

The Lions' Roar



The Monthly District 23B Governor's Update

September 2023

District Governor's Corner DG Peter Nevers



The **Veterans Stand Down**, will be held Friday, September 22, 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM
Bristol - St Gregory CCD Center, 1043 Stafford Ave.
Rocky Hill - Connecticut Department of Veterans Affairs, main campus 287 West Street.

We have an email address now: **D23BLionsRoar@gmail.com**. Please use this email address. The deadline for submissions is the 15th of the month prior to the issue date: **September 15** for the **October Lions' Roar**. Then submit to **District23BSpirit@gmail.com**, **September 15** for the **October District Spirit**. (The District Spirit is usually September, December, March and June.)

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2nd Cabinet Meeting Lions Club District 23 B, Monday, October 2, 2023, at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Charlies Pizza 386 Prospect Street, East Hartford, CT - Cost of Dinner \$30:00 per person.

Please RSVP to PDG ED FENTON edehlions@aol.com by September 28, 2023, at 6:00 p.m.

District Calendar

Barkhamsted Lions Club, Autos & Ales, October 21, 2023 11:00 am

Free - The Ballards, 17 Riverton Rd, Riverton CT

Come see old cars, electric cars, motorcycles, and more as you enjoy a cold brew. This event is in conjunction with The American Legion, The Riverton Lions, & The Riverton Grange. Don't miss this fun event.

Movie Night, October 28, 2023 5:30

\$5.00 Single Family \$10 Large Family

Barkhamsted Senior Center

Kids get your costumes on and come down to watch the "Goonies". Join us Saturday Oct 28, 2023 from 5:30 - 8:30 pm. Hamburger and Hot Dogs will be available for sale as well as delicious popcorn & candy. Don't be late!

Berlin Lions Club , Berlin Fair - details at

www.ctberlinfair.com

September 14 - 17, 2023

430 Beckley Rd, Berlin, CT 860.828.0063 info@ctberlinfair.com

During the fair Beckley Road is one way in the direction from Wethersfield Rd to Berlin St.



Bloomfield Lions Club, Town Wide Tag Sale. September 16, 2023 from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Location: 330 Park Avenue (Carmen Arace Parking Lot) Bloomfield, CT 06002
Vendor Space - 10x10, price \$25 (bring your own table and chair). For more information call 860-882-3679, or www.bloomfieldlionsct.org



Hartland Lions Club 1960-70s Dance, Saturday, October 14, 2023 from 6pm - PIZZA - 7-10 pm LIVE MUSIC - by Dually Noted.
West Hartland (CT) Library, 61 Center St. (Rt. 20)
Tickets \$20.00 - or more information call Diana Evans 860-653-6753



Harwinton Lions Club at Harwinton Fair, October 6, 7 & 8, 2023 4:00 pm - 9:00 pm
\$10.00 at Harwinton Fairgrounds Come and help out with the booth and seeing the fair.
We will be **selling Pierogies** at our Food Booth

New Hartford Lions Club, Bi-Annual Giant Flea Market

This activity will be held on September 23, 2023 from 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM EST.
Location: Brodie Park - 580 West Hill Rd, New Hartford, CT 06057, USA.
The New Hartford Club's Bi-Annual Giant Flea Market is a destination event. Vendors from all over come to sell their wares and see this as one of their best and last events of the season. Attendees enjoy shopping, seeing friends and eating delicious foods prepared and served by our Lion's Members. Come join us! (Early Birds: 6:30am to 8:00am) RAIN OR SHINE Antiques, Arts, Crafts, Tag Sale Items, Food, Free Parking, \$3.00 Adult Admission (\$10.00 early admission 6:30-8:00AM), NO PETS ALLOWED Vendors still wanted....call 860-489-9188 for application.



New Milford Lions Club, Apple Festival, September 23, 2023, Town Green

New Milford Lions Club, Haunted Trail, October 16, 2023, Harrybrooke Park

The Plainville Lions will be sponsoring a Red Cross Blood Drive on Friday November 18th. The time is from 10:00 to 2:30 pm in the Parish Hall at Our Lady of Mercy Church 19 South Canal Street, Plainville. To schedule an appointment, Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit the Red Cross online at www.RedCrossBlood.org. Enter sponsor code: PlainvilleCT

Washington Lions Club, Trivia Night, November 04, 2023, 7:00pm
\$75.00 per Table of 6 - Bryant Memorial Town Hall

Watertown Lions Club, 2nd Annual Game Dinner, Friday, November 3, 2023, 6pm - 10pm
Dinner at 6:30pm, Raffles available. Watertownlions.square.site



Windsor Lions Club, Community Tag Sale, September 23, 2023, 8:00am-2:00pm Free Windsor Town Green

Spaces are available in advance for a nominal fee. Contact Trish Jeffrey 860-808-9994

Fall Arts and Craft Fair, October 07, 2023 10:00am until 4:00pm

Windsor Town Green

Vendors selling beautiful handcrafted items. To reserve a site and for information, contact Debbie Loomer at 860-836-0280

Windsor Locks Lions Club, Community Tag/Vendor sale, September 16, 2023 10 am, Town Hall, 50 Church Street

Woodbury Lions Club, 4th Annual, Golf Tournament, October 16, 2023, Highfield Club, 256 White Deer Rocks Rd, Middlebury, CT

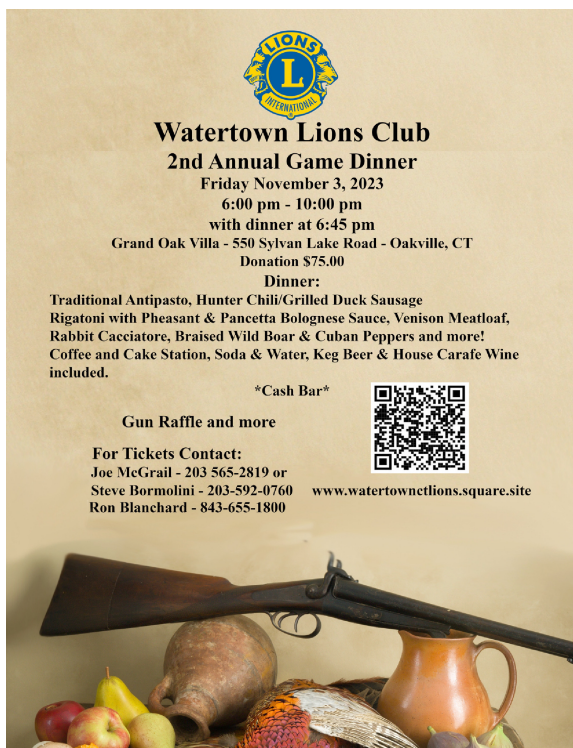
\$150 per person, WoodburyCTLions.org Email: ryan@ventworx.com - Call: 203-802-8388

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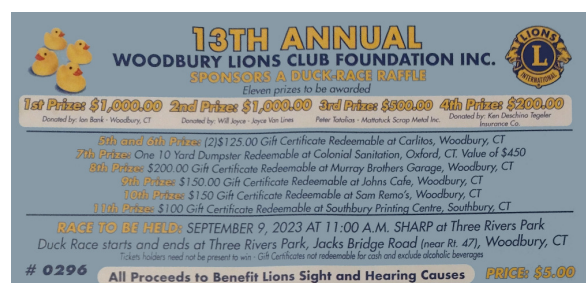
All dates that are provided for publication will appear at the Calendar page of the District 23B website at <https://e-district.org/sites/23b/calendar.php>

Don't Miss It.



Watertown Lions Club
2nd Annual Game Dinner
Friday November 3, 2023
6:00 pm - 10:00 pm
with dinner at 6:45 pm
Grand Oak Villa - 550 Sylvan Lake Road - Oakville, CT
Donation \$75.00
Dinner:
Traditional Antipasto, Hunter Chili/Grilled Duck Sausage
Rigatoni with Pheasant & Pancetta Bolognese Sauce, Venison Meatloaf,
Rabbit Cacciatore, Braised Wild Boar & Cuban Peppers and more!
Coffee and Cake Station, Soda & Water, Keg Beer & House Carafe Wine
included.
Cash Bar
Gun Raffle and more
For Tickets Contact:
Joe McGrail - 203-565-2819 or
Steve Bormolini - 203-592-0760
Ron Blanchard - 843-655-1800
www.watertownctlions.square.site

Events that we missed.



13TH ANNUAL WOODBURY LIONS CLUB FOUNDATION INC. SPONSORS A DUCK RACE RAFFLE
Eleven prizes to be awarded.
1st Prize \$1,000.00 2nd Prize \$1,000.00 3rd Prize \$500.00 4th Prize \$200.00
5th and 6th Prizes (2) \$125.00 Gift Certificate Redeemable at Carlin's, Woodbury, CT
7th Prize One 10 Yard Dumpster Redeemable at Colonial Sanitation, Oxford, CT. Value of \$450
8th Prize \$200.00 Gift Certificate Redeemable at Murray Brothers Garage, Woodbury, CT
9th Prize \$150.00 Gift Certificate Redeemable at Johns Cafe, Woodbury, CT
10th Prize \$150 Gift Certificate Redeemable at Sam Reno's, Woodbury, CT
11th Prize \$100 Gift Certificate Redeemable at Southbury Printing Centre, Southbury, CT
RACE TO BE HELD: SEPTEMBER 9, 2023 AT 11:00 A.M. SHARP at Three Rivers Park
Duck Race starts and ends at Three Rivers Park, Jacks Bridge Road (near Rt. 47), Woodbury, CT
Tickets holders need not be present to win - Gift Certificates not redeemable for cash and exclude alcoholic beverages
0296 All Proceeds to Benefit Lions Sight and Hearing Causes PRICE \$5.00

Mark's band
The Owl's Nest Band
Will be playing!!



CELEBRATION PICNIC

Sunday, October 1, 2023 12 pm to 4 pm
La Bella Vista Waterbury, Connecticut

All Lions are welcome to celebrate the election of Mark Lyon as
International Third Vice President of Lions Clubs International

Come enjoy food, fellowship and fun!

*Hot Dogs, Cheeseburgers, Steak Sandwiches, Roasted Chicken, Baked Beans,
Pasta Salad, Coleslaw and more*

\$25 per person

Open Bar compliments of Mark and Lyn

RSVP by 9/20/23 to PDG Keith at lionkeith23c@yahoo.com

Cash or Checks payable to "MD 23"/Pay at the Door



Get Mark's official 3rd VP Pin!