Lions Tale 30 First-Timers

To our District Convention!! Most we have had in YEARS!!!!!!! Our 1-Day Convention is meeting the needs of our future! Change can be beneficial if we just open our hearts and our minds while listening to the future.

Our first-time Lions were from Bald Eagle Valley Lions Club Branch;

Bloomsburg Lions Club; Coudersport & Area Lions Club; Eagles Mere Laporte Lions Club; Howard Lions Club;

Mansfield Lions Club; Milesburg Lions Club;' Montgomery Lions Club; Northern Tioga County Centennial Lions Club; Pleasant Gap Lions Club; South Williamsport Lions Club; Sylvania Lions Club; Turbotville Lions Club; Watsontown Centennial Lioness Lions Club; Wyalusing Lions Club and Bald Eagle Leo Club from Turbotville Lions Club.

Our Guest Speaker PID Alan Lundgren from Arizona was so impressed, he will be telling the world about our District Covnetion and how



cessful it was! He would love to return to Pennsylvania and truly enjoyed meeting everyone of the Lions at our District Convention!

Due to the large volume of pictures for the District Convention, there will be a supplement.

Cheryl Wilbur, Editor



Being Informed Matters

Using **MailChimp** to help district secretaries not having to send out the newsletter, I thought it would be beneficial to send a mass mailing.

Now I know their frustration . . . Because I can get statistics on those accessing the <u>Lions Tale Newsletter</u> <u>and</u> this is what I discovered:

- Out of 1,001 emails in this district—
- only 354 Lions opened the newsletter!!!
- 164 clicked on it
- 29 bounced back

That's only 36.4% of you know what is being offered!

Now what???

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From International President Yngvadottir



Find Your Focus

There are so many ways your club can encourage environmental awareness in your community, but where do you begin? The Club and Community Needs Assessment can help you identify the needs in your community so your club can start their service today. When we understand what our community needs, we can deliver innovative and lasting solutions.

Discover new way to impact your community when you download the Club and Community Needs Assessment.

Dear Lion,

We are problem solvers. When Lions come together, we can create lasting solutions that ensure the health and well-being of all people. That's why it's so important for us to continue to protect, restore and advocate for the environment in our community and around the world.

The environment affects us all. When we work together, we not only make safer, cleaner communities for ourselves, but we create a better, more sustainable world for future generations.

In friendship,

Gudrun Yngvadottir Your International President



Plan a Service Project

Service Journey project planners are the perfect way to start your club's next service project for the environment. Project planners can help you easily organize a great project like planting trees with students in your community or caring for young trees around your neighborhood.

Learn more about how Lions are protecting the environment, and download your service <u>project planner</u> today!



Deforestation is one of the greatest threats to our environment, but Lions are doing so much to restore our world. Just like Lions in Kenya who are fighting to revive their once verdant landscape that inspired Dr. Seuss' beloved ecological tale, *The Lorax*.

<u>Visit the blog</u> to read about how Kenyan Lions "speak for the trees" to ensure a better ending to their story.

Earn Recognition from Your International President



Balanced membership leads to healthy clubs. That's why in March and April we will be rewarding club membership chairpersons for their ongoing efforts to invite men and women to join their clubs..

- Invite new members, including at least 50% women
- Achieve your membership goal from March 1 through April 30
- **Earn** a Presidential Certificate for your success

So work with your membership chairperson o help grow your club and increase your community impact.

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District Governor Howard "Butch" Haus



Once again, I have been busy this month with club visits, and working on our District 14-G convention. By the time you read this

letter the District Convention will be in the books. I hope that many of you were able to join us for this event. The District Convention is a time of fun, friendship and sharing ideas with others.

I am continuing with my message about service to the local community and the global communities. "WE SERVE" is our motto—let's do just that. We sometimes get so caught up in the fund-raising we put service on the back burner. Look for opportunities to serve and remember everything you do for anyone is service to be reported on MY LCI. I believe that our district should be leading the way. If you have any questions please contact GST (Global Service Team) lead by Lion Silvana Mancini, email silvanak3@aol.com or (570)5471543 or contact myself, email butch9443@hotmail.com or (814) 933-4601.

I want to Congratulate all the SECRETARIES and the MEMEBERS of 14-G on their reporting of service! We are over 42,901 hours as of 3/27/2019 and we still have 3 months remaining. We have 59 clubs who have reported service activities and we are leading the multiple district in hours reported. I know there have been many changes to the International web site and everyone seems to have figured out how to still report both their MMR's and Service. Great Job and Thanks Again!

I continue to encourage all clubs and members to support LCIF's "Campaign 100." Over the next 3 years LCIF will be attempting to raise 300 million dollars. Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF) is 50 years old and has awarded 1 billion dollars in grants. If you have any questions about LCIF you can contact myself phone butch9443@hotmail.com or (814) 933-4601; you can also contact

our LCIF District Coordinator PDG Gary Strauch at gstrauch@frontiernet.net phone (570) 204-8003.

All members: please look at the web site as things are changing rapidly! You will need to create a new username and password for using the web site and the new MY Lion App!

Training will be scheduled for the MYLION app soon to make reporting of your service activities faster and easier! Look for this in the near future. We will be looking for Lions who would be willing to help, I am searching for someone in each region to assist with this venture. Training will be held in each region, so you would not have to travel far to understand how it will work. Everyone please read and share the NEWS-LETTER with all members.

"Building Hope Thru Lionism"

DG Howard "Butch" Haus

APRIL

April 04 **Troy Lions Club**

April 08 **Sugar Valley Lions Club**

April 09 **Towanda Lions Club**

April 11 Lycoming Creek Lions Club

April 15 Sayre-Athens Lioness Club

April 17 **Eagles Mere Laporte Lions Club**

April 18 **Bellefonte Lions Club**

Pleasant Gap Lions & Lioness Clubs April 23

April 24 **Dushore Lions Club**

April 25 **Jersey Shore Lions Club**





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April 28

District Convention Wrap-Up Meeting

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First Vice District Governor James Wilbur



We are on a Fast-Track alright! Where has the time gone for this year? The sun is

shining today and it is beginning to feel like spring has sprung, especially when I see red robins with snow on their backs! However, the blue jays are still sticking around, but I do hear the geese flying over the house! The groundhog did not know what he was doing, either!!! So much for all those millions of people who just couldn't wait for the monster to come out of the ground!! Since when do humans rely on a rodent in Punxsutawney to tell us what the weather is going to be? And this has been going on since 1887!!! Well, as the new slogan for PA is "Pursue Your Happiness," I wonder how many souls are happy on "Phil's" prediction?

My prediction is this: As the incoming District Governor, I will be sending

out to the presidents and secretaries my visitation schedule. If it does not meet your club's time frame, please send me an email or call me. The schedule is not etched in the stones yet, so we can adapt to your needs. The letters will be going out mid-April, and you know how slow the snail-mail can be at times, about as unpredictable as the rodent.

If the schedule can be set by April 30th, I will be able to get the directory completed for the visits, and have it ready for my journey of travelling back over the mountains

Speaking of visiting, I will not be attending the International Convention due to some health issues with my back. To ride in an airplane for hours and with all the walking and adjusting to a different bed, it is best to stay home according to the doctor.

One thing I can count on . . . Is OUR CLUBS!! The monetary support is

slowly arriving. At this time, the District Governor applied for the \$500 for the Lions of Pennsylvania Foundation, which will allow us to order the Brady Buggy. Currently, we have \$580 to apply towards



purchasing a Brady Buggy from our clubs. With \$420.00 more we can get another from our district. A MILLION THANKS for your club's requested donations, and HUGE thanks for the clubs donating beyond! We have two clubs in our district: Rauchtown Nippenose Valley and Sugar Valley joined together to purchase one from their clubs! We are hearing more and more of that taking place across the state.

"Fast Track to Delivering!"

Lions Clubs Donate 'Brady Buggy' to Geisinger

The Sugar Valley and Rauchtown-Nippenose Valley Lions Clubs joined together to purchase a Brady Buggy® for the pediatric department at Geisinger Medical Center in Danville.

The Brady Buggy is an animal-shaped wagon to be used to transport children from pediatrics to radiology or any other area of the hospital for tests and procedures. The wagon includes a trailer hitch to tow IV poles and allows children undergoing treatment to be mobile-even during chemotherapy. Children can sit in the Brady Buggy and bring their snack or favorite stuffed animal along for the ride.

Thanks to the generosity of both Lions Clubs the children at Geisinger will have a little more fun during their hospital stay.

Submitted in a local newspaper, Express

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District Staff Administrator

Fellow 14-G Lions:

As of March 28 we still had three clubs with delinquent from January Monthly Membership Reports: *Mt. Carmel, Muncy Area, and Williamsport*. They, hopefully, have responded to a note of March 28 to Club Presidents and Secretaries, our Cabinet and our PDGS/PCCs sharing their opportunity. Additionally, eleven clubs had not yet made their March MMR as of this writing on March 28. As of Wed., March 28, there is a "new universal login" - as noted below.

Many Thanks to those 46 (59 less 14) 14-G Clubs that have gotten the message of submitting a "No MM change Report" early each month, and then making any change, if necessary, later in the month. A few clubs still waste the time of submitting typed out MM and Activity reports to our newsletter editor, DG and others. I say "waste of time," because using the MyLCI reporting system makes easy the reporting system with NO OTHER TYPED report necessary. Only Activities that are submitted on MyLCI can be counted, anyway.

Three clubs have submitted

their 2019-2020 officers. Congratulations to Eagles Mere Laporte, Herndon, & South Creek (although South Creek, at this writing, has still to submit their March MMR!!!)

All Lions can now access the "My Lion Application" using a universal log-in at https://lionsclubs.org/en. Club presidents and secretaries now use and chose "MyLCI" or "MY Lion" as needed for their tasks to be completed when they are logging in. Look at these sites!! Our LCI dues make them possible!!!

Conversations I had with Andy Cerventes of the MyLCI support Staff, and Jennifer Mack, Director of the LCI Service Division, have been highly enlightening. Both emphasized the need for Lions Clubs to be using LA-2 – Standard Club Constitution and Bylaws – Use https://lionsclubs.org/en/resources-for-members/resource-center?query=clubconstitution and by-laws. Sorry, the "link" would not copy/paste.

Included in this "newness" are the Club Board positions of Marketing Communications Chair (MC) and Service Chair (SC). Communications is the KEY Word in the "MC" position. A club I am familiar with, last year, made a fateful decision to not utilize these new positions. Believe me: Lions who think they know better than what is coming out of Oak Brook, IL, are going to be left in the dust of the Lions Clubs of the Future. We have, right now, 8 Lions clubs with less than a dozen members. New projects can attract new Lions

For example – All Lions can come up with a project using planning resources on My Lion. See https://cdn2.webdamdb.commd cVIc1QtNFBI8 jpg.pdf?v=1. This will lead interested Lions to a Site where you can find ideas about Diabetes projects. If you don't think our genes; Lions Clubs meals; and other sedentary habits have not lead many of us to being diabetic of some level or another, where have you been ???

Call 630-571-5466; ask for Jennifer Mack of the Service Division: tell her I sent you; and ask her for guidance on how to identify "new member attracting service projects," YOU will be utterly fascinated and amazed. I was!

CJ Keener
PCC/14-G District Staff Administrator

Welcome NEW Members

Bellefonte Lions Club: Lion Dennis Jaworski, Sponsored by Lion Edgar Runkle; Lion John D. Sheesley, Sponsored by Lion Stephen Keller

Coudersport & Area Lions Club: Lion Nancy Rees Rudolph, Sponsored by Lion Linda Karija

South Williamsport Lions Club: Lion Diane M. Bernstein, Sponsored by Lion John Clabaugh; Lion Lee D.

Bernstein, Sponsored by Lion John Clabaugh

Watsontown Centennial Lioness Lions Club: Lion Doris Hulsizer, Sponsored by Debra Bieber

Wyalusing Lions Club: Lion Leslie Smith, Sponsored by Lion Renee Stewart



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From the Desk of District Secretary

Working our way towards the end of our Lions calendar year 2018-2019. As the secretary/treasurer for the Past two Lions years, I am ready to pass along the secretary duties to Lion Debbie Colegrove after June 30, 2019.

Taking on the responsibility to both of these positions at once has opened my eyes to many leading Lions in our great district. With this district consisting of 60, currently 59, there are many things to do.

I feel very confident in remaining the treasurer, as banking is my business. Looking into the records, we have noticed changes that need to be corrected and we have been able to do that with the Counsellors (Committee of Past District Governors).

We have purchased two new laptops, which states in our District Policy: computers need to be changed every 3 years. In addition, some of the equipment has been lost or is no longer in good working order. A portable sound system was purchased to be used by the district.

In looking at the monies owed in specific areas from clubs to International, State, and District, this needs to be constant and paid in a timely manner. As with our own personal bills of electricity, telephone, etc. needs to be paid by a specific date, so does the bills from our Lions Clubs need to be paid on time.

This leads us to the situation of training of officers in the district. As many of you have been voted in by your club, not all the information gets passed on to those following you in your office. So there is no one to blame, it's just a matter of letting the clubs know there are monies due.

I look forward to remaining in this position with District Governor Elect James Wilbur as he has requested. I will be assisting with training for the incoming District Secretary Lion Debbie Colegrove.

This week I received an email from the PA State Administrator Lion Bob McComas of the state dues still owed, which were sent out in January 2019. I encourage you to pay the dues as soon as possible. Thank you in advance for your consideration of sending your payments.

Sincerely, Lion Beth Cooley, District 14-G Treasurer

District 14-G

| Kulpmont Centennial | \$112.00 |
|---------------------|----------|
| Lewisburg | \$80.00 |
| Patton Twp | \$160.00 |
| South Williamsport | \$400.00 |
| Shamokin Area | \$176.00 |
| Total | \$928.00 |



District 14-G clubs owe PA State Membership dues for January-June 2019.

OWE District Convention Delegate Fees

It's APRIL now, and these clubs still owe monies to the district. Please consider paying the dues owed, as we need to be ready for an audit in 2 months. THANKS!

OWES District Dues

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Kulpmont Centennial - \$32.50

Lewisburg - \$10.00

Lock Haven - \$52.50

Loyalsock Township - \$40.00

Muncy Area - \$52.50



Big Pond - \$7.00

Kulpmont Centennial - \$7.00

Lock Haven - \$14.00

Loyalsock Township - \$14.00

Lycoming Creek - \$14.00

Millheim - \$35.00

Millmont West Union - \$7.00

Mt. Carmel - \$21.00

Muncy \$14.00

Snow Shoe - \$21.00

Williamsport Newberry - \$14.00

Wyalusing - \$28.00

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Membership Status in 14-G

In the LEAD:

6 NEW Members each:

- ♦ Milesburg Lions Club
- ♦ Mt. Carmel Lions Club
- South Williamsport
 Lions Club
- ♦ Wyalusing Lions Club

Clubs Added NEW Members:

- Bellefonte Lions Club #59965 1
- Benton Lions Club #043009 2
- Berwick Lions Club #005996 1
- Bloomsburg Area Lions Club #105569 4
- Catawissa Valley Lions Club #041003 2
- Coudersport & Area Lions Club #047775 3
- Dushore Lions Club #006003 1
- Eagles Mere Laporte Lions Club #043717 3
- Harris Township Lions Club #006006 1
- Howard Lions Club #032199 1
- Jersey Shore Lions Club #006008 1
- Lycoming Creek Lions Club #006013 2
- Milesburg Lions Club #006017 6
- Millmont West Union Lions Club #045402 2
- Milton Lions Club #006019 1
- Mt. Carmel Lions Club #006022 6
- Northern Tioga County Centennial Lions Club #132592 2
- (NTCCLC) Bald Eagle Valley Lions Club Branch 16
- Picture Rocks Lions Club #006027 2
- Snow Shoe Lions Club #006030 3
- South Williamsport Lions Club #006033 -6
- Towanda Lions Club #006038
- Troy Lions Club #006039 1
- Turbotville & Area Lions Club #041313 5
- Watsontown Lions Club # 1
- Watsontown Centennial Lioness Lions Club #135357 1
- Wyalusing Lions Club #029205 6

NO NEW MEMBERS THIS Lions Year

- ✓ Big Pond Lions Club #5997
- ✓ Canton Lions Club #5999
- ✓ Centre Hall Lions Club #6000
- ✓ Ferguson Township Lions Club #6005
- ✓ Herndon Lions Club #6007
- ✓ Kulpmont Centennial Lions Club #134144
- ✓ Lewisburg Lions Club #6010
- ✓ Lock Haven Lions Club #6011
- ✓ Loyalsock Township Lions Club #6012
- ✓ Mansfield Lions Club #6014
- ✓ Mill Hall Area Lions Club #107204
- ✓ Millheim Lions Club #6018
- ✓ Millville Lions Cub #42945
- ✓ Montgomery Lions Club #6020
- ✓ Montoursville Lions Club #6021
- ✓ Muncy Area Lions Club #39999
- ✓ New Berlin Lions Club #6023
- ✓ Northumberland Lions Club #6026
- ✓ Patton Township Lions Club #41468
- ✓ Pleasant Gap & Area Lions Club #39679
- ✓ Rauchtown-Nippenose Valley Lions Club #64588
- ✓ Sayre Athens Lions Club #6028
- ✓ Shamokin Area Lions Club #33266
- ✓ Shamokin Dam Lions Club #6029
- ✓ South Creek Lions Club #6031
- ✓ Sugar Valley Lions Club #33652
- ✓ Sunbury Lions Club #6035
- ✓ Sylvania Lions Club #6036
- ✓ Warrensville Area Lions Club #6040
- √ Wells-Jackson Lions Club #40414
- ✓ Wellsboro Lions Club #6042
- √ Williamsport Lions Club #6043
- ✓ Williamsport Newberry Lions Club #6044

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NORTHEAST PENNSYLVANIA Lions Service Foundation

The Northeast PA Lions Service Foundation would like to inform you of progress made since our last update. At the last board meeting held March 13, 2019. The board voted unanimously to release the final \$25,000 grant to Salus University, completing a three-year commitment of \$75,000 in grant money to be used for support of graduate students in the Department of Blindness and Low Vision Studies through scholarship assistance and support for faculty mentorship/supervision for student interns. Funds also supported recruitment and public education efforts. The NEPALSF will evaluate interest in continuing a partnership with Salus going forward.

The Service Foundation will be a major sponsor of the Strides Walk event at the State Convention in May, and invite you to visit our display table. E-sight and Nu-eyes will also be at the convention to exhibit exciting new eyeglass technologies that aid those with low vision.

Financial reports and review show that NEPALSF has been a good steward of our assets and investments while being able to distribute approximately a quarter million dollars in grant money to aid Lion, Lioness and Leo clubs in service to their communities. Just since November, the foundation has approved three Buddy Wagon grants for pediatric patients and \$15,000 to the Center for Vision Loss (located in District 14 -K) to provide services like socialization and recreation activities, rides to medical appointments, eye exams and assistive technologies. We also approved a grant of \$4,602 to Mom's House of Lancaster that helps single parents through education, childcare and social services. \$25,000 was approved for Beacon Lodge to upgrade their phone and Wi-fi systems. We encourage clubs to apply for patient care, equipment, education or community project grants. Though we remain loyal to our priority of aiding those who are blind or have low vision, all

worthwhile projects will be considered, as "We Serve" where there is a need in our communities.

The NEPALSF is grateful for the \$600 in donations received since November from the Emmaus, Watsontown Centennial and Sayre Athens Lioness clubs, Harris Township and Sayre Athens Lions clubs and the Emmaus Lioness-Lions Club that enable us to continue our work.

The Northeast PA Lions Service Foundation welcomes Lions who are interested in serving on our various committees or as a board member. Contact your District NEPALSF representative or District Governor for more information. Our next board meeting will be June 12 at the PA State Office.

Global Membership Team Coordinator IPDG Cheryl Wilbur

- ⇒ Districts are creating Women's Symposiums or Workshops
- ⇒ District A is diligently working on forming 3 clubs
- ⇒ District B is in the process of forming a Specialty Club of Eye Care Professionals
- ⇒ District G has a Branch Club about to transform to Bald Eagle Valley Lions
- ⇒ Loss of 17 clubs in the state, we are having to invite more potential members to become Lions—there is much work to be done

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MD 14 PA Lions and Four Diamonds



Pennsylvania Lions

CARE

FOR THE KIDS**



A Four Diamonds Program Conquering Childhood Cancer

Lions Clubs International has announced a new focus on pediatric cancer and joins Four Diamonds in recognizing that

pediatric cancer kills more children in the United States than any other disease.

JOIN US IN THE FIGHT TO CONQUER CHILDHOOD CANCER!

The Pennsylvania State Council of Lions Clubs is launching a new initiative with Four Diamonds by mobilizing their members to raise funds and awareness about the impact of childhood cancer.





Local Research. Global Impact.

To donate or fundraise visit:

Four Diamonds.org/PALions

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ABOUT FOUR DIAMONDS

Since 1972, Four Diamonds has been focused on inspiring, activating and empowering over 100,000 people annually to conquer childhood cancer by assisting children and their families through superior care, comprehensive support and innovative research.

www.FourDiamonds.org



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District Governor Butch Visits . . .

Watsontown Centennial Lions Club



K-9 Officer Kefauber and his partner Mariska. We also had a very special guest speaker and his beautiful partner. His name is K-9 Officer Kefauber and his partner Mariska. She is a Belgian Malinois and is trained to sniff out drugs. Officer Kefauber had a short presentation followed by a long period of questions from all of us prior to bringing Mariska into the room. He had placed a training item out of her sight so that she could show us how good she is at her job.

Millville

Lions Club



On Tuesday, March 12, 2019, Guiding Lion James Crawley inducted Lion Doris Hulsiz-

er. Lion Doris was sponsored by Lion Debby Bieber.



Wells-Jackson Lions Club



Front Row: 1VDG Jim Wilbur, Lion Leona Bell, 10-year Chevron; Lion Barbara Szczech, 10-year Chevron; Lion Patricia Kerbein, 15-year Chevron; DG Butch Haus. Middle Row: Lion Tim Bell, 10-year Chevron. Back Row: Zone Chair Back Lion Deb Colegrove. (Mansfield Lions Club).

Canton Lions Club



District Governor "Butch" Haus presented Chevrons to Lion Dr. John Kirkowski, 40 years; and Lion Gerald Brann 30 years.

Not present for years of ser-

vice Lion Jeff Wynne, 10years; Lion Jerome Wynne. 50-years; Lion Joseph Wynne, 10-years; Lion John Rushin, Cli 50-years; Lion Richard Sheets, 30years; and Lion Ron Blackwell 10-years.

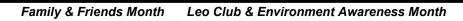


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ont Centennial Lions Club

A Monarch Chevron was awarded to Lion Murray Holdren for being a 35-year charter member by District Governor "Butch" Haus and his wife, Lion Joan Haus with the Millville Lions surrounding the presentation.

Chevrons were presented to Lion Frank Mirarchi, 35-years; Lion Joseph Wanzie, 50-years; and Lion Peter Lentini, 35-years by District Governor "Butch" Haus during the governor's visit.



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April Is Environmental Awareness Month!



Earth Day is April 22! Lions celebrate Environmental Awareness
throughout the entire month of April with projects ranging from local
recycling programs to ensuring that communities around the world
have access to clean water. Lions are working hard to keep the earth
clean and green. Show your support of this important global cause
with these dynamic products from the Lions Store!

Theegf.org

Helping the Vision Impaired

American Printing House for the Blind

taken from Facebook on March 14 at 4:18 p.m.

Coming April 2019 - APH and <u>HumanWare</u> have partnered to create the Braille Trail Reader LE, a limited edition of Brailliant BI 14 especially for students. The reader will come with an intuitive Windows file manager that will allow teachers to move files from the computer to the braille device storage easily!

To get on the waiting list visit <u>aph.org/braille-trail-</u>reader.

Coming April 2019!

Braille Trail Reader LE



Hearing for Children

https://mymodernmet.com/sarah-ivermee-custom-hearing-aid-decorations/?fbclid=IwAR0ox515HV1eQXtgo1DHXslMDgy3tLXSh0hB5kfMIRrOgZF005TDYG1ieqI





Creative Mom Turns
Children's Hearing Aids
into Superheroes to
Boost Their Confidence

By Jenny Zhang on July 7, 2015

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LIONS



serve" Everywhere

Please enter any time spent working as a volunteer for either Lions Club or any other organization such as church, school or civic club, food bank, etc.

| Name of Lion | Name of Organization | Service Provided | Hours Spent |
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Global Service Chairperson Lion Sil Mancini (Montgomery Lions Club)

Please use this form for your Lions members to record their service hours. It has been amazing the number of service hours our Lions have been donating. Our service numbers are sky-rocketing compared to the previous years and compared to the state of Pennsylvania!

Keep recording and logging into MYLCI to record your efforts in helping others. Continue to March towards greatness! 14-G is GREAT!

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Club Secretaries/Recording Secretaries/Service Chairperson: You can make copies of this form to pass around during Lions Meetings to record service hours ANY Lion does outside of Lions. Global Membership Chairperson Lion Sil Mancini

Women in Lions

Right click on Register to open

APR 18

Stand Up and Stand

Out: Market Yourself as a Leader Thursday, April 18, 2019 | 9:00AM –

10:00AM CDT Register

MAY 23

Prepare for Success: Get Ready to Take a

Leadership Role

Thursday, May 23, 2019 | 9:00AM -

10:00AM CDT

Register

JUN 21

Beyond the Horizon and Year in Review! Friday, June 21, 2019 | 9:00AM – 10:00AM





\$25 Dinners

Movie Tickets

Wine & Cheese

Spin Classes

Hair Styling

\$25 Gift Certifi-

cates

Saturday, April 13, 2019

8:00 p.m. (Bring Flashlight!)

\$5.00 for 3 Eggs

Tioga Swimming Pool Complex

Tioga, PA

Sponsored by

Northern Tioga County Centennial Lions Club

Chicken Barbeque

\$10.00 Dinner \$6 Half-Chicken April 26, 2019



Building

4:00—6:00 p.m.

PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp

Watch for further information in the April Lions Tale Newsletter!! Limited to the 1st 100 Players Call 814.542.4343



Saturday, August 17, 2019

1:00 p.m.

American Legion Country Club Mount Union, PA 17066

PDG Arthur Girio

Lions Scholarship

Since 1990 the PDG Arthur Girio Lions Scholarship Fund has awarded 396 scholarships to District 14-G Lions, Lioness, their children or grandchildren, and Leos. This program is available to all clubs in 14-G. With several new clubs and many new Lions in the district, we are informing everyone of the scholarship.

The Scholarship Committee: Lion George Girio, PDG James Crawley, Lion Beth Cooley, and Lion Erin Miller, would like to increase the current scholarship award of \$500 to \$1,000. To accomplish this goal they are requesting a minimum yearly club contribution of \$250.00.

This is an opportunity for the Lions and Lioness Clubs of our Great District to join together to help advance the youth in our communities, and to continue PDG Art's dream.

Look for further details and application in the 2019 April Lions Tale Newsletter.

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District Governor: Howard "Butch" Haus III 814.933.4601 (Milesburg Lions Club)

First Vice District Governor: James R. Wilbur 570.537.2643 (Northern Tioga County Centennial Lions Club)

Second Vice District Governor: Vacant

Secretary/Treasurer: Beth Cooley 570.494.7131 (Picture Rocks Lions Club)



Global Action Team

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Global Membership Team Coordinator: PDG Cheryl Wilbur 570.537.2643 (Northern Tioga County Centennial Lions Club)

Global Service Team: Silvana Mancini 570.547.1543 (Montgomery Lions Club)

Regions: Zone Chairpersons & Clubs

Region 1: Zone A: Debra Colegrove 570.662.2266

(Coudersport & Area; Mansfield; Northern Tioga County Centennial; Wellsboro; Wells-Jackson)

Zone B: PDG Robert Hunter 570.297.4080

(Big Pond; South Creek, Sylvania, Troy)

Zone C: VACANT (Canton, Sayre Athens, Towanda, Troy)

Region II: Zone A: Cathy Coniff 570.525.3749

(Dushore, Muncy Area; Eagles Mere Laporte, Picture Rocks)

Zone B: John Clabaugh 570.772.2499

(Lycoming Creek; Montgomery; South Williamsport; Williamsport Newberry)

Zone C: VACANT (Loyalsock Township; Montoursville, Warrensville, Williamsport)

Region III: Zone A: Tyler James 570.898.6587

(Herndon; Kulpmont Centennial; Mount Carmel; Northumberland; Shamokin Area; Sunbury)

Zone B: Timothy Wallis 570.394.3978

(Benton; Berwick; Bloomsburg Area; Catawissa Valley; Danville Centennial; Millville)

Region IV: Zone A: Harry Ward 814.349.5575

(Centre Hall; Ferguson Township; Harris Township; Millheim; Patton Township)

Zone B: Sara Tressler 814.380.6610

(Bellefonte; Howard Area; Milesburg; Pleasant Gap & Area; Snow Shoe)

Region V: Zone A: Tammy Wolfe 570.649.5826

(Lewisburg; Milton; Turbotville & Area; Watsontown; Watsontown Centennial Lioness Lions)

Zone B: VACANT (Jersey Shore; Lock Haven; Mill Hall Area; Rauchtown-Nippenose Valley; Sugar Valley)

Zone C: Leonard Lawrence (Millmont west Union Area; New Berlin; Northumberland; Shamokin Dam;

Sunbury)

Proud of Our Clubs



Warrensville Area Lions Club



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Celebrating 50 Years of Service
Tuesday, June 4, 2019
Social - 6:00 p.m.
Dinner - 6:30 p.m.
\$15.00 per person
Reservations – contact:
PDG Kerry Drake
5455 Warrensville Road
Montoursville, PA 17754



Watsontown Centennial Lioness Lions Club

A spring Antiques, Crafts & Vendor Show held at the Warrior Run Area Fire Department Social Hall in Allenwood, PA. The entire hall was filled with vendors and items ranging from Easter to Sports to Photography and more. Each vendor donated an item to our Chinese Auction to make it our biggest and vest ever!

Our members and others made and donated hot dogs, Hamburg BBQ, homemade soups, desserts and more were sold at our lunch stand. As usual, everything was delicious and we sold out!

The happiest moment of the day when a little girl named Chloe turned out to be the winner of the Easter Bunny Carriage! She had been there all day helping her mom with her sales table.

Submitted by Lion Kathy Edinger, Communications

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Club Monthly Membership Reports - March 2019

Bellefonte - 37 Members: 2 NEW Members; Dropped 1

Benton - 42 Members **Berwick** - 19 Members **Big Pond** - Members

Bloomsburg Area - 11 Members

Canton - 31 Members

Catawissa Valley - 17 Members

Centre Hall - 35 Members: 2 Dropped Members Coudersport & Area - 25 Members: 1 NEW Member

Danville Centennial - 14 Members

Dushore - 38 Members

Eagles Mere LaPorte - 49 Members Ferguson Township - 37 Members Harris Township - 43 Members

Herndon - 13 Members

Howard Area – 112 Members: 1 Dropped Member Jersey Shore - 48 Members: 1 Dropped Member

Kulpmont Centennial - 14 Members

Lewisburg - Members

Lock Haven - 20 Members Loyalsock Township - 13 Members Lycoming Creek -20 Members Mansfield-37 Members

Milesburg - 44 Members: 1 Dropped Member

Mill Hall Area -12 Members Millheim - 48 Members

Millmont West Union - Members:

Millville - 19 Members
Milton -30 Members
Montgomery -29 Members
Montoursville - 11 Members
Mt. Carmel - 31 Members
Muncy Area - 20 Members
New Berlin - 11 Members

Northern Tioga County Centennial - 36 Members

Northumberland - 4 Members Patton Township - 20 Members Picture Rocks - 20 Members Pleasant Gap & Area - 32 Members

Rauchtown-Nippenose Valley - 23 Members

Sayre Athens - 12 Members: Shamokin Area - 22 Members Shamokin Dam - 6 Members Snow Shoe - 31 Members South Creek - 29 Members

South Williamsport - 54 Members: 2 NEW Members

Sugar Valley - 35 Members Sunbury - 8 Members Sylvania - 34 Members Towanda - 21 Members Troy - 67 Members

Turbotville & Area - 59 Members Warrensville Area - 20 Members Watsontown - 22 Members

Watsontown Centennial Lioness Lions Club - 22 Members: 1 NEW Member; 1 Dropped

Member

Wellsboro - 37 Members **Wells-Jackson** - 34 Members: **Williamsport** - Members

Williamsport Newberry - 22 Members

Wyalusing - 44 Members

We are changing the format addressing MMR's and Service Activities. Monthly Membership Reports can be submitted on the second day of the month with no problem. As secretary or president, log-in and add a new member or remove a deceased member at any time during the month to report. I am requesting the MMR's be submitted by the 25th of each month.

I will be placing service activities for each month for the following month due to some clubs not meeting until the last week of the month. With 59 clubs in the district, I feel it is more imperative I get the activities of which your club will be conducting the following month to advertise it for Lions in our district to attend these events and support each other.

Lions, you will only see the difference this month, as you will not see the activities you have done during March but will be seen in the May Issue. Please send pictures of your events, as this seems to be what draws Lions into reading more and more of the newsletter.

With using the MailChimp, I am able to see how many Lions actually open up the newsletter. Out of

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Tale End





Deceased Lion Member in March 2019:

JAMES H MOLTZ SR Jersey Shore Lions Club

Joined: 08/08/2013 Deceased: 03/10/2019



Our Lion Leaders

DG "Butch" Haus 814.355.9443 (H)

1st VDG James Wilbur 570.537.2643 (H)

Secretary/Treasurer Beth Cooley 570.546.0759 (H)

lonoring our Past Lions



Michael Scott to Lions Clubs Help and Support Group Credit goes to Lion Michael Scott for this valuable information. To honor a deceased Lion in our clubs, we can purchase a cast aluminum Lions emblem with the deceased's information.

FYI: LIONS GRAVE MARKER available from the Lions Store

6" cast aluminum Lions emblem and plate lettered with members name, club name and life dates. Anodized and mounted on a 12" aluminum rod which is adjustable for upright or flat position on grave. Specify exact lettering. Allow 4 to 6 weeks for delivery.

Link: https://www2.lionsclubs.org/p-422-lions-grave-marker.aspx

From the Editor's Computer



Dear Lions, Leos, and Lioness Ladies:

I am hoping more Lions are reading the monthly newsletter and introducing some of the articles for a topic of discussion during your club meetings. Researching and keeping abreast of just how important our Lions Clubs International and your service hours are to the world.

It was more evident by attending the District Convention this year! Due to the large volume of information on our District Convention, there will be a supplemental newsletter. I am in hopes more Lions are reading this —at least 50% would be wonderful after the endless hours of producing a worthy newsletter.

May your Mother's Day and Easter be as wonderful and giving as you are. With this being the "FIRST's" of many without my daughter, Ciara, I will do my best to make it through. To all of you, my prayers for good health, focusing on forgiveness' and accepting those individuals for who they are without judging—our human side takes over way too many times. Give love and LIVE!

Your Editor, Lion Cheryl Wilbur

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