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DISTRICT 22W NEWSLETTER

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2023-2024

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Newsletter Deadline

Please have all newsletter submissions to Christy Pope @ christypope22w@yahoo.com, no later than one week before the end of the previous month.



Jeremy Bair

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FROM THE DESK OF:

DISTRICT GOVERNOR JEREMY BAIR

Fellow Lions,

May our New Year's be celebrated with achievements of last year and for this upcoming year 2024. It's time to mark our mid-year Lion efforts, make sure any outstanding mid-year dues are paid and soon to look at fresh slates of officers promoting members into leadership roles and encouraging them to bring in members. After a great holiday season, we remain thankful for all we're able to share and give to our communities with a unified future.

Please also note the numerous **Leo Club** and **youth involvement** activities that are developing for the spring. They can be found further in the newsletter. They range from Roar Like a Lion, a Dinner in the Dark and Leo Con 2024 to Leader Dog side trips to schools, membership scholarship possibilities and a Leo Camp at Camp Merrick at the Multiple District level this summer.

The District 22W Marketing Committee will also be presenting several marketing ideas that will be focused on to try different ways of getting our Lion brand out in the community. There will be a presentation at the 3rd Cabinet Meeting.

We are fortunately to have two speakers at our 3rd Cabinet Meeting that focus on sight awareness. There will be a presentation before the cabinet meeting of the **Titmus Vision Screeners** by a visiting District 22C Past District Governor and our guest speaker from LVRV will be **Kristen Shifflett, a Low Vision Occupational Therapist.**

Be on the lookout soon for several notable Charter Nights coming our way for the spring. They include the following from my 2024 Calendar:

- Deer Park Lions Club's **50th** Charter Night on April 18th in Region IV,
- Clear Spring Lions Club's **75th** Charter Night on May 20th in Region II and
- Libertytown Unionville Lions Club's **75th** Charter Night on May 21st in Region III.

Next monthly, we hope to be able to showcase representatives from 8 clubs in the district with the first part of a 22W Service Video Series.

God Bless America!



In Lionism,

Lion Jeremy Bair

District Governor

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Letter from the Editor

PLEASE REMEMBER IF YOU WANT TO HAVE SOMETHING IN THE DISTRICT NEWSLETTER YOU MUST SUBMIT THEM. EACH CLUB IS RESPONSIBLE FOR SUBMITTING THEIR OWN ARTICLES, AS OF JULY 2023, WE NO LONGER SELECT ARTICLES TO PUBLISH. IF YOU DON'T SEE SOMETHING FROM YOUR CLUB IT MEANS THAT NO ONE SUBMITTED ANYTHING.

CHRISTYPOPE22W@YAHOO.COM



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

Dear Lions and Leos,

"Do your little bit of good where you are; it's those little bits of good put together that overwhelm the world." Desmond Tutu

Welcome January and welcome 2024, another year with the opportunity to serve our communities and the world. Although we do not serve for awards or recognition, our district provides a very special recognition for Lions who exemplify service to club and community. It is time to nominate those Lions for the District 22W Honor Roll. The District 22W Honor Roll Award recognizes Lions who render outstanding service to their clubs and their communities at the "grass roots" level over an extended period of time, who exemplify the spirit of Lionism through unselfish dedication and who deserve Districtwide recognition for their efforts in support of Lionism.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Lions who have been members for at least five years are eligible for nomination to the Honor Roll. The current Cabinet Secretary, Cabinet Treasurer and Club Presidents are not eligible and may not be nominated. Past District Governors will become eligible five years after their term as District Governor.

NOMINATION PROCEDURE

Each club may nominate one member per year. In addition, the District Governor may submit two nominations, none of whom may be members of his/her home club. Nominations are to be in writing, signed by the nominee's Club President or Secretary, or the District Governor, and shall list the reasons the nominee is considered deserving of the award by providing a detailed description of the nominee's service and activities in support of Lionism. Nominations are at any time during the Lions year but must be submitted to the 1st Vice District Governor by email or US mail postmarked no later than March 15th.

SELECTION PROCEDURE

Award recipients shall be selected from among the nominees by a committee chaired by the First Vice District Governor and consisting of the Second Vice District Governor, Cabinet Secretary, Cabinet Treasurer, and the nominee's Zone Chair. The committee may select up to ten recipients per year. The final selection of the recipients will be based solely on the above eligibility criteria and only what is submitted on the nomination form.

AWARDS PRESENTATION

Honor Roll Award recipients are announced by the First Vice District Governor at the first District business meeting during the Multiple District Convention. The recipients' name and club shall be inscribed on a master plaque to be updated yearly and shown at convention. Recipients receive a certificate from the District Governor.

Please consider nominating a worthy Lion.

With sincere thanks,

Lion Susan Cox

First Vice District Governor



Martin Bonura
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Telephone: 443-472-5456

FROM THE DESK OF:

2ND VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR MARTIN BONURA
Decision-Making is Leadership in Action
January 2024

What does it mean to be a great leader? When we look at individuals in our organization, in politics, our communities, our workplace, or the military we judge their leadership based on actions they take or refrain from taking when problems arise. We may not always agree with their course of action, but accept their leadership based upon how they get things done; their willingness to stand up and make a decision.

Lion leaders perform administrative and ceremonial duties for our club or the district or the multiple district or Lions International. The administrative part of leadership includes preparing the agenda, scheduling events, overseeing fundraising efforts, directing service projects, organizing, and offering guidance.

The ceremonial part of leadership is the easiest and often the most enjoyable. It involves showing up, being recognized, making remarks, honoring deserving Lions, and encouraging involvement. It is easy to be a Lion leader if there are no clashes of ideas, disagreements, or other conflicts; minor or major. All you need to do is arrive, take a seat at the head table, call the meeting to order, and smile while everyone follows a pleasant script. Lion leaders must also work together to reduce conflict and must be ready to make decisions when problems arise.

Decision making is problem solving. As a Lion leader you need to identify potential problems and other areas of conflict. Avoiding conflict by ignoring it never allows you to understand and fix the real problem. When no decision is made it is in reality a decision to ignore the problem and to allow events to determine the outcome. This is never good for a Lions club.

Our Lions world involves listening to and managing the ideas of volunteers who do not need to follow our lead. Their ideas and their approach to fundraising, service and even club management may differ from yours based on their personal plans, their experiences, and their personalities. They are not automatically wrong, just different. However, they may fail to agree with the leader's aims.

A Lion leader listens to determine the concerns of other Lions. The Lion leader identifies problems and if warranted, offers to help. That help always includes paying attention to their concerns, supporting their right to their beliefs and asking what result they are seeking. It does not include immediately taking one side in the dispute over the other.

The Lion leader seeks to find out the root cause of the problem and determine what mutual solution would be to satisfy all sides. Then the Lion leader makes a decision based upon the information available. That decision is the action that we expect from a leader. That action may be to arbitrate or to facilitate a collaboration between the parties, or it may be to assist in another way. Action is the result of the decision and whatever the course of action, the Lion leader reviews it and if necessary modifies it to better serve our Lions.

Leadership requires you to have the proper training and experience. Please join us in the "bring your own lunch" leadership training program on January 20, 2024. Please email join22wlions@gmail.com to secure your attendance.

**The Governor Invitational
Rock, Paper, Scissors Tournament
to benefit Low Vision Research Foundation**



\$5 Entry

2 out of 3 Games, Single Elimination Tournament

Winner Takes All, Club Donation to LVRF

Brackets begin at the District 22W 3rd Cabinet Meeting

Ending at the District 22W 4th Cabinet Meeting

Contact Lion Jeremy Bair to sign up



Marketing Project #1 & Club Purchase Possibilities for Blue Cup Promotions



(Prototype -Minor adjustments may occur)

District 22W Marketing Chair: Each club will be getting eight "District 22W Plastic Cups" for the use of their choosing at events, fundraisers, meetings or for guest speakers, Leos, service recipients, scholarship recipients and any other handout possibility.

This is also going to be used as an opportunity for clubs to pre-order cups at bulk price. The Greater Carroll Lions Club will be selling these as near to "at cost" as possible. The pricing will be ten cups for six dollars (\$6.00). Please contact District Governor Jeremy Bair to submit check.

Cups may be pre-ordered on any increments of ten cups.

Due Date for orders is February 25th. Contact District Governor Jeremy.

Delivery will begin at the 4th Cabinet Meeting in March or as soon as available.

From the desk of...

The Governor's LVRF Christmas Dinner

On December 15th, members from six clubs gathered for a dinner with visual impairment to benefit LVRF. Participants wore eight different visual impairment glasses during a dinner that discussed components of the Low Vision Research Foundation at Wilmer Eye Clinic. They ended the meal with a blind folded taste test of four different ice cream. Other activities included visually impaired arcade games and pool playing. Members also bought an ornament at the end of the night.



Good Morning fellow Lions,

Please join District 22-B as we honor our District Governor Kathy Crockett at her Social, February 24, 2024.

ALL THE INFO IS IN THE ATTACHMENT.

Come ONE, Come ALL, it's going to be a GREAT TIME!

CS Donna Shelton



Brown Bag Training Opportunity For Lions



What if you had a training opportunity held in the Myersville Fire Hall training room, 301 Main Street, Myersville, Maryland 21773, on a Saturday from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. with no cost to you or your club; would you attend? Lions from every level including club, zone, district and multiple district would benefit from attending.

This Lions leadership training is planned for Saturday January 20, 2024. This is a “brown bag lunch” training. (We will provide the location and the training; **you bring your own lunch.**) The training is open to all Lions no matter their position. It will include the following:

- Identifying Characteristics of Healthy Clubs
- Analyzing Club Health Assessment Reports
- Club Action Strategies and Resources to Boost Club Health
- Setting SMART goals
- Creating an Action Plan
- Applying SMART Goal and Action Plan Knowledge
- Defining the Problem
- Addressing the Root Cause of Problems
- Implementing Curative Actions



We will have instructors trained by Lions International using a curricula developed by the Leadership Development Department of our international organization. To be a better leader we all need training and experience. We can provide the first two, but we need **YOU**.

YOU should attend to better serve your club and your district. You should attend to learn the duties, roles, and responsibilities of cabinet officers and district coordinators. This training will help improve problem solving skills, goal making skills, and the ability to develop and use plans to achieve the actions your club needs.

Leadership does require you to have the proper training and experience. Please join us in this “bring your own lunch” leadership training program on January 20, 2024. Please email join22wlions@gmail.com to secure your attendance.





The Vice District Governor Challenge Between the 2nd and 3rd 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. Local colleges i.e. Frostburg, Hood, etc., are acceptable in this challenge.



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 or the Student Engagement Office at 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. Use the following link: <https://www.frederick.edu/foundation/onlinegiving.aspx> if making a monetary donation, please 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. 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, 301-784-5459) or Dione Clark-Trub (dclark-trub@allegany.edu, 301-784-5268) or Pantry Representative 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).

Frostburg College PAWS Pantry – Contact Kristina Thompson at PAWSPantry@frostburg.edu or by calling 301-687-7598

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



Lions Clubs International District
22-W Third Cabinet Meeting
Saturday, January 13th, 2024

WHERE: Frederick Elks Lodge #684
289 Willowdale Drive
Frederick, MD 21702

TIME: 10:00 AM

MENU: Breakfast

COST: \$15.00/person

HOSTED BY: The Francis Scott Key Club

RSVP By: Sunday, December 31st, 2023 to Lion Suzanne Everhart by email everhartsuzanne@gmail.com or call 301-514-8730.

Please make checks payable to: FSK Lions Club

Mail payment in advance to: Lion Suzanne Everhart

2407 Highpoint View Ct. #201
Frederick, Md 21702

Multiple District 22 101st Annual Convention



**Ocean City, Maryland
April 18-21, 2024**



PCT Gina Daniels
Convention Chair
175 Oak Hill School Rd
Townsend, DE 19734

PDG Susan Bonura
Convention Vice Chair
1743 Deer Park Rd
Finksburg, MD 21048

IPDG Sue Parks
Convention Treasurer
8087 Clark Station Rd
Severn, MD 21144

To: Lions and Leos of MD 22

Subject: Multiple District 22 (MD 22) Convention:

The Council of Governors invites you, your club members and guests to attend the 101st MD 22 Convention on **April 18-21, 2024**, in **Ocean City, Maryland**.

The Convention theme this year will be ***"Changing the World"***. Enclosed you will find the material to register for the convention, order event tickets, arrange for hotel rooms, and register for the golf tournament. No tickets will be sold after **April 1, 2024** and no refunds issued after **April 5, 2024**.

You can begin the convention by playing in the golf tournament at the **Ocean Pines Golf Course** on Thursday, April 18, 2024 and end with the Victory Luncheon on Sunday, April 21, 2024.

Please share this information with your club members and encourage them to attend as this is a convention for all Lions, Leos and guests.

We are looking forward to seeing you at the convention in Ocean City, MD.

Yours in Lionism,

Multiple District 22 Convention Committee:

PCT Gina Daniels, Chair, (302) 547-1212, gina.daniels10@gmail.com

PDG Susan Bonura, Vice Chair, (443) 745-1281, PDGSusanbonura@gmail.com

IPDG Sue Parks, Treasurer, (410) 979-3901, rich99991@verizon.net

PDG David Mitchell, Registrar, (302) 604-2990, david.mitchell@mchsi.com

Reasons to Attend

- Meet and network with Lions and Leos from around the Multiple District.
- Attend enlightening seminars that provide opportunities to share ideas and meet today's challenges of membership in your club.
- Participate in the business of MD 22 and districts in electing District Governors and Vice District Governors

Seminars

Seminars are educational and interesting. The information obtained at the seminars can provide personal growth and help to enhance the operation of our Lions organization. **It's a great place to bring your new members and officers to educate them on Lionism.**

The schedule for seminars has not been determined but the hours will be

Friday, April 19

3:10 p.m. - 3:55 p.m.

Saturday, April 20

10:05 a.m. - 10:50 a.m.

10:55 a.m. - 11:40 a.m.

Plan to attend the seminars to help yourself, your club and Lionism.

Meet with your International Guest

Convention Hotel
Ashore Resort and Beach Club
10100 Ocean Highway, Ocean City, MD

Discounted hotel rates have been negotiated by the convention committee and reservations must be made by **March 21st**.

To book online go to:

<https://res.windsurfercrs.com/ibe/details.aspx?propertyid=17056&nights=1&checkin=4/18/2024&group=MDC2659&lang=en-us>

You will most likely need to cut and paste the entire URL into your browser address bar. The page will preload the Convention dates and the Lions group code rate. You will see a \$35 Resort Fee but that will be waived at check-out.

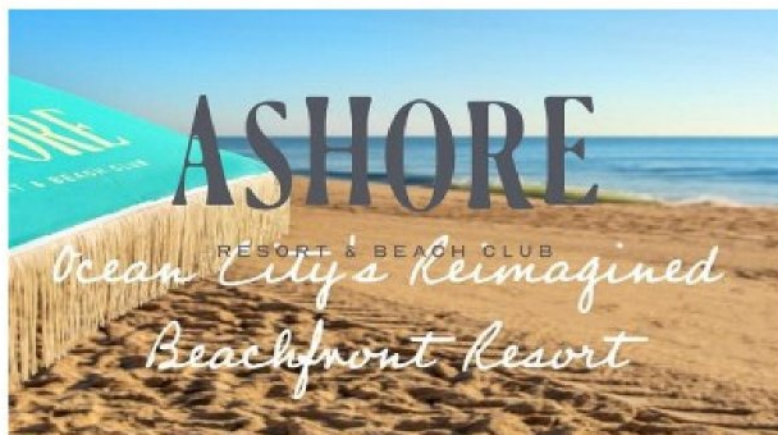
To book by phone call:
(410) 524-3535

There are a very limited number of ADA Compliant Rooms. These rooms are in a special block which can only be booked through Convention Chair, PCT Gina Daniels. Individuals requiring an Accessible room only, contact Lion Gina (302) 547-1212 or by email at gina.daniels10@gmail.com.

Thank you for your cooperation!

RATES

Standard Ocean View (two queens)	\$149.00 +11% tax
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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Thursday, April 18th

Ocean Pines Golf Course at Ocean Pines, MD

Golf Tournament

12:00 noon

Friday, April 19th

Ashore Resort and Beach Club, Ocean City, MD

Registration and Exhibits	9:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.
Council of Governors Luncheon (by invitation)	11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Opening Business Session	1:00 p.m. – 3:00 a.m.
Registration and Exhibits	1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Seminars	3:10 p.m. – 3:55 p.m.
Open Discussion with International Guest	4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
MD 22 Banquet	Social – 6:00 p.m. Dinner – 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, April 20th

Ashore Resort and Beach Club, Ocean City, MD

Past District Governors Breakfast	7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.
Lions Memorial Service	8:45 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
(Registration and exhibit booths closed during service)	
Registration and Exhibits	10:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.
Seminars	10:05 a.m. – 11:40 a.m.
District Luncheons	12:00 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.
District Meetings	2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Hospitality Rooms	6:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Sunday, April 21st

Ashore Resort and Beach Club, Ocean City, MD

Registration	9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
Second Business Session	9:00 a.m.
District Business Meetings and Elections	10:30 a.m.
Victory Luncheon	12:00 noon

Returning This Year LIONS PUTT PUTT GOLF

Location: Old Pro Golf, 68th Street (Only)

\$10.00 Per Person

Friday, April 19th & Saturday, April 20th 2024

9 a.m. ~ 9 p.m.

LIONS "Convention Name Tag" REQUIRED

Candidate Hospitality Night

Candidate Hospitality Night will be Saturday, April 20, 2024, from 6:30 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. Candidates Hospitality rooms for District Governor and First and Second Vice District Governors will be setup in Cabanas next to the Ashore Deck in the hotel. Come and visit with old friends and meet new friends.

JOIN THE FUN

Sign up on the following page for the
MD 22 Convention Golf Tournament

Ocean Pines Golf Course
100 Clubhouse Dr, Ocean Pines, MD 21811

Thursday, April 18, 2024
11:45am -12:45pm Registration
1:00pm Shotgun Start
Cost \$80.00

Price includes green fee, cart, range balls & prizes

Deadline: April 1, 2024

(Raffle and mulligans extra)

Format: "Four Person Scramble"
Men, Women or Mixed

Trophies for each member of the winning Lions team.

Only All Lions Teams are eligible to win a trophy!

All Golfers will be eligible for all other prizes

**(You will be assigned to a foursome if no other players
are indicated on your registration form.)**

AND/OR

SPONSOR A HOLE AT THE MD22 GOLF TOURNAMENT

FOR ONLY \$50.00 YOU OR YOUR CLUB CAN BE PART OF THE TOURNAMENT

AN 11" X 17" SIGN WILL BE POSTED ON THE TEE BOX
WITH YOUR CLUB'S NAME, DISTRICT, and the LIONS LOGO

You may also email the wording and mail the check separately.

Be sure to put "Hole Sponsor" on the memo line.

Whether participating in the Tournament or signing up to be a Hole Sponsor, contact is PCC Larry Burton.

Make check payable to: MD 22 Convention Committee

Send form and check to: PCC Larry Burton
3175 Deths Ford Rd.
Darlington, MD 21034
Email: coach13@zoominternet.net
(410) 457-8787

2024 MD22 Convention Golf Tournament

PLAYER REGISTRATION FORM



PLAYER 1 Please check if you are a: ☐ Lion ☐ Leo ☐ Guest

Name: _____
Last First

Phone: _____ Email Address _____

Lions District (Please check): ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ W

Club Name: _____

PLAYER 2 Please check if you are a: ☐ Lion ☐ Leo ☐ Guest

Name: _____
Last First

Phone: _____ Email Address _____

Lions District (Please check): ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ W

Club Name: _____

PLAYER 3 Please check if you are a: ☐ Lion ☐ Leo ☐ Guest

Name: _____
Last First

Phone: _____ Email Address _____

Lions District (Please check): ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ W

Club Name: _____

PLAYER 4 Please check if you are a: ☐ Lion ☐ Leo ☐ Guest

Name: _____
Last First

Phone: _____ Email Address _____

Lions District (Please check): ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ W

Club Name: _____

HOLE SPONSORSHIP REGISTRATION

Please enter the name that is to be printed on the Hole Sponsor Sign:

Please provide any additional information or graphics you wish to include on your sign.

Name of Individual, Club, or Business contact: _____

Phone: _____ Email Address _____

2024 SPONSORSHIP, ADVERTISER, EXHIBITOR OPPORTUNITIES

All major sponsors receive signage and recognition in press releases

Deadline March 1, 2024

Please Select one Sponsorship Level:

- ☐ **Convention Sponsor** - \$500. Includes one full page ad in the program book (inside front or back cover) and formal recognition at the convention site. (Note: Only two sponsorships at this level are available!)
- ☐ **Changing the World Sponsor**- \$350. Includes one full page ad in program book and formal recognition at the convention site.
- ☐ **Lions Pride Sponsor** - \$250. Includes ¾ page ad in program book and formal recognition at convention site.
- ☐ **Table Sponsorship** - \$150. A recognition with your name, club name or business name sign will be displayed on each table you sponsor.

Total Sponsor Amount Remitted \$_____

Please select one Advertiser Level:

- ☐ **Program Ad** - \$150; includes 1 full page, 3" wide x 7.5" tall, ad in program book.
- ☐ **Program Ad** - \$100; includes ½ page, 3" wide x 3.75" tall, ad in program book.
- ☐ **Program Ad** - \$50; includes ¼ page, 1.5" wide x 3.75" tall or 3" wide x 1.88" tall, ad in program book.
- ☐ **Patron Ad** – \$10; includes name listed in program book (limited to the first 100 to respond).

Total Advertiser Amount Remitted \$_____

Please select your Exhibitor Category:

- ☐ **Commercial** - \$150.00
- ☐ **Lions Organization/Pin Trader** - \$85.00
- ☐ **Exhibit Space Electricity** - \$ 25.00

Total Exhibitor Amount Remitted \$_____

Note: Exhibit setup on Friday, April 19, 2024, is 9:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. Exhibits are open on Friday, April 19, 2024, from setup until 11:45 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. and on Saturday, April 20, 2024, 10:00 a.m. to 12 noon.

We rely on the generosity and support of corporations and individuals like you who share our belief in serving the community. With your sponsorship support, you can help us to guarantee that our charity work continues for generations to come.

Attention Sponsors, Advertisers and Exhibitors - Please return pages 7 and 8 to IPDG Sue Parks, MD 22 Convention Treasurer, 8087 Clark Station Rd., Severn, MD 21144

SPONSORSHIP/AD PLEDGE AGREEMENT

PLEASE COMPLY WITH THE FOLLOWING DEADLINES

PLEDGE AGREEMENT FORM AND PAYMENT DUE BY MARCH 1, 2024

Enclosed is our check for \$_____ Made payable to *Multiple District 22 Convention*

Lion/Company/Advertiser/Sponsor Name:

Contact Person: _____ Phone # _____

Address: _____ Zip: _____

Include copy of AD and/or correct name of company (or individual) to be used for donor recognition. EMAIL A COPY OF YOUR AD TO IPDG SUE PARKS – RICH99991@VERIZON.NET – Acceptable formats – Word, Publisher, pdf

Please indicate exactly how your ad should appear, including capital letters & abbreviations.

Company website _____ Company email _____

Sponsor Agreement: By signing below, I fully understand the benefits I am entitled to through the level of sponsorship selected on the form, and I'm aware of the March 1, 2024, deadline for submitting sponsorship material and payment.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please mail these Forms (pages 7 & 8) and your Check to: *IPDG Sue Parks, MD 22 Convention Treasurer, 8087 Clark Station Rd., Severn, MD 21144*

For more information: PDG Susan Bonura, pdgsusanbonura@gmail.com or 443-745-1281

Instructions for Registering & Ordering Event Tickets

Use the enclosed form to **Register** and **Order Event Tickets**. *Even if you are not ordering tickets to any events you need to send the form in to register for the Convention.* This form may be reproduced as needed.

The form may be used by an individual registrant or a couple purchasing tickets or registering together. Please **do not use this form for more than two people**. Forms with more than two names will be returned.

All registrations and orders are to be sent to the Convention Committee Treasurer, IPDG Sue Parks, 8087 Clark Station Road, Severn, MD 21144. ***Payment must accompany ticket orders.***

Hospitality Book - Tickets included in the hospitality book are for the Multiple District Banquet, District Luncheons and the Victory Luncheon. These and individual ticket requests must be received by **April 1, 2024**.

Tail Twister Sticker - For \$10 per registrant you can order a tail twister sticker to provide exemption from tail twister fines at each event.

Check or Money Order only for the function tickets and tail twister stickers ordered. Orders without payment will be returned. Orders may be grouped and covered by one check (preferably a club check); however, ***each participant must have an individual registration form***. The check should be made payable to MD 22 Convention Committee.

Multiple District Banquet seating will be assigned in the order of receipt of your order. To ensure being seated together, please send all orders (with payment) in one envelope. Each table seats eight people.

Registration Packets - Hospitality books and tickets will **not** be mailed to the Lions or the clubs. An envelope for each individual or couple will be available for pickup at the District registration desks. This envelope will contain your name badge(s), hospitality book(s), tickets and tail twister stickers ordered.

Golfer's Note: You will pick up your registration package at the Hotel on Friday.

All questions concerning hospitality book, tickets, and tail twister stickers should be addressed to: IPDG Sue Parks, Treasurer, (410) 979-3901, rich99991@verizon.net

Description of Meal Selections

MD Banquet

Salad:

Baby Spinach Salad - Red Onion, Candied Pecans, Apple Slices, Goat Cheese, Bacon, Maple Vinaigrette

Entrée:

Olive Oil and Rosemary Seared Chicken - Garlic Mashed Potatoes, Lemon Beurre Blanc

Or Pan Seared Salmon - Rice Pilaf, Dill Cream Sauce

Or Vegetarian Option - Pasta Primavera - Seasonal Vegetables, Fresh Tomatoes, Herbs, Light Pesto Cream Sauce

Dessert:

New York Cheesecake | Fresh Berries

MD Lunch

Salad:

Ocean Club Salad - Mixed Green, Cucumbers, Shaved Carrots, Tomatoes, Mandarin Oranges, Ranch and Balsamic Vinaigrette

Entrée:

Herb Roasted Airline Chicken, Fingerling Potatoes, Tarragon Jus

Or Broiled Orange Roughy - Herbed Vegetable Rice, Old Bay Cream Sauce

Or Vegetarian Option - Penne Florentine - Spinach, Sun-Dried Tomato, Sautéed Mushrooms, Olive Oil and Garlic

Dessert:

Key Lime Pie

Victory Lunch

Soup:

Roasted Tomato Basil Bisque (GF VE)

Entrée:

Shrimp Caesar Salad - Poached Grilled Shrimp, Romaine Hearts, Shaved Parmesan, Focaccia Croutons, Caesar Dressing

Or Tuscan Sautéed Chicken Breast - Yukon Gold Mash, Tomato Basil Relish, Balsamic Glaze

Or Vegetarian Option - Portobello Stack - Grilled Vegetables, Quinoa (Gluten Free)

Dessert:

Fruit Tart

Multiple District 22 – 101st Annual Convention

April 18-21, 2024

Ocean City, Maryland

Registration and Ticket Order Form

Provide this information to pre-register even if no tickets are ordered.

DEADLINE: April 1, 2024 for all tickets

Registrant No 1

Name: Lion-Leo-Guest _____
(Circle one only) Last First Nickname _____
Street or P.O. Box _____ Home Phone _____
City/State/Zip _____ Cell Phone _____
Email Address _____ Club _____
Food Restrictions/Allergies _____ District – A B C D W (Circle one only)
Need vegetarian meals? ☐

Registrant No 2

Name: Lion-Leo-Guest _____
(Circle one only) Last First Nickname _____
Street or P.O. Box _____ Home Phone _____
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Event	Price	Registrant 1	Registrant 2	Amount
Hospitality Book - Includes MD Banquet, District Lunch, and Victory Lunch	\$160	Check your meal selections in the blocks below:		
Multiple District Banquet (if ordered separately)	\$72	<input type="checkbox"/> Chicken <input type="checkbox"/> Fish <input type="checkbox"/> Vegetarian	<input type="checkbox"/> Chicken <input type="checkbox"/> Fish <input type="checkbox"/> Vegetarian	
District Luncheon (if ordered separately)	\$50	<input type="checkbox"/> Chicken <input type="checkbox"/> Fish <input type="checkbox"/> Vegetarian	<input type="checkbox"/> Chicken <input type="checkbox"/> Fish <input type="checkbox"/> Vegetarian	
Victory Luncheon (if ordered separately)	\$45	<input type="checkbox"/> Chicken <input type="checkbox"/> Salad w/shrimp <input type="checkbox"/> Vegetarian	<input type="checkbox"/> Chicken <input type="checkbox"/> Salad w/shrimp <input type="checkbox"/> Vegetarian	
Miniature Golf Tournament	\$10			
Tail Twister Immunity Stickers (Provides immunity from the Tail Twisters at events)	\$10			
TOTAL AMOUNT				

Mail to: IPDG Sue Parks
8087 Clark Station Road
Severn, MD 21144

Make checks payable to:
Multiple District 22 Convention Committee

To register for the PDG Breakfast contact PCC Larry Burton at coach13@zoominternet.net.



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: _____
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- ☐ 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.

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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

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MULTIPLE DISTRICT 22 HOSTING Lions International Convention Washington DC



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Greater Carroll Lions Club

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In honor of:

Lion John Arber	Lion Bonnie Gillett	Lion Jim McNeill
Lion Emerson Bair	PDG Evan Gillett	Lion Sherman "Lee" Miller
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Lion Nelson Baker	Lion Rachel Graham	PDG Rob Murry
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PID Bruce & Lion Erin Beck	Lion Guy Garey	DG John & Eileen Mosier
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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

Around District 22w

DEER PARK



Deer Park Lions offered Hot Chocolate and baked goods to the veterans and friends of veterans during the Wreaths Across America ceremony at Deer Park Cemetery.

FRANCIS SCOTT KEY

FSK LIONS COMPLETED A DAY OF COMMUNITY SERVICE BY BELL RINGING FOR THE SALVATION ARMY DURING "FSK LIONS DAY" AT FREDERICKTOWNE MALL ON 12/2/23.

FREEDOM DISTRICT



On December 14, 2023, members of the Freedom District Lions Club, led by Wu Schaefer, Co-chair of the Parks & Trail Clean-up & Maintenance Committee conducted an inspection and clean-up event at Freedom Park in Sykesville. The park was free of damage and only light trash was found except for both sides of the entrance off Raincliffe Road. The latter area seems to be an area where inconsiderate citizens dispose of unwanted trash. Lion Wu Schaefer took the accompanying picture of her Lion co-workers for the day. From left to right are Tony Ramirez, Bruce Edwards, Bernadette Phillips and Mona Ramirez.

The Freedom District Lions Club (FDLC) held their first Deck the Trees Charity Challenge on December 9, 2023 from 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm at Freedom Park in Sykesville. Fourteen (14) businesses sponsored the event with 12 trees decorated. Approximately 185 adults and 80 children attended. The attendees voted for their favorite decorated tree. Provided free face painting, visits with Santa and holiday treats were for sale. Marathon Technologies Solutions was the winner of the best decorated tree contest. This fundraising event raised about \$2300 to be used by the FDLC for pediatric Cancer projects.

Alex and Holly Bush, owners of Marathon Technologies Solutions, pose with their decorated tree that was the winner of the FDLC Deck the Trees Charity Challenge held on December 9, 2023 at Freedom Park in Sykesville



Lions, Leos and others gather around Santa Claus at the Deck the Trees Charity Challenge sponsored by the Freedom District Lions Club at Freedom Park in Sykesville on December 9, 2023.

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THE LIBERTY HIGH SCHOOL ROTC COLOR GUARD PRESENTED THE COLORS AT THE WEATHES ACROSS AMERICA CEREMONY AT SPRINGFIELD CEMETERY IN SYKESVILLE ON DECEMBER 16, 2023.

On December 16, 2023, Freedom District Lions Club (FDLC) with the support of Babylon Vault of New Windsor conducted a Wreaths Across America Ceremony at Springfield Cemetery in Sykesville to Remember the fallen, to Honor those who serve and Teach the next generation the value of freedom. The emcee for the day was Carroll County Commissioner Ed Rothstein (a member of FDLC) and Stacy Link, mayor of Sykesville, led the Pledge of Allegiance. The Century High School ROTC Color Guard presented the colors. Eight veterans from Springfield Cemetery, FDLC, and American Legion Memorial Post 226 Sykesville and Post 31 Westminster, placed the ceremonial wreaths in honor of the military services and POW/MIA veterans. Vocalist Rich Collins, bagpiper Austin Middleton and bugler Kylie Fedde provided the music.

Approximately two hundred members of the Community including four family members of veterans interred at Springfield, the Liberty High School Leo Club, Girl Scout Troop 1707, Shout Club of Oklahoma Middle School and Brenda Boone from Knorr Brake placed 160 wreaths on the Veterans' gravesites. The American Legion Riders from Post 226 conducted an honor ride-by at the conclusion of the ceremony.

Carroll County Commissioner Ed Rothstein addresses the large number of attendees at the Wreaths Across America Ceremony held by the Freedom District Lions Club at Springfield Cemetery on December 16, 2023



Suggested caption: Members of the Freedom District Lions Club, Century High Leo Club and Liberty High Leo Club pose for a picture at Liberty High School before wrapping gifts for children on December 9, 2023.

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HANCOCK LIONESS LIONS CLUB

The HLLC has been busy during the month of December. I am sending you some pictures and hope you enjoy them.

The Hancock Lions Club always do a Community Dinner and The Hancock Lioness Lions Club assist with cooking turkeys, serving, and making desserts. The picture depicts some of our members along with the Hancock Leo Club. We were surprised to have Santa visit too!

We sang Christmas Carols at the Monterey House in Hancock and took cookies, apples, and oranges. A good time was had by all.

Our club Christmas party was held at Charlotte's cafe in Berkeley Springs, WV. Lion Dee wore a festive outfit. We had fun with our gift exchange.

Our Club was part of the Festival of Trees in Hancock and won an award for having a tree that best exemplified theme or mission.

Beginning in February, the Hancock Lioness Lions Club will have a new meeting place. We will be at the Hancock Community Center on High Street. Our room is located upstairs and can be reached by stairs or elevator. The meeting times will remain the same. We plan on having an Open House in February combined with a Friendship Night. More information will be coming.

Meanwhile, our January meetings will still be held at the Hancock Pizza Hut.

Hope you all have a Wonderful Holiday



OAKLAND-MTN LAKE PARK



The Oakland-Mtn Lake Park (OMLP) Lions Club recently gave to the WVU Childrens Hospital in Morgantown books for their youth cancer patients. These books will be available for long term and short term care children in the hospitals library as well as clinic waiting rooms throughout the WVU hospital. Pictured from the Child Life Department at the hospital are Barbara Shaver and Lion Leon Cardiff of the OMLP Lions Club.

Lion Ed Panther received the Melvin Jones Award and Lion Wayne Mowbray accepted the Lion of the Year from 1st Vice President Nick Dudok filling in for President Bill Grant.



SMITHSBURG

Lion President Jeff Weaver, right and Model Train Club Jeff Hollis draw winning tickets for meat raffle



Front Row: Lions Barbara Weaver, Jennifer Dawson and Elisa Sharpe
Back Row: Lion Brian Dawson and Santa



First Picture - Robert Stewart prepares Fries at Model Railroad Train Show
Second Picture - Richard Hembrock prepares sandwiches at Model Railroad Train Show



In the month of November

We attended the Cabinet Meeting on November 11.
We assisted with the Veterans Ceremony in Smithsburg on November 11.
We participated in the Vice District Governor Challenges.
We attended the Zone Meeting on November 20.
We did not have a meeting on November 22
We conducted 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 was held on December 13 with a Toys for Tots Program
We participated with the Smithsburg Police Department with Shop With A Cop
We hosted a blood drive on December 18 at the Smithsburg Fire Department
We collected toys for Toys for Tots.
We made a donation for food for the Vice District Governor Challenge

In the month of January

We will be attending the Cabinet Meeting on January 13
We will have Lion Dianne Walbreckner give a presentation Diabetes for the Vice District Governor Challenge on January 24.
We will be attending the third Zone Meeting.

In the month of February

We will conduct a food stand at the Model Railroad Club Show on February 10.
We will host a Blood Drive on February 12 at the Smithsburg Fire Department.
Our annual Valentine's Day will be held on February 14.

In the month of March

We will attend the Cabinet Meeting on March 23.
We will attend the fourth Zone Meeting.
Our Easter Flower Sale will be March 29 and 30
Our Annual Easter Egg Hunt will be March 30

TWLC Holiday Party:

Submitted by Lion Mindy Coates

On Dec. 11th, 20 adults and two children gathered for the annual TWLC Christmas gathering. After a wonderful fried chicken meal, we got busy playing reindeer games and writing 'thank you' notes to service personnel. Snowman bowling was a huge hit with Jaxon, age 3, who came with Lion Tom and kept 'rearranging' the snowmen's cotton balls. Lion Tom's other guest, age 7, liked the Chimney toss, Elf toss, and Tree toss. When Santa called to say that Rudolph had a cold and he wouldn't make an appearance; Lion Tom's granddaughters Paige and Lyla were designated elves to hand out stockings to their siblings. Lions Julia and Terry brought their son with them. Lion Bob Crawford brought Mindy and Darren; Lion Bob Garber brought Patti; Lion Tom also brought his grandmother, Holly, and Lion Forrest brought Sandy. Other Lions present were Mindy Coates, Josh Jessee, Bobbi Reeder, Charles and Pauline Rosier, and Tony Sager.

We tried a new gift-exchange game called the Left-Right game. While a Christmas story was read 'Left and Right' was inserted to move the presents around the circle of participants. It became apparent that many of us forgot our directions. After much laughter the story concluded and we were 'Left' with a gift. 100 notes to service personnel were written.

We Served our Community in November/December:

We collected 697 cards to be recycled to ARC.

We collected 83 empty prescription pill bottles.

Wrote 100 Thank-You notes to service personnel.

We made our monthly donation of \$100.00 to the Rock of Help Food Pantry at Ebenezer UMC.

49 canned items were donated to the Rock of Help Food Pantry at Ebenezer UMC.

21 blankets were donated to the South Carroll High School Leo Club for the Sun Valley patients as Christmas gifts.

26 pairs of sneakers were recycled to Sneakers to Abbie at the SC Senior Center.

25 scarves, 3 coats and 3 pairs of gloves were donated through the South Carroll Leos collection for St. Paul's Pantry in Mt. Airy.

We loaned out 7 pieces of medical equipment: 3 wheelchairs, 2 rollators and 2 walkers.

We held our last clean-up at Krimgold Park before Spring on Nov. 26th.

Reminder: gently used clothing, small kitchen items, cards (new and signed) coats, sweatshirts, gloves, hats or scarves can be recycled at the Rock of Help Food Pantry.

We Serve!



**MERRY CHRISTMAS
and HAPPY NEW
YEAR!**



SAVE the DATE

**TAYLORSVILLE-WINFIELD
LIONS CLUB**

71ST CHARTER NIGHT

70 YEARS OF SERVICE

MARCH 11, 2024

New Year's Resolutions: Here are a few from the internet: (1) Give one compliment a day (You never know-it just might make that person feel a whole lot better.) (2) Go someplace you've never been. (Step outside of your comfort zone and do something daring. It's good for the soul and forces you to learn new things.) (3) Write down one thing that you're grateful for every night. (End the night with gratitude and you'll feel better when you lay your head down on your pillow. **These goals are attainable!**)

22W - Leo Club News



**The Leos
are Proud to
Serve.**



Update on the South Carroll Leo Club:

The South Carroll Leo Club were very busy in December, serving our community.

- They conducted their monthly bingo at the Sun Valley Assisted Living Facility in Winfield.
- They made Christmas ornaments for the residents at the Sun Valley Assisted Living Facility. They also handed a blanket and a candy cane to each.
- They participated in the Westminster Rescue Mission Food Give-Away.
- They were caroling at the Sun Valley Assisted Living Facility with District 22W Leo Chair Mindy Coates.
- The next Westminster Rescue Mission Food Give-Away will be held on December 27th.



Leo Club Dates to Consider

April 6, 2024 - Roar Like a Lion - FVDG Susan will be helping Cabinet Members coordinate local mornings of service for youth across Western Maryland.

April 13, 2024 - Dinner in the Dark (Multi-Club Fundraiser - Frederick County Area)

April 22-25, 2024 - Leader Dog Week across the District will also incorporate Leo Clubs having before school and after school Meet and Greets with our 2024 Leader Dog Guest Tim Cuneio Sr. As the guest moves across the district, we will do our best to schedule these visits with Leo Clubs and their sponsors.

April 27, 2024 - LeoCon 2024 will be held at New Market Middle School, home of Lion Ashley Yox and the New Market Middle Leo Club program. Students will have a guest speaker, participate in service projects and end the morning with lunch surrounded by Leos from our clubs all around the district.

May/June 2024 - As discussed at the 2nd Cabinet Meeting, the District Governor has asked individual clubs to consider have a 2-year free membership scholarship included within their regular financial scholarship to graduating Seniors and college students. These students already dedicated to service would have the opportunity to achieve service achievement at the adult level.

Summer 2024 - Leo Leadership Camp at Camp Merrick in Nanjemoy, Maryland. Stay tuned for the tentative plans of a leadership camp during this coming summer for those Leos in our programs.

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

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HAGERSTOWN LIONS CLUB

Cash & Prize Bingo

Sunday, February 4, 2024
Knights of Columbus Hall
20340 Leitersburg Pike
Hagerstown, MD

Doors open @ 1 PM
Games begin @ 2PM

Special Games – Raffles – 50/50 – Pull Tabs

Tickets: \$25 in advance, \$30 at door.

Each game pays \$50 cash or a \$50 prize.

Food, Drinks and Homemade Desserts available!

For advance ticket sales, call 301-393-9333 or 304-702-7216.
Proceeds Benefit Lions Projects.

All ages are welcome to participate.

Please bring your used eyeglasses to donate to our eyecare program.

Greater Carroll Lions Club 10% in 2024 Discount Card

With a \$10 donation to the Greater Carroll Lions Club, you can receive a 10% discount every visit during the 2024 calendar year at the following local businesses:

Pardiso	Maggie's
Rafael's	Giulianova Groceria
Ledo Pizza	Genova's To Go
Mediterraneo	Stables
Illiano's J & P	Vocelli
Life is Pizza	Classico
Sergios	Cafe Blue
Ying Thai Cuisine	FireHouse Subs
Blue Point Crabs	Jiffy Lube
C.Y. Custom Tailors	Papa Joe's Mexican
Westminster Car Wash	Players Fun Zone
Maryland Mallet & Smokehouse Pub	

Available November 11th

Please contact: Irv Bohr at 410-259-3836

*\$10 Donation. All proceeds benefit Lions Club Initiatives.

Thurmont Lions Club at St. John Lutheran Church
 15 North Church Street • Thurmont, MD

\$7/Quart

Pick-Up 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Saturday, February 10, 2024

Pre-Order by Wednesday, January 31, 2024

**Chicken
Corn Soup
and
Sausage Tomato
Tortellini Soup**

Place order by email at jananny@comcast.net or
 by calling 240-288-8748. Please indicate:
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Midnight on the Mountain (Dark)
Catoctin 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

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Any Questions? **PAGE 33**
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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.



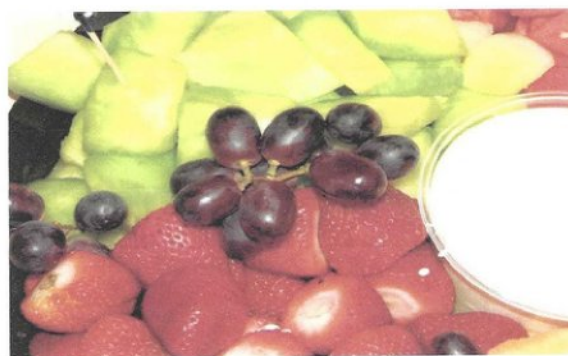
Please, no boots, no sandals, no flipflops & no dress shoes!

For more information call 443-745-1281 or email
southcarrolllions@gmail.com.

Support Provided by GotSneakers!

VDG 2nd SERVICE CHALLENGE

STOCK A FOOD LOCKER



We will be supplying a Food Locker for the Frostburg State University's Physician Assistant Program:

You may make a monetary donation towards the purchase of snacks or provide any of the following:

- Fruit/applesauce cups
- Microwavable popcorn, mac & cheese or soup cups
- Water; K-cup coffee
- Granola bars; trail mix; cheese or peanut butter cracker snacks
- Individual snacks

Bring donations to the January club meetings or drop off to either Lion Dianne McLean (410-206-1805) or Lion Ruth Heaney (443-202-3990) by mid-January

HAPPY NEW YEAR



Wishing you 12 months of success, 52 weeks of laughter, 365 days of fun, 8,760 hours of joy, 525,600 minutes of good luck, and 31,536,000 seconds of happiness. Wish you a very Happy New Year!

2024