

Duane Wilcox District Governor II D-I

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From District Governor Duane Wilcox

Hello Lions of District 11D-1,

What a great honor it is to serve as your district governor. I look forward to seeing most of you throughout the next year. Myself, Lion Jack1VDG and 2VDG Lion Bill will be contacting your club, to set up a visit, so we can give your club information about upcoming events and, most importantly, just to see how your club is doing. If your club does need help in any way, we are here to lend a helping hand.

We will welcome the new Lions year with open arms. Our state is moving forward, opening back up to our new normal. Being closed up for so long, a lot of clubs had to come up with new ways to do fundraising and new ways to be able to give back to their communities.

Facebook fundraising has worked for a few clubs. Great thinking outside of the box.

The virtual International Convention is over. What a exciting time from the first day all the way through to the last day. So well put together. It kept you wanting to watch the whole time "most of the time". I hope you also enjoyed the Convention.

Our new International President

Douglas X Alexander's motto is "SERVICE FROM THE HEART" If we all do this, our Lions clubs around the district will grow in service and grow in membership. This in turn makes your club better and your community better.

I would like to thank IPDG Lion Harold for all the help and insight he has given me on what to expect in my year as district governor, and PDG Lion Steve for all the computer knowledge he has tried to teach me. HA! HA! Most of it stuck. So much to learn on a computer. It is never ending, but so much fun when you find out new ways of doing things.

I have set up my mini-cabinet and cabinet meeting dates. More info in newsletter. At Fall Conference in October, we will be collecting canned food for our local food pantries to be distributed to families in need.

Happy 4th of July to all and stay safe. Until next month, let's get out there and show our colors in our local communities and let them know that your Lions club is here and ready to help. "WE SERVE" *Your friend in Lionism, Lion Duane DG*

"HUMBLE AND KIND"

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REGION/ZONE CHAIRS

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Position available

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From 2nd Vice District Governor Bill Bauder



Here I go:

What a year it has been. I hope everyone is doing good and are healthy. I hope everyone is back attending meetings and making plans for a new year of community service. After last year, we all need to review the needs of our communities and make plans to help them out. If there is anything that I can do, please give a call. My number is in the directory.

Thank you, Lion William Bauder 2nd Vice Governor

Governor Harold's Appreciation Dinner Banner Exchange



August 14, 2021

At Crystal Occasions 3289 Field Rd Clio, MI 48420

\$25 Per Person

Cash bar at 5 / Buffet at 6 pm

Pay by check or credit card RSVP by July 26, 2021 To Sandy Corrion at email <u>corrionsandy@gmail.com</u> or call (989) 721-7847

UPCOMING EVENTS see details inside



Flushing Lions Annual Car Show July 10, Flushing

Lions of Michigan **Hall of Fame Induction** August 10, Mt. Pleasant

St. Charles Lions **Annuala Golf Outing** August 21, Chesaning

Fenton Lions Flea Market/Craft Sale Auguset 21, Fenton

Auburn Williams Lions Annual Golf Scramble August 28, Midland

Buena Vista Lions Walk/Run/Bike for Sickle Cell August 28, Buena Vista



Lions of Michigan Foundation Report

by IPDG Steven VanTol

in this newsletter for the 2022 Cruise information and Cookbook fundraiser. The printing of the cookbook has been delayed for a couple of months so there is still time to submit your favorite recipes. The cruise flyer now shows the lower pricing mentioned home fires and flooding. Please last month.

Please share this fundraiser with your club members, family and friends. We never know where a person has a passion and would like to help. Mark, AKA Pie Man, is raising money for the Lions of Michigan, White Cloud Lions Club and St Jude's Hospital."

Please review the flyers included There is a full-page promotion in the newsletter.

> The LMF is here to help us serve. Grants are available for sight and hearing when the local clubs and District needs funding. There are emergency grant funds available for disasters such as contact a trustee for assistance. The current trustees of the LMF are IPDG Lion Steven VanTol email lionstevenvantol@gmail.com or phone 989-430-9500, or PDG Lion Joe Bogar email <u>itbogar@</u> gmail.com.

Project Kidsight

by PDG Steven VanTol

The Kidsight trailer is now in Auburn and available to be used for screenings. The Flushing Lions did a screening in June. Cass City Lions have the trailer reserved for July 2 for a screening.

Please coordinate your needs by contacting. Lion Steven VanTol email lionstevenvantol@gmail.com or phone 989-430-9500.

Kidsight screeners should be trained and certified. Screeners should have background checks to provide them with a Kidsight ID. Please contact me for the background check application.





North America Membership Initiative (NAMI)

IPDG Steven VanTol

The NAMI initiative is to increase Lion membership in North America. You may have heard of GMA (Global Membership,Approach). Both are the same program as Lions Clubs International has rolled it out to the rest of the Lions worldwide. It is our job to help with this initiative by increasing membership in our District.

I believe Lions are the best service organization in the world. We work hard for no payment other than the satisfaction we see in those peoples eyes we have helped. We need to share with others why we are Lions. I am not a Lion for ME it is for WE as together "We Serve".

Remember it is every Lion's job to share what we do and ASK others to join.

We meet again on July 20th at 7:00 PM via Zoom to work on our action plans. We can use the help of Lions throughout the District and invite to you to our meetings. Send me an email at <u>lionstevenvantol@gmail.com</u> if you would like to assist so you can be added to the zoom invitation.

Global Leadership Team (GLT)

IPDG Steven VanTol

Officer training has been completed for the 2021-2022 club presidents, secretaries and treasurers. Each officer attending had a chance to ask questions on their respective positions. Each one was sent additional information and the step to create their MyLion account.

Lions International has learning opportunities online. If you have a MyLion account, go to the Learning center. Look at the classes offered for your personal growth. Every Lion can sign up for a lion account go to <u>https://www.lionsclubs.org/en</u> then click the "Member Login" tab to get the registration page. Need help? Just ask. I can assist or another lion can help you get started.

District GMT PDG Alice Zajac

INTRODUCE, INVOLVE, INVITE and INDUCT.

ZOOM

IPDG Steven VanTol

The District has a Zoom account which is available for any club or committee meeting. Send a request to this email: <u>district11d1@gmail.com</u> to request a zoom meeting. or call 989-430-9500. Zoom meetings are

Newsletter Signup Last Warning !! <u>The August Newsletter will only be available from the District email.</u>

There are many things which happen in our district that our Lions should be notified of fast without relying on a president or secretary forwarding the information after they do the periodic check of their email. ManyLions check their email infrequently.

SO AGAIN...... WHAT ARE YOU WAITING FOR?please signup

- 1.) Go to the **http://www.lions11d1.com** from your smart phone or computer.
- 2.) Locate the tab "**newsletter signup.**"
- 3.) Register by entering your email address, first and last name then the month and year of your birth.
- 4.) Click on submit and you are done. It is just a two-minute process.



Now that most are starting to meet in person, will start calling and asking if I

can visit.

If any club has a special time they would like to have me, please let me know. Campaign 100 is about two thirds of the way to \$300,000 goal. Thanks to those who have already helped.

> PDG Bob Sturgis Campaign 100 District Coordinator

From Hearing & Speech

As of July the first I'll no longer be doing Hearing & Speech. Please direct your questions to the Lions of Michigan Foundation for hearing aid referrals. Due to some medical and personal issues, I'm leaving Lions Club.

I have enjoyed this past few years serving my community and others throughout the State.

I wish you all well with continuing prayers and success.

Respectfully Becky Borka

From Special Needs Vision Clinic

Thank you Governor Harold and First Lady Mary DeMott for everything you two did to help make 11-D 1 a better District.

Welcome to incoming Governor Duane and First Lady Roberta Wilcox. We know you will make us stronger.

We, at Special Needs Vision Clinic, have 2 or more closed circuit TVs for vision impaired. If you know someone that could use them, please contact us.

> Thank You, C. of. B. RG Barnum

Mini Cabinet Meeting

July 19th, 2021 6:00 pm dinner 6:30 pm start time

Liberty Family Dining 6277 W, Pierson Rd., Flushing,

RSVP to Lion Duane at 810-240-7535 by July 14th, 2021

We will be going over the Policy Manual and Budget reviewing any changes that have been made. If you arrive a little early you can order your meal. There will be three choices for dinner.

More info will be forwarded to voting cabinet members in the near future for you to look over before the meeting.

Convention 2022

The District convention will be held on April 1-3, 2022 at the Doubletree Hotel in Bay City, Michigan. The hotel has agreed to rent rooms for \$98.00 per night, and co-chairs Steve and Bill will be setting up the meal menus at a later meeting. There will be a hold on rooms until March 15, 2022, so get your reservations in early. Hospitality rooms will be available. Contact Lion Bill Erickson at 989-686-6627 for details.

WE will have a formal application with all details in our next news letter. We are setting up an easy way to reserve rooms. Early arrivals on Thursday night will have dinner as a group if they chose to do so. Steve and/or Bill will make arrangements Come one come all, enjoy some Lion fellowship.

Lions of Michigan Foundation Dr. Robert Mathog Lions Hearing Centers

Cookbook Fundraiser



Lions Clubs are well known throughout the world for the services we provide to help people with hearing and vision loss. Nearly a century ago, Helen Keller challenged Lions Clubs to be "Knights of the Blind," and she declared that "the problems of deafness are deeper and more complex, if not more important, than those of blindness. Deafness is a much worse misfortune, for it means the loss of the most vital stimulus — the sound of the voice that brings language, sets thoughts astir and keeps us in the intellectual company of man."

Our new Lions Hearing Centers Cookbook was developed to create awareness for the treatment of hearing loss and to provide funding for our Michigan Lions Affordable Hearing Aid and Hearing Screening Programs, which offer affordable hearing care options for Michigan residents.

With your help, we can continue to change the lives of thousands of Michigan residents who need and depend on the Lions Clubs of Michigan and our partners, sponsors and friends for the treatment of the their hearing loss. As a Public Charity, all contributions to the Lions of Michigan Foundation are tax deductible to the full extent allowed by law. We appreciate your support!

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SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES
 BACK COVER & RECIPE FEATURE - 5.5" x 8.5" - Full Color: \$1,500.00 FULL PAGE & RECIPE FEATURE - 5.5" x 8.5" - Full Color: \$750.00 1/2 PAGE & RECIPE FEATURE - 5.5" x 4.25" - Full Color: \$500.00 NAME LISTING - Name - Website Address - Email - Telephone: \$100.00
I would like to be a sponsor for the Lions Hearing Centers' Cookbook:Back CoverFull Page 1/2 PageName Listing. I have enclosed the text/artwork and my recipe, or I will email the text/artwork and my recipe to info@Imsf.net.
I do not wish to participate as a sponsor of the Lions Hearing Centers' Cookbook, but I would like to purchase cookbook(s) for \$20 each for a total of \$
I do not wish to participate as a sponsor of the cookbook, but I would like to make a donation to the
Dr. Robert Mathog Lions Hearing Centers in the amount of \$
Payment Method: Check Credit Card Pay Pal (info@Imsf.net) Card Number:
Expiration Date: CVV Code:
Signature:
Name:Business Name:
Mailing Address:
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The Lions of Michigan Foundation officially opened the **LIONS OF MICHIGAN HALL OF FAME** on July 25, 2009 to begin celebrating the rich history that Michigan Lions have at all levels of our association - local, state, district and international. The goal of the Hall of Fame is to keep alive the memory of our great leaders and to document their service so that Lions in the present and future can share a sense of the service that our great state has given to our association. Nominations for the Hall of Fame must be submitted to the Lions of Michigan State Office no later than March 1 of each year.

The 2021 Lions of Michigan Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony, the 12th Annual, will be held on August 7, 2021 at 6:00 PM at the Comfort Inn and Suites located at 2424 South Mission - Mt. Pleasant, Michigan. Lodging is \$100.00 plus tax per night for a standard guest room. Lodging reservations can be made by contacting the Lions of Michigan State Office at 517-887-6640 - info@lmsf.net or by calling the Comfort Inn at 989-772-4000 and requesting the Lions of Michigan Foundation group rate.

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2021 Hall of Fame – Registration Form	PDG NAN PDG JIM PDG Lloyd PDG Wes PDG Pete PDG And PDG DAV	CY DINGS – Maynard – Kilbreath Wagester Conarty – Y Watson – E Zeller –	11 - B2 11 - C1 - 11 - C2 - 11 - D2 - 11 - E1 11 - E1 11 - E2
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Lions or Lioness Club:	• • •		
Address:City/State/Zip:	Choice of Entrée: Shrimp Alfredo - #:		
Telephone:	Choice of Entrée: Shrimp Alfredo - #: Lions or Lioness Club: Address:	City/State/Zip:	

DEADLINE: Monday, July 12, 2021

LIONS OF MICHIGAN FOUNDATION-2022 GROUP CRUISE

ROYAL CARIBBEAN - JEWEL OF THE SEAS 8-Night Eastern Caribbean Cruise: March 12 - March 20, 2022 Miami, FL - Labadee, Haiti - San Juan, Puerto Rico, Philipsburg, St. Maarten - St. Johns, Antigua - Miami, FL

PRICING: 2 PEOPLE, INCLUDING TAXES AND FEES

4V - Inside (Interior) Stateroom: \$1,477.48 + \$116 Per Person Gratuity

Stateroom Size: 146 square fee - occupancy up to 4 guests - two Twin Beds that convert to a Royal King and up to two Pullman Beds

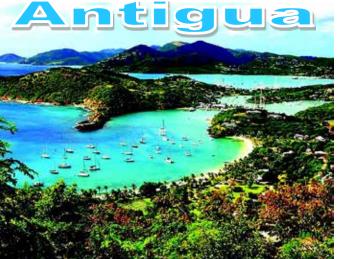
4N - Oceanview Stateroom: \$1,579.48 + \$116 Per Person Gratuity

Size Stateroom: 154 square feet - occupancy up to 4 guests - two Twin Beds that convert to a Royal King and up to tow Pullman Beds

4D - Balcony Stateroom: \$1,923.48 + \$116 Per Person Gratuity

Stateroom size: 195 square feet - occupancy up to 4 guests - two Twin Beds that convert to a Royal King, one Double Sofa Bed, and up to two Pullman Beds





□ I would like an Interior Stateroom for A	Adults and Children (Age 12 or under).
□ I would like an Oceanview Stateroom for	Adults andChildren (Age 12 or under).
□ I would like a Balcony Stateroom for A	dults and Children (Age 12 or Under).
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Lion Marcus likes to walk. Walking is good for you. Walking to Florida is Better!!! From White Cloud, Michigan to Homestead, Florida!

Marcus, AKA Pie Man, is raising money for the Lions of Michigan, White Cloud Lions Club and St Jude's Hospital.

Lions are asking for donations to support his effort. None too big and none to small!!!!!! 98 % of all donations will go to Lions and St Jude's Hospital. Marcus is scheduled to leave White Cloud on June 21 – watch for updates.

Help PIE MAN RAISE MONEY on THIS LONG WALK GO PIE MAN GO



All donations should be sent to:

Lions of Michigan Foundation 5730 Executive Drive - Lansing, Michigan 48911

Memo Line: *Pie Man Walk*

Website:

http://www.lmsf.net/index.php/donate-to-lions-of-michigan-foundaton Pay Pal: <u>Info@lmsf.net</u> Facebook: <u>https://www.facebook.com/LionsofMIFoundation</u>

FLUSHING LIONS CLUB Annual car show





RIVERVIEW PARK 230 S. CHERRY STREET FLUSHING, MICHIGAN 48433 JULY 10, 2021

TIME: 7:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.

SI5,00 REGISTRATION FEE

CONTACT FOR MORE DETAILS CRAIG TERRYAH (810)-845-0064

Frankenmuth Lions Scholarship Raffle







Win this "Weber SmokeFire Wood Pellet Grill"!!!

TICKETS \$5 Each

All proceeds go towards the annual Frankenmuth Lions High School Scholarships Drawing to be held at the Lions Club regular meeting Sept 15, 2021 The Weber SmokeFire Wood Pellet Grill is a \$999 value, donated by







Auburn-Williams Lions Club presents

10th Annual Golf Scramble

Saturday - August 28th

Sandy Ridge Golf Course 2750 W. Lauria Rd. Midland, MI 48641

Shotgun Start @ 9AM

Early Bird by July 15th \$55 per person/ \$220 per team \$60 per person/ \$240 after July 15th

Hot Dogs at the Turn Prizes & Light Lunch to Follow

Please send REGISTRATION / CHECKS to: LION STEVEN VANTOL 4851 RAYMOND RD MIDLAND, MI 48632

Registration forms can be found at awlions.org





Questions: Contact Steve 989-430-9500



ST. CHARLES LIONS CLUB 19th ANNUAL GOLF OUTING TWIN BROOKS GOLF COURSE 1005 MCKEIGHAN RD. CHESANING, MI 48616

AUGUST 21, 2021

Prize money 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places 8:00 AM Sign-in 9:00 AM Shotgun Start 18 Holes w/cart - 4 Person scramble Skins \$20.00/team Lunch Served Following No rainout Thank you to our Event Sponsors from 2020

> The State Bank and Anderson Eye Associates

Help us support: Leader Dogs for the Blind, STC Concert in the Park, STC Old Fashioned Christmas, St. Charles High School Scholarships, Christmas Basket Projects w/local churches, Saginaw City Rescue Mission, Special Needs Vision Clinic, St. Charles Beautification Day, Eyeglasses for the Disadvantaged, Roadside Cleanup, St. Charles Library, St. Charles Area Museum plus MORE!

Make Checks Payable to St. Charles Lions Return registration and payment to: *Matt Wicke 1131W. Walnut St. Saint Charles, MI 48655* 989-295-4711



<u>Team Only- \$220 - \$55 Per Person</u>	<u>Hole Sponsor Only - \$100</u> <u>Event Sponsor - \$500</u>
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3	Phone:	
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District 11 D-1

Mini Cabinet Meeting Minutes 6-27-2021

District Governor Harold DeMott called the meeting to order at 7:04 pm. The invocation was given by Immediate Past District Governor Steve VanTol. First Vice-District Governor Duane Wilcox led us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Cabinet Secretary	Vaughn Begick verified	d roll call of the voting	cabinet which is listed in the	chart below.

District Governor (DG)	Harold DeMott	Present
Immediate Past District Governor (IPDG)	Steven VanTol	Present
First Vice District Governor (1st VDG)	Duane Wilcox	Present
Second Vice District Governor $(2^{nd}VDG)$	Jack Frost	Present
Cabinet Secretary (CS)	Vaughn Begick	Present
Cabinet Treasurer (CT)	Phyllis Pross	Absent
Region 1 Chair (RC)	Joe Gwizdala III	Absent
Region 1, Zone 1 Chair (ZC)	Matt Tetloff	Present
Region 1, Zone 2 Chair (ZC)	Alice Zajac	Present
Region 2 Chair (RC)	Bill Bauder	Present
Region 2, Zone 1 Chair (ZC)	Toby Webber	Present
Region 2, Zone 2 Chair (ZC)	Dan Houston	Present
Region 3 Chair (RC)	Mary Hall	Absent
Region 3, Zone 1 Chair (ZC)	Doug Palmer	Absent
Region 3, Zone 2 Chair (ZC)	Dan Embury	Present

Additions to the agenda: None

- Minutes of the April 9, 2021 Cabinet Meeting: DG Harold DeMott stated that the minutes of the 4-9-2021 Cabinet meeting were sent out via e-mail to the voting cabinet and published in the District Newsletter. DG Harold asked for a motion to approve the minutes. A motion was made by Duane Wilcox to approve the minutes from the 4-9-2021 Cabinet meeting. The motion was supported by Matt Tetloff. Discussion was called for and Steve VanTol noted that on page 1 under the treasurer's financial report, "Ambassador Fund" should be changed to "Emergency Disaster Fund". The maker of the resolution, Duane Wilcox and the seconder, Matt Tetloff, agreed to the change. With the change, the motion passed.
- New Business: The merger of the Saginaw Downtown Lion's Club and the Saginaw West Lion's Club was next on the agenda. Meeting minutes from both Clubs were received requesting the merger. A motion was made by Dan Houston with a second by Steve VanTol to approve the merger. There was discussion about trying to maintain the 100-year Club status of Saginaw

Downtown. The new name of the Club will be Saginaw Lion's Club. The motion passed.

- The next item was the disbanding of the Bridgeport Lion's Club. The meeting minutes from the Club's June 16, 2021, meeting was received and by a unanimous vote, they voted to disband. Paperwork has been sent in by District Governor Harold DeMott to the International Lion's Club notifying them of the status of the Bridgeport Club. No motion by the Cabinet was needed. There was discussion about the former Bridgeport Club's International and District dues. This will be checked on by Matt Tetloff.
- Announcements: The virtual International Convention is being conducted through June 29th.

Closing Remarks: None.

Adjourn: A motion was made by Steve VanTol with a second by Bill Bauder to adjourn. It passed.

> Respectfully Submitted, Lion Vaughn Begick, Cabinet Secretary

The Next Cabinet Meeting will be held at the call of Incoming District Governor Duane Wilcox.



Caro Lions Fall In Love Raffle

\$5.00 per Ticket Or 5 for \$20.00

1,000 Tickets Printed (If less than 500 sold drawing will be 50/50)



Drawing Date: Sept. 21st

Need Not Be Present to Win

Winners Must **Pick Up Prizes**



Smores Night Out Valued at \$100.00

Custom Built Cedar Lawn Swing Valued at \$400.00

Grand Prize :

Swing into Fall!



Fall Night In Valued at \$200.00

For More Information Call Tony Szcygiel (989) 385-3907

Raffle Permit # R60849

Be Humble and Be Kind

The Fenton Lions Club is hosting a

Community-wide

Flea Market and Craft sale

You are invited to bring your garage sale/craft-vendor items to this event on

Saturday, August 21, 2021

Vg's parking lot at 18005 Silver Parkway in Fenton

All Lions Clubs are welcome to come and have a space at NO CHARGE

Must reserve a space by August 18th

Bring your own tables and set up. This runs all day from 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

For more information or applications, go to: fenton.lions@gmail.com

or

mrlynreibel@yahoo.com or call Marilyn Reibel at 810-240-1634



Lions Around the District

Flint Downtown Lions Club members and numerous community volunteers worked hard to make about 30 fleece blankets for children in need. Due to Covid restrictions and closures, it took a while to get them to our chosen agency. However, we were finally able to meet with Dawn Ramirez at Little Lambs Closet to give her the blankets. They do great things for children in the community.



We have already began collecting fleece and fleece blankets for the next event. This time we would like to make sure the blankets are made in the fall so children have them for the winter.

Members are happy to be meeting and enjoying each others company in persons well as online again. At this point we are excited about our newest fundraiser. Please consider donating new or like new unwanted items that can be sold during an online auction in August. We will gladly accept bottles and cans for return to purchase gift cards to auction off. All nearby Lions are encouraged to participate by either donating items or purchasing at the auction. All items are needed by the end of July.

Here's hoping that everyone has a safe, fun and productive summer!! :)

The Flushing Lions had a

meeting at the Flushing Historical Society as the normal restaurant was closed the day after Memorial day. We had pizza, watermelon and drinks. At that meeting we awarded the Dr. Mike Bigelow award of a \$3000 scholarship award to Reagan Herr a local Flushing High school graduate who plans to attend Kettering for a Mechanical Engineering degree.



Flushing continued

We also had at that meeting Ethan Case explain his Eagle Scout project which was a musical instrument storage cabinet for the high school. He belongs to Troop 42 which is sponsored by the Flushing club and





we donated \$200 toward his project. The total cost was about \$625 due to the increase in lumber costs. He raised the remainder of his funding from other sources throughout the community. We are also over the bottle and

can collection of 80,000, which translates to \$8,000+ raised for the community and Lions projects.



We are in the process of preparing for our 4th annual car show and have been obtaining sponsors for the event. We also have enlisted a high school student who's hobby is photography to take pictures of the event.

Mayville Lions annual end of the year cookout on June 16th, DG elect Lion Duane Wilcox



Mayville continued

attended the. He had the pleasure of inducting new members into the club and also installing officers for the upcoming year from both the Mayville and Kingston clubs.

At this cookout The Kingston Lions presented one of their members, Scott Silvernail, with the Melvin Jones Award.

St. Charles Lions will be hosting their 19th Annual Golf Outing at Twin Brooks Golf Club in Chesaning, MI. Last year we had 17 teams, and we look forward to having many more this year. The cost is only \$55 per person, and everyone walks away with a prize. There are raffles, 50/50 prizes and other competitions throughout the day as well. We hope to see a few more Lions teams out there as the Shields Lions have taken home the trophy many years in a row now! We hope to see everyone there on August 21st. See flyer in this newsletter.

Christa McAuliffe Middle School Leos in

Bay City packaging for Laura Hunt's childhood cancer project.



