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# THE LIONS ROAR



## DISTRICT 22W NEWSLETTER

Christy A. Pope - Newsletter Editor



### 2023-2024

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Zone 3 - Jim McNeill

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Zone 1 - William Holl

Zone 2 - Ryan Staley

Zone 3 - John Arber

### Newsletter Deadline

Please have all newsletter submissions to Christy Pope @ christypope22wayahoo.com, no later than one week before the end of the previous month.



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FROM THE DESK OF:

DISTRICT GOVERNOR JEREMY BAIR

District 22W Lions,

The District Governor Official Visits were completed as of October 25th. With that personal Lion goal completed in the first third of the year, the remainder of the year will be promoting membership and service projects.

I'd like to thank all the Lions who attended to 22W Social on October 6th. Our guest speaker was impressed with the medley of club visits he was able to do ahead of the night. The event raised close to \$2,000 for LVRFF.

I hope you are able to join us for the second Cabinet Meeting in Hagerstown on November 11th. I encourage all clubs to share with their members the following video of Lions with military service. It will be part of the program at the second Cabinet Meeting. You can find the video at the following link:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YjAC7CK7RTA>



22W Lions



Honor the Military Service  
of Lions Club Members

In Observance of Veterans Day



Give thanks! As we enter the holiday season, let us be reminded of our ability to make a positive impact in so many lives in our community as we enjoy the camaraderie of our fellow lions. Please take a look at upcoming events for ways to get involved. In particular on November 18th, the LVRF Rally at Wilmer and the LYF Fundraiser at the Terra Rubra facility are great ways to support Lion efforts at the multiple district level. The Rally information can be found in the newsletter and you can contact PCC Brian Cox for tickets for the LYF event.

We continue through the holiday season to challenge all 53 clubs this fall to make a minimum \$50 donation, information on page 88 of the roster book, to the three foundations that we support:

- 1) Lions Club International Foundation
- 2) Lions Low Vision Research Foundation
- 3) Lions Youth Foundation

God Bless America!



In Lionism,

*Lion Jeremy Bair*

District Governor

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199 Warfieldsburg Road, Westminster, MD 21157





Susan Cox  
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Home Club - Terra Rubra  
Telephone: 240-674-3481

**FROM THE DESK OF: 1ST VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR SUSAN COX**

Dear Lions and Leos,

Our current membership balance is 1,629 Lions, and we are -1 members.

**District Governor Jeremy's Membership Goal:** By the end of the 2023-2024

Lion year, our district will have a net gain of 10 members. This will be achieved using the following strategies: Outreach tents, Motivation to Grow, Each one, bring one

In support of Mission 1.5 our district is committed to achieving these goals. Lions International has created The Global Membership Approach as a four-step process that has been proven to increase both member satisfaction and new member recruitment, as well as new club chartering. The four steps are build a team, build a vision, build a plan and build success.

**Build A Team: Build a team of club officers to help support the Global Membership Approach.**

**Build A Vision: Build a vision, assess needs and set goals.**

**Build A Plan: Build a plan to achieve our goals.**

**Build Success: Execute your plan, maintain accountability and adjust as needed.**

***This month let's consider executing your club's plan for membership growth, maintaining accountability, and adjusting the plan as needed.***

All clubs should have developed a membership plan that includes a membership growth and retention goal, a timeline to achieve these goals, specific strategies to achieve these goals, and scheduled checkpoints. The plan should also include a monthly evaluation of the goal to determine progress and a plan for revision if necessary.

The following are public relation resources Lions can use to promote the club and recruit members.

**Lions Clubs International**

- Our Service Flyer: Flyer providing an overview of Lions International and our impact.
- Our Story Flyer: Flyer highlighting the history of Lions International.
- Logos and Emblems Webpage: Provides access to approved brand resources.

**Public Relations and Social Media**

- Lions Press Center Webpage: Provides access to a variety of resources, including media kits, logos, photos, templates and FAQs.
- Public Relations Guide Webpage: Information about public relations, which includes all forms of written, verbal and nonverbal communications used to share information with the public.
- SMiLE (Social Media including Lions Everywhere): Information about this international community of Lions focused on helping Lions, clubs, districts and multiple districts with social media.
- Photo/Video Release: Form that can be used to authorize use of photographs and video by Lions International.

**Marketing Documents**

- Brand & Marketing Toolkit Webpage: Provides access to branded tools clubs can use to promote themselves and their service.

GMT Coordinator Lee Miller and our membership team are prepared to assist you with any membership related issue.

With sincere thanks,  
Lion Susan Cox  
First District Governor



Martin Bonura  
email: lionsbonura@gmail.com

Home Club: South Carroll Lioness Lions  
Telephone: 443-472-5456

FROM THE DESK OF:

2ND VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR MARTIN BONURA

## **CADILLAC TIME – DEVELOPING A LEADERSHIP STYLE NOVEMBER 2023**

As a Lion you currently have and will continue to have leadership opportunities. Determining your leadership style is important, but the style you choose is not final. As we experience life as humans and as Lions we observe those who are our leaders or those we would want to lead us. From them we learn different styles of leadership.

Our first leaders are our parents, our relatives, our neighbors, our teachers. Later we learn different styles of leadership from employers, friends, elected officials, community organizers and other mentors. We learn what we like of their style and are willing to incorporate it into our own style. We learn what we do not like and are not willing to emulate.

In her novel *Breathless*, Amy McCulloch has a character say, "If I am not learning. I am not improving. And if I am not getting better then what is the point." As we progress in our leadership journey we are always learning, developing, evaluating, and adjusting.

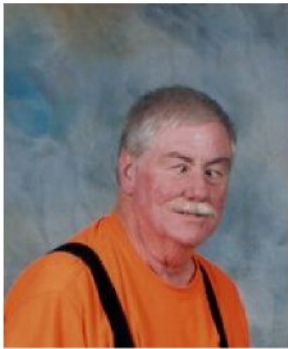
One leader I learned from was the owner of a growing company who realized that mentoring future leaders was the best way to build a team. Having flown around the world many times, he no longer liked to fly. He drove to the various site locations to meet with customers, check on projects, and to stay informed about his business. First he favored a Buick for these drives, later a Cadillac, and finally a Mercedes. Because he drove he would bring other managers along. No matter the car, we called it "Cadillac time." During the hours or even days on the road he would ask questions and provide his 'isms," his ideas, as a mentor. He would talk about how he handled issues, managed people, and made decisions.

Cadillac time was a period for teaching and learning. Sometimes it was spent with introspection and constructive review of how our actions or inactions affected what we did. It was not always pleasant, but it was informative. He was the mentor and expected his managers to listen to what he had to say; but he expected them to think for themselves, be able to make decisions, and to explain the reason for those decisions. Sometimes he even spoke about his decisions that did not work as planned.

Choose your own mentors. Continue learning and improving. Figure out your own version of Cadillac time with your own mentors. Continue getting better as a leader. We all attain leadership styles from others. Choose wisely, learn from the missteps. Listen to your mentors, watch and learn, but always make up your own mind.



# In Memory of...



**WILLIAM FREDERICK MUNCK**

**OCTOBER 23, 1949-SEPTEMBER 27, 2023**

William (Bill) Frederick Munck, 73, of Frostburg, Maryland passed away on September 27, 2023, at the UPMC Western Maryland Hospital Center in Cumberland, Maryland. He was the son of the late Gertrude and Carlton Munck. In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by a sister, Patricia McCumber, and a brother, Carlton Munck.

Bill worked as a Rehabilitation Services Food Supervisor in both West Virginia and Kansas. He retired from the position in Kansas and moved to Frostburg with his wife Susan.

Bill was a former town councilman and mayor of the town of Valley Falls, Kansas. Upon his return to Frostburg, he became very active in the Frostburg Lions Club serving as president for many years. He was the winner of several Lions Club awards, the most notable being the Melvin Jones Award, the organization's highest honor named for the founder of Lions International. He and his wife, Susan, also a Lion member, co-founded the Summer Lunch Box Program which fed meals to children in the Frostburg area during summer time. This Lions Club program was recognized and publicized by Lions Club International for its outstanding service to the community.

Bill was an active member of the First Presbyterian Church of Frostburg. He participated in many activities of the Church including several mission trips to a South Dakota Indian reservation.

Bill received great enjoyment in helping people whether through Lions Club projects or those of the Church. He was totally dedicated to serving others, a testament to the Lions Club motto, "We Serve."

He is survived by his loving wife of 39 years, Susan Taylor Baker Munck. He is also survived by a nephew, Jason McCumber (Jana), nieces Kara Enos (Randy), Kelli Smith, and Jamie Holbert (Jason). Also surviving are three children from a previous marriage, Katrina Munck, Jeffrey Munck, and William Munck Maguire.

A memorial service will be held at the First Presbyterian Church in Frostburg at 1:00 p.m. on October 14, 2023 with the Rev. Stan Howes officiating. Because Bill donated his body to science, there will be no visitation. Memorial donations may be made to either the Frostburg Lions Club, 160 E. Main St., Frostburg, MD 21532 or the First Presbyterian Church, 33 Broadway, Frostburg, MD 21532.



THOMAS BROOKS MCBURNEY  
JULY 6, 1947 - SEPTEMBER 29, 2023

Thomas Brooks McBurney, age 76, of Hagerstown peacefully passed away on Friday, September 29, 2023, at home after a two year courageous battle with Pancreatic Cancer.

He was born in Oakland, California on July 6, 1947, the son of the late John and Patricia McBurney. He was the loving husband of Margaret Blick McBurney, his wife of 52 years.

He is survived by his children, Doug (Lindsay) McBurney and Megan (Jared) Roberts, his brother, Michael (Marsha) McBurney, sister-in-law Robyn McBurney and four beautiful grandchildren - Harrison, Audrey, Ella, and Blake. He is preceded in death by his brother, Kevin McBurney.

Growing up his father was an aircraft tool design engineer for the U.S. Navy, which explained Brooks' lifelong love of aircrafts. He attended Catholic School (taught by strict nuns) and in his free time, he earned his Eagle Badge and was a paper boy for the Oakland Tribune. He attended California State College earning a Bachelor's Degree in Economics and later completed his Master's Degree at the University of Wisconsin.

Brooks' professional career involved personnel work in a variety of industries including printing, publishing, light manufacturing and insurance. In 1983, he joined Mt. Sinai Hospital, working in their HR department. After 19 Wisconsin winters, an exciting new opportunity presented itself in Hagerstown, Maryland. In 1988, he joined Washington County Hospital as the Vice President of Human Resources where he worked for the next 20 years.

Retirement allowed Brooks the opportunity to become further involved in numerous organizations in his community. He served as the President of The Maryland Healthcare and Human Resources Association. Brooks volunteered on numerous boards including CASA, YMCA, St. Ann's Pastoral Counsel, The Gaming Commission, and Goretti Catholic High School. One of his proudest achievements was starting a book recycling program through the Hagerstown Lions Club. He also spent time volunteering at Paramount Elementary School as a reading tutor in second grade.

He had a passion for traveling with friends, photography, reading history books, biking, swimming, and spending time at his beloved Yosemite National Park. Brooks shared a love for Raider's Football with his son and enjoyed cheering for University of Wisconsin with his wife. His children and grandchildren brought him immense pride and were his greatest blessings in life.

A visitation for family and friends will be held at Douglas A. Fiery Funeral Home 1331 Eastern Blvd. North, Hagerstown, MD on Wednesday, October 4th from 5-8pm. The funeral service will be at St. Ann's Catholic Church on Thursday, October 5th at 10am.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be offered, in Brooks' name, to The Lions Club Scholarship Fund or the Pancreatic Cancer Action Network.

Massy H. Roe Scholarship Fund P.O Box 167 Hagerstown MD. 21740



# From the desk of...

## **DISTRICT GOVERNOR JEREMY BAIR**

### **Lion Governor Bair addresses District at Banquet**

At the District 22W Social at the Frederick Clarion Inn on October 7th, Lion District Governor Jeremy Bair of Westminster's Greater Carroll Lions Club congratulated almost 200 Lions Club members on their commitment to community service. Among friends, family and Lions, the District Governor welcomed Keynote Speaker International Director Anthony Paradiso of Long Island, New York for the evening's message of service.



Among the over 40 Multiple District guests were 22A District Gov. John Mosier, 22B District Gov. Kathy Crockett, 22C District Gov. Chris Wooters, 22D District Gov. Hseuh-Ming Tommy Lu, Past International President Clem Kusiak, Past International Director Ted Reiver, Past International Director Richard Liebno and International Director John Lawrence, in addition to a dozen guests from Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Tennessee, Ohio, and New York's International Director Anthony Paradiso. All other guests were from the 53 Lions Clubs in the 5-county area of Western Maryland.



**(Left: Opening Ceremonies, Right: The MD22 Council of Governors, 22W District Gov. Jeremy Bair, 22D District Gov. Hseuh-Ming Tommy Lu, 22C District Gov. Chris Wooters, MD22 Council Chair Gary Burdette, 22B District Gov. Kathy Crockett, 22A District Gov. John Mosier)**

The night kicked off with a Social Hour hosted by Lions Kenny Keefer, Dave Keefer and their uncle Bob Keefer. The Social Committee, led by Past District Governor Andy DeMario Sr., showed video highlights throughout the night including Celebrity Shout Outs, Club Fundraising Projects, Generational Lions and Leo Program. A special attraction was the Kitzmiller Lions Club Orchestra performance.

The Keynote speaker, International Director Anthony Paradiso, recounted his 2-day tour in the district to ten locations where signature projects and community service efforts were taking place. He highlighted local clubs' dedication to their community, firm membership efforts and goals of the International President.

District Governor Jeremy Bair's remarks included his theme, "The Promise of Tomorrow," the accomplishment of 45 Lions Clubs receiving their Official Visit since July 1st and that Global Membership Team Lead Lee Miller reported a net +18 in district membership. He recognized years of Lionism in the room and everyone's personal message of service that can bring in the next Lions Club member to help serve the community. The International President's Certificate of Appreciation was awarded to Region Chair Guy Garey of the Lineboro Manchester Lions Club and Cabinet Secretary Sena Roop of the New Windsor Lions Club. Both recipients have demonstrated strong recruitment efforts and leadership so far this Lion year.





**(Left: Past International President Clement F. Kusiak, International Director Anthony Paradiso, Region Chair Guy Garey, District Gov. Jeremy Bair. Right: Left: Past International President Clem Kusiak, International Director Anthony Paradiso, Cabinet Secretary Sena Roop, District Gov. Jeremy Bair)**

During the evening, almost \$2,000 was raised for Lions Low Vision Research Foundation, the Lion partnership with Wilmer Eye Clinic at Johns Hopkins. Fundraising included a silent auction with gifts overseen by the Hancock Lioness Lions, a Money Dance, Mrs. Bullock's Blueberry Pie by-the-slice donation and two cake auctions where Lion Mike Mykulyn won a cake for \$120 and the Greater Carroll Lions Club donated \$1,000 for a cake in honor of Lion Emerson Bair, the father of the District Governor.



**(Left: Lions Emerson Bair, Bonnie Gillett and Bob Bullock. Right: Lions Patricia Edwards, Bob Bullock, Michelle Miller, PDG Dave Brauning, Bonnie Gillett, PDG Evan Gillett. Below: Lion Dave Keefer, District Gov. Jeremy Bair, Global Membership Lead Lee Miller, Lion Bob Keefer, Lion Ken Keefer, Lion Emerson Bair)**

## **PDG SUSAN BONURA**

### **MULTIPLE DISTRICT 22 CONVENTION NEWS**

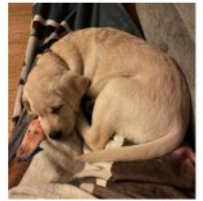
**THE CONVENTION WAS ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED FOR MAY 2-5 AT THE DELTA HOTEL IN HUNT VALLEY, MD. HOWEVER, ON SEPTEMBER 6, THE CONVENTION COMMITTEE WAS INFORMED THAT THE HOTEL WAS CLOSING. THE CONVENTION COMMITTEE SPENT THE NEXT MONTH FINDING ANOTHER LOCATION. WE ARE PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE THAT A CONTRACT HAS BEEN SIGNED. THE CONVENTION WILL NOW BE AT THE ASHORE RESORT AND BEACH CLUB IN OCEAN CITY, MD FROM APRIL 19-21. THE CONVENTION HAS BEEN SHORTENED TO TWO AND A HALF DAYS. REGISTRATION WILL BEGIN FRIDAY MORNING WITH THE FIRST BUSINESS SESSION AT 1 PM. WE ARE EXCITED ABOUT THIS NEW LOCATION AND ALL OF THE CHANGES. STAY TUNED FOR MORE INFORMATION.**



## PHOENIX - LEADER DOG IN TRAINING & CABINET SECRETARY SENA ROOP



We had a great time at the District Social on Saturday evening. Thankfully, the rain did stop. Phoenix got to meet Fancy, who is another Leader Dog in our multiple Districts. She is a 9-month-old Golden Retriever and her foster, Lois, is one of the reasons I wanted to foster a Leader Dog puppy. Both dogs enjoyed each other's company.

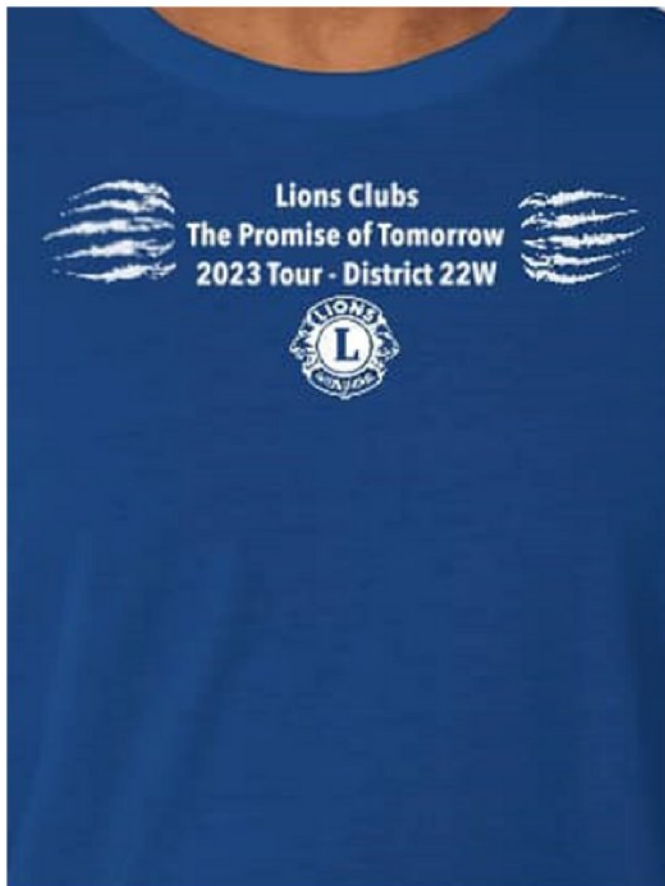


\*\*\*\*\* PLEASE REMEMBER \*\*\*\*\*

\*\*\*\*\* PHOENIX CAN ONLY BE PETTED WHEN THE BANDANA IS OFF \*\*\*\*\*

### DISTRICT GOVERNOR JEREMY BAIR

District Governor's Tour Dates for Official Visits - District 22W Lions T-shirt  
Could you use an extra Lions t-shirt in your wardrobe? Does your club not have its own t-shirt? Limited quantities from Small to 4XL are available for \$15 marking the visitations of the District Governor from July 1 to December 31 of 2023. Contact District Governor Jeremy Bair for a t-shirt. All Clubs are listed!! All profit goes to LVRF. Available now or at the Cabinet Meeting.



District Governor's Official Visit Tour	
The Promise of Tomorrow	
2023	
July 5 International Convention	September 6 Roaring Run Lions Club
July 12 Thurmont Lions Club	September 7 Flintstone Lions Club
July 13 Myersville Lions Club	September 9 LaVale BBQ & Boonsboro Day
July 15 Change of Banner	September 10 Kitzmiller Lions Club 75th Charter
July 18 LaVale Lions Club	September 11 Taylorsville Winfield Lions Club
July 19 Reese Carnival	September 12 Taneytown Lions Club Charter
July 20 Grantsville Lions Club	September 13 Freedom District Lions Club
July 24 Hancock Lioness Lions Club	September 14 Deer Park Lions Club
July 25 Hampstead Lions Club	September 15 The Greater Frederick Fair
July 26 Middletown Lions Club	September 16 Emmitsburg Chicken BBQ & LVRF
July 27 Westminster Lions Club	September 18 Terra Rubra Lions Club
July 29 Lions Youth Foundation	September 19 Mount Airy Lions Club
August 1 Monocacy Community Lions Club	September 20 USA Canada Forum - Reno
August 2 Cumberland Lions Club	September 25 New Market District Lions Club
August 3 South Carroll Lioness Club	September 26 Valley Lions Club
August 4 Garrett County Fair	September 27 New Windsor Lions Club
August 5 Union Mills Corn Roast	September 28 Silver Run Union Mills Lions Club
August 7 Hancock Lions Club	September 30 LVRF 2023 Clay Shoot
August 8 Taneytown Lions Club	October 2 Potosi Lions Club
August 9 Smithsburg Lions Club	October 2 Kitzmiller Lions Club
August 10 Sharpsburg Lions Club	October 3 Hagerstown Lions Club
August 11 Union Bridge Lions Club Picnic	October 3 Chewsville Lions Club
August 14 Harney Lions Club	October 7 District 22W Social
August 15 Brunswick Lions Club	October 8 Council of Governors
August 16 Lineboro Manchester Lions Club	October 9 Fusion Lions Club
August 17 Lions Club of Frederick	October 10 Frederick Scott Key Lions Club
August 17 Glade Valley Lions Club	October 11 Frostburg Lions Club
August 19 Cabinet Meeting #1 at LaVale	October 12 Willard Lions Club 75th Charter
August 20 North Branch Lions Club	October 16 Mason Dixon Lions Club
August 21 Clear Spring Lions Club	October 16 Lomax Lions Club
August 22 Deep Creek Lake Lions Club	October 17 FSU Campus Lions Club
August 24 Greater Carroll Lions Club	October 18 Multiple District 35 Visit - Florida
August 25 Social Committee Breakfast	October 24 Williamsport Lions Club
August 26 Greater Carroll Lions Crab Feed	October 25 Boonsboro Lions Club
August 26 Emmitsburg Lions Club	October 26 Gift of Giving Night
August 28 Deer Park Swanton Lions Club	October 28 FSK Canines in the Creek
August 28 Oakland Mt Lake Park Lions Club	October 29 2027 Host Committee
August 29 4 County Lions Club Picnic	October 31 Flintstone Lions Trunk or Treat
August 30 2027 Host Committee Exec Meet	November 11 Cabinet Meeting #2 at Hagerstown
September 5 Libertytown Unionville Lions Club	November 17 Bair's LVRF Thanksgiving Dinner
	December 15 Bair's LVRF Christmas Dinner
	December 16 Wreaths Across America



## **2ND VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR MARTIN BONURA**

### **The Vice District Governor Challenge Between the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Cabinet Meeting**

The Vice District Governor's challenge will begin on November 12, 2023, for completion by January 13, 2024. We are hosting a food drive for the five food pantries serving Carroll Community College, Frederick Community College, Hagerstown Community College, Allegany College of Maryland, and Garrett College.



For fiscal year 2024 the Maryland Food Bank began charging colleges 50% of the cost for all food ordered and the food pantry has not been funded by the various colleges. All of the food pantries have been struggling to find grants and other sources to keep their pantries stocked with current food items. The challenge is for our Lions to provide non-perishable food items such as canned goods, boxed goods, breakfast items, grab and go meals, snacks and drinks, etc., hygiene products like feminine products, deodorants, body wash, toothpastes and toothbrushes, cleaning supplies, baby supplies, diapers, and paper products (toilet paper, paper towels, etc.). Some clubs may wish to make monetary donations to their food pantry.

Below is contact information for each college food pantry or food locker. Each club should report the estimated donation in pounds and monetary donations in US dollars.

**Carroll Community College** – 1601 Washington Road, Westminster, MD 21157. Call the Food Locker coordinator, Diane DeAtley at [ddeatley@carrollcc.edu](mailto:ddeatley@carrollcc.edu) or the Student Engagement Office at [studentengagement@carrollcc.edu](mailto:studentengagement@carrollcc.edu) or 410-386-8500.

**Frederick County Community College** – The contact person is Shelby Carmon and the delivery location will be in the Student Center Room H101. Shelby Carmon 301.624.2793 [scarmon@frederick.edu](mailto:scarmon@frederick.edu). If making a monetary donation, please use the following link: <https://www.frederick.edu/foundation/onlinegiving.aspx> scroll down to designation and use the drop down arrow to Student Hunger at FCC Fund.

**Hagerstown Community College** – Contact Jennifer Hockenberry 240-500-2602 or Heather Barnhart 240-500-2225 or Student Activities [studentactivities@hagerstowncc.edu](mailto:studentactivities@hagerstowncc.edu). 11400 Robinwood Drive, Hagerstown, MD 21742, 240-500-2000. For delivery: they have a delivery dock that is between the Student Center and Learning Resource Center convenient to where their pantry and storeroom are located. If you enter campus off Robinwood Drive, take the second left and drive straight back into the loading dock area.

**Allegany College of Maryland** – Contact Heather Greise ([hgreise@allegany.edu](mailto:hgreise@allegany.edu), 301-784-5459) or Dione Clark-Trub ([dclark-trub@allegany.edu](mailto:dclark-trub@allegany.edu), 301-784-5268) or Pantry Representative [thepantry@allegany.edu](mailto:thepantry@allegany.edu) 301-784-5314. Their delivery location is on the bottom floor of the College Center building, Room 54. Turn left off Willowbrook Road then a quick right, and the entrance will be on your right).

**Garrett College** – The Students In Need Group (SING) maintains the food pantry. Contact JR Kerns, Dean of Student Affairs at [robert.kerns@garrettcollege.edu](mailto:robert.kerns@garrettcollege.edu). The Food Pantry is located at 687 Mosser Road, and their pantry is located in building 600, room 640.





## GAT AREAS 1F & 1G

### *New Member Orientation*



- JOIN US FOR OUR -

# NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION



THURSDAY  
*November 14*

*8:00p - 9:00p*  
*EST (New York)*

Dear First Vice District Governor Susan,

One of the initiatives for this year Global Action Team (GAT) Area was to provide a area-wide **New Member Orientation**. We are happy to announce our first New Member Orientation on **November 14th, 2023 at 8:00pm (EST - New York Time)**.

In order to make this orientation successful, we need all **Districts leadership and Club Presidents** to forward this invitation to new members and/or **invite all the New Members** to attend this 1-hour orientation. Please see information below:

- Date: **Tuesday November 14th, 2023**
- Time: **8:00pm EDT (New York Time)**
- Location: **Zoom**
- Meeting ID: **998 3030 3284**
- Dial-in number: **1 309 205 3325**
- Registration Link:  
<https://lp.constantcontactpages.com/ev/reg/m5gks52>

This orientation is open to ALL LIONS, from all the United States (CA1). Please **register** and register your new lions at the link below.

If you have any question, please feel free to contact us at [gat@lionwinster.org](mailto:gat@lionwinster.org).

Thanks,

Lion Winsten Ceballos  
GAT Area Leader

**JOIN US - RSVP HERE**

GAT Areas 1F & 1G  
[gat@lionwinster.org](mailto:gat@lionwinster.org)





The **2027 Host Committee** will be doing  
Lion sponsorships three ways. The Lions Club  
International Convention in MD22 in Washington DC  
can be sponsored by **Club Sponsorships, Individual  
Lion Sponsorships & Business Sponsors**

### Lions Club Sponsor Banner Patch:

#### PLATINUM LEVEL

\$75 donation per member

#### GOLD LEVEL

\$40 donation per member

#### SILVER LEVEL

\$30 donation per member

#### BRONZE LEVEL

\$20 donation per member

The \_\_\_\_\_ Lions Club of District \_\_\_\_\_  
would like to be a \_\_\_\_\_ Level Sponsor.

**We will:** (Check one)

- ☐ Pay in full one time – Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Pay in two increments: Check years: ☐ 2023 ☐ 2024 ☐ 2025 ☐ 2026
- ☐ Pay in three increments: Check years: ☐ 2023 ☐ 2024 ☐ 2025 ☐ 2026

Every participating Lions Club will receive a banner patch with Level recognition, written acknowledgement from the Host Committee Secretary followed by presentations during each District Convention within Multiple District 22 Conventions.

**Individual Lion Sponsor Host Committee Pin:** This \$100 donation to the 2027 Host Committee will receive a *limited-edition Lion Pin* with written recognition by the Host Committee Secretary and recognition during Multiple District 22 and District Convention(s).

**Check one:** ☐ In Memory of ☐ In Honor of \_\_\_\_\_

**Business Level 2027 Host Committee Sponsors:** Businesses, both local to the Washington DC area and local to any world-wide Lions club, are encouraged to support the activities of the 2027 Host Committee by making a donation, either monetary or in-kind. A letter acknowledging and thanking the business will be sent by the Secretary of the Host Committee. All Lions are encouraged to solicit corporate donations.

**Contact Person** (Please print clearly)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Represented Lions Club \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_

Checks payable to: MD 22 Lions 2027 Convention Foundation, Inc.

Checks submitted to: Lion Larry Shelton, 13842 Outlet Drive Ste A 132, Silver Spring, MD 20904

EIN for Tax Purposes: 87-1862529



# MULTIPLE DISTRICT 22 HOSTING Lions International Convention Washington DC



As the 2027 Host Committee for the Lions International Convention encourages business, member and club participation throughout the entire Multiple District 22 in our sponsorship program, we would like to thank the following sponsors for their support:

## **Business Sponsor**

Win Transport Inc. & IPCC Wayne Cole

## **Lions Clubs Banner Patch Sponsors**

### **Bronze Level**

Greater Carroll Lions Club

### **Gold Level**

Federalsburg Lions Club  
South Carroll Lioness Lions Club  
South Gate Clinton Lions Club

### **Silver Level**

Silver Hill Lions Club

### **Platinum Level**

Takoma Park Lions Club

## **Individual Pin Sponsors**

### **In honor of:**

Lion John Arber	Lion Bonnie Gillett	Lion Jim McNeill
Lion Emerson Bair	PDG Evan Gillett	Lion Sherman "Lee" Miller
DG Jeremy Bair	Lion Jessica Graham	IPDG Nadja Muchow
Lion Nelson Baker	Lion Rachel Graham	PDG Rob Murry
Lion Wendy Beares	Lion Maria Galan	PDG Ruth Moses
PID Bruce & Lion Erin Beck	Lion Guy Garey	DG John & Eileen Mosier
Lion Ronnie Bray	Lion Ian Grosskurth	Lion Don Pollock
Lion Barry Cain	PDG Sandi Halterman	Lion Robbie Reckart
PDG Wendy Cain	FVDG Rodrick Harris	PID Ted & Lion Ann Reiver
Lion Gene Carlisle	Jeff Hawkins - Leader Dog	CT Neal Roop
DG Kathy Crockett	Lion William Holl	CS Sena Roop
PCC Brian Cox	IPDG Maxine Hooker	Lions Greg & Laura Salers
FVDG Susan Cox	Lion Kirt Krebs	PDG Stephen Finger
Lion Wendy Drum	PIP Clement Kusiak	CS Donna Shelton
IPDG Daniel Elkins	Lion Toby McCarty	IPDG Carol Schoonover
PDG Kent Eitemiller	FVDG Denise Laudenbach	Lion Charlie Spadone
Lion John Fetchero	Joe Laudenbach	Lion Ryan Staley
Lion Mark Flynn	PCC John Lawrence	PCC David Studley
Lion Henry "Tim" Foltz III	Lion Liz Long	Lion Clarence Thompson Jr.
PID Joseph Gaffigan	DG Tommy Lu	Lion Rodney Timmons
Lion Tim Ganske	PDG Bijoy Mahanti	Lion Melissa Turski

### **In memory of:**

1st U.S. Life Member Scott S. Bair Sr.  
PDG Dalton Mann

Lion Marion Bankard



# LVRF 22W Holiday Dinners



Experience a low-vision dinner with multiple vision simulators throughout a holiday dinner at the District Governor's House. Dinner guests will learn facts about low vision and the LVRF program during the experience while **profit** of donations go directly to the **LVRF credit of their home club**. Several challenges will be played throughout the evening.

When: November 17 - Thanksgiving Dinner (Eve of LVRF Rally)  
December 15 - Christmas Dinner

At what time: Social begins at 6:00pm  
Meal begins at 6:30pm

Where: 199 Warfieldsburg Road, Westminster, MD 21157

Price: \$25 per guest      RSVP: 410-596-2917  
(Checks made to Jeremy Bair at above address)

- \*50/50 Raffle and Silent Auction
- \*All profit goes to LVRF
- \*Bring your \$1 bills





# **ARIC** GENERATION 2

## **STUDY DURATION**

Participation in the research study will be for two weeks with additional follow-up. The two weeks includes the initial visit to the Field Center, wearing the devices, and then mailing the devices back after the two-week monitoring period is over. Participants will also be followed over time with semi-annual phone calls and hospital chart review.

## **STUDY SITE INFORMATION**

Johns Hopkins University

Phone: [301]-791-1847

George W Comstock center for  
Public Health Research and  
Prevention

1100 Dual Highway,  
Hagerstown, MD, 21740

Study Site Principal Investigator:  
Dr. Josef Coresh



**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:  
DO YOU HAVE TYPE 2 DIABETES?**

# **ARIC** GENERATION 2

Study number: IRB00311999  
Phone: [410]-955-0495  
Dr. Josef Coresh, Principal Investigator





## WHAT IS ARIC GEN2?

The purpose of the ARIC Gen2 research study is to evaluate the link between glucose and heart problems in adults with type 2 diabetes. Heart problems can be common in people with type 2 diabetes. We are interested in measuring your blood sugar (glucose) using a continuous glucose monitor and monitoring your heart rhythm at the same time.

## IS ARIC GEN2 FOR YOU?

Participants will be adults aged 50 to 80 years of age with a diagnosis of type 2 diabetes. If you have type 2 diabetes, you are potentially eligible to participate in our study.

## WHAT WILL HAPPEN?

Participants will be asked to come to the ARIC Field Center to collect some information and we will also study your glucose and heart rhythm for 2 weeks following the clinic visit.

Your glucose and heart rhythm will be monitored using two separate devices that are very small and placed on the skin. The glucose monitor is placed on the arm. The heart rhythm monitor is a sticker that is placed on your chest. Both devices are regularly used by medical doctors. They are worn for two weeks.

During the initial clinic visit, participants will be asked some questions to collect basic information and will be asked to complete some memory tests.



The heart rhythm monitor is a sticker that is placed on your chest.



The continuous glucose monitor (CGM) is placed on the arm.



## WILL I BE COMPENSATED?

Participants will receive a payment for participation of up to \$165. Free parking and snacks will be provided at the clinic visit.

**ARIC**  
GENERATION 2



**MULTIPLE DISTRICT 22 LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE**  
**For Lions ready to pursue leadership roles within their Lions communities.**  
**November 17-19, 2023 (Friday, Saturday, & Sunday)**  
**At Lions Camp Merrick In Nanjemoy, Maryland**

**Lions Fundamentals**  
**Working in Teams**  
**Diversity**  
**Local Issues & Opportunities**  
**Public Speaking Preparation**  
**Time Management**  
**Member Motivation**  
**Goal Setting**  
**Public Speaking Presentations**  
**Personal Mission Statement**



**WHY SHOULD YOU ATTEND?**

**To learn your strengths and areas for personal improvement**  
**To develop interpersonal social skills**  
**To network and establish new friendships**  
**To improve your communication skills**

**To make your club more successful**  
**To become a more effective Lion**  
**To learn more about our Lions organization and its role in service**  
**To share ideas for service projects and fundraising**



**Meet current Lion friends and make new ones**  
**Great training from proven instructors**  
**Shared cabins with bath facilities**  
**Great food, fellowship, and fun**  
**Beautiful camp setting**  
**Come away refreshed and inspired**

**WHAT IS THE COST?**

**The tuition is \$150.00 for training courses on Friday, Saturday, Sunday, two nights lodging at the camp, six meals, and all instructional materials. Some districts and clubs provide partial scholarships or sponsorships.**

**HOW DO I SIGN UP?**

**Contact you District's Global Leadership Team Chair or PDG Ken Chew at 302-798-6520 or [1941akc@gmail.com](mailto:1941akc@gmail.com)**  
**Please submit by October 13, 2023**



**MULTIPLE DISTRICT 22 LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE**

**November 17-19, 2023**

**Lions Camp Merrick, Nanjemoy, Maryland**

**Full Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Nick Name (if any) that you prefer** \_\_\_\_\_ **Years in Lionism** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Telephone: (     )** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Lions Club:** \_\_\_\_\_ **District:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Highest Office/Position held within Lions Club:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Highest Office/Position held at District level:** \_\_\_\_\_

- 1. Registration fee is \$150.00, and must accompany this Registration Form. If fee is being subsidized by your district or club, their portion will be billed later.**
- 2. All participants must arrive and sign-in between 1:00 and 2:00 PM on Friday, November 17, 2023. Activities will begin promptly at 2:00.**
- 4. The Institute will be completed by 2:00 PM on Sunday, November 19, 2023**
- 5. Further information will be sent to participants in October.**
- 6. Send Registration Form and fees by 13 October 2023 to:**

**PDG Ken Chew  
1400 Forrest Drive  
Wilmington, DE 19810**

**Make checks out to MD-22 RLLI**

**SPECIAL NEEDS:**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Diabetic Diet** \_\_\_\_\_ **Vegetarian** \_\_\_\_\_ **Hearing Challenged**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Visually Challenged** \_\_\_\_\_ **Wheelchair Access**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Other (please explain)** \_\_\_\_\_

**For more information, please contact Coordinator:**

**PDG Ken Chew, 302-798-6520, [1941akc@gmail.com](mailto:1941akc@gmail.com)**



# Around District 22w

## BOONSBORO

### SHRED EVENT

With the help of Boy Scout Troop 20, the Boonsboro Lions held a community shred event at Shaffer Park, on the morning of Saturday, October 7<sup>th</sup>. It was a cool and rainy day, but the club was still able to help shred 1600 pounds of paper, with 47 cars coming through. The plan is to hold another shred event in May to help the environment and alleviate the waste and trash in town.



### VIP FISHING TOURNAMENT

Club President, Judy, and Club Treasurer, Nelson both attended the NC Visually Impaired Persons Fishing Tournament in the Outer Banks. The tournament hosted 350+ visually impaired persons from all over the country with partner Lions to help them navigate the 3 day event. It was a fun time that included not only fishing, but also fellowship and inclusion and even dancing.



Everyone in place



Preparing to serve  
VIP's



Lions dancing with  
VIP's

### CHARLOTTE'S HOME VISIT

Members of the club made their monthly visit to Charlotte's Home to celebrate October's Birthdays with cake and ice cream.



### New Member Induction-

Lion Linda was inducted into the Club by Club Treasurer, Nelson. Linda officially joins her friend, Lion Ken as a member of Boonsboro where she will undoubtedly be a great contributor to all the good the club does in our community. Welcome, Linda!



## FREEDOM DISTRICT



Members of the Freedom District Lions Club (FDLC) performed an inspection and trash pickup of Freedom Park in Sykesville on October 3, 2023. No damage was discovered and trash was fairly light. The members are glad to see people are respecting the park. Pictured left - right are the Lions who took part in this environmental service project: Sue Nelson, Wu Schaefer, Tony Ramirez, Mona Ramirez, es Schneiderman and Carole Neff.

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Members of the Freedom District Lions Club (FDLC) in collaboration with the Friends of Liberty Reservoir performed trail and shoreline clean-up on Sunday, October 8, 2023. The volunteers made a huge impact on Baltimore City's drinking water from Liberty Reservoir by collecting a large amount of trash from along the shoreline. The location of this clean-up was on Gate 22 trail, off Route 32 in Eldersburg. Pictured from left to right are: Lion Stephanie Brennan (also President of the Friends of Liberty Reservoir); Lion Wu Schaefer, Co-chair of the FDLC Park and Trail Clean-up & Maintenance Committee; Joyce Moody (member of Friends of Liberty Reservoir); and Lion Bernadette Phillips.

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At daybreak on Friday, October 13, 2023 the Freedom District Lions Club gathered at the north side of the bridge on Route 32 (Sykesville Road) to clean-up trash. Led by Lion Jeff Zumbrun, Chair of the club's Environmental Services Committee, members pick up trash at least 3 times each year along this stretch of highway. Pictured, holding the sign are Lion Diana Hewitt (left) and Lion Rochelle Schneiderman (right). Standing in back (l - r) are: Lions Les Schneiderman, Steve Whisler, Ron Audlin, Jim Moore and Bernadette Phillips. Not pictured Lions Jeff Zumbrun and Don Champ.

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Lion W Schaefer, Co-chair of the Parks and Trail Clean-up & Maintenance Committee of the Freedom District Lions Club conducted a trash pick-up and inspection of Freedom Park in Sykesville on October 17, 2023. There was a significant increase in the amount of trash found in the front left parking lot and on the baseball diamonds. Hopefully, park users will be more careful in the future and place trash in the containers at the park. Pictured (left - right) are: Lions Wu Schaefer, Sue Nelson, Tony Ramirez, Mona Ramirez, Gary Buchman and Carole Neff.







The Freedom District Lions Club (FDLC) held their monthly meeting in Celebration Hall, Messiah Lutheran Church in Berrett on October 11, 2023. Following dinner, President Melissa Turski turned the meeting over to Lion Scott Walthour for the presentation of the program for the evening. Lion Scott indicated that the program was about the Shooting Stars soccer program - a program for children with special needs.

He brought several parents, a coach and a Shooting Star youth as well as a power point presentation to describe the unique program. Several parents thanked the Lions for their support. The snowballs the Lions give all participants following their soccer event is a highlight of each Friday evening program.

Following the program, President Turski and the members conducted the business of the club. There were many committee reports about recently completed service projects, currently underway projects as well as upcoming projects. The next scheduled membership meeting will take place on Wednesday, November 8, 2023 Messiah Lutheran Church's Celebration Hall at 6:30 p.m.

Pictured following the program are parents and a Shooting Star Player (left - right) are: Gina Moorhead (parent), Candice Arbesman (parent), Rachel Matthew (coach), Gemma Moorhead (Shooting Star Player), Melissa Turski (President FDLC) and Scott Walthour (coach).



On October 25, 2023 the Freedom District Lions Club (FDLC) presented the Hope for Henry Foundation with 100 action Batman figures to be distributed to the childhood cancer pediatric patients and other pediatric patients at Sinai Hospital. Hope for Henry Foundation was started by a family whose 7-year-old son, Henry, passed away due to pediatric cancer. This foundation helps kids at several hospitals around the country confront challenges of their serious illness, adhere to their medical plans and thrive. October 25th was Henry birthday so the foundation plans birthday parties for the children and gives them a present, this year it is an action Batman figure since Batman was Henry's favorite super hero. Pictured left to right: Mike Shavatt, Lion member, Amy Kessler, Child Life and Creative Arts Manager, Sinai Hospital, Viki Peltier, FDLC Childhood Cancer Committee Chairman, Lea Failla, Program Manager, Hope for Henry Foundation; Gary Peltier, Lion member, Diane Torockio, Lion member, and Morgan Sigur, certified Child Life Specialist, Sinai Hospital.



Members of the Freedom District Lions Club (FDLC) conducted a free vision screening for children of the Goddard School, Marriottsville on October 26, 2023. Forty-five students were screened as part of the program to detect early vision problems that can be easily corrected at a young age. Pictured are: Seated, Diane Torockio, FDLC Chairman of the Pre-school Vision Screening Committee. Standing (left - right) are: Bob Hodgkiss, Carole Neff, Sue Nelson and Ron Audlin.





## **HAMPSTEAD**



During the August meeting for the Hampstead Lions Club, awards were given. From left to right are Frank Grabowski, Shiela Johnson, Brad Kauffman, Krystal Halberstam, Mat Tiahrt, and Joe Renehan.

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Members of the Hampstead Lions Club, David Caple (seated left) and Brad Kauffman (seated right) speak with an attendee at the annual Fireman's Carnival in Hampstead.

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During the June Installation meeting held at Friendly Farms in Upperco, Joe Renehan, left, received a Lion of the Year award from Mat Tiahrt, president.

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The Hampstead Lions Club is one of many local organizations that participated in the Annual National Night Out on Aug. 1 in downtown Hampstead.

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During the 11th Annual Golf Tournament, after a long day on the course, attendees enjoy a meal at Oakmont Green Golf Club on Sept. 8.

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During the annual Hampstead Carnival, the Lions Club held a raffle for a griddle (that was donated by Hampstead Walmart). The winner was April Bauerlien. Here she is pictured with Lion Brad Kauffman as he delivered her prize while she was working at Friendly Farms in Upperco.







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**Each month, on the first Saturday of the month, members of the Hampstead Lions Club volunteer at NESAP in Hampstead. On Saturday, Sept. 2, members volunteered their morning at NESAP. From left are Lions Mat Tiahrt, Joe Renahan, Bob Buckler, and Ken Wright.**



**Newly installed secretary Shiela Johnson posed with outgoing secretary Candice Nicholson during the June 28 installation event at Friendly Farms. Johnson also oversees their social media and website.**

**In July, the club awarded Lion Lewis Stom with the prestigious Melvin Jones Award. From left are Mat Tiahrt, Lewis Stom, Todd Calhoun and District Governor Jeremy Bair.**



**During the Charter Night Meeting on Oct. 10, new members were inducted into the Hampstead Lions Club. From left are Sharon Callahan, Tracy Tiahrt, president Mat Tiahrt, and Charles Johnson. Not pictured was John Armacost.**

## LINEBORO-MANCHESTER



The newest addition to our  
"Lions Pride"  
Baby cub, Abigail June  
Tomlinson was born on  
Friday, 10/6 at 5:37 p.m.  
weighing 7 pounds & 5 ounces  
and measuring at 18.5 inches.  
**CONGRATULATIONS LION  
CHRISTOPHER AND MOLLY  
TOMLINSON**



## MIDDLETOWN

The Middletown and Myersville Lions Club host their next Country Breakfast Saturday, November 4th from 7:00 - 10:30 a.m. Come for a scrumptious meal and fellowship. Serve by donating cans for the Middletown Food Bank, Make a card for a Veteran, bring a new toy or make a card for a Child with Cancer, buy an item or two or more from the Rummage Table, buy a broom made by the blind, buy a book to support the Myersville Public Library. All available in one location at the Myersville Banquet and Event Center.

\*\*\*\*\* FOR MORE INFORMATION SEE FLYER BELOW UNDER CALENDAR OF EVENTS \*\*\*\*\*



## SOUTH CARROLL



Diabetes Awareness Walk Success - 45 Lions from 7 Lions Clubs and 17 Leos from Century High School participated in the Diabetes Awareness Walk on Sunday, October 22 at Krimgold Park in Woodbine. The event raised \$1850.00 for the American Diabetes Association. Pictured are Lions from the South Carroll, Taylorsville-Winfield, Freedom District, Libertytown-Unionville, Roaring Run, Terra Rubra, Westminster and Emmitsburg Lions Clubs and Leos from the Century

High School Leo Club. Among the Lions present were Lion Tom Harney and Lion Diane Walbrecker, Diabetes Awareness and Action Co-Chairs for District 22W (the five most western counties of Maryland). November is National Diabetes Month, a time when communities across the country seek to bring attention to diabetes. This year's focus is on taking action to prevent health problems associated with diabetes. Because diabetes can cause vision loss and blindness, the Lions of the world have adopted diabetes as a global cause.



Members of the South Carroll Lioness Lions Club celebrated twelve years of service to the Sykesville/Eldersburg area at their annual Charter Night celebration on Thursday, October 5 at Messiah Lutheran Church's Celebration Hall in Sykesville. The club was officially chartered by Lions Clubs International on October 5, 2011. During the celebration, Lions District 22 First Vice District Governor Susan Cox rededicated the club's charter and presented several awards. Receiving awards were Richard Jennings who received a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellowship; representatives of the Eldersburg Library were recognized with a Melvin Jones Fellowship as was the family of Karen, Bill, Grayson, Owen and Makenna Satori. Past District Governor Susan Bonura received a ten-member key from Lions International for bringing in ten new members to Lionism.

The Melvin Jones Fellowship recognition was named for Melvin Jones, the founder of Lions Clubs International.

There are more than 1.4 million members in over 48,000 clubs, serving more than 200 countries and geographical areas around the world. Each member was invited because a Lion cared enough to devote their time and energy to increase our service potential by encouraging friends, colleagues, family and neighbors to join us. When you join Lions, you join a global service network for doing local community service and contributing to Lions volunteer efforts around the world.

The South Carroll Lioness-Lions Club meets on the 1st Thursday of every month at the Messiah Lutheran Church's Celebration Hall, 5600 Old Washington Road in Sykesville. Call 443-745-1281 or email [southcarrolllions@gmail.com](mailto:southcarrolllions@gmail.com) for more information or check them out on the web at <http://e-clubhouse.org/sites/southcarrolllioness/index.php>. Membership is open to all men and women ages 18 and above.





Richard Jennings (left) received his Progressive Melvin Jones Fellowship pin from President Terri Parkent at the October 5 meeting of the South Carroll Lioness Lions Club at Messiah Lutheran Church's Celebration Hall. First Vice District Governor Susan Cox (right) made the presentation. In recognizing Jennings, FVDG Cox said, "Lion Richard Jennings is the club's second vice president and served last year as Membership Chair. He is always willing to participate in club service projects and fundraisers. He is the club's bingo caller at Oakland Manor, he assists with club shred events, yard sales, and bingo."

Owen Satori (left), Karen Satori and Makenna Satori received a Melvin Jones Fellowship recognition at the October 5 meeting of the South Carroll Lioness Lions Club at Messiah Lutheran Church's Celebration Hall. First Vice District Governor Susan Cox (right) presented the fellowship recognition. In recognizing the Satori family, FVDG Cox said, "The Sartori family came to the South Carroll Lioness Lions Club when Makenna Sartori collected sneakers for their Sneakers for Abby childhood cancer project. Her mom, Karen, and Lion Susan Bonura spoke about the club's many service projects. Karen, along with Makenna, Owen, and Grayson join the South Carroll Lions monthly at Oakland Manor Assisted Living facility to help with a bingo game where they assist the residents with keeping their cards marked and giving out prizes to the bingo winners. They make cards and treat bags for the residents for holidays like Halloween, Thanksgiving, Christmas, Valentine's Day, St. Patrick's Day and Easter. When he isn't coaching, their father, Bill, also joins them at Oakland Manor. This family represents what it means to serve."



Lynn Graham, Circulation Manager (left to right); Nadine Rosendale, Branch Manager; and Kari Kelly, Children's Services Supervisor represented the Eldersburg Branch of the Carroll County Public Library at the October 5 meeting of the South Carroll Lioness Lions Club at Messiah Lutheran Church's Celebration Hall. First Vice District Governor Susan Cox (right) presented the Eldersburg Library with a Melvin Jones Fellowship recognition. In her presentation, FVDG Cox said, "The Eldersburg Library has helped the club with their Roar Like a Lion service projects, collection of plastic bags,

and the collection of sneakers for their Sneakers for Abby childhood cancer program. The staff has supported their service to the Eldersburg community. They are community-minded people with extraordinary drive in providing selfless service to others."

Susan Bonura (left), Immediate Past President of the South Carroll Lioness Lions Club, received her 10-Member Key Award from her husband, Second Vice District Governor Martin Bonura (center), at the October 5 meeting of the South Carroll Lioness Lions Club at Messiah Lutheran Church's Celebration Hall. PDG Susan Bonura's first new member was her husband, Martin, whom she invited to join the East Haddam Community Lions Club in 1997. In presenting the Key Award, First Vice District Governor Susan Cox (right) said, "It is with great pleasure that I present you with the 10-Member Key Award for sponsoring new

members. Please wear this award with pride knowing that your dedication has made a positive impact in many people's lives. From those who you have inspired to serve with us, to those who will benefit from our work, your commitment to sharing the joy of service will continue to change lives for years to come."





**American Heritage, Preservation and Patriotism  
2023-2024 Essay Contest**

Francis Scott Key, a lawyer, author, and poet, is famous for writing the poem "Defence of Fort M'Henry" which eventually became the lyrics to our national anthem "The Star-Spangled Banner". This year's essay will be based around Francis Scott Key's poetic words that became our national anthem, the product of his selfless act. The South Carroll Lioness Lions Club is sponsoring the American Heritage, Preservation and Patriotism essay contest focusing on history and creative writing for students, adults and for Lions club members in the Sykesville and Eldersburg communities. Private school, parochial school, and home-schooled students are encouraged to participate in this contest.

The American Heritage, Preservation and Patriotism essay topics for 2023-2024 are as follows:

- **Elementary Grades (1-5):** Describe what Francis Scott Key saw when he wrote the words to the Star-Spangled Banner.
- **Middle School (6-8):** How do the actions of Francis Scott Key inspire you to serve others
- **High School (9-12):** Francis Scott Key's influential poem written during the battle of Fort McHenry eventually became our nation's national anthem. What does the Star-Spangled Banner represent?
- **Adult:** In the spirit of Francis Scott Key and his poem that eventually became the national anthem, develop a poem or essay that would motivate and encourage volunteerism in today's world.

Each entry must comply with the following program rules for participation:

- Use 8 ½" by 11" white paper
- Essay must be either typed or computer generated and double spaced. Handwritten copies will not be accepted.
- Minimum of 300 words, maximum of 500 words
- Attach a separate cover sheet which includes the following information
  - entrant's name
  - entrant's home address including street, city, state and zip code
  - entrant's home phone number
  - name of school or "home schooled" (except for Adults)
  - name of sponsoring club – South Carroll Lioness Lions Club

Prizes will be awarded. Completed essays should be emailed by Friday, December 29, 2023 to South Carroll Lioness Lions Club at southcarrolllions@gmail.com. Call 443-745-1281 if you have any questions.



Avery Kropff, Eldersburg Elementary School student, was the winner of the 2023 South Carroll Lioness Lions Club's essay contest with her essay about Patrick Henry. Pictured are Avery Kropff (left) with her certificate of accomplishment from the South Carroll Lioness Lions Club, her sister Samantha Kropff and Past District Governor Susan Bonura, Immediate Past President of the South Carroll Lioness Lions Club. The certificate and cash award were presented in Eldersburg on February 20, 2023.

## TAYLORSVILLE-WINFIELD

### We Served our Community in October Submitted by Secretary Mindy Coates

We collected 372 prescription pill bottles.

We collected 28 used eyeglasses for recycling. We loaned out 11 pieces of medical equipment: 3 beds, 4 rollators, 2 potty chairs, 2 shower chairs.

We donated \$100.00 to the Rock of Hope Food Pantry at Ebenezer UMC.

41 items were donated to Food Pantry at Ebenezer UMC.

100 magazines were recycled to Rock of Hope Food Pantry at Ebenezer UMC.

We collected 398 cards to be recycled to ARC.

**Reminder:** gently used clothing, small kitchen items, cards (new and signed) coats, sweatshirts, gloves, hats or scarves can be recycled.

### Flag Day Program:

Submitted by PCT Forrest Hudspeth

The annual Flag Day Presentation was conducted for all 5th grade students at Linton Springs and Winfield Elementary Schools (LSES and WES) on October 13th. LSES was at 9:30 AM to 99 students and WES at 2:30 PM to 96 students. This year both schools were presented on the same day, whereas in past years this coordination was not possible and it was on different days. A single day is preferred, as it makes it easier for Lions to participate.

Each student received a small Ziploc bag containing a small desk-sized American flag with a plastic base and two small paper enclosures. One paper gave a short explanation of the Lions mission and the other some facts about the United States flag. A few extra flags were given to each 5th grade Lead teacher in case the numbers of students was larger than originally given.

Lions Mindy Coates, Steve Davis, Bob Garber, Forrest Hudspeth and wife Sandy attended. Lion Forrest, wearing his retired Army uniform as an attention getter, started the presentation explaining why we perform this ceremony annually and a little about the Lions organization. He was followed by Lions Mindy and Sandy giving speeches on the history of the United States flag, from Revolutionary times to the present. Samples of the each of the 10 flags described were held up by Lions Bob and Steve.

The next demonstration was how to fold a 5x8 flag into a triangle with only the stars (union) showing. After this was completed, all of the students were divided into four groups to fold the flag the same way, using loaner flags from the Sykesville American Legion Post. A Lion and their teacher supervised the students performing the same folding that was demonstrated. After many students had folded the flag, the remaining time was used to allow the 5th grade teachers to show their prowess in performing the same task. As in times past, they were up to the task, doing a fine job and completing our presentation.





## ***Eyeglasses Recycling Report*** (Contributed by Lion Ruth Heaney)

We won't forget September 2023 as Ophelia gave us the much needed water! The Thurmont community was also generous as they contributed 142 eyeglasses, nine sunglasses and 59 glass cases. October is just around the corner. We look forward to Thurmont continuing to support those with vision needs by putting eyeglasses, sunglasses, hearing aids and glass cases in the drop boxes by Med-1 Pharmacy, Goodwill, Mountain Gate Restaurant, Thurmont Public Library and Thurmont Senior Center.

## ***LCIF Fundraiser*** (Contributed by LVIF Chair Julie El-Taher)

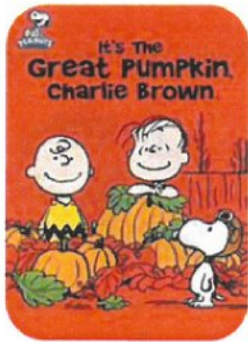
Kountry Kitchen will be helping the Thurmont Lions Club with our LCIF fundraiser on October 25<sup>th</sup> from 4:00-8:00 pm. When you order your dinner, please tell your server you are supporting the LCIF fundraiser. This is the same evening as Charter Night so stop by and have dinner before the meeting. I look forward to seeing all of you at Kountry Kitchen.



## ***Movie Night in the Park*** (Contributed by Lion Don Keeney, Jr.)

We will once again be providing hot cocoa and popcorn at the town's "Movie Night in the Community Park" on Saturday evening, October 28<sup>th</sup>. We will need a few helpers for the event. If you are available in the evening from 6:00-9:00 pm, please let Lions Doug/Don know.

There will also be a longer movie after the Charlie Brown movie.



*Snoopy wishes you a Happy Halloween!!*

## ***Membership Meeting Program – Jessica Fitzwater – Frederick County Executive***

(Contributed by Lion Joyce Anthony)

Lion Ruth Heaney introduced Jessica Fitzwater as the guest speaker. Jessica grew up in Smithsburg, Maryland and is a proud graduate of public schools. She earned her undergraduate degree in music from St. Mary's College of Maryland and her Master's degree in Educational Leadership from Hood College. Jessica plays the violin with the Frederick Symphony Orchestra. She is a widow and the mother of two children, Jonah and Jane. She lives in Frederick City.

Jessica was sworn in as Frederick County Executive on December 5, 2022. She has been engaging the community and being seen all over the county. She created over a 130 member transition team with 54 recommendations over all areas. The transition team focused on seven key priorities through collaborative community driven workgroups: Government innovation; Housing and Quality of Life; Education and Workforce Development; Economic Development and Jobs; Public Safety; Sustainability, Infrastructure and Transport and Public Health and Human Services. Also, she held listening sessions in each Council District to gather feedback on what people would want funded in the upcoming budget.

Jessica Fitzwater's closing comment was "Frederick is truly the best county".



(Pictured L-R: Jessica Fitzwater; 2<sup>nd</sup> VP Nancy Echard; Lion Ruth Heaney)



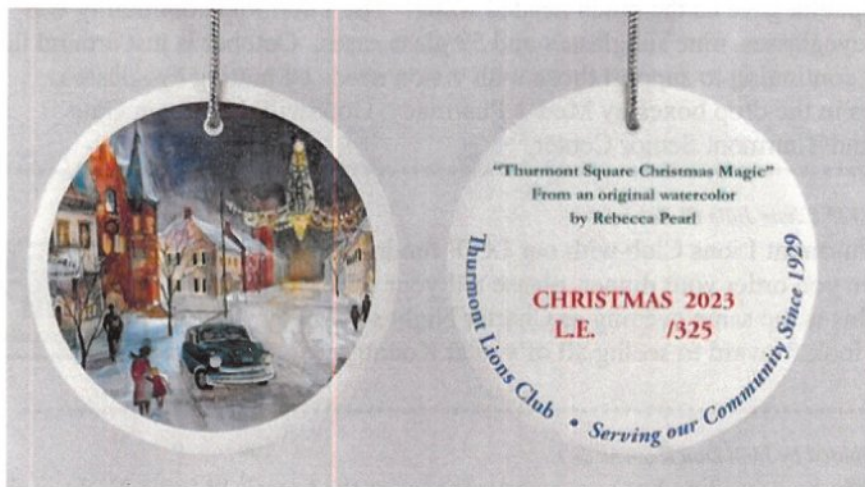
### **Christmas Ornament** *(Contributed by Lion Albie Little)*

The Thurmont Lions Club is happy to announce the availability of the annual Christmas ornament. Once again, local artist, Rebecca Pearl has created a masterpiece, this time featuring the large Christmas tree that was suspended over the square each year from the mid 50's to the early 1960s. We call it "Thurmont Square, Christmas Magic".

Mr. Bill Rice, town electrician, coordinated a team of men that constructed the tree on a platform that was raised with cables above the square. When it went up each year, we knew Christmas would soon be here.

For those of you who collect the Christmas ornaments (and those who would just like to have one), this will be the 15<sup>th</sup> year for the Lions club ornament. Once again, the price will be \$10.60 (includes tax) which is the same price as 14 years ago. To place your order for one or more, call Lion Albie Little at 301-271-2134 and leave a message with your name, phone number and the number of ornaments you would like to order.

As always, thank you for your patronage and "Merry Christmas"!



***"Thurmont Square  
Christmas Magic"  
2023***

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### **Raffle to support Wreaths across America** *(Contributed by Lion Joyce Anthony)*

The Thurmont Lions Club is having another raffle to support Wreaths across America – Gas Cards (see attachment). The drawing will be held November 22, 2023. Please see Lion Nancy Echard for tickets. She would appreciate if each Lion would take some tickets to sell. We are here "TO SERVE"! Please help Lion Nancy Echard for a very successful raffle.



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### **Wreaths across America Raffle** *(Contributed by Lion Joyce Anthony)*

The Thurmont Lions Club recently held a basket raffle to support Wreaths across America.



### **Gateway to the Cure** *(Contributed by Lion Joyce Anthony)*

The Town of Thurmont has started their 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Gateway to the Cure campaign. Non-Profit organizations and businesses make donations to the month-long campaign during October to support the Patty Hurwitz Breast Cancer Fund. The Thurmont Lions Club has made a donation each year, and this year is no exception.

You can support the town by turning on your pink lights each evening. Pink light bulbs are available at Cousins Ace Hardware and the town office. Please support the town to help create awareness. It would be very impressive to see the town in pink during October.

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## SMITHSBURG

In the month of October

We hosted a blood drive on October 9 at the Smithsburg Fire Department.

We set up a table at the local Smithsburg Farmer's Market on October 2, 16 and 30.

We assisted the Smithsburg Police Department on October 21 with the Cinnamon Run for Shop With A Cop fundraiser.

We distributed candy at the Trunk or Treat Event on October 21 at Veterans Park with the Smithsburg Community Activities Committee.

We made donations to the Smithsburg Emergency Services and to Hospice in memory of Lion family members.

We made donations to the Smithsburg Cub Scout Pack and to the Boy Scout Troop.

In the month of November

We will attend the Cabinet Meeting November 11

We will be participating in the Vice District Governor Challenges.

We will be attending the Zone Meeting on November 20.

We will not have a meeting on November 22

We will conduct a food stand at the Model Train Show on November 25 at the Washington County Ag Center

In the month of December

Our annual Christmas Dinner held on December 13 with a Toys for Tots Program

We will host a blood drive on December 18 at the Smithsburg Fire Department

We are collecting toys for Toys for Tots.

In the month of January

We will be attending the Cabinet Meeting on January 13



**CINNAMON RUN - FRONT ROW - COUNCILWOMAN TRACEY KNIGHT-SIMANE, COMMITTEE MEMBER CATHY; BACK ROW - LION ELISA SHARPE, LION JENNIFER DAWSON, UNKNOWN, LION BRIAN DAWSON AND SMITHSBURG MAYOR DONNIE SOUDERS**

## WESTMINSTER

**Our club is having a meeting on Thursday, November 9th, honoring Veterans. It will be held at the Westminster VFW. The social hour will be at 6:00; dinner will be served at 6:30. The meal will be hand-stuffed chicken breasts, mashed potatoes, corn, rolls & butter, tea & coffee, and cake. The price of the meal is \$25 a person.**

**Lion Jason Sidock will be our speaker. Entertainment will be provided by Monty Leister.**

**Please share this with members of your clubs. I will need to know how many will be able to attend by Sunday, November 5th.**

# 22W - Leo Club News

## Update on the South Carroll Leo Club:

Submitted by Lion Pauline Rosier

There were eight Leos at the Food Giveaway on September 27th and three Leos playing bingo with the residents at Sun Valley AL on September 30th.

At the October meeting, eight Leos discussed service projects at the Humane Society in Baltimore County, a coat drive, and collaborating with the Key Club for Trunk or Treat on Wednesday, October 25th at the school. As well as the Food Giveaway and bingo at Sun Valley in late October. They voted to give \$25 to help cover costs for centerpieces for a Veterans breakfast. The Leos will be collaborating with the NHS for cold weather collections and a donation of \$50 in the form of gift cards to needy families at Christmas.

The Leos will receive 20% of sales at the Chick-fil-A in Mt. Airy on Wednesday, November 15th between 5 - 7 p.m. as a fundraiser. They are looking into the possibility of selling chocolate candy bars as a fundraiser.





# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN AN EVENT, PLEASE CONTACT THE SPONSORING CLUB DIRECTLY FOR MORE INFORMATION**

DATE	CLUB	WHAT	WHERE	TIME
11/1/23	Thurmont	Christmas Cookie Contest	St. Johns Lutheran Church	
11/4/23	Lineboro-Manchester	Home Pick up Food Drive	Lineboro-Manchester Community Pool	9:00 am
11/4/23	New Market	Blood Drive	New Market Grange No. 362	8:00 am
11/4/23	Middletown & Myersville	Country Breakfast	Myersville Banquet & Event Center	7:00 am
11/9/23	Westminster	Veterans Dinner	Westminster VFW	6:30 pm
11/10/23	Taneytown	Bingo	Taneytown Fireman's Activities Building	4:30 pm
11/11/23	DISTRICT 22W	2 <sup>nd</sup> Cabinet Meeting	American Legion – Hagerstown	10:00 am
11/11/23	Thurmont	Bingo		
11/11/23	District 22A	Social	Columbus Gardens	6:00 pm
11/12/23	Hampstead	Sunday in the Park	Hampstead Lion Club Park	3:00 pm
11/15/23	South Carroll Leos	Chick-fil-A Fundraiser	Mt. Airy Location	5:00 pm
11/17/23		LVRF 22W Holiday Dinners	199 Warfieldsburg Road, Westminster MD	6:00 pm
11/17/23		Leadership Institute	Camp Merrick	
11/17/23	Deer Park	Texas Roadhouse	Westminster Location	11:00 am
11/18/23	Terra Rubra	Oyster, Bull & Shrimp Feed		1:00 pm
11/18/23	Terra Rubra	\$1500 Cash & Dinner Club		
11/18/23	Westminster	Paint Night	Mt. Zion United Methodist Church	10:00 am
11/18/23	LVRF	Homecoming Rally	Chevy Chase Auditorium	9:30 am
11/18/23	Thurmont	Bake Sale	Mountain Gate Restaurant	10:00 am
11/19/23	Deer Park	Toy Train Show	Agricultural Center	10:00 am
11/22/23	Thurmont	Gas Card Raffle		
11/24/23	Francis Scott Key	Community Table	100 S. Market Street Frederick	5:30 pm
11/25/23	Smithsburg	Meat Raffle		
11/28/23	Chewsville	Quilt Drawing		
12/2/23	District 22D	Social	Harrington Raceway & Casino	5:30 am
12/9/23	Terra Rubra	Santa Visit		
12/14/23	Taneytown	Bus Trip	American Music Theatre	8:00 am
12/15/23		LVRF 22W Holiday Dinners	199 Warfieldsburg Road, Westminster MD	6:00 pm

Thurmont Lions Club  
Christmas Cookie Contest



## Calling all Bakers

Bring 6 of your finest Christmas cookies on a paper plate to:

St John's Lutheran Church

Friday, December 1st between 5pm and 8pm.

Entry Donation of \$10 requested (**not required**)  
to be donated to Toys for Tots



Judging will be done in two sections:

Lion judging will be Friday evening.

Criteria: *Appearance, Christmas Spirit and Taste*

### Public Judging on Saturday during Christmas in Thurmont

Public Judging Criteria: Appearance; Christmas Spirit

Voting will be at \$1.00 donation per vote; vote dollars will go to  
**Toys for Tots**

**Vote early and vote often**

Two sets of prizes (Judged and Public):

**1st place \$100 and trophy**

2nd place: \$75; 3rd place: \$50; 4th place: \$25

Winners announced at 3:00 on December 2nd

The Lineboro-Manchester Lions Club & Hampstead Lions Club  
Present our:

## "Thanksgiving Home Pickup Food Drive" Saturday, November 4th, 2023

To benefit the North Carroll communities, the Lions Clubs of Lineboro-Manchester and Hampstead are coming straight to you!

**Who can donate?** Any house with a 21102 or 21074 zip code.

**How do I donate?** Email [lionshomepickupfooddrive@gmail.com](mailto:lionshomepickupfooddrive@gmail.com) (preferred) or call/text 443-789-1486 to put your house on the pickup list.

**What is accepted?** Everything including refrigerated/frozen items and monetary donations (cash/checks).

**When?** Saturday, November 4th - starting at 10:00 a.m.

**Where do I donate?** Place your items on your front porch, doorstep, or somewhere easily visible for us to find.

*All food and monetary donations that are collected will be donated to the following local food distribution centers:*

- Hampstead's Little Free Pantry
- Immanuel Lutheran Church
- Lazarus United Church
- Manchester Baptist Church
- NESAP
- Tree of Friends

LIONS CLUBS  
We Serve!



American Red Cross

*Give blood.* Help save lives.



## New Market Lions Club Blood Drive

Saturday, November 4, 2023  
8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

New Market Grange No. 362  
14 South Alley  
New Market, Md. 21774

Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) to schedule your appointment, or visit [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) and enter Sponsor  
Keyword: NewMarketLions

Eligibility Questions: Call Donor Client Services at 1-866-236-3276.

1-800-RED CROSS | 1-800-733-2767 | [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org) | Download the Blood Donor App

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## Middletown & Myersville Lions Clubs

### Country Breakfast



**Saturday, November 4th**

7:00 am - 10:30 am

**Myersville Banquet & Event Center**

**Myersville Fire and Rescue Company**  
301 Main Street Myersville, Maryland

Adults: \$14.00 Seniors: \$13.00  
Children 6-11 years: \$5.00 5 & under: Free

SUPPORT the MIDDLETOWN FOOD BANK  
with a DONATION of CRITICALLY LOW ITEMS:  
canned corn\*soup\*canned tomato products\*canned potatoes\*pancake  
mix pancake syrup\*paper towels\*toilet paper\*bars of soap\*pasta

AND  
**COME FIND A TREASURE ON THE ...  
RUMMAGE / KNICK KNACK TABLE**

WE SERVE **PROCEEDS BENEFIT MIDDLETOWN & MYERSVILLE**





## TANEYTOWN LIONS CLUB BINGO

**Friday, November 10, 2023**

**Firemen's Activities Building**  
49 Memorial Dr, Taneytown, MD

Doors open: **4:30 pm**

Bingo starts: **7:00 pm**

Tickets: **\$20.00**

For Tickets or Information Call:

**Wayne Sherfey 443-375-1729**

### Jackpot Games

(Note - Each bingo card has three 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)

Door prizes - 50/50 - Raffles

Refreshments Available for Sale

**Bring canned goods and receive a free Sr. Jackpot game card**

All proceeds provide for Community Betterment



Lions Clubs International  
District 22-W Second Cabinet Meeting  
Region II  
Saturday, November 11, 2023  
Hosted By:  
The Hagerstown Lions Club

WHERE: American Legion  
405 Northern Avenue  
Hagerstown, MD 21742

TIME: 10:00 AM

MENU: Eggs, Sausage, Bacon, Hash Browns, Pancakes, Apple or Orange Juice, Coffee

COST: \$15.00/person

Please make checks payable to: Hagerstown Lions Club

Send Reservations **NO LATER THAN November 2, 2023** to:

Lion Paul Leatherman, Treasurer  
18812 Preston Road  
Hagerstown, MD 21742

=====DEADLINE NOVEMBER 2=====

Lions Club International District 22-W Second Cabinet Meeting  
November 11, 2023, 10:00 AM  
American Legion

Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Total Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed at \$15.00/per person: \_\_\_\_\_

Members Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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**Mark your calendars for BINGO:  
Saturday, November 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023**



Tickets and sign-up sheets will be available at the September 13<sup>th</sup> club meeting. Contact Sharon Morgan for more information. 301-748-0159.



## District 22A Celebration in Honor of

**DG John and First Lady Eileen Mosier**

When: Saturday, November 11, 2023 6 - 10 PM

Where: Columbus Gardens, 4301 Klosterman Ave, Nottingham, MD 21236

Dress: Business

Social with Cash Bar 6 - 645 PM

Buffet Dinner 7 PM

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

There are no tickets. Registration confirmation will be emailed

Please make checks payable to: District 22-A Lions

\$50 per person

Please RSVP via mail No Later Than October 27, 2023

To: District 22A Social

c/o Lion Sandy Guzewish, 1313 Gibbs Court, Bel Air, MD21014

Hotel Accommodations: Hampton Inn, White Marsh

<https://www.hilton.com/en/attend-my-event/balwmhx-blg-03400a63-de10-4d1e8c2e-d3e40c3c850c/>



Reservations must be made NLT Oct 13, 2023

Questions? Contact Lion Sandy Guzewish,  
[dkguzzy@outlook.com](mailto:dkguzzy@outlook.com) 410-459-6496



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# SUNDAY IN THE PARK

Sunday, Nov. 12

Registration begins 11 a.m./Awards ceremony, 3 p.m.  
Hampstead Lions Club Park  
4125 Hillcrest Ave., Hampstead

Participants enter @ Summit Street & Hillcrest Avenue  
Spectator parking at public lots; enter from Black Rock Road  
Residences of Hampstead, 1211 N. Main St.

\$15 entry fee per vehicle  
Free admission for spectators



Dash plaques & goodie bags for first 50 entries

Food and drink available for purchase from  
Lineboro-Manchester Lions Club

Lions will be collecting non-perishable food items  
for Food Pantry @ NESAP

Information: [sastonejohnson@gmail.com](mailto:sastonejohnson@gmail.com)

Presented by the Hampstead Lions Club

(410) 871-1220  
21 S. Cranberry Rd  
Westminster Md



## FUNDRAISING

DINE-IN OR TO-GO

»» *Support* ««

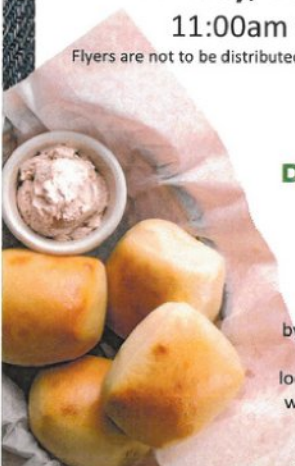
**Deer Park Lions Club**  
**Sunday, December 17**  
**11:00am to 4:00pm**

Flyers are not to be distributed on Texas Roadhouse property.

# 10%

**DONATION NIGHT**

Support  
**Deer Park Lions Club**  
by presenting this flyer to the  
**Westminster Maryland**  
location and Texas Roadhouse  
will donate **10%** of your total  
food purchases.





## Westminster Lions Club

presents a

# Paint Party

Taught by Laurie Harlow

**Saturday, November 18, 2023**  
**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

Mt. Zion United Methodist Church  
3006 Old Westminster Pike, Finksburg, MD

Canvas - \$30.00; 4' board - \$30.00; 17" x 28" board - \$20.00

Fee includes canvas/board and paint supplies; Can paint Christmas image or many other designs to choose from!

**Space is limited!**  
Call Barb Hayes at  
**410-596-1483**  
to reserve your seat!


\$20.00 deposit required to reserve your seat

Checks should be made payable to Westminster Lions Club

Lunch will be available to purchase




**All proceeds benefit our community!**



### LIONS VISION RESEARCH FOUNDATION 2023 HOMECOMING RALLY

Date & Time: November 18, 2023 ~ 9:30 am  
Place: Chevy Chase Auditorium, Johns Hopkins





#### Highlights of Homecoming Rally

- Tour the Lions Low Vision Center ~ 9:30 - 10:30
- Wilmer Eye Institute Presentations ~ 10:40
  - ◊ Lions Vision Center
  - ◊ Research
  - ◊ LVC Fellow Program and more...
- Patient Testimonials
- Jim Deremeik Service Award
- LUNCH (RSVP so that we have a good count)
- Closing Ceremony
  - ◊ Wilmer Eye Institute Update, Dr. Peter McDonnell
  - ◊ Fellowship Endowment Update
  - ◊ Club Donations

#### Donations

Bring your donations. If you are unable to attend, mail donation check payable to LVRF, with Homecoming Rally on the memo line, to SVDG Martin Bonura, LVRF Treasurer, PO Box 1714, Baltimore, MD 21203.

#### RSVP and Questions

Contact LVRF Chair PCC Dee Hawkins  
301-774-5229 or [LVRF.rally@gmail.com](mailto:LVRF.rally@gmail.com).





**Thurmont Lions Club  
Thanksgiving Bake Sale**



Let us do your Thanksgiving baking for you.

The Thurmont Lions Club will hold a bake sale  
the Saturday before Thanksgiving.

Get your pecan pie, your apple  
pie, your pumpkin pie and lots  
of other goodies as well.



**November 18, 2023**

**10am-3pm**

**Mountain Gate Restaurant**

**Thurmont, MD**



**Come early for the best selection!**

# Westminster Toy Train Show

Sponsored by the Deer Park Lions Club



**AGRICULTURAL CENTER  
Westminster, Maryland**

**November 19, 2023  
10:00 AM to 3:00 PM**

ADMISSION: \$5.00  
Children under 12 Free!

**LARGE OPERATING TRAIN LAYOUT SPONSORED BY:  
THE BALTIMORE AMERICAN FLYER CLUB**

**REFRESHMENTS BY THE DEER PARK LIONS CLUB**

**COME SEE 190 TABLES OF TOY TRAINS AND RELATED ITEMS FOR SALE, INCLUDING:  
LIONEL, AMERICAN FLYER, BING, IVES, HO, N, STANDARD GAUGE, AND MANY OTHERS!**

**Find those things needed for the Christmas Garden or to add to your collection!**

For more information contact:

Richard Liebno  
410-848-4929

**General Information/Directions:** The Agricultural Center is located in a beautiful part of Carroll County, adjacent to the Farm Museum and the county hospital. From Baltimore, take I-695 to I-795 to Maryland Route 140. Continue on Route 140 to Westminster. Turn left on Center Street. Go 1.7 miles and turn right to the four way stop sign at Gist Road. Go half a block and turn right onto Ag Center Rd. Proceed straight ahead to the Agricultural Center. If coming from points west, look for the Center Street intersection on Route 140. Plenty of free parking!



**Smithsburg Lions Club**

## Meat Raffle

**Gift Certificates to Phil & Jerry's**

**1st prize - \$200.00 value**

**2nd prize - \$100.00 value**

**Donation \$5.00 each**

**Drawing November 25, 2023**

**Winner will be notified**

**Money raised supports our community**

**We Serve**



**We Serve**

**Thurmont Lions Club  
Raffle  
to benefit  
Wreaths Across America**

**TICKETS: \$1.00 FOR 1; \$5.00 FOR 7**

**Prizes:**

**1st: \$150.00 gas cards**

**2nd: \$100 gas cards**

**3rd: \$ 50 gas cards**

**Drawing on Thanksgiving Eve  
November 22, 2023**



## Chewsville Lions Club Quilt/Wall Hangings Raffle

1<sup>st</sup> PRIZE QUEEN SIZE QUILT  
2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> PRIZE PATRIOTIC QUILTED WALL HANGINGS

TICKETS \$5.00 EACH

PROCEEDS BENEFIT DIABETES AWARENESS AND LION PROJECTS

DRAWING ON 11/20/2023  
FOR TICKETS CALL 301-687-7549

Queen Size Quilt

Made by: Ione Miller - Mother of PCS Sara McCall



30" x 29" Quilted Patriot Wall Hangings  
Made by Erin Teske - Art Teacher New Life Christian School



The International Association of Lions Clubs

DISTRICT 22-D - 2023-2024

HSEUH-MING "TOMMY" LU

DISTRICT GOVERNOR

"Be Inspired"



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610-297-8706  
tomfoster@comcast.net  
Zone 2 Chair - Galen Queen  
Greenwood Lions Club  
302-841-2742  
Chmtheanchorministries@gmail.com

Dear Lions and Friends:

You are cordially invited to attend the District 22-D Governor's Ball, honoring District Governor Dr. Hseuh "Tommy" Lu and First Lady Wendy. The event will be held **Saturday 2 December, 2023**, at the Harrington Raceway and Casino, located at 18500 South Dupont Highway, Harrington, DE 19952.

Schedule of Events:

Social Hour (Cash Bar) 5:30-6:15pm  
Program 6:30pm  
Buffet Dinner & address by ID Joanne Ogden 6:45-9:00pm

**ATTIRE: BUSINESS!!!!**

**Cost of the Meal: \$50 per person**

Please mail your reservations, with check payable to District 22-D Governor's Ball, to:  
Lion Carol Gallo  
791 Prospect Church Rd.  
Harrington DE 19952

**Reservations must be made no later than 19 November, 2023.**

Any special dietary requirements should be noted on your reservation. Tickets will not be mailed but will be available at the door.

A block of rooms has been reserved at the Harrington Holiday Inn Express, 17271 South Dupont Highway, Harrington DE, 19952. **302-398-8800**. Cost is \$149.00 plus 8% occupancy tax per night. You need to state that you are booking a room for the Lions Club Block. Reservations must be made before 1 November, as the rooms will be released after that date and no discount will occur.

**Come! Join us as we celebrate being Lions!**

We are looking forward to seeing you at this festive event, where we salute **OUR** Governor, and meet once again a distinguished guest from Lions Clubs International! And we get to meet our fellow Lion friends as well!

So, hurry! Send your reservation in today! We are planning on a large crowd and want you there!

In Lions Service,

PCC Clyde Bragg  
Governor's Ball Chair 2023

## District 22-D Governor's Ball

2 December 2023

Reservation Form

**Deadline for reservations is**

**19 November, 2023**



Please check choice per name

(Vegetarian Option on Buffet)

Name of Attendee	Buffet	Special Diet (Restricted/Etc.)
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____
5. _____	_____	_____
6. _____	_____	_____

For Additional Names, use other side.

Total Number of Tickets: \_\_\_\_\_ Meals @ \$50.00 per Meal. \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: All special dietary meal needs must be entered on this form and advise what is required:

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO DISTRICT 22-D GOVERNOR'S BALL

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

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Your E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Tickets will not be mailed; will be available at the door.

Send Check, with order to:

Lion Carol Gallo

791 Prospect Church Rd.

Harrington, DE 19952

## TANEYTOWN LIONS CLUB BENEFIT BUS TRIP

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2023

### American Music Theatre Christmas Show

*It's the most wonderful time of the year in Lancaster County! American Music Theatre is proud to present its 2023 AMT Christmas Show: The First Noel. Witness the magic and splendor of The First Noel featuring incredible singers, astonishing dancers, wondrous costumes, breathtaking sets, the AMT Orchestra, and all the endearment of a perfect fireside family moment! Bask in the beauty of the season and enjoy the beautiful snowscapes, child-like joy, cherished stories, the spirit of love, and all your favorite things about the holiday season - cast onstage in this glorious celebration of timeless sacred and secular Christmas classics. This live, original musical experience delivers the same high-quality, Broadway-caliber performances as in years past - and it all begins the moment you arrive!*

*Then, enjoy a delicious buffet lunch at Lancaster's original buffet, Miller's Smorgasbord, which serves a vast array of homemade Lancaster County favorites.*

**@ \$140.00 p/person**

(price includes motorcoach transportation, driver tip, show, & lunch)

Schedule:

8:00AM - Depart from rear of Taneytown Shopping Center  
8:30AM - Depart from Homewood at Plum Creek (Hanover, PA)  
10:30-1:00 - American Music Theatre  
1:15-2:45 - Buffet lunch at Miller's Smorgasbord  
4:15PM - Return to Hanover  
4:45PM - Return to Taneytown



Please contact Barbara at (410)984-0213 or (410)756-2241

Or Paul at (443)812-6689

by September 1<sup>st</sup> to reserve your seats. (Limited space is available.)





*Handcrafted soaps and body care products...  
naturally gentle, naturally inspired.*

### Cedar Ridge Soaps!

Help the Francis Scott Key Lions Club raise funds by placing an order for Cedar Ridge Soaps. Makes a great gift!

It's easy:

- Visit <https://www.cedarridgesoaps.com/> and enter code **FSKLions** at checkout.
- Or call 240-356-0222 and provide the code **FSKLions**

You'll receive your order by mail in a few days and the Lions Club will receive 40% of the retail price of your order.



FSK LIONS CLUB  
FUNDRAISER



The FSK Lions Club raises funds for various charitable causes such as eyeglasses and medical supplies for the needy, school supplies for elementary students, a Little League team, Leader Dogs for the blind, Saving Kids Sight and more.

Thanks for supporting the FSK Lions Club.

You can learn more about us here:  
[www.fsklions.org](http://www.fsklions.org)

# Fresh New Crop of Georgia Pecans!

## From Orchard to YOU

*At the same low price!*  
**\$10 per 12 oz. Bag**

These pecans haven't been sitting on the shelves drying out! They are as fresh as you can get!

- Highest antioxidant content of any nut.
- Heart healthy. Helps lower cholesterol!



or

**call**

WHERE THERE'S A NEED  
**THERE'S A LION**  
Supporting Local Projects

**301-371-5002**



**SOUTH CARROLL LIONESS LIONS CLUB  
TERRI LYNN FUNDRAISER  
PRE-ORDERS ONLY!**

16 oz. Milk Chocolate Pecans      16 oz. Fancy Mammoth Pecan Halves

\$12.00 each

\$14.00 each

# total milk chocolate pecans \_\_\_\_\_ # total pecan halves \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

AMOUNT OF PAYMENT INCLUDED \_\_\_\_\_

LION TAKING YOUR ORDER \_\_\_\_\_

Order due date for Thanksgiving delivery - October 31

Order due date for Christmas deliver - November 30



## Together, we can make a healthier community

MÖDERE  
**LIVE CLEAN**

**SOUTH CARROLL LIONESS LIONS CLUB  
FUNDRAISER**

**\$10 OFF FIRST ORDER**  
20% Proceeds Towards Community  
Service Projects

Any Questions? **PAGE 39**  
Call Terri 443-280-0203  
or visit [www.moderes.com/616744](http://www.moderes.com/616744)



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## Sneakers for Abby

### Sneakers for Pediatric Cancer



The South Carroll Lioness Lions Club is collecting new/slightly used/used sneakers youth sizes (3.5Y and up) and adult sneakers & athletic shoes to raise money for children with cancer. The fund is named for cancer survivor, Abby. Drop off available at the South

Carroll Senior Center, 5928 Mineral Hill Rd, Eldersburg; Eldersburg Public Library, 6400 W Hemlock Dr, Sykesville; 5910 Dale Drive, Sykesville; 810 Fairfield Ave, Westminster; or 1743 Deer Park Rd, Finksburg.

Wearable, still usable athletic sneakers and tennis shoes are repurposed and will find new life on the feet of children in need. Those that are at the end of their life will be broken down into parts and repurposed to create and resurface playgrounds and sport courts, or into new shoes, insulation, carpet padding, and other uses.



Please, no boots, no sandals, no flipflops & no dress shoes!

For more information call 443-745-1281 or email [southcarrolllions@gmail.com](mailto:southcarrolllions@gmail.com).

Support Provided by GotSneakers!



New From the Thurmont  
Lions Club!



#### Premium Chocolate Bars

**Handmade by our own Lions!**

Mechanicstown Milk (Lions Blend)

Midnight on the Mountain (Dark)

Catootin Crunch (Milk w/Crisp Rice)

Mechanicstown Milk w/Almond

Midnight on the Mountain w/Crisp Rice

Midnight on the Mountain w/Almond

Snowflake (White)

Snowflake Crunch (White w/Crisp Rice)

Snowflake w/Almond

Cookies & Creme

**\$4.00 Each**

