

## **LIONS DISTRICT 22-W NEWS**

#### DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

**AUGUST** 

NEW MD-22W website...

https:// mdlions22w.org Fellow Lions:

What an exciting first month as District Governor! It started with a wonderful trip to Milan. Italy and the International convention. Dr. Jung Yul Choi, of Korean, was elected as our new International President. Patti Hill, of Canada, was elected as our new Third Vice President in a contested election. As always, the International Parade of Nations was an amazing experience, demonstrating how international our association truly is.

We have had great news in our district. There is a Lions Club in Region 1, the Deer Park Swanton Lions Club was



Chartered on June 30th and is working hard to get organized. Details of their first charted night will come out very soon. The Glade Valley Lions Club got approval to start a new Leos club at the Walkersville High School. This is awesome that the Leos from the middle school will get to continue in Lions as Leos.

**INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION** 

Our mission is to support the efforts of Lions clubs and partners in serving communities locally and globally, giving hope and impacting lives through humanitarian service projects and grants

LIONS CLUBS

**MISSION** 

There are other changes happening in our district as well. The 22-W Foundation is up and running again, please make checks for all service related donations payable to the 22-W Foundation (as described in the roster books) and write the specific cause in the memo line, for example: Diabetes, Mobile Screening Van, or Leader Dogs. The roster books will be distributed at the Change of Banner, on August 10<sup>th</sup>, but if you can't wait the roster book is available on the new website, mdlions22w.org under the Members Only section.

Our IT chair, Lion Nathan, has been working hard on the new website and is interested in your feedback or problems. I also request that clubs submit photos of their activities and service to Nathan for the photo page of the website. This website is intended to be a resource for the Lions in 22-W and should have the information that you need: newsletters, flyers, and other useable information.

The new MyLion application for reporting service is up and running. All Lions should get their "log in" for MyLion, this is a great location to see the impact of your club. Several clubs have been successful in reporting their activities on MyLion, other clubs are experiencing problems. If you have problems or are successful in finding a work around solution, please let the District know; contact GST Susan Cox, or GLT Brian Cox so they can incorporate your knowledge into the training on September 14<sup>th</sup>, at Terra Rubra.

There are several upcoming District events over the next few months. First is the Change of Banner on August 10th, where we will celebrate the achievements and successes of our clubs during last year. The first cabinet meeting will be in Region 1, on September 7th. Please RSVP to Region There is much to discuss and approve like the budget and the by-laws for the Foundation. Third, is the training session for club secretaries and Lions who report using MyLion on September 14<sup>th</sup>.

I look forward to seeing all of you at these District Events, Official Visits, and Club activities.

I encourage all Lions to Serve with 20/20 Focus for the Future.



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#### 1st VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

I was among the total of 31 Lions and guests who participated in a bus trip to Lions Camp Merrick on Wednesday, July 10<sup>th</sup>, organized by IPDG Gerry and Lion Sue Beachy. The following clubs were represented: Hancock Lioness Lions (they had 10 attendees), Thurmont, South Carroll Lioness Lions, Brunswick, Deer Park, Freedom District, Libertytown-Unionville, Myersville, Francis Scott Key, North Branch, Potomac Valley, Grantsville and Hagerstown. We had a fun time on the 2-hour bus ride to Nanjemoy, Md in Charles -County, playing games and eating snacks. We arrived at the 320-acre camp overlooking the Potomac River in time for lunch with the 73 diabetic campers who were there for the week. This was the second diabetic session so far at the camp this summer. We heard some of their stories of how they have the chance to feel like a normal child even though they need to wear an insulin pump. The days are packed with sports, crafts and camaraderie. 75-80% of the camp counselors were campers themselves who spent many years attending the camp as young children. These young adults, both males and females, cried as they related their stories of being bullied in the public schools, but always felt accepted at camp and could relate their problems to the other campers. The camp had changed their lives! We toured the camp in bright, sunny weather seeing wooden cabins in the woods with views of the Potomac River as we took group pictures on the pier. Many of us located bricks around the flagpole that were purchased years ago during a fundraiser for Lions Camp Merrick. Before we left, we were entertained by a group of young children who danced while singing "It's Raining Insulin". Consider this trip if it is offered once again in the future. You will be inspired!

Our district has money to fund some camperships for the diabetic and for the deaf & hard of hearing programs; however, we need your help in identifying these children in your communities who can benefit from these two programs. Ask around, especially during your service projects and fundraisers. Display flyers at your events and on your website and Facebook page. Applications can be obtained from Lion Donna Jackman & Tom Harney for the diabetic children and FVDG Barb Brimigion for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing children. It is extremely important for the diabetic children to have the camping experience to learn to make the necessary adjustments in their lives to avoid the serious complications that diabetes can cause and for the deaf and hard of hearing children to have the opportunity to improve their sign language skills and foster friendships with children with similar challenges. The experience a child has at camp is invaluable and will last a lifetime. There is no monetary amount that can be placed on the benefits. There are more things that you can do: clubs should consider having a speaker at their club meeting, sponsor or attend a clubsponsored fundraiser such as the TWLC Dance for Diabetes in May, give monetary support to these two district committees or make a donation directly to Camp Merrick for their diabetic and deaf programs.

FVDG Barb Brimigion

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#### **2nd VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE**

This new Lions' year is off to a strong start with many exciting events and service projects already underway. I am both excited and humbled to be a part of the District leadership and embrace the upoportunity to learn more about how our District operates. More than anything, I look forward to working with all of you.

In this first month, I had the opportunity to install the officers for the Cumberland Lions Club and ■ then attend DG Evan's first official visit at the Grantsville Lions Club where he installed the officers ■ and inducted a new member. The next day the Cabinet joined IPDG Gerry Beachy and Guiding ■ Lion/ RC Sue Beachy in meeting with the leadership of our newest club – Deer Park-Swanton. It ■ was exciting to be part of the creation of a new club and we wish our newest club success as they ■ serve the needs of both those Garrett County communities.

Have you used MyLion yet? I strongly encourage all clubs to upload their club service activities in
MyLion. I have entered my club's activities for all of June and July and find the site user friendly.
It may seem overwhelming at first, but the more you use it, the more you become familiar with the
processes of entering activities that have occurred and adding upcoming events. As noted by
Cabinet Secretary Martin in his weekly update, be sure that you are registered and then utilize the
training site if you are using MyLion for the first time. I would strongly recommend that you become familiar with the site before you start uploading your activities. This will help you when you
go to enter your service projects for the month of July. Remember, you can no longer add service
activities via MyLCI. If you need assistance entering your club's information into MyLion,
please call me at 304-738-4708 or email me at ccroft@atlanticbb.net.

I highly recommend that club officers who did not participate in the regional training sessions held
 in June, especially club secretaries, treasurers, membership and service chairs and others, attend
 the Global Action Team Training at Terra Rubra Lions Club on Saturday, September 14.
 Please note that the location has changed. Originally slated for Chewsville, the session will now
 be hosted by the Terra Rubra Lions. Also, I would encourage club officers to take advantage of training modules available on LCI's website.

Finally, I hope to see you at the **Change of Banner on Saturday, August 10**. The evening promises to be a wonderful event and I, personally, am looking forward to completing one of my final official acts as Cabinet Secretary as I share with you my life as Cabinet Secretary for IPDG Gerry Beachy.

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#### **CALENDAR**



Aug. 1: RESERVATIONS OPEN FOR TAW-NEYTOWN POTOMAC EAGLE TRAIN EX-CURSION BUS TRIP — to take place on October 9<sup>th</sup>. The only change is it is open to members only until August 1<sup>st</sup>! After that we will open it up to the public until September 2...SEE COMING EVENTS

Aug. 6: NATIONAL NIGHT OUT!!!!

Aug. 10: **CHANGE OF BANNER:** Myersville Fire Hall...SEE COMING EVENTS

Aug. 15: **FLINTSTONE CHARTER**...SEE COMING EVENTS

Aug. 17: GREATER CARROLL CRAB & CHICKEN FEED...SEE COMING EVENTS

Aug. 18: **LINEBORO-MANCHESTER LIONS** will hold their annual picnic at the swimming Pool starting at 5:30pm.

Aug. 21: ROARING RUN Surf & Turf Drawing ... SEE COMING EVENTS

Aug. 22:WESTMINSTER STEAK SAUSAGE & CORN FEED...SEE COMING EVENTS

Aug. 23: WILLIAMSPORT PIG ROAST

Aug. 24: SOUTH CARROLL LLC ALL DAY CASH BINGO—\$45—doors open at 9:30am—games start at 10:30am—games end at 4:00pm. Includes continental breakfast, lunch, dessert, door prizes, and two sessions of bingo.

Aug. 24: TERRA RUBRA CRAB FEED \$40— 1:00-4:00pm

Aug. 24: RRLC SURF N TURF RAFFLE

Aug.24: **DISTRICT 22W LIONS' DAY** with the Hagerstown Suns Game time is 6:05 p.m. with a picnic buffet starting at 5:00. Cost is \$17.00 per person ...SEE COMING EVENTS.

Sept.2: **LINEBORO-MANCHESTER LIONS** will be working at the Renaissance Festival from 9:30am-7:00pm.

Sept. 7: FIRST CABINET MEETING FOR 22W...SEE COMING EVENTS

Sept. 7: **ROARING RUN LIONS BASKET BINGO** at Reese Hall

Sept. 7: **TERRA RUBRA** golf tournament at the Glade Valley Course 7:30am check in 8:30am

Sept.11: FREEDOM DISTRICT LIONS 73RD CHARTER NIGHT...SEE COMING EVENTS

Sept. 12:LIONS YOUTH FOUNDATION BINGO:

Sept 13-21: THE GREAT FREDERICK FAIR

Sept. 14: OFFICERS TRAINING AT TERRA RU-

BRA starting at 9:00am

Sept. 16: **ZONE MEETING TERRA RUBRA** 6:30pm

Sept. 27: **FREEDOM DISTRICT GOLF TOURNA- MENT...**SEE COMING EVENTS

Sept. 28: LVRF Aim for Sight Sporting Clay Shoot:

Sept. 28: **TERRA RUBRA CRAB FEED**—\$40-1:00pm-4:00pm

#### MD22 Conventions

May 13-16, 2019 – Ocean City, MD May 11-14, 2020 – Ocean City, MD April 15-18, 2021 – Gettysburg, PA April 21-24, 2022 – Gettysburg, PA April 20-23, 2023 – Ocean City, MD

LCI Convention

July 5-9, 2019 - Milan, Italy



June 26-30, 2020 – Singapore June 25-29, 2021 – Montreal, Quebec July 1-11, 2022 – New Delhi, India July 7-11, 2023 – Boston, MA June 21-25, 2024 – Melbourne, Australia Page 5 District 22 -W Newsletter

#### **DISTRICT ACTIVITIES**

September 7: Cabinet Meeting – The LaVale Lions will host the first cabinet meeting at the lower LaVale Fire Department building, 421 National Hwy, Cumberland, MD 21502. The Honorary Committee meeting is at 11:00 a.m. Lunch is at noon and includes chicken, baked beans, potato salad, drinks and dessert for \$14.00. Make checks payable to LaVale Lions Club. Reservations are due by Friday, August 30, 2019. Attendees are invited to the den to observe the LaVale Lions BBQ operation

October 5, 2019 - District 22-W Social AND Post Social

October 26<sup>,</sup> 2019 - Melvin Jones Brunch from 10am to Noon \$15 - reservation

January 25<sup>th</sup> - SAVE THE DATE! Francis Scott Key Lions Club will celebrate its 60th anniversary at a 12 o'clock luncheon at the Hilton Garden Inn, Frederick; details to follow.

#### **LETTERS TO DEAF CAMPERS**

FVDG Barb Brimigion Hearing Preservation, Awareness and Action Chair

Deaf Camps Inc, to whom we provide deaf camperships, asked our Lions this year to write short and simple letters again to deaf campers who receive no mail from home during their stay at the Manidokan Camp and Retreat in Washington County for the deaf program in July.

We were asked to include some stickers or fun activities sheets with the letters. This year, we were given a list of 68 names, ranging from 2nd grade through high school. The South Carroll Leos with Lion Advisor Mindy Coates from the Taylorsville-Winfield Lions Club made friendship bracelets for each camper.

I would like to thank the following Lions who responded to my plea for help: IPDG Gerry and Lion Sue Beachy, DG Evan Gillett from Roaring Run, PCS Susan Cox from Terra Rubra, Lion Robin Nawrot from Deer Park, Lions Viki Peltier, Ann Kramb, PCT Gary Buchman, Diane Torockio and Sheila Bowman from Freedom District, Lion Linda Brady from Taylorsville-Winfield, PDG Susan Bonura, Suzanne Bradshaw and Linda Kafchinski from the South Carroll Lioness Lions Club, and Wendy Beares from the Westminster Lions Club. We all had the chance to make these campers feel "special".

#### District 22W Website:

District 22W has a new website <a href="http://mdlions22w.org">http://mdlions22w.org</a>. It is a work in progress and is meant to replace the edistrict website. Check it out! This is where you will find the following information:

- District 22W Newsletter
- District Events & Flyers
- District 22W Club List
- District Governor's Visitations
- District 22W Dates of Interest
- Clubs with Medical Equipment
- District 22W Contest Rules

All of the flyers are located under Projects. On the calendar, please ignore the "See More Details" link as the flyers are no longer attached to the calendar. They will remove old flyers as they add new ones to the Projects page. It has links to the other sub-districts and to our Multiple District as well as LCI.

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#### **MEMORIAL**

**LION JOHN WILLIAM EARL BROWN,** Thurmont, passed away while vacationing with his family on July 24th. Born November 28, 1939, in Cascade, MD, he was the son of the late Stanly and Pauline Brown. He was preceded in death by his wife Betty in 2009.

Mr. Brown was a local businessman having owned and operated Brown's Jewelry and Gift Store for nearly 40 years. He was an artisan who enjoyed designing special pieces for his valued clients. Prior to being a jeweler, he was a lab technician at Fort Detrick, Wayne Laboratories and Maryland State Animal Health Lab.

He was a dedicated member of the Thurmont community where he served as president of the Catoctin Colorfest; former member of the Board of Thurmont Main Street, and member of

Thurmont Lions Club where he recently received the International Association of Lions Clubs' Life Membership award for his longtime service with Lions Club Eyeglass Program. As a member of St. John's Lutheran church he had been a council member and chair person.

He is survived by his daughter, Stacey Brown-Hobbs and her husband Michael, grandson, Eric Hobbs and his wife ShaLeigh Saylor and granddaughter Emily Hobbs.

Services were held July 31st. At Stouffer Funeral Home. Donations may be made to St. John's Christian Preschool Endowment Fund, c/o Wanda Mathias at 15 N. Church Street, Thurmont, MD.

#### Save the Date: Saturday, October 5th!

#### District 22W 2019 Social

Clarion Hotel & Conference Center 5400 Holiday Drive; Frederick, Maryland

There will be an After Social Event Party so come to both!

This is an annual event in celebration of the accomplishments of our district & to honor District Governor Evan Gillett.

More information to follow in August.

Consider being a patron in the Social Ad Book for only \$5.00. Contact PCS Gary Buchman.

DG Evan & Lion Bonnie Gillett



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#### **INTERNATIONAL NEWS**

# INTRODUCING OUR NEW LIONS INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT Dr. Jung-Yul Choi

Dr. Jung-Yul Choi of Busan, Republic of Korea, was elected to serve as International President of Lions Clubs International at the association's 102nd International Convention held in Milan, Italy.

A member of the Busan Jae-il Lions Club since 1977, IP Choi has held many offices within the association and served on 11 committees as a member of the International Board of Directors. In addition, he was a chairperson of the 39th OSEAL, Forum in 2000 and a host committee chairperson at the 95th Lions International Convention in Busan in 2012, the largest convention ever held in Lions history.

In recognition of his service to the association, IP Choi has received numerous awards, including the Humanitarian Award, International President's Leadership Awards, International President's Awards and an Ambassador of Good Will Award, the highest honor the association bestows upon its members. He is also a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow.

IP Choi is chief executive officer of Koala Company, Ltd., an international trading company, and is also a past director of the Busan Sports Association. IP Choi and his wife, Seung-Bok, have one son, four daughters, and two granddaughters.



# OUR INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT

As a Lion for more than 40 years, International President Dr. Jung-Yul Choi leads by example.

His career and life have been defined by a passionate work ethic, along with a dedication to bridging differences, connecting people and embracing diversity to create harmony for all.

#### THE MANY WAYS WE SERVE

President Choi's programs and initiatives will focus on four key elements of Lions International that are essential to our mission of service.

- 1. Strengthening membership through diversity.
- 2. Expanding service impact globally.
- 3. Supporting our global foundation, LCIF
  - 4. Empowering every Lion as a Leader

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#### **DISTRICT NEWS**

# LOCAL LIONS CLUBS PROVIDE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT AFTER NONPROFIT SHUTTERS LOAN CLOSET

(The following information was abstracted from a recent Frederick News Post Article written by Rebeca Duke Wiesenberg)

A Frederick nonprofit's decision to end a 50-year program that provided free medical equipment to residents in need has created a void — a void that other nonprofits are trying to fill. Federated Charities closed its medical loan closet, which provided crutches, walkers, wheelchairs and other non-electric medical supplies free of charge to anyone in Frederick County, on July 1.

Several Lions Club chapters in Frederick County continue to offer hospital supplies after Federated Charities shuttered its loan closet. The Mount Airy Lions Club has a "pretty full" warehouse of basic medical equipment including hospital beds, shower chairs, walkers and wheelchairs, club treasurer Dennis Ahalt said.

The Libertytown-Unionville chapter in Libertytown also provides medical equipment, according to the website for Lions Club chapters in western Maryland. The three clubs closest to the city of Frederick — FSK, Frederick and Yellow Springs — do not offer equipment, Frederick Lions Club secretary Leigh Joos said.



Lion Jack Niemiec, Libertytown-Unionville Lions is shown at the club's medical supply shed.

#### **YOUTH FOUNDATION NEWS**

Submitted by PCC Dave Studley—LYF Chairman

All club Presidents: I have had the opportunity to be Chairman of the Kusiak Lions Youth Foundation of Multiple District 22. It has been a pleasure to have served in this capacity for the past year and I look forward to the coming year to continue to represent 22B on the Board.

Over the past year we have had the opportunity to fund three grants in the Multiple District. One to help improve a Lions Sponsored Playground in 22D, another to provide funding for the "Roar Like a Lion Day of Service," which was held in 22W, and a third to support a seminar for young women in 22B.

I am certain that there are youth projects in all the Districts that would have qualified for funds from the Foundation and I hope that you will consider seeking our involvement in the future.

To help further the programs of LYF, the trustees from 22B are sponsoring a Bingo on 9/12. We need your help with game sponsorships, either with a cash donation of \$100 or game prizes of equal value (pocketbooks or filled baskets).

We are also in need of items for a Chinese auction. MAYBE EVEN IN YOUR OWN CLUB!

Please consider making a donation. Checks should be made out to the Sharptown Lions Club and be sent to PCC Dave Studley, 10377 Norris Twilley Road, Delmar, MD 21875.

COME JOIN US FOR AN EVENING OF FUN AND FELLOWSHIP. For more information please contact one of your 22B trustees PCC Dave Studley 410/726-8084, Lion Carol Schoonover 410/713-2295, or PDG Doug Jones 443/614-1430.

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#### **SMITHSBURG LIONS RECEIVE AWARDS**

Reprinted from Herald Mail News 7/9/2019

Several members of the Smithsburg Lions Club recently received awards from Lions International. The presentations were held at different times at the South Mountain Rod and Gun Club.

Past District Governor, Brian Cox (see right) presented Frank Schaller with a Senior Builder Membership Key for recruiting 15 new members into the club. (Also pictured and to the left is Lion Eric Davis.)



Zone Chairman, Jack Wenthe, presented Jeff Weaver with a centennial membership pin for recruiting a new member during the 100 year celebration of Lions International. Brian Dawson was his recruit. He also presented Weaver with a 15 year chevron for his

years in the organization.

Pictured left: Jeff Weaver, Zone Chair, Jack Wenthe, and Brian Dawson



Lion Wenthe presented President Nick Shillinger (see picture below) with a 35 year chevron for his years in Lions International. He also gave him a centennial bolo tie for his service as club pres-

ident for the past year.



Lions tackle issues like blindness, drug abuse, and health services. The Smithsburg Lions Club meets the second and fourth Wednesdays at the South Mountain Rod and Gun Club in Smithsburg. It serves Smithsburg and surrounding communities.

#### PRE-SCHOOL VISION SCREENING July 1, 2018 – June 30, 2019

(Submitted by Lion E. Lynwood Browning)

Our New Market District Lions Club applied for a grant on July 6, 2018, towards purchase of a vision screening camera, to be used to screen pre-school children. The total cost of the camera was \$ 7,200, and our request was for \$ 3,600 (50% of the total cost).

The grant was requested from the LIONS SAVING KIDS SIGHT Committee of District 22-W, chaired by Past International Director Lion Richard Liebno. It was approved within two weeks. Individual New Market Lions Club members donated the other \$3,600.

Our Lions Club has a very effective Pre-School Vision Screening Committee consisting of: Lions Peggy Brandenburg; Lynwood Browning; Brian Hennigan; Ryan Lancaster; Suzan McGowan; and Marge Shiflett.

During the Lions Club year, we screened 145 children. There were six referrals. The parents of two children were advised to have them taken to an eye doctor. The parents were told that if they needed financial support, then our Club would pay for examination and glasses. We had difficulty screening some children because their pupils were so small. As we learn more about the use of the new camera, we can probably correct that problem.

This year we screened children at six locations: Mt. Carmel and New Market United Methodists Churches; The Christmas in New Market Celebration; St. Michael Catholic Church; CELEBREE Learning Center in Mt. Airy; Montgomery United Methodist; and The Children's Center of Monrovia. For the new Lions year, our Pre-School Vision Screening Committee plans to do screening at eight or more locations.

## NEW MARKET LIONS PARTICIPATE IN RISE AGAINST HUNGER

On Saturday, June 15, members of NMDLC participated in a Providence United Methodist Church program to measure, bag, weigh, seal, and box meal packets for Rise Against Hunger, an international hunger relief organization that distributes food and aid to the world's most vulnerable.

The Club completed packing 1,692 meal packets with six meals per bag. They were filled with soy, rice, dehydrated vegetable, and vitamins and minerals providing  $\underline{10,152}$  meals.

When the dry meal packets arrive at their final destination, they will be mixed with water and flavoring. Delivery to schools is most desirable—to provide food and nutrition to children.

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#### **GOING TO POT**

Submitted by Lion Dave Kaplan

Whatever club members expected State Senator Andrew Serafini to discuss at a recent meeting, it probably was not the actual topic of his program presentation. That topic was marijuana, or more specifically, the possibility of legalizing marijuana for "recreational" purposes during the next legislative session.



In order to understand the issues more clearly, Sen. Serafini and other state legislators made an official visit to Colorado, a state that probably

has the most experience with legalized marijuana. They met with several Colorado state groups involved with sales, quality assurance, inspection, regulation, and financing of the drug. Some interesting aspects of Colorado's experience came to light.

- In spite of fees charged for licensing and taxes, legalizing marijuana has not been a "cash cow" for the state. The increased revenue was absorbed by expenses for inspecting and regulating. Increasing fees drastically would only result in sending buyers to the black market.
- "Edible" marijuana (placed in food or drink) is increasing in popularity. Marijuana in brownies has been around since the sixties (Here's to you, Mrs. Robinson), but it now can be purchased in pizza and even in beer! Problem is, the edible form doesn't "kick in" for 45 minutes or longer. When users don't experience the effects right away, they tend to overdose.
- Marijuana is still a dangerous drug for users under 25, leading to other health issues including schizophrenia.
   And, the larger issue for all users, why the need to disconnect, is still valid.

Senator Serafini conducted an informal poll among Club members about legalizing marijuana. The result was unanimous in opposing the proposal. Hagerstown Lions are not yet ready to go to pot!



#### **LIONS SERVING LUNCH**

Submitted by Lion Dave Kaplan

Even with the new community outreach emphasis of San Mar Home, the annual San Mar C&O Canal bike ride continue with sponsorship funds now helping to support community endeavors.

Hagerstown Lions Club continues to assist by providing lunch to bikers on the Sunday of the ride... SEE PICTURES.

Our thanks go to Lion Merle Saville and his wife Kitty, who annually coordinate the luncheon and to all other participating Lions: Noveda Clem and Granddaughter Cheyanne, Andy Hoffman, Brooks McBurney, Bill Nairn, Paul and Tammy Needy, and Tom Perry. Crystal Dodd and Bill Snyder, friends of Kitty and Lion Merle also assisted.





#### HANCOCK LIONESS LIONS CLUB HAPPENINGS

Submitted by Lioness Jeanne Ward

The club welcomed new member Mark Smith making a total of 27 members.

Thanks to Lion Scott Creek we now have a new storage space.

Lions Wayne and Jeanne Ward will be getting more Gardner's Candy Bars for the club to sell at local business.

Some of our members will be painting the inside of the Hancock Senior Center.

Our collection of eyeglasses is growing thanks to the collection box at the library.

We will be helping with the Breakfast in the Park on August 3rd.

Our members will have a food booth at the estate sale for Lion Jeanne Ward's Estate on August 31.

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#### FREEDOM DISTRICT LIONS ACTIVITIES

Submitted by Lion Don Champ

The Freedom District Lions Club had a 3 vehicle unit in the "Let Freedom Ring" parade, sponsored by the Downtown Sykesville Connection on June 30, 2019.

It was a beautiful afternoon and a large number of people turned out to watch the 2<sup>nd</sup> annual parade. Pictured with one of the vehicles, a 1992 troop transport truck, are some of the Freedom District Lions as they awaited the start of the parade.

Pictured: left to- right in the truck: Lions Jim Lauber, Patty Buchman, Barbara Brimigion and Gary Buchman.

Standing next to the truck are: Lions Bob Bastress, Scott Walthour, Myron Horn, in the Lions suit is Ann Kramb,



The Freedom District Lions Club (FDLC) was honored to

have Past District Governor, Lion Paul Cannada, as their guest speaker at the July 10, 2019 dinner meeting. Cannada is the Li-

ons District



22-W Chairman for the Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF). He discussed the humanitarian projects and disaster relief work of LCIF and how the local service club can support these efforts. Pictured above, FDLC President Jim Moore thanks Cannada for his presentation.

#### **YELLOW SPRINGS LIONS INSTALL OFFICERS**

Submitted by Lion Joann Bannon

PDG Marion Carmack installed the new officers for the Yellow Springs Lions Club. They are pictured below from left to right: Vice President: Lion Tony O'Toole, President: Lion Roger Wastler, Secretary/Treasurer Lion Earle Arnold, Membership Chair/Tail Twister: Lion Paula McGee, Newsletter Editor: Lion Joann Bannon and installing Officer PDG Carmack,.



#### HARNEY LIONS SET UP SHOP!

The Harney Lions Club worked hard at the local carnival. Below is a picture of their booth at the carnival.





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# THURMONT LIONS HELP SUMMER LITERACY PROJECT

Submitted by Lion Bob Kalis

Once again the Thurmont Lions Club assisted and provided to a local program that encourages children to read during the summer. Each year for the past six years, Weller United Methodist Church has collected books for the children of Sabillasville Elementary School. The Church decided to do this when they learned some of the children have very few books to read at home. The books are donated by the Church members during May and early June. On the last day of school, the children get to select three or four books to take home with them to read.

The Thurmond Lions Club provides book bags for the children to carry their books. The bags have been a different color each year. This year's color was orange. Written on the bags are some words to encourage reading along with the Lions Club logo and the words "Thurmont Lions Club."

As a volunteer who spends time at the school during the year, I can attest that the children are excited to receive the bags and books. The book drive is a great way to help keep children reading over the summer. As a Lion and as pastor at Weller UMC, I am grateful to the Thurmont Lions Club for giving us these bags each year. Anything we can do to keep children reading and learning is definitely worthwhile. Thank you Lions!



TO REACH BEYOND OUR LIMITS,
WE MUST REACH WITHIN OUR
CLUBS, COMMUNITIES
AND OURSELVES

# SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED TO HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

Submitted by Lion Bob Kalis

The Thurmont Lions Club provided some welcome assistance to college-bound Catoctin High School graduates by awarding five scholarships during the club meeting on June12th. Each scholarship is worth \$1,000. The Vic Jagow scholarship is worth \$1,000 a year for four years. The scholarships and winners for this year are pictured below: Vic Jagow 4 year scholarship—Pablo Archila Amiaga-Mt. St. Marys; Lynn Stuart Scholarship to Julia Ellenberg: one year scholarships to: Carly Crone, Caitlyn Naff, and Melanie Topper.



# THURMONT LIONS CLUB PRESENTS LION OF THE YEAR AWARD

Submitted by Lion Joyce Anthony

President Julie El-Taber presented the prestigious Club 2018-2019 Lion of the Year Award to Lion Gayle Di Salvo at the membership meeting on June 26th.

Lion Gayle has served as a co-advisor for the Thurmont Middle School Leo's and has regularly attended TMS Leo Club meetings since 2012. She has motivated Leo's to be service-minded by encouraging projects to assist the community, has communicated Leo activities with the Thurmont Lions Club, and has submitted monthly reports to the District Leo Chairperson and for the club's newsletter. Lion Gayle is always dependable and willing to help with any project.



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# HAGERSTOWN LIONS GUEST SPEAKER DR.JAMES KLAUBER

Submitted by Lion Jack Byers



On July 9, Dr. James Klauber, President of Hagerstown Community College, was our speaker.

Dr. Klauber was an eloquent speaker who began his presentation by touching on his background as a southern lawyer. After five years in law practice, he decided that education would be a better profession because, as a lawyer, he was always dealing with other people's problems.

HCC is fortunate to have his leadership as they expand their programming and maintain high standards in the educational field. During the past year, since he came here, he has met with scores of community leaders to help determine the needs of the community for a broad range of skills that can be provided by HCC including information technology, advanced manufacturing technicians, and other non-academic curriculum needs.

Dr Klauber said HCC has an enrollment of 4,000 and a total of 6,000 students attending.

#### **SPRUCING UP THE GARDEN!**

Submitted by Lion Dave Kaplan

It wasn't a disaster area by any means but it certainly needed work. The Hagerstown Lions Club Butterfly Garden and Monarch Waystation at the Soccer Complex had lost a few plants the past few years and pesky Bermuda grass was beginning to make inroads.

Garden coordinator, Lion Dave Kaplan called a work day on June 4th after the Club meeting. Lions Rudy Krumpe, Ralph Myers, and Tom Perry as well as Lion Dave planted, weeded and mulched with the mulch provided at no cost by Lowe's as a thanks for our participation in their Spring Fling last month. Thanks to the hard work of all these Lions, the Garden is once again in great shape. Flowers



are now blooming, and we should be seeing monarchs again in a few weeks. Visit when you're nearby.

#### YMCA-SENSE OF COMMUNITY!

Submitted by Lion Dave Kapland

Her college major was accounting but a career in that field seemed less than appealing. So, she took the road less traveled on her internship and found a position with the local YMCA. It was love at first sight! With a change in her major to community organization, Maria Rubling, program presenter at the June 25 Club meeting, has worked with YMCA ever since. Actually she has worked at five different Y's and is currently CEO of the Y in Hagerstown. Her only career breaks were to give birth to three children and to earn a Master's degree in organizational leadership (her graduate work was done in Springfield MA, which she reminded us is the birthplace of basketball). Under her leadership, the Hagerstown Y has grown and is now thriving.

What impresses her most about the Y is not the training in athletic skills or physical fitness development, but the sense of community that members express in caring for one another. "It's a place where if you're new in the community, you can come to meet people." It's a safe place to bring kids because everyone is watching over them. She thanked the Club for our support, which will be used to pay expenses for five summer campers.



#### **EYEGLASS REPORT**

Submitted by lion Dave Kaplan

Thanks to a generous contribution from the West Hagerstown Club, our collectors had a record setting collection for their team during the past month.

A total of 372 glasses, 158 cases for a total of 530 were collected. Thanks to our team of Lions: Carey Leverett and Tom Perry who diligently make these monthly collections on behalf of the Club. And they now have a new gathering source: My Eye Dr. at the Valley Mall.



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## TAWNEYTOWN LIONS LEARN OF PLANS FOR THE TOWN

Submitted by Lion Barbara Heltebridle

President Charlie chaired his first meeting and if you weren't there you missed out on his humor. He introduced our speaker, Mayor Bradley Wantz, a Taneytown native, who cares about and loves his town. (SEE PICTURE BELOW)

The Mayor said exciting times are ahead and much progress is being made now that there is a cohesive Council. One of the main topics discussed was the possibility of a recreational center for the town. The Creamery building is out of the equation but



the town is looking into the Dunbar building which was part of the former Rubber Factory as a possible site. The building itself is 37,000 square feet and sits on 5 acres.

He would like to see the Lions, the Chamber of Commerce and the Main Street Committee work cooperatively with the city to see this come to fruition. The vision is for an indoor recreation center with a part for the Public Works Department and meeting rooms. Volunteers will be needed to run and maintain the facility. He also stressed that the use of the building will not be free. There will be one fee for town residents and another for outsiders. The Council voted to have the property appraised, which is the first step, and then they will make a decision on whether to put in a bid. More information will be given to us at a later time.

Speaking on other items, Mayor Wantz said the city was in discussion with the State Highway Administration on the need for a turn light at the square and that a bridge will be built to finally connect each section of O'Brien Ave.



# TAWNEYTOWN LIONS & THE OVER THE HILL GANG JOIN FORCES

Submitted by Lion Barbara Heltebridle

The **Over the Hill Gang** from **Lorien** with the assistance of some of our Lions created an American flag which they donated to the **Taneytown History Museum** for their **Hometown Heroes of WWII** exhibit. The flag is made up of approximately **1500** toy soldiers and took over a month to make.

From L: Carroll Hahn, Taneytown History Museum, Lion Debbie, Sec. Ken and IPP Paul in back row



#### **WESTMINSTER NEWS**

Submitted by President Lee Miller

The Club's Tail Twister Lion Wendy started a new program called "The Giving Basket." We are collecting different "Wish List" items each month for local community organizations. In July we collected 82 travel-sized personal care items. She is also collecting old denim shirts/jeans, t-shirts, pantyhose, and kids clothing such as flannel shirts, pants, overalls, and hats.

Lion Kathy Risham is our Pediatric Cancer Service chair this year and is preparing a list of requested "Wish List" items for our local hospital Pediatric Cancer Units.

Westminster Fall Fest is coming. We will be staffing the food trailer on September 25-29.

Lion John Brown asked everyone to bring eyeglass donations on the second meeting of the month.

Our "Cash for Caring" recipient in May was Lion John Brown who gave the cash to an older veteran with health problems who has always been helpful to people in his community. June's recipient was a bipolar man who does odd jobs and has been struggling to make ends meet.

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#### **WILLIAMSPORT LIONS HAVE BUSY MONTH**

#### JUNE 11TH DINNER MEETING FOCUSES ON BEING SAFE & AWARE



"Crime Prevention for the Individual" was the theme of DFC Carly Hose of the Washington County Sheriff's Office at our first regular dinner meeting in June. She walked among us Lions demonstrating what thieves look for. Situational Awareness, and not being a target of opportunity by limiting what you carry to only that which is needed, and keeping doors locked.

# JUNE 20TH HOMEWOOD



Lion Bill Humphrey calls out the numbers; as Lion Georgia Barton, chair, helps residents; and Lion George Klimes stands by with money envelopes for winners. Lions Lois Conrad, Cathy Morgan and Dick Nye also assisted.

Homewood honors volunteers each year with a thank you dinner; this vear scheduled on Thursdav, June 27th.

#### JUNE 22ND HOMEWOOD SENIOR PROM



(left) Lion Georgia Barton, Lois Conrad, Stan Stouffer, Cathy Morgan, Bernie Gettel, Lou Stevens, and Irene Clopper decorated the Prom Arch on June 21st. (below left) Lion Georgia, Chair, dances with residents while music and Lindy Hop Dancers perform in background. (below right) Residents were each welcomed via the Prom Arch and received boutonnieres or corsages by the Prom Lions welcoming committee.







Lions Stimmel and Gray with Assistant Principal Jay Corrigan

#### FSK LIONS CELEBRATE THE ENDING OF SCHOOL

Submitted by Lion Lynn Stimmel

King Lion Toni Gray, NFES Liaison Lion Lynn Stimmel, and Lion Syed Anderabi attended the four awards ceremonies at North Frederick Elementary School on June 19th. Ceremonies were for the second grade, the first grade, fourth grade, and fifth grades. There was also a "clap out" for the fifth graders who will be attending middle school in the next school year.

They also said goodbye to NFES Assistant principal who was promoted to principal of Orchard Grove Elementary School for the coming year. (See picture on the left.)

We even had our photo taken with Freddie Falcon, the NFES mascot.



Counselor Laura Vogtman, NFES principal Kim Seiss, Freddie Falcon, and Lions Gray and Stimmel

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#### **USA CANADA LIONS LEADERSHIP FORUM**

Submitted by Publicity Chair William Strauss

The USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum is the premier leadership education and information event in the world of Lions.

Lion Sue Ensor, who is the new District 22W Region III, Zone III Chair this year, is the Cabinet Chair for this event.

In its 44th year, the Forum is being held in Spokane, WA this year on September 19-21.

There ae changes this year that will enhance the learning experience. New seminars with guest speakers outside of the organization, keynotes built upon communication skills and helping attendees build confidence in speaking to anyone. *Visit lionsforum.org* for complete details.

Choose from over 70 seminars that give skills to be a better leader, to grow our organization, and to make an impact on the community.

Walkable and affordable...Enjoy the value and beauty of Spokane. Stroll through Riverside Park, a part of the venue, and enjoy the many restaurants close by your hotel. It is quite simple a wonderful location for the Form.

Questions? Contact Lion Sue Ensor.

#### **CARNIVAL (COMMUNITY FESTIVAL)**

Submitted by Publicity Chair William Strauss

As previously announced, the Libertytown Volunteer Fire Department has changed the format of their major fund raiser. The event has been renamed "Libertytown Community Festival." The Tractor Pull will continue to be scheduled on the Saturday before the festival this year, August 3rd.

Simply put, the Community Festival is open from Wednesday through Saturday starting with food at 5:00pm and runs until closing. On Saturday starting at 12 noon the first "Frederick County Craft Beverage Festival" will be open and run until 6 PM. This new event (the Craft Beverage Festival) will feature beer, wine, and distilled spirits produced in Frederick County...the cost is \$30 for advanced sale and \$35 at the gate.

The parade is scheduled for 7 PM on Thursday, August 8th.





#### **LIONS VISION RESEARCH FOUNDATION**

Submitted by Publicity Chair William Strauss

In 1952, after being given the Lasker Award by Helen Keller and at her suggestion that he collaborate with Lions in their efforts to help the blind, Dr. Arnall Patz began an effort to create a joint service project between the world's largest service organization and the world's leading eye institute, the Wilmer Eye Institute. Over time, support for this partnership grew among the lions of MD22 and finally at the 66th annual convention, the Lions of MD22 formally voted to establish the Lions Vision Research Foundation (LVRF).

In 1991 Dr. Robert Massof, Director of the Lions Vision Center, recommended that the Center's research be focused on the problem of low vision for which there is no cure. "Low Vision" is vision loss that cannot be corrected by eyeglasses, medicines, or surgery. Major causes of low vision are macular degeneration, diabetic retinopathy, glaucoma, and inherited eye diseases.

In November of that year, the Lions of MD22 and the Wilmer Eye Institute entered into a formal memo of understanding officially creating the Lions Low Vision Center and committing the Lions to the raising of the endowment fund.

In 2009, LVRF established a fellowship program in the Lions Low Vision Center for funding a postdoctoral position specializing in low vision. In 2010, the LVRF Board of Trustees and the MD22 Council of Governors resolved to support the memory of Dr. Patz by assisting the Wilmer Eye Institute's campaign for an endowed professorship in Dr. Patz's name for the Low Vision Center and in 2014, the Arnall Patz endowment professorship was established.

In 2013, LVRF launched the Low Vision Rehabilitation Network (LOVERNET) program with initial grants from LCIF Sightfirst and Reader's Digest Partners for Sight Foundation. LOVRNET is a model for a new community-based healthcare program that addresses the current shortage of low vision rehabilitation programs and services.

#### JOINT PICNIC—Submitted by Lion William Strauss

Our club hosted the annual joint picnic meeting with our sponsoring club, Union Bridge, on July 16th.There was a great happy bunch of Lions and guests in attendance.

Many thanks to those on the committee and others who helped to make this one of the "best picnics" ever. Bob Ensor made the most crunchy, juicy and sweet "roastin ears", and Robert Hensly brought great fried chicken. Everybody brought a side dish—plenty of salad, veggies, fruit, deviled eggs and dessert etc. for all. While we enjoyed our picnic food we were entertained by Bret and Patty ...he played a guitar and Patty sang. Later a game of horse shoes was played.

Left picnic guests and club members saying the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

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#### **DISTRICT NEWS**

#### "Let Freedom Ring" Parade:

The 2<sup>nd</sup> annual parade in the town of Sykesville, starting from Sykesville Middle School and along the historic Main Street to celebrate Independence Day, took place on Sunday, June 30<sup>th</sup>. The goal of the parade was to promote the Freedom area's special community and smalltown spirit. 25 entrants included 2 marching bands, church and scout groups, 16 corvette cars, and Sykesville fire trucks. Lion Scott Walthour supplied his Jeep; Lion Scott Bosse provided a military personnel transport vehicle and Lion Myron Horn had a pickup truck with Freedom Lions Medical Equipment signs attached. We had 16 Lion participants on

that day: Scott Bosse, Gary & Patty Buchman, Jeff Zumbrun, Bob Parks, Russ Coldren, Scott Walthour, Barb Brimigion, Myron Horn, Don Champ, Ed Overton, Bob Bastress, Ann Kramb, Matt King, Jim Lauber & Gordon Huggins.



office with the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Sykesville Parade on his last day as



#### Meet MyLion App:

LCI's brand-new mobile app is revolutionizing service. It's an easy, fast and powerful way for Lions around the world to connect and serve. Check it out and put it on your smart phone, tablet & computer.

- Download MyLion from the App Store, Google Play or MyLion.org & register
- Create your personal profile and add a photo if you like
- Find other Lions and clubs Safely follow and chat with any Lion from your local club or anywhere in the world
- Post to your News Feed.
- Discover new service activities or share our service activities
- Share your impact on social media with photos of Lions in action. Use the app to instantly post on Facebook
- Need help? Visit MyLion.org or email MyLion Support at mylion@lionsclubs.org

#### **NEWS FROM DEER PARK LIONS** Submitted by Lion Trudy Lantry

#### New Meeting Time - 6:30pm:

club president.

Effective July 1, 2019, DPLC will move to a new 6:30pm meeting time for all club dinner and board meetings. Dinner meetings will start with a speaker at 6:30, followed by dinner and meeting. This will allow our Lion Tamers to hear the speaker rather than cleaning up after dinner. 6:30pm .... Don't be Late!!

#### **HYGIENE ITEMS FOR CC COLLEGE:**

Please bring hygiene items to the picnic meeting for donating to Carroll Community College. They are requesting personal hygiene items, dental hygiene items and household hygiene items. The complete list was emailed by Lion Hop on July 22.

**LOOSE CHANGE for LSKS Foundation:** Please bring your loose change to meetings to place into the LSKS Jug. Lions Saving Kids Sight Foundation offers grant's to clubs to assist in purchasing vision screening equipment. The vision screenings are conducted to identify vision problems in children 6 and under.

#### **LEO NEWS**

# NEW MARKET MIDDLE SCHOOL LEO CLUB – 2018-2019

(Submitted by Lion Marge Shiflett)

This was the third year the Lions at New Market have sponsored a Leo Club. The first year we had six students and the second year we grew to 16 Leos. With New Market Middle School Year completed, all but one of our year Leos will graduate to Linganore High School. Good news is that Linganore High School may have a Leos club beginning in September.

This year was terrific for our New Market Middle School Leos. Ashley Vox was appointed as the New Market Counselor. Ashley purchased ribbons to celebrate Veterans Day, and the ribbons were tied to all of the New Market Main Street lampposts. The New Market Lions and the New Market Leos participated with the Salvation Amy to fill Christmas stocking for poor children. Soon thereafter, the young Leos attended our Christmas Dinner at Holly Hills Country Club along with their parents and Leo Counselor Ashley Vox.

The Leos also marched and assisted with the New Market Christmas parade. In March, Leo Isabella Anderson represented the Leos at a meeting of the New Market District Lions Club and gave an outstanding report. Some of the projects outlined in the report were:

Honored Veterans on Veterans Day by tying ribbons on NM Lampposts

Participation in the New Market Christmas Parade

Attendance at Lions Leader-dog presentation in Myersville, MD

Support for the Frederick Animal Shelter (held a drive for articles and funds needed by the shelter)

Served at God's Kitchen, a community kitchen open to all

Collected eye glasses from the students and teachers for the New Market Lions eyeglass drive

They sold brooms to raise funds for community service

Helped with Project Gratitude, sending Christmas Cards to Vets

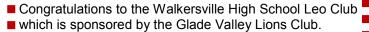
Beautification of the school with plants Made plans to attend open house to recruit for new Leos

New Market Lions will purchase shirts for the Leos next year. In addition, we have donated \$300 for the Leos to use on Community Service projects. They have indicated they will purchase food for food banks.



#### **CONGRATULATIONS**

Submitted by Leo Chairperson Pauline Rosier



Thanks to Lion President Jim Corley, Lion Immediate Past President Bob Peters, Lion Leo Club Advisor Jennifer Smith, Faculty Advisor Paul Hoffman and Leo President Elect Amelia "Claire" Smith for the insight in forming this Leo club.

■ The club received the Certificate of Organization on July
■ 23, 2019 with seventeen originating members. The club
■ will be meeting on Fridays during flex time at 10:15 am.







(left) Springfield MS teacher representative of the Leo Club and Leos enjoy a pizza party after building a Rock Garden in Mid-June. Lions Jim and Diane Wollard are our Club's Leo Chairs. Page 19

#### **COMING EVENTS**



# Westminster Lions Club presents

The Russell K. Mills, Jr.

# STEAK, SAUSAGE

& CORN on the COB





Thursday, August 22, 2019

6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

at the

Westminster VFW

519 Poole Road, Westminster, Maryland

## \$25.00 per person

Tickets available from any Westminster Lions Club member, at the door, or call Lion Kevin at 240-508-0318

All proceeds go to benefit our community!

A single act of caring creates an endless ripple.





### KICK OFF THE HOLIDAY SEASON WITH THE FRANCIS SCOTT KEY LIONS CLUB...

AMERICAN MUSIC THEATRE Thursday, december 5th, 2019

Find out more and book your spot at www.livalit.com/amt Deadline: October 31, 2019

8:30AM



Pick up in Frederick 5202 Presidents Court Frederick, MD 21703

Please note it is the section of the lot on the right as you first turn into the court from Corporate Drive.

10:30AM



Free time at the charming Kitchen Kettle Village to shop for homemade goods in the picturesque countryside.

12:00PM



Lunch at Shady Maple Smorgasbord, Lancaster's largest smorgasbord featuring 200 feet of authentic Dutch cooking.

American Music Theater
"Joy to the World"

7:15PM

2:20PM



Drop off in Frederick

(L) 2 hours + 15 min



ALL SALES ARE FINAL

PRICE

\$140

With part of the proceeds going towards supporting your local Lions Club

INCLUDED

Ulunch

Admission into "Joy to the World"

Roundtrip transportation



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Roaring Run Lions Club is Offering You the Chance to Win!

# Surf and Turf Raffle

Winner will receive a Bushel of Crabs, Ten Pounds of Shrimp, and a \$100.00 gift certificate from Bullock's Meats

Tickets \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00

Drawing will be 8:00pm on August 21, 2019 at
Roaring Run's Annual Crab Feast
All proceeds will go back to our community
through the many nonprofit organizations we
support.

Thank you in advance for your generosity!!!











# You are invited to:

#### **DISTRICT 22W CHANGE OF BANNER**

DATE: August 10th, 2019...

TIME: 6:00pm Social Hour—6:30pm Dinner LOCATION: Myersville Fire Company Banquet Hall

COST: \$20 per person

#### **MENU:**

Chicken Divan, Rice Pilaf, green beans, salad, rolls, coffee & tea, dessert....

Please RSVP by AUGUST 3rd—Please make out checks to Myersville

<u>Lions Club</u>

Send reservation to Lion Phyl Thompson email bthom 206@aol.com, ADDRESS: 206 Cone Branch Drive, Middletown, MD 21769



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# TANEYTOWN·LIONS·CLUB·BENEFIT·BUS·TRIP¶ WEDNESDAY,·OCTOBER·9,·2019¶

 $"Potomac \cdot Eagle \cdot Train \cdot Excursion" \cdot in \cdot Romney, \cdot WV \P$ 

Enjoy-a-narrated-leisurely-excursion-on-the-historic-Potomac-Eagle, one-of-America's-most-beautiful-train-rides. Travel-through-a-tranquil-and-pristine-mountain-valley-viewing-historic-farms-and-lush-mountain-greenery. Around-every-curve-you-are-rewarded-with-the-splendor-of-native-wildflowers, evergreens, and-mixed-hardwoods-in-an-unspoiled-countryside-environment. Experience-"The-Trough, "-a-spectacular-narrow-mountain-valley. Below-runs-the-South-Branch-of-the-Potomac-River-and-above-you-are-the-high-mountain-walls-and-thick-forest. This-is-the-eastern-home-of-our-magnificent-national-symbol, the-American-Bald-Eagle, which-you-may-spot-soaring-high-above-in-their-natural-habitat. History-and-scenic-beauty-combine-for-an-awesome-

 $travel\cdot experience. \cdot A\cdot fast\cdot food\cdot stop\cdot will\cdot be\cdot made\cdot in\cdot the\cdot morning\cdot \&\, \P\\ dinner\cdot on\cdot your\cdot own\cdot at\cdot Cracker\cdot Barrel\cdot en\cdot route\cdot home.\, \P$ 

# @:\$95.00·p/person·¶

(price includes motorcoach transportation, driver tip & train ride) ¶

¶ Schedule: ··¶

8:45·AM·—·Depart·from·Taneytown·Shopping·Center¶

-→ Fast·food/comfort·stop·enroute¶

1:00-4:00·—·Potomac·Eagle·Train·Excursion¶

5:00-6:30·-·Dinner·at·Cracker·Barrel·(on·own)¶

9:15PM·—·Return·to·Taneytown¶

Please contact Barbara at (410)984-0213 or (410)756-2241 ¶
Or Paul at (443)918-8484¶
By September 1st to reserve your seats. (Limited space is available.)¶





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#### **COMING EVENTS**

FIRST DISTRICT 22W
CABINET MEETING
HOST CLUB: LaVale
DATE September 7, 2019

TIME: 11:00am Honorary Meeting—12:00pm Lunch: LUNCH MENU

chicken, baked beans, potato salad, drinks and dessert COST: \$14.00.

LOCATION: LaVale Fire Department Building, 421 National Hwy, Cumberland, MD 21502

Make checks payable to LaVale Lions Club. Reservations are due by *Friday*, *August 30*, 2019.

Attendees are invited to the den to observe the LaVale Lions BBQ operation



#### THE SOUTH CARROLL LIONESS LIONS CLUB ANNOUNCES A NEW CANDY AND NUT FUNDRAISER WITH

TERRI LYNN CARES
OUR ON-LINE STORE IS OPEN!
https://lc.terrilynncares.com

We are taking orders now!
The Club receives 20% of all sales!
The South Carroll Lioness Lions Club
Announces a New Candy and Nut Fundraiser with
Terri Lynn Cares

#### **VISIT THE WEB SITE & PLACE YOUR ORDER!**

QUESTIONS? Contact IPDG Susan Bonura pdgsusanbonura@gmail.com or call 443-745-1281





# FLINTSTONE LIONS CLUB 3rd ANNUAL CHARTER NIGHT THURSDAY, AUGUST 15, 2019

Be a part of something special - Flintstone Lions 3rd Annual Charter Night, Thursday, August 15, 2018 - 6:00 p.m. at Flintstone UMC, 21613 National Pike NE, Flintstone.

# SEATING IS LIMITED - MAKE YOUR ADVANCED RESERVATION EARLY

Cost: \$16.00 - your choice roast beef or turkey

Advance reservations and payment are required to insure your place for this 3rd Annual Charter Night. Meal includes: choice of roast beef or turkey, vegetables, potato, roll, beverages and birthday cake. When making reservations, please specify your meal choice. If choice is not specified roast beef will be assigned.

Cutoff for reservations is Saturday, August 3, 2019

Payment should be sent to:

Flintstone Lions Club Lion Bobby Care, Treas. 13400 Arctic Ridge Oldtown, MD 21555



You can call Lion Bobby @ 301-478-3300, or email at: flintstonelionsclub@yahoo.com

In addition, there will be a silent auction for a variety of baked goods to benefit the Administrative Fund of Flintstone Lions

Don't let the hatred of the world harden your heart. Remember that one act of kindness can change the lives of many. (Source unknown)

#### **COMING EVENTS!**

# 6th Annual Freedom District Lions Club Fall Golf Tournament:

Friday - September 27, 2019

Oakmont Green Public Golf Course 2290 Golf View Lane Hampstead, MD 21074

Golfer Discount for Veterans & First Responders

Shotgun Start at Noon (Check-in begins: 11:00am) Captain's Choice Format

Oakmont Green Golf Course 2290 Golf View Lane Hampstead, Maryland

Cost: \$85 per Golfer (a \$5.00 Discount to Veterans & First Responders)

Includes: Lunch, Cart, Greens Fees, Prizes and Steak Dinner

> 100% of Proceeds will be used to support "Lions Community Projects"

\$1,000 Diamond Sponsorship includes sponsor's name prominently displayed on a banner at player's dinner pavilion, signage at two tees, & one foursome of players and a tournament steak dinner for four

\$500 Corporate Sponsorship includes sponsor's name prominently displayed on a banner, signage at one tee, & two players and a tournament steak dinner for two

\$250 Three Hole Sponsorship includes sponsor's signage at three tees

\$100 Single Hole Tee Sponsorship includes signage at one

\$50 Program Sponsor

We are looking for sponsors, players and door prizes

Mail a check payable to: "Freedom District Lions Club" to Lion President Jim Moore.





#### You are cordially invited!

Freedom District Lions Club's
73rd Charter Night
with 72 years of Service in the Sykesville Community

Wednesday, September 11, 2019

Messiah Lutheran Celebration Hall
MD Route 97, one mile south of MD Route 26
Sykesville, Maryland

Social starts at 6:30 pm; Dinner at 6:59 pm Meal catered by Basta Pasta in Eldersburg chicken marsala, penne marinara, vegetable, garden salad, breadsticks, dessert and beverages.

Price is \$15.00

Entertainment will be provided.

RSVP by August 28, 2019
Lion Don Champ at 1507 Springlake Way N; Sykesville, MD 21784
Contact information: 410-795-4180 or
dechamp1939@gmail.com
No payments will be accepted at the door.

Please mark your calendars and come to be a part of our celebration.

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