

THE NORTHERN LION

District 20-W Monthly News Letter

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DISTRICT GOVERNORS MESSAGE

Fellow Lions,
Thank you so much for giving me the opportunity to serve you as your District Governor this year. It was a challenging year in some ways but it was also a lot of fun. The best part and my favorite part this year was to visit your clubs. I loved getting out to the clubs, exploring and learning more about the clubs in District W. I found that it truly is a Wonderful district. It's been an honor and a privilege to serve alongside you this year. I'm proud of all of you and the things that we were all able to accomplish together this Lions year. Thank you for your assistance because without your support, there would be no me as District Governor. Thank you for welcoming me in when I visited your club, for listening to me and for your hospitality and generosity.

As my year as your District Governor draws to an end, so too does our time together as a district. I know that it's especially hard, but sometimes, one chapter has to close in order for a new, exciting chapter to begin. It's been really great to be a part of W. I have learned so much and grown so much as a person and have had many wonderful opportunities to serve alongside some really special people. It gave me the foundation that I needed to step into the role as District Governor. This district has a long rich history of service to those in our communities. We should

always remember that and be proud of it. Don't forget to celebrate and remember your accomplishments, share that pride with others and invite someone to join your club.

Keep in mind though that redistricting does not have an impact on how your club serves your community on a day-to-day basis. But I have to believe that exciting things are in store for us. We have new opportunities for forming new relationships and opportunities for growth in membership, leadership and service. We have two very talented district governors coming up who are hardworking, organized and dedicated Lions. I'm confident that they and their teams will serve all of us well as they lead us into the new era.

Again, thank you for your service to your communities this year. By working together (the Power of We) to take action to meet the needs in our communities (the Power of Action), we are helping to change lives for the better (the Power of Service). I hope you all have a wonderful summer and I wish you all the best in the coming Lions year. Keep up the great work!

Yours in service,
DG Donna Ober



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LCI Waives Entrance Fees

June 7 - June 30

I would like to share this special fee waiver announcement with you as a district and international leader. I will also be sending the following message to your club leaders and then to members. Please join me in encouraging our clubs to take advantage of this unique opportunity so we can make June our best membership month of all time. We're so close to our historic goal of 1.5 million members, so let's keep pushing to the end of the Lion year.

Entrance fees waived June 7-30!

To close out our incredible Centennial Celebration in style, **we're waiving entrance fees for new members who join between June 7 and June 30!** For more than 100 years, we've delivered hope and change to the world. Now, as we prepare for an innovative second century of service, there has never been a more exciting time become a Lion, and we want to make it as easy as possible for new members to join us.

So how does it work?

- **Invite** family and friends to join your club between June 7 and June 30.
- **Report** your new member to Lions International by 11:59 p.m. CDT on Saturday, June 30.
- **Save** money when your club billing automatically reflects this special promotion

Earn a Centennial Sponsor Pin for inviting a new member, and wear it with pride.

This is a limited offer that does not apply to new members added prior to June 7 or after June 30, 2018. No exceptions will be approved. Charter and transfer charter fees do not qualify for this special waiver. If you have any questions, please contact membershipdev@lionsclubs.org.

Invite your family and friends to join the greatest service organization in the world as we write the history of our second century together.

Sincerely,
Dr. Naresh Aggarwal
Your International President



Club Anniversaries



Quad Town - 14 Years

Please Join Us In Las Vegas

It seems like forever since our May, 2017 state convention in Lake Placid where I received Multiple District 20's endorsement as your candidate for the International Board of Directors. I was asked to step back in Chicago and become a candidate this year. I did that so now we are off to Las Vegas in June.

Lion Barb and I have stayed busy since Lake Placid. I am working on a cooperative effort with the 14,000 member American Association of Diabetes Educators to compliment our LCI Diabetes initiatives. The Lions Camp Badger (ESSNE) Board and I, along with others, are working on a diabetes camp as a new part of the Camp's program. We have been on the road visiting districts and visiting with sitting International Directors as they come into MD 20. I have also been honored with club and district speaking engagements.

Please join us in Las Vegas. Your presence will send a strong message of support for MD 20 and my candidacy. Lion Barb and I certainly appreciate the support you have shown us in this quest.

Let's cross this finish line together.

PCC Gary F. Brown
MD 20 Endorsed Candidate for the
LCI International Board of Directors



HELLO DISTRICT W LIONS!

Thank you to Lion Mike for his many years of service as editor of the Northern Lion! Well done!
I am the editor of the 20Y2 newsletter, the Lions Roar. I encourage all of you to submit articles, captioned photos and event flyers to me. My guidelines are below. I will also submit past articles of interest to the MD20 Magazine. I look forward to working with you all!

**Next deadline is
June 28th!!!**

Lion Karen Rager - karen@deuxflutes.com

Is your club in The LIONS ROAR and 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 15, 2017 ~ May 15, 2018

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). **WE ARE LIMITED TO ONE PAGE PER DISTRICT**
SO PLEASE LIMIT YOUR ARTICLES!

THE LIONS ROAR SUBMISSIONS

THE 28TH OF EVERY MONTH

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).
- Hard copy newspaper photos are not acceptable. Digital newspaper photos are acceptable **ONLY** with a release from the newspaper/photographer, with photographer credit.
- 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 .jpg, .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
or Lion Karen Rager, 82 Hunter Lane, Queensbury, NY 12804.

HOW TO GET THE DISTRICT NEWSLETTER FOR



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

District W Testimonial & Award Banquet Pictures



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Diabetes Awareness Message

Diabetes Awareness

As we head into summer, I hope that everyone uses the time to plan for Diabetes activities to start up in the fall. I am sure we will get more direction from LCI at the convention in Las Vegas but we have some creative people in our clubs that can find ways to serve right here at home. Activities do not need to be extensive just meaningful. We should all try to find some new ways to serve in this area.

If you have Type 2 diabetes, or you are at risk for the disease, I hope that you use the summer to get some exercise and eat fresh fruits and vegetables. A healthier diet is always easier with farm stands and farmers markets in our communities. It is also much easier walking in the summer when you don't have to worry about snow or ice.

Research continues especially for Type 1 diabetes. The flyer below came in the mail recently and I thought it was some great information to pass along. In addition, there has been some progress with Congress with regard to diabetes research money and hopefully, with insurance and pharmaceutical companies regarding insulin costs and coverage.

I was asked to be the Diabetes Chair for the new district Y next year so some of you will continue to hear from me monthly. I welcome the opportunity to serve the District in this way.

Thanks to all of you who have worked on diabetes this, year and I look forward to hearing about your activities for next year.

Lion Kelly Clark

WHAT CAUSES TYPE 1 DIABETES (T1D)?

Research is under way to find out what causes T1D — and how to stop it — but we already know that there are multiple components in play.

GENES AND FAMILY HISTORY

Certain genes increase a person's risk of developing T1D, as does family history. If you have a relative with T1D, your risk of developing it is 1 in 20, which is 15 times greater than the general population. The genetic coding that puts you at higher risk for T1D is in large part related to your body's immune response.

ENVIRONMENTAL TRIGGERS

Although genes are important in determining risk, they aren't the whole story. Environmental factors, such as viruses, may trigger T1D in people who are genetically at risk. Scientists believe that certain viruses may target beta cells, and as the immune response ramps up to fight those viruses, it goes awry and attacks uninfected beta cells by mistake.

IMMUNE RESPONSE

Once T1D is triggered, biochemical signs of the immune attack on beta cells can be detected. These signs, called autoantibodies, appear well before T1D symptoms do. As the immune attack continues and more beta cells are destroyed, insulin production decreases and blood glucose levels become abnormal. Eventually, so many beta cells are destroyed, and insulin production drops so low, that symptoms of T1D appear.

WHAT DOESN'T CAUSE T1D?

Onset of T1D has nothing to do with diet or lifestyle. Today, there is nothing you can do to prevent this disease or get rid of it.

Learn more about T1D by visiting jdrf.org!



Lions Camp Badger News

You're Invited!

LIONS APPRECIATION DAY

July 29, 2018

LIONS CAMP BADGER

9:45-10:00 - Arrival at Camp Chapel & Memorial Garden

10:15 - **Chapel** ~ Non-denominational Memorial Service and recognition of new pavers in Chapel Memorial Garden

10:45 - **Collins-Conroy Lodge** ~ Social time

11:15 - **Collins-Conroy Lodge** ~

Introduction of the 2018-19 Council & special guests

Special Awards & Recognitions

Summer Camp Presentation

12:30 - **Collins-Conroy Lodge** ~ Chicken BBQ, salt potatoes, coleslaw, pizza, cold drinks

NO CHARGE FOR LUNCH (donations welcome)

1:30 - **Collins-Conroy Lodge** ~ Annual Raffle Drawing

2:00 - **Collins-Conroy Lodge** ~ Board of Directors Mtg.

1:30 pm - 3:00 pm

Feel free to roam and enjoy

Lions Camp Badger!

Please RSVP to the camp office so that we can be sure to have enough delicious chicken BBQ!
607-589-4800 or
lionscampbadger@htva.net

Lowville Lions Centennial Project

In a small rural village in Upstate New York you will find beautiful Lions Times Square, the largest Lions Centennial legacy project in New York State. After completing a Community Needs Assessment with village leaders in March of 2015, the club decided to embark on a major downtown park and main street beautification project. This project fulfilled a community need for our residents. In addition to providing 18 additional downtown parking spots, 2 of which would be designated for the handicapped, a community park showcasing a grand 13-foot, four faced pedestal Verdin clock with four gold Lions and a 3-foot hand carved granite Lion was created. Total population of Lewis County around 25,000.

The center of our small town of Lowville had suffered a tragic fire in 1999. Multiple businesses were destroyed and no businesses rebuilt. Except for a few weeds, dirt, sparse plants and shrubs this four-way intersection in the center of the village of Lowville had been an eyesore for nearly 20 years. It was decided, here was a need and it was time for change. The village agreed to provide the infrastructure, drainage, electrical wiring, curbing, signage, paving, parking spaces and necessary right of way documentation from state and local governments. The Lions would subsequently purchase all the needs to create the park. Under the leadership of then President Sheree Vora and the support of the New York State and Bermuda Lions Foundation the club undertook a \$60,000 fundraising drive. By late spring of 2017 the club had exceeded their goal.

CONCEPTUAL DESIGN LOWVILLE LIONS LEGACY PROJECT

A committee of Lions and village leaders worked together over a year and a half. The legacy committee: Lions Arel Brown, Kelly Clark, Dennis Mastascusa and Sheree Vora, community member Tim O'Connor, village officials Mayor Donna Smith, Assistant Deputy Mayor Joseph Beagle and Superintendent of Public Works Lion Thomas Compo joined our team. Every 2-3 weeks Lion Sheree met with the village officials. Issues of water drainage, installation of wiring and electrical hook up, right of way issues with the department of transportation, certificate of occupancy needs and much more that needed to be addressed and finalized before the first shovel went into the ground. Frequent communication with engineer Ryan Churchill from GYMO Architectural and Engineering Firm led to the conceptual design seen below.



Lowville Lions Centennial Project

FUNDRAISING BEGINS FOR LOWVILLE LIONS LEGACY PROJECT

Lion Dan Root created a look alike wooden clock (pictured below) complete with a facing which simulated a 60 second hand. Each second indicative of \$1000 towards our \$60,000 goal. Lion Cynthia Brouty and partner in service Duane Brouty created a solid base foundation to hold the clock upright enabling it to be displayed at fundraising events. Our local Chamber of Commerce and Historical Society alternately displayed the clock, which showed our monetary progress on the facing, in their store front. Through fundraising efforts the club itself raised the initial \$4500. Soon two large grants totaling \$6500 were received from the Northern New York and Community Foundation, the George R. Davis fund and Michael K. Brown fund respectively. The community support started and never slowed down. Through grants, donation letters to businesses and community members, the club exceeded their goal. It was no longer an issue of "if" but "when" this project would be completed. "TIME FOR CHANGE" banks were spread throughout the village to collect change. Cans and bottles were donated to the Lions Club at our local redemption center. Nick Altmire was relentless in his coverage and spreading the word at linkinglewiscounty.com. Steve Virkler from our hometown newspaper, *The Journal and Republican* provided front page coverage along with neighboring journalist Joanna Moore from *The Boonville Herald*. Our local radio station host Brian Trainer from the Moose and our local television station WWNY TV 7 also gave significant coverage and support.



Lowville Lions Centennial Project

ALMOST TO OUR GOAL OF \$60,000.00

Pictured below Assistant deputy mayor Joseph Beagle, Lions Arel Brown and Sheree Vora, Mayor Donna Smith, Lions Kelly Clark and Tom Compo seen here presenting check to the village for purchase of park items for Lions Times Square. In the center is the clock built by Lion Dan Root which was used during the fundraising campaign.



Lowville Lions Centennial Project

LOWVILLE LIONS LEGACY PROJECT IS COMPLETED

Contents of the park include four engraved benches, two sets of garbage and recycling cans, two dog stations, elegant fencing along a simple walkway, beautiful landscaping, a 25 foot flagpole with a distinctive rock perimeter and a majestic 3 foot hand carved granite Lion. The focal point of the park is a 13 foot Verdin, four faced pedestal clock embossed with four gold Lions on each corner along with plaques. The clock also has a built-in town crier which can be programmed to play traditional and holiday songs throughout the year. An elegant write up on the front plaque describes the Lions legacy project. The other three bronze plaques list additional significant donors committed to supporting their community. A graceful design of engraved pavers encircle the base of the clock.



Lowville Lions Centennial Project

TIME TO CELEBRATE

Time to celebrate! We had our celebration June 7, 2017, the official day of Lions Clubs International. We thanked our founding father Melvin Jones and our original 30 all male charter members. Although the clock had arrived, the electricity and final infrastructure had been delayed due to an exceedingly rainy spring. This didn't stop the Lions or the village and its community members from coming out and celebrating. Lion Kari Taylor started off the occasion with a 5K Time To Roar Run/Walk. Runners and walkers were roaring all over town! Lions and volunteers were stationed at corners on the route ready with water bottles donated by our local Kinney Drugs store. The Lions mascots were there handing out centennial Lions birthday favors and bringing joy to everyone, young and old. There was a large birthday cake with the Lions Centennial logo in the center made by our local TOPS grocery store. Of course what is cake without ice cream! Lewis County General Hospital provided two large five gallon tubs of ice cream, one vanilla and one chocolate. Art students from Lowville Academy volunteered to do the face painting. Surrounding clubs participated and helped set up and clean up. Fun was had by all and now the anticipation would start as we awaited the announcement for the final clock installation. Community members volunteered to run the cotton candy booth, blow up helium balloons, help with Pin the tail on the Lion and everyone enjoyed music by Lone Wolf Entertainment run by John Foster and daughter Amy. The music was uplifting and featured The Lion Sleeps Tonight, ROAR by Katie Perry and several more knee tapping songs. Lions and community members danced and celebrated as a new chapter of history was unfolding.



Lion Sheree Vora, community member Linda Hill and Lion Manoj Vora participating in the Centennial TIME TO ROAR 5K.

Lowville Lions Centennial Project

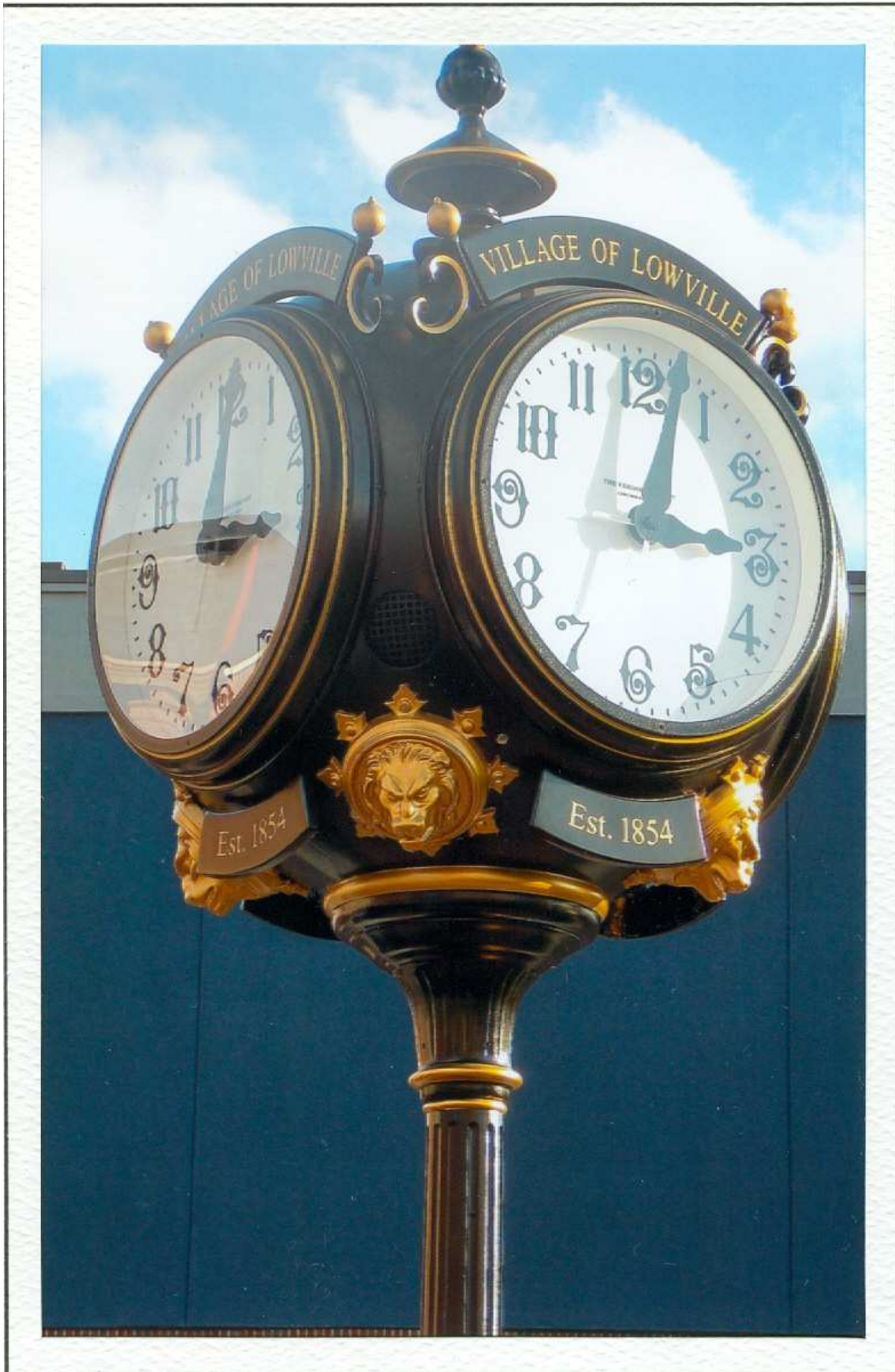


Check in station for TIME TO ROAR 5K race. Sitting is our youngest member Lion Shamaa Vora, volunteer Linda Hill. Back row Lion Barb Golas and participant John Flynn.



Lions mascots share in the celebration at Lions Time Square with our young supporter!

Lowville Lions Centennial Project



District 20W Centennial Challenge Project



June 30th will end this project. Many thanks to all who have contributed in a positive way to the outcomes. Clubs participation rates in 2 or more Centennial Projects by year:

2014-15, 15/33 (45%)

2015-16, 21/33 clubs (54%)

2016-17, 23/32 (72%)

So far in 2017-18, 24/31 (77%)

From 2014-06/05/2018, we inducted 197 NEW members!

We are still working with non-reporting clubs to increase our club participation rate to 31 clubs/100 %. WE CAN ACCOMPLISH THIS GOAL!

This project is all about SERVICE! Remember that the five service projects are: Diabetes; Environment; Hunger Relief; Vision; Youth. Please HELP US BY RECORDING 2 OF THE ABOVE SERVICE projects!

Centennial Community Legacy Projects completed: Level 1-8; Level 2-31; Level 3-4.

The 20-W Legacy Project status is that 15/31 clubs have sent me their history's. We are still accepting!

Submitted by PDG Bob Walker, 20-W Centennial Coordinator

GLOBAL MEMBERSHIP TEAM MESSAGE

TOPIC: GMT STATE OF 20-W Action Plans through **May** 2018

Summary of Annual Membership Goals:

Invite for Impact Goal/To date- 49	50
New Clubs Goal/To date- 0	1
Charter Members Goal/To date/ 0	20
Women Members Percentage Goal/To date- 36.54%	45
Retention Goal/To date-dropped members- 59	69
Net Membership Growth Goal/To date- -6	1

According to the Home report on MY LCI, as of 10 am today, 06/05/18, We have 31 clubs with 810 members because we **dropped 60** members, giving us a net **loss of 11**, even though we added 49 new members. In June, the Massena Club will disband losing another 7 members.

NO NEW CLUBS!

PLEASE TRY TO BRING IN NEW MEMBERS BEFORE JUNE! Final numbers will not be available until July 5th.

Sincerely Yours in Lionism, PDG Lion Liz Walker



New District W Region, Zone and Club Info

Region L

Region L Chair: Jim Winkler, 136 Utica Road, Clinton, New York 13323
315-853-6355 Cell 315-601-4038 Wink8@aol.com Club: Clinton

Zone Chair: Bill O'Mara, 131 Sanford Ave., Clinton, New York 13323
315-853-5973 Cell 315-527-8381 bill4077@yahoo.com Club: Clinton

Region I

Region I Chair: Robert Pandori, 5525 Crooked St, Broadalbin, NY
518-882-6944, rpandori@yahoo.com (Club: Galway)

Zone A: Mike Baxter, 102 Fairway Commons, Gansevoort, NY 12831
518-788-7570, mike@heberassociates.com (Club: Saratoga Springs)

Zone B: Robert Townsend, 805 County Highway 126, Amsterdam, NY 12010
518 843-6553 Broadalbin, rtownsen@nycap.rr.com (Club: Broadalbin – Perth)

Region O

Region O Chair: Florence Brisee, 192 Middletown Road, Waterford, NY 12188
518-235-4988 fbrisee@hotmail.com (Club: Waterford)

Zone Chair: Liza Tougher 16 Candlewood Lane, Delmar, NY 12054
518-439-0399 cell 518 -763-3329, Pansymoo@aol.com, (Club: Bethlehem)



New District W Region, Zone and Club Info

Region N

Region N Chair: PDG Joan Scott, 140 Gailey Hill Road, Lake Luzerne, NY 12846
518-696-2904 jmsc@roadrunner.com (Club: Glens Falls)

Zone A Chair: Scott Rager, 82 Hunter Lane, Queensbury, NY 12804
518-798-3143 rager@roadrunner.com (Club: Glens Falls)

Zone B Chair: Carman Bogle, 6 North Park Street, Cambridge, NY 12816
518-252-1008, carmanbogle@yahoo.com (Club: Cambridge)

Region S

Region S Chair: Joseph Latimer, P.O. Box 52, Newton Falls, NY 13666
315-287-1344, dlatimer@slc.com (Club: Clifton-Fine)

Zone A Chair: Rita Keenan, PO Box 96 , North Lawrence, NY 12967
315-389-4608, rkeenan2@twcny.rr.com (Club: Quad Town)

Zone B Chair: Ricky Laurin, 207 Sheldon Lane, Chazy, NY 12921
518-846-7269, jana5652@yahoo.com (Club: Chazy)

District 20-W Regions/Zones and Clubs

Region L

Deerfield, Herkimer, Holland Patent, Marcy Telephone Club, Clinton New Hartford, Utica, New York Mills Whitestown, Sauquoit Valley

Region I

Zone A: Ballston Spa, Galway, Greater Amsterdam, Saratoga Springs, Scotia-Glenville, Town of Greenfield

Zone B: Broadalbin-Perth, Central Mohawk Valley, Fonda & Fultonville, Gloversville, Johnstown, Northville-Sacandaga, Specualtor

Region O

Albany & Troy, Bethlehem, Greater Ravena, Waterford, Duane, Town of Wright/Schoharie Valley

Region N

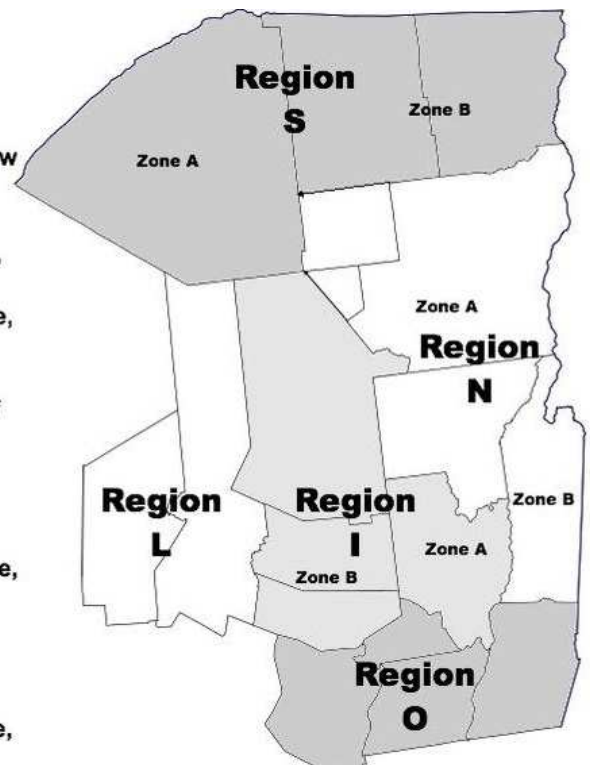
Zone A: Glens Falls, Hadley-Luzerne, Long Lake, Newcomb, Town of Schroom

Zone B: Cambridge, Greenwich, Mechanicville-Stillwater, Schuylerville, Town of Hoosick

Region S

Zone A: Clifton-Fine, Edwards, Gouverneur, Heuvelton, Lisbon, Ogdensburg, Louisville, Massena, Norfolk, Potsdam, Quadtown

Zone B: Malone, Chazy, Peru, Plattsburgh, Tupper Lake, Saranac Lake, Lake Placid



Lions SEE Message

Both Spot and Plusoptix have important updates for their vision screeners

- For Spot go to welchallyn.com, click on service and support and then software update. It only applies to newer screeners. Check your serial number.
- For Plusoptix go to plusoptix.com, click on support and follow the instructions.

Please pass this important info along to all your screeners and clubs that own cameras.

PDG Mike Lawkowski
President Lions SEE

The LionsSEEny website is: <http://www.lionsseeny.org>

NYS & Bermuda Lions Foundation Winning Tickets

The winners of the NYS&BLF are listed below for a total of 15 winning tickets

1. Uiguelia Fana R2	8. 4 names hard to read from Sclo Ee
2. Caanaserage Lions E1	9. Grand Island Lions Club
3. Schuylerville Lions Y2	10. Patchogue Lioness Lions Club S
4. Waverly Lions E2	11. Melinda Ouraki R2.
5. PDG Ozzie Torres R1	12. Bed-Sty Lions K2
6. PDG Marie Petratis S	13. Mac CAMPALL K1
7. Clinton Lions Y2	15. Cheektowaga Lions N

LCI Dues Credit for Dropped Members Info

Dear Lion Leaders,

Starting on June 30, 2018, **dues credits for membership drops will not be issued** after the release of the semi-annual billings on July 1 and January 1.

In the past, Lions Clubs International has given clubs a grace period in January and July to adjust their club rosters and receive a credit for unreported membership drops. This practice has been a courtesy extended to clubs by Lions International despite rules governing the practice in Board Policy. The board of directors recently decided that enforcement of existing policy is necessary in order to be in compliance with Board Policy.

This will also provide greater alignment with district billing and create more accurate reporting that better reflects true membership growth. We realize that this will have an impact on some clubs, so we would like you to help them prepare for the upcoming billing cycle.

Here are a few best practices that can help you prepare your clubs for their July dues billing:

- **Remind** club officers to update their membership rosters using MyLCI or their regional reporting system.
- **Encourage** club officers to submit their membership roster to MyLCI or their local reporting system prior to **June 30, 2018 CDT**.
- **Inform** current and incoming leaders that membership dues credits will no longer be issued.

Please contact Accounts Receivable and Club Account Services at membershipbilling@lionsclubs.org if you have any questions. And thank you for all of the kindness and tremendous service that you bring to your community.

Sincerely,
Tony Benbow
International Director
Chairperson Finance & Headquarters Operation Committee
Lions Clubs International

“WE SERVE”

Association for the Visually Impaired Of Northern NY



23RD ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT *Laurence W. Kissel* MEMORIAL

BENEFIT OF
ASSOCIATION FOR THE BLIND
& VISUALLY IMPAIRED OF
Northern NY

FRIDAY, JULY 13, 2018

SIGN IN: 8:30

PLEASE ARRIVE EARLY !!! for:

1. Registration
2. Complimentary team photos
(foursome must be present)

**SHOTGUN START FOR
ALL GOLFERS AT 9:30 A.M.**

ENTRY FEE:

\$70.00 per person
which includes: 18
holes of golf with cart,
lunch and awards
buffet after golf.

SPECIFICS: —

4 – person Captain and Crew – Men, Women,
Co-ed Divisions, Prizes for top teams/ Closest
to the pin/ Longest drive & more!

• Highland Meadows Golf Club, St. Rte 342, Watertown,
NY (golf342.com)

Mulligans - \$20 per team

Raffle tickets — strips of 10/\$10

Team fee - \$280

☐ payment enclosed

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☐ I prefer to pay at registration

PLEASE REGISTER TEAMS AT

<http://abvinny.org/golf-tournament-registration/>

OR CALL 315-782-2451

Around District 20-W

From Town of Schroon Lions Clubs

SCHROON LAKE, NEW YORK

Saturday, June 16th, 2018

Schroon LIONS Golf Tournament



Schroon Lake Golf Club
Hoffman Road
Schroon Lake, NY 12870
Phone: 518-532-9359
Saturday, June 16, 2018

Cost: \$50 per player

Enjoy 18 great holes of golf, breakfast, lunch, cash prizes and an exciting 19th hole CTP shootout while raising money to provide scholarships for higher education through the Schroon Lake Lions Club.

- \$400 1st Place Team
- \$200 2nd Place Team
- \$100 3rd Place Team
- \$ 40 4th Place Team
- \$50 Putting Challenge on the Practice Green
- 4-\$50 Long Drive Contests Ladies, Men & Senior Ladies and Senior Men
- 2-\$50 Closest to Pin Prizes, thanks to Friedman Realty
- Two Exciting Casino Holes
- The Flanagan's 19th Hole, \$150 Closest to the Pin Shootout.

Tel: 518-532-9359

To help us plan for this event, please pre-register by mail or call the Schroon Lake Golf Club by June 6th, 2018

Seventeenth Annual LIONS Golf Tournament 4 Player Scramble



The LIONS Tournament will be held **Saturday, June 16**, at the historic Schroon Lake Golf Club in picturesque Schroon Lake, New York.

Continental breakfast and registration begins at 7:30 am, with team selection at 8:00 am and a shotgun tee-off at 8:30 am. The total cost for this event is **\$50**. This price includes entry into all events, 18 holes of golf (Club membership does not cover tournament play), continental breakfast, barbeque lunch at the famous LIONS grill shack, and various awards and prizes.

Thank you again to Flanagan's for sponsoring the popular 19th Hole – 100 yards "\$150 closest to the pin shootout"!
Thanks to Friedman Realty for the "Closest to Pin" prizes on the 2nd and 11th holes!

All prizes will be awarded directly following golf.
Golf attire required. Cart rentals available. Must be at least 14 years old.

Thank you for your continued support!

Entry Form: Mail to Schroon Lake Lions Club, PO Box 752, Schroon Lake, New York 12870

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone or e-mail _____

9 Hole Handicap _____ Fee \$50: ☐ Check enclosed. ☐ (\$5 off if paid by May 15) ☐ Pay at Tournament ☐

Around District 20-W
From Gouverneur Lions Clubs
Gouverneur Lions Club Golf Tournament

June 23 @12:00



Join us for a day of fun and golf at Emerald Greens Golf Course! This four-person best ball format is open to everyone and will create a truly spectacular golf experience. It will also present the opportunity to meet and support the Gouverneur Lions Club.

\$60.00 per person on or before June 23, this includes:
18 Holes of golf with cart, raffle ticket, gift bag, hamburgers and hotdogs on the turn around, and a buffet dinner following the event. This will be a Fund Raiser with a raffle and good times!

Signup sheet at Emerald Greens Golf Course
Or call 287-4497

Around District 20-W

From Long Lake Lions Clubs

On Tuesday, May 22 the Lions Club of Long Lake inducted two new members, Jodi Hartle and Laura Young who were both sponsored by Lion Carol Inserra. Lion Dan McClellan of the Tupper Lake Lions Club conducted the initiation and gave an interesting, short history of the club and its service goals before administering the oath of membership to Jodi and Laura.

Along with welcoming two new members to the Long Lake chapter, Lions club members from both Tupper Lake and Newcomb were in attendance as well since it was spouses' night. Everyone enjoyed a celebratory meal together at the Adirondack Hotel.

New members are always welcome. Lions focus on service to their local community. Contact Sue Kunzmann at sbk1226@gmail.com or 518-624-6677 for information and to learn more about the Lions' activities.

Pictured below are new Lions Jodi and Laura along with their sponsor Lion Carol.



Around District 20-W

From Watertown Lions Clubs



In photo above PDG Liz Walker presents Lion Fred Dean of the Watertown Lions Club with his 45 year pin.



District 20-W Schedule of Events 2016-2017



International Events

101th Annual Lions Club International
Convention

June 29 thru July 3, 2018
Las Vegas, NV.

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