



Lions District 11 A-2 Roaring News



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Governor Shares Goals For Upcoming Year

"The best gift anyone can give, I believe, is the gift of sharing themselves." —Oprah

We have lost too many Lions in the past couple of months. They all shared themselves and made our lives and the lives of others richer through their service. I had the honor and privilege of saying goodbye to PDG Joe Wilson on behalf of myself and Lions everywhere and thanking him for his service. PDG Joe and I had a family and work history as well as Lions and he always brightened my day when I got to see him. His laugh and love of life was infectious, and he will be missed. All our lost Lions will be greatly missed!



In the interest of sharing, I was asked to share my goals for the year with all of you and make sure we are all headed in the same direction. So here we go:

- ✓ **Membership:** Our team will start one new club, acquire 134 new members and have a net gain of -7 at the end of the year. This goal was given by Lions International, and I accepted it. It does not mean we can't surpass it. We have GMT Shawn Blaszczyk and GET Leo Schaefer both working on new clubs, one in each county, and I know you are all doing your best to bring in new members. Unfortunately, as mentioned above, we cannot stop Lions from passing away, so we need to keep the ones we have. If you're not seeing a member, find out if they're okay and if we lose one, we need to find out why. Don't forget that transferring to another club is always an option if someone is no longer comfortable in a particular club's atmosphere. We would rather see someone move than lose them.
- ✓ **Service:** Our team will ensure that 90% of the clubs in our district report service. This one should be easy as only one service project needs to be reported and we should be able to reach 100%. I know that you are all out there performing service. If your secretary is having trouble reporting, please contact DA/GST Cheryl Satterthwaite. That's what the District Administrator is all about.





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- ✓ **Leadership Development:** Our team will ensure that 100% of Zone Chairs attend training and 30% of our clubs attend club officer training. I believe that GLT Jim Leach, Jr. is doing a great job. We got 100% of our Zone Chairs trained and we are probably close to the 30% for club officer training. So, if you are a club officer and weren't able to attend the training sessions, call Lion Jim and he can help set you up for the Lions Learning Center and we can get credit that way.
- ✓ **LCIF:** Our team will ensure a 2% individual participation increase and a 2% club increase in donations. Please, please, please, consider making your own personal donation to LCIF. It is rewarding and doesn't have to be a bunch of money all at one time. Our LCIF Chair, PRC Maureen Kennedy, has been telling us for a couple of years that you can donate \$5 per month. If you need help or more information, ask her. I'm not overly concerned with club contributions as we generally excel in that category, but feel free to add a few more dollars to your donation. We have all seen the results of our donations coming back to us in grants.
- ✓ **Personal Goal:** Our team will ensure that we place one brand new children's book in each library in our district. This is my goal. In case you missed it through the last few years, reading is very important to me. I remember as a kid, my dad would take us to the library and as soon as we could print our name, we got our own library card. I was very proud of that library card and for a good portion of my life, we as a family or later by myself would go to the library every three weeks (that's how long you could check out a book for) and get new books to read. Everyone should know how to read and that generally starts as kids. I will be contacting all 60 of the libraries in our district sometime early next year to find out what they need or want us to purchase for them. In the meantime, our District Tail Twister, Jim Bone, will be helping us collect funds as he fines you at various meetings. CST Kimberly Thiede is also helping by putting together baskets (the first one is actually a wagon) full of goodies and selling chances to win for \$5. There will be 4 baskets, and we will give one away during each round of district meetings. The first one is available now and tickets will be sold at each upcoming Region meeting. Please also feel free to make a personal donation.





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Wow, that took up a lot of space! However, it's all important and I thank you for staying with me.

My other personal goal is to visit each club or attend an event with each club. The event can be a fundraiser or a service project. Please contact Lion Kim Bone at lionesskim@icloud.com to set up a date. I will do my best to see you all!

Don't wait another moment...go share the gift of yourself with everyone you meet!

Lion Rhonda Furby
District Governor

1VDG Reflects On Service Following Recent Passings

This has been a particularly brutal month for Lionism in 11A2. Since our last newsletter, we have lost 3 Past District Governors. Joe Wilson 87-88, Joe Polzin 98-99, Ron Holler 09-10.

Without boring you again with my history in Lions, my 30 plus years in Lionism are not continuous years. After retiring from my business and the boredom of Covid, I happened across a Lion that was soliciting Candy Canes at my local supermarket. Like an Oh, S**t! moment, I realized I could rekindle my affiliation with Lions. I went to my car and found a piece of paper and submitted my info to that Lion with a request to join the club.

That Lion turned out to be Lion Roy Waters who was the President of Beverly Hills Lions.

After attending a few meetings, Lion Roy asked if I was interested in serving as a Zone Chair and explained what would be needed if I was interested. Since then, you have been stuck with me and my bad jokes (don't blame Lion Roy for that because he didn't know how bad my jokes were yet).

The main purpose of my rejoining a Club was the personal relationships that develop within the membership. I am particularly saddened to report the passing of Lion Roy. He was a quiet man with strong leadership. His moral compass could not have been any straighter and it is truly saddening to lose a top-notch person within our ranks.





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I find myself once again taking stock of my actions and am very grateful to have made a tremendous number of new friends through membership but find it still difficult to say goodbye. Like the numerous Lions that forged the relationship with me as a young whippersnapper, Lion Roy will forever be emblazoned in my memory as the hard working, unselfish, empathetic leader of my community that is the backbone of Lionism. It is hard to say goodbye to Lion Roy, but neither of us was given the choice.

Every year at the District Convention, there is a moving memorial to every Lion lost with the last year. It is one of the more solemn moments of the Convention, but it is very moving to learn about the hundreds of years of service that we lose every year. Thanks to each and every one of you reading this because you are making my life richer just knowing you.

Lion Mark Scicluna

1st Vice District Governor

Cabinet Nominations Open For Next Lionistic Year

It's that time of year again. Yes, the new Lions year just started but we need to begin plans for next year already. FVDG Mark mentioned at the Cabinet Meeting he is looking for YOU to step up to help fill his Cabinet next year. We are looking for the following positions:

District Governor
First Vice District Governor
Second Vice District Governor
Region Chairs (1, 2, 3)
Lions of Michigan Foundation Trustee (2-year position)

Nomination letters need to be received by me no later than January 28, 2025 (60 days prior to the District Convention). Email is acceptable and more reliable. My email is shawn.prc1973@yahoo.com If you prefer snail mail my address is: 1420 Balmoral Drive, Mt. Clemens, MI 48043

We are looking for at least 1 nomination for each position but preferably more to make it exciting. Any questions on what these positions involve can be directed to me or FVDG Mark.

PDG Shawn





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2023-2024 LCIF Donations Report

Dear Wonderful Lions of District 11A2:

It has taken a while for finalization of LCIF donations for 2023-2024 but donations for June (the end of the Lion Year) were finalized this month of August. (I guess that's what happens when there is a new platform to work with plus over 49,000 Clubs in the world.) Once again, District 11A2, YOU HAVE DONE YOURSELVES PROUD!!!!

Congratulations on surpassing our goal for 2023-2024 and surpassing the "stretch" goal which Past International President Brian Sheehan, who headed up LCIF for 2023-2024, gave us.

Our District contributed \$46,195.00 to LCIF for 2023-2024. 31 of 32 Clubs (which also includes donations from individuals in that Club) donated; that's 97% of our Clubs. Let's aim for 100% for 2024-2025.

I suppose there could be some friendly competitions going on this year. For the Lion Year, 2022-2023, The New Baltimore Lions Club led our District in donations to LCIF; for 2023-2024, The Shelby Township Lions led our District. Going forward, please, remember that your individual donations to LCIF count towards your own Melvin Jones/Progressive Melvin Jones and that donation also counts towards your Club donation.

Also, you may remember that LCIF will be glad to accept your donation of \$5.00 a month if you choose to do so. If you have not made an individual donation to LCIF, I know that \$5.00 a month works so you may want to try it.

By the way, we had more individual donations from our District this past year also. Yay! for us!!! YOU ALL ARE WONDERFUL FOR HELPING SO MANY OTHERS!!! WHAT A GREAT DISTRICT!!!

Lion Maureen Kennedy, PRC
LCIF District Coordinator (2022-2025), District 11A2



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New Members Welcomed In August



Clawson

Gerri Phillips sponsored Carol McLean

New Baltimore

Karen Genticore sponsored by Tammi Graber
Joyce Lemmer sponsored by Jeanette Witek
Amanda Littlejohn sponsored by Rachel Steerzer
Deborah Michaels sponsored by Jeanette Witek
William Michaels sponsored by Daniel Witek
Shivji Sengupta sponsored by William McClellan
Tonia Sengupta sponsored by Jan McClellan

Sterling Heights

Eric Boldan sponsored by Angela Scott
Judith Dies sponsored by Lisa Stout
Anthony Perri sponsored by Ronald Papa

Wixom

Ken Becker sponsored by Wendy Kuechle
David Cook sponsored by Wendy Kuechle

District Considers Participation in Golden Kettle Competition This Holiday Season

I would like to know if any of our clubs would be interested in competing individually or as a District. I know we have a couple of clubs who already ring bells during the Christmas season, so maybe we can get all of our clubs to participate. They may contact me at rhonda.furby2022@gmail.com if they are interested and I will ask at our next round of meetings, too.

To Learn more about the Golden Kettle competition, check out the write ups in the Flyer section of this newsletter.

Lion Rhonda Furby
District Governor





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The Golden Kettle Competition Among Service Clubs

By Captain Mika Roinila

The Salvation Army proposes the awarding of a Golden Kettle to the service club that raises the most money during the annual Christmas Kettle Campaign. The winners will receive a traveling Golden Kettle trophy that will remain with the winners until the next year's competition begins. The scale of the competition can be determined by decision-makers. However, it was originally created in an appointment area only.

The Golden Kettle was started (for the Roinila's) with the 2017 Christmas Campaign in Hannibal, MO. For history and background on the golden kettle, see this article:

https://www.hannibal.net/archive/article/golden-kettle-to-be-awarded-to-top-salvation-army-bell-ringers/article_ed39372a-2d82-5df6-9b83-42200e10b431.html

Service clubs got engaged, and updates were published weekly in the local paper to keep everyone informed of the changes in the standings. A story appeared in the Hannibal Courier Post on Nov. 2018 for the 2018 campaign: https://www.hannibal.net/archive/article/who-is-winning-the-golden-kettle/article_6852d06e-9388-593b-8a58-d5f4296ca880.html

Captains Roinila were appointed to Fulton Heights Citadel in Grand Rapids, MI, in 2019, and they conducted the Golden Kettle competition amongst service clubs for three years. It was first promoted on Nov. 21, 2019 in the Grand Rapids Rapidian: <https://therapidian.org/salvation-army-award-golden-kettle>

The winner for the 2019 campaign was the Golden K Kiwanis Club; the 2020 award went to the Kentwood Rotary Club, which received recognition by the club on their website:

<https://ridistrict6290.org/stories/kentwood-rotary-awarded-the-2020-golden-kettle>

In 2021, the Golden Kettle award went again to the Golden K Kiwanis Club, having raised \$10,844 (see <https://www.therapidian.org/salvation-army-award-golden-kettle-golden-k-kiwanis-club>).

Captains Roinila were appointed to Battle Creek, MI, in 2021. Again, they got service clubs to ring bells and compete for the Golden Kettle. The 2022 winners came from the Masons of Ira A. Beck Lodge. The winner for 2023 was American Legion Post 257. See these following stories:

2022 Golden Kettle results in

<https://www.battlecreekenquirer.com/story/news/local/2023/11/09/salvation-army-red-kettle-campaign-kicks-off-friday-in-battle-creek/71518134007/>

2023 Golden Kettle results were issued in the Feb. 8, 2024 Shopper News: <https://irp.cdn-website.com/3426e64a/files/uploaded/Shopper%202-8-2024.PDF> (see page 3).





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Statistics of the ongoing competition are shared weekly in local papers such as the Rapidian in Grand Rapids and the Shopper News in Battle Creek. Photos of bell ringers from every club are shared with each club, many of which are posted on Facebook as well.

Plans for the competition begin in the summer, and visits to all local service clubs are needed to introduce the competition to everyone. The name and address of club chairmen and leaders are gathered quickly so that presentations can be secured in their schedules. Shifts and locations are the responsibility of any club that wants to get involved. Clubs must sign in with Register-to-Ring when the season opens in October 2024.

At the conclusion of the Christmas campaign, all results are tabulated **but not announced**. An awards ceremony is scheduled for the end of January when all service clubs are invited, as well as all volunteers who rang bells to an event where their efforts are recognized.

- Certificates are awarded to all individuals and/or groups that participated in the campaign.
- The Golden Kettle Award is given last.

Once the winner is announced, the trophy can be passed from last year's winners to the new winner, as the trophy is handed off by one group to the next.

- If the same group repeats as the winner, the corps officer can award the trophy to the winners. Then the trophy can "travel" from one club in the winning organization to the next.

The ultimate idea of the competition is to get all Rotarians, Optimists, Elks, Kiwanians, Lions, Legion posts, Masonic lodges, etc. to join forces in order to win the trophy and bragging rights.

Individual chapters and clubs competing against one another don't achieve as much as a collective effort by all. It's one for all, and all for one!

Competition can expand across counties and across the state, and this is one way in which the Christmas Kettle Campaign can be a great success.

We can attest that there is much interest in the competition, and the return on investment (ROI) shows continued growth.





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Leader Dogs for the Blind - Lions Newsletter



Passion, Commitment & Puppies...Eighteen to be Exact!

WITH PUPPY RAISER, IPCC PHYLLIS K., MISSOURI

Meet Immediate Past Council Chair, Phyllis and her husband, Past District Governor, Phil, our superhero puppy raisers! Together they have dedicated many years and volunteer hours to raising seventeen Future Leader Dog pups and currently training puppy number eighteen. Read why Phyllis is so passionate about being a Leader Dogs for the Blind puppy raiser:

"I LOVE PUPPIES! This has always been true, ever since I was a little girl on a farm in northwest Missouri. When I first heard about being a puppy raiser for Leader Dogs for the Blind, I was all about the opportunity to have a new puppy every year. **I had absolutely no idea how that first puppy would impact my life.** Puppy raising has changed how I "see" the world. Each new puppy comes a blank slate to be shaped into a confident, well-mannered dog capable of bonding with a visually impaired partner. How I interact with the puppy and the love and experiences I provide sets the groundwork for that puppy to grow into their potential to be the best guide possible for their eventual person.



Is it hard to let them go each year? Absolutely, but the joy received when I get that notification that they have been placed with a Leader Dog client is indescribable. I have been fortunate in that many of the clients my dogs have been placed with continue to stay in touch with me, expanding my world and family," said Phyllis.

Join Phyllis, Phil, and other dedicated supporters in this deeply rewarding experience. Your love and guidance can unlock a world of possibilities for someone who is blind or visually impaired.

Pictured to the left: PDG, Phil (left) and IPCC, Phyllis (right) sit on a couch in the canine development center at Leader Dogs for the Blind with their seventeenth Future Leader Dog, Jeri Ann, a yellow lab who is sitting on the ground in front of them.

**ARE YOU READY TO RAISE A
FUTURE LEADER DOG AND
MAKE A DIFFERENCE?**



SCAN ME





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Special Raffle for DG's Project

Fellow Lions:

There will be four opportunities for you to support DG Rhonda's project - A book in EVERY library (in our district).

The first three opportunities will be: at each Cabinet Meeting a special raffle will start. Tickets will be sold at that Cabinet Meeting and at each Region Meeting for that round. The winning ticket will be drawn at the last Region Meeting.

The fourth opportunity will be at the last Cabinet Meeting. Since there is not a round of meetings following, tickets will be sold at that meeting only and the winner will be drawn at that meeting.

The cost of each ticket is \$5.00. All money will go the DG's project.

The beginning raffle is a picnic in a wagon. It includes a wagon, two chairs, a picnic mat, a lawn dice game, a backpack cooler, reusable plastic plate, bowl, glass and "silverware" for four with a bag to carry them in, as well as a stuffed new friend.

Each raffle will be different, Look for a Made in Michigan basket, Cozy up with the Governor (including some of her favorite books), and one yet to be determined.

Give generously to support DG Rhonda's project.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact me.

Yours in Service

CST Kimberly Thiede
District 11-A2
2024-2025
Fraser Lions





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Upcoming Events

Click on the calendar icon for more information.

To submit an event, email details to lionsnewsletter11a2@gmail.com. The deadline is the 10th of each month.

 18 SEPT	<u>Region I Meeting ZC</u> <u>Patrick Wojas & the</u> <u>Beverly Hills Lions</u> <u>Club</u>	 19 SEPT	<u>Region III</u> <u>Meeting Mt</u> <u>Clemens ZC Jim</u> <u>Ketchum</u>	 19 SEPT	<u>Royal Oak</u> <u>Lions Golf</u> <u>Outing</u>	 22 SEPT	<u>Eastpointe Lions</u> <u>Golf Outing</u>
 24 SEPT	<u>Region II Meeting</u> <u>Fraser ZC</u> <u>Veronica Buege</u>	 28 SEPT	<u>White Elephant</u> <u>Sterling Heights</u> <u>Lioness Lions</u>	 29 SEPT	<u>Eastpointe Lions</u> <u>Golf Outing</u>	 02 OCT	<u>Cabinet Meeting</u> <u>Lake Orion RC</u> <u>Lion Jim Lykins</u>
 4-5 OCT	<u>Council of</u> <u>Governors</u> <u>Meeting -</u> <u>Gaylord</u>	 06 OCT	<u>DG Lion</u> <u>Kelley Unruh</u> <u>Appreciation</u> <u>Dinner</u>	 06 OCT	<u>Belle Isle</u> <u>Diabetes Walk</u>	 18 OCT	<u>Penrickton Dinner</u> <u>Henry Dearborn</u>
 06 NOV	<u>Region I Meeting</u> <u>Lake Orion RC</u> <u>Lion Jim Lykins</u>	 8-10 NOV	<u>Region I Meeting</u> <u>Lake Orion RC</u> <u>Lion Jim Lykins</u>	 11 NOV	<u>Region II Meeting</u> <u>Royal Oak RC</u> <u>Lion Laura</u> <u>Mastracci</u>	 12 NOV	<u>Region III Meeting</u> <u>New Baltimore RC</u> <u>Lion Rick DeClair</u>





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Donation Mailing Addresses

Beaumont Silent Children's Fund Children's Speech Pathology

Attn: Kellie Bouren
4949 Coolidge Hwy
Royal Oak, MI 48073

Bear Lake (Lions Visually Impaired Youth Camp)

PDG Jack Patton, Chair
1880 Lochinvar Blvd
Oakland, MI 48363

Eversight

Attn: Alex Teska
3985 Research Drive
Ann Arbor, MI 48108

NEW

District 11-A2 Project KidSight, Inc.

Paul Hemeryck, PCC
30752 Glenwood
Warren, MI 48088

Lions of Michigan All State Band Mike Shields

52995 Washington Street
New Baltimore, MI 48047

Leader Dogs for the Blind

CHM Frank Cunningham, PCC
1039 S. Rochester Rd.
Rochester Hills, MI 48307

Lions of Michigan Service Foundation

Leo Schaefer, IPDG
46399 Imperial Ln
Macomb Twp., MI 48044-3922

Lions Club International Foundation

Lions Clubs International Foundation
Department 4547
Carol Stream, IL 60122

Sight Conservation/Diabetes/DAD

PZC Roger Blackwell, Chair
4555 Windswept Drive
Milford, MI 48380

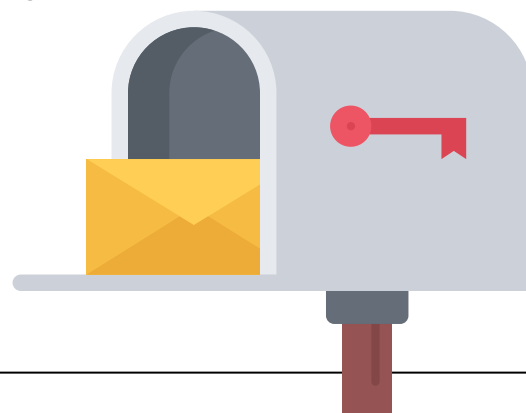
! Please Note: All checks should have the Club ID number or the Individual Member ID number in the memo section.

Sight Conservation / Diabetes

CHM Roger Blackwell, PZC
4555 Windswept Dr.
Milford, MI 48380

Penrickton Center for Blind Children

CHM Dick Maxwell, PCT
18701 Walmer Ln.
Beverly Hills, MI 48025





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NEWS UPDATE

Clawson Lions Mark 26th Annual Car Show

This year the Clawson Lions Club celebrated the 26th anniversary of its annual "Down on Main Street" Charity Car Show. The Club's premier fundraising event, held on Saturday, August 10th, has always been scheduled one week before the world famous "Woodward Dream Cruise". Nearly 400 owners brought their hot-rods, muscle cars, roadsters, vans, trucks, choppers, and bikes to completely fill both sides of a half-mile stretch of Main Street in downtown Clawson and show them off to over 6,000 visitors and car enthusiasts while competing for a truckload of trophies. In fact, we had so many entries that we ran out of curbside parking spaces and had to park some late arrivals in the middle of Main Street! With entries from all over Michigan, neighboring states, and Canada, the show is a very popular "must-do" for vehicle owners as they get ready for the "Dream Cruise" the following weekend.



The "Down on Main Street" Charity Car Show has been the Clawson Lions Club's major fundraiser each year for more than a quarter of a century. Proceeds from the show will enable the Clawson Lions to provide considerable financial support to Leader Dogs for the Blind, the Penrickton Center for Blind Children, the Beaumont Silent Children Speech Fund and the many other charities and service projects backed by the Club throughout the year. In the 26 years, this event has raised north of a quarter million dollars to our activity fund in support our charities.





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Milford Huron Valley Awards Scholarships



On June 19, 2024 Milford Huron Valley Lions awarded \$1500 scholarships to two worthy local High School graduates. Hannah Wegner & Victoria Adams have each chosen to pursue service careers. We wish them well in their endeavors.

Milford Huron Valley Celebrate 75 Years!

We also celebrated our club's 75th anniversary on August 17, 2024 at Connie Hill's home. We enjoyed a picnic get together & tribute to John Hill's amazing legacy with the Lions. It was a bittersweet celebration as John Hill had passed away on April 8, 2024.





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DISTRICT 11-A2 REGION 1 MEETING



"Serve to Live, Live to Serve"

September 18th, 2024

Hosted by

ZC Patrick Wojas & the Beverly Hills Lions Club

Location:

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1476 W Maple Rd.

Troy, Mi 48084

Doors open at 6:00 PM

Meeting starts at 6:45 PM

Meal Cost: \$20 per person with cash bar.

Please R.S.V.P. by Sept. 10th

*Send reservations to: Patrick Wojas
35058 Valley Forge Dr.
Farmington Hills, MI. 48331*

Please Make Checks Payable to the: Beverly Hills Lions Club

Person Name(s): _____

Club Name: _____

Number attending at \$20.00 per person: _____

Total Amount Due: \$ _____

*All Reservations must be paid in advance to secure a meal.
Sorry, no phone reservations.*



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DISTRICT 11-A2 REGION 3 MEETING "Serve to Live, Live to Serve"



September 19, 2024

Hosted by
The Mount Clemens Lions Club

Location:
Rec Bowl
40 Crocker Blvd.
Mount Clemens, MI
Social Hour at 6:00 PM
Meeting starts at 6:45 PM
Directions: Across the street from City Hall

Meal Cost: \$20
Please R.S.V.P. by September 10, 2024

Send reservations to: *Lion Dave Herrington*
165 Crocker Blvd.
Mount Clemens, MI 48043

Please Make Checks Payable to the: Mount Clemens Lions Club

Person Name(s): _____

Club Name: _____

Number attending at \$20.00 per person: _____

Total Amount Due: \$ _____

You may pay at the door if I know how many are attending

All Reservations must be paid in advance to secure a meal.
Sorry, no phone reservations.



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District 11-A2 Region II Meeting
September 24, 2024

Hosted by ZC Veronica Buege and the Fraser Lions Club
Fraser Lions Den
34540 Utica Road
Fraser, MI 48026

Social hour 6:00pm
Meeting called to order 6:45PM

Dinner cost \$20.00 per person

Reservations must be received by September 17, 2024

Please send form and check, payable to Fraser Lions Club to:
ZC Veronica Buege
49110 Conway Court
Shelby Township, MI 48315

Club: _____

Number of reservations: _____

Checks enclosed: \$ _____

International President Fabrício Oliveira





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ROYAL OAK LIONS CLUB PECKY D. LEWIS, JR. 17TH ANNUAL GOLF OUTING



THURSDAY SEPT. 19, 2024 at GLEN OAKS GOLF CLUB

Glen Oaks Golf Club is located at 30500 W. 13 Mile Rd., Farmington, MI 48334.

Registration opens at 9:30 am

Shotgun start promptly at 11:00 a.m. / Lunch served at the turn.

THIS IS A 4-PERSON SCRAMBLE EVENT.

The cost is \$155 per golfer, discounted to \$150.00 if paid by September 1.
This includes golf and cart, lunch at the turn, beer & soda on the course, and hors d'oeuvres and a prime steak dinner after golf. Prizes will be awarded for Best Team Scores, Closest to the Pin and Longest Drive contests for both men and women.
Cash bar at Dinner.

All profits from this event support the Lions Clubs International Foundation and other Lions Club charities which include Leader Dog, The Silent Children's Program (Speech Therapy at Corewell), Vision and Hearing assistance programs, our Lions Scholarship Program, and many other local charities.

Please register team members. List team captain first.

	NAME	E-MAIL ADDRESS	PHONE
Golfer 1			
Golfer 2			
Golfer 3			
Golfer 4			

DINNER ONLY -- \$50 PER PERSON - Includes tax and tip:

Please make checks payable to Royal Oak Lions Club Charities, 27705 Harvard Rd., Southfield, MI 48076. For additional information call Laura Mastracci 248-514-7694 or Marty McMillan 313-550-9661		





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COME ONE



COME ALL

WHITE ELEPHANT

WITH A TWIST

A Sterling Heights Lioness Lions Club Fundraiser

Saturday, September 28, 2024

12:00 Noon \$25 Donation

Sterling Heights Lions Club

12828 Canal Road

Sterling Heights, MI 48313

FOOD * FUN * MONEY RAFFLE

Bring a **WRAPPED** gift for the White Elephant
and

Some \$1 bills for the Twist.

All proceeds go to the charities we support.

Tickets must be bought in advance—no walk ins

Contact Lioness Lion for tickets



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EASTPOINTE LIONS CLUB

Presents

21st Annual O'Neil Charity Golf Scramble

**Let's finish the summer off
with a fun-filled golf day!**

Sunday, September 29th

Raffles

Pre-register by September 23rd

Maple Lane Golf Course

14 Mile Rd. & Maple Lane Drive, Sterling Heights

50/50 Raffle

Tee off 10am

\$100 per person

INCLUDES: 18 holes of golf with cart, 2 beverages on course, Lunch on the turn, Dinner

For more information, call Debbie Richards 586.713.7618

Make checks payable to: Eastpointe Lions Club

Mail checks c/o Debbie Richards, 23299 Doremus, St. Clair Shores, MI 48080



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"Serve to Live, Live to Serve"

District 11-A2 Cabinet Meeting
October 2, 2024

Hosted by the Lake Orion Lions Club
And RC Jim Lykins
Johnny Blacks Public House
3575 Baldwin Road
Lake Orion, MI

Social hour 6:00pm
Meeting called to order 6:45PM

Dinner cost \$20.00 per person

Reservations must be received by September 27, 2024

Please make checks payable to District 11-A2. Send form
and check to:

CST Kimberly Thiede
31335 Summer Lane West
Fraser, Michigan 48026

Club: _____

Number of reservations: _____

Check(s) enclosed: \$ _____

Fabrício Oliveira



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**PLEASE JOIN US TO CELEBRATE
IPDG KELLEY UNRUH
APPRECIATION DINNER**

Hosted by
Sterling Heights Lioness Lions Club Branch

SUNDAY OCTOBER 6TH 1-4 PM

UKRAINIAN CULTURAL CENTER
26601 RYAN ROAD
WARREN, MICHIGAN

SOCIAL HOUR 1 PM
DINNER 2 PM
PROGRAM 3 PM

**\$25.00 PER PERSON
BUFFET LUNCHEON AND BEVERAGES**

Garden Salad, Pork Chops with Apple Sauce, Beef Sirloin Tips,
Green Beans, Roasted Redskin Potatoes
Ice Cream Sundaes, Coffee, Tea, Milk, Soft Drinks
CASH BAR

RSVP BY SEPTEMBER 26, 2024 TO

Lioness Lion Sandra Varto
S_10961@yahoo.com

BUSINESS CASUAL PLEASE



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Annual Kick-Off Dinner



Friday, October 18, 2024
The Henry, Autograph Collection

300 Town Center Drive, Dearborn 48126



We're celebrating
72 years
of service!



Our annual Kick-Off Dinner is a gathering of friends who support the mission of Penrickton Center:

To help children who are visually impaired with multiple disabilities reach their potential.

The evening features an update on our work this year, a musical/visual presentation introducing the children in our care and a personal story from one of our parents.

6:30 p.m. Social Hour
(cash bar)

7:30 p.m. Dinner

Parent reflection

Entertainment

Silent Auction

Raffles and Door Prizes

Parade of Checks

Tickets are \$45 each and available now.

To order yours, call Sheila at 734-946-7500

Penrickton Center for Blind Children, 26530 Eureka Road, Taylor MI 48180 734-946-7500



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LIONS OF MICHIGAN

2024 Lions Leadership Events

Two training opportunities, one location

LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

The Michigan Lions Leadership Institute is a highly regarded leadership skills development event for Lions who are emerging leaders at the club, zone, region, and district levels.

GRADUATE INSTITUTE

This Program expands on the topics you have learned at the Leadership Institute and gives you a few more.

EVENT INFORMATION

Dates **November 8 - 10, 2024**

Location R. A. MacMullan Center
104 Conservation Drive
Roscommon, MI 48653

Questions? Email Lions@lionsofmi.com
Phone (517)887-6640 ext. 103





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More Information!

Lions Leadership and Graduate Institutes

There is a \$300 fee. This includes registration, course materials, two nights of lodging, and six meals. Arrival Friday morning, November 8, 2024. Registration between 10:30 and 11:30 followed by lunch.

Classes actively involve participants in the learning process and enable them to experience the concepts presented. The skills acquired can be used not only in Lions, but also at work and in everyday life.

When participants aren't in class, they make new friends, network, and exchange ideas from across the region.

Here's a sampling of classes:

Team building	Conflict resolution
Managing change	Leadership
Presentation skills	Effective listening
Action plans and goal setting	

Application form Lions Leadership and Graduate Institutes



Deadline: October 4, 2024

Send completed form and payment to:
Lions Leadership Institute
5730 Executive Drive, Lansing, MI 48911

Applicant information

First name _____

Last name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

Club name _____

District _____ # years in Lions _____

Highest Lions office held _____

Have you previously attended a Michigan Lions Leadership Institute? yes ____ no ____

Which Institute do you plan to attend (check one)?

Leadership Institute _____

Graduate Institute _____

Payment Information

**Make checks payable to Michigan Lions
Leadership Institute**

Enclosed is my check for \$300
for Leadership Institute _____

Enclosed is my check for \$300
Graduate Institute _____

Pay by credit card online:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2024-lions-of-michigan-leadership-institute-tickets-9529066684977?aff=odfidcreator>

Signature _____

DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION IS OCTOBER 4, 2024

**A CANCELLATION FEE OF \$150.00 WILL APPLY AFTER
OCTOBER 18, 2024**