



# LIONS DISTRICT 22-W NEWS



## SERVICE WITH 2020 VISION FOR THE FUTURE

OCTOBER

Fellow Lions:

I continue to enjoy traveling around meeting all of the great Lions that make up District 22-W. We are having a great time telling jokes, sharing stories of service, and making new friends. As I speak to clubs, I am trying to emphasize the impact that we have on others and the happiness that it can bring to us as individuals. Recently at my official visit to the Funkstown Lions Club, I heard one such story. Lion, President, James Hebb explained how his club had helped a member of the Funkstown community get some hearing aids. The smile on his face let me know that this act of kindness was just as important to him as the gentleman who had received the hearing aids.



Every chance I get, I am mentioning the people in the Bahamas who are starting the long road to recovery. Hurricane Dorian devastated the islands and every dollar will help them immensely to meet immediate needs and long-term rebuilding. As Lions we can serve and help the people in the Bahamas by contributing to the disaster relief fund at our Lions Club International Foundation (LCIF). The link below gives a few examples of how LCIF has help after natural disasters.

<https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/blog/Disaster-Relief%3A-No-Matter-Where%2C-No-Matter-When>

To promote this, I am collecting Dorian Dollars at every visit and all contributions will be sent to the LCIF disaster relief fund. We will hear more about the good works of LCIF at our **Melvin Jones brunch on October 26<sup>th</sup>**, at the Myersville Fire Hall, at 10 am. This is a great opportunity for newer Lions to learn more about our International Association. There will be a quartet of Past District Governors to keep us all entertained: PDG Paul Canada, PDG Marion Carmack, PDG Kent Eitemiller, and PDG (CC) Brian Cox.

There are two upcoming events for the **Lions Vision Research Foundation**. A banquet will be held at Terra Rubra on **October 21<sup>st</sup>**, and social time starts at 6pm. Come out to hear from the Wilmer Eye Clinic's staff and possibly a testimonial. In November, you can attend the **LVRF Summit at the Wilmer Eye Clinic** at Johns Hopkins University Hospital. You will be treated to a wonderful program, given a tour of the Low Vision center and feed lunch (I think). Clubs and individuals can make contributions to LVRF at either or both events. I would encourage all clubs to send their newest Lions to either event. LVRF is a powerful way that all of the Lions in Multiple District 22 serve, come out and learn more about it.

*In Lions, We Serve but **we also have fun and build friendships**. To that end, I look forward to seeing you at these upcoming events and at the **District Social on October 5** at the Clarion Hotel in Frederick..*



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## 1st VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

As first vice district governor, I was assigned to be the liaison to the Global Membership Committee and I welcome the collaboration with this committee to expand my knowledge of membership and the opportunity to share ideas with you. We are never too old to learn new things. Therefore, I will write about membership and retention periodically.

I have enjoyed reading the newsletters from the 24 clubs in our district that have sent their newsletters to me so far. Many of our clubs such as Lineboro-Manchester, Thurmont and LaVale clubs are putting an emphasis on gaining and retaining members as a club goal for the 2019-2020 Lions year. LaVale pledged that they will be doing their part in helping the district to reach the district membership goal of 2020 by the end of the Lions fiscal year. The Thurmont Lions Club intends to create new service projects and schedule exciting and interesting programs which should impact their membership and retention goals. The Smithsburg Lions Club has approved a new service project for their club at the Senior Citizen Centers which may bring in new members. The club is also writing a membership plan for their club. The Middletown Lions Club is asking the members to come up with new ideas for fundraisers which may keep their members interested. The Hagerstown Lioness Club's theme for the year is "Hope and Change" and they ask their members for new projects that will help their community. This may also keep their members excited and retained in the club. The South Carroll Lioness Lions Club put a statement in one of their newsletters: "Do you Need A Ride to a club meeting, board meeting, or a service or fundraising event? Please call another member for assistance. We need you and want to see you at our events!" People want to feel needed and South Carroll's notice is just what some people need to stay involved in the club. Make every member feel that their contribution is important.

Some clubs (Taneytown, FSK, Myersville) have organized bus trips which not only benefit the club by raising funds for their community, but these trips will also spark interest in the members and any invited guests. If the club has fun, then others may want to join in the fun too and become a Lion! Other clubs (FSK, Westminster, Roaring Run, New Market, Harney, Taneytown, Williamsport, Hagerstown, Glade Valley and Deer Park) energize their club by having picnics for their Lion members and their family and invited friends which are away from their meeting room. Some clubs have joint picnics (Libertytown-Unionville & Union Bridge and Middletown & Myersville) which also promotes fellowship with other Lions in the district. These are just a few ideas to vitalize your club to keep your members happy, promote fellowship and keep the members involved in your club for the future.

Hope to see many of you at the upcoming 22W Social in Frederick where DG Evan promises that we will have a fun time. He is certainly thinking outside of the box as he presents a comedian and an after social party. I am wondering what jokes he will be prepared to deliver that night! If you have never attended a 22W Social, then now is the time – you will totally enjoy the experience!

As you clean out your closets, please hold onto your gently-used men and women's coats for the homeless as our first service challenge. Please deliver your coats to my suggested facilities that are on the flyer which CS Martin has sent in the Weekly Updates or bring them to the 2nd cabinet meeting on November 23 **please**, call me first before taking them to the cabinet meeting.



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## 2nd VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

Greetings Lions,

It is hard to believe that we are already in the midst of Autumn with lots of Lion's events going on. As I read the various club newsletters I am impressed with how active our District clubs are in their service to their communities. This is certainly something to celebrate both internally, and on the club level, and in our communities. I enjoy seeing newspaper articles and pictures of Lions events and presentations that appear in our local newspaper. We are witnessing a surge in interest in club activities created by social media and can benefit by what appears in those various platforms. I encourage our clubs to avail themselves of these opportunities **now** as this is the direction that we, as a society, are heading.

We are looking forward to the District Social on Saturday, October 5. What a wonderful opportunity to gather as Lions to not only honor DG Evan and Lion Bonnie but to socialize and have fun together. During October, I will have the opportunity to attend charter night celebrations for Frostburg and Thurmont. I will be "crossing the river" into West Virginia (where I live) to attend the official visit of the District Governor of 29-I at the Fort Ashby Lions Club. I am looking forward to the Melvin Jones Brunch on October 26 and to attending the chartering celebration of the new Deer Park – Swanton Lions Club.

Thanks to those who made the trip to LaVale for the first cabinet meeting. I hope that you enjoyed the taste of LaVale Lion's chicken along with hearing what is going on in the District. I was honored to induct two new members into the Thurmont Lions Club and attended DG Evan's official visit to the North Branch Lions Club. I also had the opportunity to attend a Cabinet Meeting for District 29-I (Northern West Virginia).

Every day we encounter new opportunities to serve, whether it be a new idea that we want to explore or a new community challenge that needs someone, some organization to step up and provide a solution. Oftentimes, what is needed is someone to accept leadership responsibility. We don't necessarily have to be trained to assume those roles, but simply have the passion to get the job done. We don't have to do the job alone because, as Lions, we share that common thread of service that binds us together. ***Simply seek out others to assist and you will be surprised as to who will help and just how much you can get done.***



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## CALENDAR



**OCTOBER is VISION AWARENESS MONTH! (FYI  
GO TO: [nationaltoday.com/blindness-awarenessmonth.](http://nationaltoday.com/blindness-awarenessmonth.))**



**Oct. 3: CHARTER NIGHT SOUTH CARROLL LIONESS-LIONS CLUB**

**Oct. 4: FOUR COUNTY LIONS GOLF TOURNAMENT**

**OCT. 4-5: VISION DAYS—SMITHSBURG AT PHIL & JERRY'S MARKET**

**Oct. 5: MYERSVILLE COUNTRY BREAKFAST—SEE COMING EVENTS**

**Oct. 5: NEW WINDSOR: DRAWING...SEE COMING EVENTS**

**Oct. 5: 22W SOCIAL—COME ONE COME ALL!**

**Oct. 9: FREE HEARING SCREENING** Urbana Library for adults only from 10:00am-1:00pm/ Hosted by Monocacy Community Lions Club.

**Oct. 9: TRAIN TRIP ON POTOMAC EAGLE...SEE COMING EVENTS**

**Oct. 10: WORLD SIGHT DAY!**

**Oct. 10: REGION 4 MULTI-CLUB MEETING**

**Oct. 12: STEM NIGHT HAGERSTOWN CC...SEE COMING EVENTS**

**Oct. 12: LVRFB: AIM FOR SIGHT...SPORTING EVENT CLAY SHOOT...SEE COMING EVENTS**

**Oct. 14: COLUMBUS DAY**

**Oct. 16: LINEBORO MANCHESTER & HAMSTEAD LIONS CHARTER ANNIVERSARY...SEE COMING EVENTS**

**Oct. 18: CAMP MERRICK RACES...SEE ARTICLE**

**Oct. 19: SOUTH CARROLL GARAGE SALE**

**Oct. 19: TANEYTOWN LIONS BUS TRIP...SEE COMING EVENTS**

**Oct. 19: GLADE VALLEY YARD SALE-SEE COMING EVENTS**

**Oct. 21 LIONS VISION RESEARCH FOUNDATION** invites you to attend the Region IV LVRFB meeting hosted by Terra Rubra Lions Club. This is a great opportunity for a club visitation, or, if you have a meeting scheduled for that week, make it a joint meeting with Terra Rubra! Come see what your support enables for individuals living with low vision

**Oct. 22: THURMONT CHARTER NIGHT—SEE COMING EVENTS**

**Oct. 24: UNITED NATIONS DAY**

**Oct. 26: MELVIN JONES BRUNCH—SEE COMING EVENTS**

**Oct. 27: WILLIAMSPORT BINGO**

**Oct. 31: DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION FOR FSK Bus Trip—SEE COMING EVENTS**

**Oct. 31: HAPPY HALLOWEEN!**

**Nov. 1: TANEYTOWN BINGO—SEE COMING EVENTS**

**Nov. 2 SOUTH CARROLL LIONESS LIONS SHRED EVENT**

**Nov. 2: MYERSVILLE COUNTRY BREAKFAST & Book Sale & Farmers Market—SEE COMING EVENTS**

**Nov. 9: THURMONT CASH BINGO—SEE COMING EVENTS**

**Nov. 11: Deadline FOR ORDERING FRUIT—FREEDOM DISTRICT LIONS...SEE COMING EVENTS**

**Nov. 14: DIABETES DAY**

**Nov. 16: PEACE POSTER**

**Nov. 16: CASH BINGO—TAYLORSVILLE WIN-FIELD...SEE COMING EVENTS**

**Nov. 28: THANKSGIVING**

**Nov.: LVRFB DAY**

**Nov. 22: LINEBORO-MANCHESTER SPAGHETTI DINNER...SEE COMING EVENTS**

**Nov. 23: FVDG COAT DRIVE CHALLENGE—SEE ARTICLE**

**Nov. 23: CABINET MEETING** at Red Men's Club in Williamsport

**Nov. 24: UNITED NATIONS DAY**

**Nov. 25: FSK CHARTER CELEBRATION**

### DISTRICT 22W SOCIAL

Submitted by PC William Strauss

October 5th is the date for the annual District 22W Social. This year's event will depart from recent Socials and will stress providing a fun experience for all. It will take place at the Clarion Inn in Frederick starting at 5pm and with an open reception in the Courtyard.

Comic, magician & hypnotist Denny Moore will provide exciting entertainment. He has played coast to coast and on TV. His performance will be something you will never forget. The plated dinner with choices for seared chicken, sirloin, tilapia, and vegetarian is available at an affordable price at only \$35. After dinner and festivities, there will be an After Party in the Courtyard.





## DISTRICT ACTIVITIES

- October 5, 2019 - District 22-W Social AND Post Social
- October 12: LVRFB AIM FOR SIGHT
- October 26 2019- Melvin Jones Brunch from 10am to Noon \$15-reservation required
- November 15: IRS Form 990 Due
- November 16: LYF Fundraiser—Terra Rubra
- 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.
- March 30—April 2: Leader Dog Banquets
- April 30: Club Officer's Report Due (PU-101)
- May 11-14: MD22 Convention—Ocean City



### “GO...AND RECRUIT”

Submitted by Lion John Bachtell

PDG Margarito Ochoa is immediate past president of the Chewsville Lions Club and one of the club's membership chairs. He said that two years ago the club had only four members.

During a deathbed visit to the club's president, Lion Ochoa promised he wouldn't let the club die. Now there are 28 members. "You have to go out there and recruit, tell people what the Lions are about. The Lions sells itself", said Ochoa, who was district governor in 2000-2001.

With 1.5 million members, the Lions Club is the largest service club in the world. Its main focus is on eyeglasses, vision research and vision screening.

The Chewsville Club is also involved with the Smithsburg food bank and adopted a school in West Virginia for which it provides school supplies and clothing for students.

"All of the money we make goes right back into the community," Ochoa said. The club is in the process of supporting a medical van that will be used locally to help with hearing checks, vision checks and diabetes screenings.



Great News and a Wonderful Opportunity to learn about your Lions supported Multiple District Project.

Regions II and III Lions Clubs have been included with Region IV's LVRFB Program event hosted by Terra Rubra Lions Club on **Monday, October 21, 2019**.

I have included (see Coming Events) the Flyer with the information needed to make a reservation to attend.

A speaker from the Low Vision Center and a testimonial will be the program. An opportunity for clubs to present a donation to the Low Vision Staff will be made available.

Please join in this event and receive a visitation for a club out of your Region.

If you have any questions, please contact me via email [LVRFB.info@gmail.com](mailto:LVRFB.info@gmail.com) or [sktimmons56@gmail.com](mailto:sktimmons56@gmail.com) or call me at 301-800-2906, (My cell number).

Yours in Continued Service  
PDG Susan Timmons  
District 22W LVRFB Trustee

## MEMORIALS

**LION COLONEL (RET.) CLYDE JUNIOR TATE**, 88, passed away August 28, 2019. Lion Tate, a lion since May 1997, and served as president of the club 2000-2001. He was a Melvin Jones Fellow and was a Key Member. He was active in club activities and attendance until a few years ago when health issues kept him home bound. .

After 13 years of successful retirement in Olympia, WA where he was employed as a government contractor for RDA, Tacoma, WA and a customer relations representative for Custom Homes, Inc. Olympia, WA, Clyde and his wife Sadie made the last of 37 moves to settle in the Hagerstown area in 1996. He was a member of John Wesley United Methodist Church where he was active with the United Methodist Men and the Men's Breakfast Club. Clyde also served on the Washington County Board of Elections for many years until his health forced him to resign.

His awards include the Distinguished Service Medal, Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Air Medal with Valor and the Army Commendation Medal with Valor. He earned the Combat Infantryman Badge, the Master Parachute Badge and Glider Wings. Colonel Tate was a graduate of the U S Army Command General Staff College, Ft Leavenworth, KS and the U S Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, PA.

He was married for 68 years to the love of his life, the late Sadie Marie Tate who passed away on August 9, 2019. He met her at age 13 and for him it was love at first sight. Theirs was a love for the ages. He is survived by his loving family, daughter Jerri McNew and her husband Richard of Hagerstown, MD, his son MG (Ret.) Butch Tate and his wife Lynn of Fairfax Station, VA and his granddaughter Sarah Morris and her husband Chris of Leesburg, VA.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made in Clyde's memory to the National Museum of the US Army  
2425 Wilson Blvd, Arlington, VA or  
online at <https://thenmusa.org/> Or  
John Wesley United Methodist Church  
129 N. Potomac St Hagerstown, MD 21740.



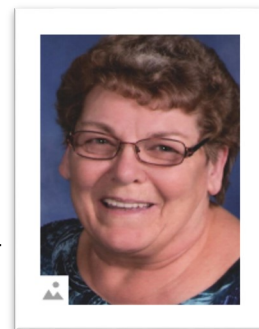
**REV. DR. LAWRENCE FRANKLIN SHERWOOD, JR.**, 93, of Oakland died on Friday, September 6, 2019, at Garrett Regional Medical Center. Born on December 13, 1925, in Ronceverte, WV, he was the son of the late Lawrence Franklin and Blanch Margaret (Hedges) Sherwood.

He was a graduate of West Virginia Wesleyan College, where he obtained his Doctor of Divinity degree, and the Garrett United Theological Seminary. Dr. Sherwood was ordained an Elder in the West Virginia Conference of the Methodist Church in 1950. He served Main Street UMC in Petersburg, WV, Trinity UMC in Glenville, WV, St. Paul's UMC in Oakland, MD, and Trinity UMC in Bluefield, WV. He was also Superintendent of the then Lewisburg (now Greenbrier) District and Grace UMC in Keyser, WV. He had served on various UMC Conference and District Committees. A Methodist historian, Dr. Sherwood has written numerous articles on Methodist history, especially West Virginia Methodism and Bishop Francis Asbury and was the recipient of the Ministry of Memory Award from the Historical Society of the United Methodist Church. Active in his community, he was secretary of the Hospice of Garrett County Board of Directors, a member of the Board of the Garrett County Historical Society, a 50-year member of the Oakland Lodge No. 192 AF&AM, and the Oakland-Mountain Lake Park Lions Club. He is survived by his loving wife, Hazel (Steiding) Sherwood, to whom he was married on December 29, 1947; children, Rebecca Fallon and husband Fleming, John Sherwood and wife Debbie, Martha Ognibene and husband Bart Thompson, and Mary Dreibelbis and husband Harold; eleven grandchildren; and one great grandchild. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a daughter, Judith Susan Sherwood Schaumburg and a sister, Margaret Lee Sherwood Smith.

A funeral service was held in St. Paul's United Methodist Church, Oakland on Tuesday, September 10th with Rev. Dr. Matthew Paugh and Rev. Bart Thompson officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial may be made to St. Paul's UMC, Educational Fund, 318 E Oak St., Oakland, MD 21550 or Hospice of Garrett County, PO Box 271, Oakland, MD

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**LION MARY LOUISE FLICKINGER**, 71, of Emmitsburg passed away on Sunday, August 25, 2019 at her home. Born January 11, 1948 in Gettysburg, PA, she was the daughter of Leatrice L. (Coe) Ott of Emmitsburg and the late Thomas E. Ott, Sr. She was predeceased by all three of her husbands, the late Robert June Wetzel, the late Roy Samuel Smith, Jr. and the late Bernard "Bernie" Flickinger.

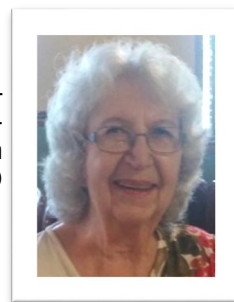


Mary worked for more than 20 years as a Material Handler at Frederick Memorial Hospital's Materials Distribution Center. In 2007 she was awarded the Material Division's first-ever Employee of the Month plaque and trophy. Her previous work history included the Emmitsburg Sewing Factory, Wetzel's Refuse Removal Service, Walkersville Bowling Alley, Trout's Market in Woodsboro, and most recently, her daughter, Melissa M. Wetzel's CPA office. Mary was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Emmitsburg and was very actively involved in the Emmitsburg Lions Club.

She enjoyed family cookouts, working puzzles, playing cards and watching her grandson play baseball. In her younger years, she loved to bowl. She was a fan of the Maryland Terps and the Pittsburgh Steelers. She always looked forward to the monthly outings with her former FMH co-workers. Mary was known for her hearty laugh, her wonderful sense of humor, and her upbeat, positive attitude. She had a way of lifting the spirits of everyone she encountered. Friends said of her, "She was an awesome human being!"

Surviving, in addition to her mother Leatrice, are her three children, Timothy Wetzel and wife Trina of Emmitsburg, Melissa Wetzel and partner Kevin Dewees of Emmitsburg, and Roy "Sam" Smith III and partner Molly Howser of Thurmont;

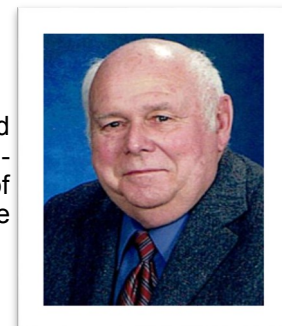
**LION EVELYN SLAYBAUGH-PARRISH**, 83, of Taneytown, passed away peacefully on Friday, August 23, 2019. At 83, she was one of the oldest members of the Harney Lions Club. Services were held on Wednesday, August 28, 2019. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in Evelyn's name may be made to St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 5918 Conover Rd., Taneytown, MD 21787.



**LION PHILLIP JOHN "PHIL" MANGAN**, 56, of Westminster, MD passed away unexpectedly on Monday, August 26, 2019 while on business in New Jersey. He was born in Sydney, Australia. He was the devoted husband of Lion Tammy May (Matthews) Mangan. He was a member of the Taneytown Lions Club and Grace United Church of Christ in Taneytown, where he chaired, served and supported many committees and initiatives. A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, September 4, 2019 at MYERS-DURBORAW FUNERAL HOME, 136 E. Baltimore St., Taneytown, Maryland. Interment will follow at Grace UCC Cemetery. The family will receive friends on Tuesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup> at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting contributions to the Grace UCC Audio Visual Fund.



**LION SAM PIERCE**, former New Windsor Lion, passed away on August 22, 2019. He had transferred in Good Standing to Delaware district 22-D in 2017. He was a very important member of the New Windsor community. He had been the owner of Atlee House B&B, mayor of New Windsor, and president of the New Windsor Lions Club. There was a memorial service on Saturday, September 14th at 11:00 am at the New Windsor firehouse.



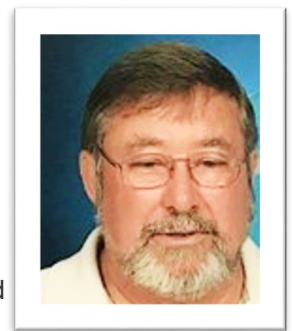
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**LEROY CHARLES MURDOCK**, 83, of Union Mills, Maryland, died peacefully on Saturday, September 7, 2019 at the Carroll Lutheran Village in Westminster. Born August 30, 1936 in Ticonderoga, NY he was the son of the late Irving Charles and Martha Vera (Gibbs) Murdock. He is survived by his wife of 40 years, Elizabeth Anne (Fisher) Murdock.

Leroy was a veteran of the U.S. [Army](#) and served during the [Korean War](#). He was a member of the Union Mills-Silver Run Lions Club. Leroy spent his over fifty year career around cars and was an excellent auto body mechanic. He owned and operated his own garage Murdock's Garage in Union Mills. Surviving in addition to his wife are children, Carla Miller and husband Gene of Dover, PA, Cammie Adler and husband Larry of Baltimore, John Murdock and wife Suzanne of Mechanicsville, Richard Leonard and wife Bernita of Tacoma Park, Jeanne Zeh and husband William of Frederick, and James Michael Leonard and wife Kathy of Westminster; 11 grandchildren; 3 great-grandchildren. Graveside services and burial were held Tuesday, September 10th, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. in Moorehead Memorial Cemetery in Union Mills, MD with Father Ron Fisher officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Schroom Lake Historical Society, PO Box 444, Schroom Lake,

**LION BOBBY SMALLWOOD**, 75, member of the Brunswick Lions Club, passed away at Frederick Memorial hospital on September 16th. Lion Bobby was married to his loving wife, Ann for 47 years. They lived with her in the Brunswick/Knoxville area for their entire 47 years of married life. He was the son of the late Earl and Iva Smallwood.

Bobby was raised in Loudon County and entered the U.S. Navy after High School. He served on the USS Ticonderoga during the Vietnam War. After the Navy he started a career as a truck driver. He drove trucks up and down the eastern coast and ended his trucking career dispatching truck drivers at Hahn Transportation. Bobby started a lawn care business with his best friend which allowed him to be in his favorite place, the great outdoors.



Many a weekend he played fast pitch softball, hunting in the woods, and running gun shoots for the Brunswick Lions Club. He had been a Lion for 30 years. He is survived by his wife Ann, his daughter, Amanda "Mandi" Smallwood, her fiancé, Charles "Buddy" Hamilton, and his beloved granddaughters. There will be a Celebration of Life on September 28 at Lions Merryland Park. The club hopes Lions who remember Bobby are able to attend.



**FRED BESLEY**, 87, of Middletown, died Monday, September 23rd at Glade Valley Rehabilitation and Nursing Home in Walkersville. He was the husband of the late Barbara Peterson Besley.

Born in Washington, D.C., he was the son of the late Arthur Kirkland and Regina Schloer Besley. He was an agricultural consultant and received his B.S. and M.A. degrees from the University of Maryland. He was a former and very active member of the Middletown Lions Club. Fred was an Army veteran.

He is survived by two children: Jeanne Louise Besley Anderson and husband Karl of Gettysburg and Mark Edward Besley of Frederick, and two grandchildren.

The family will receive friends at the Donald B. Thompson Funeral Home, 31 E. Main St., Middletown. Funeral services will be on the family farm with interment to follow. Pastor Karen Grossnickle will officiate.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Middletown Lions Club, POB 190, Middletown MD 21769



## INTERNATIONAL NEWS



### PEACE POSTER CONTEST "2019-2020" Theme: "Journey of Peace"

Dear Lions and Lionesses,

It's time for our "Annual Peace Poster Contest", I would like to thank every club that has participated in the past and those clubs that will continue to participate in the future to such a worthwhile cause. For those who are new to Lionism, the "Peace Poster Contest" was created in 1988 to give young people the opportunity to creatively express their feelings for world peace and to share their visions with the world. Approximately 60,000 children from 75 countries participate in the contest annually.

Lions clubs sponsor the contest, as it is open to children ages 11 - 13, in local schools or organized, sponsored youth groups, such as Scouts and Boys & Girls Clubs. The contest provides Lions with the chance to interact with young people in their communities, introducing the youth to international understanding, as well as giving Lions & Lionesses a vehicle for obtaining positive publicity for their clubs.

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#### Dates to Remember

1. October 1, 2019: Deadline for each Club to have ordered their kits. (Note: these kits can be purchased from Club Supplies Sales Department @ International Headquarters)
2. Final District Judging will take place on **November 16<sup>th</sup>** @ Myersville Volunteer Fire Department Myersville, Maryland @ 12:00 p.m.
3. November 16, 2019: Postmark deadline for each club to submit one winning poster per contest sponsored to the District Governor.
4. December 1, 2019: Postmark deadline for the multiple district council chairperson to send one winning poster to the Public Relations at the International Headquarters

Please note that the winning poster will be presented at the District 22-W, Third Cabinet Meeting on January 11, 2020 to be held @ Myersville Volunteer Fire Department, Myersville, Maryland

#### Prizes to include:

1<sup>st</sup> Prize (\$125.00) 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize (\$75.00) 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize (\$50.00) Honorable Mention (\$25.00)

Further information will be forthcoming via District Newsletter as well District Weekly Correspondence. Again, thank you all for participating. Look forward to seeing what wonderful talent that lies ahead from our youth of tomorrow. Such you have any further questions, please feel free to contact me at any time. My email address ([Sheereleganceltd@myactv.net](mailto:Sheereleganceltd@myactv.net)) my cell phone (301) 331-2613.

#### I leave you with this quote:

*"Do all that you can and all you thought you could not"*

Best to all, yours in Lionism  
*Lesley A. Smith*

Lion Lesley A. Smith  
District Chairman

## LIONS VISION AWARENESS MONTH—UNITING LIONS TO IMPROVE SIGHT & PREVENT BLINDNESS

Submitted by 1VDG Barbara Brimigion

Since 1988, Lions World Sight Day has raised awareness about the importance of eye health and the need for quality eye care services for all. On this special day of service Lions Clubs around the world conduct sight-related projects including vision screenings, eyeglass donations, restorative surgeries, eye health education programs, and the donation of assistive devices to those with vision impairment.

Lions World Sight Day is traditionally held in the month of October. This year, Lions are encouraged to organize their Lions World Sight Day activities in conjunction with the Lions World-Wide Week of Service in Sight. What can you do?

- (1) Encourage your friends and family to get their eyes checked.
- (2) Share the following information about **how to protect your eyes while looking at a computer screen**:
  - Make sure your glasses or contact prescription is up to date and good for looking at a computer screen.
  - Move the screen so your eyes are level with the top of the computer. That lets you look slightly down at the screen.
  - Choose a comfortable, supportive chair. Position it so that your feet are flat on the floor.
  - Try to avoid glare from windows and lights. Use an anti-glare screen if needed.
  - If your eyes are dry, blink more.
  - Rest your eyes every 20 minutes. Look 20 feet away for 20 seconds. Get up at least every 2 hours and take a 15 minute break.

From, **How to Keep Your Eyes Healthy: WebMD**



## DISTRICT NEWS



### Lions Clubs International Foundation

**"TOGETHER, WE CAN"** change the world. Isn't that why you became a Lion. To make our communities better and to help people all over the world to live better lives. We can do that by supporting **OUR Foundation**. Supporting Campaign 100: LCIF Empowering Service will:

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PDG Paul Cannada, 22W LCIF Chair 2/3

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### LAVALÉ LION RECEIVES AWARD

Submitted by PDG Steve Finger

Lion Mark Malone, teacher at Fort Hill High School, is one of only 114 teachers selected for a National History Day program titled Legacies of World War I. The program is a partnership between the U.S. World War I Centennial Commission and National History Day. He will participate in webinars and discussions with educators from around the world to learn about World War I and its lasting impact. As one of the selected teachers, he receives free tuition, graduate credits, and materials for the online program.



### LAVALÉ CHARTER NIGHT FEATURE!

Submitted by Lion Mark Kyle

Our Musician for Charter Night is Audrey Jones a lifelong native of Frostburg who has a passion for music. She began playing the violin at the age of 9 even though she wanted to start playing the violin from an even younger age.

For the past ten years, Audrey has played the violin in numerous orchestras such as the Allegany Community Symphony Orchestra, as well as in small ensembles such as the Appalachian Bible College Chapel Orchestra and Chorale Quartet. She has performed in Maryland, West Virginia, Virginia, Pennsylvania, and New Jersey.

In addition to being a violinist, Audrey is a vocalist who has performed with the Maryland All-State Choir and the Appalachian Bible College Chorale. Audrey is currently a student at Allegany College of Maryland and pursuing a career in Law.

### ACTIVITIES AT USA CANADA FORUM

Submitted by CS Martin Bonura

DG Evan at the USA/Canada Forum. He was blindfolded and asked to assemble a set of blocks. Since he could not see, the others in his group all tried to assist him by telling him how to assemble the blocks.

They learned that some words have different meanings:

1. How do you flip a block? (end over end or roll it over)
2. What is the top if you cannot see?
3. Move the red block?

He had a lot of fun and they all learned



## DISTRICT NEWS

### HARNEY LIONS CLUB CHARTER CELEBRATION

Submitted by Lion Virginia Fair

Pictured below is the cake honoring Harney Lions' 45th Charter Celebration. Pictured on the right is 1st VDG Barbara Brimigion.



### AWARDS PRESENTED

Submitted by Lion Don Champ

Past District Governor Susan Timmons, on behalf of the Lions Vision Research Foundation at the Wilmer Eye Institute, Johns Hopkins Hospital, presented a Knights of the Blind pyramid to Gary Buchman at the Freedom District Lions Club (FDLC) Charter Night dinner meeting..

This recognition is given to Lions who exemplify service to others, especially to the Blind and others with vision impairments. Buchman is very deserving of this high honor.

**Pictured above (l to r): Past District Governor Susan Timmons, FDLC President Jim Moore and Knights of the Blind pyramid recipient Gary Buchman**



Joseph Wisniewski, a member of the Freedom District Lions Club since October 1979 was recognized by the club with a "Lifetime Membership Award" for his 40 years of outstanding service during their 73rd Charter Night celebration held in Celebration Hall, Messiah Lutheran Church in Berrett on September 11, 2019. Wisniewski has served 3 times as President of the local service In addition, he has served on the Board of Directors for several years and chaired many important committees including the "See More Support Group" (comprised of Blind or sight-limited individuals who meet monthly to hear resource information that assists them in living independent lives plus have social activities and the Pre-school Vision Screening Committee.

**Pictured : Lion Wisniewski (center) displays his "Lifetime Membership Award" and certificate he received from FDLC President Jim Moore (left) and FDLC Secretary Gary Buchman (right).**



### FREEDOM DISTRICT LIONS CLUB EVENTS.

Submitted by Lion Don Champ

During the Freedom District Lions Club's 73rd Charter Night celebration on September 11th, Lions District Governor Evan Gillett surprised Jack Harman when he recognized him as a Melvin Jones Fellow. The designation, named after Melvin Jones, the founder of Lions Clubs International, is the highest level of recognition given for exemplary humanitarian service by the Lions Clubs International Foundation.

In addition to the presentation, DG Gillet rededicated the September 13, 1947, charter of the local service club and asked the members to recommit to continue to provide humanitarian services to the Sykesville/ Eldersburg communities and surrounding area as well as contributing to humanitarian projects and disaster relief efforts around the world.

**Pictured (l-r) DG Gillet, Lion Harman, Mimi Harman, wife of Jack Harman, and Jim Moore, FDLC President**



Members of the Childhood Cancer Committee of the Freedom District Lions Club made another delivery of toys, games, and stuffed animal to the Pediatric Cancer Clinic, Sinai Hospital in Baltimore. They do this 4-5 times year so children undergoing out-patient treatment for cancer have items to occupy their time while they await treatment. The children then take the items home with them.

**Pictured at the hospital with the delivered boxes behind them are (l-r) Lions Jim Lauber, Barbara Brimigion, Kelly Beck, Child Life Specialist at Sinai, and Lions Ann Krumb, Viki Peltier, and Don Champ.**





## DISTRICT NEWS

### LIBERTYTOWN-UNIONVILLE LIONS HAVE BUSY SEPTEMBER

Submitted by PC William Strauss

The new format of the Libertytown Volunteer Fire Department Carnival, now named Community Festival, was a learning experience for all. The attendance did not meet expectations but despite that we almost reached the profit amount budgeted. Many thanks to those who volunteered their time at both the tractor pull and the festival.

Pictured below are two members of the club carrying our banner in the parade. Lion Bill Strauss took pictures of every unit in the parade and created a slide show which was published on the club's Facebook page [LibertownUnionvilleLionsClub](#).



### THE GREAT FREDERICK FAIR

Submitted by PC William Strauss

The Great Frederick Fair took place from September 13-23 and opened from 10:00am-11:00pm. It is Libertytown-Unionville Lions biggest fundraiser of the year and requires a lot of hours of work.

Statistics sometimes describe things better so following are the statistics for work at the fair.

- \*We must man our food trailer 60 hours during the day!
- \*We must man our food trailer 53 hours during the evenings!
- \*We need 3 volunteers during the day shift, or a total of  $60 \times 3 = 180$  volunteer hours!
- \*We need 4 volunteers during the evening shift—a total of  $53 \times 4 = 212$  volunteer hours!
- \*TOTAL volunteer hours worked/needed is 392 Lions hours.

This is a big effort and requires a lot of sacrifices but we have done this since 1983 with great success.

### KEEPING UP WITH DG EVAN

Submitted by Lion Barbara Heltebride

At our last meeting, Cabinet Secretary Martin Bonura introduced DG Evan Gillett; DG Gillett is a member of the Roaring Run Lions Club and a Navy veteran.

He has been serving others since he was a Boy Scout. He began by saying he likes to have fun and started us off with some of us helping him to sing and perform the song "*Itsy Bitsy Spider*." The theme for his year is Service with 20/20 Vision for the Future which encompasses four ideas:

1. Service—What Lions do
2. 20/20—To acknowledge all Lions do for sight
3. Vision—Focus on our service
4. Future—Continue what the Lions who sponsored him in his youth stood for.

He told us again this year we will be holding a Roar Like a Lion event and 1st VDG Barbara Brimigion is collecting gently used coats to be given to homeless shelters. He mentioned the four groups that help Lions Clubs do service.

1. LCIF
2. Lions Vision Research Found
3. Lions Youth Foundation
- 4 22W Foundation

### LAVALE LIONS WELCOME STUDENTS

Submitted by PDG Steve Finger

The LaVale Lion, Lions Jerry Chambers, and John Lewis, Lionette Debby Chambers participated in the Back-to-School First Day Welcome Jam at Parkside Elementary School.



It was awesome with the staff, teachers, Board of Ed, community leaders all welcoming the kids. Transportation for the Lion provided by Lionette Debby Finger.



## DISTRICT NEWS

### HAGERSTOWN LIONS' BOOK DISTRIBUTION

Submitted by Lion Julie Fritsch

Lion Brooks gave us a brief update on book distribution during our weekly meeting on August 27. We learned that since the book distribution project began in 2015, there have been over 8,000 books distributed to local elementary schools.

It's the "perfect service project" Lion Brooks explained as he went into detail about collaborating with Horizon Goodwill and how they provide space for the book sorting and that this project is virtually no money out of Lions' pockets.

The only cost is the labels Lion Brooks explained, and that is very minimal. Average retail price of books is \$9, when multiplied by 8,000 books – that puts things into perspective! Book distribution takes a little over an hour and a half and involves the Lion volunteers sorting the books by grade level, and then laying them all out in the cafeteria for the children to file in and choose their books. Lion Brooks says he and the Lion volunteers always enjoy the smiles, enthusiasm and gratefulness that the children always show when they walk away with their newly found book.

### STEM PROJECT & LIONS

Submitted by Lion Julie Fritsch

The MD STEM Festival (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math) will be happening at HCC Saturday October 12.. Hagerstown Lions are encouraged to volunteer for this excellent service to our community. As a club we have donated \$2,500 toward the educational financial support of this event. (SEE PHOTO BELOW)

The 2019 STEM Festival will include science exhibits, hands-on activities, and competitions for students in grades K-12.

Admission is free. Refreshments will be available including an area food truck. Additional activities include a petting zoo, and a climbing rock wall sponsored by Boy Scouts. We will need volunteers to help in getting our name out there by handing out club applications, speaking about the Massy H Roe Youth Foundation scholarships, helping with the candy count game, the STEM related raffle drawing, and handing out goodie bags.

The Hagerstown Lions Club will be working side by side with WCPS, the Washington County Free Library, and The Beacon House. A STEM Festival flyer is available on the website: [www.hagerstown.edu.stem](http://www.hagerstown.edu.stem).

**Pictured right: Service Projects Chair Lion Brook's McBurney, and Lion President Anthony Holmes who is presenting a donation in the amount of \$2,500 to the 2019 MD STEM Festival.**

### COULD THAT BE A DO-NUT????

Submitted by Lion Julie Fritsch

After recovering from the sugar rush of apple caramel donuts (SEE PICTURE BELOW) Max Krumpe, son of Lion Rudy Krumpe, spoke to the club at our September 3 meeting about changes in marketing and how it affects small business.

Max is the marketing advertising director of Krumpe's DO-Nuts, a long time prominent and successful business in Hagerstown. He discussed the challenges and changes that have evolved rather quickly from the early beginning days, in the 1950's, of the business until today with Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram.

Interaction is key and the only way to do that with effective advertising is via social media. He displayed a slide presentation that showed us visually how marketing has changed over the years and how via social advertising means that it is trackable marketing strategy.

With the donut business in particular, he said that it is visually focused on through pictures. In Max's words: "If it looks good, it will be good!" And these donuts did LOOK and TASTE very good!



## DISTRICT NEWS

### NEW WINDSOR CRAB FEED

Submitted by Lion Larry Wood

Pictured is the Annual New Windsor Crab feed for Lions' families on Wednesday August 28 th. It was held on the carnival grounds in New Windsor.

The club is considering is holding this as a fund raiser in the future.



### FREEDOM DISTRICT SPEAKER

Submitted by Lion Don Champ

Lauren Hickey from "Right at Home" presented the program to the Freedom District Lions Club (FDLC) members at their September 25<sup>th</sup> dinner meeting held at Messiah Lutheran Church in Berrett.

She discussed the home care and assistance their trained staff provides people that enables them to age in place.

Pictured (left – right): Viki Peltier, FDLC Program Chairperson; Lauren Hickey from Right at Home; and Jim Moore, FDLC President pause for a picture following the program at the club's September 25<sup>th</sup> meeting.

### SOCCER SHOWCASE HONORS WILLIAMSPORT LEGEND STOUTER

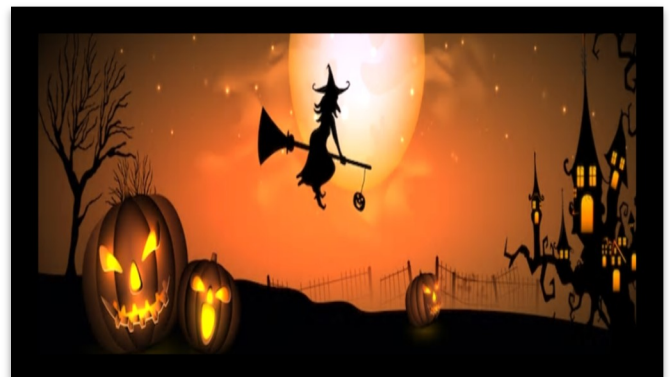
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9/6/2019

The former Williamsport soccer coach and athletic director, (Lion) Stan Stoutter, was taken aback when he heard a soccer tournament was to be named in his honor. When informed he said "I told Chris, They usually name things after people that are dead or on their way out. Do you know something I don't know?" (Chris is Chris Downs, the head coach at Williamsport.)

The inaugural Stan Stoutter Showcase kicked off at Saint James School. This tournament is not only a rare opportunity to see public and private school teams compete but a chance to honor one of the most accomplished coaches in Washington County history.

Stan Stoutter coached Williamsport for 23 years during which they won two state titles and four runner-up finishes. He served as the Williamsport AD for five years before retirement. He has more state championships and more state final appearances than all the other boys soccer coaches in Washington County history combined.

"I always looked at coaching as an extension of teaching," Stoutter said. "I always had a lesson plan. But any success I had I owe to great feeder programs, always having a good stock of players who were soccer boys, and having great assistant coaches."





## DISTRICT NEWS

### HAGERSTOWN LIONS KEEP BUSY

Submitted by Lion Dave Kaplan

#### BUTTERFLY GARDEN

In September, the Hagerstown Lions Club dedicated its new butterfly garden and monarch waystation which club members began to plant last spring. The garden is filled with native perennial plants which attract insect pollinators, including butterfly weed and swamp milkweed which are host (food) plants for monarch butterfly caterpillars.

Because of widespread use of herbicides, milkweed has become scarcer, endangering the monarch population. It is the purpose of waystations like this to provide nectar to many varieties of butterflies and more abundant milkweed for monarchs to propagate. Already in this opening season, three monarch caterpillars have been spotted on the milkweed. A monarch butterfly was recently observed sipping nectar from a purple coneflower.

#### BOOK DONATION

The Hagerstown Lions Club delivered the first allotment of 575 books to the newly Hager Elementary School on Tuesday, August 23rd. The club, in conjunction with Horizon Goodwill Industries, has provided over 1,500 books to students at area elementary schools over the past several months. Reading literacy is a core mission of Lions Clubs International, the largest and most active service club in the works.

Students pictured –first row (L-r) Charles Barnard, Caden Burrow, Dream Slater, and Jozlyn Watkins...2nd row: Lion Rudy Kumpe, School Principal Kathy Stykles, Lions Dave Kaplan, Ed Distad, James Clem, and Pol Heiney.



### FEEDING THE HUNGRY

Hagerstown Lions, Carrey Leverett, and Dave Kaplan, display the club's banner. It can be seen at the Hagerstown YMCA during a lunch serving provided by the Washington County Public School System's Summer Food Service Program for needy children,

The Hagerstown Lions Club is in its third year of supporting the program. The YMCA has a number of feeding stations throughout the county. There are approximately 180 meals served each day at this location.



### DISNEY FIGURINES DISTRIBUTED

When the club received a message from the Frostburg Lions Club that they were in possession of 14,000 brand new Disney and Avenger figurines that were available to be given out free to charitable organizations, the Lions jumped on board. The figurines were donated by Ameri-Corps. This is an organization that provides direct, substantive service programs to improve the literacy of school children, enhance the health care and living conditions of children, and elderly people, help at-Risk youth by offering afternoon school programs, improve shelter and support services for low income families and preserve the environment for Western Maryland communities.

Lion Paul Needy picked up approximately 800 figurines which were distributed among local youth groups which included local churches, schools, Children in Need, Boy scout Troop 75, Williamsport Toys for Tots, etc.



## DISTRICT NEWS

### NEW LIFE FOR AN OLD PLAYHOUSE

Submitted by Lion Davie Kaplan

For over a century the Maryland Theatre has been the signature location for performing arts in Washington County. Executive Director Jessica Green, (Pictured) was the program presenter for the September 10th Lions meeting. She shared with Lions a brief synopsis of the theater's history and reported on the renovations that have occurred over the past several years and are now on the verge of completion.

The Theatre opened in 1915 as a vaudeville center, but with the advent of motion pictures containing sound, it became, in 1927 a movie palace with connection to Warner Brothers. A fire, in 1974, destroyed the lobby area and closed the theatre to performance, but left the auditorium virtually untouched. Thanks to the efforts of local businessman Jack Garrott and a dedicated group of volunteers, the structure was saved from planned demolition and restored as a performing arts center. Today it hosts 175-200 events each year: 24 of these from County Performing Partners (local groups which stage events) and the remainder from outside performers.

At the 95th anniversary of the theatre in 2010 an expansion plan was first unveiled. Since then renewal and remodeling has been carried out in several phases and now the work is almost complete. Patrons will immediately notice an expanded entrance to improve flow into and out from the building. Restrooms have been remodeled and enlarged. BSA will have its own floor to carry out its program without interruption. The top floor will contain rooms for small performances. Another floor will house the office of the MSO.

Ribbon cutting for the grand reopening is scheduled for Friday, October 11 at 4 PM. What a treasure this Theatre will continue to be in our city and county!



### NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

Submitted by Lion Richard Nye



National Night Out in communities throughout the Tri-State area offer an opportunity to build relationships between local law-enforcement agencies and other first responders and the neighborhoods they serve.

Williamsport Lions, each year, set up and sell funnel cakes in Byron Park; with all profits going to the Town of Williamsport.. SEE PICTURES TO RIGHT AND LEFT.

### Superb 8/23 Lions Roast and 8/24-25 C&O Days Funnel Cake Fundraisers



**It took lots of Lions and High School Volunteers, as well as terrific weather to have such successful fundraisers.**





## DISTRICT NEWS

### TANEYTOWN CELEBRATES CHARTER NIGHT

Submitted by Lion Barbara Heltebridle

Taneytown Lions Club celebrated their 73rd Charter Night at their last meeting. PDC Marion Carmack acted as Master of Ceremonies for the event. (See picture below!) PDG Carmack spoke on the what, why, and how Melvin Jones became the founder of Lions in June of 1917. He kept the laughs coming with his many jokes and wished the club a Happy Birthday and congratulated them for servicing the community for 72 years.

DG Evan Gillet rededicated our charter. (see picture below)

The night ended with President Charles calling for a moment of silence and rang the bell 18 times in remembrance of all those who lost their lives including the first responders on 9/11. May we never forget!



Pictured left is Lion Bob Flickinger who was awarded a Life Membership by DG Evan Gillette for his many years of service and for bringing in new members to our club. Lion Bob has been a faithful and active member throughout his years with the club.



Lion Jim Haines was recognized as a Melvin Jones Fellow by PDG Evan. This award is voted on by members of the club to be given to an outstanding member. Lion Jim is shown on the right receiving his award.

### SMITHSBURG – SERVICE PROJECT

Submitted by Lion Barbara Weaver

The Smithsburg Lions Club recently conducted a service project at the Blue Mountain Senior Center for the participants. The event was organized by Lion Frank Schaller and the center's director, Eleanor Vanhoozer. The Club provided a meal for the group, which was organized by Lion Jack Wenthe and was catered by the Smithsburg Market.

Following the meal, Dawn Lovejoy a pharmacist from the Smithsburg Pharmacy gave a presentation regarding medications. She explained how medicines can deplete nutrients from our bodies and she gave repletion suggestions. Dawn explained how patients should be pro-active and exercise preventive measures for good health and to always consult your physician.

The Smithsburg Lions Club serves the Smithsburg and surrounding communities.

**Pictured: from left to right, Lion Frank Schaller, Smithsburg Pharmacist Dawn Lovejoy, Lion President Richard Hembrock and Lion Jack Wenthe.**



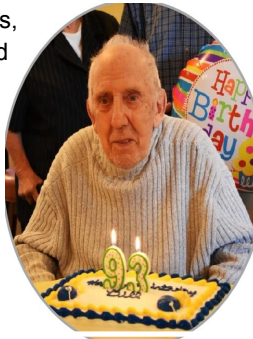
## DISTRICT NEWS

### LION WILLIAM "BILL" WILLHIDE CELEBRATION

Submitted by Lion President Joyce Anthony

Thurmont Lion Bill resides at the Country Meadows Retirement Community in Frederick, Maryland. Lion Bill and his wife Mary have been residents there since 2014, Mary will be 92 years young in November. Lion Bill, who is a life member, was very active in the club for many, many years. He has served as President for three separate terms, and being the only member who has served for three terms.

Lion Bill resides on the assisted living floor but still calls bingo for those residents. He and Mary have been married 67 years. Congratulations Lion Bill!



### TLC HEARS PROGRAM ON LOCAL COVERED BRIDGES

Submitted by Lion President Joyce Anthony

WOW! What an exciting and interesting program! Our guest speaker was Dean Fitzgerald who owns the Fitzgerald's Heavy Timber Construction, Inc. Company. Dean grew up on Roddy Road and is the youngest of nine children. Dean's hometown is Frog Town, and he has four sons.

Dean gave a very interesting history of the three covered bridges in the Thurmont community: Roddy Road, Utica, and Loys Station. Dean's company did the restoration of the 1856 covered bridge which is one of eight covered bridges in the State of Maryland. The bridge spans Owens Creek, is a single-span bridge and measures 45



feet in length. Damage was done to the bridge in 1992 and again in 1995 which was restored by the Fitzgerald Company.

The work on this project consisted of restoration of the ca. 1850 Utica covered bridge



over Fishing creek. (see above). The original 200 plus foot long Burr arch truss bridge spanned the nearby Monocacy River but was washed away in a flood in 1889 and rebuilt in its present location by volunteers. It was damaged again in 1991 by a vehicle exceeding the size limits..

### Bridges continued: Loys Station Bridge



The restoration reconstruction the ca.1880 bridge spanning Owens creek was performed by the Fitzgerald Company. In 1991, the bridge was severely damaged by arson and required expert assistance for rebuilding. Many local citizens, under the leadership of Dean Fitzgerald, formed the Frederick County Covered Bridge Preservation Society. Due to the cause of the damage, the society, along with the volunteers, lobbied to have dry hydrants installed at all of the country's covered bridges.

### MUSIC FOR MEDICINE FOUNDATION

Submitted by Lion President Joyce Anthony

In July the Thurmont Lions Club held a 50's Sock Hop. The proceeds were donated to the non-profit organization "Music for Medicine Foundation" To help combat the heroin epidemic in the Thurmont Community. In August a donation of \$550 was presented to Rachel Hubbard Music for Medicine Foundation.

Pictured left to right: Rachel Hubbard and Lion President Joyce Anthony.





## DISTRICT NEWS

### First Vice District Governor's Service Challenge



### District 22W Coat Drive for the homeless adults (men & women) in our district

Let FVDG Barb Brimigion know that you will be participating in the project and then do one of the following:

- Deliver the coats to a homeless shelter, get a signed receipt (page 2) for the number of donated coats - **preferred method** and submit the receipts to FVDG Barb.
- If that is not possible, contact me and bring the coats to the November 23<sup>rd</sup> cabinet meeting – I will make arrangements for delivery but you must call me prior to the meeting.

While many homeless people go to shelters during the night hours, others spend cold nights outdoors, and most shelters close during the day. This effort should relieve some of the suffering of homeless folks in our communities during the Fall and Winter seasons. Veterans are among the homeless in our district.

**Coats must be either new or clean and gently-used for men and women**

**The district will award a cash prize to the club that donates the most coats.**

You may use any facility in our district that accepts coats for the homeless or use any of the following facilities which do accept coats for homeless adults:

Human Services Programs of Carroll County  
10 Distillery Dr.; Westminster, MD 21157  
410-857-2999  
Deliver coats to Railroad Drive in Westminster 1<sup>st</sup> floor

Frederick Rescue Mission in Frederick County  
419 West South Street; Frederick, MD  
301-695-6633

Reach of Washington County  
140 West Franklin Street; Suite 300; Hagerstown, MD 21740  
301-733-2371  
Coats accepted Monday – Friday from 9 am to 4 pm.

Union Rescue Mission of Western Maryland in Allegany County  
16 Queen City Pavement; Cumberland, MD 21502  
301-724-1585  
Coats will be accepted starting in November.

Reach of Washington County  
140 West Franklin Street; Suite 300; Hagerstown, MD 21740  
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Date of Delivery: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of delivery: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Coats: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of staff at the facility: \_\_\_\_\_



## DISTRICT NEWS

### WILLIAMSPORT LIONS PRESENTED WITH ATTENDANCE AWARDS

Submitted by Lion Richard Nye

The Williamsport Lion Secretary presented Perfect Attendance Awards for the 2018-2019 Lion Year. Awards presented were from one year to FIFTY years...noting that Lion Pat Patterson has Sixty-two years.

Pictured left to right are: Lions Irene Clopper—29, Larry May-32, John Rand-39, Bob Miller-41, Lee Downey-42, Dave Knode-48, and Gary Brower-50. (NOTE: Numbers shown are for years Perfect Attendance, not ages!)



### BALL PRESENTED TO HIGH SCHOOL

Submitted by Lion Richard Nye

In 1977, Williamsport High School football celebrated 50 years. Prior to 1977, our best teams had 8 wins, 2 loses. Two teams accomplished this in the '74 season and the '77 season. In our 1977 season (78 graduates that year) we were fortunate to have won the bi-state and county titles; making it our best record.

Our team signed a ball in 1977 for the Lions Club to auction off for charity and it was purchased by the later Dan Davis. Many years ago, Dan gave me the ball knowing that I was on this team. Our team also had belt buckles made with our team picture. We presented one of these to our principal, Lion Joe Scott.

After Mr. Scott's passing, his daughter, Sally who also knew I was on the team, gave me his belt and buckle, which he still had 40 years later.

Recently, I had the opportunity to pass these items along with a '1977 poster of our team picture, football schedule, and local sponsors, on to Emily Crabtree, WHS Athletic Director to be placed in the trophy case at the high school. . . .SEE PICTURE AT RIGHT.



### FREEDOM DISTRICT LIONS

Submitted by Lion Don Champ

The Freedom District Lions Club held its second August bi-monthly dinner meeting on August 28th. Andy Woodward, from the Carroll County Arts Council, was the guest speaker.

The members heard about the 50 year history of the Arts Council, the programs and activities, as well as their needs for support.

**Pictured: FDLC President, Jim Moore, presents a check to Andy Woodward, and Program chairwoman Viki Peltier.**





## DISTRICT NEWS

### WILLIAMSPORT LIONS AWARD SCHOLARSHIPS

Submitted by Lion Richard Nye

Lion Stan Stouffer presents a check to second year scholarship recipient Kalee Boar. She is a nursing student.



First year recipient, Emily Curry, is shown receiving her check. She is majoring in marine biology and plans to attend school in Tampa, Florida.

### FROSTBURG LIONS CLUB

Submitted by Lion Bill Munck

Frostburg Lions, with the help of Flintstone Lions, gathered over the Labor Day weekend for the 9th Annual Pet Food Drive benefiting the Ark of Hope Animal Rescue, Oldtowne, MD. The "Ark" has been a project of Frostburg Lions for ten years.

Lions collected over 600 lbs. of pet food during the drive, as well as cleaning supplies, bedding for the animals, and \$600 in cash donations. The Ark of Hope currently has over 25 cats, and 15 dogs in residence.

Pictured are Lions Susan Munck (Frostburg) holding Don Juan and Lion Cindy Burley (Flintstone) with Baby.

"Baby" has been adopted.



## LEO NEWS

### LEO AWARD!

The Leo **October Membership Growth Award** may be presented to any Leo who recruits three or more new members during the month of October to the Leo club in which he/she is a member.

To obtain this pin, Leo club advisors must submit this nomination form (Leo-101 6/18; Resources under awards on page 2) by the **November 15 deadline**.

#### IMPORTANT NOTES -

- The newly recruited Leo club members must be added to the Leo club roster in MyLCI in the month of October.
- Completed forms will only be accepted by the reported Leo Club advisor or an officer of the sponsoring Lions club.
- The address provided must be that of the Leo club advisor as it will be used to deliver pins. Please ensure that the address is complete with all required information, including the postal code.

Please submit completed forms using one of the methods listed: Email: [leo@lionsclubs.org](mailto:leo@lionsclubs.org) or Lions Clubs International, Leo Club Program, 300 W. 22nd Street, Oak Brook, Illinois 60523-8842, USA

Thank You,  
Lion Pauline  
District Leo Chairperson



### A LEO UPDATE

Submitted by Lion Bob Bastress

The Century Leo Club held a very successful car wash on Sunday, September 22nd.

A large number of Leos washed cars from noon to three at Denny's in Eldersburg.

The Leos thank all those who participated and especially those who had their vehicles washed.



## COMING EVENTS

# NIGHT AT THE RACES

APPETIZERS, LIVE MUSIC, LIVE AUCTION, HORSE RACING, BEER & WINE INCLUDED, FIFTY FIFTY RAFFLE, GAMBLING, DESSERT AUCTION, HAT CONTEST, AND MORE



FRIDAY OCTOBER 18th, 2019 at 6:30pm

WALDORF JAYCEE HALL, 3090 CRAIN HWY WALDORF MD. \$45 A TICKET

CALL US AT 301-870-5858 or email us at  
INFO@LIONSCAMPERRICK.ORG

#### ADVANCE SALES:

Credit cards accepted. Call our office for payment. All sales are a 100% donation to LCM. 100% Tax Deductable  
TICKET PRICE \$45 PER PERSON- OPEN SEATING

BUY A VIP TABLE OF 10 FOR \$450- RESERVED TABLE FOR YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS!

#### BLIND DESSERT AUCTION:

Deserts will be displayed during the event with information on what restaurant, bakery, or store has donated them. Each table will pool money into the table's envelope. The table who collected the most money will have the first choice of dessert for their table followed by the next highest envelope.

#### LIVE AUCTION:

Be prepared to bid at our Live Auction! List of items will be announced on the night of the event.

#### HAT CONTEST:

Wear your best race inspired hat to be judged upon creativity, originality, and beauty! Judges will circulate around the room during the event to judge all hats. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners will be awarded.

#### BETTING OPPORTUNITIES:

Horse Betting: \$2 per tickets, winning horse pays out half of the race earnings split between winning betters 50/50—will have one raffle with \$5 tickets and the other \$10 tickets.

#### TO PURCHASE YOUR SPONSORSHIP PACKAGE OR YOUR TICKETS PLEASE CONTACT:

Lions Camp Merrick  
P.O.Box 56, NANJEMOY, MD 20662

By Phone: 301-870-5858 or email:  
INFO@LIONSCAMPERRICK.ORG

Please make all checks payable to:  
**LIONS CAMP MERRICK**



## WHAT IS HORSE RACING?

Horse Registration Price \$50 – Winning horse owner wins \$200.

Own a "horse" for \$50 to enter into our Horse Race. Customize your horse by giving it a memorable name. Horses we provide are used in each race but persons or clubs may buy and decorate their own hobby horse. These can be purchased on Amazon, don't forget to use Amazon Smile so LCM gets a percentage of the sale!! On the night of our event, you may decide to jockey your own horse in the race or name a different jockey. Your horse will be placed into one of our ten races where you or your named jockey will move

our winner's circle and win a cash prize of \$200 dollars!!!

## SPONSORSHIPS:

#### PREAKNESS SPONSORSHIP \$500

includes 4 tickets, one horse,  
signage

#### KENTUCKY DERBY SPONSOR \$1000

includes 10 tickets, Race Sponsor, two  
horses, signage


#### BELMONT SPONSOR \$200

includes 2 tickets, one horse,  
signage

#### RACE SPONSORSHIP \$100

Name a race, present trophy


## COMING EVENTS



The Multiple District 22

**Lions Vision Research Foundation, Inc.**

*at the Wilmer Eye Institute, The Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions*



Invites You to Attend

**REGION II, III & IV LVRF PROGRAM**

Hosted by: Terra Rubra Lions Club

at

Terra Rubra Lions Ball Park

6300 Middleburg Road, Keymar, MD 21757

DATE: Monday, October 21, 2019

TIME: Social - 6:00 p.m.

Dinner - 6:30 p.m.

PROGRAM will be a Low Vision Center Speaker

Testimonials will also be shared, and attendees will have the opportunity to present donations to Wilmer Staff

This is a great opportunity for a club visitation. Come see what your support enables for individuals living with low vision. ...

COST: \$15.00/person

Menu: Shrimp & Roast Beef, roasted potatoes, corn, apple sauce, cake and drink.

NAME ..... CLUB

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RSVP BY: October 16, 2019

Meal Checks Payable to Terra Rubra Lions Club and sent to Terra Rubra Lions Club, Lion Larry Stambaugh, 7135 Keysville Rd., Keymar, Md., 21757









Donation Checks Payable to LVRF with a note in the memo line for the designation (i.e. Operating Fund or Fellowship Endowment). Present at meeting or send to: PDG Susan Timmons, 724 Pensinger Road, Greencastle, PA 17225. Call (717) 597-4500 if you have any questions.



**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](http://www.livalit.com/amt)  
Deadline: October 31, 2019

<p><b>8:30AM</b>  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.</p> <p><b>10:30AM</b>  Free time at the charming Kitchen Kettle Village to shop for homemade goods in the picturesque countryside.</p> <p><b>12:00PM</b>  Lunch at Shady Maple Smorgasbord, Lancaster's largest smorgasbord featuring 200 feet of authentic Dutch cooking.</p> <p><b>2:20PM</b>  American Music Theater "Joy to the World"  2 hours + 15 min</p> <p><b>7:15PM</b>  Drop off in Frederick</p>	<p><b>PRICE</b> \$140</p> <p>With part of the proceeds going towards supporting your local Lions Club</p> <p><b>INCLUDED</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lunch</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Admission into "Joy to the World"</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Roundtrip transportation</li> </ul> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <p style="text-align: center;"> <b>ALL SALES ARE FINAL</b></p>
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## COMING EVENTS



### Lions Vision Research Foundation Aim for Sight Sporting Clay Shoot

Saturday, October 12, 2019

Schrader's Outdoors, 16090 Oakland Rd, Henderson, MD 21640

Aim for Sight is a fundraiser for the Lions Vision Research Foundation (LVRF), a 501(c) 3 foundation whose primary purpose is to support low vision research and rehabilitation and to minimize the disabilities caused by low vision and blindness. The objectives of the LVRF are being met through its partnership with the Lions Vision Research and Rehabilitation Center (LVC), at the Wilmer Eye Institute of Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions, Baltimore, Maryland.

All donations to LVRF are tax deductible but more important are the research and rehabilitation efforts this donation will support in giving hope to the blind and low vision population. For the past few years we have funded a Post-Doctorate Fellowship. These Fellows have not only conducted significant research which could have national implications but have reduced the waiting time for an appointment to the LVC to a few days or less. Due to our efforts many new clinics have been established throughout the state and the country.

Your donation will allow us to continue this outstanding effort.

Donations qualify for LVRF Awards (Pyramids or Arnall Patz Fellows) and accumulate over five years.



Please complete and return to  
Lion Dal Mann, PDG  
22944 Lyn Oaks Drive  
Preston, MD 21655

**Due Date: October 5, 2019**



Type Sponsor	Donation	Payment
Platinum Sponsor	\$1,000	
Gold Sponsor	\$500	
Silver Sponsor	\$250	
Station Sponsor	\$100	
Program Book Ad:		
Full Page	\$100	
Half Page	\$60	
Quarter Page	\$40	
<b>TOTAL DONATION</b>		

With your payment please include the message to put on your station signs or the art work that you wish included in the program book message. See example next page.

Full Page 7.5" x 4.5"  
Half Page 3.75" x 4.5"  
Quarter Page 3.75" x 2.25"

Sponsors Message: \_\_\_\_\_

Please attach Artwork for Program Book Ad. **Sample next page.**

Honorary Donation: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ in the name/honor of: \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to: "LVRF Aim for Sight"

For Information Contact:

Lion Dal Mann, 410-673-9085 dmanningmd@gmail.com  
Lion John Lawrence, 410-725-0150 Lions@johnlawrence.name  
Lion Richard Liebno 410-848-4929 richard.lion@comcast.net

### Lions Vision Research Foundation Aim for Sight Sporting Clay Shoot



Schrader's Outdoors,

16090 Oakland Rd, Henderson, MD

Saturday, October 12, 2019

**Fifty targets - 2 boxes (50) shells provided**

**Lunch Provided 11:30am to 1:00pm**

**Lewis Class Scoring - everyone has a chance to win a prize**

**Individual, Ladies, Youth and Team Prizes Awarded**

**Registration 8:30am to 11:30am (Scorecards in by 12:30pm)**

**Bring Your Gun if You Have One - If Not Gun Provided (Schrader's assurance)**

**Single shooter: \$75 Team: \$280**

**Make checks payable to: "LVRF Aim for Sight"**

**Send to: Lion Dal Mann, 22944 Lyn Oaks Drive, Preston, MD 21655**

For Information Contact: PDG Dal Mann 410-673-9085 dmanningmd@gmail.com  
IPID Richard Liebno 410-848-4929 richard.lion@comcast.net  
DG John Lawrence 410-725-0150 lions@johnlawrence.name

**The LVRF Aim for sight is a Lions Vision Research Foundation and hence an MD-22 project.**

**This is a simple and easy way to raise funds to support our LVRF.**

**WE NEED SHOOTERS. NO EXPERIENCE REQUIRED.**

**WE NEED SPONSORS - for as little as \$100 you, or your Club, can be a sponsor.**

**For a donation of \$40, \$60 or \$100 you, or your club, can put an ad in the program book.**

**All donations go toward recognition (Arnall Patz Fellowship or LVRF Pyramid) and accumulate over a 5-year period.**

Lion Dalton "Dal" Mann, PDG

22944 Lyn Oaks Drive

Preston, MD 21655

410-673-9085(h) 410-310-6660(m)



## COMING EVENTS

### 22W District Social

*Celebrate with District Governor Evan & First Lady Bonnie*

OPEN RECEPTION with DELECTABLE APPETIZERS and PHOTO BOOTH

DELICIOUS PLATED DINNER and DESSERTS (\$35.00)

LAUGH with COMEDIAN DENNY MORE

*Wait there is more....*

AN EXCITING AFTER PARTY!

REVEL IN MUSIC by our own PDG BUCK FISHER

HELP YOURSELF to the POPCORN MACHINE

PARTICIPATE in LIVELY CONVERSATIONS

CLARION HOTEL & CONFERENCE CENTER

5400 Holiday Drive

Frederick, Maryland

Rooms: \$115.44 (tax included)



SATURDAY, 5TH OCTOBER



*You are cordially invited to attend the  
9<sup>th</sup> Charter Night Anniversary of the  
South Carroll Lioness-Lions Club*

Date: Thursday, October 3, 2019

Time: 6:30 p.m. social, dinner served at 7 p.m.

Location: Messiah Lutheran Church, Celebration Hall, 5600 Old Washington Road, Sykesville, Maryland

Dinner Catered by *E.W. Beck's Restaurant* and includes house salad with dressings, rolls, pasta with vodka cream sauce, chicken piccata, brie, and a choice of cheese sauce, parsnip potatoes, dessert, iced tea and coffee.

Cost: \$16.00 per person

Reservations due no later than Thursday, September 26, 2019





Mail completed reservation form to PDG Susan Bonura, 1743 Deer Park Road, Finksburg, MD 21048. Questions? Call PDG Susan at 443-745-1281.

### FREEDOM DISTRICT LIONS CLUB CITRUS SALE

FLORIDA INDIAN RIVER GROVES PO BOX 2764 •

VERO BEACH, FL 32961 •

[www.FloridaIndianRiverGroves.com](http://www.FloridaIndianRiverGroves.com)

NAVEL ORANGES	PINK GRAPEFRUIT
 <p>ITEM #</p> <p>1 Tray 11 Navel Oranges ..... \$13</p> <p>2 Trays 22 Navel Oranges ..... \$24</p>	 <p>ITEM #</p> <p>1 Tray 8 Grapefruit ..... \$13</p> <p>2 Trays 15 Grapefruit ..... \$24</p>
MIXED NAVELS & GRAPEFRUIT	CITRUS DELIGHT
 <p>ITEM #</p> <p>1 Tray 6 Navels + 5 Grapefruit ..... \$13</p> <p>2 Trays 12 Navels + 10 Grapefruit ..... \$24</p>	 <p>ITEM #</p> <p>12 Navels, 12 Grapefruit, 12 Mandarins ..... \$31</p>
TRIPLE CHARMER	MANDARINS
 <p>ITEM #</p> <p>12 Navels, 12 Grapefruit, 12 Apples ..... \$32</p>	 <p>ITEM #</p> <p>(2) 5 lb Bags per box 13-20 pcs per bag ..... \$24</p>
WASHINGTON RED DELICIOUS APPLES	18 PIECE SAMPLER
 <p>ITEM #</p> <p>1/2 Bushel 36-44 Apples ..... \$32</p>	 <p>ITEM #</p> <p>4 Navels, 2 Red Grapefruit, 4 Mandarins, 4 D'Anjou Pears, 4 Red Delicious Apples ..... \$31</p>

Order Online!

Visit: [FDLCFruitSale.com](http://FDLCFruitSale.com)



Note: All items purchased from this brochure will be delivered to the fundraising organization. Please consult with the organization in regards to pick up and/or delivery. We reserve the right to make substitutions in the event of unforeseen circumstances.

Deadline for orders: November 11<sup>th</sup>

Customer Pick-up Date: December 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>

## COMING EVENTS

HAMSTEAD LION  
68th



LINEBORO MANCHESTER  
LIONS  
75th

### SERVICE WITH 2020 VISION FOR THE FUTURE<sup>1</sup>

Lions, Lioness, and Leo's:

You are cordially invited to attend the 68th  
Charter Anniversary of the Hampstead Lions  
Club and the 75th Anniversary of the Lineboro  
Manchester Lions Club.

**DATE:** October 16th

**PLACE:** Friendly Farms Restaurant  
17434 Foreston Rd., Upperco, MD 21155  
**SOCIAL PERIOD:** 6:15pm **DINNER:** 6:45pm  
**Menu:** Maryland Roast Beef & Fried Chicken  
with all the trimmings.

**Cost:** \$25 per person

**Reservations due: October 5th**

**Contact:** Andrew J. DeMario, Sr. PDG,  
2809 Demario Drive  
Manchester, MD 21102



## Melvin Jones Fellow Brunch

October 26, 2019  
Myersville VFD  
301 Main Street  
Myersville, MD 21773

**Note: All Lions and Guests are invited to  
attend**

Menu: Scrambled Eggs, Home Fries, Pancakes, French Toast,  
Bacon, Sausage, Biscuits and Gravy, Fruit Cocktail, Pastries,  
Coffee, Tea, Hot Chocolate, Orange Juice

**Cost \$16.00**

**Time 10:00 AM**

**Special Guest Speaker: PDG Marion Carmack**

Send reservations and a check made out to

**District 22W with full payment**

**no later than October 19, 2018 to:**

PDG Paul Cannada  
7 Sylvia Circle  
Thurmont, Maryland 21788

Names of those attending \_\_\_\_\_

names may be listed on the back of this order form

Club Name : \_\_\_\_\_

Number attending \_\_\_\_ X \$16.00 = \_\_\_\_ (amount enclosed)

Name of Club or Individual wishing to present a donation:

Why cook on a Friday night when you can support The Lineboro-Manchester Lions Club?



Sponsored by the  
**Lineboro-Manchester Lions Club**



Friday, November 22, 2019, 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM

Manchester Valley High School  
3300 Maple Grove Road, Manchester, MD 21102  
(Enter in the rear of the building - Cafeteria Entrance)

When Carroll County Public Schools are closed or close early due to weather or other emergency conditions, all Carroll County Dept. of Recreation & Parks programs are canceled for that day. For weekend/holiday school days, more the Event Emergency Plan is in effect for Carroll County, no Recreation & Parks activities take place. You can visit their website [www.carrollcountymd.gov/schools/closure](http://www.carrollcountymd.gov/schools/closure), [www.carrollcountymd.gov/emergency](http://www.carrollcountymd.gov/emergency), [www.carrollcountymd.gov](http://www.carrollcountymd.gov). Should the "Plan" be followed any time during that day, all activities are still canceled for the remainder of that day. Please know that program registrations will be extended once make-up dates are established.

All you can eat - Salad, Bread, Spaghetti & Meatballs  
Homemade Desserts, Iced Tea & Coffee

\$10.00 - Adults (14 & older) - \$6.00 - Children (Ages 4-13) - Under 4 FREE  
Carryout is Available

Silent Auction

Silent Auction

Buy tickets in advance or reserve them for pick up at the door.

For more information call

Andy DeMario at 410-374-9177, Steve Swam at 410-239-8987  
or email us @ [lmactivities@lmilions.org](mailto:lmactivities@lmilions.org)

ALL PROCEEDS benefit Lineboro-Manchester Lions Club Community Projects

The Multiple District 22

**LIONS VISION RESEARCH FOUNDATION, INC.**  
**at the Wilmer Eye Institute, The Johns Hopkins  
Medical Institutions**

Invites You to Attend REGION IV LVRF PROGRAM

Hosted by: Terra Rubra Lions Club

At Terra Rubra Lions Ball Park, 6300 Middleburg Road,  
Keymar, MD 21757

DATE: Monday, October 21, 2019

TIME: Social- 6:00 p.m. Dinner- 6:30 p.m.

**PROGRAM will be a Low Vision Center Speaker**

**Testimonials will also be shared, and attendees will have the opportunity to present donations to Wilmer Staff**

This is a great opportunity for a club visitation. Come see what your support enables for individuals living with low vision. A different speaker is in each Region. If you are unable to attend one, attend a different one and be blessed. Cabinet Secretary Monday e-news has other opportunities at the Region/Zone Meetings in Regions I, II and III.

**COST: \$15.00/person**

Menu: Shrimp & Roast Beef, roasted potatoes, corn, apple sauce, cake and drink.

**RSVP BY: October 18, 2019**

Make Checks Payable to LVRF with a note in the memo line for the designation i.e. Operating Fund, Lions Fellowship Endowment or Vision Days. Send to: PDG Susan Timmons, 724

Pensinger Road, Greencastle, PA 17225

**Call (717) 597-4500 if you have any questions.**



## COMING EVENTS

**Thurmont Lions Club 90<sup>th</sup>  
Charter Night Celebration**

.....  
 ..... Thurmont Lions Club invites you .....  
 → ..... to attend our .....  
 .. 90<sup>th</sup> Annual Charter Night → ..  
 → ..

**Tuesday, October 22, 2019 at 5:45 pm**

**Shamrock Restaurant**  
 ..... 7701 Fitzgerald Road, (on US15), Thurmont, Md. ....

**Menu - \$32.50 per Person**  
 Choice of: Fried Oysters, Cranberry Chicken or Pork Loin  
 Social / Cash Bar 5:45 pm  
 Dinner 6:30 pm

**Please RSVP by October 12<sup>th</sup>**

**Make checks made payable to the "Thurmont Lions Club"**

Name and Club..... Number Attending → ..... Entrée Choice.....

Mail to: Lion Albie Little  
 → ..... Thurmont Lions Club  
 → ..... 38 Summit Avenue  
 → ..... Thurmont, MD 21788  
 → ..... albie.little@gmail.com → ..  
 → .....  
 → ..... "Seating Limited to 75"



**THE TAYLORSVILLE-WINFIELD LIONS CLUB**

**Saturday, Nov. 16, 2019**

**Winfield Community V.F.D.**  
 1320 W. OLD LIBERTY RD, Winfield, MD  
 STARTING AT 7:00 P.M. (DOORS OPEN AT 5:30 P.M.)

**ALL CASH BINGO GAMES**

Tickets: \$15.00 for reserved or \$18.00 at the door  
No advance tickets sold after Nov. 15th

**Limited Seating - Please Reserve Early**  
 FOR TICKETS OR INFORMATION CALL

**Linda- 410-848-2235**

For every 2 canned food items donated, receive a free letter "X" game card

**"CASH" KING-TUT GAME** (not included in price)

**ALL PROCEEDS WILL PROVIDE FOR**  
**"Community Projects and Activities"**

**REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE**  
**EVERY SEAT WILL REQUIRE A TICKET**  
www.a-clubhouse.org/site/taylorwinfieldmd

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

**TERRI LYNN CARES**  
 OUR ON-LINE STORE IS OPEN!  
<https://LLC.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](mailto:pdgsusanbonura@gmail.com) or call 443-745-1281



### MYERSVILLE LIONS COUNTRY BREAKFAST

LOCATION: Myersville Fire Hall  
 DATE: OCTOBER 2  
 TIME: 7:00am-10:30am

PRICE: ADULTS: \$9 SENIOR CITIZENS \$8  
 Children: \$5 Children 5 and under FREE

MENU: Blueberry pancakes, pancakes, French Toast,  
 fried potatoes, potato  
 O'Brien, sausage, sausage  
 gravy, bacon, fruit salad,  
 coffee, tea, OJ, muffins and  
 sweet rolls, biscuits,  
 puddin', scrapple

### SPECIAL SALE:

BOOKS, BOOKS, & MORE  
 USED Books





## COMING EVENTS

### TANEYTOWN LIONS CLUB BENEFIT BUS TRIP

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2019

#### "Potomac Eagle Train Excursion" in Romney, WV

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 experience. A fast food stop will be made in the morning & dinner on your own at Cracker Barrel en route home.

@ \$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)

9:15 PM - 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.)



### SOUTH CARROLL LIONESS LIONS CLUB

#### Bosco's Friends Helping Friends Fundraiser -

October 16, 2019

Begin some early Christmas shopping! Purchase your pass from the South Carroll Lioness Lions Club for only \$5.00. Receive a 25% discount on most items and 15% and 10% on the rest on one day of shopping - Passes are good at all Bosco's locations. Participants are eligible to win prizes including shopping sprees and more!

Free refreshments are served throughout the day in the store.

Get your shopping pass from PDG Susan Bonura at the September 7th Cabinet meeting in LaVale!

### MIDDLETOWN LIONS CLUB



#### Bosco's "Friends Helping Friends" Wednesday, October 16, 2019

I know this is early, about four months, but this is a good Fund Raiser!

It benefits our Lions Club and it benefits everyone who purchases a \$5 Pass.

Almost everything in Bosco's, on 10/16/19, is **25% OFF - even Sale Priced items!**

It is a good day to consider some early Christmas shopping.

So, consider purchasing a Pass for yourself and maybe picking up a few to sell to family, friends, and neighbors!

Every little bit helps!

Submitted by: Lion Bobbi Miller

### NEW WINDSOR LIONS CLUB DRAWING

DATE: OCTOBER 5, 2019-at Music on the Main

**1st Prize:** Half of Beef: Donated by The Cashman Family

**2nd Prize:** Whole Pig: Donated by Truck Patch Farms

**3rd Prize:** One Bushel of Crabs: Donated by Myers Crab Shack & Seafood

**4th Prize:** Fresh Turkey

**5th Prize:** Fresh Turkey: Donated by Local Homestead Products

Tickets compliments of BPR Surveying & Civil Engineering 410-857-9030



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**COMING EVENTS!**



## FREE HOUSEHOLD SHRED EVENT

And Collection of NEW coats, hats, scarves and gloves for the Shepard's Staff

SPONSORED BY THE SOUTH CARROLL LIONESS LIONS CLUB

**NOVEMBER 2, 2019**  
9 AM – 11 AM

CARROLL COMMUNITY BANK  
1321 LIBERTY ROAD  
SYKESVILLE, MD 21784



CASH DONATIONS ACCEPTED FOR LIONS VISION PROJECTS

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT LION SUSAN BONURA @ 443-745-1281

# 2019 STEM Festival @ HCC

**WHEN:** Saturday, October 12  
10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

**WHERE:** Hagerstown Community College  
ARCC, Energy & Trades Training Center, STEM Building

**WHAT:** Science exhibits, hands-on activities, and competitions for students in K-12

**FREE:** Admission and parking  
Refreshments available



Logos: HAGERSTOWN COMMUNITY COLLEGE, WCPS (Washington County Public Schools), LIONS CLUB (We Serve), WASHINGTON COUNTY FREE LIBRARY, BEACON HOUSE

[www.hagerstowncc.edu/stem](http://www.hagerstowncc.edu/stem)



## DO NOT MISS -

## WOODSBORO DAY'S

## GLADE VALLEY LIONS YARD SALE

**DATE: October 19, 2019**  
**TIME: 8:00am-2:00pm INCLUDES:**  
**Cinnamon buns, pretzels, music for your entertainment**



## TANEYTOWN LIONS CLUB BINGO

**Friday, November 1, 2019**  
**Firemen's Activities Building**  
49 Memorial Dr, Taneytown, MD  
Doors open: **4:30 pm**  
Bingo starts: **7:00 pm**

**Tickets: \$15.00**  
**For Tickets or Information Call:**  
**Wayne Sherfey 443-375-1729**

Jackpot Games  
\$200 Jr. Jackpot  
\$2 per card or 3 cards for \$5  
\$300 Sr. Jackpot  
\$2 per card or 3 cards for \$5  
(Additional cards - \$5)

\$50 Regular Bingo - 21 Games  
\$75 Specials - 4 Games  
(Make different letters)  
\$10 Door prizes - 50/50 - Three Raffles

Refreshments Available for Sale

Bring canned goods and receive a free Sr. Jackpot game card  
All proceeds provide for Community Betterment

District Website: <http://www.e-district.org/sites/22W>

Facebook: Lions Clubs District 22W

Newsletter Editor: Phyl Thompson

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**Content must be submitted by the 22nd of each month to be included in next month's edition.**

