



We Serve

News from the Lions' Den

District 14-C

November 2017



Message from the District Governor

Greetings Fellow Lions, Lioness, and Leos,

Perhaps the greatest privilege extended to a District Governor is the opportunity to visit each of our Lions clubs. The hospitality and generosity of the clubs I have visited has been incredible and motivating! In fact, over \$10,000 has been donated to the District Governor's projects so far this year. Even more motivating is learning about the valuable work our clubs are doing in their communities.



While all of our clubs provide service to their communities, some clubs are struggling while others are thriving. Those that are thriving seem to share some common characteristics.

One characteristic our thriving clubs share is outstanding leadership. These clubs have members who are willing to take charge and unselfishly give their time and energy to the activities of their club.

While some aspects of leadership are innate, leadership skills can be learned and enhanced through training. One benefit of being a Lions club member is access to leadership training and the opportunity to develop one's leadership skills. These opportunities often cost nothing beyond one's time and effort. *Lions Learning Center* on the lionsclubs.org website and *Lions University* on the lionsuniversity.org website offer a wealth of courses on a variety of topics related to club operations and officer responsibilities - and it's FREE!! Additional training is offered by our District and

Multiple-District throughout the year.

Development of leaders and leadership skills at the club level is critical to the success of our organization. The leaders of our international organization all started as leaders at the club level. One does not get to be a District Governor, International Director, or International President without first serving as a Club President. Therefore, we need each of our clubs to continually recruit members who show leadership potential, support our club members who show leadership skills by sending them to training seminars, and encourage our club leaders to advance their service above and beyond the club level.

As Lions, our motto is, "*We Serve.*" While that motto is generally seen as serving our communities, it also applies to serving our organization. Just as clubs need strong leadership to thrive, our District needs strong leaders to help support our clubs and allow our district to thrive. We need people to step into the role of Zone Chair and accept the responsibility to serve as Vice District Governor, and eventually District Governor. Yes, this is an extra commitment of time, energy and resources, but there are also many intrinsic rewards.

Please encourage the outstanding leaders in your club to further their service by volunteering to engage in District activities and take on District leadership positions. I am confident those of you who accept this challenge will not be disappointed in your decision to expand the scope your service, and that you will find great satisfaction in sharing your leadership talents with Lions on a broader level.

Yours in Service,
Dennis Cope
District Governor
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District Governor's Visits

Wednesday, November 1	Hanover West Manheim Twp.
Monday, November 6	Apple City Leo
Tuesday, November 7	Pinchot Park
Wednesday, November 8	York White Rose
Monday, November 13	Shippensburg
Tuesday, November 14	Stewartstown Lionsess
Tuesday, November 21	York Springs
Tuesday, November 28	Hanover

Our December and January issues will be combined and published early in December. Please submit any January articles or news to the editor before November 25.

Membership Campaign Launched

The District's Global Membership Team (GMT) has challenged each of our clubs to end the year with one more member than they started the year with, as shown in the District Directory. This goal is reflected in our campaign theme, "Plus One for 101," meaning each club will have net membership growth of at least one member for the 101st year of our Lions organization.



Every member who sponsors a new member this year will receive a pin that looks like the logo pictured here. In addition, every club that meets the "+1" membership goal will be awarded a banner patch with this same logo.

District Governor Dennis is looking forward to giving away all 200 pins that have been purchased for this campaign and delivering a banner patch to each club!

Club Challenge Program

District Governor Dennis has challenged every club to "go for the gold" this year and earn either a bronze, silver, or gold medal by meeting criteria that will help the District achieve its goals for the year. The chart below summarizes what clubs need to do in order to earn a medal:

Criteria	Bronze	Silver	Gold
Achieve net membership growth by June 20, 2018	+1	+2	+3
Contribute to the District Governor's Projects Fund	\$15 per member	\$20 per member	\$25 per member
Participate in the district-wide same-day service projects	Member participation	Member participation	Member participation
Have no outstanding balance with LCI, MD-14, or District 14-C that goes without payment for more than 120 days	Payment of bills in less than 120 days	Payment of bills in less than 120 days	Payment of bills in less than 120 days
Club Representation at the District Convention	Representation that equals the number of delegates to which the club is entitled	Representation that is one more than the number of delegates to which the club is entitled	Representation that is two or more than the number of delegates to which the club is entitled
Timely reporting of 2018-2019 Club Officers in to LCI	Report by June 1, 2018	Report by June 1, 2018	Report by June 1, 2018

Beacon Lodge Thanks You!

On behalf of the Beacon Lodge "500 Club," Beacon Lodge thanks you and I thank you for your continued support. These contributions help to maintain your Beacon Lodge Camp.

The "500 Club" request cards will be mailed within the coming week. In 2016-2017 Beacon Lodge received \$5,475 from District 14-C.

I encourage Lions and Lioness Clubs to continue to support this important project. Remember that these gifts go toward the maintenance of your camp. The operating budget for 2017-2018 is \$579,000.

Lion/Lioness Louanna Bare

Membership Goals Progress Report

GOOD NEWS!! We appear to have turned a corner in our membership numbers last month. During October, our clubs reported 11 new members to LCI against just 3 dropped members. Those 11 new members, along with the 21 new members who have joined the newly formed Shrewsbury Area Centennial Lions Club, have taken us from a net membership deficit at the end of September to the a net membership gain!

District 14-C Membership Goals Progress Report

	7/1/2017	Year to Date	Goal for 2017-2018	% of Goal Achieved
Total Membership	1301	1311	1347	97%
Net Membership Growth	n/a	10	46	22%
New Members	n/a	45	101	44%
Number and Percentage of Female Members	226 - 17%	240 - 18%	269 - 20%	33%
Dropped Members	n/a	35	<101	35%
New Club Branches	n/a	0	8	0%
New Lions Clubs	n/a	1	2	50%

LCI Legal's annual tax reminder

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

LCI Legal advises: Don't Go "Phishing"

Lions Clubs International is aware of solicitations being received by some of our clubs that refer to money being left to, won by or owed to a Lion or a club and/or asking for personal information or account information of the club. Please keep in mind when reviewing these types of emails/letters, if they seem too good to be true, they probably are. LCI has seen many of these types of correspondences and they are a scam.

Please disregard and do not respond to these types of fraudulent solicitations. Further, any club that receives these types of solicitation may wish to contact the local authorities to request an investigation and further action as appropriate under local law.

Where to Send Donations for Hurricane Relief

from State Administrator Lion Bob McComas

Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF) – A 501.c.3 IRS registered Foundation for tax-deduction purposes. Donations are used throughout the world to assist victims of hurricanes, earthquakes, tornadoes, landslides and other emergencies. **Please note:** I was assured by a member of the LCIF staff this morning that donations designated specifically for “Hurricane Harvey” or “Hurricane Irma” or another natural disaster will count towards Melvin Jones Fellowships. But those donations will be added to the LCIF disaster relief general fund and disbursed as part of LCIF’s overall assistance program. Mail donations to:
Lions Clubs International Foundation
300 W. 22nd St.
Oak Brook, IL 60523-8842

Texas Lions Foundation - A 501.c.3 IRS registered Foundation for tax-deduction purposes. Donations will be used for Hurricane Harvey funds. Mail donations to:
Texas Lions Foundation
PO Box 64881
Lubbock TX 79464

PA Lions Disaster Relief Fund – This fund is not 501.c.3 IRS registered for tax-deduction purposes. Members of State Council will ultimately determine how these funds are distributed. Donations may be made in person at any PNC Bank branch, electronically or via wire transfer to **PNC Bank Account # 5007744371** or mailed to:
PA State Council of Lions Clubs
949 East Park Drive
Harrisburg, PA 17111

(Please note “Disaster Relief” on the subject line)

Editor’s note: See also article on page 8

District Convention Date Change!

The date of the District Convention has been changed to **Saturday, April 14, 2018**. The convention will be held at Liberty Mountain Resort and Conference Center, near Fairfield, PA.

This facility has plenty of resort amenities, including a golf course, indoor swimming pool, hot tub, sauna, fitness center, game room, and full service salon and spa. Consider making this convention a get-away weekend so you can enjoy all the resort has to offer. More details will be coming your way soon, but for now, make sure you get this date on your calendar.

Check Please! EIN Numbers

The State Office reminds district and club treasurers that each club and district should have its own Employee Identification Number (EIN) and file a yearly report with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).

Clubs **should not** use the EIN assigned to the PA State Council of Lions Clubs and/or Lions Clubs International.

If you have questions or need more information on this matter, please contact LCI’s Legal Division at 630.468.6732.

Links to information related to EIN numbers and IRS regulations on the LCI website (www.lionsclubs.org) include:

- **Exempt Organizations Annual Reporting Requirements –Annual Electronic Notice (Form 990-N) for Small Organizations:** http://www.lionsclubs.org/resources/EN/pdfs/irs_fa.pdf
- **Tax issues and regulations affecting Lons clubs and leadership:** http://www.lionsclubs.org/resources/all/pdfs/tax_reg_lions.pdf
- **Reinstatement of tax-exempt status:** http://www.lionsclubs.org/resources/all/pdfs/tax-exempt_reinstatement.pdf



The New Freedom Lions honored Immediate Past District Governor (and now club president) Kerry McKnight with a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellowship. Here IPDG Kerry receives the award from DG Dennis Cope during the Governor’s official visit to the club.



Bob Jordan (center) is welcomed into the Hanover Lions Club by his sponsor, Dan Lawrence (left) and PDG John Griffie, who conducted the recent induction ceremony.

UPCOMING LION EVENTS

Date	Event	Location	Contact Information
November 4	Christmas Bazaar	New Freedom Comm Ctr., 8 to 3	Call 717-235-2144
November 4	MD-14 Fall Leadership Symposium	State Office Bldg., 9 to 3	<i>PDG Karen Burkholder</i>
November 4	Hanover Lions Anniversary	Bay City Restaurant	<i>see p. 10</i>
November 4	Stewartstown Lions Anniversary	Westminster Place	<i>Sec. Tom Jones</i>
November 11	Global Action Team (GAT)	Cross Keys Diner, 8:45 am	All welcome
November 18	Cabinet Meeting #2	York Springs Fire Hall, 9:30 - noon	<i>DG Dennis Cope</i>
November 28	Giving Tuesday	New Freedom Community Center	<i>see p. 9</i>
December 9	Global Action Team (GAT)	Cross Keys Diner 8:45 am	All welcome
Jan. 11, 2018	Global Action Team (GAT)	Cross Keys Diner 8:45 am	All welcome
February 10	Global Action Team (GAT)	Cross Keys Diner 8:45 am	All welcome
February 17	Cabinet Meeting #3	St. Paul's UM Church, Manchester	<i>PDG Dennis Cope</i>
March 10	Global Action Team (GAT)	Cross Keys Diner 8:45 am	All welcome
April 14	Global Action Team (GAT)	Cross Keys Diner 8:45 am	All welcome
April 14	District Convention	Liberty Mtn. Resort, Fairfield	<i>PDG Dennis Cope</i>
May 12	Global Action Team (GAT)	Cross Keys Diner 8:45 am	All welcome
May 17-20	State Convention	State College	<i>watch for updates</i>
June 9	Global Action Team (GAT)	Cross Keys Diner 8:45 am	All welcome
June 29, 2018	International Convention	Las Vegas	<i>click here</i>
July 24	Banner Exchange	To be determined	<i>DG Dennis Cope</i>
July 5, 2019	International Convention	Milan, Italy	<i>click here</i>



Above: The Hanover Lions presented a donation to Sweet Grace Ministries' Team Wagner and Myer Rodgers - Running On Love for the provision of three Loss Baskets and Miscarriage Bags for infant loss at the Hanover Hospital. Sweet Grace Ministries is a growing organization that provides support, hope and empathy in the form of resources, photography, support groups, and more, to grieving families experiencing loss due to ectopic pregnancy, miscarriage, stillbirth, or neonatal death. Pictured above are team members Barb Ingle, Linda Mitchell, Erin Rodgers, Rol Rodgers, John Zinn (Hanover Lions), Tim Rodgers, Ava Leatherman, and Amy Leatherman.

Above right: Four Hanover Lions Club members, Todd Boller, Jack Stewart, Judith Stewart, and Gerry DeGroft, participated in and presented a \$500 club donation towards the Mason Brady Scholarship and Leiland Smith Fund at the Biathlon Built for 2 and Mason Brady Memorial 5K held September 30th at Codorus State Park. Pictured with the Lions are Denise Markle, event coordinator, the Smith family, and Randy Brady, father of Mason.



Lion Member Orientation Night

December 5th - 7 PM - Perkins Restaurant
300 Eisenhower Drive, Hanover, PA
Dessert - Coffee - Tea Will Be Provided
Sponsored by the *Hanover Lions Club*

Recommended for all new Lions and veteran Lions who have never been to an orientation



The Lions of Zone 2-A (western Cumberland County) are working together in true Lionistic fashion to raise funds to help Rita Brechbill. Rita suffers from a neurological disease that is increasingly debilitating, but doctors have not been able yet to diagnose the cause. All seven clubs of the zone participated in a huge benefit yard sale on October 7 and 8. Many donated items were left over which were all given to groups that help those in need. The profit from the yard sale was \$6,200.

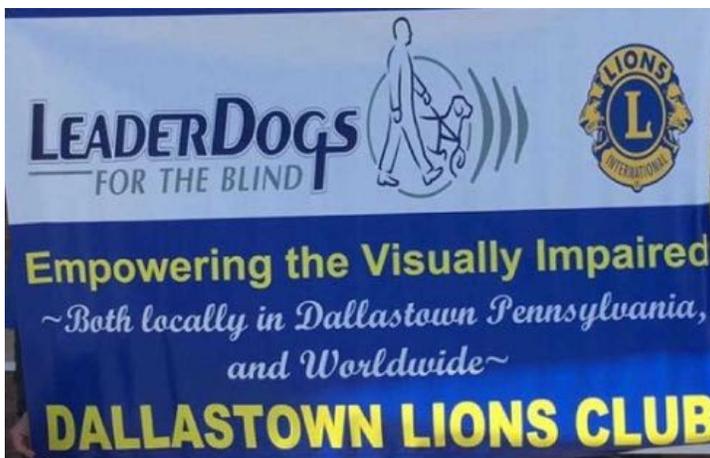
Also, the zone sponsored a golf tournament which raised just over \$7,000 and a bake sale raised nearly \$1,200. The total raised from these events was nearly \$14,500. Many volunteer hours were put into these projects.

These funds will go toward retrofitting the bathroom in Rita's house.

Pictured are some of the yard sale items, and also Rita and her husband Jeff.



The Dallastown Lions Club was joined by the Dallastown Leos in throwing candy during the Dallastown Halloween Parade on Thursday, October 19, 2017. They were introduced to the hundreds of parade watchers and information was given to all about what both clubs were doing for the community.



The Dallastown Lions Club held a White Cane Event at Nell's (Shur Fine) Dallastown store on Friday, October 13th, 2017. All proceeds that were raised at this event will be given to the Leader Dogs program, which empowers people who are blind or visually impaired with lifelong skills for safe and independent daily travel.



Welcome to Our New Lions Members

Member	Club	Sponsor
Jeffrey L. Goas Robert H. Jordan Brandon Lee Null	Camp Hill Hanover Littlestown	H. Clair Hostetter Daniel Lawrence Phyllis Null
Patricia Wurzbacher Wayne Wurzbacher Adrienne L. Doolan	New Freedom New Freedom New Oxford	Glenn Roenigk Glenn Roenigk Kevin Turnbaugh
Jason J. Smith Kay M. Smith Brenda L. Troutman	New Oxford New Oxford New Oxford	Kevin Turnbaugh Lori Turnbaugh Sueanna Senft
Donald L. Troutman Allen Brown Linda Brown	New Oxford Shrewsbury Area Centennial Shrewsbury Area Centennial	Patrick Senft
Mackenzie Brown Randel Eaddy Joshua Edwards	Shrewsbury Area Centennial Shrewsbury Area Centennial Shrewsbury Area Centennial	
Renee Edwards Amanda Felty Kathy Fugate	Shrewsbury Area Centennial Shrewsbury Area Centennial Shrewsbury Area Centennial	
Steven Hagee Martin Heaps Brian Hittie	Shrewsbury Area Centennial Shrewsbury Area Centennial Shrewsbury Area Centennial	
Cameron Kurtz Michele Lefler Louann Lucas	Shrewsbury Area Centennial Shrewsbury Area Centennial Shrewsbury Area Centennial	
Michael Sharkey Aaria Smith Danny Smith	Shrewsbury Area Centennial Shrewsbury Area Centennial Shrewsbury Area Centennial	
Chris Stabley Brian Sweitzer Kenneth Watts	Shrewsbury Area Centennial Shrewsbury Area Centennial Shrewsbury Area Centennial	
Keith Wills Jerry C. Piaskowski	Shrewsbury Area Centennial West Shore	Matt Sheraw

Thank you for Joining Us In Service

In Memory of our Deceased Lions

Member

Club

*Richard Eckert
David A. L. Nickel*

*Camp Hill
Mechanicsburg*

Thank You for Your Service!

Serving Together: The Green Family of East Berlin Lions

This month we travel to Adams County to highlight the hard work of Gregory and Linda Green of the East Berlin Lion Club. Lion Greg is serving in his sixth year as President while Lion Linda is in her third year as Secretary.

Linda is originally from the Mechanicsburg area, and like other Lions we have profiled in the past, she spent her career in elementary education, primarily as a second and third grade teacher. Prior to her retirement though, she accepted the challenge of teaching “ESL” students, which stands for “English as a Second Language”. Greg is a retired programmer for IBM. They have been married for 44 years.

Greg initially served his community as a member of the East Berlin Borough Council. While there, he met Charles Eisenhart, who convinced him to join the Lions Club. After being a member for less than a year, Greg told Linda that there were also women members in the Lion’s Club and Linda joined also. Linda had known about the local Lions Club because she saw the signs at the end of town, but she was surprised that she didn’t personally know any of the members even though she had lived

in the area for over 30 years.

It did not take long for Greg and Linda to step up and serve as officers in their club. Greg initially served as 1st Vice-President, and, as noted above, has been President for the past six years. He enjoys the social and fundraising aspects of Lionism, particularly the raffles and Christmas Tree sales which raise money for community projects. One example is the re-building of the horseshoe pit at the borough park.

Charles Eisenhart, the Lion who recruited Greg, had been the Secretary of the club for over 40 years. When he needed help, Linda stepped up to assist him, and ultimately succeeded him as Secretary. She has been involved with the vision screening program from the beginning. As noted above, her teaching career brought her into contact with elementary school age children who

had never had any preventative medical care, including eyesight testing. She is very pleased with the program and hopeful for its expansion, because she strongly believes that if we can only help one child with eyesight issues we have made a great difference.

Linda believes that direct contact with the community through organizational partnerships is a great tool for Lions Club recruitment and the community. She has recruited a woman business owner who joined with her son. She has been able to hold fundraising events at local businesses where older club members who “know everyone” can take the lead in selling raffle tickets and other fundraising items. She also promotes assisting other clubs with their fundraisers and working with the InterAct program at Bermudian Springs High School. All these activities promote Lionism and give the East Berlin Lions great publicity to engage new members.

Greg and Linda Green are examples of a Lion family always looking for potential new members and ways to keep existing members active and involved. Engage with someone in the community who you have something in common with and you may just find a new member who, like Lion Greg Green, may bring their spouse and other community members into Lionism to educate others in what wonderful things we do.

*Lion Michael
and Lion Theresa Craley
Family and Women’s Specialists*



District Cabinet Meeting

Saturday, November 18

*York Springs Fire Hall
400 Main St., York Springs PA*

Registration and Refreshments

8:45 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

Cabinet Meeting

9:30 a.m. - noon

Training on reporting service using MyLCI; Introduction to LCI’s Global Action Team structure and Global Service Framework; District Governor and First Vice District Governor Nominations, and more.

Any Lion, Lioness, and Leo is welcome to attend
Club Presidents and Secretaries should attend
Along with new members and their sponsors



The New Freedom Lions grow as families serve together. At his official visit, DG Dennis inducted new members Wayne and Patti Wurzbacher.



LCIF Disaster Relief Update

Members of District 14-C,

I wish to thank you for your continued efforts in helping District 14-C raise funding for Lions Clubs International Foundation Disaster Relief program. I am also proud to report 14-C is again one of the leading contributors to LCIF in Pennsylvania.

It is difficult to imagine the amount of time it will require for all the areas affected to return to normal.

Here is a brief LCIF video- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4lJY0o2vbS4>

Because LCIF will continue their tradition of aiding victims in the recovery efforts for the long term, 14-C members may make individual donations to LCIF by seeing their LCIF Club Coordinator or Secretary. Recognition pins will be mailed to each member that donates \$20, \$50, \$100 or more. Giving to Disaster Relief is Melvin Jones Fellowship eligible for the member, or may be transferred to their club.

Again LCIF, District 14-C, and myself, thank you for the support of contributions and supplies to assist those in need recovering from these devastating natural disasters. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

IPDG Kerry McKnight
14-C LCIF Coordinator
(717) 880-6617
klm52@aol.com

Do you know Someone who is:

- ★ Hard to shop for?
- ★ Has everything?
- ★ Looking for a way to give back?
- ★ Has extra time to volunteer?
- ★ Wants to get involved in our Community?

Multiple Non-Profit Organizations

ALL in ONE PLACE!

#GivingTuesday

Tuesday, November 28, 2017 2PM-8 PM

New Freedom Community Center

150 E. Main Street, New Freedom PA 17349

Sponsored by the New Freedom Lioness
Club and New Freedom Rec Council.

Enter for a chance to win 1 of 3 Visa Gift Cards.

(Gift Cards donated by Helium Inc.'s Welding Supply, Gases & More.)

TOGETHER WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

Turkey Supper Quilt Raffle



The Plecemakers Quilters of Zion United Methodist Church donated this 88½" X 79" quilt to East Prospect Lions Club as a community fundraiser.

All proceeds from this quilt raffle will benefit Lower Windsor Township Police Department's "Shop With a Cop" Christmas Program 2017.

Tickets may be purchased at the Turkey Suppers in East Prospect

On Oct. 14, Oct. 28 and Nov. 11
 Tickets : \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00
 Drawing will be held at the
 November 11th Supper
 Do not need to be present to win.

AMERICAN MUSIC THEATRE 2017 Original Shows



HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS

Inspired by warm memories of family Christmases together, *Home for the Holidays* celebrates the joys and merriment of spending the holidays with the ones we love. *Home for the Holidays* takes place on Christmas Eve and features many of the beloved traditions we look forward to each year.

This live, musical experience will feature some of your favorite sacred and secular holiday songs, superb musical arrangements, outstanding singing and dancing, and the incredible sounds of the AMT Orchestra. Share a few light-hearted moments with us, and be ready for a special visit from dear old Santa Claus! Come celebrate the wonder, warmth, and magic of the season as we go "home for the holidays" with a show guaranteed to leave you in the Christmas Spirit!



**Stewartstown Lions Club Bus Trip
Wednesday, November 15, 2017**

Tuxedo Tours Bus Will Depart from Grace Fellowship Church - 10am
 Shady Maple Smorgasbord Lunch and Shopping - 11:30am
 American Music Theatre - 3:00pm

\$100.00 Per Person

Please contact Sherry Dagen at 993-6534 or Theresa Beale at 993-2932 for more information or to sign up!

NEW FREEDOM LIONESSE CLUB CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

Saturday, November 4, 2017

8:00 AM to 3:00 PM

New Freedom Community Center
150 East Main Street



Crafts - Breakfast - Lunch
 Apple Dumplings - Baked Goods
 Ham & Bean - Chicken Corn Soup
 Pre-order Soup & Apple Dumplings
 Call: 717-235-2144



Last year the New Freedom Lioness Club donated over \$10,000 to Community projects!

Follow us on: Facebook & Twitter



New Freedom Lioness Club

Christmas Bazaar Vendor Agreement
November 4, 2017

New Freedom Community Center * 150 E. Main Street* New Freedom, PA 17349

The New Freedom Lioness Club is a non-profit community service organization. Please help us make this Christmas Bazaar a successful event by following these rules:

This event will be open to the public from 8:00 AM until 3:00 PM. Vendors will be allowed in at approximately 6:00 AM and all vendors should plan on being packed up and out of the Community Center by 4:00 PM. The New Freedom Lioness Club will be selling baked goods, breakfast sandwiches, soup, sandwiches and beverages.

1. Spaces are approximately 10' x 10' for \$40.00, in advance. Tables will be available for \$5.00 each. **At this time, there is no Wi-Fi available at the Community Center.**
2. Each vendor is expected to remain open and available for purchases the duration of the event.
3. Each vendor is responsible for setting up the tables and chairs in their space. The tables are the property of the New Freedom Community Center and care should be taken not to damage them.
4. Each vendor is responsible for returning all tables and chairs to the storage area in the back of the Community Center.
5. Each vendor is responsible for cleaning up their space and removing all unsold goods and refuse from the area.
6. The New Freedom Lioness Club is not responsible for any accidents or damages.

The New Freedom Lioness Club thanks you for your participation and cooperation.

Space(s) Requested: _____ Number of tables: _____ Total amount: _____

Make checks payable to: New Freedom Lioness Club. Send this form with payment to:
 Lioness Mindy Smith, P. O. Box 58, New Freedom PA 17349

Any questions please call or email: 717-476-4643 or lionessmindy@gmail.com

Name: _____ Date: _____
 Address: _____ Phone #: _____
 E-mail: _____ (Receipt will be e-mailed.)

Please include a brief description of items to be sold on back: (We only allow 1 commercial vendor per event. For example, only 1: Longaberger, Tastefully Simple, Tupperware, LuLa Roe, Scentsy, etc.)



Get the World Diabetes Day Toolkit

This just in: a great resource to help you have a productive club meeting about joining the fight against diabetes.

↓ GET YOUR TOOLKIT

Get access to:

- An engaging PowerPoint presentation on diabetes and its impact on individuals, families, and communities
- An activity to help members share their diabetes stories
- Inspiring ideas for diabetes-related service activities
- An information-packed meeting flyer for your members

[Download the toolkit](#) now and remember, you'll get credit for your service by hosting this important meeting.

P.S. Please make sure you've scheduled your diabetes meeting on **World Diabetes Day (Tuesday, November 14)** or during our **Worldwide Week of Service for Diabetes (November 13–19)**.

Pennsylvania Counsellors Distinguished Service Award

The Pennsylvania Counsellors have established an award for presentation to deserving Lions throughout Pennsylvania - The *Pennsylvania Counsellors Distinguished Service Award*.

Each District within Multiple District 14 may present **two (2)** *Pennsylvania Counsellors Distinguished Service Awards* annually. The award is limited to **one (1)** per club per year and only one (1) award per District may be presented to a Past District Governor. Persons who have received a prior *Pennsylvania Counsellors Distinguished Service Award*, *Lions International Leadership Award*, *Lions International Presidents Award*, or the *Lions International Ambassador of Good Will Award* **are not** eligible for this award.

The following are the criteria to earn this award:

- A. Have served at least ten (10) years as a Lion,
- B. Have earned at least five (5) years of perfect attendance,
- C. Shall have served as either President or Secretary of their Club, or have displayed other exemplary service.
- D. Must be a Lion in good standing in a Lions Club in good standing in their District within Multiple District 14.

Applications for the *Pennsylvania Counsellors Distinguished Service Award* shall be submitted by the Lions Club President to the Chair of the District 14-C Past District Governors Honorary Committee (**PDG George Hilsinger, 50 Foreman Mill Road, Shippensburg, PA 17257**) no later than December 1st. The Past District Governors Honorary Committee will review all of the applications received and recommend two (2) for the awards. The Chair shall endorse the recommended applications and forward them to the District Governor for his/her endorsement. The applications must be received by the Secretary of the Pennsylvania Counsellors at least two (2) weeks prior to the February State Council Meeting.

The awards will be presented at a District Function by the Chair of the District 14-C Past District Governors Honorary Committee.

Application on next page

PENNSYLVANIA COUNSELLORS

APPLICATION FOR PENNSYLVANIA COUNSELLORS DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

The following Lion is recommended for the Pennsylvania Counsellors Distinguished Service Award:

Name of proposed Lion recipient: _____ Date _____
Address of Lion _____
Lions Club _____

Served as President _____ Served as Secretary _____

Other Exemplary Service _____

Date joined Lions _____ Years of Perfect Attendance _____

The above named Lion is a member in good standing of the _____
_____ Lions Club which is a member in
good standing in Sub-District 14-___ of Pennsylvania Multiple District 14.

President _____ **Date** _____

President/Chair – District 14-___ Past District Governors Organization

This application has been reviewed and its approval is recommended:

President/Chair _____ **Date** _____

District Governor – District 14-___

I have reviewed this application and find no objections.

District Governor _____ **Date** _____

President, PENNSYLVANIA COUNSELLORS – Multiple District 14

Award is Approved _____ Denied _____ Date _____

President _____

Each Sub-District may submit **NOT MORE THAN TWO** recommendations.
NOTE: This form may be reproduced locally as needed.

Reserve These Dates!

**District Cabinet, November 18
York Springs Fire Hall, 9:30 to noon**

District Cabinet, February 17, 2018

District Convention, April 14, 2018
Note Date Change!

**State Convention, May 17-20, 2018
State College, PA**

**International Convention, June 29-July 3
Las Vegas**

Help Us All Get Aboard

Lion Steve Shipman (Dillsburg Lions) is editor of this newsletter. Lion Steve needs your news and information. The best way to get him items is to send pictures as JPEG files (they don't look as good if he takes them from your PDF), and text as either a Word document or a Rich Text Format (rtf) file. If you have a finished PDF file, he can simply drop it in the newsletter and it will reproduce very well.

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