

# District 20Y2 LIONS ROAR

March 2017

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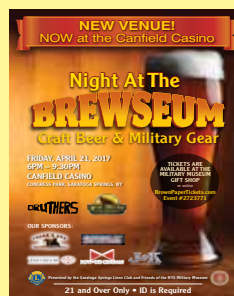


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**MARCH 28, 2017**

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A  
message  
from...

**District  
Governor  
James Griffith**

**Hey Lions!**  
**SEND ME**  
**YOUR**  
**SELFIE!**

**20Y2 Selfie Spot!**

**SEE PAGE 2**

Send me your selfie and it could be next  
month's "Selfie Spot!"



**H**ello Lions, Lioness and Leos,

Spring is in the air and it's time to finish out our Lion year with a bang! Thank you for the support of the District for consolidation. At the 3rd Council of Governors (COG) meeting held in February at Syracuse, NY, DG Kelly Clark (W), DG Linda Mott (Y1) and myself (Y2) presented the results of the special conventions held in each district. The COG unanimously voted to allow for the consolidation proposal to be on the ballot at the NYS & Bermuda

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Lions Convention in Lake Placid on May 7th. Presentations for the MD20 Convention were also finalized. I am proud to say that District 20-Y2 is well represented at the Convention this year with presentations from Dr. Deborah Backus on new technologies for audiologists, Camp Abilities in which Vice District Governor John McDonald will be involved in proctoring, and Lions Quest Workshop which will involve our District Quest Chair Lion John Griffin. Furthermore, the Fabulous Flying Fingers of District 20-Y2 and VDG John McDonalds' niece Casey McDonald will perform (sign and sing) the National Anthem, following the Flag Presentation at the beginning of the opening ceremonies.

The MD 20 Convention will also host a competitive race for International Director. We met two of the three candidates at the Holiday Inn Johnstown. The third candidate, PDG Peg DiIorio, will be presenting to us in Lake George.

Lastly, it is a privilege to announce DG Kelly Clark of MD 20W as the incoming Council Chair Elect; only the 2nd time in MD 20 history that we will have a female Council Chair. Please get ready to join the Lions of NYS and Bermuda as we celebrate 100 years of service in Lake Placid on May 5-7.

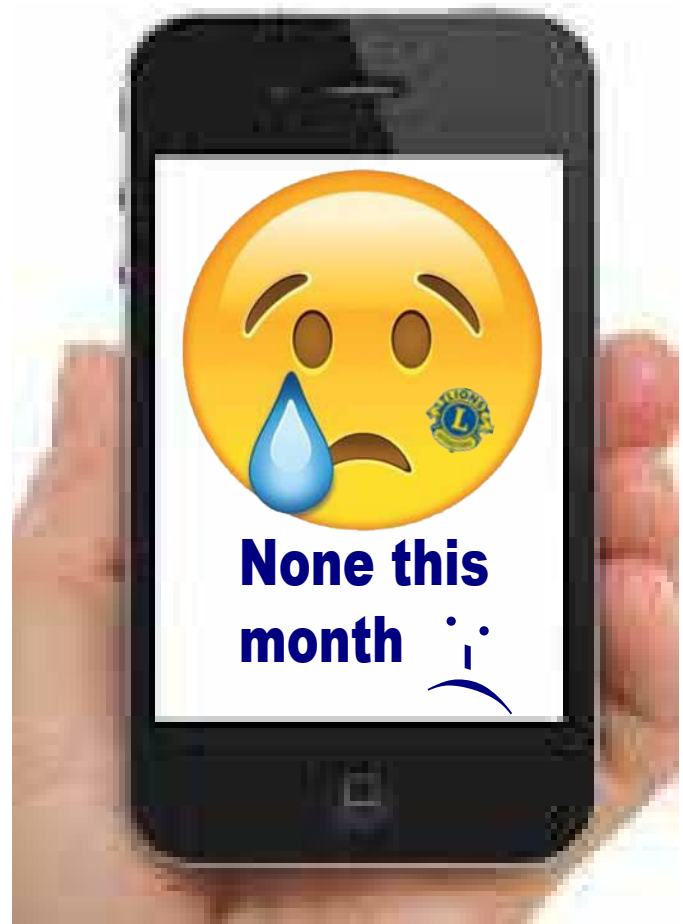
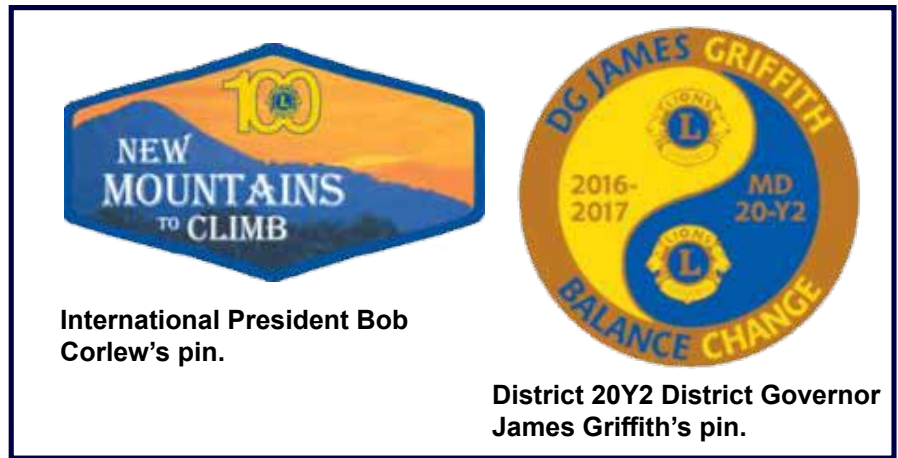
We hope to see all at the final cabinet meeting on March 18, 2017 at the Holiday Inn Resort in Lake George; we will also discuss the 2017 New York State and Bermuda Convention in depth.

Sincerely Yours in Lionism,  
Lion James S. Griffith, MJF  
Vice Council Chair  
Multiple District 20-Y2

# SELFIE SPOT!

## Show us your Lion smiles!

**MAKE SURE there is a LIONS  
LOGO in your selfie!**



# District & Club News

## Lions Eye Institute/ Lions Foundation at Albany

**THANK YOU!**

by VDG1 (20 - 0) Ilene Wizwer

Be on the lookout Lions, the bunnies are hopping into our districts O, W and Y2 very shortly. We are very excited about this chocolate invasion. When you sell your bunnies, you can remind your customers that there are other occasions when a chocolate treat might come in handy after the Easter holiday. Remember, selling bunnies helps the Lions Eye Foundation raise money in order to help pay for optical treatments at the Lions Eye Institute for patients who have been referred by Lions Clubs. In other words, every bunny helps!

In other news, we will have a booth at the New York State Lions Convention in Lake Placid. We will have information there on our institute and foundation as well as the Knight of the Blind award and the newest core category for Lions, Diabetes. Ask our representatives about our new pin fundraiser. Be proud to wear it and know that the monies collected help others to see the world around them in a better light.

Lastly, on June 11, 2017 we will have our annual meeting at the Normanside Country Club, a beautiful setting in the Albany suburb of Delmar. There we get to talk to the doctors who perform the extraordinary optical procedures using cutting edge techniques.

### **LIONS FOUNDATION AT ALBANY, INC. LIONS EYE INSTITUTE AT ALBANY, INC.**

1220 New Scotland Road  
Slingerlands, NY 12159

#### **Chairperson PDG Joyce Maier**

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Home (845) 876-6390  
Cell (845) 464-3029  
lionjmaier@frontiernet.net

#### **President Lion Bill Suchy**

145 Memory Lane, Amsterdam, NY 12010  
Home (518) 843-5850  
lsuchy@nycap.rr.com

## Camp Badger

By Cynthia Reuter

Greetings from Lions Camp Badger! Even though it's only March, and the camp is still under a blanket of snow, in the office we are beginning to gear up for Summer Camp 2017!

I'd like to introduce you to our new Camp Director, Patricia Gillule. Pat comes to us as a Special Education Teacher from the Candor Central School District with post graduate work in Special Education and Counseling. She also has several years of experience working at summer camps. Pat is very excited to be here and has jumped in with both feet! Welcome, Pat!

Camper applications are arriving, and we are starting to think about our staffing needs for the summer. We have been very fortunate the last several years to have had a wonderful crew of mostly the same counselors, returning each summer while on break from rigors of college degree programs. They had forged relationships with the campers, knew what worked and what didn't work, and the campers looked forward to seeing their favorite counselor each summer.

Sadly, most of our long-time counselors will not be returning this summer, having graduated from college and moved on to well-deserved full-time jobs. They will be missed!

So, we are looking for highly energetic, motivated, and caring individuals to fill summer camp Counselor positions this July. Counselors will be living and working with campers with a wide range of special needs. Duties may include a level of personal care for the campers. Counselors must be at least 18 years of age. The job is for 2 two-week sessions in July, beginning around July 1st for a few days of staff orientation through July 28th. Room and Board is included.

If you or someone you know may be interested in this fun and rewarding job working with youth and young adults with special needs, find, print and complete an application on our website, [www.lionscb.org](http://www.lionscb.org), and mail it to the office at Lions Camp Badger, 725 LaRue Rd, Spencer, NY 14883.

We are also in need of full and/or part-time Registered Nurses and part-time Aquatics Director/Lifeguards. Please call the office (607-589-4800) for more information regarding required specialized certifications for these positions.

If you are interested in volunteering for any of these positions, we would be happy to have you!

**Donate**





# Albany & Troy Lions Club

By Lion Jerry Gordon

A very enthusiastic DG James Griffith visited our club and discussed his "Balanced Scorecard Mission statement" which included Membership Satisfaction (mentor new members & reward older members), Community Satisfaction (reach out to local churches, etc, to see where we could help out), Service Activities (be proactive helping out with community needs) and Membership (Make the community aware of the Lions club and how they can become involved).

The DG also Discussed the Centennial Service Challenge with the goal of serving 100 million people by June 30, 2018. DG James presented King Lion Chris with a Centennial Service Challenge patch for our banner for meeting goals for the club.

DG also praised our club for our involvement with the Playground Project in Watervliet and advised that we have been approved for the matching grant from the District for this project.

The DG had chevrons to present to several members:

10 Years - Chris Burke and Dennis Fagan  
25 Years - Jerry Gordon and Sue Shipe-Hart

DG James also inducted our newest member, JJ Stone. Vicki Adler was JJ's sponsor.



King Lion Chris received a letter from MD20 regarding their yearly raffle. We have six tickets @\$100 each which will be available at our next meeting. If the club sells 3 tickets, we will be eligible to receive an RJ Uplinger Award. Tickets will be available at the next meeting.

Lion John Bianco reported that the woman he was working with at SaveAround gave us six extra books at no charge to sell at a full profit of \$25.00. Lion Paul purchased one, so we have 5 more for sale.

## King Lion Chris Horan

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info@albanytroylions.org  
www.albanytroylions.org  
facebook.com/albanytroylions

# Sauquoit Valley Lions Club

## Journey for Sight Kick-Off Dinner

By Lion Connie Griffin

On February 9, 2017 Lions from six Region L Lions Club gathered to kick off the 2017 Journey for Sight. The Sauquoit Valley Lions Club was well represented with over 50 Lions from the region in attendance overall. Clinton Lions, Deerfield Lions, New Hartford Lions, Utica Lions and the Marcy Telephone Lions Clubs were also represented.

The 2017 Region L Journey for Sight will take place on May 13, 2017 at the Sauquoit Valley CSD high school track. Region Chair and JFS Co-chair Jim Winkler moderated the event which included recognition of sponsors from our successful 2016 Journey for Sight.



*Lion Nick Montesano(l) accepts recognition from Region L Lions for being a perennial Major Sponsor of the Region L Journey for Sight. JFS Committee members Lion Bill O'Mara(m) and Lion John Griffin(r) present with Region Chair Jim Winkler looking on.)*

Representatives from Freedom Guide Dogs were guest speakers. Alison Sinnott, Puppy Placement Specialist and puppy trainer Tim Conn gave an overview of the training that partner dogs undertake.

Immediate Past District Governor Paula Flisnik inducted two new members into the Clinton Lions Club. Club Presidents introduced attendees and provided a brief look at upcoming activities.

On Saturday, March 11, 2017 Region L Lions will have a float in the Utica St. Patrick's Day Parade to promote Lionism and the upcoming Journey for Sight. All Lions are welcome to walk in the parade alongside Journey for Sight committee members



Region L Lions enjoy fellowship at the Journey for Sight kick-off dinner held on February 9th at the Orchard Hall restaurant in Sauquoit.

### King Lion Joanne Jones

8685 Summit Rd  
Sauquoit, NY 13456  
Home (315) 839-8343

## Glens Falls Lions Club

By King Lion Jenn Howse

The Glens Falls Lions were visited by Melvin Jones on February 14th at the Queensbury Hotel! King Lion, John Sutton, from the Galway Lions Club reenacted the story of how the Lions came to be. His portrayal of Melvin Jones and the details he described made us all feel like we were there. Thank you so much, King Lion John for this special treat!



Lion John Sutton portraying Melvin Jones during his visit to the Glens Falls Lions Club at the Queensbury Hotel, February 14, 2017.

On Tuesday, February 28 VDG1 John McDonald, PDG Ed Stano and Lion Russ Terpening visited with the Glens Falls Lions to discuss Camp Abilities Saratoga. Camper, Alex Sorensen had a chance to speak about his experience at camp and how much he is looking forward to getting back to camp! The Glens Falls Lions have been a supporter of the camp since it started and are looking forward to it again this year.



Left to right: 2nd Vice President John Byrne, Alex Sorensen, King Lion Jenn Howse, IVDG John McDonald, PDG Ed Stano, and Lion Russell Terpening at the Queensbury Hotel, Glens Falls Lions Meeting, February 28, 2017.

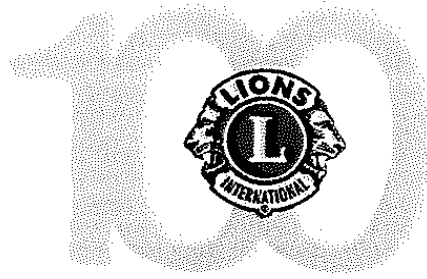
### King Lion Jenn Howse

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www.glensfallsions.org

Visit our FB page! <http://tinyurl.com/ow6a9aa>





## Districts 20W, Y1 and Y2

We, the District Governors of W, Y1 and Y2, as the elected representatives of our districts, request that you vote "YES" on the redistricting question that will appear on your ballot in Lake Placid.

The proposed plan was adapted from others that we have seen over the years. We took it to our cabinets, clubs and members for their consideration and discussion. Each District held special conventions to discuss and vote on this plan and then came to the Multiple District council with our overwhelming support for redistricting. The council voted to put this question on the ballot in Lake Placid.

In our plan, District W will be split with two counties merging with District Y1 to become "Y" with 54 clubs and 1373 members. The remainder of W will merge with District Y2 to form the new "W" with 56 clubs and 1547 members.

For our districts to continue to serve our clubs, members and communities, we need to take this action. This was not an easy decision for any of us but is one that is necessary for our respective districts and for the Multiple District as well.

We hope that you will support us with an affirmative vote in Lake Placid. Thank you for helping us to continue to serve our communities.

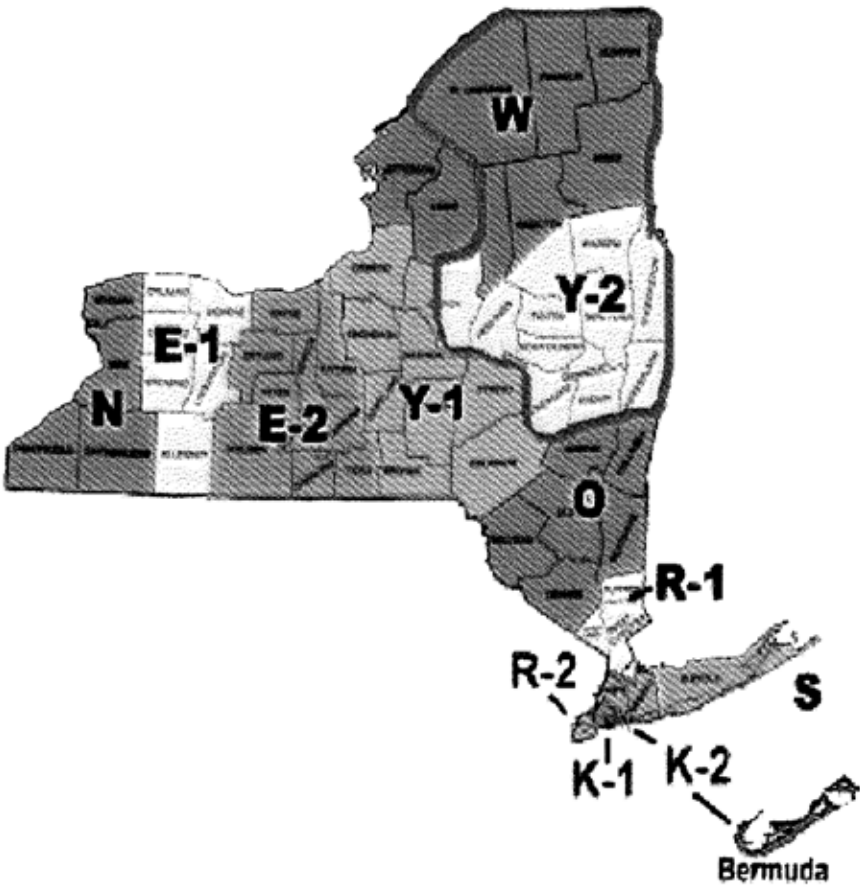
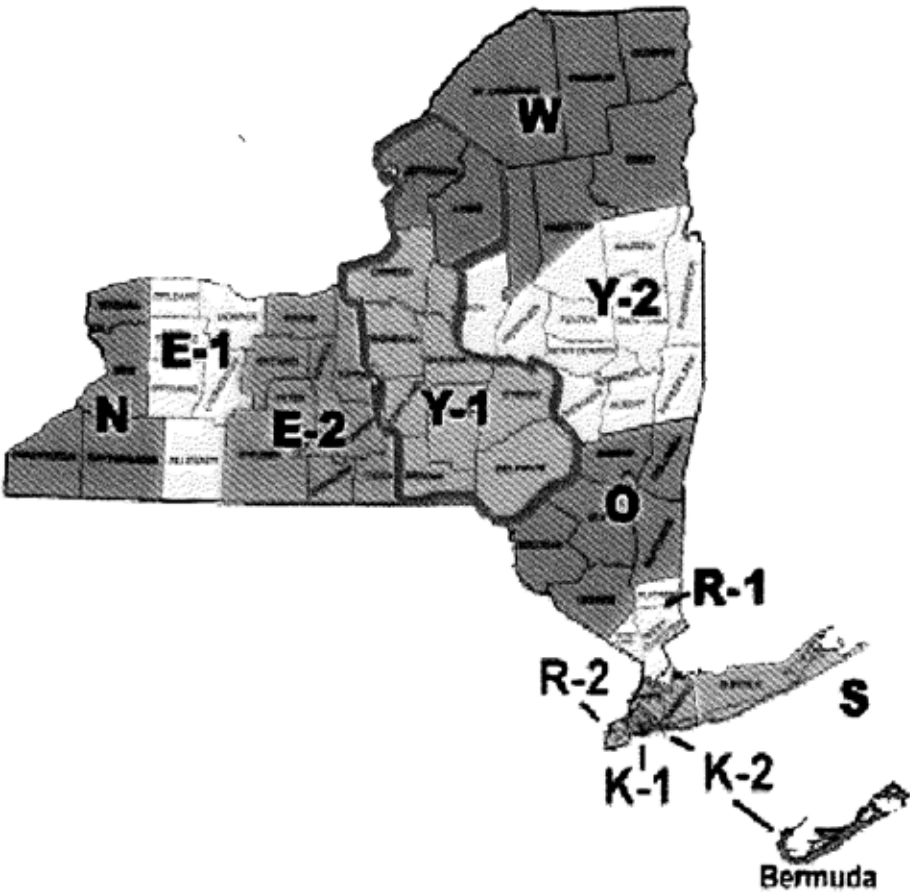
Sincerely,

DG James Griffith  
District Y2

DG Linda Mott  
District Y1

DG Kelly Clark  
District W





# District & Club Events

**NEW VENUE!**  
NOW at the Canfield Casino

## Night At The **BREWSEUM** Craft Beer & Military Gear

FRIDAY, APRIL 21, 2017  
6PM – 9:30PM  
CANFIELD CASINO  
CONGRESS PARK, SARATOGA SPRINGS, NY

TICKETS ARE  
AVAILABLE AT THE  
MILITARY MUSEUM  
GIFT SHOP

or online

**BrownPaperTickets.com**  
Event #2723771

**DRUTHERS**



OUR SPONSORS:



Presented by the Saratoga Springs Lions Club and Friends of the NYS Military Museum



**21 and Over Only • ID is Required**



**YOUR CLUB IS INVITED**  
to join the

**SARATOGA SPRINGS  
LIONS CLUB**



Help us celebrate  
our Centennial Pride  
by participating  
in the City's Annual

**FLAG DAY PARADE**

**SAT., JUNE 10, 2017 @ Noon**

For more information contact 1VDG John McDonald  
[jmcdonald33@nycap.rr.com](mailto:jmcdonald33@nycap.rr.com)

# **Waterford Lions Club**

## **Lions Club Meet and Greet**

**APRIL 5, 2017: 5:00PM – 8:00 PM**

**MCGREIVEY'S RESTAURANT**

**91 BROAD ST. WATERFORD, NY**

## **Hors d'oeuvres & featuring a CHINESE AUCTION**

**Donation: \$20.00 PER PERSON**

**Includes: 1 drink plus appetizers.**

**TICKETS** will be available for purchase for the Chinese Auction. Twenty-five tickets will cost \$5.00.

**Proceeds to benefit The Waterford Lions Club**





# CASINO GAMES & TRAILOR

**FULLY EQUIPPED & Ready for Fun to Fundraise**

## WHAT YOU GET!

**Trailer** Everything has its assigned place in a custom built trailer

**20 Blackjack Tables**

**20 Card Shoes**

**100 Decks of Cards**

**Horse Wheel ~ Money Wheel**

**"Beat the Dealer" Dice Table Game**

**"Joker 7" Card Table Game**

**"Bird Cage" Game**

**Bunch O' Chips**



**Contact Lion Phil Klein  
Saratoga Lions Club**

**518-378-8111 ~ [pklein@adirondacktrustinsurance.com](mailto:pklein@adirondacktrustinsurance.com)**



# ATTENTION District 20Y2 Lions!!!

## TRUSTEE POSITION AVAILABLE

(beginning Lions' year 7/1/2017)

### New York State and Bermuda Lions Foundation

Applicants submit their form  
to PDG Joan Scott.

Contact PDG Stano - estanojr@nycap.rr.com

PDG Joan Scott - jmsc@roadrunner.com

or

Mary Claire Noakes - mcnoakes@roadrunner .com  
for more information.

IT'S  
EASY AS  
1-2-3



**HEY LIONS!**  
Inquiring Lions want  
to know what  
**YOUR CLUB**  
is up to!!!

Detailed info is on  
page 21  
of this newsletter

**Submit an article and pictures  
of your clubs past activities.**

**Send a flyer of upcoming  
fundraisers and events.**

**1. Send copy in word or .pdf**

**2. Send pictures in .jpg**

**3. Send by the 28th to  
karen@deuxflutes.com**

## YOU ARE INVITED!!! MD-20 NEW YORK/BERMUDA CONVENTION

**Lake Placid, NY**

May 5, 2017 – May 7, 2017



### WHY SHOULD YOU ATTEND?

Enjoy the beauty of Lake Placid and the majestic Adirondacks!

Reconnect with old Lions friends and make new ones

Learn at our workshops

Support your outgoing and incoming District officers

Share your enthusiasm and your ideas

Sit around a warm fire

Honor lost Lions at our Necrology service

Be part of the Opening ceremony

Be part of the Closing ceremony

Share with the rest of us your District's and Club's successes

Visit the Olympic ski jumps

Take in some local history

Stand where the "1980 Olympic Hockey Miracle On Ice" happened

Ride the bobsled run (Tell that story when you get back!!!)

Be drawn to the dance floor by the Saturday night Gala band

Relax at the the Thursday night "First Nighter"

Take a history walk around Mirror Lake with MJ

Learn about Lions programs from our exhibitors

Take home a special Adirondack gift

**DEADLINE TO BOOK A ROOM  
IS MARCH 15, 2017**  
**[www.md20lions.com/pdf/](http://www.md20lions.com/pdf/)**

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**FOURTH**

# District 20Y2 Cabinet Meeting



**Saturday, March 18, 2017**

**Holiday Inn Resort**

**223 Canada Street, Lake George, NY 12845**

**9:00 am Registration ~ Meeting ~ Lunch ~ Dismissal**  
**Coffee/Tea/Juice/Muffins – Deli Buffet/Salads and Cookies**  
**\$24.00 per person**

**Please share this with all your members in your club. Everyone is always welcome.**



**Please either email me ([mohare@naba-vision.org](mailto:mohare@naba-vision.org)) or mail me this form if you are not attending by FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 2017.**

**If you are attending, please send the form below and your check ("District 20Y2 Lions Clubs") for \$24.00/person to:**

**Lion Michele O'Hare, 8 Turnberry Drive, Slingerlands, NY 12159.**

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at 518-463-1211 x 241.

\_\_\_\_\_ Attending \_\_\_\_\_ Not Attending email: \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Club: \_\_\_\_\_

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Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Club: \_\_\_\_\_

## 2017 MD1 Host Committee

## COMMEMORATIVE PIN ... ORDER FORM



#1

Ship to: (Please Print clearly or Type)

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

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

Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Three dimensional  
pewter pin with raised  
Lions Emblem



#2

*Please send me*

Pin #1 \_\_\_\_\_ Pin (s) at \$5.00 ea. ... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Pin #2 \_\_\_\_\_ Pin (s) at \$5.00 ea. ... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Pin #3 \_\_\_\_\_ Pin (s) at \$5.00 ea. ... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Shipping add ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

One - Two pins ..... \$ 3.00

Three - Five pins ..... \$ 5.00

Six - Ten pins ..... \$ 9.00

*Orders that are for more than 10 pins, call for shipping  
charges before placing the order.*

Total amount enclosed ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_



Three dimensional pin

#3

All Pins Not Shown  
to Actual Size

*Please make check or money order payable in (U.S. Funds Only) to:*

**Lions 2017 Host Committee**

Mail to:

Lion Wm Prucha  
10900 S. Avenue A  
Chicago, IL 60617  
(708) 606-8507

Lion Bob Block, PDG  
615 205th Place  
Dyer, IN 46311  
(219) 671-0287



| Sunday  | Monday | Tuesday  | Wednesday | Thursday  | Friday | Saturday  |
|---|--------|--|-----------|---|--------|---|
|   |        |  | 1         | 2<br>NABA Albany<br>Blind Bowling<br>Playdium Bowling Center<br>363 Ontario St., Albany, NY<br>6:00 pm/\$14.50/wk       | 3      | 4<br>Lions<br>Day<br>at the UN<br><br>GALWAY<br>Cabin Fever<br>SONGFEST   |
| 5   | 6      | 7<br>NABA Free<br>Technology<br>NABA, 301 Washington<br>Avenue, Albany, NY<br>1:00 - 3:00 pm<br>Free to Blind and<br>Visually Impaired | 8         | 9<br>NABA Albany<br>Blind Bowling<br>Playdium Bowling Center<br>363 Ontario St., Albany, NY<br>6:00 pm/\$14.50/wk       | 10     | 11  |
| 12  | 13     | 14   | 15        | 16<br>NABA Albany<br>Blind Bowling<br>Playdium Bowling Center<br>363 Ontario St., Albany, NY<br>6:00 pm<br>\$14.50/week | 17     | 18<br>4th<br>DISTRICT<br>CABINET<br>MEETING<br>Lake George<br>Holiday Inn |
| 19  | 20     | 21<br>Support<br>NABA<br>by dining<br>at the<br>Inn at Saratoga  | 22        | 23<br>NABA Albany<br>Blind Bowling<br>Playdium Bowling Center<br>363 Ontario St., Albany, NY<br>6:00 pm/\$14.50/wk      | 24     | 25  |
| 26  | 27     | 28<br>Roar<br>Submission<br>Deadline!  | 29        | 30  | 31     |   |
| <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> <b>SAVE THE DATE!!!!</b><br/> <b>June 4, 2017</b><br/> <b>DG Testimonial, brunch at</b><br/> <b>Prime at Saratoga National</b> </div>                                 |        |  |           |   |        |   |
| <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> <b>Please check this Newsletter and the District Website</b><br/> <b>for details on all of these events → <a href="http://20y2lions.org">20y2lions.org</a></b> </div> |        |  |           |   |        |   |



As we near the end of the calendar year, we'd like to take this opportunity to thank all of you for your support and generosity. Whether monetarily, or by giving of your time here at the camp, we appreciate every dollar and/or ounce of effort! Lions Camp Badger continues to grow and succeed, and we look forward to a bright future for our special needs campers thanks to you, our biggest supporters.

### **Thank you to all of the Lions and Lions Clubs of Multiple District 20!**

Also, as we approach Holiday shopping season, we'd like to tell you about some exciting ways that you can help Lions Camp Badger without even reaching into your pocketbook! If you shop online by using Amazon or other online retailers, please check this out:

#### ✓ **AMAZONSMILE**

Amazon will donate **0.5%** of the price of your eligible AmazonSmile purchases to ***Empire State Special Needs Experience, Inc.*** This works all year, not just at holiday time.

AmazonSmile is the same Amazon you know. Same products, same prices, same service. Just remember to choose AmazonSmile instead of Amazon in your browser and select ***Empire State Special Needs Experience, Inc.*** as your charity.

There is absolutely no cost to you.

Start your shopping now at: <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/16-0926574>

***Remember to bookmark the site and use it every time you shop at Amazon!***

#### ✓ **GIVING ASSISTANT**

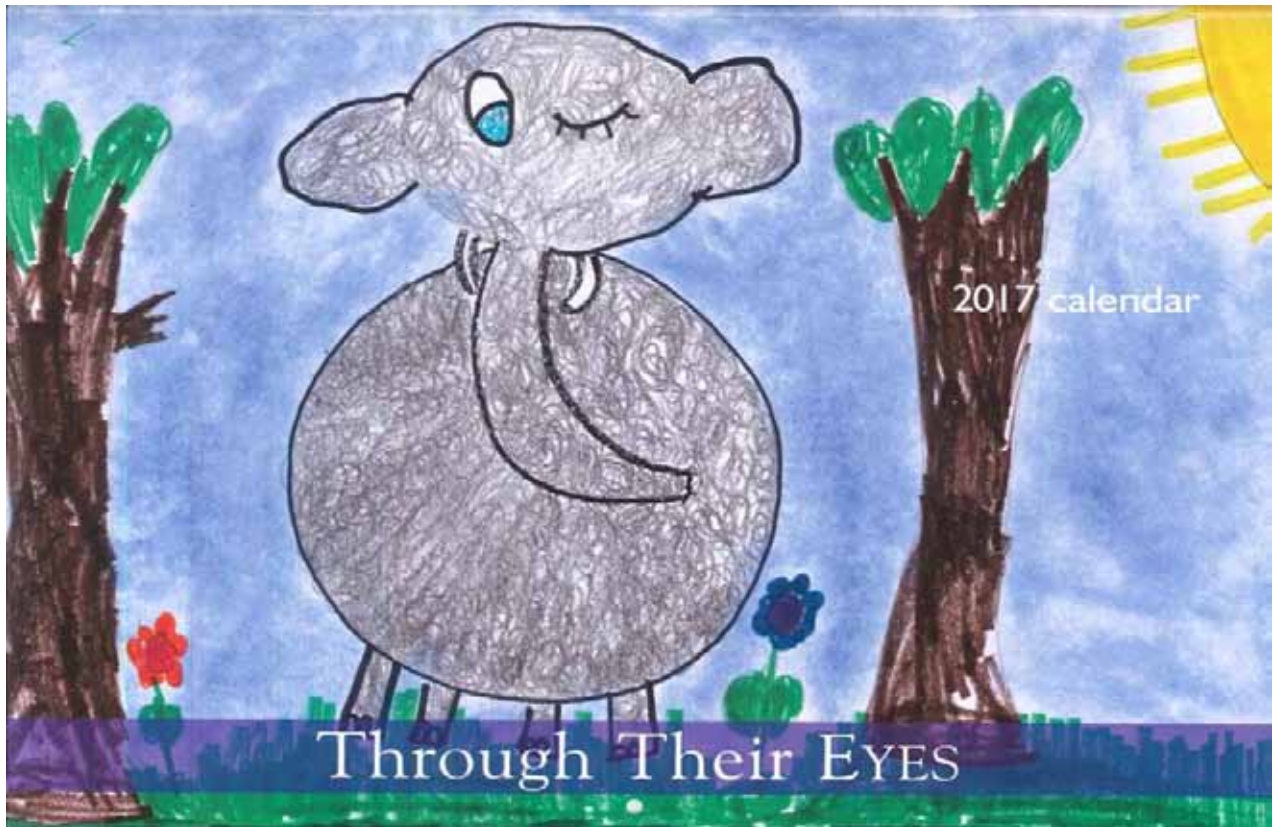
Donate up to 30% of your purchase price to ***Empire State Special Needs Experience Inc.*** when you shop at 1800+ popular online retailers using Giving Assistant! It's easy. Giving Assistant pays you cash back, and you choose how much of it you'd like to donate to us.

<https://givingassistant.org/np#empire-state-special-needs-experience-inc>

# Give the Gift of Sight!

Support blind children by purchasing a

## **“Through Their Eyes” 2017 Calendar**



**\$8.00 (no tax due)**

Please make checks payable to  
Lions Eye Bank at Albany  
6 Executive Park Drive, Albany, NY 12203

**For more information  
(518) 489-7606  
[jbeach@lionseyebankalbany.org](mailto:jbeach@lionseyebankalbany.org)**



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**Utica Lions Bottle And Can Drive  
Proceeds Go To Help Need In Our Community**

**We Have An Account For Drop Offs @  
Stash's Hit And Run  
917 Oriskany St W  
Utica, NY 13202  
Mon-Sat: 9am-5pm**

**Please Address This is For The Utica Lions Club**



**Thank You For Your Support  
Contact: Antonetta Panuccio@ Utica Lions Club  
Facebook.Com**

# District & Club Resources

## Is your club in The ROAR/MD20Magazine?

**Let the District and the State know the  
GREAT THINGS YOUR CLUB IS DOING!**

Below are the specifications for each publication.

### MD/20 MAGAZINE SUBMISSIONS

**December 23, 2016 ~ May 26, 2017**

**ONLY TWO ISSUES will be emailed and include district news.**

I will submit everything I receive by the deadline, however submission does not guarantee publication.

I am not the editor of the MD20 magazine.

### THE ROAR SUBMISSIONS

**MARCH 28, 2017**

**Everything received by the deadline will be in the next issue. Publication will be the 1st of every month.**

#### ARTICLES

- Digital submission **preferred** in upper/lower case format.
- Microsoft Word, PDF, or text embedded in an email are acceptable.
- If it is handwritten, it **MUST BE LEGIBLE**.
- No scanned newspaper articles. Newspaper articles will be accepted IF they are in digital format, and with written permission from the originating publication.
- SPELL CHECK everything, particularly names, titles, club name, etc.

#### PHOTOS

- Digital submission **preferred** in JPEG or TIFF format.
- Hard copies are acceptable (Please do not write on the back).
- Newspaper photos are not acceptable.
- SPELL CHECK everything, particularly names, titles, club name, etc.
- **PLEASE MAKE SURE CAPTIONS ARE IDENTIFIED WITH CORRESPONDING PHOTOS!**

#### EVENT FLYERS (THE ROAR ONLY)

- Original documents saved in PDF format or Microsoft Word are acceptable. No scanned documents. Flyers may be “reworked” due to space requirements.
- SPELL CHECK everything, particularly names, titles, club name, etc.

Submissions can be made to [karen@deuxflutes.com](mailto:karen@deuxflutes.com)  
or Lion Karen Rager, 82 Hunter Lane, Queensbury, NY 12804.



**District 20 - Y2  
Lions Hearing Conservation Society**

**LIONS LOAN-OUT EQUIPMENT**

Below is a list of assistive devices available at many of the District 20Y2 Lions Loan-Out Centers.  
(Other equipment may be available upon request.)

**Pocketalker**

Personal amplifier. Ideal for one-to-one communication and T.V. listening.

**Infrared T.V. Listening System**

Wireless, infrared amplification system.

**Personal FM System**

Wireless portable amplification system. Transmits up to 300 feet. Helpful for an individual or large group situation.

**Amplified Telephone**

Adjustable volume control with amplified ringer.

**CapTel Telephone**

Telephone that has both amplification and caption capability.

**Amplified Telephone Ringers**

Provides adjustable ring volume, frequency and pitch tone.

**Whistle Stop**

Phone adapter to prevent feedback from using telephone with hearing aid.

**Digital Alarm Clock**

Wake to an alarm, a flashing light, or a portable pillow shaker.

**Alert Master**

Uses a pillow shaker and a lamp flashing simultaneously to alert you to a smoke detector sounding, door knocking, telephone ringing, and alarm clock activation.

**Personal Body Pager**

Pager works with the Alertmaster. The person wears it to alert to sounds while awake.

## District 20Y2 Hearing Conservation Society Loan Out Centers

**Albany** - Madison Hearing Center  
One Executive Center Drive -Suite 202  
Albany, NY 12203  
Voice: 518 690-2060

**Amsterdam** - Resource Center for Independent Living  
347 W. Main Street, Amsterdam, NY 12010  
Voice: 518 842-3561 TDD: 842-3593

**Herkimer** - Resource Center for Independent Living  
401 East German Street, Herkimer, NY 13350  
Voice: 315 866-7245 TDD: 315 866-7246

**Glens Falls** - Center for Better Hearing  
318 Ridge St, Glens Falls, NY 12801  
Voice/TTY: 518 798-4800

**Saratoga Springs** - Saratoga Hearing Center – Saratoga Medical Arts Center  
414 Maple Avenue, Saratoga Springs, NY 12866  
Voice/TTY: 518 584-0578

**Schoharie County Office for the Aging**  
113 Park Place, Suite 3  
Schoharie, NY 12157  
Voice: 518 584-0578

**Troy** - Hear USA  
2200 Burdett Avenue, Troy, NY 12180  
Voice: 518 272-7323

**Utica** - Resource Center for Independent Living  
PO Box 210, Utica, NY 13503



# LIONS WEBSITES

## DISTRICT 20Y2

[www.20y2lions.org](http://www.20y2lions.org)

## MULTIPLE DISTRICT 20

[www.md20lions.com](http://www.md20lions.com)

## LIONS INTERNATIONAL

[www.lionsclubs.org](http://www.lionsclubs.org)

## LIONS MEMBER CENTER

<http://tinyurl.com/gs6bwcs>

## ZONE CHAIR REPORTS

[tinyurl.com/jwewgvk](http://tinyurl.com/jwewgvk)

## CLUB OFFICER RESOURCES

<http://tinyurl.com/hyxxzc2>

## PUBLICATIONS AND FORMS RESOURCES

<http://tinyurl.com/hmrkzhc>

## CLUB SUPPLIES FORMS

<http://tinyurl.com/zje6s5b>

## LIONS APPROVED LOGOS

<http://tinyurl.com/ho7qrjd>

**These are VALUABLE resources! Take a look! Lots of FREE PR!**

Watch the video from the **Lions Eye Institute** at Albany  
<http://tinyurl.com/gopuypc>

**SEE WHAT WE DO!!!**

## HOW TO GET THE DISTRICT NEWSLETTER FOR **FREE!** !

**PLEASE PASS THIS ON!**



- ⇒ Go to **www.20Y2Lions.org**
- ⇒ Lower left corner/sign-up box
- ⇒ Fill in requested information
- ⇒ Respond to the request for confirmation from Vertical Response. NECESSARY!



[www.guidingeyes.org/](http://www.guidingeyes.org/)



Central Association for the  
Blind and Visually Impaired

[www.cabvi.org](http://www.cabvi.org)

**NABA**

Northeastern Association  
of the Blind at Albany

[www.naba-vision.org](http://www.naba-vision.org)

**Lions Eye Bank at Albany**

Sight Society of Northeastern New York, Inc.

[www.lionseyebankalbany.org](http://www.lionseyebankalbany.org)



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## LIONS QUEST CONTINUES TO GROW



LCIF is excited to announce the publication of the newest edition of Lions Quest social and emotional learning program for students from preschool through grade 12. There are new digital resources and updated course content to help address the issues facing today's youth. Visit [www.lions-quest.org](http://www.lions-quest.org) to learn more about the program and its effectiveness.

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