3-minute YouTube video and learn more about how this strategy has made Seal beach the largest Lions club in the United States: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_M_cZ4gwSAU&feature=youtu.be

Service Project Suggestions Related to Lions Clubs International's GLOBAL SERVICE CAUSES



Here are five new suggestions for service projects. Each project relates to one of Lions Global Causes: Vision, Hunger, Environment, Diabetes, and Childhood Cancer. Perhaps these ideas will pique your interest and look like something your club could do later this Lion year. I am ready and willing to help in any way I can. Feel free to contact me by phone or email to start the conversation. Five new suggestions will appear in next month's newsletter.

8	Organize an event with a cancer support center to have family photographs taken.
PEDIATRIC	Source: LCI Publications - GST 1D EN
9	Collaborate with a food bank to organize a community food drive, focusing on collecting items most needed in your area.
HUNGER RELIEF	Source: LCI Publications - GST 1B EN
VISION	Sponsor visually impaired students through camps, contests or other activities, such as sending them to <u>PA Lions Beacon</u> <u>Lodge</u> summer camp.
	Source: GST 1C EN
DIABETES	Sponsor a child to attend a diabetes camp and/or supply a camp withneeded supplies. Check out <u>Setebaid Services</u> website for summer camp opportunities.
	Source: LCI Publications - GST 1A EN
	Hold an environment themed photo contest at a local school. Reward the winner with a tree planted in their honor or another green form of recognition.
ENVIRONMENT	Source: LCI Publications - GST 1E EN

2022-2023 District Directory Changes

Previously Reported Changes

Page 25 - Change phone number for PID James Cavallaro to 610-405-2677

Page 30 - MD-14 2023 State Convention - Location changed from Johnstown to Kovalchick Convention and Athletic Complex in Indiana, PA

Pages 31, 32, 37 41, 55, and 88 - Change email address for PDG Lisa Griffie to <u>Igriffie1963@icloud.com</u>

Pages 31, 46, and 91 - Change email address for Zone Chair Jay Stroup to <u>JW1862@protonmail.com</u>.

Page 34 - Add Lion Richard Olsen (Liaison), Carlisle Lions Club, to the Beacon Lodge Board of Directors. <u>rickolson@carlislevfw.com</u>;

Pages 35 and 92 - Change email address for Roberta Teal to beerbaroness.rt@gmail.com

Page 36 - Add Lion Pete Shultzabarger (Newville Lions Club, <u>petbsultb@comcast.net</u>) to the Audit Committee as Cumberland County

Page 47 - Change meeting time for Camp Hill Lions Club from 6:30 pm to 6:00 pm

Page 47 - Change Camp Hill Lions Club charter date to 1/23/1953

Page 48 - Update information for the Cashtown Lions Club:

President Gary Rebert - Phone 717-334-3050; email <u>gkrebert@centurylink.net</u> May-Aug - Cashtown Lions Park, 4155 Chambersburg Road, Biglerville PA Sept.-April - Trinity UCC, 1126 Old Rte. 30, Orrtanna, PA

Page 49 - Change Dover Lions Club Secretary email address to keyskindig@yahoo.com

Page 53 - Change Kreutz Creek Valley Lions Club meeting time from 6:30 p.m to 6:00 p.m.

Page 56 - Change Pinchot Park Lions Club Secretary to Jennifer Hunt, 117 Harrisburg Pike, Dillsburg, PA 17019, c.1-412-657-7937, jjshomested@gmail.com

Page 56 - Address change for Pinchot Park Lions Club President Paula Pyper - change address to 117 South Main Street, Dover PA 17315

Page 57 - Change meeting location for Shippensburg Lions Club to Appalachian Brewing Co (referred to as ABC): 15 W King St, Shippensburg PA 17257.

Page 89 - Add address and phone number for Zone Chair Duane Hull: 2220 Locust Road Dover PA 17315, 717-487-5961, <u>dehull55@comcast.net</u>

Page 90 - Change zip code for Lion Phil Olphin from 17346 to 17349

Page 90 - Add contact information for Richard Olson: 17 Field Stone Drive, Mechanicsburg PA 17050, 717-329-6055, <u>rickolson@carlislevfw.com</u>

Page 91 - Add contact information for Lion Pete Shultzabarger: 341 Barnstable Rd.,

Carlisle PA 17015, 1-717-448-7305, petbsultb@comcast.net

Page 91 - Change email address for Lion Kathryn Smeltzer to kaskitchen@icloud.com

DISTRICT GOVERNOR KEITH SHOFF AND ZONE CHAIR RAY HIGHLAND VISIT BOILING SPRINGS LIONS CLUB



Boiling Springs Lions Club welcomed DG Keith Shoff And Zone Chair Ray Highland at their March 14 meeting

Dover Welcomes Two New Members



Kimberly and Jason Starner proudly display their membership certificates that were given to them by Dover Lions Club President- Duane Hull.

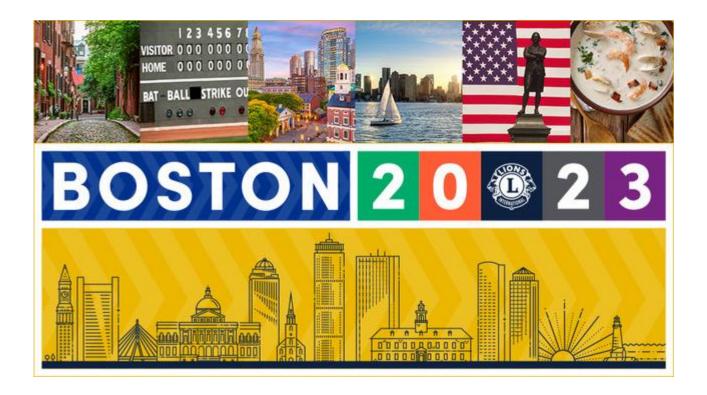
Visions of Monte Carlo



Vision Resources of Central Pennsylvania (VROCP) will be presenting its 23rd *Visions of Monte Carlo* (VMC) fundraising event, Friday, April 21, 2023. The organization's signature event is a smart-casual celebration of fun, friendship, and support for the VROCP mission to the region's blind and visually impaired. The festivities will take place at the Sheraton Harrisburg/Hershey, 4650 Lindle Road, Harrisburg and Vision Resources encourages the public to plan your reservation for this unforgettable night, now.

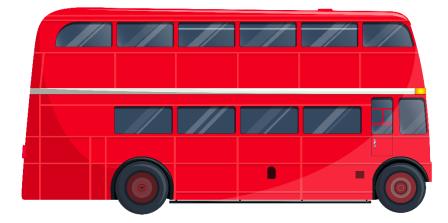
VROCP is honored that **PA District14-T Lions Clubs** and **Hershey Lions Club Foundation** will be lead sponsors this year. They, along with other sponsors and guests, will help to ensure an enjoyable experience that will include silent and live auctions, a plated meal, dancing to live music, no-wager casino style games, and more.

Tickets may be purchased online at <u>www.vrocp.org</u> or by calling 717-238-2531. Deadline for attending will be Friday April 7, 2023. Please don't miss this special occasion and the opportunity to make a difference for **Vision Resources**, thank you.



PA Lions are charting a bus to and from the Lions Clubs International Convention in Boston, July 7-11. The bus will depart the PA Lions State Office at 7:00 a.m on July 6, 2023, drop riders off at the PA delegation hotel(s) in Boston, and return home on July 11, 2023. Only 55 seats are available on a first come, first served basis.

See flyer for a reservation sheet. Payment must accompany the reservation.





PA Lions Bus Trip International Convention in Boston July 6-11, 2023

Leaving from PA Lions State Office, 949 East Park Drive, Harrisburg, PA 17111 Thursday July 6, 2023 at <u>7 a.m. Sharp!</u>

Arrive in Boston on Thursday, July 6, 2023 Depart Boston for Home on Tuesday July 11, 2023

Drop off and Pick up at both PA Delegation Hotels Transportation by Bailey Coach

Only 55 Seats Available – First Come First Served \$200/person

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A Check made out to **PA Lions** must accompany reservation form to secure a seat on the bus.

Reservations Due in the State Office by Friday June 23, 2023.

For questions or more information contact Acting State Administrator PDG Deb Burkholder at 717-816-4999 or email <u>administrator@palions.org</u>

Spring Seminar Series

The next Spring Training Seminar is scheduled for Thursday, April 27, 2023, at 7:00 p.m. This seminar is Club President-Elects and 1st Vice President-Elects. This is your opportunity to learn about your role and responsibilities as the leader of your Lions club. Use the link in the Spring Seminar Series flyer included with this newsletter to register for this training. Also, please take note of the other coming up in May and June

CLUB PRESIDENTS AND VICE PRESIDENTS SEMINAR - Thursday, April 27, 2023 7:00 p.m.

This seminar will focus on the responsibilities of a Lions Club President and offer guidance on how to have a successful year. Both current Club Presidents and Vice Presidents are encouraged to participate. IPDG Dan Brant and 2VDG Galen Burkholder will lead this seminar. Click below to register.

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CLUB SECRETARY / CLUB ADMINISTRATOR SEMINAR - Thursday, May 4, 2023 7:00 p.m.

This is an orientation and update training for Club Secretaries, Assistant Secretaries, and Club Administrators. PDG Kerry McKnight will lead the seminar. Basic responsibilities will be explained along with guidance on reporting to LCI. The seminar will include opportunities for questions and answers. Click below to register.

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ZONE CHAIRPERSON SEMINAR - Thursday, May 11, 2023 7:00 p.m.

This seminar is intended for current and prospective Zone Chairs. Participants will be given an overview of the duties of the Zone Chair. This seminar will also focus on resources available to Zone Chairs and implementation of the 2022-2023 District 14-C goals and action plans. Instructors will be GMA/GET Doug Nace and IPDG Dan Brant. Click below to register.

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MEMBER ORIENTATION SEMINAR - Thursday, June 1, 2023 7:00 p.m.

This seminar provides information about the Lions organization beyond the club level. First year members and their sponsors as well as all Lions Club members are welcome to participate and will gain a better understanding of the organization and what it means to be a Lion. The presenter for this seminar is PDG Lisa Griffie and 1VDG Marty Zimmerman. Click below to register.

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GUIDING LIONS Certification Program - Saturday, June 10, 2023 9 a.m. to Noon in person.

The Guiding Lion Program is designed to assist clubs that are newly chartered, established or are rebuilding. Guiding Lions are assigned for a two-year term by the district governor in consultation with the sponsoring or established club president. Certification is valid for three years. PDG Kerry McNight will lead this seminar. This is an in-person seminar. Email Lion Kerry to register.



REGISTRATION 9AM Shot gun start 10AM

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EMAIL: INFO@BB4BPA.ORG

2023-2024 DISTRICT 14-C DIRECTORY ADVERTISING

Please consider placing an advertisement in our District Directory for 2023-2024. All monies received will help to offset the printing cost of the directory.

Ad Sponsor		
Contact Name		
Contact Email	Contact Phone	
Select an Ad Size:	Full Page 4"W x 7" H \$50.00	
	Half Page 4"W x 3-1/2" H \$25.00	
	Patrons \$10.00	
Please type or print	as follows (or attach a separate sheet): t clearly; all ads will be in black and white d letterheads are acceptable.	
Check here to	use last year's ad with appropriate updates	
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Make Checks Payable to: District 14-C Directory

- Send Payments to: Dennis Cope, PO Box 514, Arendtsville, PA 17303
- Ad copy may be sent by mail along with payment or emailed to: dennis.cope@icloud.com

All Ads and payments are required by May 31, 2023.

7th ANNUAL WCC LIONS CLUB GOLF OUTING

Western Cumberland County (WCC) Project Fund Represented by the Lions Clubs of: Boiling Springs, Carllsle, Jacksonville, Mount Holly Springs, Newville, Plainfield and Shippensburg

Saturday, June 24, 2023

There are, unfortunately, always people in our communities that need a helping hand. The WCC Lions Club Project searches for these needs and provides assistance, support and financial aid to those who can benefit from our services. Your support is the only way we can continue our mission - to extend a helping hand to those less fortunate than we are. Any gift, small or large, is appreciated!

The LIONS need YOUR help! You can play in our Golf Outing! You can sponsor a hole (\$100). You can sponsor the Outing with Prize Donations and Monetary Gifts.

When:	Saturday, June 24, 2023	Where:	Eagles Crossing Golf Club
	Registration: 7-7:45 a.m.		501 Conodoguinet Avenue
	Driving range, putting green		Carlisle, PA 17015
			717-960-0500

www.eaglescrossing.com

Shotgun start 8:00 a.m. --- Scramble Format

Cost: \$70 per person/\$280 per foursome Includes: green fees, cart, and range balls Lunch and refreshments served after play has ended.

Prizes and Games:

- Longest Drive Ladies and Men
- Closest to the Pin (Par 3 holes)
- Mulligans and/or Sandies
- Raffle Tickets
- Two Flights



DUE BY May 27, 2023

Checks payable to: WCC Lions Project Fund Mall to: Pete Shultzabarger, 341 Barnstable Rd, Carlisle PA 17015 Telephone: 717-448-7305

Please print:			
Captain	Cell	Email	
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7th ANNUAL WCC LIONS CLUBS GOLF OUTING SPONSORSHIP INFORMATION

We are asking our families, friends, neighbors and business associates to *sponsor*, *donate a gift*, *or make a monetary donation* to our upcoming golf outing. The tournament will be held on Saturday, June 24, 2023 at EAGLES CROSSING GOLF CLUB in Carlisle. The tournament will be played rain or shine, unless the course is deemed unplayable by the Staff at Eagles Crossing.

\$1000 Gold Tournament Sponsor: Receives Name on	
Tournament Banner, 8 Free Golf Registrations	
\$ 500 Silver Tournament Sponsor: Receives Name on	
Tournament Banner, 4 Free Golf Registrations	
\$ 250 Bronze Tournament Sponsor: Receives Name on	
Tournament Banner, 2 Free Golf Registrations	
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Sign(s) posted on the Course during the Tournament	5
Please return Sponsorship Form with Payment no later than: Saturday, May 27, 2023	
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TEAM & PLAYERS

3rd Annual Mechanicsburg Lions "We Serve" **Golf Tournament**

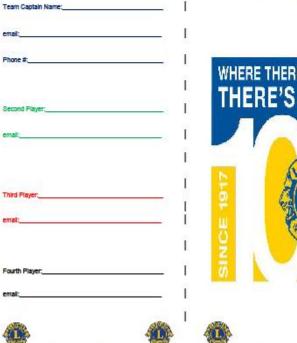
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Visit us on our Website at:

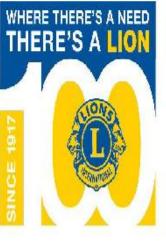
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Lions Club of Mechanicsburg, PA

3rd Annual Mechanicsburg Lions "We Serve" Golf Tournament

Friday, July 14, 2023



Tee Off: 8:00am Shotgun Start

Proceeds Benefiting

Lions Club of Mechancisburg, PA Charities



Lions Mission: "We Serve"

Who are the Lions?

Founded in Chicago, Ilinois, in 1917 by businessman Melvin Jones. Since its inception, Lions Clubs International has been dedicated to helping those less fortunate in their communities and around the world. In 1925, Helen Keller challenged the members to be "knights of the blind." "We Serve" became the association's official motio in 1954.

Lions Focus Areas

Vision Youth Disaster Relie Humanitarian Diabetes Hunger Environment Childhood Cancer

Benefiting Our Local Community

We are a 501(c)(3) and every penny we collect for our charity work is distributed to the needy, as our club determines. Celebrating over 70 years of service in Mechanicsburg, our group has raised and distributed funds to help various charities, both locally and worldwide. Chartable donations have been made to organiztions including: Pink Hands of Hope, Vision Resources of Central Pennsylvania, Little League Baseball, Girls Softball, Hearing Research, J.T. Simpson Public Library, Leader Dogs for the Blind, Large Print Reader's Digest at the Senior Center, Beacon Lodge for Blind & handicapped campers, Meals on Wheels, New Hope Ministries, Youth Basketball & Bocce ball, Cumberland Co. Seeing Eye Pupples, Mechanicsburg Museum Assoc., 2 Business awards for local High School Students, multiple Eagle Scout Projects, Dog TAGS for Vets, Ironstone Ridge Nature Center, Cumberland Valley Mini-thon for Children's Cancer, District Governor's Projects, Mission Central, Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation (JDRF). Vision Screening equipment (our club has provided FREE VISION SCREENING to over 9900 kids)



Golf Tournament Details

What: 3rd Annual Lions "We Serve" Golf Tournament Rain or Shine Event Limited to first 108 Golfers to Sign up and Pay

When: Friday, July 14, 2023

Where: Mayapple Golf Club / Fiddler's Bar & Grill 1 Mayapple Drive Carlisle, Pa. 17015

Format: 4-Person Scramble

Registration: 7:00am to 7:45am

Tee-Off: 8:00am Shotgun Start

Prizes: * Top placing teams (1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th)

- Longest Drive
- * 50/50 Raffle
- * Silent Auction

Food:

Lunch at Fiddler's Bar & Grill (at the golf course) * Lunch in Fiddler's Pavilion starting at 1:00pm * Pulled Pork BBQ, Grilled Chicken, Sides and Beverages

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3rd Annual Mechanicsburg Lions "We Serve" Golf Tournament

Sponsorship Details (Various Sponsor Levels Available)

* Sign Advertisement on the course

* Ad (business card size) on Club Website

* Inclusion in Tournament Brochure

Sponsorship Deadline: June 1, 2023

Player/Team Details \$80 per player / \$320 per foursome

Includes: Greens & Cart Fees, Complimentary Range Balls, Lunch, Beverages & Prizes

Registration Deadline: June 14, 2023

"Please detach form on the reverse side and return with payment"

Please make checks payable to: Lions Club of Mechanicsburg, PA

Send registration form and checks to: Wayne DeFonzo C/O Mechanicsburg Lions Golf Touri 223 Colonial Drive Mechanicsburg, Pa. 17050

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Mechanicsburg Lions Club 2023 Golf Tournament July 14, 2023 at Mayapple Golf Club



Sponsorship Opportunities

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Celebration of our Lions International Peace Poster Winners at the District Level

It was such a pleasure and honor to celebrate our distinguished and talented winners of the Lions International Peace Poster Contest at the District level at our District Cabinet Meeting on February 18th! We had the opportunity to meet the winners, see their amazing posters and listen to their interpretations of their posters as they shared them with us.



I am sure you can, readily, agree that all of the students did an outstanding job in creating their thought provoking posters. We congratulate **Autumn, Caelyn, Eli,** and **Lydia** on their accomplishments and wish them continued success in their future endeavors.

This year's contest theme was "**Lead with Compassion**." And, with the 2022/2023 year, the Lions International Peace Poster Contest has reached its **35**th birthday! It continues to grow in popularity so much that over 600,000 children in 75 countries participate in it, annually. Children of the ages 11, 12 and 13 are given this invaluable opportunity to share their vision of world peace through the creation of a poster. The posters are judged on artistic ability, demonstration of the theme, and originality.

This year in District 14-C, we had **6** clubs that promoted the journey of peace by sponsoring and encouraging students to participate in the contest. I want to, personally, applaud and thank those clubs. The clubs that did participate in the sponsorship this year were: the **Apple City Leo Club** under the sponsorship and 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**. We had a total of **46** students creating and entering their posters in the contest this year. It was a very exciting year for District 14-C with the Peace Poster Contest! We had some "**first-evers**" for our district.

Here they are:

- We maintained our number of, at least, 6 clubs participating in the contest for 2 years in a row.
- We had a student create an amazing poster 2 years in a row sponsored by the same club. (Thank-you, Dallastown Lions Club!)
- We had a club sponsor a Girl Scout Troop. (Thank-you, Windsor Lions Club!)
- And, for the last incredible first-ever: our first place District winner's poster earned the achievement of 2nd place in the multiple District Competition. This means it was one place away from traveling to International Headquarters to be judged. (Thank-you, Autumn McCallum)

I hope all of these successes will encourage more clubs to get involved in the contest for next year. After having the opportunity to view the posters created through the years, I, truly, believe we have the **most** talented and **inspiring** students in all of the country right here in our District 14-C. We just have to give them the opportunity to be part of this wonderful journey.

In addition, the Lions International Essay Contest was created to offer an opportunity for visually impaired young people to express their vision of world peace. Information about the essay contest is available on the LCI website.

As mentioned earlier, the theme for 2022/2023 was "Lead with Compassion." All of the students did a fantastic job in creating their posters and sharing their vision of world peace. Let's celebrate this year's winners!

Our district's honorable mention winner is: Lydia Gemmill

Lydia is in 7th grade at the Red Lion Area Junior High School and a member of the Girl Scout Troop. Lydia was sponsored by the **Windsor Lions Club**. Lydia's favorite subject is Advanced Humanities because she says her teacher is super sweet and she said that history is enticing to her. In school, she enjoys cross country track and Envirothon. She, also, enjoys horseback riding. In college, Lydia would like to study exotic veterinarian medicine to become an exotic animal veterinarian. She said she wants to be this because most vets are only for cats and dogs and exotic animals are kind of left in the dust. Lydia's peace quote which she included on the back of her poster was, "**Peace begins with a smile.**"

Our district's 3rd place winner is Eli Dunn.

Eli is in 6th grade at the Upper Adams Intermediate School and was sponsored by the **Arendtsville Lions Club**. Eli's favorite subjects are math/science/art. He said he enjoys solving number problems and helping others when he finishes his work. He, also, enjoys drawing in art class. In school, he participates in the Math Club and the STEM Club. Eli, also, enjoys playing soccer, drawing, and doing crafts and playing video games. In college, he would like to study something related to math/science/art and pursue a career in one or more of those areas. Eli's quote about world peace was "When things change inside you, things change around you."

Our district's second place winner is Caelyn Tolar.

Caelyn is, also, in 6th grade at the Upper Adams Intermediate School with the contest being organized by the **Apple City Leo Club** under the direction of the Arendtsville Lions Club. Caelyn's favorite subject is math because she said it is a challenging subject that she can always improve on. In school, she said she enjoys band because she can get lost in the music and forget about anything that she was worrying about. Also, in school, Caelyn enjoys Math Olympiad, STEM, and Student Council. Out of school, she likes playing soccer as the goalie along with achieving her Black Belt in Karate. In college, she would like to study computer science and pursue a career involving computers. Caelyn's quote about world peace was "**To achieve peace, you must put others' needs before your own.**"

Our District's First Place winner is Autumn McCallum.

And, as I mentioned earlier, Autumn not only achieved first place in our district competition, but, also, earned 2nd place in the multiple district competition. This means her poster was one step away from being sent to International headquarters for judging. Quite an achievement!!!! Autumn is in the 7th grade at the Dallastown Area Middle School and was sponsored by the **Dallastown Lions Club**. Autumn's favorite subject in school is English and Language Arts because she loves writing and reading. In school, she participates in orchestra and choir. She, also, enjoys drawing, Girl Scouts, and watching her favorite TV Show, Gravity Falls. In college, Autumn would like to study animation to prepare to someday follow her dream to work for Disney to share her love of art. Autumn's quote about world peace is "**Anyone can achieve peace, but, they need the motivation to do it.**"



I am sure you can, readily, agree that all of the students did an outstanding job in creating their thought-provoking posters. We congratulate **Autumn**, **Caelyn**, **Eli**, and **Lydia** on their accomplishments and wish them continued success in their future endeavors.

The theme for 2023/2024 is "Dare to Dream." As stated on the LCI website about the theme- a dream is a path, a goal, an ambition. And, it takes hard work. So, let's give our children the chance to show how they will turn their dream of a peaceful world into a reality. Peace Poster kits for next year's contest are now available to purchase on the LCI website. The cost of the kit is \$11.95 plus shipping. In addition, the Lions International Essay Contest was created to offer an opportunity for visually impaired young people to express their vision of world peace. Information about the essay contest is available on the LCI website.

I am, truly, looking forward to this coming year's contest! Please let me know if there is any way I can help your club to become involved in the contest. I will, gladly, come to speak to your club about the contest or visit with the principal, teacher, counselor, advisor, etc. to make a presentation about the contest. It presents a wonderful opportunity for our children and it allows members of our community to learn more about the Lions Club and the many services we provide.

Contact me at hullmannt@aol.com or call (717) 428-3659 or (717) 600-7642.

Lion Patti Hullmann District 14-C Peace Poster Chair



Please join us for the Arendtsville Lions Club

50TH ANNIVERSARY CHARTER NIGHT

Tuesday, June 13, 2023 5:30 p.m. Social / 6:15 p.m. Dinner Hickory Bridge Farm

96 Hickory Bridge Road, Orrtanna PA 17353

Family-style dinner featuring:

Roast Turkey with Dressing, Baked Ham, and Crab Imperial PA Dutch Lettuce Salad w/ Sweet & Sour Dressing, Homemade Spiced Peaches Potatoes, Vegetables, Corn Fritters, Stewed Apples, Bread, Apple Butter and Dessert

Guest Speaker Past International Director LARRY EDWARDS

RSVP - Dinner Reservation Deadline - Friday, May 12, 2023

Name _____

Email _____

Phone ______.

Additional Attendees

____x \$45 pp. = \$_____ enclosed

Payable to: Arendtsville Lions Club 50th Mail to: PDG Dennis Cope, PO Box 514, Arendtsville, PA 17303