

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



# SERVICE WITH 2020 VISION FOR THE FUTURE

September

NEW MD-22W website...

https:// mdlions22w. org

LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION MISSION

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 Fellow Lions:

**Service is key to member satisfaction**. As, I make my visits to the Lions Clubs, I am stressing hands on service projects and encouraging clubs to maximize their impact. As a District we are planning **Roar Like A Lion**, an event that promotes hands on service projects and community involvement. Global Service Team Coordinator, Susan Cox and Lion Vicki Mahr will be promoting and helping to organize this event at Zone and Region meetings. We have published information and resources on the District website. <a href="https://mdlions22w.org/index.php/">https://mdlions22w.org/index.php/</a>



roar-like-a-lion/ Please inform GST Susan Cox if your club wants to participate or needs more information.

Many clubs are having trouble reporting their service and activates on the MyLion website. On 9/14/19, the Global Action Team will provide a training session to help Club Secretaries, Club Service Coordinators and Club Presidents with the reporting of activities. This training is open to **all Lions** and will be held at the Terra Rubra activities building starting at 9 am. There is no cost for the training but an RSVP to Global Leadership Team (GMT) coordinator Brian Cox or GST Susan Cox is requested to ensure enough seating and food is available for everyone.

The USA/Canada Lions Leadership forum will be held this month in Spokane, Washington. The forum is well known for the motivational speakers, inspirational stories and fantastic service ideas. Lions always come back from the forum excited about Lionism and service to our communities. Registration is still open and I would like to encourage all Lions to attend this event at least once. If you cannot make it to Spokane, next year the forum will be in Kentucky. Hopefully, in a few years we will be able to host a forum in Washington D.C.

You do not have to travel across the country to take a leadership course, you can follow the example of Lion Paulette, of the Mount Savage – Mason Dixon Lions Club, who successfully completed the Guiding Lion course online. There are many training courses available at the Lions Learning Center for Lions of all experience levels. <a href="https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/resources-for-members/resource-center/lions-learning-center">https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/resources-for-members/resource-center/lions-learning-center</a> This is a free resource for **all Lions**.

The first cabinet meeting will be held 9/7/19 and will be hosted by the LaVale Lions Club. There is always a lot of information given out at the first cabinet meeting but this year we have additional topics to discuss: Foundation by-laws and a replacement organization for Kara Link. The 22-W Foundation by-laws need to be reviewed and voted on. Last year Kara Link changed their priorities and ended their cornea collection and transplant work. We need to discuss our support of a similar organization and the funds donated for Kara Link last year. Please RSVP to Region Chair Sue Beachy.



Evan Gillett
22W DISTRICT GOVERNOR

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

August had been a busy month for me. I had the opportunity to attend numerous functions to see our clubs being busy providing service to their community. It is a personal goal for me to visit all the clubs in our district at least one time in 2019-2020 since being elected first vice district governor. It is always a great experience to visit our clubs, discover new ideas and enjoy the hospitality and friendship that club members provide to the cabinet officers. I had the honor of rededicating the charter and installing the new officers for the Harney Lions Club. I thank the Francis Scott Key Lions Club for their invitation to attend their club picnic and play some games of bingowhat a fun idea which helps to bring out the members. I thank the Boonsboro Lions Club, Deer Park Lions Club, the Flintstone Lions Club, the Francis Scott Key Lions Club, the Monocacy Lions Club, the Smithsburg Lions Club, the South Carroll Lioness Lions Club and the Terra Rubra Lions Club for their hospitality and fellowship during my visitations along with DG Evan Gillett and CS Martin Bonura.

I am sure that all of our 129 attendees at the Change of Banner had a fun time as we celebrated the successful year of Immediate Past District Governor Gerry Beachy and pledge to support DG Evan throughout the upcoming year. We were pleased to acknowledge the accomplishments of those clubs who earned district awards and who proudly came to be recognized for their hard work in serving their communities and receive their awards.

As our clubs have been very busy with club picnics, service projects and fundraisers that benefit their communities, I was fortunate to attend the Leader Dogs for the Blind Summer Visit for first vice district governors in Michigan for the weekend. Leader Dogs for the Blind extended a warm welcome to all of us, providing good food and interesting speakers. To the past district governors, yes, we were served their famous chili and donuts lunch. The highlight was to tour the Leader Dogs facility where golden retrievers, black labs and German shepherds are housed for breeding and for training to become a prized leader dog. We met puppy raisers who also come to volunteer their time at the facility.

We had the chance to learn how it feels to be blind and to be led by a leader dog. We covered our eyes and took control of the dog's harness as we took a short walk, putting our trust in the dogs to bring us safely back to the starting point without hitting anything along the way. We listened to 3 leader dog recipients including Jeff Hawkins and his dog Gracie who came to our Leader Dog Banquets in 2017. They told how the blind and visually-impaired often live with depression after a loss of independence. Our club donations help to provide the leader dogs that lift these people out of depression to become active members once again in their communities.

In 2018-2019, the clubs in District 22W donated \$27, 765.43 and ranked 11<sup>th</sup> out of 226 districts in the USA. 54 Lions Clubs were recognized for being Top Dog Clubs for their donation of \$5,000 in a Lions fiscal year. 2 clubs in our multiple district were recognized as Top Dog Clubs. District 22W did not make the list so please go to www. LeaderDog.org to learn more about being a Top Dog Club and lead the way in our district!

We need you to attend the upcoming September 14<sup>th</sup> GAT Training at Terra Rubra and hear about the tools that are available to club members and the support that our Global Action Team can provide to help your club stay in tip top shape. See you there!

# FVDG Barb Brimigion

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

**Greetings District Lions,** 

As we head into September our calendars are becoming increasingly full signifying just how active our Lions Clubs are in our communities. It is an exciting time for service, fellowship and raising money necessary to fund our various causes. It is also a month filled with leadership opportunities. Don't forget about the club officer training sponsored by the GAT Team on Saturday, September 14 at Terra Rubra. The training will be for club presidents, vice presidents, secretaries, treasurers, membership and service chairs. If you weren't able to make the June training sessions I would strongly recommend that you attend on the 14<sup>th</sup>. If you are really looking for a more intense training opportunity, please avail yourself to the USA/Canada Forum slated for September 19 – 21 in Spokane, Washington. Don't forget – you don't have to be a club or district officer to be a leader! Leadership comes in different forms and our success depends on those who are willing to step up and serve.

The first Cabinet Meeting for the current year is scheduled for Saturday, September 7 and will be hosted by the LaVale Lions Club at the lower LaVale Volunteer Fire Department. This is a great opportunity to learn more about District activities and future events. Lunch will include chicken barbecued by the members of the LaVale club and you are all invited to visit the barbecue in operation either before or after the cabinet meeting. If you like, we will even put you to work! Can't make the Cabinet Meeting? You will have the opportunity to hear a summary report at your region/zone meeting that will follow.

Congratulations to the team that was responsible for the successful Change of Banner Celebration on August 10 for a job well done. Many people worked behind the scenes to make the evening one to remember. Congratulations to IPDG Gerry and Lion Sue Beachy for a great year and continued best wishes to DG Evan for the continuation of a successful start to a new Lions year.

CHARLES CROFT, Jr.

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#### **CALENDAR**

**CHANGE: Due to Labor Day the NEW MARKET Club will meet the second & Fourth Monday of** this month ONLY

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: MYERSVILLE LIONS COUNTRY BREAK-

**FAST** —SEE COMING EVENTS

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

Sept. 9: **HEROIN STILL KILLS...**SEE COMING EVENTS

Sept.. 10: TANEYTOWN LIONS CHARTER NIGHT:

SEE COMING EVENTS

Sept.11: FREEDOM DISTRICT LIONS 73RD CHARTER

NIGHT...SEE COMING EVENTS

Sept. 12: REGION 4 Zone 3 Meeting

Sept. 12:LIONS YOUTH FOUNDATION BINGO:

Sept 13-21: THE GREAT FREDERICK FAIR

Sept. 13: GUN RAFFLE—NEW WINDSOR—4:30-10:30pm

Sept. 13: HANCOCK LIONESS-LIONS will hold a spaghetti dinner in Widmeyer Park.

Sept. 14: OFFICERS TRAINING AT TERRA RUBRA starting at 9:00am-1:00pm.

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

Sept. 17: REGION 1 ALL ZONE MEETING

Sept. 19: USA/CANADA FORUM

Sept. 20: FREE HEARING SCREENING for adults & children at least 3 yrs of age at the North Carroll Public Library in Hampstead—9:00-12:00pm. Arrive by 11:00am-

hosted by Lineboro-Manchester Lions

Sept. 21: MT AIRY FLEA MARKET & YARD SALE MAVFC Carnival Grounds. More information is available on the www.mtairylions.com

Sept. 21: CORN HOLE ROARING RUN..SEE COMING **EVENTS** 

Sept. 23: ZONE I MEETING; Park & Dine with Zone Chair, Susan Miller—5:30pm...Italian Night

Sept.23: 21st FREDERICK LIONS CLUB GOLF TOURNAMENT AT THE MARYLAND NATIONAL GOLF CLUB, Middletown, Md. sponsored by FREDERICK LIONS..11:30 Lunch/12:30 Shotgun start ... SEE COMING **EVENTS** 

Sept. 27: FREEDOM DISTRICT GOLF TOURNA-

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

SEE COMING EVENTS

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

4:00pm...SEE COMING EVENTS



#### OCTOBER IS VISION AWARENESS MONTH!

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

Oct. 5: MYERSVILLE COUNTRY BREAKFAST— SEE COMING EVENTS

Oct. 5: 22W SOCIAL—COME ONE COME ALL!

Oct. 7: FREE HEARING SCREENING . C. Burr Artz Library in Frederick for adults only from 1:00-4:00pm. **Hosted by Frederick Lions** 

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

Oct. 10: WORLD SIGHT DAY!

Oct. 12: TRAIN TRIP ON POTOMAC EAGLE

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

Oct. 16: LINEBORO MANCHESTER & HAM-STEAD LIONS CHARTER ANNIVERSARY....SEE COMING EVENTS

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

Oct. 24: UNITED NATIONS DAY

Oct. 26.: MELVIN JONES BRUNCH—\$15

Oct. 27: WILLIAMSPORT BINGO

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

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#### **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 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.



# Lions District 22-W Service with 2020 Vision for the Future



Global Action Team Training

**Who:** All Lions are invited and encouraged to attend this training; especially Secretaries, Membership Chairs, Service Chairs, Presidents, 1st Vice Presidents, and Treasurers.

**What:** Training opportunities for ALL club officer position, this includes MyLion training and updates, Roar Like A Lion, Membership, Leadership and or Service.

**Where**: Terra Rubra Lions Club Building, 6300 Middleburg Road, Keymar, MD 21757

Date: September 14, 2019

Time: 9 a.m.-1 p.m. (8:30 for coffee and donuts)

Cost: FREE! Coffee, donuts, lunch, and training materials included

Your RSVP to Lion Susan Cox at shcox@comcast is required no later than Sunday, September 8, 2019. Please include your name, club, your club position, and the area in which you would like additional training. This training will meet the requirements for any district award. We look forward to seeing you at this important training opportunity.



#### LIONS VISION RESEARCH FOUNDATION, INC. (LVRF) -

Inquiries for LVRF should be sent to PO Box 1714, Baltimore, MD 21203.

Messages can be left at 410-955-1883 and calls will be returned.

The Administrative Assistant is PDG Susan Timmons.

The LVRF email is <a href="mailto:lvrf.info@gmail.com">lvrf.info@gmail.com</a> and the LVRF website is <a href="www.lionsvision.org">www.lionsvision.org</a>.

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#### **MEMORIAL**

**LION JOHN WILLIAM "JACK" BELL,** 82, longtime Walkersville farmer, died peacefully Tuesday, July 30, 2019 at Kline Hospice House. He was the loving husband of Carol Jean Bell, for 62 years. Born September 28, 1936 in Frederick, he was the son of the late William Wesley and Mary Ellen (Hahn) Bell.

Jack was raised in the Damascus area, where he and his brother, Don, began their early careers in farming. They farmed several different locations while attending high school. They would milk cows in the morning, go to school, attend sports practice, and return home for the evening milking. For many years, they assisted their mother at the Montgomery County Farm Women's Cooperative Market in Bethesda.

Upon graduating from Damascus High School in 1954, Jack enlisted into the U.S. Air Force, serving during the Korean War. He met his future wife, Carol Wheeler, on a blind date while attending a community dance in Spokane, WA, where he was stationed at the time. They married and returned to Maryland in 1958 with their infant son, Ronnie, upon John's Honorable Discharge from the service.

John and Don began farming in 1959 at the home farm of their uncle in Ceresville. Together, the Bell Brothers raised their families, milked 200 head of Holsteins, and crop farmed additional acreage in the Walkersville, Frederick and Thurmont areas. Upon dispersal of the dairy herd in 1996, John continued crop farming and raising beef cattle for several years until he retired full-time. Times spent with family were the most precious to him, whether it was going out to eat, attending his grandchildren's activities, or his favorite a daily car ride with his wife throughout the countryside of Frederick and the neighboring counties.

John was a very active member of the community. He was a 35-year member of the Glade Valley Lion's Club, receiving the Melvin Jones Fellow award for Dedicated Humanitarian Services. He thoroughly enjoyed being a Lion and served in various leadership positions within the club. His favorite activity was helping in the French fry stand each year at the Walkersville Carnival, of which his grandsons also helped in more recent years. He was a member of Columbia Lodge #58 and was a 32nd Degree Scottish Rite Mason. Additionally, John was a member of the Woodsboro American Legion Post 282, a former member of the Lewistown Ruritan Club, and a member of Brook Hill United Methodist Church. In earlier years, John was active in various farming organizations and served these groups in several leadership positions. He was a life member of the Frederick County Agricultural Society, Inc. and proudly served on the Board of Directors of the Great Frederick Fair for 30 years, retiring in 2012.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by four children, Ronnie Bell and wife, Dania, of Thurmont; Rhonda Starmer and husband, Steve, of Lewistown; Jacqui Kreh and husband, Richard, of Middletown; and Jody Bell and fiancée, Melanie Day, of Frederick; and 14 grandchildren and their families.

Funeral services were held. on Monday, August 5 from Brook Hill United Methodist Church,. Officiating were his pastors, the Rev. Dana Werts and Rev. Linda Warehime; and his longtime friend, the Rev. Tim May. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Frederick Co., P.O. Box 1799, Frederick, MD 21702.

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

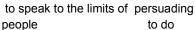
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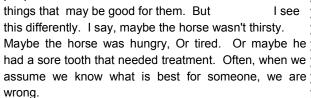
#### **INTERNATIONAL NEWS**

#### TO LEAD WE MUST FIRST ASK HOW WE CAN SERVE

**Greetings Lions!** 

"You can lead a horse to water, but you can't make him drink." Have you heard this saying? This is supposed





Good leaders do not just lead people to water. They ask them what they need and bring it to them. I call this servant leadership.

As Lions we are all leaders. And it's our responsibility to listen to those we serve and do everything in our power to get them the tools they need so that they can in turn serve the cause. In my year as leader of Lions, I will be continually asking those I meet how I can help them to be better Lions. I ask you to do the same.

If you are a district governor, ask your club presidents what they need to bring in more members. If you are a club president, ask your members how you can help them have the best experience as a Lion. And if you are a Lion, reach out to the community. Ask them what they need. And then bring it to them.

That is how we all become leaders in change for the world.

Sincerely

Jung-Yul Choi



PDG Brian Cox and I would like to thank the Lions and Lions Clubs of 22 W for their support of Lions Clubs International Foundation for 2018-2019. 22 W Clubs and members generously donated over \$72,000 in support of "our" foundation. As usual, 22 W raised the most funds in our Multiple District. Last year we had two clubs. Terra Rubra and Westminster, pledge to be "Model Clubs". In July Taneytown Lions pledged to become a Model Club when LCIF lowered the requirement from \$750 Per Member Average (PMA) to \$500 PMA. Clubs that were considering to becoming a "Model Club" last year and could not afford the \$750 PMA should use the new \$500 PMA to see if the new level will work for your club. This new level of \$500 PMA should make it easier for more clubs to become a "Model Club". Remember, the funds your club and members donated in 2017-2018 and 2018 -2019 count towards the \$500 PMA and your club has until June 30, 2022 to make the final payment.

A new program started by LCIF is the "Community Service Grant". When a club donates \$5,000 or more to the "Empowering Service Fund" they are eligible for a 15% Community Service Grant from LCIF that can be used for a project in your area. If the District donates \$10,000 or more, which is the total funds donated to the "Empowering Service Fund" by all clubs in the District (except for clubs that donated \$5,000). Funds donated the "Disaster Relief Fund" cannot be counted towards the Community Service grant allowance. LCIF will notify all clubs and Districts that qualify for the grant. Your clubs grant funds can be accumulated and held for 15 years.

Please contact PDG Brian Cox at: email <a href="mailto:vbcox@comcast.net">vbcox@comcast.net</a>, cell 301-676-0350 or me at 301-271-2924 or <a href="mailto:paulcannada@comcast.net">paulcannada@comcast.net</a> to come to your club to present all of the changes to the "Campaign 100: LCIF Empowering Service" program. Remember "Where there is a need there is a Lion".

PDG Paul Cannada 2012-2013 District 22 W Thurmont Lions Club District 22 W LCIF Coordinator 2/3 301-271-2924 paulcannada@comcast.net

"Together We Will Make a Difference"

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#### **DISTRICT NEWS**

#### **WASHINGTON COUNTY GRANT MANAGEMENT**

Submitted by Lion Editor Julie Fritsch

On July 30th, the club had the privilege of hearing Susan Buchanan, Director of Washington County Grant Management, speak about the Mission, Vision, and Values her office can offer. They provide the highest quality public services and resources for Washington County citizens. They do this by utilizing grant funds to reduce local costs to support these services.

To learn more contact her at 240-313-2040 0r at sbuchan-an@washco.md.net.

Pictured Susan Buchanan



#### **MONARCH MANIA**

Submitted by Lion Editor Julie Fritsch

Lion Dave Kaplan presented the club with a very informative and interesting update on the Butterfly Garden. He also provided some very knowledgeable butterfly tips.

The butterfly garden has been in existence since 2016. It has seen two or three summer generations rotated through the garden. Butterflies only eat milkweed. Visit the Hagerstown Lions Way station in the soccer complex along Cearfoss Pike for a great sight. For more information and to learn more contact Lion Dave Kaplan.





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)

#### **NEW MARKET CORN ROAST A BIG HIT!**

Submitted by President Mike Grenier

A **BIG** "thank you" for coming out in the hot temps and supporting our corn roast! It started to cool off some in time for our meal. With about 75 reservations, it was a grand event with the new District Governor, Evan Gillett, attending. (SEE PICTURE BELOW.) I got the opportunity to talk with the new Governor. I am looking forward to seeing him at our club meeting for an official visit.

The corn was sweet, as well as the desserts. We are fortunate to have Mountain Gate catering our meals including this event.

We could not have had this event without the continued dedication of service from Lion Bobby Rakestraw, Lion Mark Jeffers, and Lion Bob Drury. We also appreciate all the delicious

dishes our Lion members brought as well!



Below is our buffet table filled with goodies.



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#### FSK LIONS SPEAKER: SCHOOL RESOURCE OF-FICER

Submitted by Lion Lynn Stimmel

Officer Robert Quintin (pictured below), assigned to the Outreach Team of the Special Operation Division of the Freder-

ick Police Department, was the speaker for a recent meeting. He is also an Operation Blue Thank You honoree. Operation Blue Thank You is a service project honoring local Frederick police officers. He currently serves as the School Resource Officer for the club's adopted school, North Frederick Elementary School.

Officer Quinn related his policing background, which began with the Baltimore Police Department. He strives to build relationships with the students at NFES, Governor Thomas Johnson Middle School, where



he is the School Resource Officer, and at Governor Thomas Johnson High School, where he is a liaison. The goal is for the students to have good contacts with the police.

## THE GUARDIAN HOSE COMPANY FIREMAN'S PARADE

Submitted by Lion President Joyce Anthony

The Annual Guardian Hose Company's Fireman's Parade was held on July 11th. As usual, the Thurmont Lions Club participated in the parade and distributed candy to the light crowd who lined the parade route.

This year's Lions club float featured a huge birthday cake reflecting the celebration of the Club's 90th anniversary. It was a rainy evening which kept the crowd away. But, there were eight Lion members in attendance, some walking and carrying umbrellas to stay somewhat dry. Even with the small number of Lions participating in the event, we had a good time, although wet, throwing candy to the crowd. We always look forward to doing it again the following year hopefully with cooler, dry weather and more Lions.

The Thurmont Lions float won second place in the parade.

Pictured left to right: Lions Nancy Echard, Allison Hazen, Julie El-Taber, Gayle Di Salvo, Joyce Anthony, Sandie Duley, Don Keeney, On the float is Lion Doug.

#### **HANCOCK LIONESS-LIONS**

The club is selling 20 boxes of Gardner Candy Bars at local businesses in Hancock.

The next spaghetti dinner will take place in Widmeye Park on September 13th,

The Hancock Harvest Festival will be held on September 28th. The Lions will be selling funnel cakes on Main Street. There will be some special toppings for this delicious treat.

We are proud to report that we have purchased a large engraved brick which will be placed in the Patriot's circle surrounding the flag pole at Lions Camp Merrick in Nanjemoy, Md.

The Lions have donated money to the Hancock American Legion to help purchase a sign that will announce community events including ALL our club's happenings.





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#### SOCK HOP—ANOTHER SPECTACULAR EVENING OF FUN FOR THURMONT LIONS

Submitted by Lion President Joyce Anthony

The Thurmont lions club held their second Sock Hop at the Thurmont Senior Center on July 20th from 5:00-8:00pm. A great menu of hot dogs, cracker jacks, drink, and a variety of snacks were served.

Several of the ladies wore their 50,s attire which made the evening feel as though you were back in the good old days (The skirts were so hot that some of the ladies had to part with them.)

The Master DJ, Paul EcKard (Lion Nancy Eckard's husband) had a great selection of music. He honored the guests by taking requests and playing their favorite songs. Several members had a wonderful time dancing.

As a door prize, Paul prepared and donated a set of eight CD's containing all the songs played during the evening. The lucky winner of the great music package was Lion Gayle. He also donated 3 more door prizes to those having the lucky numbers. We had a nice crowd of outside members, in addition to Lion members who tremendously enjoyed the evening.

The profit was\$600 and was donated to the Music in Medicine Foundation to help combat the heroin epidemic in the Thurmont community. Thank you Lion Julie and her committee for organizing this great fundraiser.

Pictured: Left to Right: Lions July El-Taber, Gayle DiSalvo, Danne McLean, Bob Kells, Doug Favorite, Doug Kenney, Bob Johnson, Joyce Anthony, Nancy Echard, Cartha Johnson. Seated: Lion Susan Favorite and Elizabeth Rose Forney.



#### **DIABETES REPORT**

Submitted by Donna S. Jackman, Diabetes Co-Chairman

The Kiss-A-Pig Contest for this Lions Year will be held at the third Cabinet Meeting which is to be held in Region III.

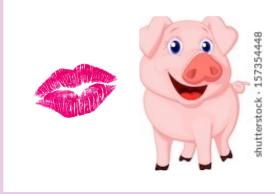
The following officers are automatically candidates according to the office they hold in our District 22W. The District Governor, 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>rd</sup> Vice District Governors, District Secretary and Treasurer, and Region Chairman are automatically candidates. We welcome any other Lions, Lioness or Leos who want to raise money for diabetes and become candidates for this contest.

The candidate that raises the most money gets to kiss the nose of the pig. However, the candidate that raises the least amount of money will have the honor or kissing the other end of the pig. I suggest the candidates start raising money immediately. Lion Tom Harney of the Taylorsville-Winfield Lions Club has been the leading fund raiser for a number of years in this event.

If we have any other candidates who are willing to participate, please let me know so that I can get your name out to all the clubs. Many of the clubs and individual Lions support candidates with donations.

The heartbreaking factor in this disease is that many babies are being born with the disease or developing it at a very young age. It is extremely difficult to see a few month old babies having to be injected with insulin.

If you do not want to be a contestant, please support one of our candidates with a donation in hopes that our efforts will be to find a cure for this ravishing disease in the very near future.



#### DISTRICT NEWS

#### **WHAT A \$100 DONATION TO LCIF PROVIDES**

Submitted by 2VDG Barb Brimigion

Provides immediate relief to four people in the wake of a natural disaster

Provides the measles vaccination to 100 children

Provides diabetes screenings for 18 at-risk individuals

Gives access to clean water for 14 people

Feeds 14 disabled, elderly, or low-income people Funds two cataract surgeries

Since 1968, LCIF has funded service work through personal financial gifts from Lions members and the general public.

One hundred percent of your donation to Lions Clubs International Foundation goes toward one of the following two global funds: Empowering Service Fund, supporting all LCIF causes or the Disaster Relief Fund, reserved for disaster relief



#### YELLOW SPRINGS LIONS HOST SPEAKER

Submitted by Lion Joann Bannon

The Yellow Springs Lions Club hosted Ms. Camille Kline, President of "Karaoke Buddies." Karaoke Buddies is "an all-volunteer service" organization providing individuals with disabilities a safe social setting to gather with their friends. They dine, sing, dance, and are not to be judged by anyone.

The Karaoke Buddies event is held once a month at First Baptist Church, 7040 Bowers Road in Frederick, MD. Everything is free to the participants. This Program is funded entirely through private donations, grants, and fundraising events.

Pictured left to right: Ashley Waldron, granddaughter of Camille, Lion VP Tom O'Toole, Karaoke Buddies President: Camille Kline, and presenting the Club donation Lion President Roger Wastler.

#### FDLC ALERT Plan

Source: Information from Lion Myron Horn



Currently, Lion Myron Horn is the Chairman of the Lions ALERT Committee for both our club and for the district. He should be notified if a request for volunteers be made for a planned drill or following a disaster. He will coordinate with the Carroll County volunteer coordinator to ascertain where and how they want our response. This information will then be passed out using The Freedom District ALERT phonetree (Annex III.) The Club ALERT Chair will also be responsible for placing our local needs on the Lions Web site <a href="https://www.lionsclubs.org">www.lionsclubs.org</a> so that other districts may respond to our needs.

The fact that the club is involved in providing local humanitarian service may be communicated through our media liaison. Further, the club could work under a Lions banner or wear identifying attire to demonstrate to the community the "We Serve" motto.

The Communications Plan for our club's ALERT plan will largely utilize the telephone as the primary source between club members. The internet will be the backup to the telephone and can also be used to pass along large amounts of information and documents.

Lions District Governors in disaster-affected areas can apply for a LCIF Emergency Grant of up to \$10,000 for water, food, clothing, blankets, and medical supplies.



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#### **DISTRICT NEWS**

Dear Lions and Friends,

In a way of introduction, I am Lion Jack Niemec (pronounced, Nee-miss) of the Libertytown Unionville Lions Club. I was selected by Immediate Past District Governor Gerry Beachy to serve as one of three District 22W Trustees for the Lions Vision Research Foundation (LVRF). The other Trustees are PDG Susan Timmons, Administrative Manager of the Foundation, and Lion Paul Leatherman, Treasurer.

I have admired the work LVRF has accomplished since I became a Lion. The mutual beneficial relationship between the Wilmer Eye Institute at Johns Hopkins University and the Lions of Multiple District 22 is a model for success. The professional efforts of a world-renown university and the force of the MD 22 Lions Clubs have helped to mitigate the problems of low vision in an aging population in our communities. Lions, via LVRF, are not only servicing others, but also friends and family who need the low vision services. The institute has 9 clinics in the MD 22 area, serving a projected six thousand low vision patients annually. To serve this patient population Wilmer needs to continually train new doctors (MD's, OD's, and PhD's) in the field of low vision research. The lions help support this need by annually raising funds for a Post-Doctorate Fellowship at the Lions Low Vision Center at Wilmer. The Lions Fellowship Program is like sowing seeds. Over the years these Fellows grow in stature and knowledge and train other professionals in low vision rehabilitation here and throughout the world.

LVRF needs your help to continue this successful program. Donations to LVRF are recognized for individuals and clubs. The "120 Club" Lapel Pin is usually given for a donation of \$120 or more. A Recognition Program Brochure is available from a Trustee. For clubs that hold a Vision Day, a Trustee may present a Lions Vision Day Patch. Vision Day checks should be made payable to LVRF with the memo line reading-Lions Vision Days. A donation of \$1,000 is recognized by the presentation of the "Knights of the Blind Pyramid." The name of the honoree is engraved on the base of the pyramid. This award may be accrued over a five-year period. An Arnall Patz Fellowship will be awarded for a donation of \$2,500. which may also be accrued over 5-years. A LVRF Trustee will present a Fellowship Pin along with a commemorative wall plaque to the designated Fellow. Donations for these awards may also be budgeted by clubs, sent to the LVRF, and the award presented to individual club members in recognition of their service to Lions Vision initiatives.

In addition to Donations by individuals and clubs. LVRF holds, "Aim for Sight" Sporting Clay Shoots. This is a fun way to raise funds. Two Sporting Clay Shoots are being held this fall on Saturday September 28 at Mayberry Road in Westminster, MD, and on October 12th at Schrader's Outdoors in Henderson, MD. Please see Flyers for details elsewhere in this newsletter.

The Low Vision Rehabilitation Network is a spin-off of LVRF and the Wilmer Eye Institute. It offers Lions the opportunity to give their time and talent to directly serve the low vision community of MD 22. LOVRNET will be discussed in a future newsletter article.

For donations, please make checks payable to:

"Lions Vision Research Foundation, Inc."

Mail checks to: MD22 Lions Vision Research Foundation, Inc.

P.O. Box 1714

Baltimore, MD 21203

Individual donations are tax deductible.



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#### **DISTRICT NEWS**

#### **MYERSVILLE LIONS AWARD SCHOLARSHIPS**

Submitted by Lion Judy Zeck

The Myersville Lions Club awarded three scholarships to Middletown High School seniors. The three students were honored at a recent Club meeting. (SEE PICTURE BELOW)

Molly Faron graduated with an outstanding GPA. She was regularly on the Honor Roll and was a member of the National Honor Society. In addition to her academic achievements she was a member of the Key Club and was captain of both the varsity soccer team and the varsity basketball team. She was also a member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes. Molly has also participated in Community events such as Relay for Life, served at the Soup Kitchen and helped with Meals on Wheels. In addition to all this she has worked at Dunkin Donuts and is currently working at South Mountain Creamery.

Bridget O'Toole graduated with an outstanding GPA, earning straight A's through all four years of High School She was a member of the National Honor Society, the Science Honor Society, The Quill and Scroll Honor Society, and the National Spanish Honor Society. She was a member of the Key Club, and was on the Student Government Association, serving as President during her senior year. She has received several awards for journalism, served as a page for the Maryland General Assembly and was an intern on the Kathleen Matthews for Congress campaign. She was also student speaker at graduation exercises.

Lea Jih-Vieira Is a young woman with some amazing accomplishments. She had an outstanding GPA, and had straight A's through all four years of high school. Lea was a member of the National Honor Society, the National Society for High School Scholars, National Art Honors Society, Science National Honor Society and the Math National Honor Society. She participated in sports, namely polo, and volunteered with the Mountain View Polo. She also volunteered for STEM night at Middletown Middle and participated in other volunteer activities through the various Honor Societies. She was awarded the Werner H. Kirsten Internship at the National Cancer institute, Office of Scientific Operations. She



worked there last summer on a paid basis and continued during school the year on an unpaid basis but received credit for her work.

# TANEYTOWN LIONS HEAR DRUG & AICOHOL ABUSE

Submitted by Lion Barbara Heltebridle

Joyce Mahoney, Executive Director of Sober Truth in Taneytown a non-profit organization which treats both drug and alcohol abuse stated that there is a big problem in the Taneytown area.

The organization utilizes an Intensive Outpatient Program, a Standard Patient Program, and a Maintenance Program.

The organization recently started to treat gambling addiction and also devised an anger management program to meet all needs of the community. In 2018 they treated 150 clients. Ms. Mahoney has 3 part-time employees and is looking for volunteers if anyone is interested. The office for Sober Truth is located at Trinity Lutheran Church.



Pictured: Barbara Mahoney & President Charlie Spielman





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#### **DISTRICT NEWS**

#### **LAVALE LIONS CLUB NEWS**

Submitted by PDG Steven Finger

Lion John Warnick presented Lion Scott Yonce, with his official Lion of the Year plague. PDG Steve Finger presented the Gold Cen-

tennial Member Sponsor Pins to Lions Ed Weaver and Charles Croft.

The annual Volunteer Appreciation Picnic was be held at the Lions Pavilion at LaVale District Park on August 20th.

During the month of July, Lions volunteered 60.5 hours assisting 62 residents. For the year 2018-2019 an average of 7 Lions a month volunteered a total of 595 hours assisting 855 area residents with convalescent equipment.

LAVALE TROPS
REMOURAL PIELD



Pictured above are members of

Scout Troop 10 completing a summer park beautification service project at Lions Field. Lion President Ken Ward, Lion Gerry Noel, Lionette Joyce Noel, and assistant scout leaders also assisted with the project.

#### **MIDDLETOWN LIONS AWARD SCHOLARSHIPS**

Submitted by Lion Peg Redmon

Each year the Middletown Lions Club awards three \$2000 scholarships to graduating seniors from Middletown High school. At the June 24th Lions Dinner Meeting, Lion President Nancy Keller-Bonde presented the awards to Kea Jih-Vierira and Allison Walsh. Sergio Diaz was unable to attend the meeting and his father accepted the award for him.

Leah Jih-Vierira was a member of the National Honor Society, and the Math, Art, and Science Societies. She was Captain of the Mountain View Polo Varsity Team, tutored students in math, and ways to improve their ACT scores, and received the Community Service Award for volunteering at least 75 hours or more every year. She was chosen to be a Werner H. Kirsten Intern at the National Cancer Institute her senior year and created a new program to help disadvantaged elementary students enter the annual Science Fair. She will be attending Cornell University and major in Mathematics.

Allison Walsh was a member of the National Art and Science Honor Societies. She was awarded Honorable Mention in the Frederick County Youth Art Month Exhibition. She is a member of the Washington Figure Skating Club and was awarded First Place in the Fairfax Ice Area 2014 ISI figurer skating competition. She is a flute player in the Knights Marching Band. She volunteered, at Bible School, Frederick County Animal Shelter, the Earth Science Space Lab, taught figure skating and will attend Gettysburg College and major in Environmental Science.

Sergio Diaz was a member of the National Honor Society, the Science, Tri-M and Spanish Honor Societies. He was team captain of the Physics Olympics Team and Co-President of the Rocket Competition Team., First trumpet in the Concert/Jazz Ensemble, an All County Band Musician. He volunteered at the Food Bank, Earth Space Science Lab and was a Math and STEM tutor. Sergio was selected as a Meyerhoff Scholar and will attend University of Maryland Baltimore County focusing on students with a desire to pursue a Ph.D. He will major in physics and mechanical engineering with the goal of obtaining a Ph.D. in physics.



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#### **DISTRICT NEWS**

#### **HAGERSTOWN LIONS BOOK DISTRIBUTION**

Submitted by Lion Jack Byers

Books were distributed to children at Pangborn Park on Friday, August 16th. Pangborn Park is one of the stops of the WCPS Big Meal Machine, which we support. It is also a "Y" camp location and we also support the "Y".

According to Special Projects Chair Lion Brooks McBurney, about 50 books were selected by the children. Participating Lions included Lion Jim and Noveda Clem and their grand-daughter Cheyenne, Lions Anthony Holmes, Dave Kaplan, Brooks McBurney, and Tammy Needy.



#### **CHILDREN IN NEED**

Submitted by Lion Jack Byers

On Tuesday, August 13th, Anne Martin (pictured), Executive

Director of Children in Need, spoke to the Hagerstown Lions Club about the nonprofit organization she heads.

Martin is the only paid staff member and oversees one hundred volunteers, including our own Lion Liz Stone, who assist the operation at a facility at 131 W North Avenue.



The organization, founded in 1998, collects and provides school supplies, articles of clothing, shoes and other essential items of assistance for school children who fall within the Federal poverty level in order that they have better opportunity for learning and self-esteem.

The speaker exhibited enthusiasm, commitment, and administrative skills that make the organization successful. Under her direction since 2007, it has grown from 500 to 3,000 clients.

Eligible families can get needed items once a month and if they visit four consecutive months, they are given vouchers to Walmart for 4 trips of \$40 each for qualified items.

Last year, Children in Need gave out \$758,000 worth of needed items, including donated bicycles that are repaired onsite by a volunteer.

Contributions of both goods and money are accepted. Shoes are the most needed item. Donation boxes are being placed at locations in the area. Funds ae needed to purchase more boxes. For more information, go to: http://childreninneedwashco.org/.



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#### **LEO & LION SHOPPING**

Submitted by: Lion Don Champ

On August 22, 2019, 15 Leos from the Century High School and Liberty High School Leo clubs were joined by six Lions from the Freedom District Lions Club at Walmart, Eldersburg to shop for back-to-school supplies for elementary students at Carrolltowne Elementary, Eldersburg Elementary, Piney Ridge Elementary and Linton Springs Elementary schools.

Each year, the schools advise the Chairman of the Youth Outreach Committee of the Freedom District Lions Club how many students at their school will need help in securing their school supplies. The Leos and Lions then purchase the supplies and deliver them to the four elementary schools. School personnel place the supplies in the students' lockers before the first day of school. The three service clubs have been carrying out this "Locker Fairy" program for several years.

Pictured (left to right) Lions Laura Gillen, Tim Chairs, Gordon Huggins Bob Bastress and Leos Julianna Emison, Heidi Wagner and River Myer leave the Eldersburg Walmart with school supplies for elementary school students



#### **RECEIVES AWARD**

Submitted by Lion

DGE Evan Gillette presents the Leo Advisor Award to Lion Mindy Coates, LEO Advisor for the South Carroll High School Leo Club. (SEE RIGHT)

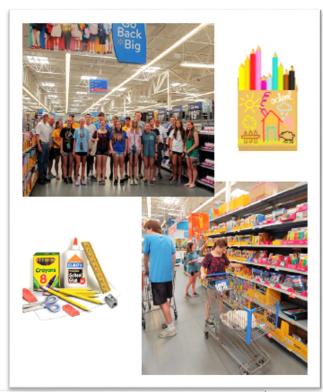
#### LEO NEWS

#### **SCHOOL SHOPPING WITH THE LEOS:**

14 Leos, 7 Lions and one guest met on Thursday, August 22nd at the Eldersburg Walmart to shop for school supplies for all the grades at 4 local elementary schools: Freedom Elementary, Carrolltowne, Linton Springs and Piney Ridge.

Chair Bob Bastress stated that this is a joint Lions-Leos service project which has been an annual event for all 3 clubs for about 6 years with each club contributing to the costs.

The Century Leos organized the list of school supplies, the Liberty Leos will distribute the school supplies to the schools and the Lions helped to shop and to bag the supplies. It only took 1 ½ hours from start to finish. A special thanks to Lions





#### **LEO NEWS**

#### **SOUTH CARROLL HIGH SCHOOL LEO CLUB**

Submitted by Lion Mindy Coates, Lion Advisor

- Nayla was the "Leo of the Month" in April. She helped TWLC with our bingo, the nursing home bingo, and the Easter egg hunt.
- 26 pair of children's socks were decorated with puff paint and delivered to the Carroll County Hospital pediatric unit.
- ♦ A donation of \$50 was made to Leader Dog.
- ♦ 70 friendship bracelets were made. 1st Governorelect Barbara asked for these to go into the letters that each camper will get.
- Officers were elected: Nayla is President, Sierra is Vice President, and Gray is Secretary/Picture Taker/ Historian.
- At Freshman orientation, 8 students signed up to join Leo's....3 are Leo's from Mt. Airy Middle (one is an officer), and 1 sophomore wanted to join.
- The Leo's have been invited to help at the carnival, but it is too early to get commitments. Closer to the date another email will go out for helpers.
- Next year the Leo's are going to focus on environmental issues and causes.
- As a fund raiser, Ms. Johnson is going to check the feasibility of holding a bake sale at each home football game.
- 9 Service projects including helping TWLC, were accomplished by 5 very active and 2 part-time young ladies.

It has been a great honor to be an advisor and Ms. Johnson is a perfect fit for a school advisor.



# CHS LEO Named International LEO of the Year Contributed by Lion Bob Kells

For the second year in a row, a Catoctin High School LEO has been named one of the Lions Club's International LEOs of the year. LEO Owen Bubczyk, was selected to receive this recognition for his outstanding accomplishments while serving as President of the CHS LEO Club for 2018-2019. He will receive his award at a regular meeting of the Thurmont Lions Club this fall (date to be announced).

LEO Owen was recognized for his leadership, both in the club and in the community. He was Junior Class President at CHS for the 2018-2019 school year, and Sophomore Class President in 2017-2018. Owen has run in Cross Country and Track and Field events since 2016. He was a 2018 participant in the Hugh O'Brian

Youth Leadership Program, which helps develop excellence in recognized young leaders in the U.S. and several foreign countries. As President of the CHS LEO Club, Owen readily took the lead in organizing club events, running meetings, and taking part in several community programs such as: Santa's Workshop at CHS, Christmas in Thurmont, Halloween in the Park, and several club ice cream sales. He accomplished all this while taking three AP courses and maintaining a 4.0 GPA.

LEO Owen has consistently demonstrated excellent leadership over his five years as a LEO. He is clearly deserving of this recognition for his accomplishments. Thurmont LEOS and Lions alike can be proud of Owen and the many ways he exemplifies the spirit of Lionism.

This is the second year in a row that a CHS LEO has won recognition as an International LEO of the Year. Last year, former CHS LEO President Avie Hoperaft won the same award, along with about 31 other LEOs worldwide.

(CHS LEO Advisors: Bob Kells, Sarah Kells; Faculty Advisor, Ms. Trish Steele)



International LEO of the Year, Owen Bubczyk

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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, Marvland.

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	\$200	
Silver Sponsor	\$250	
Station Sponsor	\$100	
Program Book Ad:		
Full Page	\$100	
Half Page	\$60	
Quarter Page	\$40	
TOTAL DONATION		

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 M	lessage:			

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

Honorary Donation: S in the name/honor of:

Make checks payable to: "LVRF Aim for Sight"

For Information Contact:

Lion Dal Mann, 410-673-9085 dmanninmd@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 dmanninmd@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 4<u>10-673-90</u>85(h) 4<u>1</u>0-<u>310-66</u>60(m)

#### **COMING EVENTS**



#### MAYBERRY REGISTRATION FORM

Entry Fee: Individual Shooter - \$70 Four Person Team - \$260

	Shooter's Name	Contact Info	Amount
1		Tel. #:	
		E-Mail:	
,	2	Tel. #:	
-		E-Mail:	
,	3	Tel.#:	
3		E-Mail:	
	4	Tel. #:	
4		E-Mail:	
		TOTAL	

#### EVENT INFORMATION:

- There will be 10 Stations and 50 Targets.
- Each shooter will be provided 2 boxes of shells totaling 50 shells.
- Shooters must provide their own Shotgun. Please indicate if you plan to use 20 Gauge Shot Gun.
- All Shooters must wear eye and ear protection (Shooter must provide).
- Registration will open at 9:00 am. The tournament runs from 9:30 am to 1:00 pm
- Lunch will be provided to each registered Shooter.
- Individual and Team prizes will be awarded.
- Lewis Class Scoring will be used which will give every shooter an equal chance to win a prize.
- Make checks payable to: LVRF Aim For Sight
- Please return completed Registration Form and payment to:

RICHARD LIEBNO 115 Rockland Road

Westminister, MD 21158

For additional information, please contact:

PID Richard Liebno 410-848-4929 richard.lion@comcast.net PDG Gary Burdette 301-928-5095 glburd54@comcast.net





## 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

12:00PM

2:20PM

5202 Presidents Court Frederick, MD 21703

Pick up in Frederick

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.

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

> American Music Theater "Joy to the World"

> > (L) 2 hours + 15 min

7:15PM Drop off in Frederick



ALL SALES ARE FINAL

\$140

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

INCLUDED

(V) Lunch

Admission into "Joy to the World"





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#### **COMING EVENTS**

HAMSTEAD LION 68th



LINEBORO MANCHESTER LIONS 75th

# SERVICE WITH 2020 VISION FOR THE FUTURE1

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 PERIOID: 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





HANCOCK LIONESS LIONS CLUB

## Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser

WHEN: FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 13<sup>TH</sup>
WHERE: LIONS PAVILION, WIDMEYER PARK
TIME: 4:00 pm - 6:30 pm (or 'till we run out!)

In the case of severe weather, we would reschedule

Spaghetti with the 'Mrs. Kerns' sauce that you love!

Salad, Garlic Rolls, Dessert and Beverage

**By DONATION** 

### <u>FDLC Diabetes Committee:</u> Submitted by Chair Viki Peltier

Running 4-Kids is a local organization whose mission is to provide charitable contributions to both children and their families who are in need. Although children with serious medical conditions are their primary focus, providing a bright future for all children will always be the ultimate goal.



In the past, the Running-4-Kids organization has asked our Lions club for help with their fundraisers. In June, several of our members helped again to monitor their 5k run/walk in Sykesville to raise money for childhood cancer. Again this year, they are having their restaurant fundraisers during the month of September to benefit the Juvenile Research Foundation. If you dine at Glory Days restaurant (any location of Glory Days in Maryland) from August 29th through September 29th, the restaurant will contribute 10% of the food and beverages purchased to Running-4-Kids for the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation.

Also, on Monday, September 16th (5:00 - 9:00 pm) dine at Buffalo Wild Wings at any of their 14 locations in Maryland and they will support the Running-4-Kids & Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation by donating 10% of all pretaxed food sales (less alcohol).

If you go to either Glory Days or Buffalo Wild Wings restaurants during these designated times, please ask your server for the itemized copy of your guest check and give it to Lion Viki Peltier at any FDLC meetings in September or you can mail the receipt to Lion Viki Peltier.

A single act of caring creates an endless ripple.

#### **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 A versary of the

South Carroll Lion -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

nner Catered by *E.W. Beck's Restaurant* and includes house salad with dressings, rolls, pasta with vodka cream sauce, chicken piccata, because of very with cheese sauce, parslied potatoes, dessert, iced tea and cof

Cart: \$16.00 per person

ervations 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.



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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



MYERSVILLE LIONS COUNTRY BREAKFAST

LOCATION: Myersville Fire Hall

DATE: September 7th

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



#### 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 or call 443-745-1281



Frederick Lions Club will host the

# 21st Annual Charles V. Main Golf Tournament

Monday
September 23, 2019
Maryland National Golf Club
Middletown, Md
11:30 Lunch/12:30 Shotgun start
Sign up to play or sponsor at:
www.planmygolfevent.com/32652-

All proceeds will directly support community vision care assistance For more information, contact Herb Wolf at 301-662-1643 or <a href="https://www.hwolf@cantella.com">hwolf@cantella.com</a>

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#### **COMING EVENTS**

#### TERRA RUBRA GOLF TOURNAMENT

Date Saturday, September 7, 2019

Time 7:30 a.m.: Sign-in, driving range, putting green

8:30 a.m.: Shotgun start

Format Captain's Choice

Price \$80 per person, \$320 per team

Price includes Greens fees, cart, range, coffee & donuts before the round

beverages on the course, dinner, prizes

On the course Beer, soda, water

Dinner menu Fried Chicken Dinner at the Terra Rubra Lions Club

Middleburg Activities Building

Prizes \$5,000 Hole-in-One Super Prize!

Longest drive, straightest drive, closest -to-pin, double-your-

money, putting contest, door prizes, 50/50

Sponsorships We are looking for sponsors. Call Ken @ 443-340-8465

Reservations Call Ken @ 443-340-8465 or

Email golf@TerraRubraLions.org

Due date Reservations and payment due by September 1, 2019

For entry forms and sponsorship forms, visit

www.TerraRubraLions.org/golf

#### 4th ANNUAL ROARING RUN



Date: Saturday September 21, 2019

Rain Date; Sunday September 22, 2019

Place: Roaring Run Lions Club Park, 3233 Old Westminster Pike, Finksburg, Md. Starting Time 9:00am.

Entry Fee: \$40.00 team of two

Cash and other prizes

Separate High Point competition open to all for a fee 50/50, Delicious Food and Drinks for sale. Bring the whole family to ioin the fun.



## BINGO



# Lions Youth Foundation

Thursday September 12, 2019
The Moose Lodge

Snow Hill Road, Salisbury, MD

Doors open 5:00 p.m.—Games begin 6:30 p.m. Ticket Special: \$15-Buy ticket before 7/15/2019

\$20 in advance; \$25 at the door

410-713-4980 or 443-614-1430

Under the Law No One under age16 will be admitted

## Benefiting Area Youth Projects

Refreshments Available Door Prizes

Designer Pocketbooks - Cash & More







#### FINAL JACKPOT SPECIAL GAME - \$500 CASH



#### **NEW WINDSOR LIONS CLUB**

## SPORTSMAN GUN RAFFLE

#### SEPTEMBER 13TH

**LOCATION: WINDSOR STATION, NEW WINDSOR FIRE & HOSE** 

CO., 101 HIGH STREET, NEW WINDSOR, MD

Doors open: 4:30pm Dinner: 6:00pm

**Drawings Start: 7:00pm** 

A guaranteed winner raffle...door prizes...gun

jars...50/50 raffles...pull tabs & more

PRICE: \$30 a ticket—winner must be present

MEAL INCLUDES: Pit Beef, Pit Turkey & sides, beer,

soda, and ware included. NO BYOB

Tickets complements of: BPR Land Surveying, randy

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**INFORMATION CONTACT: Fred Graham 410-635-**

2554 Or fhraham2845@yahoo.com

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#### **COMING EVENTS**

#### **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



# You are Invited

to a FREE Community Showing of



Monday, September 9th, 2019 6:30 to 8:30pm

> North Carroll Branch Library 2255 Hanover Pike, Hampstead, MD

#### **Speakers**

Stephen A. Wantz, Commissioner
Brian L. DeLeonardo, State's Attorney for Carroll County
Beth Schmidt, Maryland Coalition of Families
Heather Asbury, Carroll County Health Department
Q&A Following Film

#### Free Refreshments

Sponsored by the Lineboro-Manchester Lions Club

For more information call Christopher Tomlinson at 443-789-1486



# A Deep Creek Lake Scavenger Hunt September 21, 2019

The trek is on! Join us for the fun, crazy and memorable Mountain Lion Trek. Your team of 4 will travel by car completing various missions at businesses and points of interest between McHenry, MD and Oakland, MD. Your score is tracked in real time with our custom app, so you're competing against the clock and other teams for prizes and bragging rights!

The trek begins with joining the game on our app. To complete a mission, select it from the list and follow the instructions to receive the allotted points. Sometimes you'll be submitting a photo or video, while other times you'll be checking-in at a specific location or solving a puzzle or riddle. Your points will be received right away, but all submissions are subject to review by the organizer. At the end of the trek all teams will meet back at Wisp Resort for an awards party. Relax and enjoy food and entertainment.

The cost is \$100 per car with up to 4 people. Each additional person is \$20 per person. After 9/1/19 the cost is \$125 for 4 people per car. The cost to participate includes a specially designed map printed on a 17 x 17 custom keepsake bandana, admissions, and permission to use the app. All rules of the road must be obeyed.

Event organizers Warriors of Wisp (WOW) Team and Deep Creek Lake Lions Club. All proceeds benefit the Deep Creek Lions Club's Blind Skier Program.

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#### **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 spotsoaring 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 9

(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.)¶





## SOUTH CARROLL LIONESS LIONS CLUB

## Boscov'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 Boscov'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 7<sup>th</sup> Cabinet

meeting in LaVale!

## MIDDLETOWN LIONS CLUB



Boscov'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 <u>and</u> it benefits everyone who purchases a \$5 Pass.
Almost everything in Boscov'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



## Sharpsburg Lions Club Bi-monthly Dinner Programs

The Sharpsburg Lions Club is hosting bi-monthly dinner programs for only \$5.00.

## September 12

Local historian and President of the Friends of Tolson's Chapel,

# Sharpsburg Storetronts:

The Legacy of a Rural Market Town

After being establish in 1763, Sharpsburg quickly became the market town for farmers in the area. From David Miller's 1770s shop of sundries and hardware through Kretzer's Market and Nutter's Ice Cream, the numerous Sharpsburg storefronts teemed with commercial activity. This presentation will visit the history of some of those storefronts and provide a picture of the busy commercial legacy of this rural market town.

The dinner programs will start at 7:00pm and be held at St Paul's Episcopal Church, 209 W. Main Street

Please **RSVP** by Sept. 7<sup>th</sup> to sharpsburglions@gmail.com

#### **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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