### District 14-E Westmoreland County Newsletter



Monthly Newsletter Edition

May | 2023

### **District Governor's Message**



Hello fellow Lions.

Another month and we are rapidly approaching the end of this Lions year. I want to thank all those Lions who attended our Spring Rally, it was so good to see all of you. I especially want to thank those who made the Rally such a success, 1VDG Amy and 2VDG Jeff truly did yeoman work. I also want to thank that great group, the Yukon Lions, for hosting our second annual Duck Race and for that delicious pancake breakfast. Once again 1VDG Amy was the driving force behind another successful event. Of course none of this would have been possible without the support of all the Lions of 14-E, I only wish I could have ordered some better weather.

That Duck Race was a new event for us last year and it proved that district 14-E is not afraid to try new things. In fact, we should always be trying new things; some will work and others will not. The truth is we will learn more from our failures than from our successes. If we take the time to learn from our failures we will find that some of our greatest successes will come from our failures. This is the time of year when clubs will be electing their new officers and it is also a time to reflect on how the past year has gone. Let's all be honest with ourselves as we look ahead to the upcoming year.

Once again thank you all for your hard work, you truly are the salt of the earth.

Tony

### **District Governor Elect Note**

#### My Fellow Lions,

Spring is definitely here—flowers blooming, grass growing, trees budding, rain falling, allergies, and temperatures all over the place! That will all level out soon to warm weather and sunny skies so Lions can kick into their summer mode with chicken BBQ's, Demolition Derbies, car shows, broom sales, Farmer's Markets, picnics, and so much more. I am looking forward to helping out this year and serving by your sides—if you need an extra hand, let me know!

I would like to thank you all for the support of my ideas this year. As a result of your support, as a District, we raised \$500 in the Dollars for Dogs Campaign to sponsor a Future Leader Dog Puppy named Bear. I will keep you up to date on him as I receive updates from Leader Dog.

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual District Duck Race was also a success again this year. Even though we did not sell all the tickets, we were able to raise \$3750 for Beacon Lodge to be used for the new Playground in the Children's Village. Our winners were: 1<sup>st</sup> Place—Rostraver Twp Lions Club; 2<sup>nd</sup> Place—Arnold Lions Club; 3<sup>rd</sup> Place—Lion Rick Davis (New Florence Lions Club), and Last Place—New Alexandria Lions Club. A special thanks to the following: Jonathan & Casey Carver for bringing the ducks; PDG Chuck for standing in the chilly water to catch runaway ducks; Yukon Lions Club & Alesha Baker for prepping the creek; and to everyone who came to watch the race and then stayed to sort and count ducks after. Remember, Together We Can and Together We Did!!

#### A Few reminders to ALL:

- 1. After club elections, please enter your club officers into LCI (PU101's). Even if your officers are not changing, they need entered for the upcoming year by May 15<sup>th</sup>!! If you need help, please let me know as soon as possible.
- 2. District Donations are also due (or past due by the time you are reading this). If your club has not sent them in yet, please do so in order for DG Tony to make his distributions.
- 3. The District Golf Outing is fast approaching and the District needs every club's support—please see the flyers and sponsor forms in the attachments section of the newsletter. Let's make out 50<sup>th</sup> Golf Anniversary a memorable one!

Lastly, I want to take a moment and thank everyone for their continued support over the years with my journey through Lionism. With you support, I have confidence that the upcoming year is going to be fantastic! I am excited to share the District Goals for the 23/24 Lions year with you all very soon and cannot wait to work along side of you so we can attain these goals to make our Clubs and District larger and stronger so we can continue to serve our communities!!

Together We Can,

DGE Amy







### 1<sup>st</sup> Vice District Governor Elect Note

Dear District 14-E Lions Club Leaders.

#### 2023 marks the 50th year for the District's Knights of the Blind Golf Open!

The event is scheduled for July 22, 2023 at Glengarry Golf Links. As part of this important fundraising event, **RAFFLE BASKETS** are needed for the basket raffle that will be held on site at the Golf Open.

**Baskets can be donated by clubs, groups, families, individuals, companies...** Estimated value of \$50 is suggested. Remember, raffle baskets may NOT contain any alcoholic beverages. *Because the raffle area is outdoors, items that will easily melt in the summer heat are not recommended.* 

**Baskets will be due by July 8, 2023**, pick up locations will be provided at a later date. Prepare baskets wrapped and ready as you wish them to be displayed. **Bows and signage will be provided.** 

Contact me with any questions, or to sign up to donate a basket. Feel free to share this email with others in your club (or outside of your club) as needed! Thanks in advance for your help with this effort.

#### **VDGE Jeff Jordan**

jeffreybob14e@gmail.com

412-418-3646 (voicemail)



### **WOMEN AND FAMILIES IN LIONS**

"The month of May has more to offer than Mother's Day and Memorial Day. It has plenty of fun and curious days to celebrate, many including the joys of food. The holidays in May focus on numerous special interests and there's bound to be a few that will appeal to just about anyone in your family." In addition, don't forget about all the amazing things to do on May 31<sup>st</sup>, which officially begins the season of cookouts, vacations, grass cutting and much more.

Last year, I focused my topic on Mother's Day, so I decided to do something different. Here is the list of things to pick from. Perhaps you and your family may choose one of these observances and make a family project around these suggestions.

### \* Weekly Holidays and Observances

- Children's Mental Health Week (first full week)
- Teacher Appreciation Week (first full week, Monday through Friday)
- National Wildflower Week (May 1-7)
- National Pet Week (May 1-7)
- National Nurses Week (May 6-12)
- Children's Book Week (May 2-8)
- Screen Free Week (May 2-8)
- National Women's Health Week (May 8-14)
- Brain Injury Awareness Week (May 11-17)
- Reading is Fun Week (second full week)
- National EMS Week (May 15-21)
- National Safe Sun Week (May 23-29)
- National Backyard Games Week (week before Memorial Day)

I hope you have fun with the project you chose and till next time, stay safe and happy!

Mary Popovich
West Newton Lions

References: \*Assessed from the web 4-23-23 (May Holidays and Observances (thespruce.com)

Carol Bainbridge, freelance writer and author: "Things to do in May"



### **District 14-E Spring Rally**

























Dear Lions and Leos,

As we approach the end of this Lions' year, our clubs are wrapping up projects and goals, but we should also be preparing for the new Lions' year where changes will occur: hopefully, changes in officers, positions, and even some projects.

Unfortunately, not everyone likes "change!" In fact, have you heard anyone say, "I'm too old to change," or, "I'm set in my ways?" The world changes each day. Imagine if you didn't accept cell phones, color televisions, modern appliances, airplane travel, various medications and medical treatments or procedures. Change can be a good way to learn new ways to accomplish tasks, to consider new ideas, and to move your club and community forward.

However, it's not necessary to change EVERYTHING! If a project is working well for you, keep it. On the other hand, if you're getting less participation from your community, maybe that project is no longer needed or appreciated.

Remember that "We Serve." While EVERY member is important, we must consider that our community service outweighs individual egos. Most of us take our responsibilities seriously and do what is necessary to be successful. Still, we need to be careful to not fall into the trap of thinking that "no one can do a better job." Our teams are only as strong as the weakest link, and if we fail to work together, to mentor, delegate tasks, or share ideas, our team will not reach its true potential. By mentoring, delegating, and changing "what we have always done," we can accomplish so much more. In fact, President Sheehan likes to remind us that "There is no I in Team."

So, start to plan for the upcoming year by re-evaluating your "teams" and projects so that next year will be your best year ever!

Thank you for all that you do to improve your community because "Together We Can" and do make a difference.

Yours in Service and Friendship,

Cindy Gregg, PID (2013-2015)

### **ID Jay Moughon Notes from the recent Spring Board Meeting**

- President Brian Sheehan outlined his four priorities.
  - Share the joy of being a Lion. Letting people know what and why we do things is our biggest recruiting tool.
  - When you have a service project, think big. Stretch yourselves; you will be surprised by what you can accomplish.
  - Keep our Foundation strong to continue to serve worldwide. Please send individual contributions, and recognize those who donate.
  - Only 58% of our clubs report service activities each month. Accurate reporting enables us to prove our global impact and encourage corporations to help us in our endeavors.
- These are the highlights from selected committee reports:

#### Convention:

- Expect 12,000 Lions to attend the convention in Boston.
- Bid for New Delhi convention in 2029 has been rescinded due to the distance of the Hotels (60

   90 minutes from convention site) and no area for a parade.
- The committee is examining the possibility of shortening future international conventions by one day.

### Long-range planning committee:

An ad-hoc committee will study ID representation i.e., redistribution of IDs within the
constitutional areas. (The US, Constitutional Area 1, will probably lose another Director
position, thus further diminishing our clout.)

#### Service activities:

- Only 58% of the clubs worldwide report service activities on a monthly basis, and the numbers will probably drop during the summer due to new officer transitions and a new reporting platform.
- The committee is looking into establishing a service reporting award.

### Constitution and By-laws:

 Delegates to the International Convention will vote on an amendment to allow districts below 1,250 members and 35 clubs to run a candidate for international office. If passed, it will take effect following the 2023 Boston Convention..

### Leadership:

 o The training for second vice district governors is being revamped to include the courses that were previously included in the Advanced Lions Leadership Institute (ALLI). Consequently, ALLI will be discontinued in 2024. For those of you who are serving as club delegates for the Multiple District Convention, there are two ballot questions to consider:

### **BALLOT QUESTION #1**

THE RESOLUTION ADDS LANGUAGE WAIVING ANNUAL MULTIPLE DISTRICT DUES (\$16) FOR LEO TO LION MEMBERS THROUGH AGE THIRTY-FIVE.

BE IT RESOLVED that effective July 1, 2023, By-Laws Article VI, Section 1 will read as follows:

Section 1: Multiple District Revenue – To provide revenue to defray the administrative expenses of this Multiple District and of each Sub-District hereof and a Multiple Convention Fund, annual per capita dues of \$16.00 is hereby levied upon each member of each club in the Multiple District. The dues are waived for Lions Club student members as defined by Lions Clubs International and for Leo to Lion members through age thirty-five.

**ALL THIS RESOLUTION BE ADOPTED?** 

YES NO

(Circle One)

### **BALLOT QUESTION #2**

THE RESOLUTION UPDATES LANGUAGE FROM 51% OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF MEMBERS OF THE CLUBS TO SIMPLE MAJORITY.

BE IT RESOLVED that effective May 21, 2023, By-Laws Article IX, Section 1(a)(b) AMENDING PROCEDURE will read as follows:

The By-Laws may be amended only at the multiple district convention by amendment reported by the Committee on Constitution and By-Laws at such annual meeting and adopted by the affirmative vote of the majority of the certified delegates voting at such meeting. No amendment shall be reported to a convention for vote unless it shall first secure approval in one of the following two methods:

Section 1(a): Have been approved by the Council of Governors
Section 1(b): Have been approved by resolution of convention of a sub-district representing no less than the majority of the total number of members for the clubs of the sub-districts as of July 1 of the fiscal year in which the amendment is submitted to the Council of Governors for ballot placement.

SHALL THIS RESOLUTION BE ADOPTED?

S NO

(Circle One)

### Leadership

Hello Fellow Lions,

Well, there is only a couple of months left in the 2022-2023 Lions year. I hope you all are starting to think about next year. Think about what you and your club can do to help with your community's needs. With summer coming around fast, enjoy it, but take advantage of it also. Get out and be seen doing a good deed. Spark a conversation with someone. Try to get them to give ideas and maybe they will want to help out and possibly want to know more about what we do as Lions and want to join.

Your club is only going to be what you make it. If you don't want to try to change or attempt to grow, it won't. Your clubs are known in your community. Stay in sight, become more visible and show everyone that we are here and want to continue to be here. There is no shame in asking for help. The help that you may be asking for is time. Time from other non-lions that have ideas or concerns that could help us out, just might be what we are waiting for. Lions at heart or Lions just filling spots, either way, don't lose your focus on what we as Lions do.

Our motto is "We Serve". I want you all to think and remember why you joined this organization. If you did not have some combination of helping others and giving back as your reason, think about what and why your club has been around for as long as it has been. Don't let the fire burn out, stoke it, poke it, and get more wood. Let it blaze to get the attention of others and grow, grow, grow! Keep this in mind.

I want to share a couple of quotes from a very inspiring man:

- 1. "The future depends on what WE do in the present."
- 2. "It's easy to stand in a crowd, but it takes courage to stand alone."
- 3. And last but not least, "Strength does not come from winning. When you go through hardships and decide not to surrender, that is strength."

That my fellow Lions is something that we all need to think about to make it to the future.

Yours in Lionism,

PDG/GLT Chuck



PDG/GLT Chuck with the Yukon Lions doing vision screening training.

### **Membership**

You've worked so hard all year to bring in new members. Now it's time to think about how to keep those new members as well as those who have been Lions for a while. Retention is closely tied to member satisfaction. Simply put, happy Lions don't leave. They stay engaged, seek ways to improve their clubs, and spread the word to potential recruits.

Lions International recently conducted a global survey of former Lions to find out why they left. The three most common answers were conflict in the club, lack of feeling of belonging, and not having enough time to devote to being a Lion. This is good news in that clubs can have a direct impact on all of these issues.

Let's start by talking about the most common reason Lions leave—conflict in the club. The key is to identify and diffuse conflict before it becomes a problem. These skills are taught in the *Conflict Resolution* course in the Lions Learning Center. We highly recommend that all Lion leaders take this course to learn how to manage disputes in a fair and productive way.

A lack of feeling of belonging was the second most popular answer. People can serve their communities by themselves, but they become Lions to be a part of a group of likeminded individuals. Encourage your club membership chairpersons to get to know each member, especially those who are new or don't have many friends in the club. Teach them how to identify signs of pulling away like reduced attendance at events and reduced engagement. A simple "How are you?" can mean a lot to someone feeling like an outsider.

Most Lions have work and family commitments competing for their limited time. There are a variety of ways your clubs can be more flexible to accommodate busier schedules. Have your clubs ask their members if their usual meeting time is still the best time for most people. Perhaps a club branch could be formed for those who can't make the normal meeting time. You can encourage clubs to allow Lions to meet virtually.

Don't forget to add or change member info into the MyLCI website. The Lions are combining MyLion, MyLCI and Insights, along with some additional tools and functionality, into a unified experience called the Lion Portal. The new portal will offer the same features and functionality currently available, but with a more consistent and efficient experience. All changes must be in by June 15<sup>th</sup>.

### **Update your Lion Account information**

Make sure your Lion Account information is correct and up to date in MyLCI or your regional reporting system. Note that the new Lion Portal will require a unique, unshared email, and phone numbers will no longer be supported as a log in credential.

If you're a club president, secretary or administrator, updating member information is simple:

- · Log in to the current member portal with your Lion Account credentials
- Navigate to MyLCI
- · Select "My Lions Club"
- · Select "Members"
- Click on the member whose information you need to update.
- Select "Edit Member" to enter in their revised email address and other updated information.

PDG Charlie McGrew

14-E Membership Chairperson



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#peaceposter

THE 2023-2024 CONTEST

### Dare to Dream

To a young person, a dream isn't just a wish, hope or desire — it's a path, a goal, an ambition. But achieving that dream takes hard work. So this year, we're asking young people to show how they'll turn their dream of a peaceful world into reality.



### Order a Peace Poster Contest Kit

To sponsor the Peace Poster Confest, Lions clubs can order a contest kit from January 15 to October 1. The kit is available in 12 of our official languages. A kit is needed for each contest sponsored.

#### The 2023-2024 Contest

Dare to Dream

#### Each kit contains:

- . Official Club Contest Guide and Rules
- . Official School or Youth Group Contest Guide and Rules
- · Participant Riyer to duplicate and give to participating students to take home
- . Sticker to place on back of winning poster
- · Certificates for contest winner and school or youth group

#### Order Your Kit

"To order a kit by phone, call Club Supplies Sales at (630) 571-5468 or 1-800-710-7822 (U.S., Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands and Canada only).

### **Peace Poster Contest Deadlines**

Students ages 11, 12 or 13 as of November 15 are eligible to participate in the international Peace Poster Contest. Entries not meeting the following deadlines will be disqualified.

- January 15: Kits go on sale from the Club Supplies Sales Department at International Headquarters.
- · October 1: Deadline to purchase kits from the Club Supplies Sales Department at International Headquarters.
- November 15: Postmark deadline for a club to send one winning poster (per contest sponsored) to the district governor.

### **Service**

#### Lions Clubs International Foundation and Lions of PA Foundation and Their Impact on Service

As Lions Clubs work to plan their Service projects there are tools and partnerships that can be used to expand the ability of those projects. Our Lions Clubs International Foundation and Lions of Pennsylvania Foundation are two of those tools and partnerships that we have as Lions.



Mission – To empower Lions Clubs, volunteers, and partners to improve health and well-being, strengthen communities, and support those in need through humanitarian services and grants that impact lives globally, and encourage peace and international understanding.

lionsclubs.org/en/discover-our-foundation/mission



Mission – To assist those afflicted with sensory impairment, particularly those relating to vision and hearing. To award grants in support of meritorious projects and programs for the sensory impaired and to join with individual Pennsylvania Lions Clubs in responding to local, community, and regional needs. The important thing is that all money remains in Pennsylvania.

lionsofpafoundation.org/

Both groups have grant funding mechanisms that help provide financial support to Lions projects locally and around the world. LCIF has different grant types and resources that are available for Clubs, Districts, or Multiple Districts along with funding that supports places in the world that face catastrophe and disasters. Many of the grants available center around our global projects such as sight, diabetes, hunger, and childhood cancer.

The LOPF offers matching grants that help support projects in Pennsylvania. A Lions Club that applies for a grant must show that it has plans to attain at least 50% of the project funding from a Lions Club (or Clubs) or another local source to the project. The LOPF manages and distributes funding to help Lions Clubs provide Services to meet the needs and emerging needs that will improve the quality of life of the residents of Pennsylvania. Like LCIF, the LOPF has recently adopted guidelines for processing donations made by Pennsylvania Lions and supporters to disasters. These funds are processed to the cause as directed by the donors wishes even when the disaster is not in the state's borders. It allows the generosity of PA Lions to be shared with those in need through a tax-deductible donation to our local foundation.

Donations to each of these foundations is what makes their grant programs possible. These donations also come in the form of purchasing the awards that both groups offer.



Melvin Jones Fellowship



Lions of PA Fellowship



P.I.P. Joseph Wrobleski Award

The fellowships from both foundations can be purchased to recognize Lions who have made impacts on their Clubs and the community. Fellowships can also be purchased by individuals looking to make donations to the foundations. Our Foundations offer support for the efforts we have been doing in our communities to improve the lives, health, and well-being of our neighbors. They help to empower the Service we are doing and help grow the scale of our impact. If your Club is looking for ways to fund the project, you are planning I encourage you to investigate both resources to see if they have something that can help.

If you are not planning a project, I still encourage you to check out our Foundations and possibly consider donating. Our Club and individual efforts combine to become a powerful tool and making meaning impacts on areas across Pennsylvania and around the world.

As always, I can be reached to for any guidance your Club may need in completing and reporting the Service that it does.

Yours in Service, PDG Lance H. Remic Global Service Team Chairperson District 14-E

### Happy 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday to Chestnut Ridge Lion Sarah McNeil!





### 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual District 14-E Duck Race was a SUCCESS!

























### **District 14-E Vision Screening Event**

District 14-E held an Eye Screening event at Westmoreland Mall recently. The Mall let us use one of the available store spaces which really helped the screening process due to the limited light sources. We successfully screened 53 children and adults.

Thank you to the following Clubs/Lions who were able to help out during the event:

Yukon Lions: Lion Ginny Baker and Lion Alesha Baker Rostraver Twp Lions: PID Cindy Gregg and PDG Tom Gregg Mt. Pleasant Twp Lions: Lion Terry Jackson and PDG Sam Snively





### LIONS REBRANDING

Some of you may have read that Lions International is rebranding. Because one of the most visible ways to strengthen our Association and Foundation is to unify Lions Clubs International and Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF)

With that in mind, our Association is introducing "Lions International" as our unified "umbrella" or master brand to represent both our Association and Foundation. Nevertheless, the individual names of both of these will not change. They will continue to be separate legal entities, and we will continue to use "Lions Clubs International" when referring specifically to the association, and "Lions Clubs International Foundation" when referring to LCIF. Together, they will be referred to as "Lions International."

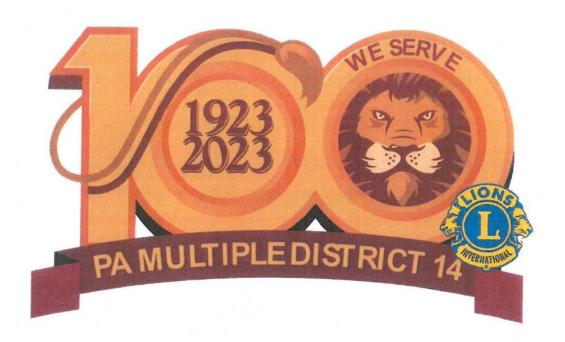
Furthermore, our Lions International emblem, which is recognized around the world, is not changing, and our Lions Clubs International and Lions Clubs International Foundation brands will remain the same. Nevertheless, during the new brand roll out, Lions International will provide updates and guidance to help us align with the new Lions International brand that will introduce a logo with the words "Lions International," along with our emblem, to use as part of our Lions International branding.



### DID YOU REGISTER?????? HOPE TO SEE Y'ALL THERE!

### PENNSYLVANIA LIONS CLUBS 100<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL MD 14 PA CONVENTION

Celebrating A Century of Service



May 18 to May 21, 2023
Kovalchick Convention and Athletic Complex
711 Pratt Drive, Indiana, PA 15705







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SEPT. 21-23, 2023



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### **NEWSLETTER SUBMISSIONS INFO**

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Forward them to: Lisa Gismondi Email: <u>lisgis67@gmail.com</u>

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Make sure it didn't end up in your junk or spam folder!

Be sure to put this email address in your contacts and/or designate the address as SAFE!

News.lions14e@gmail.com



**DISTRICT 14-E** 

50TH ANNIVERSARY!!!

GLENGARRY GOLF LINKS



### Next KOB COMMITTEE MEETING NOTICE! YOU DO NOT NEED TO BE A GOLFER TO VOLUNTEER!!!!

When: June 2023

Where: Kings Restaurant in Greensburg (by Home Depot

on Rte 30) **Time**: 6:30 PM

Please let PDG Jason Mesher know you will be joining us so he knows how many will be attending and can make the proper seating

reservation.

Phone: 724-255-3515 email: mesh\_dogg@hotmail.com

### HOW YOUR CLUB CAN HELP!

- SPONSOR A TEAM
- . TEE SIGNS
- · CART SIGNS
- PROGRAM ADS
- DONATE BASKETS
- COME OUT AND HELP FOR THE DAY! IT'S EASY

AND FUN!!!!!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!



### 50<sup>th</sup> Annual District 14-E Knights of the Blind Open

GOLF LINKS

PDG Jason M. Mesher 230 Grant Street North Huntingdon, PA 15642 (724) 255-3515 mesh\_dogg@hotmail.com Glengarry Golf Links 166 Lentz Road Latrobe, PA 15650 (724) 423-4653 www.golfglengarry.com

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| Diamond Level    | Registration for 2 golfers, tee sign, full-<br>page program ad, and recognition<br>during dinner | \$1,000.00                                    |                |
| Gold Level       | Tee sign, full-page ad, and recognition during dinner  | \$500.00                                      |                |
| Silver Level     | Tee sign   | \$150.00                                      |                |
| Bronze Level     | Beverage cart sponsor  | \$75.00                                       |                |
| Individual Level | Golf cart sponsor (not available for clubs or businesses)  | \$50.00                                       |                |
| Program Ads:     | Full-page<br>Half-Page<br>Quarter-Page<br>Patron   | \$100.00<br>\$75.00<br>\$50.00<br>\$2.00/name |                |

All sponsorship information and artwork must be turned in by no later than **July 8**, **2023**. Make checks payable to "**District 14-E Lions**" and put "**2023 KOTB Ad**" in memo line. Please return this form and forward any artwork to be used on either the signage or in the program ad to:

PDG Tom Gregg 1070 Willowbrook Road Rostraver Township, PA 15012 tomgregg1@verizon.net (724) 872-0700

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

### SAVE THE DATE

The Norwin Lions Club presents its
6th Annual evening of Comedy, Mystery,
and Dinner with Mystery's Most Wanted performing:

### It's Murder, Charlie Brown!



The gang's all grown up and returns to celebrate one last Christmas together, only this year, the tree won't be the only thing that's dying.

### **Saturday May 13th**

The Hall
at Robbins Station
Circleville Firehall
129 Robbins Station Rd
Doors Open at 5:30 PM
Show starts at 6:00 PM

Tickets include:
dinner, show, beer,
wine, and soft drinks!
TO PURCHASE TICKETS,



### MANOR LIONS



SATURDAY, May 13th

11 AM – UNTIL SOLD OUT

\$10 for 1/2 CHICKEN, ROLL, APPLESAUCE,

COOKIE and DRINK

Rt. 993 at Roberts Roofing parking lot

COME HELP SUPPORT THE LIONS CLUB
SUPPORT OUR COMMUNITY

NOTE: Parking in Boston is VERY EXPENSIVE! If you are planning on going – here is a very economical option but don't delay! LIMITED SEATING!!!!!



### PA Lions Bus Trip International Convention in Boston July 6-11, 2023

Leaving from PA Lions State Office, 949 East Park Drive, Harrisburg, PA 17111
Thursday July 6, 2023 at 7 a.m. Sharp!

Arrive in Boston on Thursday, July 6, 2023
Depart Boston for Home on Tuesday July 11, 2023

Drop off and Pick up at both PA Delegation Hotels
Transportation by Bailey Coach

Only 55 Seats Available – First Come First Served \$200/person

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| A Check made out to <u>PA Lions</u> must accompany reservation form to secure a seat on the | e bus. |
| Reservations Due in the State Office by Friday June 23, 2023.                               |        |

For questions or more information contact Acting State Administrator PDG Deb Burkholder

at 717-816-4999 or email administrator@palions.org



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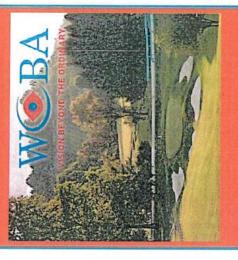
911 South Main St. - Greensburg, PA 15601 Blind Association

Since 1948, the mission of the Westmoreland County Blind Association (WCBA) has been to improve the quality of life of the blind and the visually impaired, and to assist in the prevention of blindness in Westmoreland County. In order to fulfill our mission, the WCBA offers the following services that enhance the productivity and independence of these individuals.

- · Employment for the intellectually challenged and sight impaired in our Work Activity Center document destruction program.
- in our Manufacturing Area. Through contracts Industries for the Blind, these employees Employment for the blind and visually impaired obtained in association with the National produce products for the Department of Defense.
- Specialized Services provides assistance to the blind consumer in areas such as Chore Services, Life Skills Education, and Transportation.
  - appliances to the visually impaired that enable Chris Cakanac, O.D. F.A.A.O., a low vision The Low Vision Center offers aids and these clients to read printed material, watch television, and function independently. Dr. specialist, works in conjunction with the WCBA to provide this service.
- The Prevention of Blindness Program screens 3 to 5 year old children for eye problems.
  - The Custom Embroidery Department offers embroidered promotional items.

Your ongoing support of the Westmoreland County Blind Association will enable us to continue to serve the blind, sight impaired and ntellectually disabled in our community.

WESTIMOREL AND GOILF CLASSIC 21ST ANNUAL COUNTY



TUNE 23, 2023

THE MADISON CLUB MADISON, PA 15663 **519 YUKON ROAD** 

9:00 AM SHOTGUN START 7:30 AM REGISTRATION

Return Service Requested

Greensburg, PA 15601 32 nisM dluo2 ffe

Westmoreland County Blind Association











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Westmoreland County VISION BEYOND THE ORDINARY Blind Association

PRIDAY, JUNE 28, 2028

7:80 AM REGISTIRATION --- NEW TIMEST! ---

9:00 AM SHIOTGUN START

Golf Package

Registration begins at 7:30 am

games of skill and chance, steak dinner at 2:30 pm, raffles, prizes and a commemorative gift. 18 holes of golf with cart, lunch at the turn,

Limited to the first 120 golfers!! Only \$100 per golfer

### Gift Donations

or an "in kind" item is greatly appreciated and will be used as a prize or in a raffle. For your generosity, a Thank You recognition will be Your donation of a gift certificate placed in the event program.

Fundraising Dept. at 724-837-1250, Ext. 11. For pickup please contact the WCBA

# Sponsorship Opportunities

### ACE SPONSOR - \$1000

- Your company name/logo displayed on canvas banner 1-Complimentary Foursome (4) Golfer Packages
  - - Two (2) Tee Signs with your name placed at holes during event

### EAGLE SPONSOR - \$500

- Two (2) Golfer Packages
   One (1) Tee Sign with your name placed at hole

- during event
- Your company namellogo displayed on all players' cart Your company name/logo displayed on canvas banner during event

# BEVERAGE CART SPONSOR - \$500 (1st request basis)

- Your company name/logo displayed on roaming beverage cart
- Your company name/logo displayed on canvas banner during event

### IDIVIDUAL GOLFER - \$100

One (1) Golfer Package

### TEE SPONSOR - \$50

 One (1) Tee Sign with your name placed at hole during event

### PRIZE SPONSOR

Items/Basket or Gift Certificate for Prize Giveaways

### **Hole In One** Sponsor



### Registeration

| Contact Person  |        |
|---|--------|
| Address   |        |
| Email   |        |
| Please indicate participation level   | 1      |
| ☐ Ace Sponsor S1000   |        |
| ☐ Eagle Sponsor \$500   |        |
| Golf Carl Sponsor \$500   |        |
| ☐ Beverage Cart Sponsor \$500   |        |
|   |        |
| ☐ Prize Sponsor<br>Item   |        |
| Approx. Value   |        |
| ☐ Golfer Package  |        |
| Oty. @ \$100 each = \$  |        |
| ☐ Lunch Only \$50   |        |
| Total Due S   |        |
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| Golfer Names  | -      |
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| Please return registration along with payment   | ant    |
| by June 9, 2023   |        |
| Westmoreland County Blind Association<br>911 South Main Street - Greensburg, PA 15601 |        |
| Credit Card (circle): Am Ex . Discover . Master Card . V                              | i.Visa |
| Account #   | -      |
| Expiration Date   |        |
| Signature   |        |
| WCBA is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization   |        |



### Pennsylvania Lions Beacon Lodge Camp

Will hold its 20<sup>TH</sup> Annual

### **GREAT DUCK RACE**

### Held at PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp on Lions Appreciation Day

Sunday, July 16, 2023 Post Time 12:30 \$5.00 Donation

1<sup>st</sup> Place Prize--\$1,000 2<sup>nd</sup> Place--\$500. 3<sup>rd</sup> Place--\$250.00 4<sup>th</sup> Place--\$125.00 5<sup>th</sup> Place--\$125.00

Don't hesitate to contact your Beacon Lodge Board Member for tickets and information.



#### PENNSYLVANIA LIONS BEACON LODGE CAMP

114 SR 103 SOUTH, MOUNT UNION PA 17066 (P) 814-542-2511 (F) 814-542-7437 Web: www.BeaconLodge.com Email: office@beaconlodge.org

### PENNSYLVANIA LIONS' APPRECIATION DAY CELEBRATING 75 CONTINUOUS YEARS OF CAMPING SUNDAY, JULY 16, 2023

Sunday, July 16, 2023, has been designated as "Pennsylvania Lions Appreciation Day." This is the day to recognize not only Immediate Past District Governors, District Liaisons, and all Lions and Leos for their outstanding support of the Beacon Lodge Program.

As a Lion or Leo, you are cordially invited to bring your families to Beacon Lodge to join the festivities. Festivities will begin at 9:00 AM. Lunch will be served from 11:30 AM to 12:30 PM. The cost is \$10.00 per person. We will have chicken BBQ and all the fixings.

Pin Traders are invited to participate – contact Amos Shatzer at 11268 Alexander Ave, Mount Union, PA 17066 if you wish to display pins.

Clubs planning to arrange for bus transportation are urged to give the camp ample notice so adequate parking arrangements can be made. Bring lawn chairs and or blankets for seating during the camper's talent show. Certified service animals are allowed to attend if you bring the certification paper from the training entity.

We hope you will be able to visit the camp on "Pennsylvania Lions Appreciation Day" to observe what your contributions have made possible. Every Lion in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania should be very proud of their part in making the Beacon Lodge Camp possible.

### PRE-PAID RESERVATIONS <u>MUST</u> BE MADE IN ADVANCE BY JUNE 30 PLEASE SEND THE COMPLETED FORM (BELOW) TO THE ABOVE ADDRESS WITH PAYMENT.

PLEASE NOTE: NO RESERVATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER JUNE 30, 2023

### PENNSYLVANIA LIONS APPRECIATION DAY JULY 16, 2023

|                   | Picnic Meals @\$10.0<br>PICKED UP ON JULY 16 BY: | 0 EACH = TOTAL | \$             |     |
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| NAME & ADDRESS    | OF PERSON MAKING RESERV                          | ATION:         |                |     |
| NAME              | STREET   | CITY           | STATE          | ZIP |
| Club and District |  | тот            | AL ENCLOSED \$ |     |

A 501(c) 3 NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION (GIFTS ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE)



### Celebrate Beacon Lodge's 75th Birthday & PA Lions Appreciation Day

Join us in celebrating our 75th birthday! On July 16th we will be having a birthday party for Beacon Lodge along with Pennsylvania Lions Appreciation Day. We welcome ALL Lions and Leos.

You are most cordially invited to bring your families to Beacon Invocation / Lunch Lodge for this occasion.

We will be having a chicken BBQ and all the fixings. Lunch will be served from 11:30 am until 12:30 pm.

The cost is \$10 per person.

Reservations are required and must be received by June 30, 2023. Please make checks payable to Beacon Lodge with PLAD on the memo line to purchase tickets.

Mail to:

PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp 114 State Route 103 South Mount Union, Pa 17066



### Schedule of Events

Starting at 9:00 AM:

Camp Store

50/50 Raffle Tickets

Basket Raffle

9:00-11:00 Mini Golf

10:00-11:00 Worship Service

11:00-1:30 Pin Traders

11:30 Introduction of IPDG's/

12:30 The Great Duck Race

1:30 Camper Entertainment

12:30-2:00 Camp Tours

12:30-2:30 Afternoon Activities & Games

3:00 Announcements/ Winners

3:30 End of the day / Benediction

Pin traders are invited! Please contact: Amos Shatzer 11268 Alexander Ave. Mount Union, Pa 17066 (814) 542-9654 ashatzer@verizon.net Clubs planning to attend by bus are urged to give us ample notice so that we may have adequate parking arrangements.



PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp 114 State Route 103 South Mount Union, PA 17066 (814) 542-2511 office@BeaconLodge.org



TO REGISTER TODAY

### Beacon Lodge's 7th Annual **Golf Outing**

Saturday, August 26th, 2023

Shotgun Start at 1 PM

**American Legion Country Club Mount Union, PA 17066** 

### 18 Hole Scramble

Only \$75 per golfer Includes:

- ⇒ Greens Fees
- ⇒ Cart **Prizes & Awards**
- ⇒ Snacks, Beer, Pop, & Water all day
- ⇒ Food is available throughout the day

Limited to 80 Players— First come, first served



1st Place Team — \$300

2nd Place Team — \$200

3rd Place Team — \$100

Plus

\$50 Pro Gift Shop Certificate Skills Prizes on all Par 3s **Longest Drive & Longest Putt** 

### **Register Today!**

https://bit.ly/beaconlodge

**Contact: Jonathan Carver** 114 State Route 103 South **Mount Union, PA 17066** (814) 542-2511

office@beaconlodge.org

Make checks payable to: PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp

### PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp 7th Annual Golf Outing August 26, 2023

Add-Ons

| Overnight Accommodations at Beacon Lodge CampFree | Please call Beacon Lodge to make arrangements<br>814-542-2511 |
|---|---|
| Overnight Acco                                    | Please call Beaco   |

Early Bird Golf - 18 holes

Friday, August 25 (all day) ......\$24

## Sponsor Information\*

| Name for Sign: |
|----------------|
| District 14-   |
| Contact:       |
| Address:       |
|                |

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

Phone:

\*Send before August 11, 2023
Thank you for helping us serve!

In 1948, Lion Carl Shoemaker helped found Vacations for the Blind, a summer camp designed for adults with vision impairment. Since then, the name was changed to PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp. The program has also changed to include children and adults with a wide range of disabilities. By providing a sponsorship or joining us at the American Legion Country Club, you will be helping us continue our mission of providing a summer camp experience to our statewide community of Adults and Children living with Special Needs.

Golfer Registrations and sponsorships now available online! Use the link or QR Code below.

https://bit.ly/beaconlodge



PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp c/o Jonathan Carver 114 State Route 103 South Mount Union, PA, 17066



### PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp 7th Annual Golf Outing

Saturday, August 26, 2023, 1:00 pm American Legion Country Club Mount Union, PA, 17066

814-542-4343



# PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp

Are you looking for a way to help special needs children and adults AND have

Then, this golf outing is exactly what you're looking for!

When: Saturday, August 26, 2023 Shotgun start at 1:00 pm Check-In - Noon

Where: American Legion Country Club Mount Union, PA, 17066

Format: 18-hole Scramble

Just \$75/golfer includes— **Green Fees** Price:

Cart

Prizes & Awards

Snacks, beer, pop, and water

all day

Food is included throughout the day

### To Register Online:

Scan the QR Code on the front or visit

Note: make checks payable to https://bit.ly/beaconlodge

"PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp" and return:

114 State Route 103 South Mount Union, PA, 17066 c/o Jonathan Carver

# 7th Annual Golf Outing

2nd Place Team \$200 3rd Place Team \$100 1st Place Team \$300

Skills Prizes on all par 3s:

Longest Drive and Longest Putt \$50 Pro Shop Gift Certificates

Your support as a Sponsor is crucial to the success of PA Lions Beacon Lodge

### Sponsor Levels:

Rights for the outing, Logo Branding on event website, Score Cards, and all pin Sign, 4 paid Foursomes and an 18"x12" flags; a 3'x2' diamond-shape Pavilion Hole Sponsor Sign (at a tee or green) Diamond - \$10,000 Includes Naming

Ruby - \$5,000 Includes 3'x2' Ruby sign, 2 paid Foursomes and an 18"x12" Hole Sponsor Sign (at a tee or green) Platinum - \$2,500 Includes 3'x2' Platinum sign, 2 paid Foursomes, and an 18"x12" Hole Sponsor Sign

**Gold - \$1,500** Includes a 3'x2' Gold Sign, 1 paid Foursome, and an 18"x12" Hole Sponsor Sign Silver - \$1,000 Includes a 3'x2' Silver Sign, I paid Foursome, and an 18"x12" Hole Sponsor Sign

Sign and an 18"x12" Hole Sponsor Sign Bronze - \$500 Includes a 3'x2' Bronze

Hole - \$100 Includes an 18"x12" Hole Sponsor Sign cart - \$50 Includes an 8.5"x11" sign on cart

### PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp **Golfer Registration Form**

(One single-digit handicap per team) Format: 4-Person Scramble

|           |         |             |           |           | Hcp   |           |  |         |             |           |           | Нср   | - |           |         |             |           |           | Hcp   |            |         |             |           |           | H     |
|-----------|---------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-------|-----------|--|---------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-------|---|-----------|---------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-------|------------|---------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| Golfer #1 | Address | City/St/ZIP | Phone (H) | Phone (W) | Email | Coffer #2 |  | Address | City/St/ZIP | Phone (H) | Phone (W) | Email |   | Golfer #3 | Address | City/St/ZIP | Phone (H) | Phone (W) | Email | Golfer #4_ | Address | City/St/ZIP | Phone (H) | Phone (W) | Email |

# 2023 LIONS/LEOS SPONSORSHIP REPLY SHEET

To facilitate the processing of camper registrations, we would appreciate knowing if your club has approved sponsorships. In February, forms will be available on the camp website: BeaconLodge.org

| We          |  |   | W                    | will provide the following sponsorship(s):                    | sponsorship(s):      |
|-------------|--|---|----------------------|---|----------------------|
|             | Name of Lions/Leo Club   | District  | County               |   |                      |
|             | \$650 - Adult Camp Perception/Adult                                  | ult Camp Liberty/Camp ConnXions/Camp AD(H)Dventure  | venture              | Check Enclosed:   | Check #              |
|             | \$600 - Adult Camp Empower   |   | Check will           | Check will be mailed by (date):                               |                      |
|             | \$550 - Adult Camp Felicity/Camp L.E.A.P./Camp Sensational           | E.A.P./Camp Sensational   | Beacon Loc           | Beacon Lodge Camp to bill club:                               |                      |
|             | \$500 - Adult Family Camp/Children's Camp Unite                      | n's Camp Unite  | (note all billin     | (note all billing is done after camp closes in August; if you | es in August; if you |
|             | \$250 - Adopt a Counselor  |   | want billed be       | want billed before this please specify above)                 | bove)                |
|             | Total \$ Amount<br><b>=</b>  |   |                      |   |                      |
|             | YES, PA Lions Beacon Lodge Cam                                       | YES, PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp may designate the person(s) to benefit from our sponsorship.  | ır sponsorship.      |   |                      |
|             | NO, Please designate the sponsorship to the following person(s):     | ship to the following person(s):  |                      |   |                      |
| Camper Name |  | Age Address   |                      | Nev   | New Camper: YES/NO   |
|             |  |   |                      |   |                      |
|             |  |   |                      |   |                      |
| If new ca   | If new camper, please have the camper con<br>Person Completing Form: | If new camper, please have the camper contact Beacon Lodge Camp at 814-542-2511 for camper registration information.<br>Person Completing Form: | nper registration in | formation.  |                      |
| Name        |  | Address   |                      |   |                      |
|             |  |   |                      |   |                      |

Please note: The commitment or payment of a sponsorship does not satisfy a camper's registration. A camper will be considered registered upon receipt of Phone the completed registration and the \$100 registration fee. Club Office/Position

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN TO: PA LIONS BEACON LODGE CAMP

114 STATE ROUTE 103 SOUTH

EMAIL - office@beaconlodge.org FAX - 814-542-7437

MOUNT UNION, PA, 17066







**THERE'S AN APP FOR THAT!** : Did you know there is an LION Magazine App?!?!?! Available for either iPhone or Android. (Just search for it in your Apple Store or Google Play)

### Scan this QR Code to check out the District 14E Website!

### What is a QR Code?



QR codes are 2D barcodes which contain any kind of information that can redirect scanners to online information. This QR Code, when scanned, will take you to the District 14E website. Try it out!

(you will need to have a QR Reader app on your phone )



### District 14-E Lions Facebook Page





Like Us on Facebook - District 14 E Lions

<u>District 14-E Lions</u> The Official Facebook Page of District 14-E

Send your information to Amanda or Lance Remic for your Club's activities to be posted to the District's Facebook page. We want to show all that is being done by Lions of District 14-E.

Send info advertising your upcoming events or share photos of the events that have taken place to show the fun and success your Club had.

Email your info to <a href="mailto:akbrant@atlanticbb.net">akbrant@atlanticbb.net</a> (Amanda) or <a href="mailto:remail



### Don't forget to tag us on your photos and posts on Social Media!

Use the following hashtags on Twitter, Instagram (IG), Facebook (FB) or whatever other social media outlet that uses "hashtags". Hashtags are a way of grouping like posts.

#district14eweserve

#district14elions

**#14EGTONY** 

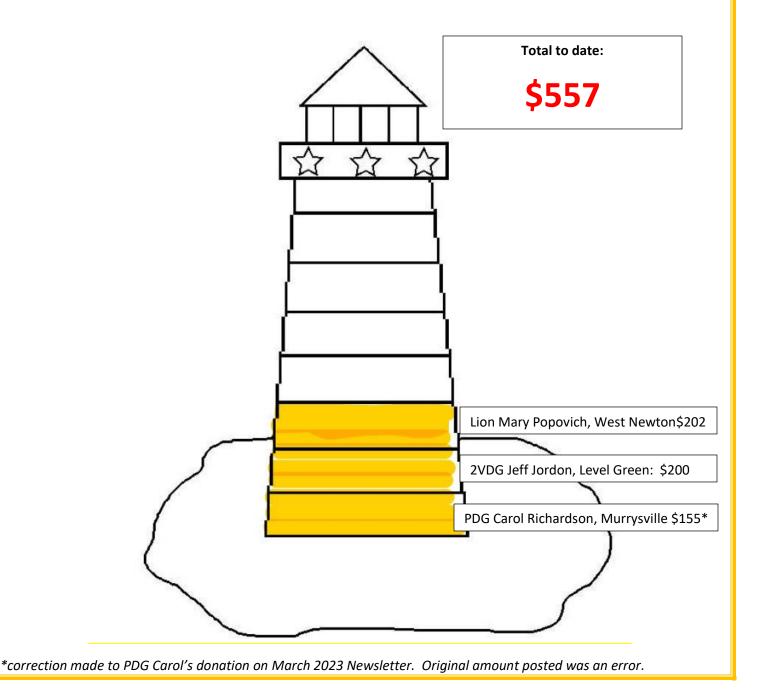


### BEACON LODGE FUNDRAISING FACEBOOK BIRTHDAY CHALLENGE!

How it works: Around your birthdate, Facebook will ask you if you'd like set up a fundraiser for your Birthday. SAY YES! Select PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp as the Organization you are raising money for. Start out SMALL and choose a small goal like \$100. If you reach that goal,

increase it a bit more. The money will go directly to Beacon Lodge! If you opt to run this campaign, please email Lion Lisa Gismondi: <a href="mailto:lisgis67@gmail.com">lisgis67@gmail.com</a> so that you may be recognized on our BEACON LODGE FUNDRAISER CHALLENGE and you'll be added to our GOAL METER!!! Come on District 14-E Can we get to \$500? \$1000? More?!?!?!?!

(if you need help setting up a facebook fundraiser, feel free to reach out to Lisa)



### **Club Happenings!**





















The Delmont Lions have been busy! At a recent Club meeting, they did a service project of tying fleece blankets for Westmoreland Hospital! They were able to get 16 completed & have more to do! Thanks to all who came to help!!

They also held a very successful Pancake Breakfast recently.
Thank you to all who came out to support the Breakfast!!!!

### **Fly Zones**

#### **ZONE 1**

**CHESTNUT RIDGE** – 26 members. This month we made donations to the district projects and also received donations from community members for the veterans monument project.

**GREENSBURG EAST HEMPFIELD** - 12 members. Regular Dinner Meeting to finalize candidates for office, garden Project at St Clair Park and Lynch Feld, added to Plastic Collection and ordered new bench, Road Clean Up on White School Road, a 20 + year project.

**LATROBE** – 14 members. Honored Student of the Month, held successful Broom Sale, Weeding mini gardens in Latrobe, worked at the Food Bank, worked at St Vincent DePaul, collected plastic for a park bench, collected eye glasses, donated to District projects.

**MOUNT PLEASANT TWP** - 48 members. Celebrated the club's 75th anniversary with a banquet at Roosevelt Hall in Norvelt on April 22 with IPD Cindy Gregg as the principal speaker. The following donations were distributed that evening: \$10,00 to the WCBA, \$1200 to District 14-E projects, \$1100 to the Norvelt VFD, \$1000 to the Westmoreland County Park Police for a drug dog, \$500 to Beacon Lodge Camp, \$500 to BSA troop #472 of Norvelt, \$500 to LCIF, \$250 to JDRF, and \$200 to the Sunshine 4H Club. Held monthly sub and pepperoni rolls sale.

**NEW FLORENCE** – 18 members. Convention--Bud, Rick and Bejo plan on attending. Cash Tickets--set up a table at the grocery store to sale our tickets. Brooms--Price of brooms have gone up. Increase of \$1.00 for regular and \$1.50 for heavy duty. Will raise our prices to \$12.00 for regular and \$15.00 for heavy duty. Cash Tickets--Given OK to order tickets for the June 30th drawing. Fox's Pizza--Owner wants to help us with the cost for New Florence Days. Will check to see what is sausage rolls are like. Will also check on other shops. New Florence--Will Be checking on prices to see if we will need to increase the price of our hot sausage.

#### ZONE 2

**ROSTRAVER TWP** - 43 members. Several Lions attended the District Spring Fling. Our 1st chicken BBQ of the season went over well. 4 members participated in working Tuesday at Betty Ambler Park in Rostraver Twp. On going Bags for Benches.

**SEWICKLEY AREA** - 9 members. Provided glasses to student in the area after eye exam.

**YOUNGWOOD** – 38 members. Donated \$200.00 to Feeding the Spirit. Donated \$50.00 to Knights of Columbus. 3 members attended the Spring Rally.

#### **ZONE 3**

**ALLEGHENY TWP** - 10 members. Continued with Meals-On-Wheels, voted for District officers, attended Spring Rally & cabinet meeting, held clubs 70th Anniversary dinner at 1844 Restaurant, and selling brooms.

**DELMONT** - 39 members. Club collected 200 pairs of used eyeglasses for recycling. Club members attended the District Bowling Tournament. Club members assisted with Lions Lunchables. Club members attended Guiding Lion & Zone Chair Trainings. Club meeting/bod meeting to discuss club business, financials, and plan for upcoming activities.

**LOWER BURRELL** – 26 members. Welcomed guest speaker District Judge Cheryl Peck-Yakopec. She spoke about her job and several general cases that come before her. She also talked about what she does in her office free of charge and what she does for the community. King Lion gave an update on a member who has been in the hospital and recently discharged. Collecting items for the high school clothes closet for those who wish to avail themselves of items donated. Continue to collect eyeglasses.

**MURRYSVILLE** – 18 members. 2 members attended the car cruise meeting, 1 member attended the LDBAW meeting. 1 member attended the District Convention, dinner with the visiting International Director, Mt. Pleasant Twp. 75th anniversary dinner, Yukon Lions pancake breakfast and 14-E duck race.

Hosted 3 guests/potential members at dinners. Planning next delivery of "manna" bags to the homeless shelter.

**VANDERGRIFT** - 26 members. We continue to collect used eyeglass, sell brooms and collect and loan out hospital equipment to people in need. A member attended the District Convention meeting.

**WASHINGTON-BELL** – 13 members. Stocked trout in Pine Run Creek for free fishing for children. Picked up 17 bags of trash on Rt. 380 for highway clean up. Planning free Movies in the Park for summer. Continue selling brooms and collecting used eyeglasses.

#### **ZONE 4**

**BUSHY RUN** – 37 members. No report.

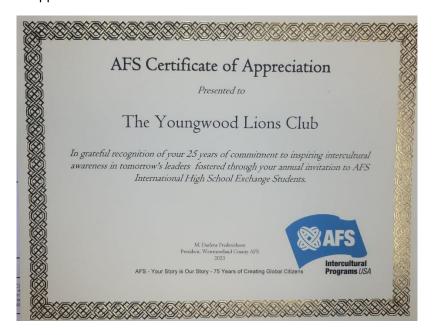
**NORWIN** – 32 members. Elected officers and board for the 2023-2024 Lion year. Collected eyeglasses and hearing aids. Sold brooms.

**LEVEL GREEN** – 38 members. Road clean up and can collections, building rentals. Members participated in PTCDA Drug Take Back at Penn-Zion Lutheran Church on April 22. Club hosted student speakers at regular meetings, guest speakers including Judge Rebecca Penn Township magistrate. Committee finalized scholarship recipients. Planning for Fall Festival underway.

**MANOR** – 15 members. Donated Drug test kits to local police station and 2 middle schools. Participated in Drug Take Back Day

Thank you to those clubs reporting. A reminder – you must submit your activities and service reports to LCI. This is separate from your submission to the District Newsletter through the <a href="www.lions14e.org">www.lions14e.org</a> website. If you have any questions about reporting your club's service to LCI, please contact your zone chair as soon as possible.

"If it isn't reported, it didn't happen...."



Congratulations to the Youngwood Lions. Keep doing what you do!

### Celebrating some milestones!





Congratulations Allegheny Township Lions! Celebrating 70 years of Service!







Congratulations Mt Pleasant Township Lions! Celebrating 75 years of Service!













### 2022-2023 DISTRICT 14-E PROJECTS DONATION FORM

| CLUB  | DATE |
|---|------|
| Beacon Lodge Camp for the Blind             | \$   |
| Care-A-Van                                  | \$   |
| Diabetes                                    | \$   |
| Disaster Relief Team Fund                   | \$   |
| Eye Research                                | \$   |
| Pediatric Cancer                            | \$   |
| Leader Dogs for the Blind                   | \$   |
| Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF) | \$   |
| Lions of Pennsylvania Foundation            | \$   |
| PA Lions Hearing Research Foundation        | \$   |
| Western PA Lions Hearing Foundation         | \$   |
| Westmoreland County Blind Association       | \$   |
| Westmoreland County Deaf Services           | \$   |
| TOTAL DONATION:                             | \$   |

Please note: If your club has not already submitted donations, they must be received by May 1, 2023 to receive credit for 2022-2023 Lions Year. Donation check should be made out to District 14-E Lions and this form should accompany the check. Please mail check to Cabinet Treasurer, PDG Robert Mesher, 441Gallitin Road, Belle Vernon, PA 15012. If necessary check can be given to District Governor Tony before the deadline.

### **District 14-E Flight Crew:**

### **DISTRICT 14-E CABINET - 2022-2023**

| District Governor                      | Tony Catullo  | Rostraver Twp  | tcatullo@hotmail.com     | 412-980-0941 |
|--|---------------|----------------|--------------------------|--------------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Vice District Governor | Amy Thompkins | Delmont        | amoose309@yahoo.com      | 412-551-0327 |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice District Governor | Jeff Jordan   | Level Green    | Jeffreybob14e@gmail.com  | 412-418-3646 |
| District Secretary                     | Kara Knode    | New Alexandria | kpurvis77@yahoo.com      | 724-689-5560 |
| District Treasurer                     | Robert Mesher | Rostraver Twp  | robertmesher@comcast.net | 724-323-5458 |

### District Global Action Team (GAT) Coordinators

| Leadership | PDG Chuck Thompkins | Delmont    | chuckt@yahoo.com      | 724-989-8250 |
|------------|---------------------|------------|-----------------------|--------------|
| Membership | PDG Charlie McGrew  | Sewickley  | Cjmcgrew1@verizon.net | 724-446-2546 |
| Service    | PDG Lance Remic     | Slickville | lremic@hotmail.com    | 724-309-6750 |

### **Zone Chairpersons**

| Zone 1 | Amy Thompkins | Delmont     | amoose309@yahoo.com     | 412-551-0327 |
|--------|---------------|-------------|-------------------------|--------------|
| Zone 2 | Jeff Jordan   | Level Green | Jeffreybob14e@gmail.com | 412-418-3646 |
| Zone 3 | Lisa Gismondi | Delmont     | Lisgis67@gmail.com      | 724-454-3653 |
| Zone 4 | Jeff Jordan   | Level Green | Jeffreybob14e@gmail.com | 412-418-3646 |

### Communications

| Communication/Publicity                    | John Russo    | Norwin      | apdjr@aol.com            | 724-864-3844 |
|--|---------------|-------------|--------------------------|--------------|
| Website                                    | Jeff Jordan   | Level Green | Jeffreybob14e@gmail.com  | 412-418-3646 |
| Newsletter                                 | Lisa Gismondi | Delmont     | lisgis67@gmail.com       | 724-454-3653 |
| District Admin (Club<br>Reporting Support) | Denise Poole  | Norwin      | dypoole@comcast.net      | 724-787-6183 |
| Social Media                               | Amanda/Lance  | Slickville  | akbrant@atlanticbb.net / | 724-984-7644 |
|  | Remic         |             | Iremic@hotmail.com       | 724-468-4626 |



### **IMPORTANT WEB ADDRESSES**

| District 14-E Lions             | www.lions14E.org            |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Leader Dogs for the Blind       | www.leaderdog.org           |
| Lions Clubs International       | www.lionsclubs.org          |
| PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp      | www.beaconlodge.org         |
| PA State Council of Lions Clubs | www.palions.org             |
| Lions of PA Foundation          | www.lionsofpafoundation.org |
| Western PA Lions Hearing Found  | ationwww.wpalhf.org         |

Like us on Facebook: District 14-E Lions

Please consider a Personal Contribution to either of these two charities to supplement Club Donations. Thank You!

https://fourdiamonds.donordrive.com/index.cfm?fuseaction=cms.page&id=1175

https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/donate

