

NEWS FROM THE LIONS' DEN

DISTRICT 14-C SEPTEMBER 2019



MESSAGE FROM THE DISTRICT GOVERNOR



My term as your District Governor has gotten off to a roaring start, with the need to replace our secretary-treasurer as we planned the first District Cabinet meeting, while in another of my lives I had to prepare for a funeral that a rock star and his entourage would attend, not to mention visiting a parishioner at Hershey. I am grateful that we are a team, and that good leaders have been stepping up to help.

Most of my visits have been confirmed, which

I appreciate. If you aren't sure, feel free to contact me. I also try to confirm a couple of days ahead. I definitely can be the "absent-minded professor," so reminders of things I should be doing are always appreciated.

We are working on getting an electronic directory out. It is my fault that it has been delayed, and it would be lots worse if IPDG Lisa hadn't offered to put it together for me. I couldn't do this job at all if it weren't for the support and help of those who have served as District Governors before me. The printed version should be out in September.

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Many times we hear that younger people are not "joiners," and that is generally true. So we have to demonstrate in practice why joining is important. In every club and in our district we need to work together as members of one team devoted to serving our communities and our world. At one time people would join organizations for fellowship, for status, or for something to do. Today we can find fellowship of a sort sitting in front of our computers, nobody seems to care what organizations we belong to, and we are all over-committed, even if it just to binge watching our favorite television series.

Yet there is a satisfaction none of those things can give in dedicating ourselves to bringing joy, happiness, and support to other people. That is why we join Lions, and that is what we offer to those who are reluctant to be members of anything.

Today's generations (there are about five generations with different experiences and values alive today) are part of the diversity that can and should be our strength. Younger people are not selfish or uninterested in service; they will throw themselves with amazing gusto into projects that they see making a difference for people. But they also can be quite impatient with long and boring meetings that they think waste their time.

Ask people to join you in service, and be sure to include them as your serve. Find meaningful tasks, especially in hands-on service to people. Don't mail donations to community groups; arrange for them to come to a meeting and bring along one or two people they serve. Have them tell what a difference they can make for people because of your donation.

Service is fun; service is rewarding; service opens doors to new relationships.

We are Lions. We serve together!

DG Steve Shipman 570-916-7780 (call or text) prsteveshipman@gmail.com

FIRST DISTRICT VICE GOVERNOR 14-C THOMAS L. JONES - STEWARTSTOWN LIONS CLUB

Lions, Lionesses, and leos,

Last month I was treated to a visit to the Leader Dog Training facility near Detroit. It was a very informative weekend where I toured the facility with other Lions from around the country. I was very impresed with the staff, volunteers, and the dogs.

There were several people present that had been given leader dogs and told of how it is a life changing experience. It made me proud to be a Lion, knowing how much Leader Dogs depend on us for the service they provide.

Keep up the good work

Thomas L. JonesFirst District Vice Governor
We Serve!





2ND VDG MESSAGE

Yes! I would like to encourage all club secretaries to get their reports done in the Mylion. If having trouble please notify your leadership team for help. Help is only a phone call away .We would like to have 100 % of clubs reporting. We Lions in District 14C know how to get things done . This is a goal of the leadership team and I know it is attainable.

Thanks for all you do, **2VDG Duane Hull**

thank you

Thanks to Lion Joe Sacco of the Stewartstown Lions for stepping up to serve as our treasurer, and to 1VDG Tom Jones for making the contact with Lion Joe. Effective immediately, please sent any remittances or any expenses to him. Since he is learning the job, be as precise as possible for the purpose of the deposit or charge. Also understand if he needs to ask you for clarification of any requests. Treasurer Joe's address is
74 Brook Meadow Circle
Shrewsbury PA 17361
His home phone is (717) 235-8081□ and his
cell phone is (410) 960-2015
His email address is chiefjoe1@comcast.net

This information will be in the directory when it is published. Thank you to everybody for your patience as we dealt with this unexpected problem. Also thanks to PDG Kerry McKnight for stepping up to serve as our District Secretary.

UPCOMING EVENTS



IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

SEPTEMBER

6-15 - York Fair

14 - Global Action Team, Cross Keys Diner, 8 am

19-21 USA/Canada Forum in Spokane

OCTOBER

12 - Global Action Team - Fall Symposium

NOVEMBER

1-2 State Council Meeting, Wilkes-Barre

9 - Global Action Team

16 - District Cabinet meeting (York Springs)

DECEMBER

14 — NO GAT meeting this month

CLUB VISITS

Mechanicsburg - 9/3

E. Prospect - 9/5

New Cumberland - 9/9

Carlisle - 9/10

York White Rose - 9/11

E. Pennsboro - 9/12

Camp Hill - 9/16

York Springs - 9/17



MAY 30, 2020

Training for newly-elected or continuing club officers. Details closer to the time.

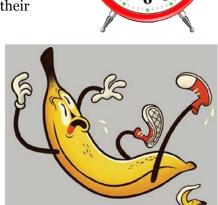


LIONS (LUB INTERNATIONAL PEACE POSTER CONTEST

Tick Tock! Tick Tock! Don't let the time slip away from your club to sponsor a group of children in the Lions International Peace Poster Contest! Contact a school or an organized group of children such as the Scouts, a church youth group, a home school group, a 4-H group, the YMCA or the YWCA, etc. in your area about participating in the Peace Poster Contest. It is important to note that Peace Poster kits for the 2019/2020 contest must be ordered by October 1st. The winning poster chosen by your club must be sent to the District Governor by November 15th. However, if you act now, the children would have ample time to complete their posters. The theme is "Journey of Peace." Not only are you offering

a wonderful opportunity to the children you are sponsoring, but, this could, also, be the inception of a wonderful relationship being established between your Lions Club and the school or other organized group of children that your club is sponsoring.

So, with this in mind, ask for a "volunteer" from your club to chair the Peace Poster Contest. I am happy to help in any way I can. I would love to come and speak with your club and even go along to the school, etc. to share information about the Peace Poster Contest with the teacher and/or advisor. With your help, we can increase the number of sponsoring clubs and the number of children that are participating in the contest.



The important information for you to know includes the following:

- The Peace Poster Contest is open to children ages 11-13 as of November 15. Eligible birthdates are November 16, 2005 through November 15, 2008.
- 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 Convention. Each of the 23 merit award winners will receive a cash award of \$500 and a certificate of achievement.

Order a kit online at www. lionsclubs.org. Click on SHOP, type in and click on Peace Poster Contest Kit, and order your kit or call Club Supplies at (630571-5466 or 1-800-710-7822). The cost of the kit is \$11.95 plus shipping. Lions Clubs around the world are, also, encouraged to sponsor students in the Lions International Essay Contest. The essay contest was created to offer the opportunity to visually impaired young people to express their ideas of world peace. The theme of the 2019-2020 Lions International Essay Contest is "Journey of Peace." Students who are visually impaired and who are ages 11-13 as of November 15 are eligible to participate. The essay contest rules and application form are included in the Peace Poster Kit and can, also, be found by searching Lions International Peace Essay Contest.

If you would like to discuss how to sponsor a Peace Poster Contest for your club, contact Lion Patti Hullmann, Jacobus Lions Club District 14-C Peace Poster Chairperson. For more information, email me at hullmannt@aol.com or call 717-428-3659 or 717-324-7646.

Lion Patti Hullmann (Peace Poster Chair)

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 2018-2019 TOP DOG LIONS CLUBS!

Congratulations to our 2018–2019 Top Dog Lions clubs! These clubs made impactful donations to Leader Dog's mission this past fiscal year. Lions clubs donating \$5,000+ to our annual fund





CLUB NAME	DISTRICT	GIFT
Cormorant Lions Club	5M-9	\$52,500.00
Gaylord Lions Club	11-E-2	\$30,250.00
Rochester Lions Club	11-A-2	\$27,716.42
Broadway Lions Club	24-L	\$25,825.00
Eynon Archbald Lions Club	14-H	\$23,050.00
St. Jacob Lions Club	1-CN	\$20,810.97
Jasper Lions Club	2-S-1	\$20,104.00
Birmingham Lions Club	11-A-2	\$17,000.00
Mora Lions Club	5M-8	\$15,750.00
Milford Huron Valley Lions Club	11-A-2	\$15,714.00
Lewisville Lions Club	2-E-2	\$15,032.00
Shelby Township Lions Club	11-A-2	\$13,550.00
Romeo Lions Club	11-A-2	\$12,900.00
Rochester Hills Lions Club	11-A-2	\$12,050.00
Lexington Lions Club	43-C	\$12,000.00
Ramsey Lions Club	5M-7	\$11,000.00
Dover Lions Club	14-C	\$10,500.00
Taylor Mill Lions Club	43-T	\$10,000.00
Burley Lions Club	39-W	\$10,000.00
Mount Aetna Lions Club	14-P	\$10,000.00
Macomb Township Lions Club	11-A-2	\$8,100.00
Prescott Sunrise Lions Club	21-C	\$8,043.00
Flushing Lions Club	11-D-1	\$7,903.00
Flagstaff Sunrise Lions Club	21-C	\$7,500.00
Algonac Lions Club	11-D-2	\$6,923.00
Eustis Lions Club	38-L	\$6,900.00
Washington Lions Club	11-A-2	\$6,639.00
Windsor Downtown Lions Club	A-1	\$6,593.86
Lathrup Village Lions Club	11-A-2	\$6,299.61
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PRESENTING CLUB CHECKS!



Brogue Lions President Randy Craley presents a check to DG Steve Shipman for the governor's projects this year.



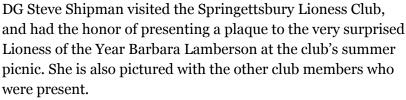
Jacksonville Lions President Gloria Hilsinger presents a check to DG Steve Shipman for the governor's project fund, as he and Lion Linda visited this club and enjoyed the special desserts.



Jefferson Community Lions President Ross Eisenhart presents a check to DG Steve for the governor's projects as Zone Chair Ron Bollinger looks on. They had a picnic meeting, and appreciated the shelter when a summer thunderstorm came through.

LIONESS OF THE YEAR AWARD







BACKPACK DONATIONS



When District Governor Steve did his first official visit, to the Brogue Lions, Lion Ron Wayne of Mason-Dixon dropped in and he is pictured with Zone Chair Keith Shoff holding one of the backpacks which the clubs donated to students at their local school district.





Pistrict Lions. Lioness and Leos.

We need more help at the York Fair. On some days there are not enough people to cover all of the positions necessary. We certainly don't want to lose this opportunity to bring approximately \$15,000 into District 14-C but that could happen if we don't meet our obligations.

Working at the fair is an easy way to get funds into your administrative fund and keep your club dues from increasing. Some clubs make enough to pay the international dues for every member for the whole year. Your club can also do this, and its easy work.

THE DAYS WE NEED MORE HELP ARE: Friday the 6th - 11 to 4
Saturday the 7th - both shifts
Sunday the 8th - both shifts
Monday the 9th - 4 to close
Wednesday the 11th - 4 to close
Thursday the 12th - 4 to close
Friday the 13th - 4 to close
Saturday the 14th - 4 to close
Sunday the 15th - both shifts.

There are also shifts available on any day except Monday 12 to 4.

The shifts are Friday, Saturday and Sunday 11 am to 4 pm and 4 pm to close. Monday to Thursday 12 noon to 4 pm and 4 pm to close.

Everyone who works a shift gets a car and driver gate pass for every shift that they work. So, if you work the early shift you can stay the rest of the day and enjoy the fair. If you work the evening shift you can come in early and see the fair before your shift starts.

If you would like to earn some easy money for your Lioness or Lions Club call me at 717-266 1923 or send an email to buddyrot@comcast.net.

PDG George Reisinger







District 14-C

Zone 2-B Picnic

DATE: WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2019

Location: Soldiers & Sailors Park

1 Memorial Drive

Mechanicsburg, PA 17055

Zone Chair: Mike Fenicle & wife Linda will provide the main course.

Each, guest or couple, please bring a Covered Dish, for everyone to enjoy.

There will be Bingo and Music provided.

Also, could each club provide a Gift Basket, to be used for prizes, at our Bingo.

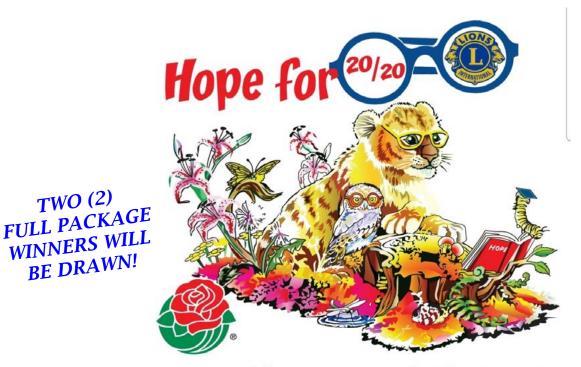
Please RSVP to Mike Fenicle (H) - (717) 766-6695 (C) - (717) 215-9540

or

E-mail: <u>mikfen65@aol.com</u> by no later then

SEPTEMBER 1ST, 2019

The Ride of Your Life! \$20.00 per ticket



Packages valued at \$5,000.00

Lions Clubs Rose Parade Float 2020

\$20.00 per ticket!

A chance to

BE A <u>RIDER</u> ON THE LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL FLOAT ON <u>JANUARY 1, 2020</u> IN PASADENA, CALIFORNIA!

Includes:

- 2 night stay at the Rosemead Double Tree Hilton for two,
- 1 Grandstand Seat for one guest,
- 2 Tickets to the International President's Reception,
- 2 Tickets for New Year's Eve Brunch,
- Tour of the Float Barn
- Transportation between the Rosemead Double Tree Hotel to events noted above INCLUDED!!!!!
 - Winners transportation to Pasadena/Rosemead Double Tree Hotel <u>NOT INCLUDED</u>.

For tickets or more information, contact **PDG BOB SUSAETA** @ **714-692-9118**Visit the LFI website at: **lionsrosefloat.com**Email: **lionsfloatinc@gmail.com**

Drawing will be held November 16, 2019; winners will be contacted, IMPORTANT, please be sure to <u>LEGIBLY</u> fill in name and contact information on the Ticket Stub!

Winners do not have to be a Lion.



Please Print:

Multiple District 14 Lions "SHARE FOR THE CARE"



Capital Campaign Individual Giving

Name:			Club Name:		
Address:			State:	Zip Code:	
District:	E-mail a	ddress:			
Home #:	. ,,,,,	Cell#			

Individual Giving Levels:

- 1. Contributing Level: \$1 to \$24
- 2. Bronze Level: \$25 to \$49
- 3. Silver Level: \$51 to \$99
- 4. Gold Level: \$100 or more

Amount Donated: \$

Here are some steps you can take to get started:

- 1. Visit our PA Lions "Care For The KidsTM" campaign landing page: <u>www.FourDiamonds.org/PALions</u>
- 2. Make a one-time or monthly recurring donation to Four Diamonds through your Club's page
- 3. Utilize the attached "How to Use DonorDrive" document in order to create a personal fundraising page
- 4. Ask family, friends and local businesses to support your efforts
- 5. Share your page via email and on social media
- 6. HAVE FUN! ☺

Should you choose to make an offline donation (cash or check made payable to Four Diamonds) you can mail them to:

Four Diamonds Attn: Katie Anderson 1249 Cocoa Avenue, Suite 115 P.O. Box 852 Hershey, PA 17033-0852

You can also make the check payable to PA State Council of Lions Clubs and writing PA Lions Care for the Kids on the memo line and mail to the state office. If you choose this method the donation is not tax deductible.

Please make a copy for your records.











The Pennsylvania Lions Sight Conservation & Eye Research Foundation

2019 Annual Research Seminar

Saturday, September 28, 2019

Salus University Pennsylvania College of Optometry Elkins Park Campus

Registration will begin August 26, 2019

For more information, please contact: Lydia Parke @ 215-780-1417 or lparke@salus.edu Glen Santee, PDG @ dandlionpa@verizon.net

REGISTRATION FORM

THE PENNSYLVANIA LIONS SIGHT CONSERVATION AD EYE RESEARCH FOUNDATION

2019 ANNUAL RESEARCH SEMINAR September 28, 2019

Hosted by
Salus University Pennsylvania College of Optometry
8360 Old York Road
Elkins Park, PA 19027

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CHARTER NIGHT CELEBRATION Mechanicsburg, Lions Club

Tuesday, Oct. 1st. 2019 Location = Mechanicsburg Club Social Room 333 Heinz St. - Mechanicsburg PA 17055

5:30 PM - Social Time with Appetizers and Cash Bar 6:30 PM - Hot Buffet includes - Chicken Marsala, Roast Ham, Tossed Salad, Fresh Fruit, Macaroni Salad, Medley of Fresh Vegetables and Red Skinned Parsley Potatoes

Cost = \$28 per person

Guest Speaker: PID Dr. Edward V. Cordes

Chairman of Kidsight USA Foundation

Please complete the bottom portion and return with your remittance by September 20th to:

PDG L. Fred Lamason, 5962 Pindale Court.
Harrisburg PA 17111 - Phone (717) 839-1658

Name: _______No. Attending ______
Address:

City: _____ State: ____ Zip: ____

BENEFIT YARD SALE

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2019, 7 AM-3 PM SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2019, 7 AM-12 PM

Benefit is for Justin B. (and other community members in need). Justin is a construction worker who operates large equipment. We are raising money to help him get a complete bone marrow transplant to better accommodate his medical condition.

Help, we need donations of Yard Sale Items!

Leftovers from your Yard Sale or Something you would like to donate



Please contact:

For Carlisle, Newville, Plainfield, Shippensburg area-Missy 717-385-4698. For Boiling Springs, Jacksonville, Mt. Holly-Dave or Rachel 717-486-5202.

DROP OFF AT NEWVILLE LIONS FAIR GROUNDS AUGUST 18, 2019 1:00 - 3:00 PM AUGUST 25, 2019 1:00 - 3:00 PM

PLEASE NO ELECTRONICS

Donation Drop Dates

-Aug 18 1pm-3pm Newville Lions Club Fairground

-Aug 21 5pm-7pm Newville Lions Club Fairground

-Aug 25 1pm-3pm Newville Lions Club Fairground

-Aug 28 5pm-7pm Newville Lions Club Fairground

-Sept 18 5pm-7pm Newville Lions Club Fairground

-Sept 25 5pm-7pm Newville Lions Club Fairground

Set Up & Tear Down Volunteer Dates

Tue. Sept 24 8am-12pm Tues Oct 1 8am-12pm

Wed Sept 25 4pm-8pm Wed Oct 2 8am-4pm

Thur Sept 26 8am-12pm Thur Oct 3 (?)

Fri Sept 27 4pm-8pm Sun Oct 6 1pm-5pm

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Sat Sept. 28 1pm-5pm Mon Oct 7 8am-12pm

Sun. Sept 29 1pm-5pm Wed Oct 9 8am-12pm

Join Us For a Day of Fellowship and Learning!



2019 Multiple District 14 Fall Leadership Symposium

The Lions of PA are cordially invited to attend the Multiple District Fall Leadership Symposium

When: Saturday October 12, 2019 from 9 am -3 pm or

Sunday October 13, 2019 from 12-5 pm

Where:

PA Lions State Office—Saturday

949 East Park Drive, Harrisburg, PA 17111

Westmoreland County Blind Association—Sunday

911 S. Main St., Greensburg, PA 15601

Saturday Lunch will be provided. A \$6.00 donation will be collected. Snacks provided on Sunday.

Topics for Lions at all levels of Lionism

Let Us Know You Are Coming!

To Register Email kburkholder@dejazzd.com

with the number attending so we can plan for lunch. Seating in Harrisburg is limited so register early!

> Questions??? Email to the above address or call PDG Deb Burkholder 717-484-4892

All Lions are Encouraged to Attend!

- Club Members
- Club Presidents, Secretaries, Treasurers
- District Cabinet members
- District GLT, GMT, GST Coordinators
- Past District Governors
- Zone Chairs, Region Chairs
- District Governors, VDGs
- Orientation: Not Just for New Lions
- Are You a Leader?
- Cultivating Clubs (bring your laptop)
- MyLion: Bring Your Questions for Answers!
- Don't Moan about the Zone!





WELCOME TO OUR NEW LION MEMBERS

MEMBER	CLUB	SPONSOR	
Denise L. Nenninger	Jacksonville	Scott Gleim	
Gordon E. Nenninger	Jacksonville	Scott Gleim	
Gail Hallman	Shrewsbury Area	Michele Lefler	

WELCOME AND THANK YOU FOR JOINING US IN SERVICE!

IN MEMORY OF OUR DECEASED LIONS

James Alveberg

Mark S. Tome

Elpidio F. Ciarrocca

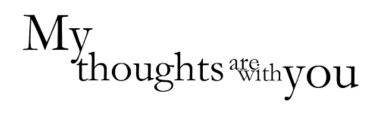
John A. Bonitz

Gettysburg

Hanover

Mechanicsburg

Shippensburg



YORK FAIR

YORK FAIR BEGINS SEPTEMBER 6TH

There are still York Fair shifts available for District Lions and Lioness. This is an easy way to make money for your club. Scanning tickets at entrance gates is simple and easy. You can pick your day and shift.

KEEP US ALL INFORMED

Lion Pat Simpson of the Jefferson Lions, newsletter editor.

To contact the editor or send newsletter items, please email: Newsletter14C@gmail.com

As before, you can help Lion Pat do a better job for you by sending her high quality jpeg pictures separate from any text (not imbedded in a Word or PDF document), letting her format articles (simple is best to work from), and not sending printed scans or printouts on colored paper. If somebody produced a flyer or other item on a computer, please send her the computer file and not a printout of it.