



# News from the Lions' Den

**District 14-C**

**September 2016**



## Message from the District Governor

Lions, Lioness, and Leos in 14-C,



I wish to thank the 84 Lions, Lionesses, and guests that attended the August 20th Cabinet Meeting in New Freedom. It was a great turnout to hear our guest speaker, PDG Elizabeth Moffatt, State Centennial

Chairperson, inform us of the programs associated with Lions Clubs International Centennial. Many of our District clubs have already received banner patches for services they have completed for Centennial Service Challenge.

In addition to the Cabinet Meeting, we held a "Diabetes Awareness Strides Walk" on York County Heritage Rail Trail. It was a beautiful day and there were 28 participants that took a stroll in the sunshine to raise \$305.00 for Diabetes Awareness.

While we are on the subject of fundraising, I just can't say enough about the Zone 2-A golf fundraiser for Tara's Fight Against Batten Disease. This was just one phase of a series of fundraisers planned to help her family with medical bills. It is hard to believe that these clubs raised over \$10,000 in just one afternoon. The next phase will be a gospel concert held this month. Information is in this newsletter. Let's have a great turnout for Tara and her family.

My congratulations to PDG Noah Krout, 14-C District LCIF chairman. He has received word that our District was #1 in LCIF donations for the State of Pennsylvania in 2015-2016. That is just a fantastic accomplishment. I think we can do even better this year.

I am well into my club visitations and look forward to every club visit. I have always known of the power and strength of Lions, but the amount of service I am seeing in just 2 months of this Lions year is impressive and something that should make every member in 14-C proud.

In conclusion, for you Facebook users, our District page (District 14-C Lions Clubs) is now back up and running full steam. Visit Facebook and see what 14-C has been up to.

*Gov. Kerry*

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### Governor's Visits This Month

Tuesday, September 6.....Pinchot Park Lions  
Wednesday, September 7...Plainfield Lions  
Tuesday, September 13.....Carlisle Lions  
Tuesday, September 20.....Fairfield Lions  
Thursday, September 22.....Dover Lions/Lioness  
Monday, September 26.....Gettysburg Lions  
Tuesday, September 27.....Cashtown Lions  
Wednesday, September 28. York New Salem Lions

# From the First Vice District Governor:

## Fellow Lions, Lioness, and Leos,

Greetings Fellow Lions, Lioness, and Leos,

August was a busy month in regard to Lions



*First VDG Dennis Cope*

activities. It started with a fundraising activity for my home club at the South Mountain Fair and ended with the District's second Membership Growth Workshop in Jacobus.

In between were a State Council Meeting, a visit to Leader Dog, our own District 14-C Cabinet meeting, and several Zone Advisory Committee meetings.

Each of these activities makes me glad I decided to step outside of my home club and serve the district in a leadership role!

I have learned, and continue to learn, so much about Lions that I probably would not have been motivated to learn had I not run for Vice District Governor. The visit to Leader Dog is a great example of this. Leader Dog is something that every Lion can take great pride in supporting, and I learned that District 14-C, as well as the PA Lions, provide significant support to this organization.

The PA Lions were the second most generous multiple district in donations to Leader Dog each of the last 2 years, District 14-C was the top district in donations among Pennsylvania districts, and 10th overall among individual districts across the country! This is a wonderful organization. I encourage all clubs to invite IPDG John Griffie and Lion Kevin Turnbaugh to a meeting, to learn more about Leader Dog and their programs.

September will bring a trip to Omaha, Nebraska, for the USA/Canada Forum and two more Membership Growth Workshops. I encourage all Lions, especially those in leadership positions, to consider attending the USA/Canada Forum, if not this year, perhaps next year in Portland, Oregon, or in two years in Columbus, Ohio. I guarantee it will be well worth your time, effort, and expense.

The final two workshops in our GMT's first round of Membership Growth Workshops will be held on September 10 at the Upper Adams School

District Board Room in Biglerville and on September 24 at the Stuart Community Center in Carlisle.

A registration form for these workshops is included in this newsletter on the next page. Get your team together and join us for one of these workshops as we work to build membership in an effort to better serve our communities.

Yours in **SERVICE**,

*Lion Dennis Cope*

*1st Vice District Governor*

*dennis.cope@icloud.com*

*717-357-3142*

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## Calling All Lions: October 28-30, 2016 PA Lions State Council Meeting

District 14-C will be the host District for the Pennsylvania Lions State Council meeting that weekend at the Holiday Inn at Grantville, PA.

Please put the dates on your calendar **now** and plan to spend the weekend in Grantville. A special Hospitality Night will be held Friday, October 28, 2016. The theme for the evening will be, "An Unforgettable Night." A fun evening is in store for everyone. (*See page 19 for more details*)

The Lions in District 14-C want to show the rest of the state we are a hospitable group, so a good representation from our district is a must.

Also, PDG George Hilsinger and his Partner in Service will be holding a Basket Raffle to offset some of the expenses for the weekend. The committee would be thrilled to have a basket donation from each club in the district. Make plans now to donate a basket or some raffle item worth at least \$50.00.

The Basket Raffle is important because it raises money to pay for the cost of hosting the convention, and especially the Hospitality Night Celebration that PDG Shirley Starner, the Committee Chair for the event, hopes will truly be "*A Night to Remember.*"

To make the raffle a success, each Lion and Lioness club is asked to donate a basket valued at \$50 for the raffle. The baskets need to be delivered to the designated room in the hotel by 9:00 AM on

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**DISTRICT 14-C  
MEMBERSHIP GROWTH WORKSHOPS  
REGISTRATION FORM**

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

Workshop club's membership team will attend (please check one):

\_\_\_\_\_ Saturday, September 10, 2016 - Region 1 - Upper Adams School District  
Board Room, 161 N. Main St., Biglerville, PA

\_\_\_\_\_ Saturday, September 24, 2016 - Region 2  
Stuart Community Center, 415 Franklin Street, Carlisle, PA

Schedule each day:

8:30 - 9:00 Registration, coffee, and doughnuts

9:00 to 1:00 Workshop (lunch included)

Names of club members who will attend:

Member 1: \_\_\_\_\_

Member 2: \_\_\_\_\_

Member 3: \_\_\_\_\_

Member 4: \_\_\_\_\_

Member 5: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact person for the team:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail or email this form at least 1 week prior to the date  
of the desired workshop date to:

1st VDG Dennis Cope

PO Box 514

Arendtsville, PA 17303

dennis.cope@icloud.com

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## State Council (continued)

Friday, October 28. It would be wonderful if members from each club could attend the council meeting, and deliver the baskets in person, but if you can't, then please arrange with your Zone Chairperson, another club, or a local PDG to get the basket transported to the hotel.

PDG George is also asking for volunteers to come and help him sell raffle tickets. We need four people each day.

Call PDG George Hilsinger at 717-530-4978, or email him at [george\\_hilsinger@live.com](mailto:george_hilsinger@live.com) if you need help making transportation arrangements or want to volunteer to help. Please don't wait until the last minute!

## District Administrator Appointed

District Governor Kerry McKnight has appointed me to the office of District Administrator. This new district position allows me to make certain edits to club and district information on the LCI website (MyLCI). I have not completely explored what information I can change but I do know I can remove and add some district officers and the same with club officers. I don't have access to any district or club officer passwords. I guess we will explore this new position together. So, if you have any questions about your club information or would like me to change something let me know.

*Lion George Reisinger, PDG*



# First District Cabinet Meeting of this Lions Year

August 20, 2016 at St. John the Baptist Church, New Freedom

*(complete minutes will be published next month)*



*PDG Shirley Starner addresses the gathered group.*



*Lion Lisa Griffie installed as Second Vice District Governor.*



*Lion/Lioness Deb McKnight shows her display of souvenirs from the International Convention.*



*PDG Noah Kraut receives gift box from Lion Ervin Nace, Jr., of Pinchot Park Lions to be raffled to benefit LCIF.*



*District Cabinet members listen as PCC Gus Fridenvalds addresses the group.*



*PCC Gus installs District Governor Kerry McKnight.*



# Zone 2-A Scores High with their First Zone Project “Tara’s Fight against Batten Disease”



*District Governor Kerry talks with the Garman family (Tara's family)*

## Thank you!

The Lions Clubs of Carlisle, Jacksonville, Mount Holly Springs, Newville, Plainfield, and Shippensburg wish to thank all of the participants in this event for your thoughtful and generous support of Tara Garman, who will have an ongoing struggle to fight her Juvenile Batten Disease. It is through people like yourselves that the Garman family will receive some of the much-needed financial support for their upcoming challenges, particularly for Tara's medical care. Thank you again, for your kindness in responding to this fundraiser for the Garman family!

## \$10,000 for Tara!

*[For another way you can help, see the next page. DG Kerry reports that the total raised so far for the family is at least \$60,000]*





# COMMUNITY RALLIES FOR TARA

Tara Garman is an energetic seven-year-old girl who lives in Cumberland County. Last May, Tara was diagnosed with Juvenile Batten Disease. This disease is a neurodegenerative disease with no known treatment or cure. It



is fatal and progressive in nature and will take away Tara's ability to speak, move, see, remember and eat one by one.

Prior to receiving an experimental stem cell transplant at Duke University in Durham, North Carolina, in December, Tara had chemo treatments. Although the long term outcome is uncertain, Tara's parents believe this was the best option to save her high level of function and quality of life. The transplant required her to remain in the hospital for at least 8 weeks. Following her stay in the hospital, Tara and her mother stayed at the Ronald McDonald House for 4 months so she could go for her daily clinic visits. They are home but still need to make occasional trips for treatments.

Not only were these two ladies away from their family for 4 months, Tara's mother had left her nursing job so she could be with Tara. This means one less paycheck during treatments. Tara's parents are willing to sell their cars and home—whatever it takes to help their little girl.

The community has rallied around Tara and her family to help with the cost of the transplant and living expenses when she and her mother stay in North Carolina.

**Numerous fundraisers have been planned; some have been completed; some are ongoing.**

## GOSPEL CONCERT SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2016, 5 P.M

**Newville Lions Club Fairgrounds, Route 533 in North Newton Township  
just one mile west of Newville, PA 17241**



**Gabriel Quartet (left) and The Cornerstone Quartet (right)**



**FOOD AVAILABLE.** Serving begins at 4 p.m. Event hosted by Newville Lions Club. Event sponsored by several local Lions Club in the community. **BRING YOUR LAWN CHAIRS.** Event will be held rain or shine; it will be moved indoors if inclement weather. There is no admission charge but a **FREE WILL OFFERING** will be collected to go to the Garman Family.

**DIANNE BOLYARD**—Local children's author Dianne Bolyard will be doing a book signing beginning at 4 p.m. *Happily Ever After The Ultimate True Fairytale* by Dianne Bolyard. There once was a very special young boy born to loving parents. This boy would grow up to save the world. His name is Jesus. Join author Dianne Bolyard for a real life fairytale as she shares the full story of the Gospel in *Happily Ever After*. All profits from sales of the book, that day, will go to the Tara Garman fund.

**ALL PROFITS FROM THESE EVENTS WILL GO DIRECTLY TO THE GARMAN FAMILY.**

# The Difference One Invitation Can Make

Many of you know our District Governor, Lion Kerry McKnight. You may have met him when he visited your club or by meeting him at a Lions' event during the 20+ years that he has been a Lion.

Lion Kerry has only been our District Governor for just a little over two months; however, his energy, enthusiasm and drive have resulted in the start of some remarkable programs and activities in a very short time. Lion Kerry is joined in his effort by not only a great team of district and club leaders, but also by his wife, Lion/Lioness Debbie McKnight. Lioness Deb had the significant distinction of becoming a Lion at the 99th



International Lions Convention in Fukuoka, Japan, in June and was inducted by the International Lions Club President.

Lion Deb has been involved in

Lionism for over 15 years. Both she and Lion Kerry serve the community through their respective clubs, the New Freedom Lions Club and the New Freedom Lioness Clubs. Both were well known in the New

Freedom community, as they operated their business, McKnight's Appliances, for many years before retiring. Lion Kerry began his career in Lionism when a longtime customer approached him and invited him to a Lions Club meeting. The rest, as they say, is history.

At the time there was no orientation program, and since Kerry's business demanded much of his time and he could not regularly attend meetings, he was unsure of what Lions really did for the first few years. Deb became a Lioness in 2001 after they moved their residence from West York to New Freedom; however, she was always there to step in and help the Lions and Lioness Clubs with their activities long before officially joining.

DG Lion Kerry has introduced and sponsored 22 people into the New Freedom Lions Club. Together he and Lion/Lioness Deb serve as an amazing team to promote the principles of Lionism. Being Lions has helped them to help each other in not only their business success but also for the community activities which Lions promote. The Lions have gained two wonderful advocates for the organization and for the promotion of our activities to assist the blind and disabled. It all started by one courageous Lion asking a business owner in town to go to a dinner meeting.

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

## A Gentle Reminder: October Basket Raffle

Please remember that we are asking each club to donate a basket valued at approximately \$50 for the Basket Raffle at the October State Council Meeting in Grantville, PA. The money raised by the raffle will be used to help pay for the cost of District 14-C hosting the Council Meeting.

The baskets need to be delivered to the Council Meeting site at 8:00 AM on October 28. If none of your club members are attending the meeting, please contact your Zone Chairperson or a nearby Past District Governor to arrange for the basket to be delivered to the Council Meeting. Currently I have two volunteers to help with running the basket raffle. If you are going to be at the Council Meeting and have a little time available, I would appreciate you volunteering to sell raffle tickets. Email me at [george\\_hilsinger@live.com](mailto:george_hilsinger@live.com) to volunteer.

*PDG George Hilsinger*



*Arendtsville Lions President Deb Gibbons presents DG Kerry with a generous donation to the "District Governors Project Fund" at their August 23rd meeting.*

## Beacon Lodge “500 Club”

Beacon Lodge thanks you and I personally thank you for the great response to Beacon Lodge for the 2015-2016 year. District 14-C always comes through!

On my request for support for the “500 Club,” I was able to send \$5,050 to Beacon Lodge.

I also received \$2,687 in other contributions, including \$890 for the Wish List. The response to the Wish List was greatly appreciated. We took donations from several clubs who supplied requested items to the camp.

Total contributions for the camp were \$7,537. This does not include individual contributions sent directly to the camp. This money goes toward the maintenance of the camp.

PDG Larry and I were able to make several trips to Beacon Lodge to deliver these items.

We also took a check for \$1,000 for “Project New Hope” from the Mt. Wolf VFW.

I will be mailing the request for “500 Club” cards in early September. After today [the Cabinet meeting] I will have the names and addresses of the new club secretaries. This money, as noted above, goes to the maintenance of the camp.

Again I thank you for your tremendous support for Beacon Lodge. Beacon Lodge looks forward to your continued support.

*Lion/Lioness Louanna Bare*

## Beacon Lodge Update

We have just finished another successful camping season at PA Lions Beacon Lodge camp, your camp.

During this camping season, the adult and children campers had a great time enjoying all the programs offered by Beacon Lodge. A great camping season was had by all! The new ZIP line was a big success. The campers loved the ZIP line, which is much longer and much easier to access. They enjoyed the swimming, hay rides, trips to the market, the miniature golf course, bowling, and game nights and open canteens in the evening and much more.

PA Lions Appreciation Day was enjoyed by over 400 Lions, Lioness, Leos, and guests. A great show was presented by the campers. They arrived the day before and put it together that evening. Our PCC Gus won \$125 in the Rubber Duck Race.

This was the second year for Project New Hope. This is a four-day camp for Pennsylvania disabled veterans and their families. Louanna and I participated in the second week of the program, August 4-7. We served three families of veterans and their families, totaling 13 people. There were three families also the first week. They participated in all the Beacon Lodge programs.

District 14-C had a work weekend in April.

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## UPCOMING LION EVENTS

Date	Event	Location	Contact Information
Sep. 9 Sep. 10 Sep. 10	Dick Henry Golf Outing Membership Growth Wkshop Gospel Concert for Tara	Range End, Dillsburg Biglerville Newville Lions Fairgrounds	see p. 15 VDG Dennis, see p. 3 see p. 4
Sep. 15-17 Sep. 24 Sep. 24	USA/Canada Leadership Forum Membership Growth Wkshop Sight Cons. Research Sem.	Omaha, Nebraska Carlisle Elkins Park, PA	Club Secretary VDG Dennis, see p. 3 see p. 20
Sep. 30 Oct. 8 Oct. 8	York Wht Rose Golf Tourn. Fall Fest Global Membership Wkshop	Honey Run CC Stewartstown Fairgrounds State Lions Hdqtrs, Harrisburg	see p. 13 <a href="#">Click here</a> see p. 10
Oct. 28-30 Oct 28 Nov 19	State Council Meeting PA Lions Ann. Banquet District Cabinet	Holiday Inn, Grantville Holiday Inn, Grantville York Springs Fire Hall	PDG G. Hilsinger (pp. 3, 19) see p. 19 DG Kerry



## Beacon Lodge Report (cont'd)

There is always lots to do in preparing for the camping season. Approximately 30 Lions were in attendance. Another weekend is being planned for April of 2017. More information will be in this newsletter after the holidays.

Looking ahead to the Wish List for 2017, we are seeking Lions and Lioness clubs to donate \$500 to purchase additional two-way radios for the camp staff to use. Also, \$250 is needed for battery replacement in the more than 100 smoke detectors in the camp. If your club is interested, please contact me.

I know a lot of you have never visited Beacon Lodge. I urge you to plan a visit to the camp. I know that once you've been there, you will understand why I keep talking about the place. After all, Beacon Lodge is your camp. It belongs to the Lions of Pennsylvania.

If your club would like a program, please contact Louanna or myself at 717-650-2966 or [lklbljb@comcast.net](mailto:lklbljb@comcast.net)

Thank you.  
*PDG Larry Bare*



Above is proof of how kids are influenced by Lions: Rylee (on right in baseball cap), granddaughter of Lions Denny and Deb Shue and great-granddaughter of Lion Clair and PDG Shirley Starner (all Weigelstown Lions), heard them talk about blind children going to Beacon Lodge summer camp. She wanted to help. So while her grandparents were having their annual yard sale, Rylee sold baked goods and drinks for 25-50¢. She was so proud that she raised over \$50.



*A large group of Lions and Lionesses attended the second Membership Growth Workshop in Jacobus on August 27. You have two more opportunities to attend one: At Biglerville and Carlisle. See pages 2 and 3 for details.*

# Global Membership and Global Leadership Teams

## 2016 Fall Workshops

The Global Membership and Leadership Teams are offering regional membership and leadership workshops below. Please distribute this information throughout your districts, as these are open to all interested Lions, most importantly, members of membership and leadership committees, both district and club, zone or regional chairpersons, District GMT and GLT teams, 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice-District Governors and Past District Governors. If you have attended our sessions in the past, don't let this stop you as much of the information will be new. If you cannot attend the one in your region, just rsvp to one of the others (no boundaries here). Hope to see you all very soon. Lunch cost is \$7.00. Registration begins at 830 am.

### Western Region (districts B,E,F,J,M,N)

October 1 (Saturday 900 am – 200 pm)  
Westmoreland County Blind Association  
911 South Main Street, Greensburg, PA 15601  
RSVP to PDG Dave Stitely  
[lbrgrader@comcast.net](mailto:lbrgrader@comcast.net)

### Central Region (districts C, D, G, L, T)

October 8 (Saturday 900 am – 200 pm)  
PA Lions State Office Building  
949 East Park Drive, Harrisburg, PA 17111  
RSVP to PDG Salli Miller (14T)  
[lionsalliamiller@gmail.com](mailto:lionsalliamiller@gmail.com)

### East Region (districts A,H,K,P,U,W)

October 15 (Saturday 930 am – 200 pm)  
St. Thomas Church  
6251 Morgantown Road, Morgantown, PA 19543  
RSVP to PDG Carl Gundrum (14P)  
[gunner@ptd.net](mailto:gunner@ptd.net)

*NOTE: These GMT/GLT Fall Workshops being held in Greensburg, Harrisburg, and Morgantown are designed for Lions and district officers who wish to take a leadership role in membership and leadership development. These workshops are sponsored by the PA Lions and are a separate activity from the District 14-C Membership Growth Workshops on page 3.*



# LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION (LCIF)



What comes to mind when you  
think of LCIF?



RESPONDING TO HUMANITARIAN NEEDS

Lions by way of LCIF:

- We “Lions” Give Sight
- We “Lions” support Youth
- We “Lions” provide disaster relief
- We “Lions” address Humanitarian needs

*Lions Clubs of District 14-C invite me to one of your club meetings for a 20-30 minute presentation on LCIF. I will be able to show you the many ways to donate to LCIF.*

Contact: District 14-C LCIF Chairman  
PDG Noah Krout  
H (717) 225-4892  
kroutdeere@comcast.net



# 2017 Convention Centennial Service Project



***Executive Officers, Lions and LEO's  
Working together to feed the hungry.***

**How many meals will you help to package at the  
2017 PA Lions State Convention?**

**Please fill in the form below and bring it to the  
2017 Convention table at the October Council  
Meeting.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ District: 14-\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip; \_\_\_\_\_

Circle your Preferred Time: 1 - 2    2 - 3    3 - 4

Please note the committee reserves the right to assign a different time to fill the needs of the project





# York White Rose Lions Club

7<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Tournament

Friday, September 30, 2016

at

Honey Run Golf and Country Club, 3131 S. Salem Church Rd., York, PA 17408



All of the proceeds from this golf event allow the Lions to support community service projects and causes which include College Scholarships, Food Drives and Eye Glasses.

\$75 per person

Fee includes goodie bag, box lunch, refreshments during golf, buffet dinner, greens fees, golf cart and prizes

Register Individually or by Team

## FORMAT

- Shotgun Start
- Four Person Scramble (best ball captain's choice)
- Mulligans, Grenades and Trouble String will be available for sale

## DINNER BUFFET includes:

Pulled Pork  
Grilled Chicken Breasts Potato Salad  
Mac N Cheese  
Beverages

## SCHEDULE

Check In: 11 am  
Lunch & Range Balls: 11 am  
Tree Time: 12:30 pm

York White Rose Lions  
Support Your Community



## PRIZES

\$10,000 Hole in One

French Lick Resort Vacation

Hole in One

Travis Mathew Outfit plus

\$500 shopping spree

Hole in One

Golfing Vacation at

TPC San Antonio Hole in One

Longest Drive

Closest to the Pin

Pot of Gold

1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Team Lowest Score

Each Member

50/50

Plenty of Door Prizes

Contact Dwight Hollenbach at 443-992-0233 or email at [YorkWhiteRoseLions@gmail.com](mailto:YorkWhiteRoseLions@gmail.com) for registration information

Registration deadline September 15, 2016



# Peace Poster Contest and Essay Contest

## **“A Celebration of Peace”**

**Lions of 14-C—make this year be the year to participate in the Peace Poster Contest with your club. Now is the time to order your kits for the Peace Poster Contest for 2016-2017!**

Order a kit online by following *this link* or call Club Supplies Sales at (630)571-5466 or 1-800-710-7822.

**The 2015-2016 winner of the Peace Poster Contest was Yumo Zhu, a 12 year old student from China.** The theme was, “Share Peace.” As quoted from the Lion Magazine, “Art is open to interpretation, but, Yumo’s creation seems to suggest that like a cake oozing with delights, peace is a sweet deal that comes with cherries on top.” Is there anything more “sweet” than world peace?

### **Offer the Opportunity**

The peace posters submitted this past year from the Lions Clubs of 14-C were absolutely incredible. By just looking at the posters, one could see the amount of research, time, thought, and creative talent that was invested into each poster.

But, we need more clubs to be participating and giving this incredible opportunity to our youth! Encourage a volunteer from your Lions Club to offer the opportunity to a classroom of children, a Scout troop, a baseball team, a Sunday School Class or a Youth Group to participate in the Peace Poster Contest. Some of our Lions Clubs and schools have made it a tradition which both groups look forward to annually.

Remember one kit must be purchased for each group your club sponsors.

### **This Year’s Theme**

The Theme for the 2016-2017 Peace Poster Contest is, “A Celebration of Peace.” Students ages 11, 12, or 13 on November 15, are eligible to participate. The last date to order a kit is October 1, 2016.

Order your kit by clicking *here* or calling the numbers above.

Each year, Lions Clubs around the world proudly sponsor the Lions International Peace Poster Contest in local school and youth groups. This art contest for kids encourages young people world wide to express their visions of peace. For more than 25 years, millions of children from nearly 100 countries have participated in the contest.



### **Essay Contest**

Lions Clubs around the world are, also, encouraged to sponsor students in the Lions International Essay Contest. This essay contest was created to offer an opportunity to visually impaired young people to express their feelings of peace. The theme of the 2016-2017 International Essay Contest is “A Celebration of Peace.” Students who are visually impaired and who are ages 11, 12 or 13 on November 15, are eligible to participate. For the essay contest rules and application form, go online to *this link*.

Any questions, please contact Lion Patti Hullmann at [hullmannt@aol.com](mailto:hullmannt@aol.com).

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## **Directory Changes**

PDG Fred Lamason

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Phone is 717-525-8255



CAMP HILL LIONS CLUB  
TWELFTH ANNUAL  
DICK HENRY MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT  
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2016

RANGE END GOLF CLUB  
8:30 AM SHOT GUN START

ALL PROCEEDS DONATED TO THE LIONS INTERNATIONAL SIGHT PROGRAM AND  
THE  
HARRISBURG AREA JUNIOR GOLF ASSOCIATION

FORMAT WILL BE A FOUR-PERSON SCRAMBLE  
FEE IS \$65 PER PLAYER

CHECKS FOR PLAYERS & SPONSORS SHOULD BE MADE PAYABLE TO:  
THE CAMP HILL LIONS CLUB AND MAILED TO:  
REED ERNST  
347 REGENT ST.  
CAMP HILL, PA 17011

LUNCH WILL FOLLOW THE TOURNAMENT

FIRST HOLE-IN-ONE ON 10<sup>TH</sup> HOLE WILL WIN A ONE YEAR LEASE ON A CAR  
PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED BASED ON NUMBER OF ENTRIES  
ENTRY DEADLINE IS SEPTEMBER 6, 2016  
INDIVIDUAL & TEAM ENTRIES ACCEPTED

PLAYER

#1 \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

#2 \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

#3 \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

#4 \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

SPONSORS REGISTRATION INFORMATION

TEE OR GREEN SPONSORS FEE: \$60

COMPANY NAME OR SPONSOR \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT AGENT/PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

For More Information: Contact Carl Winfield - 766 - 5442

## Welcome to Our New Members!

Member	Club	Sponsor
Matthew R McDannell	Arendtsville	Diana Slothour
Melissa A. Speelman	Arendtsville	Robert Slothour
G. Fred Nussbaum	Gettysburg	Michael Jackman
Samuel C. Robertson	Mechanicsburg	Thomas Kerstetter
Lois V. Stoner	Mount Holly Springs	Rachel Bear
Dennis Barry	New Freedom	Robert Dickson
Patrick Barry	New Freedom	Robert Dickson
Deborah McKnight	New Freedom	Kerry McKnight
Lloyd Bier	Newville	Bruce Lemmon
Brenda M. Dietz	Windsor	Stacey Dietz
Carlton E. Tyson	York White Rose	Zarryl Hilt

**Climbing New Mountains Together as Lions!**

## In Memory of our Deceased Members

Member	Club
Harvey W. Haun Jr.	Gettysburg
Lois J. Mundorff	Mason-Dixon



## Fairview Township Lions Donate Bicycle Helmets

During the "Neighborhood Night Out" held at Roof Park in Fairview Township on August 2, 2016, the Fairview Township Lions club donated 98 bicycle helmets to children under twelve. Lions Russ Bahn, Tom Busch and John Shimmel personally fitted the helmets to the children, and parents assured the Lions that the children would wear the helmets. In addition to the distribution of the helmets, five reconditioned bicycles were won by five children as part of a free raffle.

## Stewartstown Fall Fest

The Stewartstown Lions and Lioness invite anyone and everyone, far and near, to come to the Fall Fest on October 8, 2016, 9:00 AM. to 4:00 PM at the Stewartstown Community Fairgrounds, 16 College Avenue, Stewartstown, PA. You will experience a day of fun, good food and you can do your Christmas Shopping, all of this in one day.

Interested Craft Vendors and Non Profit Organizations, please complete the application found on web page below and return as indicated.

<http://www.stewartstownfallfest.com/>





## STEWARTSTOWN LIONESS CLUB FUNDRAISER

Now you can order online (<https://www.helpourfundraiser.com/storefrontCommerce/>) and have your gift shipped direct. Use Ordering #505711, Password (lower case) **slioness**. You will be helping the Stewartstown Lioness Club. All profits go back into helping the community.

If you live in Stewartstown, you can place and pick up your order in Stewartstown, PA by calling **Darlene at 717-889-3986**.

If you have never used RADA they are an American made cutlery company and also have serving utensils, cooking utensils, cookbooks, stoneware, mixes (pie, cake, dips, soups and sauces, cheese balls), seasonings and marinades. You can check out their products by going to: [www.radacutlery.com](http://www.radacutlery.com)

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DG Kerry invited attendees at the August District Cabinet meeting to accompany him on a walk for Diabetes Awareness. Each Lion participating was asked to donate \$10. It's a good thing that no specific distance was required for the walk, as this group of Lions only made it about two blocks from the parking lot to the Rail Trail Cafe in New Freedom, where they enjoyed lunch and good Lions fellowship. And they could celebrate: No matter how short, the walk raised \$305 for Diabetes Awareness.

**Lions of Pennsylvania  
Regional Lions Leadership Institute  
Harrisburg, PA  
November 11-13, 2016  
Application Form**

Purpose: Regional Lions Leadership Institute focuses on building the skills of Lions members for leadership opportunities at the club and district level, including club president, zone chairperson, as well as other positions. Thanks to partial funding through Lions Clubs International and the Lions of Pennsylvania we have been able to keep the fee at \$150.00 per participant. Your own district may also have leadership training monies available in their budget that you can apply for to supplement this as well. Please contact your District Governor or District Global Leadership Coordinator. Your fee includes training, accommodations and meals. As space is limited to 34 lions, each district can have only two participants, so get your applications in early.

District\_\_\_\_\_ Club\_\_\_\_\_ Membership #\_\_\_\_\_

First Name\_\_\_\_\_ Last Name\_\_\_\_\_

Current lions position\_\_\_\_\_ Number of years as a lion\_\_\_\_\_

Email\_\_\_\_\_ Preferred phone\_\_\_\_\_

Address\_\_\_\_\_

Town\_\_\_\_\_ Zip code\_\_\_\_\_

Offices held in your club and district\_\_\_\_\_

Committees you served on\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Club President signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
District Governor signature

Send check payable to Pa State Council of Lions Clubs along with application to:  
Pa State Council of Lions Clubs, Regional Lions Leadership Institute, 949 East Park Drive,  
Harrisburg, PA 17111-2810

For questions contact Lion Dan Swincinski, MD14 Regional Lions Leadership Coordinator at  
[danswin1022@comcast.net](mailto:danswin1022@comcast.net) or 814-244-9210.



**Lions of Pennsylvania Foundation**

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# YOU ARE INVITED TO

## *the 25th Anniversary of*

# The Lions of Pennsylvania



**Date: Friday, October, 28th 2016**  
**Lion's State Council Meeting**  
**Holiday Inn, Grantville/Hershey Pa.**

**Social Hour: 5pm-6pm**  
**Cash Bar-Hors d' oeuvres**

Dinner is: Our "Old Fashion Homemade Turkey Dinner"  
and all the trimmings

Entertainment & Much more  
**"CORMORANTS FANCY"**  
Music of Ireland, Scotland and the Celtic Nations

**Cost only \$30.00**

**Reservations must be made**  
**By October, 17th**

Please mail reservations to:

PDG Sarah Clark  
34 So 24th St.  
Harrisburg, Pa 17103



Checks made out to: **The Lions of PA Foundation**

**PA Lions Sight Conservation  
and  
Eye Research Foundation**

**2016 Annual Research Seminar**

**Saturday, September 24, 2016**

**Pennsylvania College of Optometry  
at  
Salus University Elkins Park Campus  
8360 Old York Road  
Elkins Park, PA**

**Registration now open (free)**

To receive updates as they become available:  
Send an email to Seminar Chairman PDG Glen Santee,  
dandlionpa@verizon.net

On subject line of email write "Lion eye update"  
Include your name, district, and email address



# Jacksonville Lions Serving in Many Ways



*Above:* Jacksonville Lions Janet Grove (left), Glorianne Hilsinger (right) and photographer Lion Al Grove working alongside Plainfield Lion Peck Freeland at the August 13 Lions Zone 2-A golf tournament, a fundraiser for area child Tara Garman and her fight against Battens disease. This event alone raised over \$10,000.

*Above and right:* Jacksonville Lions conducted Kindsight USA eye screening in Walnut Bottom. Thirty community children were screened on August 24 using equipment provided by District 14-C. The kids colored Lions pictures while waiting.



*Above:* Jacksonville Lions Al Grove (left), Dave Evelhoch (right), George Hilsinger (photographer) and community member Doug Goodhart constructed ramp for community member Mary Alice Gruver on August 25.



*Above:* Lion Larry Flood (right) received membership key award from President Lion George Hilsinger (left) at the August meeting of the Jacksonville Lions club.

## **Future District Cabinet Meetings**

***Please reserve these dates!***

*Saturday, November 19, 2016  
York Springs Fire Hall  
400 Main St., York Springs  
9:30 - 12:00 NOON*

*Saturday, February 18, 2017  
St. Paul's United Methodist  
Church, 4360 Board Road  
Manchester  
9:30 - 12:00 NOON*

*District Convention  
Saturday, April 22, 2017  
Location TBA*

## **Let Us All Know What Your Club is Doing!**

Lion Steve Shipman (Dillsburg Lions) is now 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. He cannot open WordPerfect or Microsoft Publisher files, and please watch your Word settings so they don't come to his Mac in the infamous winmail.dat format.

Send him items at [prsteveshipman@gmail.com](mailto:prsteveshipman@gmail.com), or call or text him at 570-916-7780. If you have not entered the computer age, his snail mail is 436 E Ridge Rd, Dillsburg PA 17019. Glossy photos work best; a printout will never look any better than what you see in front of you. He is happy to re-type text. If you give him an idea of how you want your item to appear, he will do his best.

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