



LIONS CLUB DISTRICT 22W

Weekly Update

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Notes on Weekly Updates:

- Email flyers .pdf & .jpeg with narrative to CS Wendy by Wednesday prior to distribution on Monday

Our District Governor's Schedule:

06/16 Terra Rubra LC Officer Installation
06/17 Libertytown LC Officer Installation
06/18 Roaring Run LC Officer Installation
06/19 Deer Park LC Officer Installation
06/21 Officer Training in Hagerstown



Picture: Dehumidifiers delivered to Lonaconing and Westernport (Potomac) Fire Stations.

Western port Library Flooding:

<https://www.facebook.com/alleganycountylibrary/videos/593321923251858>

Submitted by: President Bridgette Karalewitz

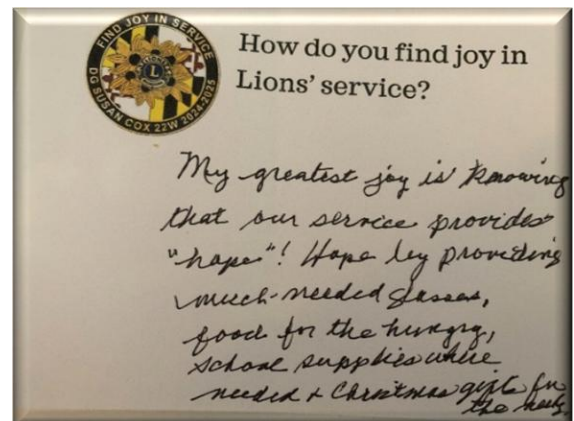
Quick Reference to the District Newsletter

Click: [District 22W June Newsletter](#)

Please send submissions for the **July** District newsletter no later than June 25th (4th Wednesday) to incoming Newsletter Editor Lion Lynn Stimmel, jerlynstimmel@comcast.net including Subject: "District Newsletter Request"

In Remembrance:

Condolences for the friends and family of **Lion Ebb Spiker**, from the Lonaconing Lions Club. Lion Ebb passed away on Friday, June 13. Please keep his beloved wife, Joanne, and the entire Spiker family in your thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. Visitation will be held on Friday from 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM at Wilhelm Aiken in Midland. The funeral service will take place on Saturday at 11:00 AM. Lion Ebb's dedication and service will be deeply missed.



Disaster Relief: Individual and Club Donations can be made to the District 22W Foundation with a note in the **Memo Line: Emergency Response Contingency Fund**. Mail check to CT Guy Garey 3321 Main Street Ste B1, Manchester, MD 21102.

Upcoming Events and Links:

June 18 – Hampstead LC Dining Night Out Fundraiser Bring the flyer with you for dine in or carry out. Share with family and friends [Hampstead DNO Fundraiser](#)

June 21 - Officer Training at Hagerstown Library: Register Now [2025 District 22W Club Officer Training](#)

July 12 – Myersville Lions Club Paint Party - [Myersville LC Paint Party Fundraiser](#)

July 19 - Change of Banner – [District 22W Change of Banner Invitation](#)

August 3 - FSK Lions Spirits Tasting Fundraiser at McClintock Distillery in Frederick, 4 - 6 pm [FSK Spirit Tasting](#)

August 9 -- FSK Lions Annual Yard Sale fundraiser at 1406 North Market Street, 8 am - 2 pm. [FSK Yard Sale](#)

August 31 -- FSK Lions serve dinner at Community Table in Fredrick, 5 pm - 7 pm

October 4 – District 22W Social Save the Date Link: [District 22W Social](#)

2025-2026 District 22W Monthly Newsletters and Weekly Updates

Moving into the new Lion year, starting July 1, we will embark on a new format for the District's Monthly Newsletters and the Weekly Updates with utilizing technology for easier access. Incoming CS Jeanne Ward will prepare the weekly updates and Newsletter Editor Lynn Stimmel will prepare the monthly newsletters. Club flyers for service and fundraiser activities will be posted to the District Website. Please email your flyers in PDF or Word format to events@mdlions22w.org, jerlynstimmel@comcast.net, & baumward@gmail.com for the new Lions year starting in July. Thank you, Lion, Will Holl for sharing your talents with updating our District website. Please send Weekly Update submissions to incoming CS Jeanne Ward, baumward@gmail.com by each Friday preceding the midweek publish date, starting Friday, July 4th. Please send the Monthly Newsletter submissions to incoming Newsletter Editor Lynn Stimmel by the 4th Wednesday of the month. Clubs, please include photos of club events and service projects with 50-word max caption, brief writeups including club name, event/project name, date/outcome, people featured (w/permission). Lions, as we implement these small changes thank you for your patience and understanding.

Submitted by: CS Wendy

Membership - Why It Matters

There's still time to make a difference before this Lions year ends, but it starts with one simple step: reach out to someone today. Think of a neighbor, coworker, friend, or community leader who shares your values and would make a great Lion.

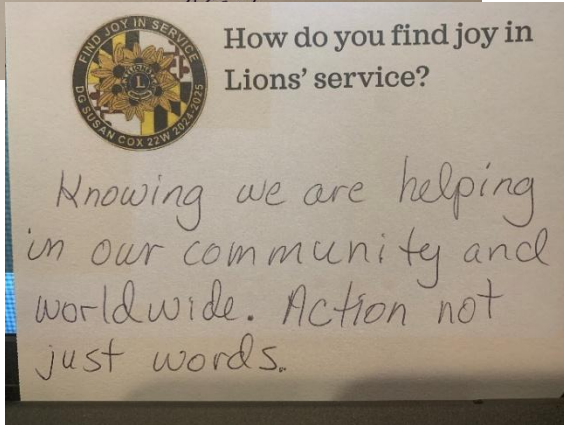
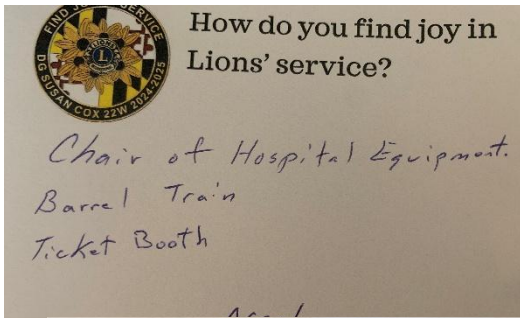
Membership growth doesn't happen by chance. It happens when we personally invite others to join us in serving. One conversation can lead to a new member, a new project, or even a new club.

The strength of our clubs, and the impact we make depends on all of us. Don't wait. Reach out today. Extend the invitation. Help someone find joy in service. We are counting on each of you to make the difference.

Submitted by: DG Susan

Cabinet, Committee Chairs and Coordinators – Final Report

Please email your final report to CS Wendy Drum, cs22w2425@gmail.com, by Saturday, June 28th.



Lions Reflection: Tropical Storm Helene in Pensacola, NC

The recent pantry delivery to Mustard Seed Faith Pantry in Pensacola NC - Chasity Colliers, a 501c-3 organization lead to a unique experience for Lion Gene Munro, LaVale LC President and Lion Leon Cardiff, FVDGE. Lions Gene and Leon observed a THRP delivery in Weaverville, NC for an individual who lost their home during Hurricane Helene. The developed partnership with these service organizations offers HOPE far beyond our initial scope. Take a look:

https://www.facebook.com/story.php?story_fbid=122161110446581860&id=61567455807655&rid=CWEFKW5JZqQ4kUbQ#

"While the house was not part of the VDG Challenge project, it was a limb of the planted tree", shared by Lion Leon.

The odds are in our favor. The willingness to serve humbly for the greater good brings immeasurable JOY. Remember to not underestimate the power of Partnership with a servant heart.

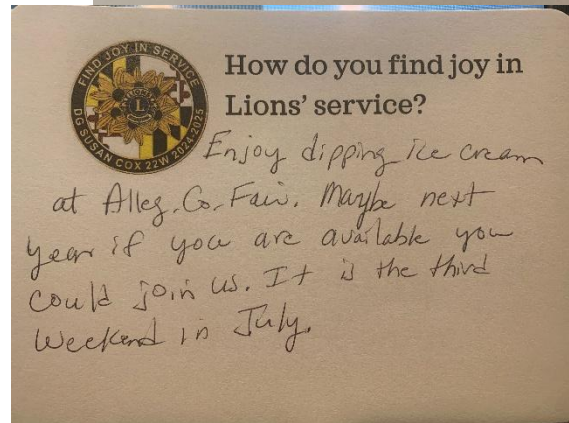
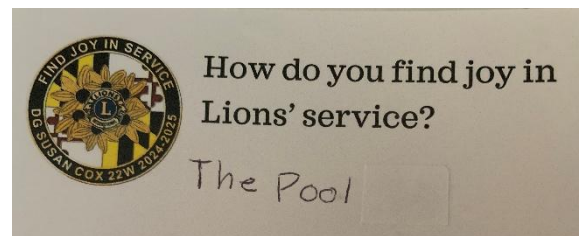
Submitted by: Lion Wendy Drum



Chasity Collier and Lion Gene Munro



THRP delivery of home for individual



Thank you District 22W Lions!