



News from the Lions' Den



District 14-C

February 2017



Message from the District Governor

District 14-C Family,

I wish to share several items with our membership this month —

First, our District 14-C Convention details are included in this newsletter. I am very excited as our



guests and Special Keynote speaker will be Past International Director Cindy Gregg and her husband, PDG Tom Gregg. Not only will we have such a distinguished and dedicated Lion as PID Cindy, 14-C will hold a “Dining in the Dark” dinner event immediately following the

convention. If you have never attended a District Convention, please consider joining us to celebrate Lions 100th anniversary celebration.

The LCI Centennial Commemorative coin is now available for purchase from the U.S. Mint. I have ordered mine even though I’m not a collector. If all the minted coins are sold, Lions Clubs International Foundation will receive \$4 million to further its programs for the blind and visually impaired in the United States and abroad, invest in

adaptive technologies for the disabled, and invest in youth and those affected by a major disaster. Ordering your commemorative coin is simple on the U.S. Mint website, and there is even a discount available through February 21. [\[click here\]](#)

District 14-C will hold a membership workshop open to all Lions, Lioness, & Leos in our District on March 11 at Union Hook and Ladder in New Oxford. See registration form on [page 14](#).

Membership is still on the plus side for this Lions year. I appreciate all 67 new members for joining our ranks, and their sponsors for the encouraging friends and family to serve. Female new members are also greatly increasing our membership. We definitely need to keep up this momentum.

Finally, as I review the monthly service activities reports our clubs are filing with LCI, I cannot help but be amazed at the level of service being performed by our 14-C membership. Please keep up the great work.

ALL ABOARD TO SERVE,
Governor Kerry

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Governor's Visits This Month

Tuesday, February 7	York Twp. Lions
Wednesday, February 8	York White Rose Lions
Monday, February 13	New Freedom Lioness
Thursday, February 16	Brogue Comm. Lions
Wednesday, February 22	Jacobus Lioness
Tuesday, February 28	Weigelstown Lions

District Cabinet Meeting

Saturday, February 18

St. Paul's United Methodist Church

4360 Board Rd., Manchester

9:30 AM to NOON

From the First Vice District Governor:

Greetings Fellow Lions, Lioness, and Leos,

Have you ever attended a District, State, or



First VDG Dennis Cope

International Lions Convention? If so, you know it's a great opportunity to meet Lions, Lioness, and Leos from other clubs, enjoy the company of like-minded individuals, and share ideas for improving the work and health of your club. Attending a convention also provides a chance to grow in your knowledge of our great organization and learn

about opportunities to grow your involvement in Lions.

The District 14-C Convention is scheduled for Saturday, April 22nd. This year's convention features some changes we hope will make it more inviting and enjoyable for you to attend. The starting time has been moved to the afternoon with a condensed schedule for seminars and business meeting. The highlight of the day will be a "Dinner in the Dark" event, which will be both entertaining and informative.

Four weeks later, the MD-14 (Pennsylvania) Convention will be held at Seven Springs Mountain Resort. This is a multi-day event that begins with various tours on Thursday, May 18, and ends with the seating of the new Board of Governors on Sunday, May 21. In between there will be educational seminars, featured speakers, and a culminating banquet featuring an address by our International President, Chancellor Bob Corlew. You can attend one, two, or all three days.

This year's International Convention is in Chicago, an easy day's drive from Central Pennsylvania. This will be my first International Convention and the organization's 100th Anniversary Convention, and I'm quite excited. What better time to meet and interact with Lions from all over the world? The dates for this convention are June 30 through July 4. Imagine watching Fourth of July fireworks in one of our country's greatest cities!

DISTRICT 14-C CONVENTION

**Keynote Speaker —
PID Cindy Gregg**

Saturday, April 22, 2017

Registration Begins 12:30 PM

Wyndham Garden

2000 Loucks Road, York, PA

**Join us as we celebrate 100 years
of Lions Service**

Registration Form on [page 10](#)

More info pages 7-8



Registration information for the State Convention was printed in the *Pride*, or [click here](#).

Registration information for the International Convention was printed in *The Lion* Magazine, or [click here](#).

I encourage every Lion to get a taste of Lions outside of their immediate club by attending one or more of these conventions. You'll be glad you did!

Yours in Service,
Dennis Cope

1st Vice District Governor

dennis.cope@icloud.com

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Lions as a Family Affair: PDG Larry and Lion/ess Louanna Bare

Every Pennsylvania Lion has heard of our Pennsylvania Beacon Lodge and their amazing mission of serving children with special needs in Pennsylvania. Most Lions here in Central Pennsylvania know about their additional mission of serving families of our disabled veterans. Here in District 14-C we are always kept up to date on Beacon Lodge happenings by two of our Lions who

have gone above and beyond in the mission of Lionism to promote and advocate for this wonderful and necessary camp.

PDG Lion Larry Bare and Lion/Lioness Louanna Bare have dedicated themselves to Lionism in general and

to Beacon Lodge specifically as their special missions. They have given on their local and district level, on a state level, and they continue to go over and above with their mission at the lodge. From collecting money for their project to filling their garage with donated items to ensure its success, PDG Lion Larry and Lion/Lioness Louanna work tirelessly every day to help their community.

PDG Larry and Lion/Lioness Louanna met in their home town of Mt. Wolf. After serving in the military, PDG Larry worked for the Federal Aviation Administration in Virginia for twenty-five years. When he retired, we are all very fortunate that they decided to come back to Central Pennsylvania. Lion/Lioness Louanna's father, Lion William Kann, was a charter member of the Susquehanna Lions Club. He encouraged Larry to join, and Larry did so in September of 1984. PDG Larry held many offices in the Susquehanna Lions Club and throughout the district, including District Governor in 1998-1999. PDG Larry was asked to go to Beacon Lodge by his friend and fellow Lion Glenn Ferree. Throughout the time he served as a Lion, he volunteered for work weekends at Beacon Lodge and visited often. He enjoyed Beacon Lodge so much that in 1989 he organized the first bus trip to take local Lions to the lodge.

After the return to our area, Lion/Lioness Louanna volunteered at her church and was unable to join Lionesses until 1989 when she joined the

Susquehanna Lioness Club. When the Susquehanna Lionesses disbanded, she joined the Shiloh Lionesses and is now a Dover Lioness, as well as a member of the York White Rose Lions Club. Both PDG Larry and Lion/Lioness Louanna serve as our district liaisons to Beacon Lodge.

Lion/Lioness Louanna accepted a position as Pennsylvania State Lioness Representative to the Pennsylvania Lions Beacon Lodge Board of Directors, and has served in that position for over fifteen years. Lion Larry joined the Board of Directors when Lion Glenn Ferree passed away. They have served on the board as a team ever since.

In addition to serving on the board of directors for Beacon Lodge, Lion/Lioness Louanna also currently serves as Beacon Lodge 500 Club Chair for District 14-C and PDG Larry is Beacon Lodge Project Chair for District 14-C. They both work tirelessly for Lions and for the lodge. They say that it is a labor of love for both of them. They are extremely thankful for the support our district gives the lodge. Our district is one of the most generous districts in the state to Beacon Lodge.

We encourage every club to consider visiting Beacon Lodge on a work weekend or on the Lions' Appreciation Day on Sunday, July 16, 2017. Contact PDG Lion Larry Bare or Lion/Lioness Louanna Bare for more information on these events and visit the Beacon Lodge website at <http://www.BeaconLodge.com> ([click here](#)).

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

Zone 4C Social

March 14, 2017 — 6:30 PM

Stewartstown Presbyterian Church

14 College Avenue, Stewartstown

**Entertainment: Dallastown High School
Drama Club**

**Meal: Chicken Cordon Blue, Scalloped
Potatoes, Broccoli, Salad w/Dressing, and
Roll w/Butter**

Cost: \$16/Person

RSVP by March 2 to [ZC Alan Diehl](#)

click above or call (717) 428-3161

**Learn about Lions' Humanitarian Service
Around the World**
[Click here for video](#)
**Download and share
at a club meeting!**



Plainfield Student of Month

The Plainfield Lions Club recently honored Madison Frick as their January Student of the Month.



Madison is a senior at Big Spring High School. She serves as Secretary on the Student Council and is a member of the National Honor Society. She is also a member of Mu Alpha Theta, a club for mathematicians. She also is a volunteer for the Mini-

Thon for 4 Diamonds at Big Spring, which raises money for cancer research.

Madison works at Leo's Ice Cream Shop in Carlisle. She will be attending Shippensburg University in the fall in pursuit of a degree in Elementary Education.

Madison, on the right, is shown receiving her certificate from Lion President Jill Freeland.

And about that sign ...

The one time that folks in your town think about Lions is when they see that Lions Club Highway sign as they enter into your community. If your sign is faded and people can't tell if it's Lions or Rotary, or leaning at a severe angle, they have to wonder if your club is still in existence.

As I've been traveling around our district, I've noticed some signs have seen better days.

The Lions Store online has commemorative highway signs and decals on sale to spruce up your signage for the 100th anniversary.



For clubs that don't have anyone able to perform the repairs, District 14C has formed a "Lions Sign Crew". This is a group of Lion volunteers that are well equipped with all the necessary hardware and tools.

Order whatever signage needed, then contact the crew when you receive it. They will make arrangements to perform the upgrade at no charge to your Lions Club.

To schedule your upgrade, or if you have any questions, feel free to call the "Lions Sign Crew" at (717) 759-0711, or email me at DGMcKnight@att.net.

UPCOMING LION EVENTS

Date	Event	Location	Contact Information
Feb. 18 Feb. 19 Feb. 25	District Cabinet Sweetheart Bingo Camp Hill Lions Breakfast	St. Paul's UM, Manchester New Freedom Community Ctr. Trinity Lutheran, Camp Hill	Governor Kerry see p. 11 mrs330@comcast.net
March 4 March 14 March 30	Indoor Yard Sale Zone 4C Social Day at the Sands	New Freedom Community Ctr. Stewartstown Presbyterian Bus Trip from Stewartstown	see p. 11 ZC Alan Diehl see p. 12 or click here
April 7-9 April 7 April 22	Beacon Lodge Work Weekend Southern Gospel Concert District Convention	Beacon Lodge Camp Northern York HS Auditorium Wyndham Garden, York	PDG Larry Bare p. 5 see p. 11 see p. 7
April 29 April 29 May 18-20	Arendtsville Spring Fest Evening Concert State Convention	South Mountain Fairground Dover Intermediate School Seven Springs	see p. 12 see p. 11 see pp. 10-11
June 30, 2017 June 29, 2018 July 5, 2019	International Convention International Convention International Convention	Chicago Las Vegas Milan, Italy	click here click here click here

Beacon Lodge Work Weekend and 500 Club

Beacon Lodge Work Weekend

District 14-C Spring Work Weekend will be held on April 7, 8, and 9, 2017. Come and join us for work, fun, fellowship, and to contribute to your Lions camp. The purpose of this activity is to ready the camp for the coming camping season. Projects have not been assigned for this weekend. We will be getting this information in March.

Beacon Lodge will provide meals and lodging along with bedding for the weekend. All you will need to provide are work clothing, work gloves, wash cloth, and your personal items. Plan to arrive Friday evening, April 7, or by 7 AM on Saturday, April 8. We will work until lunch on Sunday and leave for home after lunch.

As always, the accomplishment of this activity depends on Lions to give their time and efforts. I encourage the Lions to participate in this important activity.

It is very important that the staff at the camp know how many will be attending, so that they can order sufficient food and prepare accommodations. They need to know the exact number to expect. Please call me by April 1, 2017. Do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions. My phone number is 717-650-2966 and my email is lkbljb@comcast.net. This weekend will be limited to the first 40 Lions who register. To register please call me so I can notify the camp of the number attending this service project. PLEASE DO NOT CALL THE CAMP!!!

PDG Larry J. Bare

Beacon Lodge Work Weekend Chairman.

**What does YOUR Beacon
Lodge Camp Need?
See Wish List on Next Page!**



Beacon Lodge "500 Club"

Along with Beacon Lodge, I want to thank the clubs who have contributed to the "500 Club" for the 2016-2017 year. I have forwarded checks to Beacon Lodge in the amount of \$4,435.00 for the "500 Club." I encourage those clubs who have not contributed to please consider doing so and to support this important project. This goes to the maintenance of your camp.

In addition, I have received \$1,000 for the operating budget, and \$1,100 for camperships.

The budget for the 2016-2017 Camping Year is \$582,700.00

Again, Beacon Lodge thanks you and I thank you for your continuing support.

Keep up the good work!

Lion/Lioness Louanna Bare



Congratulations to Lion P. Lynn Henry (above right) of the Dallastown Lions, who was presented with a pin by Zone 4-C Chairman Alan Diehl in recognition of his fifty-five years of service to his community through the Dallastown Lions Club.

Lion Lynn spent his career as an educator and guidance counselor for thousands of children with Dallastown Area High School for over thirty-six years prior to his retirement. Lion Lynn has served in many capacities over his long tenure as a Dallastown Lion, including President from 1971-1972 and Secretary for many years. He was also recognized for outstanding service to our community in 2002 when he was awarded the Melvin Jones Fellowship.

Lion Lynn can also always be counted on to be there for many projects, including to wash and prepare potatoes for our chicken barbeques and help where ever needed.



Beacon Lodge Wish List 2017

Activities:

Acrylic paint (for crafts)
 Arrows (not broad heads)
 Foam paper (all sizes & shapes)
 BINGO prizes
 Board games (for adults, children, & families)
 Books (for adults & children)
 Coloring books (large print)
 Dress up clothes/costumes
 DVDs (for adults & children)
 Face paint
 Felt
 Finger paint
 Glitter
 Hot glue sticks (small)
 Pony beads/other beads (for crafts)
 Poster board (all sizes)
 School glue
 Styrofoam shapes
 Swimming goggles
Housekeeping:
 Bar towels
 Dawn
 Dinner napkins
 Disinfectant spray
 Clorox & Clorox wipes
 Gallon Ziploc bags
 Hand soap refills
 Hand sanitizer
 Laundry detergent
 Liquid spic n span
 Lysol spray disinfectant
 Magic erasers
 Paper towels
 Plastic silverware

Infirmary Supplies:

Plungers
 Rags
 Scrub brushes
 Square shower mats w/ suction cups
 Standard size pillows
 Thick paper plates
 Tissues
 Toilet brushes
 Toilet paper
 Toilet plungers
 Twin size blankets
 Vinyl shower curtains
 Vinyl zipper pillow covers
 Vinyl zipper twin mattress covers
 Windex
 10-12 oz hot & cold cups (no styrofoam)
 13, 33 & up gallon garbage bags
Infirmary Supplies:
 Ace bandages
 Baby wipes
 Benadryl spray
 Blood pressure cuff & pulse oximeter
 Bug spray
 Calamine lotion
 Cold relief medications
 Cough drops
 Deodorant
 Epsom salts
 Exam gloves (all sizes & latex free)
 Hydrocortisone cream
 Ibuprofen (adults & children)
 Imodium
 Lanacaine spray
 Liquid Benadryl (for children)
 Mylanta
 Pepto-Bismol
 Saline drops
 Sanitary napkins (no depends)
 Sharps containers
 Spray sunscreen
 Toothbrush

Maintenance:

Toothpaste
 Tylenol (adults & children)
 Vaseline

Batteries - AAA, AA, C, D, & 9V

Bee/wasp killer

Long neck lighter

Paint brushes

Nitrile gloves

12" Miter saw blades

Office:

Color /white copier paper

Electric paper puncher

Envelopes 6x9

Envelopes #10

Memo tablets

Pocket folders for three ring binders

Scissors

White-out

Wide clear packing tape

1" Binders

Please contact PDG Larry Bare to take Wish List items to Beacon Lodge

Email lkbyb@comcast.net

Phone 717-650-2966

District Convention Takes On New Flavor

The District 14-C Convention will be held at Wyndham Garden Hotel in York on April 22, 2017, beginning with registration at 12:30 PM. If you have not planned to attend, please give serious thought to spending an afternoon with fellow Lions, Lionesses, and Leos in the District. REMEMBER, we are celebrating 100 years as an organization — *the largest worldwide humanitarian organization*.

The convention this year will take on a different flavor in a number of ways. First, the time is different (something DG Kerry wants to do); second, the format is similar during the convention and will end with a dinner, which will provide a keen awareness of visual impairment. Third, we will have one or two service projects during the convention, which will involve representatives from our four Leo Clubs, assisting with the projects. Fourth, there will be four seminars:

Presidents-Elect;
Secretaries; Family and
Women in Lions; and
one for current Zone

Chairpersons and those who may be interested in the position in the future. Last, but certainly not least, we are honored and privileged to have as our Keynote Speaker, PID Cindy Gregg and her Partner-in-Service PDG Tom Gregg. PID Cindy will speak briefly during the convention, and also at the dinner.

Please note the REGISTRATION form in this newsletter. Each attendee must fill out the form. The dinner cost includes a salad, entrée of choice, rolls/butter; beverage, and dessert. The gratuity and a donation to Leader Dog School for the Blind are also included. Alcoholic beverages can be purchased in “FENDERZ”, the hotel restaurant.

Allow me to elaborate briefly on the above mentioned dinner, being called “DINNER IN THE DARK”. The dinner does not take place in a dark room. It is a dinner designed to build awareness of the needs of people who are visually impaired. Attendees may opt to wear simulation goggles that give some idea, as to how a person with particular eye conditions see their surroundings; wear a blindfold or no eye cover at all. The eye cover can be removed at any time. A person who is blind cannot

do this and there are also some psychological components being blind for a long time, instead of just for a few minutes. Please take a few minutes to read and share the article written by Tony Heath, entitled “Dining IN THE DARK”, which begins below.

It is the hope of the convention committee to see a large attendance at the convention and dinner. Again, we are celebrating 100 years as an organization. We should all feel very proud to be a Lion and always remember, “WE SERVE” and “Wherever there is a need there is a LION.”

PDG Shirley A. Starnner,
Chairperson
Convention Committee

Dining In The Dark

*By Tony Heath – Access Technology Specialist,
Vision Corps*

Dining in the dark takes place in a dark restaurant, or individuals are blindfolded so that they cannot see the food they are eating. In spite of a popular misconception, Dining in the Dark is not meant to simulate what it feels like to be blind. The basic concept is that the removal of vision enhances the other senses and increases gastronomic pleasure.

An analysis by Allen (2012) of customer reviews found that many people report “heightening of the non visual senses”. One theory for why this happens is that flavors are intensified when people can’t see what they’re eating. Another postulates that most of us eat with our eyes, enjoying a plate before we’ve tasted it

I have attended two Dining in the Dark events. I personally did not notice any intensified flavor. This is undoubtedly because I have been vision impaired since birth and also have no sense of smell.

Having said this, I enjoyed myself at the events and think they are worthwhile. I am fascinated by the opinions of the sighted guests at the tables around me. I noticed that people seemed a bit awkward at first, but by the end of the meal, there was lots of laughter and great conversation. It was almost as if people forgot they were blindfolded. And I don’t recall any major accidents where someone spilled something all over themselves or someone else.

Although Dining in the Dark does not simulate blindness, it is great for building awareness of the

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Dining in the Dark (continued)

needs of people who are blind or vision impaired. We have simulation goggles here at Vision Corps that can give you some idea as to how a person with a particular eye condition sees the world. They do not simulate that condition for several reasons. Mainly that you are looking through the goggles with your eyes which have normal 20/20 vision. Also, you can remove those goggles any time you like. A person who is blind obviously cannot. Finally, there are many psychological components that accompany being blind for an extended period of time. You will only be blind for a few moments.

If you ever encounter someone who is blind or vision impaired, be yourself. Try not to be afraid that you will do or say the “wrong” thing. Believe me; we’ve heard it all before.

I always say that there are three things to remember when you are with someone who is blind: Communicate, communicate, and communicate. If someone doesn’t see at all, they may not be aware of anything that is beyond their fingertips or that

doesn’t make a sound. You can greatly enhance a blind person’s experience by merely providing information about your surroundings.

One of my pet peeves is when someone approaches me and asks me if I know who they are. When this happens, it can be embarrassing because I may or may not recognize their voice. A better way is just to say, “Hi Tony, it’s John.” There are a number of factors that can have an effect on the way your voice sounds, i.e., a cold, background noise, time of day, the passage of time, etc.

It is fine to ask someone who is vision impaired how much they can see. This is often the “elephant in the room” and it shouldn’t be. The more you know about a person’s vision the more comfortable you will become.

So dine in the dark and have a great time. Talk, laugh and enjoy each other’s company. But, you may not want to wear that expensive new white dress or your rented tuxedo. Bon appetit!

Peace Poster Winners and Next Year’s Contest

It is with great honor that I would like to announce the winners of the Peace Poster Contest for 2016-2017 sponsored by the Lions Club of District 14-C. The theme for the 2016-2017 contest was “A Celebration of Peace.”

The first place winner is Bessy Jiang, a sixth grade student at Dallastown Intermediate School, sponsored by the Jacobus Lions Club. The second place winner is Natalie Showaker, a sixth grade student at Arendtsville Elementary School, sponsored by the Arendtsville Lions Club. The third place winner is Kylee Carr, a seventh grade student at Big Spring Middle School, sponsored by the Jacksonville Lions Club.

Congratulations to each of the winners, and the other participants also! All of the students did an outstanding job in demonstrating their vision of world peace through their creative art expression. Thank you to the Lions Clubs who sponsored the students and gave them the opportunity to participate in this very worthwhile contest. This contest promotes positive publicity for our Lions Clubs and our district.

Now, Lions of 14-C, it is already time to order your kits for the Peace Poster Contest for 2017-2018. Approximately 600,000 children from over

75 countries participate in the contest annually. Encourage your club to sponsor a group of children. The group could consist of a school class, a Scout troop, a church youth group, your children or your grandchildren, etc.

The theme of the 2017-2018 Peace Poster Contest is “The Future of Peace.” Students ages 11, 12, or 13 as of November 15, are eligible to participate. Each poster is judged on originality, artistic merit, and expression of the theme. Posters advance through several judging levels: Local, district, multiple district and international. At the international level, judges from the art, peace, youth, education and media communities select one grand prize winner and 23 merit award winners. One international grand prize winner will receive \$5,000 and a trip to a special award ceremony at the International Conference. Each of the 23 merit award winners will receive a cash award of \$500 and a certificate of achievement.

Order a kit online by [clicking here](#) or call Club Supplies at (630) 571-5466 or 1-800-710-7822.

Lions Clubs around the world are also encouraged to sponsor students in the Lions International Essay Contest. This essay contest was created to

Peace Posters (continued)

offer an opportunity to visually impaired young people to express their feelings of peace. The theme of the 2017-2018 International Essay Contest is, "The Future of Peace." Students who are visually impaired and who are ages 11, 12, or 13 as of November 15, are eligible to participate. For the essay contest rules and application form, go online to <http://members.lionsclubs.org/EN/serve/contests/essay-contest.php>

For more information, please contact Lion Patti Hullmann at hullmannt@aol.com or call 717-428-3659.



*Second Place (left) by Natalie Showaker
Third place (above) by Kylee Carr*



*First place
winning Peace
Poster by Bessy
Jiang
(left)*

District 14-C Convention Registration Form

April 22, 2017, Wyndham Garden

2000 Loucks Road, York, PA

***** ALL CONVENTION ATTENDEES MUST SUBMIT A REGISTRATION FORM *****
(even if voting is the only activity)

Circle One: PDG Lion Lioness Leo Guest

Club Name: _____

Name: (Last, First) _____

Telephone: _____ e-mail: _____

Please indicate your participation in the following and show total amount enclosed.

		Payment
Registration 12:30-1:15 pm <small>(Leos are exempt from \$10.00 registration fee)</small>	(\$10.00)	_____
Dinner – Wyndham Garden – Crystal Ballroom:	(\$32.00)	_____
Menu Choices:		
Please select :	Stacked Meat Loaf _____	
	Hickory Smoked Ham _____	
	Roasted Vegetable Ravioli _____	
	Total Enclosed:	_____

Seminars offered will be based on responses.

Check seminar you are planning to attend.

Presidents Elect <input type="checkbox"/>	Secretaries <input type="checkbox"/>	Family & Women in Lions <input type="checkbox"/>	Zone Chairs <input type="checkbox"/>
Presenter:	Presenter:	Presenter:	Presenter:
1 st VDG Dennis Cope	Lion John Luthy	PID Cindy Gregg	PDG Tom Gregg

- Make checks payable to: **District 14-C Convention DEADLINE: April 12, 2017**
- Mail to: PDG Shirley A. Starnier, 2953 Elkridge Lane, York, PA 17404
- Contact PDG Shirley @ 717-764-6669 or sas2953@comcast.net if you have any questions.

- Overnight arrangements can be made by calling Wyndham Garden at (717) 846-9500.

Coming Club Activities

(We had to reduce sizes because our clubs are so active and this newsletter is so long. [Contact the editor](#) for full-size versions)

New Freedom Lioness Club MARCH MANIA INDOOR YARD SALE MARCH 4, 2017 8:00 AM-2:00 PM

New Freedom Community Center
150 East Main St. • New Freedom
FOOD – BEVERAGES – BAKED GOODS
SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE



The blood bank bus will be on site from
8:00 AM—2:00 PM. Please donate! Make
sharing life a part of yours!



PINCHOT PARK LIONS CLUB
Presents
AN EVENING CONCERT
OF
Blue Grass + Country + Oldies + Gospel Music

The Grace Singers (Country Gospel)

Tall In The Saddle (Country)

Set Free (Blue Grass + Gospel)

Two of a Kind (Oldies + Gospel)

Special Entertainment at Intermission

M.C. for the evening: Lion Charles Walter

DOVER INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL AUDITORIUM
 WEST CANAL ROAD & INTERMEDIATE AVE.
 DOVER, PA
 (HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE)
April 29, 2017 - 5:00 PM to 9:30 PM
 All proceeds will be donated to:
Forsight Vision of York
 (Benefit for York Blind Center)

Advance Tickets
 Adult: \$10.00 - 6 to 12: \$5.00 - 5 and under: FREE
 Available from a Pinchot Park Lion, or by calling 292-1895
 Tickets at the door \$12.00
Dover Area School District does not endorse or support and is hereby released from any liability and assumption of risk in connection with this activity.

The Dillsburg Lions Club

Presents a

Southern Gospel Concert

Featuring



and
Brothers In Grace

April 7, 2017 - 7:00 PM

Northern York High School Auditorium
653 S. Baltimore St., Dillsburg, PA 17019

Reserved Seats \$ 22.00 - General Admission \$ 20.00
For tickets please contact Jim Shaffer at: 717-432-3178

New Freedom Lioness Club SWEETHEART BINGO

♥ ♥ FEATURING LONGABERGER, PAMPERED CHEF, ♥ ♥
TASTEFULLY SIMPLE, CASH PRIZES & MORE

20 GAMES • RAFFLES • DOOR PRIZES

FEBRUARY 19, 2017

New Freedom Community Center
150 E. Main St. • New Freedom

Doors open at 12:30 • Bingo at 2:00

XO XO Food is Available XO XO

Tickets in advance \$15.00

At door \$18.00

For Tickets Call • 235-2144



Non-Perishable Food Drive
Benefits Local Pantries
10 prizes will be awarded as a
THANK YOU to those who donate.
1 chance to win for every item donated.

Proceeds benefit Community Projects
Collecting used eyeglasses, hearing aids & cell phones.

East Prospect Lions Sponsor Cub Scouts



Pictured (from left to right) are Bruce Silar, East Prospect Lions Club President; Brandyn Holtzinger, Boy Scout District Executive; and Lewis Brown, East Prospect Lions Club Chartered Organization Representative.

East Prospect Lions Club recently became the chartering organization for Cub Scout Pack 6 in their community.

The Boy Scout District Executive, Cub Master, and Committee Chair met with the club to explain the unit charter agreement with the local Boy Scout Council. The chartering organization and the Pack must utilize the Scouting program to accomplish many of the specific objectives related to youth character development, career skill development, community service, patriotism and military and veteran recognition, and faith-based youth ministry. It should be noted that many of these objectives have a direct relationship with the principals of Lionism. Cub Scout Pack 6 is affiliated with Boy Scout Troop 6, and currently has 30 members.

East Prospect Lions Club looks forward to a growing relationship with Cub Scout Pack 6. The Lions Club views it as an extension of its many programs to reach out and support the local community.

A number of the East Prospect Lions Club members have been scouts, all the way to the rank of eagle and have served in a number of scouting capacities. Many people say the Scouting Program has been one of the most beneficial experiences in a young person's life, and a large number of statistics substantiate this point.

Stewartstown Lioness Club will host a day of fun at

SANDS CASINO and OUTLET MALL – Bethlehem, PA

MARCH 30, 2017



Our tour bus will depart at 9:00 AM from Grace Fellowship Church (74 Forrest Ave.) and return at 6:00 PM

Tickets: \$45.00 per person (100% of profit returns to the local community)

The price includes bus fare, gratuities, \$30 in slots play, and \$5 food credit. Join us for gambling, dining, and shopping.

For information/tickets call: 717-993-6534 or 717-993-2932

ARENDSVILLE LIONS CLUB PRESENTS

FIRST ANNUAL
SPRING FEST

CHILI COOKOFF
ANTIQUE/HOT ROD CAR SHOW
WINE TASTING
MUSIC BY "DON'T TELL"
FOOD & VENDORS
FAMILY FUN

APRIL
29
11AM - 5PM
RAIN OR SHINE

SOUTH MOUNTAIN FAIRGROUNDS

ADVANCE \$12
GATE \$15
KIDS 6-12 \$5

PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE COMMUNITY/LOCAL CHARITIES

CONTACT DEB_GIBBONS@HOTMAIL.COM

Point Contest (first half of Lions Year)

Lioness totals on next page

Lions Club Name	Category	Activities	Lion Hours	Hearing Aids Collected	Eyeglasses Collected	Membership Opening Balance	Added Members	Dropped Members	Current Membership	Membership Increase %	Total
Arendtsville	1	38	1476		100	44	2	2	44	0.0%	3614
Boiling Springs	3	5	57			23			23	0.0%	62
Brogue Community	4	4	464		38	14			14	0.0%	506
Camp Hill	1	13	55		2000	38	1	2	37	-2.6%	3068
Carlisle	2	13	162		125	25		1	24	-4.0%	300
Casttown Community	3	2	167		80	22		1	21	-4.5%	249
Dallastown	3	86	2235	1	948	18	1		19	5.6%	4270
Dillsburg	1	3	4			56			56	0.0%	7
Dover	1					51		1	50	-2.0%	0
East Berlin	2	9	273			29		1	28	-3.4%	282
East Pennsboro	3					18		1	17	-5.6%	0
East Prospect	3	3	90		220	19		1	18	-5.3%	313
Fairfield	3	1	20			20			20	0.0%	21
Gettysburg	2	14	52		790	25	1	1	25	0.0%	1856
Hanover	1	6		8	3130	41	7	2	46	12.2%	10144
Hanover West Manheim Twp.	3	30	827			20	2		22	10.0%	2857
Jacksonville	4	41	406			14			14	0.0%	447
Jacobus	1	70	2887			49	3	1	51	4.1%	5957
Jefferson Community L C	2	13	733			26			26	0.0%	746
Kreutz Creek Valley	4					12			12	0.0%	0
Littlestown	4	4	115		12	15	1	1	15	0.0%	1131
Mason + Dixon	3	15	280			22		4	18	-18.2%	295
Mechanicsburg	2	87	1223		2287	35	5		40	14.3%	8597
Mount Holly Springs	4	25	670		144	12	9		21	75.0%	9839
New Cumberland	4					15		1	14	-6.7%	0
New Freedom	2	40	1526		278	33	6	4	35	6.1%	7844
New Oxford	2	6	13		300	26		3	23	-11.5%	319
Newville	2	3	509			37	3	2	38	2.7%	3512
Pinchot Park	4					12			12	0.0%	0
Plainfield	3	16	654			24	2	1	25	4.2%	2670
Red Lion	2	6	62		600	31	2	1	32	3.2%	2668
Shiloh	2	15	360		1005	31	2	1	32	3.2%	3380
Shippensburg	1	16	683		515	43	2	1	44	2.3%	3214
Spring Grove	1	12	418		96	42			42	0.0%	526
Stewartstown	1	19	380			38	4	1	41	7.9%	4399
Susquehanna	1	13	95			57	2		59	3.5%	2108
Upper Adams County	1	1				45	2	2	45	0.0%	2001
Weigelstown	4	14	277		319	15		1	14	-6.7%	610
West Shore	3					19			19	0.0%	0
Windsor	4					16	1		17	6.3%	1000
York Eastgate Sunrise	4					7			7	0.0%	0
York Mt Rose	2					29			29	0.0%	0
York New Salem	2	5	297			29			29	0.0%	302
York Springs	1	23	1046			57		3	54	-5.3%	1069
York Township	4					10			10	0.0%	0
York White Rose	3	26	213		500	21	2		23	9.5%	2739
District 14 C Totals		697	18729	9	13487	1285	60	40	1305		

Lioness Point Totals

Lioness Club Name	Activities	Lioness Hours	Hearing Aids Collected	Eyeglasses Collected	Membership Opening Balance	Added Members	Current Membership	Membership Increase %	Total
Dover									0
Jacobus	21	756	4	54	67	0	62	-7.5%	835
New Freedom	47	535	0	286	31	4	31	0.0%	4868
Penn Township									0
Pinchot Park									0
Springettsbury									0
Stewartstown									0
									0

**DISTRICT 14-C
MEMBERSHIP GROWTH WORKSHOP
SATURDAY, MARCH 11, 2017
United Hook and Ladder Fire Co.
21 N. Bolton St., New Oxford, Pa
9:00 AM to 1:00 PM**

REGISTRATION FORM

Club Name: _____

Contact person for the team:

Name: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Names of club members who will attend:

Member 1: _____

Member 2: _____

Member 3: _____

Member 4: _____

Member 5: _____

Please mail or email this form by Wednesday, March 1, 2017, to:

1st VDG Dennis Cope
PO Box 514
Arendtsville, PA 17303
dennis.cope@icloud.com

Welcome to Our New Lions Members!

Member	Club	Sponsor
Benjamin L. Strine	Brogue Community	Keith Shoff
Martin B. Pomraning	Mason + Dixon	Eugene Kilgore
Angela Bramucci	Upper Adams County	Deb Steckler
Scott Bramucci	Upper Adams County	Fred Goehle
Martin L. Hake	Windsor	Wilmer Neff
Lora J. Stone	Windsor	Stacey Dietz
John M. Robinson	York New Salem	Michael Miller

Climbing New Mountains Together as Lions!

In Memory of our Deceased Lions

Member	Club
Paul J. Creeden Glen K. Herring John C. Kunkel	Carlisle Cashtown Community Cashtown Community
Gene Jackman Lorraine J. Walter Vernon W. Rexroth	Mason + Dixon Pinchot Park Stewartstown

Hanover Lions Honor Three Members for Distinguished Service



Above: DG Kerry congratulates Lion Charlie Stauffer for 50 years of service. Charlie is Past President of Penn Twp. Lions, which joined with Hanover Lions in 2014.

Top right: 55-year member Lion Merle Dubbs donated a Lion statue to the club. He is a past president and a Melvin Jones Fellow.

Bottom right: Lion Carl Waldmann receives a letter honoring him for his 40 years of service. He is a past president and Melvin Jones Fellow.



Hanover Lions Help the Kids

The Hanover Lions Club's "Help the Kids" project has raised \$2,000 to support children's programming at Guthrie Memorial Library in Hanover.

Members of the service organization, along with students from Hanover, Delone Catholic, and Southwestern High Schools, collected donations during "year-end" home football games. Hanover Lions added to those monies by collecting at the doors at Hanover Market House. Together, football fans and shoppers donated just over \$1,700 with the Hanover Lions Club monetary contribution bringing the total gift to \$2,000

Top right: King Lion Dwain Smith presents a \$2,000 check to Kelly Horner, Children's Librarian of Guthrie Memorial Library. Joining in the presentation are Everett Kenworthy and Kiersan Cue of the Hanover High School Key Club, left, and Lions Project Chair Ken Zinn, right.

Bottom right: At the Hanover-Delone Football game in McSherrystown, Delone Catholic High School National Honor Society members Makenna Martin and Marlee Lackey along with Hanover Lion Fred Baber and the Lion Mascot (Tom Staub) collect donations as part of the Hanover Lions Club's Tag Day project.



District and State Meetings

For all Lions, Lionesses, and Leos!

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

*District Convention
Celebrating 100 Years of Lionism
Saturday, April 22
Wyndham Garden, York
Begins at 12:30 PM*

*State Centennial Convention
May 18-21
Seven Springs*

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. 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, 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. He is happy to retype text. If you give him an idea of how you want your item to appear, he will do his best.

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