



GROW THE PRIDE



We are beginning our third month of our new Lions year. A lot has happened in three months, the International Convention, Zone Chair training, our first Cabinet Meeting and also our first Council of Governors meeting. I want to let you know about something great that is happening in our District as we speak. Georgia Gwinnett College in Lawrenceville contacted LCI headquarters and wanted information on how to start a Campus Club. LCI New Campus Club Consultant, PDG Paul Baker came to Georgia from Toronto and held a five hour seminar that taught us how to start a Campus Club. On Thursday, August 21, 2015, GMT leader PDG Lion Dick Smith, GLT leader Lion Pete Stamsen, PCC Lion Grace Clower and a couple of young people from the Lighthouse went to the college and talked to perspective new club members. They were able to get a list of 50 names. They have been having informational meetings weekly and hope to have 20 or more students to sign up soon to start a Campus Club. The Lawrenceville club will be the sponsoring club and Lion Pete Stamsen and PCC Lion Grace Clower will be the Guiding Lions for this Campus club. I will update you on the progress of the Georgia Gwinnett Campus Club as it becomes available.

Are your clubs following up on International President Joe Preston "STRENGTHEN THE PRIDE." message? Remember that you can achieve this by:

Strengthen the Pride through Service- Strengthen the Pride through Membership Development- Strengthen the Pride by Strengthening Your Club

Strengthen the Pride through Leadership- Strengthen the Pride through Partnerships- Strengthen the Pride through Rededication

Strengthen the Pride through Giving- Strengthen the Pride through Creativity- Strengthen the Pride through Courage and Conviction

As a suggestion, you can strengthen the Pride through Service by having your club to participate in CONSTITUTION DAY – September 17th. (Please see flyer in this newsletter). Can you imagine the excitement on a 5th grader's face when he / she receives a Constitution on Wednesday, September 17th? Our 5th graders will be the benefit of your efforts; and if you do this, be sure to have your Club Secretary include it on the September Service Activity Report as a "youth project"—you would have covered one of the requirements for our Centennial Service Challenge—which starts now through December 2017 as Lions serve 100 million people around the world.

I hope that all of you will be able to attend the 2nd Cabinet Meeting and Hall of Fame Ceremony on Saturday, October 25, 2014. You will find the Agenda and the lunch ticket order form in this newsletter. We have a great day planned, starting with training at 9:00am. We will have two classes, a Certified Guiding Lions session given by Lion Pete Stamsen and a CEP session given by 1st VDG Anne Mundy. Both will be very informative sessions. We will then have our 2nd Cabinet meeting, be ready for that Tail-twister to have some fun!! We will also have our Hall of Fame luncheon and Hall of Fame Ceremony. Past International Director Dr. Beverly Roberts will be our Guest Speaker, and I am sure that she will have a great message to share with us all. A couple of more important dates coming up for our District and for all Lions of Georgia. ·

September is a "Keep the Camp Fires Burning Month". – Please contact Lion Brian Donegal for more info.
doneganbrian1@gmail.com

October 4 – Taste of Chamblee – Lighthouse fundraiser – looking for Lion volunteers for this day's 10AM – 2PM 2PM – 6PM and 6PM – 8PM shifts. Contact: mmarshall@lionslighthouse.org or mzelin@lionslighthouse.org.

October 4 – Camp for the Blind – Waycross – Car Show and Arts and Craft activities fundraiser at 9 AM – 4 PM.

The First Vice District Governor, Second Vice District Governor and myself have begun making our official visits to your clubs, so if you haven't seen one of yet, we will definitely be seeing you soon!! I will leave you with the following quote from Helen

Keller, "The only thing worse than being blind is having sight but no vision." We as Lions of Georgia have a vision, our District 18-I has a vision, your individual clubs have a vision. Let's work to make those visions a reality.

Thanks again and I look forward to seeing you soon!

Lion Vicki – DG – District 18-I

If you or your clubs need anything, please don't hesitate to contact me or any member of your District Governor's Team.

District Governor Vicki Hubbard Club Visitation Dates:

Madison Lions Club –September 9, 2014 at 6:30 PM
Commerce Lions Club – September 15, 2014 at 7:00 PM
Oxford Lions Club - September 18, 2014 at 7:00 PM
Oxford Lions Club - September 18, 2014 at 7:00 PM
La Vista Lions Club – September 23, 2014 at 7:00 PM

Athens Lions Club -October 2, 2014 at 6:30 PM
Dawsonville Lions Club- October 6, 2014 at 7:00 PM
Dahlonega Lions Club- October 9, 2015 at 6:00 PM
Loganville Legacy Lions Club – October 14, 2014 at 6:30pm
Conyers Lions Club – October 20, 2014 at 6:45 PM
Lawrenceville Lions Club – October 28, 2014 at 7:00 PM

Decatur Lions Club – November 18, 2014 at 6:30 PM
Thomson Camellia City Lions Club – February 9, 2015

2nd Vice District Governor's Club Visitation Dates:

Sept 2 Athens Heritage Lions Club 12:30pm
4 Royston-Franklin Lions Club 12pm
7 Colbert Lions Club 7pm
11 Lincolnton Lions Club 5:30pm ???
18 Martin Lions Club 7:30pm

October 7 Monroe Lions Club 11:30am
7 Forsyth County Lions Club 7pm
9 Union County Lions Club 7pm
14 Thomson Lions Club 7pm ???
21 Union Point Lions Club 7pm ???
28 Grovetown Lions Club 7pm ???

November 4 Carnesville Lions Club 7pm ???
6 Buford Lions Club 1pm
Winterville Lions Club 7pm ???

Atlanta India – TBA

Please **mark your Directories:**

The Monroe Lions Club has changed their meeting location to: Charlie's, 1102 W. Spring Street, Monroe, GA 30655. They meet the 1st Tuesday of each month at 11:30 AM. Their club secretary is CT Kathy Ivie, and she can be reached at 770-266-2332.

Zone 2 = We are planning for our first zone meeting hosted by the North Decatur Lions Club on September 22nd at 7pm at the Hampton Inn at North Lake. The address is: 3400 Northlake Pkwy NE, Atlanta, GA 30345.

Thursday, October 2, 2014 -- mark your calendars! The Gainesville Lions Club will be celebrating their 80th Anniversary. Please plan to join us. Dinner cost will be \$15 each. 6:30 p.m. at St. Paul United Methodist Church, 404 Washington Street, Gainesville, GA.

UPCOMING EVENTS

September = Keep the Camp Fires Burning

Engage youth to benefit 25 million people and be part of the Centennial Service Challenge!

“Sharing the Vision” in October

Better Vision. Better Hearing. Better Georgia.



Since 1917 Lions clubs throughout the world have shared a common vision... to fight blindness and provide vision care for all. Now, more than ever, Lions are needed to continue their sight-saving work and provide assistance to those who are blind or visually impaired. About 285 million people are visually impaired worldwide: 39 million are blind and 246 have low vision. Age-related causes of visual impairment and blindness are increasing, as is blindness due to uncontrolled diabetes. Child blindness remains a significant problem globally.

Take Action

During October, we invite you and your club to join Lions around the world to lead the fight against blindness. Help us raise awareness of the importance of healthy vision and the causes of vision loss by planning activities in connection with World Sight Day, recognized each October. Or, organize projects throughout the month that mobilize your club members to make a difference in your community... by helping those who live with blindness and visual impairment.

Check page 20 for info on 25 Youth Project Ideas

Planning Ahead

NOV = JOINT MEETING of Georgia Lions Lighthouse Foundation and Camp for the Blind, Warner Robins, Ga.



Plan for Sight Night 2014

What do we do?

Decide who is going to organize and collect eyeglasses for your Sight Night activity.

Consider

partnering with your Leo Club, Boy or Girl Scouts, Children Church Groups, schools, etc. Confirm the date for trick-or-treat in your community.



HOW TO GET STARTED FOR CONSTITUTION DAY SEPTEMBER 17, 2014

The following guidelines will help you get started:

- Contact your local School District or the schools in your area and explain our desire to deliver and give each 5th grader a Constitution (complete with flashcards and a teacher booklet) on Wednesday, September 17, 2014.
- Report the number of Constitutions needed to Barbara Hickey at esatlanta@bellsouth.net or 404-276-0808.
- Organize the volunteers with the name of the school and number of Constitutions to deliver.
- If the school principals are amenable, have the volunteers prepared to have pictures taken with the students and teachers for your website, newsletter and local newspapers.

The Constitutions will be provided by fundraising efforts across the state and purchased from Liberty Day, a 501c3 founded by an elementary school teacher.

Please help to give our students the opportunity to learn the 'instrument' that has served us so well!

November 2014

**Lions Diabetes Awareness Month
Get Ready for World Diabetes Day**

Dear Club Officers,

We cordially invite you and your club members to the 2nd Cabinet Meeting / Hall of Fame Ceremony scheduled for Saturday, October 25, 2014. The Cabinet Meeting will convene at 11 AM, Lunch / Speaker at 12 PM, and the Hall of Fame Ceremony at 1:15 PM. We welcome any guests as well. A 9 AM Certified Guiding Lion Training / CEP Overview is also scheduled.

This is always a **one-of-a-kind event—a special day to recognize your Hall of Fame nominee**. Your Cabinet will have a message to share; and our special guest, PID Dr. Beverly Roberts, will certainly be an inspiration to us all.

Lunch tickets are \$18 per person. A Ticket Order Form is attached for your convenience; and when completed please mail to: **Lion Bill Bowman, 1030 Keenland Court, Bogart, GA 30622**. Please make your check payable to: **Lions 18-I Hall of Fame**. Please list all Lions and Hall of Fame guests on the Ticket Order Form. Upon receipt of your form and check, table assignments will be handled. Please mail by October 15th.

We will again have a Silent Auction. Any entry, large or small, would be appreciated. Be sure to list your club name and the approximate value near the basket.

Also attached is the Agenda. Please be sure to bring your copy with you. I hope you have read the Minutes of our 1st Cabinet Meeting as Motion to Approve will be required.

Look forward to seeing everyone at this exciting event!

Sincerely,

Lion Vicki Hubbard
District Governor 18-I

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District 18-I
2nd Cabinet Meeting / Hall of Fame
Watkinsville First United Method Church
Saturday, October 25, 2014, 12 PM Lunch / HOF

Lunch Ticket Order Form

Number of Tickets: _____ @ \$18.00 PP = \$ _____

Club: _____ Contact Person: _____ Telephone: _____

Check payable to: **Lions 18-I Hall of Fame**

Mail by: **October 15, 2014** to **Lion Bill Bowman, 1030 Keenland Court, Bogart, GA 30622**.

Attendees:

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| 1. _____ | 8. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 9. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 10. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 11. _____ |
| 5. _____ | 12. _____ |
| 6. _____ | 13. _____ |
| 7. _____ | 14. _____ |

Lions Clubs International – District 18-I
2nd Cabinet Meeting / Hall of Fame Ceremony
Saturday, October 25, 2014, 11:00 AM
(Training Session at 9:00 AM)
 Watkinsville First United Methodist Church,
 1331 New High Shoals Road, Watkinsville, GA 30677

Call to Order	DG Vicki Hubbard
Invocation	1 st VDG Anne Mundy
Pledge of Allegiance	2 nd VDG Bob Norton
Welcome	Wayne & Nancy Turnbull
Recognition of Lions and Guests	DG Vicki Hubbard
Cabinet Secretary – Roll Call / Club Recognition	CS Doreen Stallworth
District Governor’s Comments	DG Vicki Hubbard
Cabinet Treasurer - Status	CT Kathy Ivie
Tail Twisting	Lion Bill Mundy
LCIF	PDG Ed Hashbarger
Leader Dogs	Lion Bill Graham
Georgia Lions Lighthouse	PDG June Phillips
Georgia Lions Camp	CC Olin Newby
Global Leadership – GLT	Lion Pete Stamsen
Global Membership – GMT	PDG Dick Smith
Cabinet Advisor – Club Excellence Awards	PDG Ed Hashbarger

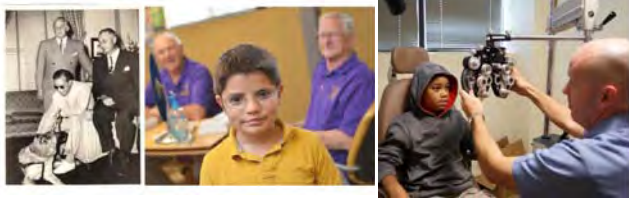
Adjourn the Cabinet Meeting - Open Meeting for Luncheon – DG Vicki Hubbard

Invocation:	Ken Fuller, District Chaplain
Lunch	Sponsored by the Oconee Lions Club
Introduction of Speaker	CC Olin Newby
Speaker	PID Dr. Beverly Roberts
Hall of Fame Induction	
Sponsored by 18-I Past Governors Association	CC Olin Newby, (Pres. PDG Association)
Closing Remarks and Announcements	DG Vicki Hubbard
Benediction	PCC Grace Clower



GA. Lions Lighthouse
 VP June Phillips, PDG
junelieu@aol.com

Check out the new **Lighthouse Video**
 Click here to view the Lighthouse Video!
<http://www.eventstreams.com/lighthouse/010f>



Dear 2014-2015 Club Presidents, Secretaries, Treasurers and Zone Chairs:

My name is June W. Phillips, I am your 2014-2016 District 18-I District Director for the GA Lions Lighthouse Foundation. I am enlisting your help to provide me with your club's 2014-2015 Club Liaison (formerly known as Associate Director) for the GA Lions Lighthouse Foundation.

I need the following information for these folks:

1. Name
2. Address
3. Home phone number
4. Cell phone number
5. Email address

From time to time, I will be sending emails out to the club officers and to your Lighthouse Club Liaisons news of your Lighthouse that will be of interest to you, so that you will stay in the know of what's going on at your Lighthouse.

So far, out of the 57 clubs in District I, I have about 5 club liaisons' names, so, I am looking for at least 52 more names. Please, if you have not appointed one yet, please do so at your earliest convenience. Thanks so much for your help.

I am always available to answer your questions via email and phone, and am also available to come visit your club and bring news of your Lighthouse.

The new Executive Director for the Lighthouse is Lion Roberta Green. She has been onboard for a few months now and is already doing a wonderful job for us, She can be reached by phone at 404-325-3630, X 301. If your club is interested in visiting the Lighthouse, or, your club is interested in volunteering to wash eyeglasses, please call the main number at 404-325-3630 and asked to be connected to the Volunteer Coordinator. Our service numbers are up and the organization is in a very healthy state of affairs.

During the fiscal year just ended (7/1/2013 through 6/30/2014), the District I people who received services from the Lighthouse (LH) were:

- Total people served 853
- Total people who received eye Exams 311
- Total people who received eyeglasses 845
- Total surgeries performed 115
- # of Kertaconus Contact Lenses and Prosthesis 2
- Total hearing aids dispensed 527

These are just numbers for our district. This is where your donations are going. A good number of folks in District I got either eye exams, eyeglasses or hearing aids at minimal costs.

I would encourage all of you to donate or continue to donate to the Lighthouse, so that folks in District I can continue to receive these wonderful benefits.

Hope to hear from you all soon re your appointments for your club's liaison to the LH.
 Thanks for your time.

Sincerely,

June W. Phillips, PDG District Director for the LH
 (H) 678-924-0562 = (C) 404-784-4156 = Email: junelieu@aol.com

Service Numbers
From July to June
2014

People having eye exams
311 were from 18-I

People have better vision after receiving a pair of glasses
845 were from 18-I

Eye surgeries were performed.
115 were from 18-I

Hearing aids through the dispensation
527 were from 18-I

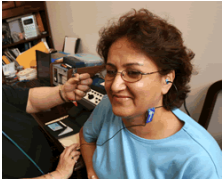
Get involved!
Whether through charitable giving or volunteering, there are many ways to support your Lighthouse!

Upcoming clinic dates in your area:

Contact Judith at
800-718-7483 or
JKerr@lionslighthouse.org
for more information about volunteer opportunities.

Help Us Use our Recycled Glasses

18 -I District Chair:
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VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED

The 7th Annual Taste of Chamblee Needs Volunteers!

What is the Taste of Chamblee?

The Taste of Chamblee is the largest annual festival in the City of Chamblee, benefiting the Georgia Lions Lighthouse Foundation, a Chamblee based non-profit. The event will be in Downtown Chamblee on Saturday, October 4, 2014 from Noon – 7:00pm. The festival will showcase the diverse restaurants and cuisine, local vendors and artists, live entertainment, Kidz Zone and most importantly—an opportunity to give back to the community. Make sure to mark your calendars because you definitely don't want to miss out on this family friendly community event.

The Need:

If you are looking for a way to meet people in the community, enjoy great food, and give back to a great cause, this is the opportunity for you. This year we will need at least 40 community volunteers to help with various duties such as:

- Ticket Sales Booth (Lions Clubs)*
- Set up/ Breakdown
- Vendor Assistance
- Booth Assistance
- Entertainment and Kidz Zone Management
- General information
- Directing crowds

Available Shifts Include:

Arrival of volunteers: 10:00am-10:30am

10:00am-2pm

2:00pm-6pm

6:00pm-8pm

For more information about the 2014 Taste of Chamblee volunteer opportunities, email Marsha Marshall at mmarshall@lionslighthouse.org or Michael Zelin at mzelin@lionslighthouse.org. We can also be contacted via telephone at (404) 325-3630 ext. 344.

Taste of Chamblee is hosted by the Chamblee Chamber of Commerce and proceeds will go towards the services provided by Georgia Lions Lighthouse Foundation.

Mark your calendars! Upcoming Lighthouse Events

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED FALL COMMUNITY SCREENING OPPORTUNITIES

Greetings Lions across the great state of Georgia! We are receiving numerous requests for GLLF representatives to volunteer at local community health fairs and events over the next few months. Before we add these events to our calendar, we want to make sure we have proper staffing and an adequate number of volunteers at each event. Below is a list of events during the months of September and October. If you would like to volunteer as an individual or group, please contact Marsha Marshall, Outreach Director, at mmarshall@lionslighthouse.org or Michael Zelin, Outreach Coordinator, at mzelin@lionslighthouse.org.

Saturday September 6th
9 AM – 2 PM

Brownwood Bike Rally
East Atlanta Kids Club
Volunteer Needs: Vision Screening

Wednesday September 10th
8 AM – 1 PM
Whiteford Elementary School
35 Whiteford Ave SE, Atlanta, GA
Volunteer Needs: Vision screening
with 6 volunteers

Wednesday September 17th
Time TBD
King Middle School
Volunteer Needs: Vision screening
with 10 volunteers

Saturday September 27th
Concerned Dads Community Health
Fair
1 PM – 4 PM
4600 Rockbridge Road, Stone
Mountain, GA 30083
Volunteer Needs: Vision screening
with 3 – 4 volunteers



Lions Camp for the Blind
Olin Newby, PDG
newby@wildblue.net



Camp Fund Raiser

My name is Brian Donegan. I'm the President of the Lawrenceville lions Club but I am also a former camper of the Georgia Lions Camp. I attended for 10 summers and without the lessons I learned and the experiences I had, I would not be the successful person I am today.

I am social media coordinator for Country Music Nation - The world's largest and most passionate community of Country music fans (we just passed the 3 Million likes mark on Facebook last week).

We have partnered with a company called Republic to design and sell our first official T-shirt. We will be selling the shirt for the next three weeks and 100% of the profit will be contributed to the camp to "Keep the Campfires Burning"

So if you are a Country music fan or want to help the Camp please visit <https://represent.com/cmn> (See below) and tell your friends.

Thank you very much!

-Brian Donegan
President, Lawrenceville Lions Club



Howdy Y'all! Let me introduce myself. My name is Brian Donegan. I am a 31 year old legally blind country music fan from Lawrenceville, Georgia. I've loved this music ever since the early 1990's and from the classics to today I love it all. I may not see very well but this music paints pictures in my mind that speak to me and touch my heart and soul. I'm very pleased to share my love of Country music as a daily contributor to Country Music Nation.

For 10 years as a kid I attended the Georgia Lions Camp for the Blind during a week (sometimes two weeks when I was older). The lessons I learned and the experiences I had helped make me the successful person I am today and I know the same is true for generations of campers.

Your support through the purchase of these shirts will help "Keep The Campfires Burning" for generations to come. For that we thank you.

God bless y'all and have a fantastic day!" -Brian Donegan



About The Cause: Georgia Lions' Camp for the Blind

It is the mission of the Georgia Lions' Camp for the Blind, Inc. to provide personal growth experiences for children, teens and adults with visual impairments through the use of recreation, education, socialization and rehabilitation in an outdoor setting.

CAMP OBJECTIVES:

- to foster the desire for participation in all camp activities
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- to develop in campers, a sense of responsibility and respect for others
- to provide the opportunity to develop a more positive attitude toward their disability
- to enable the camper to learn to accept ways of competing and cooperating with others
- to stimulate in campers greater independence, self reliance, resourcefulness, and initiative
- to help the camper learn new skills and to explore one's individual abilities
- to encourage participation in, and shared responsibilities of a democratic society
- to provide opportunities for understanding and appreciation through an awareness of the natural surrounding

Official Country Music Nation Charity Tee

Style

Show sizing



\$19.99

Show off your country pride with the first ever official (super soft, 100% cotton, US-made) Country Music Nation T-shirt!

****100% of proceeds will benefit the Georgia Lions Camp for the Blind**



\$15.99

YOUR CAMP NEEDS YOU!

The Camp for the Blind is organizing a new fundraiser to be held at the Camp in Waycross on October 11, 2014. This will be an Arts & Crafts and Car Show and need your help. Listed below are the volunteer opportunities we are looking to fill.

VENDER SERVICES

Inviting Venders
Reservations & Follow up
On-Site Registration & Welcome

MARKETING

Taking Flyers to Travel Centers
Postings to Facebook & Tweeter
Taking Photos to post

LOGISTICS

Booth Space Marking
Parking
Trash/Clean Up



LIONS CARS n' CRAFTS DAY

Cars and Arts & Crafts Show benefitting the Georgia Lions Camp for the Blind (GLCFB)

"KEEP THE CAMPFIRE BURNING"

5628 Laura Walker Road, Waycross, Georgia 31503

OCTOBER 4, 2014, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM



- ARTS AND CRAFTS BOOTHS
- ANTIQUE CARS & TRUCKS SHOW
- CLASSIC CARS & TRUCKS SHOW
- MOTORCYCLE RALLY & SHOW
- BOUNCE HOUSES FOR KIDS
- TASTE OF SOUL HOME COOKIN'
- FOOD VENDORS
- GREAT MUSIC & ENTERTAINMENT
- 50/50 CASH SPLIT RAFFLE
- \$10,000.00 CASH RAFFLE
- HEALTH & VISION SCREENING
- AND MUCH MORE!

Lions **CARS n' CRAFTS** Day 10-4-14

FEE SCHEDULE

- \$100.00 from the 1st 100 registered includes car entry and a chance to win \$10,000.00!
- \$35.00 / show car at gate or after September 1st;
- \$25.00 / show car pre-register by September 1st.
- 15% of gross for Food vendors with \$35.00 down.
- \$35.00 outdoors-\$50.00 indoors no electricity - \$100.00 indoors with electricity for Arts & Crafts vendors.
- \$5.00 spectator fee per vehicle at Entrance Gate. Everyone in one ride gets in for \$5.00!

Save the Date!
10-4

For more information contact
Event Organizer, Brenda Arnold
229-921-2793 text or call.
Email brendagnle69@gmail.com
www.facebook.com/lionscarsncrafts



District Leader Dog Chair Lion Bill Graham - blueberryfarm@windstream.net

Canine Development Center Project



Our Vision for the Future—A Redesigned Kennel

Our dogs travel a long and challenging path to become Leader Dogs. This is only fitting because Leader Dogs are entrusted to guide our clients on their own journeys through life. At work, crossing a busy street or maneuvering a college campus, our Leader Dogs have the immense responsibility of being the eyes of their human companions.

We know that a dog's environment has a huge impact on its ability to develop the skills and characteristics necessary to handle this responsibility. Stress and anxiety, which can be common in the kennel atmosphere, interfere with a dog's ability to learn and develop a calm disposition.

It is with the importance of the environment in mind that we developed the plans for the Canine Development Center. Every aspect of the redesign will positively impact the health, well-being and training of all future Leader Dogs. Our goal is to develop the ideal environment for our dogs—one that reduces stress, maximizes human interaction and best prepares every dog for its remarkable work.

Campaign for Leader Dog

Our kennel facility is at the heart of everything we do at Leader Dog. This project is essential to our mission, our capacity to develop quality Leader Dogs and our ability to serve our clients. In celebration of Leader Dogs for the Blind's 75th anniversary and in support of our \$14.5M Canine Development Center project, we are undertaking a historic campaign. Through this campaign we seek to engage our leaders, supporters and closest friends in securing the funds needed to upgrade the facility that is at the heart of our mission. It is because of our supporters' belief in our mission that we have been able to help change the lives of thousands of people who live in darkness. Our success in the years ahead will be significantly impacted by your involvement at this critical time.

The Campaign Creates Possibilities

- Develops the best Leader Dogs for our clients
- Increases the capacities of our training programs
- Creates an environment with the potential to positively impact our graduation rates
- Creates a space specifically designed to develop the kind of dogs that our clients need
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Canine Development Center Project Overview

Our Canine Development Center will create the ideal learning and living environment for our dogs, which means that we can better serve our clients by providing the best-trained and highest quality guide dogs possible.

- **A renovated training and kennel area** with spacious and open housing villages. Enrichment areas throughout the facility will ensure that our dogs get ample stimulation and human interaction.
- **A centralized veterinary clinic** to streamline circulation, increase staff effectiveness and help us deliver the best care.
- **An expanded puppy area** that is better suited for the health and socialization of puppies. Due to their capacity for learning and developing skills, it is important to provide the right environment for the puppies during this critical time.
- **Space for our dedicated campus volunteers to interact with our dogs** throughout the kennel to ensure that our dogs receive adequate enrichment time.
- **A new intake area** for our breeding stock hosts bringing breeding dogs and litters of puppies to and from Leader Dog.

- **A new breeding area** to support our growing breeding colony and ensure that we have enough Leader Dogs to meet demand.
- **An enhanced welcome lobby** with a veterinary waiting room, adult dog intake, retail space and a puppy area viewing room for the general public.

Rendering of Canine Development Center exterior



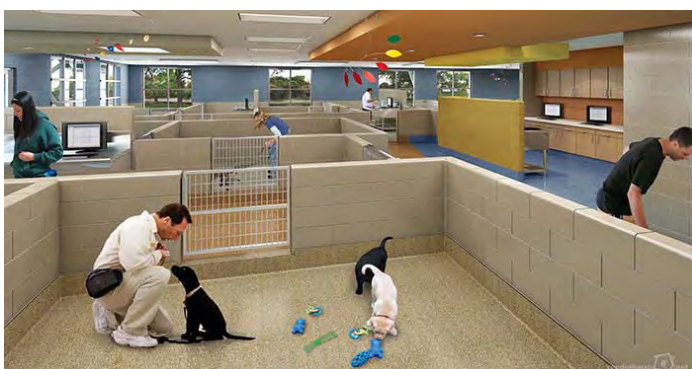
Rendering of Canine Development Center lobby



Rendering of new kennel area



Rendering of new puppy area



Rendering of new vet clinic



Learn More

Want to find out more about the Canine Development Center project? If you have questions about how the changes will impact Leader Dog, how the redesign plans were determined, the timeframe for the campaign and more, check out the **frequently asked questions** = <http://www.leaderdog.org/canine-development-center-project/faqs>



Dear Lions,

Earlier this month, Anne and I had the opportunity to attend the kick-off for the Special Olympics World Games, which will take place in 2015. We always have so much fun at Special Olympic events because there is a spirit of unity in the air that is just like the spirit of Lions clubs! It was during this event that **Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF)** continued our support for Special Olympics as announced during the African Leaders Forum on Disability earlier this year.



Whether Lions are working with our partners or working locally in communities, you do a world of good, and LCIF is there to help you. **Our Foundation** recently approved almost US\$10 million in [SightFirst](#) and [Lions Quest](#) grants for projects around the world. In addition to these grants, LCIF continues to support humanitarian projects and disaster relief efforts.

Just a few weeks ago, [China was hit with a terrible earthquake](#). More than 600 people died because of the disaster and a large number of people were injured. What made the situation even worse was that more than 40,000 homes were damaged or destroyed! That means more than 40,000 families are in need of help. I am proud that Lions are there to help them.

LCIF immediately issued a US\$250,000 Major Catastrophe Grant through the [Disaster Relief Fund](#), allowing Lions to provide food, water, blankets, medicine and other necessities to people in need. With clubs in more than 200 countries, LCIF is ready to help whenever Lions or their communities are in need, regardless of their location. The road to recovery can be a long one, but Lions will be there for as long as needed while homes are rebuilt and communities are put back together in China.

I want to thank you for your support and your concern.

Sincerely,

Barry J. Palmer
Chairperson, Lions Clubs International Foundation

Lions Quest and SightFirst Grants Awarded

During the August 2014 [Lions Quest](#) Advisory Committee meeting, 22 grants were awarded, totaling US\$1,216,054. Through these grants, Lions Quest programs will provide students with positive life skills in countries like India, Japan, Madagascar, the United States, Turkey and more.



The SightFirst Advisory Committee also met earlier this month and awarded 26 grants totaling US\$8,063,304. As part of the grants awarded, [SightFirst](#) will continue working with The Carter Center to control trachoma and river blindness in Ethiopia, Mali, Niger and northern Uganda; provide cataract surgeries in Nepal and Sri Lanka; conduct further blindness prevention research; support a diabetic retinopathy program in the United States and more.

1. Measles is caused by a virus.

The measles virus is a member of the paramyxovirus family, which causes respiratory illnesses. The measles virus typically grows in the cells that line the back of the throat and lungs.



2. Measles is highly contagious.

When a person has measles, 90 percent of the people he or she comes into close contact with will become infected, if those people are not already immune because they have either been vaccinated or had measles previously. The measles virus spreads easily by coughing and sneezing, and remains active and contagious in the air or on infected surfaces for up to two hours.

3. Measles is deadly.

Measles remains one of the leading causes of death among young children globally. An estimated 139,300 people died from measles in 2010 — mostly children under the age of five. That equals nearly 380 deaths a day, or 15 deaths each hour. More than 95 percent of measles deaths happen in low-income countries with weak health infrastructures.

4. Measles can cause serious complications.

About 30 percent of reported measles cases have one or more complications. The most serious complications are blindness, encephalitis (an infection that causes brain swelling), severe diarrhea and dehydration, and severe respiratory infections like pneumonia. Severe measles is more likely among poorly nourished young children, especially those with insufficient vitamin A, or whose immune systems have been weakened by other diseases.

5. Measles is entirely preventable.

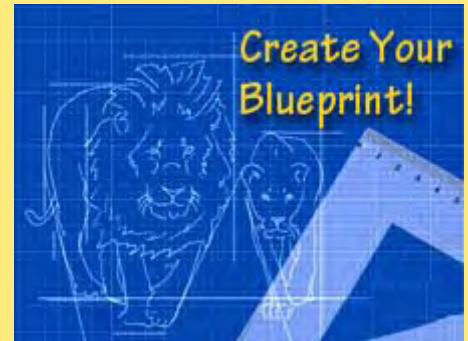
A safe, effective and inexpensive measles vaccine has been in use for over 40 years. [It costs less than \\$1 to immunize a child against measles.](#)



Dear Lion,

Lions are international leaders in humanitarian service because of clubs like yours and leaders like you. A club with strong leaders and engaged members can make a real difference in the community.

One of the keys to strengthening your club is creating a plan for success early in the year. The new **Blueprint for a Stronger Club** can help you develop your plan in three simple steps. The Blueprint helps you assess your club, establish goals and identify the steps to achieve them so your club can stay on track for a successful year. When you submit your Blueprint goals, your club will be recognized with a special Presidential Certificate.



For clubs that want to take planning to the next level, we offer the **Club Excellence Process (CEP)**. CEP is a fun, interactive workshop that can help your club achieve new levels of success for years to come. [Register your club](#) to bring the power of CEP to your members. Don't wait...start developing a plan for strengthening your club today!

Together in service,

Joe Preston

Ask One!



Lions have responded to the **Ask One** campaign and the excitement is building! Thousands of Lions have visited the Ask One Web page, and clubs around the world are encouraging members to ask one friend, one neighbor or one family member to join their clubs! The concept is simple, and Ask One will make a big difference in your membership efforts.

Click the Ask1 image to get the tools you need to effectively invite new members into your club. Send photos of your new members to AskOne@lionsclubs.org with your club name in the subject line, and we'll share them on the Ask One Web page for Lions around the world to see!



Centennial Service Challenge!

Lions Clubs International will celebrate 100 years of service in 2017! I'm inviting you to be part of this special moment in our history by supporting a new global service initiative to celebrate our Centennial.



The Centennial Service Challenge encourages Lions around the world to serve 100 million people by December 2017. Every club can play a part in reaching our goal. Here's how you can join the Centennial Service Challenge:

- **Host service projects** throughout the year that impact Youth, Vision, Hunger or the Environment.
- **Report your service activities** through the Service Activity Report on MyLCI.
- **Earn a Centennial Banner Patch** with a progressive gemstone design for each year your club participates.

As Lions, we know that a single act of service can change a life. But when 1.35 million members come together to serve, we can change the world.

Learn more about the [Centennial Service Challenge](#), and share it with your club today. Then start planning your next service project to help us meet our goal of serving 100 million people. There's never been a better time to serve than now! <http://lions100.org/EN/centennial-service-challenge.php>



Sharing the Vision

25 Project Ideas

1. Work with local eye care professionals to organize an eye health and safety presentation.
2. Arrange sport and recreational activities for persons who are visually impaired such as bowling, fishing or swimming.
3. Sponsor a Braille exhibit at your local library.
4. Organize transportation service to medical and other appointments for persons who are blind or visually impaired.
5. Volunteer at a rehabilitation or vocational training center for the blind/visually impaired.
6. Volunteer at a recreational camp for children or adults who are blind or visually impaired. Provide campers with meals or transportation, or help with camp cleanup and repairs.
7. Conduct vision and diabetes screenings for elderly persons at local residential living facilities.
8. Encourage a parent of a blind child to enroll in free, distance education courses offered by LCI partner, The Hadley School for the Blind.



9. Contact the nearest Lions Eye Bank to obtain literature and donor cards.
10. Provide local schools with assistive technology to meet the needs of students who are blind or visually impaired.

11. Organize a community "sight walk" to raise funds in support of your nearest Lions camp for children who are blind and visually impaired.
12. Arrange for a person with a guide dog to be a guest presenter at your club's community event.
13. Collaborate or consult with a blindness professional in an effort to educate the community (citizens, business owners, etc) in ways they can effectively interact with a person who is blind or visually impaired.
14. Volunteer at a local eye bank or a Lions Eyeglass Recycling Center.
15. Help bring textbooks and literature to life. Volunteer to read books and periodicals for people who are blind.
16. Hold an educational event to promote diabetes awareness and related vision loss.
17. Become aware of the various vision loss/blindness resources in the community; create a resource directory and share it with parents, educators and medical professionals in your community.
18. To promote awareness of the common causes of vision loss and blindness, collaborate with eye care professionals to hold a community educational event.
19. Send collected eyeglasses to the nearest Lions Eyeglass Recycling Center.
20. Organize a community self-help group for persons who are blind/visually impaired or for their families.
21. Organize a braille trail or sensory garden outing for adults who are blind.
22. Host a "Beep Baseball" game or tournament.
23. Arrange for your club to tour a recreational camp for children who are blind.
24. Provide braille books to children and adults who are blind.
25. Organize a tour of your Lions Eye Bank.



Hello Lions,

The subject challenge has begun! As you complete and submit your **AUGUST SERVICE ACTIVITY REPORT**, please don't forget to identify each entry accordingly; i.e. Youth, Vision, Hunger and Environment. Your club will receive CREDIT towards the Centennial Service Challenge. It started in July 2014, but you still have the remainder of this year to receive your club patch. For each of the 4 categories accomplished at the end of the fiscal year, your patch will be reflected with 1, 2, 3 or 4 sapphires at the end of the year (see the picture below). And, accordingly, our District will receive a patch for 50% or more club participation—so what you do will help your District.

I want to share a few things about the Centennial Service Challenge:

- This is an initiative to celebrate Lions' 100 years of service and challenge clubs to participate in all four Global Service Action Campaigns to benefit 100 million people by December 2017.
- The campaigns are: **Engaging our Youth** – August, **Sharing the Vision** – October, **Relieving the Hunger** - December / January and **Protecting Our Environment** – April. These are flexible, you can do any campaign at any time of the year.
- A club can also qualify for the Centennial Service Challenge by making a donation to LCIF in any amount, and mark “donation to LCIF” when entering the activity on your Service Activity Report.
- Many of your clubs do tremendous volunteer work such as church, hospital, Meals on Wheels, libraries, Boys Scout, Girls Scouts, School Reading Programs, Homeless Shelter – kitchen cooking or meal deliveries, food distribution, etc. and these SAR entries must be noted as CSC activity. If you have any questions, please go to CSC@lionsclubs.org
- Any donation to LCIF that is earmarked for sight, youth, One Shot One Life Measles Initiative, or disaster relief will qualify for the CSC and club patch recognition.
- The time challenge began in July 2014 and concludes in December 2017. Clubs can still report activities related to this Centennial Service Campaign each fiscal year until July 15, 2018 to qualify for each year's Banner Patch.
- A club can earn one patch per fiscal year for a total of FOUR patches, representing all four years of the challenge.

- The District will be awarded a district banner patch annually based on the percentage of clubs in the district that participate. If 50% or more of the clubs participate in two or more Global Service Action Campaigns through your online Service Activity Report, the district will receive a Centennial Service Challenge patch for the District Banner; and again, one for each fiscal year for a total of four patches.

- Patches will be mailed to club presidents and district governors for the respective fiscal year.
- Reporting deadlines are:

Fiscal Year – 2014 – 2015	July 15, 2015
Fiscal Year – 2015 – 2016	July 15, 2016
Fiscal Year – 2016 – 2017	July 15, 2017
Fiscal Year – 2017 – 2018	July 15, 2018

- At the end of the four years, clubs who receive FOUR patches will receive a special award; and, the same applies to District.
- There will be numerous tallies and progress reports every few months on the LCI websites and periodically in the LION Magazine. Also, clubs will be notified automatically via MyLCI to note what patch they have earned for the year.
- On “Protecting the Environment” campaign, clubs must quantify their service impact; e.g. road side clean-up, tree planting, recycling programs, upgrading playgrounds or parks, etc. by determining how many people pass-through or visit these areas.
- Leos are encouraged to participate as well; however, patches are only awarded to Lions Clubs and Lions District.

Remember, your Zone Chair is available with answers as well.

Just a reminder, besides the August Service Activity Report, your MMR (Monthly Membership Report) is due before the last day of this month).

Aloha!

Lion Doreen Stallworth

Webinar Tutorial – How to Be a Participant

We invite you to [experience an interactive tutorial on being a webinar participant](#). Upon finishing this tutorial you will be able to register, log in and actively participate in a webinar.



2014-2015 Webinars Schedule

To convert the times below to your location visit the [Time Zone Converter](#).

Webinar Description	Dates/Times
<p>The Role of the Cabinet Secretary Provides training and guidance for this essential district position. The presentation reviews the cabinet secretary responsibilities, challenges and opportunities. Content includes a review of the MyLCI cabinet secretary features.</p> <p>Intended Audience: Current and incoming cabinet secretaries</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Friday, 9/5/14, 7:00pm, CDT• Wednesday, 9/10/14, 12:00pm, CDT
<p>Effective Club Meetings This webinar provides the basics of good meeting management including planning, agenda preparation, essential facilitations skills and post-meeting evaluation. A must for any Lion who wants to facilitate productive meetings that keep members engaged.</p> <p>Intended Audience: All Lions</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Wednesday, 10/1/14, 12:00pm, CDT• Friday, 10/10/14, 7:00pm, CDT
<p>Harmony in the Pride Understanding generational differences can assist with both member recruitment and retention. This presentation explores diverse motivations among Lions and how each constituency can find and value varying perspectives to “strengthen the pride.”</p> <p>Intended Audience: All Lions</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Wednesday, 10/29/14, 12:00pm, CDT• Friday, 11/7/14, 7:00pm, C

GLT UPDATE

As the GLT Coordinator for District 18-I, I am committed to helping our Clubs grow and become more involved in their Communities. Clubs have asked me, “How can we bring in more members”? One sure way is, to become more involved with your Communities. How can you do that? That is simple. Go through the Club Excellence Process or CEP.

CEP is a fun, interactive workshop that brings members together to talk about what your club is today and what it will be tomorrow. It gives your club the tools to energize your service, enhance member satisfaction and help set goals to keep your club on track for continued growth and success. The Club Excellence Process will make your club stronger. Take CEP to your Lions and share with them how critical the program is to your continued success. Your club will be recognized with a banner patch when you complete CEP and submit a brief half page report to LCI.

Strong and successful clubs are in the best position to recruit and retain new members. The Club Excellence Process helps clubs energize their service, enhance member satisfaction, and create goals that will keep them on track to growth and continued success in serving their communities. CEP is now offered in two versions, CEP Pro & CEP Lite, so that clubs can choose the version that's right for their members. Share CEP at your next club meeting, and decide which version is right for your club!

Clubs not only need CEP, they want it. More than 900 clubs have registered for CEP. CEP can be the most important resource we can offer our clubs—that's why you should be promoting CEP to your clubs. Download the CEP overview, <http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/common/pdfs/CEP-overview.pdf>. Then share it with your leadership team and your club on upcoming meetings! Copy & paste the link to your browser so you can learn more about what you can do to grow your Club and create more Community involvement.

Pete Stamsen
District GLT Coordinator

Managing a Club

We Serve Where We Live

Lions are ready whenever and however our communities need us. Whether you're promoting your next club service project – or overseeing club finances – the following resources are available to help you manage your club.

- Access the [Club Resource Center](#) to download frequently used club forms, publications and information.
- Access training on how to be an effective club officer with [Club Officer Leadership Development](#).
- Use PR Tools to help [communicate your club's activities](#).
- Discover helpful resources you can use to [plan your next project](#).
- Report your service project on [MyLCI](#) to share its global impact.
- Get the [finance](#) information you need to manage club funds.
- Learn strategies you can use to [strengthen membership](#).

For More Information

Please contact the District and Club Administration Division:

(630) 571-5466, ext. 6828

E-mail: districtadministration@lionsclubs.org

Lions Clubs PR Tools

Interested in promoting your Lions activities and programs? Online Lions clubs PR tools and resources are available to help. Review our [online PR Guide](#) and "[Lions Public Relations Guide](#)" (PR710) to learn more about public relations, access sample materials and develop your communications and PR plan.

In addition to the invaluable PR Guide, other resources include:

- [Key messages and questions](http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/member-center/managing-a-club/communicating-your-activities/resources-media-keymessage.php) to help you get your ideas across, and prepare you for interviews and media opportunities.
- [Sample news releases](http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/member-center/managing-a-club/communicating-your-activities/news-news-sample.php) you can complete and send with photos of your activities to local media outlets.
- [Public service announcements](http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/news-and-events/lions-news-network/) (PSAs) for television and radio – and [billboard artwork](#) to promote Lions in your community.
- [Be A Lion club brochure](http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/member-center/resources/publications/resources-pub-pr.php) to help you advertise your club and its service activities in your community.



Membership = Now is the time for all good quality adults to be asked to join your Lions Club.

<http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/member-center/membership-and-new-clubs/index.php>

The Extension and Membership Division invites you to attend our free monthly webinars!

Webinars are recorded and posted on the LCI [website](#).

Below is the schedule of upcoming webinars.



Save the Date! Space is limited so register today!

Post, Tweets, Hashtags? Social Media Works!

This webinar will showcase easy ways to use social media to promote your club. Find out how other clubs use Facebook and LinkedIn to spread the word and get noticed in their communities.

Thursday, September 25, 2014 2 p.m. – 3 p.m. (CDT)



<https://www3.gotomeeting.com/register/194555886>

Membership Tools

Lions Clubs International offers a number of easy to use tools to help you grow your club, keep members satisfied and achieve excellence. Use these tools to guide yourself along the path to success.

Just Ask! Guide - The concept is simple! Use the [Just Ask! Guide](#) to guide your club through the process of recruiting new members and effectively managing club growth. <http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/common/pdfs/me300.pdf>

Membership Satisfaction - To ensure your Lions club remains healthy and vital, you need to consider what members expect from their experiences in your club. The [Membership Satisfaction Guide](#) will help to ensure your members are getting what they need. <http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/common/pdfs/me301.pdf>

As your District GMT Coordinator for the first time, July and August has had some very note worthy membership actions going on! Over time, I am hoping to improve my understanding of how Lions membership can be improved in our district and pass it on to all district Lions.

Since my club, the Oconee Lions Club sponsored the new Oglethorpe County Lions Club last year and we are their two Certified Guiding Lions (CGL), including me, at every two meetings of this new club each month at least one or two of us are present to provide them assistance since most of these Lions are new Lions. Since I had not been a CGL, I do fully understand why LCI requires CGLs for all new clubs!

Now commenting on potential new Lions clubs in our district, PDG Ed Hashbarger is continuing to be involved in the creation of the Peachtree Corner Lions Club that initial recruitment was started last May by several Lions and he agreed to be a CGL! What has more recently started, along with your GLT Coordinator, Lion Pete Stamsen, and several other Lions, we received training from one of Canada's New Club Development Consultant's, Lion Paul Baker, who focuses on new Campus Lions clubs, and we did the initial action in the later part of August to set up a Georgia Gwinnet Campus Lions Club! The Lawrenceville Lions Club agreed to be the sponsoring club and your GLT Coordinator agreed to be one of the CGLs, plus PCC Grace Clower, so we are now meeting together once a week to recruit the students who initially expressed interest in becoming Lions.

In addition to the above activities, I was also invited to attend the La Vista Lions Club in August. As the recent past MD-18 GMT Coordinator who provided a Lion Recruitment and Retention presentation at our last state convention, I was asked to provide a presentation to their club since they are interested in improving their membership. I did make some changes and, after I finished the presentation, I was pleased to have several Lions thank me for coming to their club!

What is going to be happening in September? To the extent that I get information from Zone Chairs and clubs, you'll see it posted next month.

Richard "Dick" Smith, PDG
GMT Coordinator and New Club Development Consultant



“Dee-Lexia is a little bit good.”



Those are the words of 6 year old Elisabeth, who is recounting what she learned from her newest ally – NFL star and Vanderbilt graduate, Jovan Haye.

[Decoding Dyslexia, Tennessee](#) held a book signing for Haye last weekend. While they were looking forward to the event, they didn’t realize how powerful this experience would be.

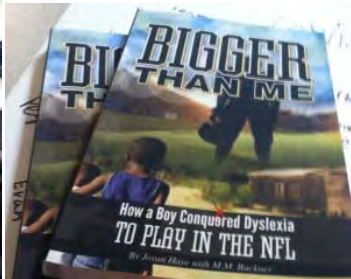
Everyone in the room is affected by dyslexia, including Haye himself. Brothers, sisters, parents, friends, students and teachers all came here to listen. . .and learn.

He tells of a childhood filled with emotions – fun running around with his friends in Jamaica, but feelings of being “less than” as soon as he entered school. If it wasn’t for a special teacher, Ms Patton, he’s not sure that he would be where he is now. “She noticed that I did better when I was interested in a subject. She told me that I need to stop using dyslexia as an excuse, and she was right.”

That was a turning point in his life. “That night, I lay on my back in bed staring at the ceiling, and I prayed. ‘Lord, help me get through this.’ Tears ran down my face. ‘I promise I’ll do better, Lord. Please help me.’” Jovan continues, “He must have heard, because suddenly, a light switched on. For the first time in my life, I believed in my heart that I could fight and defeat dyslexia.

It wasn’t easy.

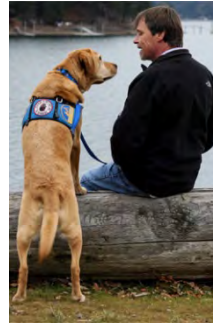
Read more on the blog [Dee-Lexia](#) run by Decoding Dyslexia Mom, Jules.



Add Jovan Haye’s book, “[Bigger Than Me; How a Boy Conquered Dyslexia to Play in the NFL](#),” to your bookshelf from the Learning Ally library.



Slowing the Progression of Huntington’s



In October 2007, Bob learned why he had been struggling with reasoning, concentration, fatigue and uncontrollable muscle movements. He was diagnosed with Huntington’s disease, a progressive disorder of the brain that inhibits patients physically, emotionally and socially.

Because of his disease, Bob learned he could no longer drive, work or participate in the activities he did growing up in Colorado and Idaho. He was relegated to the sidelines watching his three sons do the things he loved to share with them, like downhill skiing and water sports.

A neurologist mentioned to Bob’s wife, Nila that an assistance dog could help ease the physical and emotional pain of Bob’s illness. And in 2010, Canine Companions for Independence made it possible for Bob to graduate with assistance dog Exeter, free of charge.

Exeter is always there for Bob as his disease progresses; picking up the many things that Bob drops, turning out the lights or helping Bob get a soda from the fridge.

Donations from people like you helped make it possible for Canine Companions to give Exeter to Bob free of charge.

Bob’s disability often goes unseen or is misinterpreted. “Huntington’s disease robs a person of their motor control and behavioral capabilities,” says Nila. “Often, people would see Bob stumbling and assume he was intoxicated. They didn’t understand that he was only under the influence of Huntington’s.”

After being matched with Exeter, that story has changed dramatically. “People see Exeter in his blue Canine Companions vest and instantly understand that Bob has a disability. Now instead of confronting him, they offer their assistance.”

While Huntington’s disease can cause a loss of interest in many activities, Exeter has captured Bob’s heart. They spend hours together snuggling while Bob holds Exeter’s paws. The physical and emotional benefits Exeter has provided Bob has even slowed the progression of Huntington’s disease.

“Stress hastens the progression of Huntington’s disease, but knowing that Exeter will get the phone if Bob falls and letting the public know that he has a disability has reduced stress for Bob,” states Nila. “Both the doctors and I can agree that Bob is doing as well as he is because of the presence of Exeter in his life.”

***Welcome to Step Out in Downtown
Alpharetta & Independence High School!***



Step Out With Us!

We Step Out to do our part to Stop Diabetes! Participants are changing the future and making a positive impact in the lives of those who are affected by diabetes.

Step Out participants are committed to walk and raise money in this inspirational event not because 26 million people in the United States have diabetes, but because they walk among us in our lives and at the event.

Once you register, you'll be given your very own web page and will have access to lots of tools to help you fundraise your Step Out Center. You'll be able to customize the page with your reason for walking, send emails to ask others to join you or donate, and even download Facebook and smart phone apps. And of course, your Step Out Specialists (ADA staff) will be here to help all along the way!

10/4/2014

86 School Dr, Alpharetta, GA 30009

Need more info?

Your Event Coordinator: Adrienne Harrison

Email: aharrison@diabetes.org

Phone: (404) 320-7100 x3045

Please mail checks to our local office:

American Diabetes Association

ATTN: Step Out

233 Peachtree St NE

Suite 2225

Atlanta, GA 30303

Step Out: Walk to Stop Diabetes is the ADA's signature fundraising walk. The event has been taking place for more than 20 years and has raised more than \$175,000,000 to Stop Diabetes! Walk day is a huge celebration of the fundraising efforts YOU put into this event. Step Out is filled with music, food, kid's activities, local entertainment and most importantly, the company of hundreds of people who truly understand the impact of diabetes.

Step Out: Walk to Stop Diabetes starts with a Stop Diabetes festival at Independence High School where all walkers and their family members can explore the Share-Act-Learn-Give areas to learn more about ADA, health & wellness, nutrition

and diabetes, as well as interact with our sponsors and vendors. A healthy breakfast is provided to all participants, and a fun warm up is provided before we leave for our 5k walk through Downtown Alpharetta!

Welcome to Step Out in Turner Field!



**Join us on Saturday
November 8th at
Turner Field to
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11/8/2014 ***Step Out With Us!***

755 Hank Aaron Dr SE Atlanta, GA 30315

Need more info?

Your Event Coordinator: Tiffany Kirkland

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Check in: 8:00 a.m. Walk start time: 10:00 a.m.
Join us as we finish the walk on the baseball field!

Campus Essentials: Diabetes and College

It's hard to believe your little one is old enough to be getting ready for college. Along with the joy and excitement, may be feelings of anticipation and worry—on both your parts.



Going away to college is a huge transition in itself. Add diabetes to the mix and it can get pretty stressful. However, living with diabetes at college does not have to be a burden. Just like most things with type 1 diabetes, advanced preparation is key. Here are some ways to get prepared.

The American Diabetes Association's Going to College with Diabetes has valuable tips and resources to help student manage their diabetes while getting the most out of their college experience and campus life. **Download a free copy** = http://main.diabetes.org/dorg/PDFs/Advocacy/Discrimination/going-to-college-with-diabetes.pdf?utm_source=email&utm_medium=parents-enews&utm_content=081514-link&utm_campaign=DORG&s_src=email_parents-enews&s_subsrc=081514-link

Visit our **Post Secondary Education** = http://www.diabetes.org/living-with-diabetes/parents-and-kids/diabetes-care-at-school/special-considerations/post-secondary-education.html?utm_source=email&utm_medium=parents-enews&utm_content=081514-link&utm_campaign=DORG section to find resources to help your student take standardized tests, be a self-advocate and adjust to life on campus with diabetes.

The College Diabetes Network has numerous tools for students, parents, and university administrators about joining and starting a chapter, tips on preparing for college and information about its online communities.

Visit the College Diabetes Network = <https://collegediabetesnetwork.org/>

You Are Not Alone

The Place for Parents is an online community where you can connect with other parents and caregivers to get tips and advice on topics like helping your child adjust, concerns about school and activities, insulin regimens and blood sugar testing, and much more.

Take a look at what's being discussed on the forum and join the conversations!

“[I'm a] Parent to a recently diagnosed Type I child. Just wondering, have any of you (with type I children) had to travel to your child's school at lunchtime in order to count carbs and give injections?”

Read more or add your own comments = http://community.diabetes.org/t5/The-Place-for-Parents/Giving-Insulin-at-School/td-p/521698?utm_source=email&utm_medium=parents-enews&utm_content=081514-link&utm_campaign=COMM&s_src=email_parents-enews&s_subsrc=081514-link

Going Back to School with Diabetes

All across the country, kids are groaning about the end of summer and parents are excitedly gathering school supplies in anticipation for the start of the new school year. As you prepare to send your child back to school, here are some tips to help your child care for her diabetes while being safe at school.



- **Develop or update your child's Diabetes Medical Management Plan (DMMP)** and/or Section 504 Plan. It's important that every child with diabetes have a written care plan or DMMP that outlines how their diabetes should be cared for at school. Make sure you've included everything your child needs. [Learn more](#).
- **Work with your school nurse** to coordinate care. Make an appointment with the school nurse before school starts to make sure everyone.
- **Pack and send diabetes supplies for school.** Don't forget your child's meter, strips, insulin and insulin supplies.
- **Pack and send a “low box”** that includes a snack, fast acting carb and glucagon. It may be good idea to send a few to keep in different parts of the school.

Find more Back to School tips and resources = http://www.diabetes.org/living-with-diabetes/parents-and-kids/diabetes-care-at-school/special-considerations/back-to-school-tips.html?utm_source=email&utm_medium=parents-enews&utm_content=081514-link&utm_campaign=DORG



"The Chinese-American Leo Club of Atlanta is proud to be working with the younger generation of the community."

What does it mean to be a part of Leo club?

Not only does 'LEO' stand for Leadership Experience Opportunity, but its members also represent 'LEO.'

Through community service projects, we work and learn together. Through this, we also meet and bond with several other young leaders.



Enjoying a Braves Game = Leo's had the opportunity to go to a Braves game, in which a portion of our tickets went to the Leader Dogs of the Blind. Additionally, Leos got to parade around the stadium amongst the LION's, meet actual leader dogs and representatives from the leader dogs, eat good food at the tailgate, and spread more about what we do as LEO members.





Minutes of the Towns County Leo Club: 08/03/14

Meeting started at 2:30 @ fairground office.

Old Business:

- Food Pantry Volunteering: Pictures has been sent to food pantry to show that the Leos can really work.
- Lemonade Booth: The Georgia Mountain Fair gave the Leos t-shirts for their volunteer at the Georgia Mountain Fair.
 - Sales: the Leo Club got 10% of the gross sales of the 2014 Lemonade booth at the fair, which comes to about \$339. We also got about \$120 of donations to the camp for the blind.

New Business:

- Booth at high school open house:
 - Towns County Open house is Tuesday, August 5 from 5-7.
 - The Leo Club will have a booth at open house for anyone who would like to join the Leo Club.
 - Ashley Smith is going to make the posters for open house.
 - Danielle and Nick will be the sponsors at open house.
- Ways to involve home school kids:
 - Mrs. Main has talked to Nancy Church about getting home schooled kids involved in the Leo Club. Mrs. Main is going to send Nancy the information about what the Leo Club is about.
- Pet Rescue Project:
 - As a club, we have decided to do the pet Rescue Project again for this up coming year. Mia Manto will be the chairman, and she has decided that we will do this project this upcoming spring.
- Halloween on the Square:
 - The Leo Club will be participating in Halloween on the Square in October.
- Homecoming Parade:
 - The Leo Club will have a float in the Towns County Homecoming Parade in September.
- Can Food Drive and Food Panty Volunteering:
 - The Leo Club will be joining with FBLA to do a food drive for the food pantry in November. Chairman: Carly Gilfilian and Mia Manto.
- Camp for the Blind Fundraising ideas:

- The Leo Club would like to do a fundraiser for the Camp for the Blind. We have decided that we would like to do something like White Cane Day. We would like to stand at intersections and collect money, but this will have to be approved by the board.
- Other Projects ideas for fall:
 - The Leo club would like to help with Give-A-Christmas by wrapping all the presents.
- The Leo Club would like to involve middle school students. The students from middle school will have to be referred by middle school teachers.
- Next Leo Club meeting is September 7, 2014 at the Fairground office building.

WAYS TO ENCOURAGE CHILDREN & YOUTH TO HAVE A LOVE FOR LEARNING

5. READ BOOKS: Read on your own, which sets a good example. Read to your kids, to get them hooked on books.

6. EXPOSE CHILDREN TO A WIDE VARIETY OF EXPERIENCES:
Music, plays, sports, museums, travel, reading, dance, games, food, puzzles, ethnic activities, etc. One never knows how what exposure may influence future life choices.

7. PLAY 'THINKING GAMES':
These are games where there is not just one answer. Scrabble and chess are examples. Emphasize the value of thoughtful moves rather than the importance of winning.



8. REMEMBER THAT YOU ARE THE CHILD'S BEST TEACHER:



Team Georgia Announced for World Games

SOGA is thrilled to announce the Georgia athletes who are selected to join Team USA for the **World Games** set for July 24-August 2, 2015 in Los Angeles! The Georgia delegation is comprised of the following athletes and unified partners:



- Brooke Hasfjord of Forsyth County (Aquatics)
 - Jennifer Maddox of Henry County Parks & Recreation (Equestrian)
 - Julie Doss of Valdosta Parks and Recreation (Artistic Gymnastics)
 - Shannon Laffey of Cobb County (Artistic Gymnastics)
 - Will Crain of Hall County Schools (Kayaking)
 - Michael Crofton of Fayette County (Sailing Team)
 - John Kirkland of Macon County (Unified Partner/Sailing)
- The Georgia delegation will participate in World Games Training Oct. 1st-7th in Indianapolis. Team USA Coaches are still being determined.

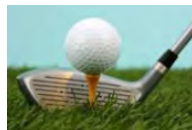
Strike the R-word September 16th

Strike the R-word and bowl with former Atlanta Falcon and Georgia Bulldog Dj Shockley and other celebrity supporters September 16th at Bowlmor Atlanta. Enjoy bowling, food, silent auction, and goodie bags, while striking the r-word "retarded," which demeans and hurts people. For more information, contact Wendy Bigham.



16th Annual Marlow's Tavern Golf Classic September 22nd

Join us on September 22nd at the Country Club of Roswell for the 16th Annual Marlow's Tavern Golf Classic benefiting SOGA. Since 1999, this annual golf tournament has raised more than \$431,000 for our athletes. This year's tournament goal is to raise \$58,000! The fun-filled day will include a putting contest, shotgun start, hole contests, and an awards ceremony, reception, and silent auction at Aqua blue Restaurant. Corporate sponsorships and player information.Registration Form. For more information, contact Susan Skolnick or 770-414-9390 x111. Thank you Marlow's Tavern and past and current sponsors for your generous support over the years!



Clay Shoot September 25th

Secure your spot now for the Sporting Clay Charity Tournament, called the 2014 Shoot for Champions, Thursday, Sept. 25 at Foxhall Resort and Sporting Club in Douglasville. The event benefits the athletes of Special Olympics Georgia. Costs \$425 per person and includes breakfast, lunch, shells, snacks, beverages, and awards. Click here for the flyer. For more information, contact Georgia Milton-Sheats.



Bob Busse Golf Tournament November 3rd

Special Olympics Georgia once again proudly hosts the Bob Busse Golf Tournament at a prestigious golf club Nov. 3rd in Sandy Springs. This event promises to be a great way to spend your day. Each year, this tournament grows and becomes better than the last. Expect a great golf game, prizes, a silent auction and wonderful reception. Email Riley Cerone for more information.



RunDunwoody October 19th

RunDunwoody is a 5K Run and a Peachtree Road Race Qualifier, 1 Mile Fun Run, Tot Trot, and family festival rolled into a morning of activities on October 19th in the heart of Dunwoody. As a beneficiary of RunDunwoody and long-time partner of the Rotary Club of Dunwoody (the run's founding and presenting sponsor), Special Olympics Georgia has created a team for the Team Challenge in the not-for-profit category. Registration fees start at \$15 and increase to \$35 as it gets closer to the date of the race. For more information on the race or to register as part of Team Special Olympics Georgia, go to www.rundunwoody.net.





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International President

Joseph Prestor



Visit the Centennial Website at
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Lions Clubs International is turning 100 in 2017! The [new Centennial website](#) is your one-stop shop for all things #Lions100. You'll find Stories of Impact, a timeline of Lions milestones, historical photos, info about the Centennial Service Challenge, a downloadable version of the official Centennial logo and tools for your own Centennial celebration. New content will continue to be added as we count down to 2017, so check back often for updates! (Currently available in English only. LCI official languages to be added later this year.)

Sharing the Vision Project Ideas



Participate in October's Global Service Action Campaign by [Sharing the Vision](#). As you look for potential sight service projects, find inspiration from clubs throughout the world. Via [MyLCI](#), clubs have reported projects like pre-school vision screenings, arranging talks on low vision, providing a visually impaired child with an iPad to help with schoolwork, organizing a fishing tournament for blind members of the

community, and printing and placing large print menus in local restaurants. Sharing the Vision projects reported through MyLCI will count toward the [Centennial Service Challenge](#). How will your club help us serve 100 million people by 2017?

<http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/member-center/planning-projects/global-service-action-campaigns/sharing-the-vision.php>

Donate to LCIF and Earn Centennial Recognition!



By [donating to Lions Clubs International Foundation](#) (LCIF), your club can play a part in reaching our Centennial Service Challenge goal of serving 100 million people by December 2017 and earn special Centennial recognition.

Any LCIF donation earmarked for sight, youth, measles or disaster relief can help your club earn a Centennial Banner Patch with a progressive gemstone design. Learn more about [your Foundation](#) and the [Centennial Service Challenge](#) today. There's never been a better time to give than now!

<http://lions100.org/EN/centennial-service-challenge.php>

Earn Rewards for Adding New Members in October!



October is a New Membership Growth Month. It's a great time to grow your club and earn special recognition when you do. Here's what you can earn:

- **Silver Pin** – Lions who sponsor a new member in October will receive a Membership Growth Award Silver Pin.

- **Gold Pin** – Lions who sponsor a member in both October and April will earn a special Membership Growth Award Gold Pin.
- **Banner Patch** – Clubs that add new members in October and April will receive a Membership Growth Award Banner Patch and a Fiscal Year Patch.

Start planning today to get on track for your [Membership Growth Award](#) and be sure to give your recruiting a boost with [Ask One!](#)

<http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/common/pdfs/me47.pdf>



LIONS QUARTERLY



Watch [LQ](#) to learn how Lions are helping preschool children with Down syndrome.

CONTESTS

[Peace, Love and Understanding](#)
Purchase 2014-15 Peace Poster Kits

HIGHLIGHTS

[Ask One](#)
Get the tools to invite new members!

[Lions Blog](#)
Stay up-to-date on Lions programs and stories from around the world.

EVENTS

[International Literacy Day](#)
Plan Reading Action Program projects for September 8.

[Calendar of Events](#)
Review upcoming Lions events your club can participate in locally.

CONNECT WITH US ONLINE





Editor's Note



DONATIONS REPEAT

Fellow Lions:

As stated from a fellow Lion – we have to rethink when doing our Club budgets. Where exactly is the money you raise going? Does some money go to specific charities who already get \$ millions \$? If so – why are we also giving.

We, as Lions, have four (4) state initiatives – LCIF, Camp for the Blind, Lighthouse and Leader Dogs for the Blind.

All clubs within the District should give a minimum of \$25.00 now and be 100%. Then during the rest of this Lion's year – give the normal amount your club usually gives to the four initiatives. If you wish to give more – please do so – they do need it.

The rest of the money your club raises should go out and help within your community. Specific - Co-ops, food banks, building ramps for the handicap, putting swings in parks, providing needed equipment to the Police or Fire/EMT that the county does not get, supporting the Scouts. There is also the Special Olympics, Camp Kudzu and a few others the Lion's support.

So please think about your budget this year and remember the Lion projects first and the community second before you think of outside money making charities.

**Lions Clubs International Foundation Georgia
Department 4547
Carol Stream, IL 60122-4547**

**Lions Lighthouse Foundation
5582 Peachtree Road
Chamblee, GA 30341**

**Camp for the Blind
5626 Laura Walker Road
Waycross, GA 31503**

**Leader Dogs for the Blind
P.O. Box 5000
Rochester, MI 48307**



Hello Lions,

This is a plea to help you bring your MMR to current status (especially for 2014 – 2015). How can we help you submit your **July** and **August MMR**?

If you are already receiving information from LCI; and, as an **officer of your club**, you've logged on to LCI, then doing your monthly MMR (and SAR) is a breeze—just a few minutes of your secretary's time before the last day of the month. The SAR is the Service Activity Report which for every community service activity, an entry must be made.

In our 57 clubs, several of you have not entered your MMR since 2013 and others since February, April or June of 2014. It's just a matter of new officers getting off to a good start. Please verify that your club secretary can log onto LCI; and after that, do this:

- Once you've logged onto LCI, go the BLUE banner and under "My Club", scroll down to Monthly Membership Report.
- If there are no changes (no new member, no loss member, etc.), hit "No change", then hit "submit".
- If there are changes (name, address, telephone number or email address) – go to that member and "edit" – make the change and hit "submit".
- Then, you can either SAVE the document to your file or PRINT a copy for your binder; or if you prefer, it will be there for later reference / printing.
- You will note the emphasis on "SUBMIT" – only by hitting this, does it go to LCI.

If you have any questions, please call me, any other Cabinet Member or your Zone Chair for assistance. This is No. 6 of our District Goals – so it is imperative that every club submit their MMR (and actually, for the new Centennial Campaign, the SAR – Service Activity Report – also requires entry.

By copy of this email, I'm asking respective Zone Chairs to identify your club listed above and give them a call.

Thank you all,

Lion Doreen
Cabinet Secretary 770-860-1414

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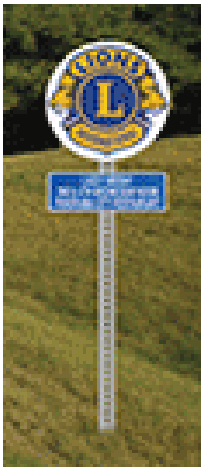
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Lion Bob Watson
 District 18E
 Columbus, Georgia

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Lion Chuck Mohr
 District 35F
 Tallahassee, Florida

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Lions Environmental PHOTO CONTEST

Lions from clubs in good standing can enter an original, unaltered, black-and-white or color photo (without people) of the environment of their Lions club in the following 2014-15 Lions Environmental Photo Contest categories:

- Animal Life
- Landscape (Urban or natural)
- Plant Life
- Weather Phenomenon
- Special Theme: *Lions' Pride in our Environment*: Capturing the magnificent beauty and grandeur of our natural environment

The impartial judging of photos should focus on originality, artistic merit, and portrayal of the environmental theme.

- LIONS CLUBS select and submit one winning photo to the district.
- LIONS DISTRICTS select and submit one winning photo to the multiple district. January 15, 2015 is the suggested deadline for districts to submit one 8" x 10" (20.3 x 25.4 cm) printed photo to the multiple district.
- LIONS MULTIPLE DISTRICTS select and submit one winning photo to the international contest. March 1, 2015 is the deadline for multiple districts to submit one 8" x 10" (20.3 x 25.4 cm) printed photograph and an official entry form (available on the Lions Web site) signed by the council chairperson to Lions Headquarters.
- LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL will display multiple district-level entries at the annual Lions international convention. Registered convention attendees will vote for their favorite photos. An award will be presented to the winning photographers. The six (the five category winners and the Best of Show) winning photos will appear on the Lions Web site.

NOTE: Multiple entries will not be accepted, please limit to one photo entry per multiple district.

Lion photographers accept responsibility for the cost of taking and processing all photos. Contest photos become the property of Lions Clubs International. Lions Clubs International reserves the right to disqualify entries that do not meet contest criteria or that may be viewed as inappropriate or objectionable.

E-mail contest questions to: programs@lionsclubs.org



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Thank you for your inquiry regarding the 2014-2015 Environmental Photo Contest. This year's photo contest will begin at the local club level during the autumn months. The Best of Show photo from each club contest is then sent to the district for another level of judging. Once the district has selected a Best of Show photo, they then send that photo to the multiple district with a deadline of January 15, 2015. The multiple district selects and submit one Best of Show photo to Lions Clubs International Headquarters with a deadline of March 1, 2015.

LCI will display the MD entries (the finalists) at the 2015 LCI Convention in Hawaii. Convention attendees vote for their favorite photos and the winners are announced at Convention. Please see the attached official rules and entry form or visit the [Environmental Photo Contest webpage](#) for more information. Thank you for your continued service.



Lions Environmental P H O T O C O N T E S T

2014-15 MULTIPLE DISTRICT ENTRY FORM

Multiple District _____ State _____ Country _____

Name of Lion Photographer _____

Lions Club of Photographer _____ Club ID _____

E-mail Address of Photographer _____

Please enter this photo into the following category (select only one):

- Animal Life
- Landscape (urban or natural)
- Plant Life
- Weather Phenomenon
- Special theme: *Lions' Pride in our Environment: Capturing the magnificent beauty and grandeur of our natural environment*

Please note: Only one printed photo will be accepted from each multiple district; multiple entries will not be accepted.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify this photo as the official entry from my multiple district.

Council chairperson (please print name) _____

Signature of council chairperson _____

E-mail Address of Council Chairperson _____

Please mail this signed entry form with the official printed 8" x 10"
(20.3 x 25.4 centimeters) multiple district photo by **March 1, 2015** to:

Lions Clubs International
Lions Environmental Photo Contest
300 West 22nd St.
Oak Brook, IL 60523-8842 USA





CLUB REPORTS



Certain things can happen when your Lions Club gets involved. If we have to find something new – go for it – because the more we raise – the more we can give. Also, the more members who get involved also create a bundle of fun and more money raised. The information that appears may benefit another club – for here is where we get ideas and we might be able to use those ideas within your own club. Getting involved is another word for WE SERVE.

Athens Classic City Lions Club = Paid to Lions Lighthouse for White Cane Day (2,071.66) Served 66 homeless people at Our Daily Bread (Christian Outreach Ministry) 15 volunteer hours. Contributed to Food Bank of NE Ga. (\$68.00) Camp for the Blind (raffle) (\$64.00). Netted \$1,200.00 from sale of Vidalia Onions
Check out our flyer for the upcoming Pancake Breakfast.




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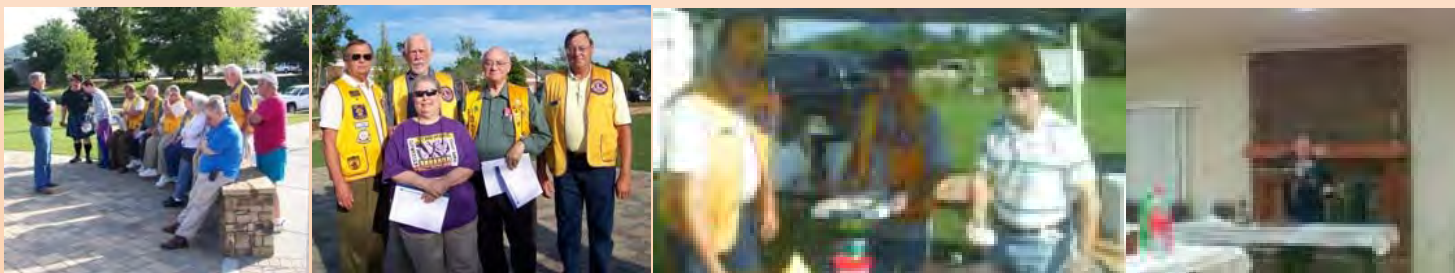
Atlanta Chinese American Lions Club = Chinese American Leo Club committed to teens safe driving! Leo's had the opportunity to go to a Braves game, in which a portion of our tickets went to the Leader Dogs of the Blind. Additionally, Leos got to parade around the stadium amongst the LION's, meet actual leader dogs and representatives from the leader dogs, eat good food at the tailgate, and spread more about what we do as LEO members. Great opportunity to review the year's events, recruit many new members, and pledge more to not text and drive.



Buford Lions Club = Burger 21 pictures The Buford Lions Club held "LIONS DAY" at Burger 21 in Buford, Ga. Burger 21 allows a no-profit organizations to put signs and brochures and be active in the restaurant on the 21st day of each month and they will donate 10% of the proceeds that day. We were there July 21, 2014 and collected \$487.00 which will be sent to Camp for the Blind in Waycross, Ga. Our day fell on a Monday, however the Management there said it was the largest Monday Sales Day they have had since opening two years ago. We would like to feel our Lions getting the word out had something to do with that. Many thanks to all who participated. Just wanted to let you know the Buford Lions Club delivered to the Georgia Lions Lighthouse today 8/13 1332 pairs of eyeglasses, 8 hearing aids and 28 cell phones. 1st Thursday at 1:00 pm Discussed Calendar Sales and Health Fair. 3rd Thursday at 1:00 pm District Zone Chair Steve Williams paid a visit and Guest Speaker Kay Earl. Misc Community Outreach by Members Sold Brooms, Handed out Membership Info



Clermont North Hall Lions Club = Our Fall 2014 Pancake Breakfast will be Oct. 11 from 7 - 11 write it down! North Hall Lions Club Annual Road Race = The 6th annual *Clermont Cupcake Challenge 5K and 1K Road Race* will be run on Saturday, September 20th as part of Clermont Days Festival (at 8:00 and 7:45 respectively). This is the only race which offers runners their choice of a long-sleeved Neon Green or Neon Pink AND a cupcake from Southern Sweets & Treats. Registration will be limited to the first 300 runners who can register without any internet fees at www.runnersfit.com/cupcake. PDG Dr. David Sargent and Lion President Jack Campbell with newly inducted White Co. Lions. The fall season is coming, not to soon, it has been hot, wet, and humid summer. The North Hall Lions Club has completed its project at the Clermont Historical Society Farmers Market for this year. We would like to thank the CHS for letting us join in the effort. We met a lot of potential new members and made a little money for the Community Service Funds. We hope to be able to do it again next year. The White County Lions Club held their officers induction end of this month and have 19 new members all part of the branch club of the North Hall Lions Club. We are working with them to strengthen the membership, and advice on what we are doing and encourage them to keep busy in the community helping the one that need the help. We are working to have a successful 5K run at the Clermont Days Festival on Sept 20th. The committee are trying to find sponsors and runners to make this a big run then last year where we had over 175 runners. Are annual pancake breakfast is planned on October 11 from 7 to 11 and we have a committee hard at work on this project and it will be a great project again. We have had a change in the treasury office of our club. Bob Respass has volunteer to finish out the term for Linda Chastain, who did a good job, but had the step aside because of medical reasons. We have a strong membership with a lot of different back ground, and Bob is a full time account. We just tap in to a great resource to help the club become stronger and stride ahead.



Conyers Lions Club = August 2nd – 6 Lions, Marvin Armistead, Dan Estep, Tom Linek, Mary Michael, Lynn Magnuson, and Nancy Morton-Linek, engaged 125 youth in constructing, painting and decorating a pencil box at the Home Depot’s Kids Workshop. (Engage our Youth)

August 4th – 14 Lions and 2 guests attended the bi-weekly meeting where the club president, Lion Nancy Morton-Linek, made a *featured member* presentation—a club program to better know our members. Lions Dan Estep and Lee and June Cronan supported the ASK ONE! membership drive by inviting 2 guests, Linda Jones (wife of the late Lion Frank Jones) and Nancy Shelnutt (daughter of Lions Lee and June) to see what the Pride is up to. Growth is in our future!

August 18th – 18 Lions and 3 guests, Trish Rainwater (wife of Lion David Rainwater), Carolyn Poole (wife of PDG Ben Poole), and perspective Lion, Nancy Shelnutt, attended the 2nd bi-weekly meeting where Lion Lynn Magnuson made a *featured member* presentation. Perspective Lion Nancy Shelnutt submitted an application for membership. We are growing!

August 20th – 4 Lions attend the Zone 1 meeting at the Covington Lions Pavilion.

August 26th – 6 Lions and a guest were joined by 2 Covington Lions Club members, Lions Doreen (district secretary) and Earl Stallworth (district Lion Tamer), at the Georgia Lions Lighthouse to wash and sort eyeglasses. 183 pairs of eyeglasses were collected and turned in to the Lighthouse. (Share the Vision)

August – 400 lbs. of fresh produce from the PAR Garden was delivered to Rockdale Emergency Relief food bank along with 50 lbs. of canned food. (Relieve the Hunger) Aluminum cans, brass and other metal was collected and sorted for turn in. (Protect the Environment)

Service Activities and Hours: Home Depot’s “Kids Workshop”—6 Lions helped 125 kids build a pencil box (18 hours); GA Lions Lighthouse Eyeglass Cleaning—6 Lions (18 hours); Eyeglass Collection—183 pairs; “Plant a Row” (PAR) Garden—1 Lion sent 400 lbs. of product to Rockdale Emergency Relief (RER) (62 hours); Aluminum/metal Recycle Program—2 Lions (10 hours); Global Action Campaign “Relieve the Hunger”—9 lbs. collected/delivered to RER, 10 “Meals on Wheels”, 25 meals for Men’s Club, “Open Hands” of St Joseph Hospital \$186 (19 hours).

- **Covington Lions Club** = Our first meeting of the month was a program by Claudia Minge on Change the World Day to be held on October 25, 2014. This is a huge community wide event that includes free food and activities, a vendor fair of local resources, a blood drive, a Gifts of Grace Expo where they will provide care kits, haircuts, mani/pedis, showers, and clothing to people in need. Of course our Lions will be involved volunteering their time and talents and conducting eye screenings.
- Our second meeting of the month was an inspiring visit from 1st Vice District Governor Anne Mundy. She regaled us with stories of her trip to the Leader Dog school in Rochester and made us all remember again why we are Lions. She graciously gave several members a copy of an uplifting poem called "The Guy in the Glass" by Dale Wimbrow.
- The Covington Lions were glad to host Dede DeMarks and the first Zone 1 meeting of the year in which 4 clubs were represented and discussed lots of ways to make our clubs better, including a zone wide new member orientation that has been scheduled for November 1 at 10 am at our clubhouse. We will co-host this with the help of Pete Stamsen and the Lawrenceville club.
- We welcomed 3 new members with more on the way! Our membership drive/competition is going strong.
- We collected and delivered 138 pairs of eyeglasses for the Lighthouse.
- Upcoming events are:
 - Pancake Supper – September 25, 2014 from 5-8 pm
 - Christmas Parade – December 6, 2014 beginning at 10 am
 - Twilights at Chimney Park – December 7, 2014 from 5-7:30 pm
- We will have club members helping with the annual Covington Police Fuzz Run on September 13, and with Change the World Day on October 25
- We made a donation to the USA/Canada Leadership Forum Family and Women's Action Committee Service Project in San Juan, Puerto Rico for the University's Pediatric Hospital, a free care facility for poor children with chronic diseases.
- Our own Doreen Stallworth received her plaque celebrating her accomplishment as winner of the Terry Calhoun Memorial Award for the top Club Secretary in the State of Georgia presented to the Covington Lions Club at the State Convention in Macon in May 2014.
- Earl Stallworth accepted the Club Excellence patch for our banner that was awarded to our club during his tenure as President.
- Our Lions had 974 hours of volunteer work in the community during August! WOW – way to give back to the community, Lions!

Charlotte Lundsford - collect, sort, deliver eyeglasses.



Dacula Lions Club = Fellow Lions, I would like to take this opportunity to thank the following Lions, Al Merzke and Ed Domaleski who have worked so hard in collecting donated items for our Silent Auction which was scheduled for last year and unfortunately I was not able to schedule because of my own family emergency. Our District Governor Vicki Hubbard was so kind to arrange for us to have the Silent Auction along with the support of the other lions club in District "I" at our 1st Cabinet meeting which was held in Jefferson last Saturday July 26th. Our new President Lion Dedra Walker, Lion Jennifer Westbrook, Lion Crystal Jones, Lion Ivory Hoffman, Lion Melissa Udell and myself attended. Our Silent Auction was successful and our profit made was \$350.00.

Once again "Thank You" for your hard work and dedication to Dacula Lions Club this is what it means to us **"WE SERVE"**.

Dahlonega Lions Club =

Dawsonville Lions Club = Lions Kathryn Higgins and Deanna Mazzella volunteered for the Diabetes Awareness Program in Blairsville, GA. Lion President Don Cargill presided. Lion Katie presented Lion Bill Leonhardt with the Tom Bingham Fellow Award for 2013-14. Lion President Don Cargill presided. Guest's speakers were Sandy Lipkowitz, Executive Director of Dawson County's R.E.A.D program to promote literacy in our work force. Student Bethany Duran was presented a Lions Achievement Award by Lion Martha Holbrook. Lions Zone 3 chair, Steve Williams visited and encouraged a 10% growth in membership for the coming year.



**19th Annual
John Gardner Memorial
Lions Charity
Golf Tournament**



Organized by the
Dawsonville Lions Club

**Monday
September 22, 2014
Crystal Falls Golf Club
Dawsonville, GA**

**Registration Begins
10:00 am**

**Shotgun Start
12:00 Noon**

**19th Annual
John Gardner Memorial
Lions Charity
Golf Tournament**

Rules:

- Scramble Format
- Four Player Teams
- GSGA or Verifiable Handicap (Max 26)
- U.S.G.A. Rules in Effect
- Mulligan limit 2

Tournament Fee Includes:

- Boxed Lunch
- Golf
- Awards Dinner Banquet
- Door Prizes and *More!*

Sponsor Entry:

Gold Sponsors (minimum donation of \$500) may enter a four player team and receive two sponsor signs.

Individual Team Entry - \$400

Individual Player Entry - \$100

TOURNAMENT PRIZES

Net and Gross Winners:

- 1st Place Team \$400.00*
- 2nd Place Team \$300.00*

*** Cash Prizes**

Cash Prizes For:

- Longest Drive
- Closest to the pin on 2 par 3's
- 50 / 50 Raffle

Lots of Great Prizes

Silent Auction

Selections available at awards dinner.

**WE HAVE NOT
INCREASED
ENTRY FEES
FOR >12 YEARS**

Phone: _____

Contact: _____

Print - Team: _____

Email: _____

Handicap	Player #1	Player #2	Player #3	Player #4	Handicap

Fees (check one):

- Gold Sponsor - minimum donation \$500
- Four Player Team - \$400
- Individual Player - \$100

Note: Handicap information required to play (max handicap 26)

Total Enclosed: _____

Please send payment with application by September 15, 2014

Make check payable to: Dawsonville Lions Charities, Inc.

Mail entries to: Lions Club, P.O. Box 408, Dawsonville, GA 30534

Decatur Lions Club = Collected 95 pair of used eye glasses. Total year to date 195 pair. Amanda Carter, a Special Investigations Unit Specialist with the Division of Aging Services presented an interesting program on how to protect ourselves from I.D. theft and scams. A \$25.00 honorarium donation was sent to Learning Ally. Sent 600 pair eye glasses to the University of North Georgia for a mission trip to the Dominican Republic.

Evans Lions Club = Well the Food Fight is over and we have a great sense of accomplishment. Time to move on to other fun, challenging projects to serve the families of Columbia County. If you think you need something to do to give back think about joining the Evans Lions Club and help us come up with new and exciting ways to be an asset in our community. We want people to come to the area and know that there is a Lion presence in this place. We meet the first and third Thursday at Be My Guest at noon. Won't you come try out a meeting because we know you will want to stay!! We are moving into fall and have so much to do for the remaining year. We have a pancake breakfast that helps us support projects with the police and other organizations here in the CSRA, we have stockings to stuff for the Salvation Army, there is the bell ringing for the Kettle on our Annual Lions Bell Ringing Day. And of course we want to support our friends at Hope for Sight with their two wine tastings coming in October and November. There has never been a better time to come check out our family and become part of the Pride. Email us for details to join us at an upcoming meeting. We will make sure your holidays are merry this year by giving back to our community. Our guest speaker highlighted the messages from the International President and the District Governor.



Forsyth County Lions Club = The club partnered with the Cumming Playhouse to sell tickets for one performance and receive donations from 15 other performances of "Oklahoma". In addition to vision and hearing, the Forsyth County Lions Club, along with several other local civic and service organizations and the Forsyth County Parks and Recreation Department, started a local [Miracle League](#) to provide physically and mentally challenged people of all ages a safe and spirited program in which they can hit, run, and catch on a baseball field.

Hartwell Lions Club = Hartwell Lions club; installation of officers and new members. Eleanor Cotton will be speaking at the Hartwell Lions Club on "recordings for the blind and dyslexic" at casa grande, Sept. 25 at the lions club monthly dinner at 7:00 p.m. Public is invited. Call Sandra Spenger 706-376-1664 for a reservation.



Jefferson Lions Club = The 14th Annual Jefferson Lions Club Classic Car Show was held on Saturday, August 9, 2014 at Jefferson High School. Twenty nine Lions participated for a total of 520 Lion hours. Even with a threat of heavy rain we had over 75 cars and tractors were presented for show.. This highly successful event raises funds to pay for eye exams and eye glasses for needy citizens of Jackson County. "Our "bewitching" president, Lion Gay Bradley, demonstrates the multiple uses of brooms made by the Blind" Teddie Lion Don Lohmeier admires Taylor Jenkins' 1933 Willys Coupe. We won't know how much we raised until later, but Don will send you details. Attached is a group shot of all who received trophies. The Club thanks Lions Dot and Buddy Hunt for their dedicated work in making this project a success. We also thank others who helped and to Advanced Auto parts for their booth and prize donations.



August 11, 2014 - Lions Dot Hunt reported that there were 64 cars/trucks and 3 at the 14th Annual Jefferson Lions Club Classic Car Show held on August 9. Twenty-nine Lions worked for a total of 520 man hours. The Club thanks Advanced Auto Parts for their booth and prize donations. The Club appreciates Lions Dot and Bubby Hunt for their dedicated work to the project. Lion Dot reported that the food left over from the Car Show will be used for our Club's Fall Picnic. Lion Jerry Legg reported that one pair of eyeglasses was collected over the ones collected at the car show. Lion Sandra Friedlander reported that the Membership Committee had met three times and that they had sent 16 letters to prospective members from the names given to them by Club members. Lions' brochures were attached. We thank them for their efforts. Lion Teddy Lohmeier reported that she had visited the area middle schools and the Jackson County Boys and Girls Club to tell them about the Lions Peace Poster Contest in which they will be participating. Lion Mark Bradley introduced our guest speaker, Linda Foster, Executive Director of Jackson County Family Connection. The purpose of Family Connections is to facilitate collaboration among community members assessing community resources and needs. The Jefferson Lions Club collected a total of 162 eyeglasses and 7 sunglasses in the month of August.

August 25, 2014 - Lion Edna Briggs of the Membership Committee reported that they would start calling prospective members who had been sent letters. Lion Jerry Legg reported that 152 pairs of eyeglasses and 3 sunglasses had been collected. Lion President Gay Bradley introduced 2nd Vice District Governor, Lion Bob Norton who in turn introduced District Governor, Lion Vicki Hubbard. District Governor Hubbard reminded the Club of the deadline for the nominees for the Hall of Fame is September 17 and that the recipients would be named at the 2nd District 18I Cabinet Meeting/Hall of Fame Ceremony to be held on October 25, 2014 in Watkinsville, Georgia. District Governor Hubbard also noted that September 17, 2014 is slated as Lions Liberty Day where Lions pass out copies of the United State Constitution to fifth graders as part of Lions Youth Projects. She encouraged the Club to participate. The District Governor informed the Club that the International President, Lion Joe Preston has as his theme "Strengthen the Pride". She gave several definitions of a pride. District Governor Hubbard said that the International President Joe Preston gave a challenge to Lions: more service, membership development, and strengthening the Cub. The Centennial Service Challenge encourages Lions around the world to help reach a goal of serving 100 million people by December 2017 when Lions will celebrate 100 years. In membership development, each member is asked to recruit at least one new member. To strengthen the Club we are asked to examine new management strategies, be in partnership with other organizations and clubs, use creativity, have courage and conviction. We were encouraged to support LCIF, Leader Dogs, the Lighthouse Foundation and Camp for the Blind and other Lions activities as well as local needs.

Lawrenceville Lions Club = We collected 367 used eyeglasses and 50 lenses. Lion Judy Stamsen brought in a new member, Ahmadur Rahman. PCC Grace Clower inducted him into our club. We have a raffle for \$250.00 worth of meat at Wilkes Meat Market in Suwanee, Georgia as a fundraiser for our Georgia Lions Camp. Our club is sponsoring a Campus Club at Georgia Gwinnett College with GLT Pete Stamsen leading the process. We had 2 members do vision screening at Georgia Gwinnett College. Our club is engaged in doing the Club Excellence Program with PCC Grace Clower and GLT Pete Stamsen.



Loganville Lions Club

Established 1965

Annual 2014 Fall Golf Classic **September 19, 2014**

Hole Sponsorship	\$100	\$400 Per team
Advertising	\$50	\$100 Per Player
Advertising Sponsor	\$25	Prizes Awarded For:
Registration Begins @ 8:00am-8:45am		Closest to Pin 1st
Shotgun Start @ 9:00am		Long Drive 2nd
		Door Prizes 3rd

Contact: Danny Byrd - (678-463-1100)

Team Captain: 1- _____ Phone# _____

Player #2 _____

Player #3 _____

Player #4 _____



Bear Creek Golf Club, Inc 4125 Lakeside Blvd.
Monroe, Ga 30656 (770) 207-5511
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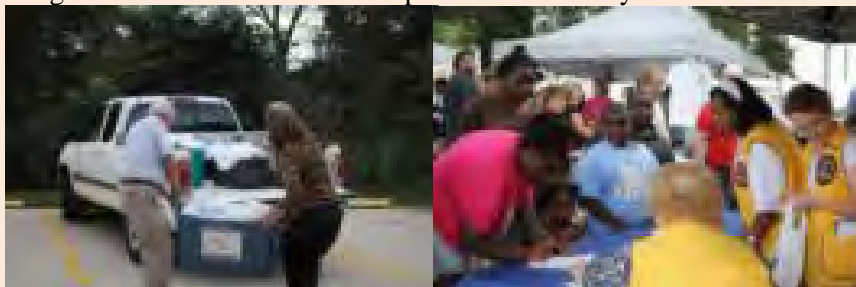
Loganville Legacy Lions Club = meeting called to order at 7:00 pm by Ann Jones due to absence of President Chuck Lynch.....quorum being present, the following topics were addressed; CONCERNS/NEEDS OF MEMBERS; Chuck Lynch - brother and wife illness, member Mark Hollis - possible back surgery, Sue White mytral valve issue, Ivy Morgan - our oldest member, suffering from bladder infection - and due to her age (102) surgery is not advised.....saddened to report passing of LLLC member Tom Gunter.....guest Ron Smith ,coordinator for annual candy distribution by local merchants for TRICK-OR-TREAT Loganville requested help of LLLC for this year's event and recommendation that it become our project next year and in to the future - tentative approval given until remainder of club is ADVISED. LLLC would be responsible for providing liability insurance (available thru LCII).... approved \$ 100.00 donation to Loganville Police Department for their upcoming "DONUT DASH" with proceeds going to SPECIAL OLYMPICS.....was confirmed that LLLC would not conduct nor participate in a golf tournament this year..... reviewed other upcoming events: TASTE OF CHAMBLEE fund raiser to benefit lighthouse. 10/18 - Loganville HERITAGE FESTIVAL. 10/25 - DISTRICT RALLY AND HALL OF FAME INDUCTION IN WATKINSVILLE,GA. 10/25 - TRICK-OR-TREAT MAIN STREET. Dates for Grayson Days TBD.....subsequent follow up re trick-or-treat: Dan Curry and Skip Baliles has indicated the Loganville Lions Club is supportive and willing to do some "legwork"affirmed brooms and bucket brigade will continue as fund raising efforts....recent broom activity: Muerrels waterproofing ordered another 100 brooms, and Snellville Lions purchased \$215.00 worth of brooms 3rd/4th quarter goals will be emphasis on membership, fine-tuning father/daughter dance and prep for heritage festival, also being considered is pecan sales in co-operation with Lawrenceville. (Lawrenceville, Snellville and Dacula) have had good success with this effort. 11/11 - Veterans Day Ceremony at City Hall @ 11:00 am. 1 member collected, sorted and counted 185 pair of recycled glasses from 3 locations in Loganville. Club President Chuck Lynch delivered food for Shepherds Staff Food Bank and clothes for Shepherds Staff Thrift Shop. Outreach Chair received, reviewed and forwarded three "In need " requests - scheduled appointments locally for exams and will follow up when completed..1 candidate has been referred to Lighthouse. due to nature of his needs

Monroe Lions Club = 6th Annual Run for Sight



Norcross Lions Club = Lion Trudy Rudert trained 24 Girl Scout adults in outdoor camping skills so they could take their girls camping. On another day she trained 12 Girl Scout adults in Red Cross First Aid and CPR for adults and children so that girls in these troops can be safe when leaving their troop meeting place for an activity like camping. Food was given to the food drive at Mary Our Queen Catholic Church. Through the St. Vincent dePaul Society this food will help people in the Norcross/Peachtree Corners local area. Using a bus safety PowerPoint provided by the GA Department of Education, Lion Trudy Rudert trained 19 students in her fifth grade class. Armed with this training, these students should be able to not only be safe themselves but also help younger children be safe at the bus stop and to be prepared in case of a bus emergency. Zone Chair Dr. Elbonie Hornbuckle visited our club. She reminded us of the scheduled Zone meeting on Monday, Sept. 22. PDG Ed Hashbarger visited the Peachtree Corners Council meeting in an effort to get more members for the Peachtree Corners Lions Club. PDG John Rudert gave a report of the GA Lions Lighthouse. Norcross Lion Yoriko Hashbarger is a member of the Night of the Spectacles Committee. Members were encouraged to volunteer for Taste of Chamblee, the first weekend in October. Lion and Teacher Master Gardener Trudy Rudert meet with the PTA Building and Grounds chair of Kittredge Magnet School to plan work for next month's school clean-up day. We walked the ground to decide what needed done this fall and talked about recruiting others to help us. Lion Trudy Rudert is the troop leader for 4th-6th grade girls at Kittredge Magnet School. Twenty girls attended 2 get-acquainted meetings in August. After the first meeting a parent meeting was held. Lion Rudert also attended the adult local Girl Scout Service Unit meeting and the Girl Scout council-wide facilitator/service unit conference this month.

Oglethorpe County Lions Club = Oglethorpe County Community Days is an annual event to assist returning school children and their parents with required school supplies. This as OCLCs first year participating. Over \$300 in school supplies were given away to students in PreK through High School. Over 150 bags were made up in advance with supplies ranging from crayons to color pencils. Every child received two or more items; most getting 4 or 5. Notebook paper, composition notebooks and/or spiral notebooks were in every bag. Additionally, fliers were given to parents encouraging them to consider becoming a Lion. We had ONE NEW MEMBER sign up. We also have been given permission from the school to present our request for a new Leo Club. Superintendent and High School Principal have given their approval to move forward. We are working with the school on a time to present at assembly.



Snellville Lions Club = The weather was excellent for our 16th Annual Golf Classic yesterday! We want to thank all of the sponsors, players, Club members, and the golf committee for making it such a successful event! We inducted two new members in April. I apologize for being SO late in posting this great event! Welcome Chris Helton and Patricia Helton! They joined our club after seeing members during a White Cane Day event. Also pictured here are Lion Joe Roth (L) & Lion Steve Hart (R).



Social Circle Lions Club = The Social Circle Lions was at work this month with planning the club's forthcoming vision screening event at the school. Our club also attended the zone 1 meeting on August 20. The leading service activities this month were food distribution conducted by Lion Larry and assisting the elderly by providing transportation to and from doctor appointments conducted by Lion Dede.

Toccoa Lions Club =



Toccoa Lions Club = MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETINGS - August 12th, 2014

The board meeting of the Toccoa Lions Club was called to order on August 12, 2014 by President Lion Bill at 7:02 A.M. in Dr. Royal's office with the following board members in attendance:

Lion Bryan reported as club secretary everything was status quo. The club has 48 total members. We have 28 members in the noon club, 18 members in the evening club and 2 members at large. The majority of the members are current on membership dues. We have 9 members or billing units paid ahead and 6 members in arrears on dues. We have 44 months paid ahead and 27 months' worth of dues in arrears for a net of plus 17 months.

Lion Steve presented a balance sheet as of August 11, 2014 showing the following. Activities checking account at \$X. Administrative checking at \$Y. Sight Conservation checking at \$Z for total checking account balances of \$AA. Steve stated that these funds are stable as all the major bills have been paid. Further the club has savings in CD's of \$BB at First Franklin and \$CC at Stephens Federal. Total savings of \$DD. Total assets of \$EE. Accounting is done on a cash basis. Steve also presented a profit and loss statement year to date. Treasurer's report was approved as presented by members present.

Lion Bill called for committee reports. Margo reported that all the calendar sales folders are out to the members. The older members who are not able to sell as actively as in the past have passed their lists of subscribers to newer members. The plan is to have the older member call their subscribers so the newer member can close the sale. It is Margo's hope that newer members will find new subscribers to the calendar from their network of friends. Bryan reports that calendar ad sales have started and are going well.

Lion Steve reported that he had a call from Alisa of Cable Crest Catering asking about the food that was prepared for the Lions meeting on Thursday, August 7th that she prepared. The club's 2015 calendar has listed the club meetings on the wrong weeks for the month of April. Alisa used our calendar for food preparation. Lion Bill says he has contacted Alisa and given her a list of the remaining luncheon meetings for this calendar year. Steve motioned that we offer to pay for half the cost for the meal on the 7th. Bryan seconded the motion and the vote of the board approved the idea.

Bill discussed old business and calendar items. Bryan pointed out this Saturday, August 16th is Lions night at Turner Field with all funds raised going to Leader Dogs for the Blind. Some of our club members are going to the game. The Lions club yard sale is set for Saturday, October 11th at the parking lot of Stephens County Eye Clinic on Big A Road next to Hardees. It will run from 7:00 am to noon that day. Members can donate items early and are being held in storage in the metal building behind Maddox Drugs. This is a fund raiser for the administrative account.

A discussion of the Harvest Festival transpired between the members present. Lions Russ and Steve suggested that we rent a booth on the street right in front of Dr. Royal's building and do vision screening as well as a rest area. Basically, do the same thing this year as last year. The Harvest Festival is Saturday, November 1st and Sunday, November 2nd this year. Bryan will secure the application and fill it out to get the booth from Toccoa Main Street Program.

A discussion of when to clean up Falls Road again ensued and the consensus opinion was to set the date for Saturday, September 27th as the next clean up day. A discussion on doing diabetes and vision screening at Wal-Mart in November during Lions Diabetes Awareness Month ensued. Bill is going to check on availability of staff from the hospital and space at Wal-Mart.

Lion Bryan mentioned that the club has a finished and frame original oil painting with a plaque of appreciation to Dr. Ashley Fortney that has never been presented to Dr. Fortney. The board decided to let Margo and the sight conservation committee make arrangements for the presentation of the painting.

Moving on to new business Lion Bill asked for input. A discussion about holding a social event, a picnic for the members and a work bee session for walking sticks straps. No agreement was reached at the board meeting and it was suggested that the idea of a fall picnic on a Sunday afternoon be presented to the membership at our regular August meetings.

Lion Bill has assumed the role of club membership chair again this year. He is suggesting that we invite people to come to our meetings as guest all year long as opposed to a big recruitment night one time a year. He says we need to let the membership know they are not going to be billed for meals of guests.

There was a discussion about the short fall of attendance this summer at luncheon meetings. The club pays for a minimum of twenty-five meals regardless if we have twenty-five people or not attending. We have twenty-eight members in the noon club who are billed for meals whether they attend or not.

Lion Bill mentioned a program he knows about that Lions in Virginia use called the "I Plan" which he would like to discuss for possible adoption by our club.

Toccoa Lions Club = MINUTES OF LUNCHEON CLUB MEETING - August 14th, 2014

The regular luncheon meeting of the Toccoa Lions Club was called to order on August 14, 2014 by the Immediate past president, Lion Bryan, at 12:00 P.M when he tapped the microphone at the Gate Cottage

Bryan greeted the gathered crowd and then explained that the projector was showing our home page on the Toccoa Lions website. Bryan then asked Lion Larry to ask for prayer requests. Chaplain Larry led the prayer. Then Lion Tamer James led the pledge of allegiance to the flag and led the signing of God Bless America. James then assigned the order of tables to attend the food buffet. The pride chewed on their prey . . . food and weaved many tales at the various tables.

Bryan made some announcements about upcoming events as listed on the meeting agenda. Lions Bill and Dale went to Virginia and could not make the meeting. Vice President Beverly and Kevin were vacationing in Hawaii. Lion Henry, our Tail Twister, shared some wisdom about how government works . . . when it works. He fined Bryan the Lion two dollars for the typos in the agenda. Henry fined everybody else a dollar. The tail twister collected \$X.

Bryan told the Lions gathered about how media has changed in the twenty-century. How television started broadcast new magazines starting with CBS's Sixty Minutes program. Bryan used his laptop computer and projected our club's Facebook listings showing how it resembles a newspaper. He then logged onto the Lions Club International website and the club viewed the current Lions Quarterly video magazine.

MINUTES OF THE EVENING CLUB MEETING - August 19th, 2014

The evening meeting of the Toccoa Lions Club was called to order on August 19, 2014 by the Branch President, Lion Kay, at 6:04 PM when she rang the bell in the fellowship hall at the Church of Christ. President Kay started the meeting by asking everyone to rise and face the flag and pledge allegiance to the United States of America. Then she asked Lion Will to offer the opening prayer.

As a preface to the meeting Lion David told the Lions about his trip to Leader Dogs for the Blind in July. With no pun intended David said "attending Leader Dog was an eye opening experience for him." He said it was about the first time in his life when he meet a group of strangers and did not have to explain what "RP" means. He was busy day and night while at the school and has made several friends that he is keeping in contact with through Facebook. David said "I came home and talked to my dog, my pet dog, about bring a Leader Dog into the house and he vetoed it." David does plan to go back to Leader Dogs when he is ready to train with a guide dog.

Lion Will introduced our guest speaker, Diana Thornton from Georgia Department of Human Services. She works in Banks and Stephens Counties as the coordinator and case worker for foster children and foster families. Currently she has nine foster families in Stephens County but there is a great need for more families. She is actively recruiting and training families who can provide temporary and short term hosting and care for children who have been placed into the custody of the state. There are currently twenty-five children in foster care in Stephens County. She explained the program and the qualifications a person or family need to have to be a Foster Parent. She was invited to the meeting by Lion Will. Lion Will & his wife Linda are one of nine Foster Parents in Stephens County. Lion Will & Linda have been Foster Parents for 32 years.

Lion Will gave a very nice compliment to Diana for her professionalism and compassion towards her work. Will and his wife Linda have been providing foster care for over thirty years and currently have three children in their home.

Lion Bill Graham stated that he been in contact with the Mountain Education Charter High School in Stephens County and they have invited the Toccoa Lions Club to a meeting on Thursday, August 21st at the school to discuss the formation of a Leo Club. That is the youth group auxiliary of Lions Club International. If the club can be formed a Toccoa Lion will need to be the advisor.

Lion Dale told the group to mark their calendars for Saturday, October 11th for the Lions annual yard sale. It will be held in the parking lot at Stephens County Eye Clinic from daybreak to noon. Items are being collected now and stored at Maddox Drugs. Lion Bryan announced that the next Falls Road clean up will be Saturday, September 27th starting at 8:00 am. The clean up takes about two hours. Bring gloves and/or picking tools to gather the trash along the road. Meet at the corner of Rock Quarry Road and Falls Road.

Lion Bryan also announced that the children's art contest, Lions International Peace Poster contest, has been started. He has rule sheets to hand out and the rules are on the club's website. www.toccoalions.org

The meeting went into a brief intermission. No recycled glasses were available to be sorted so ten members stayed to review applications to the club for eye glasses. This activity was led by Dale and Margo. Ten applications have been received in the past month by the club. After reviewing all the applications the club approved three people for glasses and mailed the vouchers. A fourth person was tentatively approved for glasses based upon a consultation between Dr. Royal and Dr. Vanderhoef over the case. Three people were sent letters asking for more information before they can be approved. Three applications were rejected for various reasons and they were mailed decline letters.

Toccoa Lions Club = August 23 = Toccoa Lions Club & Mountain Charter High School discuss forming a LEO Club

Members of the Toccoa Lions Club & the Mountain Charter High School/Toccoa Campus met to discuss forming a LEO Club. Both groups are excited about the possibility. If this works well at Toccoa there are 9 other Mountain Education Charter Schools that may be candidates for a LEO Club. Lion GeorgAnn will be the LEO Club Advisor and brings a lot of excitement to the endeavor.— with [Bryan Gordon](#).

MINUTES OF NOON CLUB MEETING - August 28th, 2014

The regular luncheon meeting of the Toccoa Lions Club was called to order on August 28, 2014 by vice president, Lion Beverly, at 12:00 P.M when she gonged the bell at the Gate Cottage

Lion Bev greeted the gathered crowd and welcomed the guests. Bev then asked Lion Larry to ask for prayer requests. Lion Dan asked that we pray for him. Chaplain Lion Larry led the prayer. Then Lion Tamer James led the pledge of allegiance to the flag and led the signing of God Bless America. James then assigned the order of tables to attend the food buffet. He assigned his own table first. The pride chewed on their prey . . . food and weaved many tales at the various tables.

Lion Bryan made some announcements about upcoming events as listed on the meeting agenda. Need all members to sell subscriptions as that is where the profit is at. He also told the group that a meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 2nd at the Mountain Charter High School to explore the formation of a Leo club. Lions Bill and Dale went to Virginia and could not make the meeting.

Lion Henry, Henry Fields, our Tail Twister, shared some of the wisdom from Maxine's writings. Lions Larry and James were asked what color hair is listed on their drivers licenses. Lion Steve was asked why we do not have Preparation A, B, C, D, E, F and G if we in fact have Preparation H. Henry fined everybody a dollar. The tail twister collected \$18.01.

Lion Beverly told the Lions that we had a mystery speaker today who has been sitting in the room all the time. She implied that the Lions don't know Jack. So she invited one of our Jack's up to the podium to speak. Lion Jack B. said that he and his brother Ben help pay their way through college working in a band called The Oxford Nights back in the 1960's. In 1968 they cut a record at a studio in Atlanta called "I am a Lonely One" which became a hit in England many years later in 2006. Jack was the promoter and drummer for the band and his brother Ben was the lead vocalist. After college the group disbanded and Jack spent his career in the transportation industry.

Jack and Glenda moved to Toccoa four years ago from Conyers, GA. Glenda is originally from Toccoa and Jack retired to his wife's home town. They had purchase land on Scenic Drive fourteen years ago. Jack and Glenda used to go camping on the weekends on their land while they worked in the Atlanta area. Jack said he and his wife plan on donating their land to the city or the college as a park when they pass on.

Jack wanted to give back to the Toccoa community and he composed a song for the city with help from God. Then he found some gifted musicians in Toccoa to set his words and melody to a musical score. Then the Lord inspired him to write three additional songs, children's songs. He again called upon his local musical friends to set these songs to musical scores. Jack cannot read or write music but he feels he is simply a conduit for God's will with these songs. Jack believes his mission is to bring the community together spiritually through music.

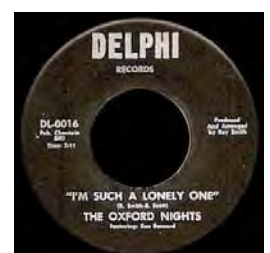
On Thursday, May 15, 2014 The Toccoa Record published an article about Jack and the Toccoa Elementary School choir performing one of his songs. Jack had the article passed out to all in attendance. Any money received from this music project will be given back to those in need in our community according to Jack.

There was some discussion with Jack by the members on his project. Jack received a good round of applause from the Lions.

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NsvnVFz7z7Y>

[Northern Soul Classic... The Oxford Nights " I'm Such a Lonely One" Delphi Records](#)

Northern Soul Classic... The Oxford Nights " I'm Such a ...



Towns County Lions Club =

During the Fair, The Towns County LEO Club raised over \$120 for the Georgia Lions Camp for the Blind!



Club Meeting August 12, 2014

Tuesday, August 12, 2014, the Towns County Lions Club held its bi-monthly meeting in the Anderson Music Hall. Guests at our meeting included Wayne Austin, Sherry Prillhart, and John McClure. After Lions President Janice King shared updates on some of our members who have been sick or having surgery, she turned the meeting over to Georgia Mountain Fair President Myers Banister to announce the formation of a nomination committee for the upcoming Fair Board elections.

Banister announced that there was a need to elect three new Board members and a Fair Board Secretary. All nominations must be submitted in writing to the committee comprised of Janice King, Janice Smith, and Jim McConnell no later than the end of August. This is in order to comply with the bylaws requiring nominations be made 60 days before the election. The election meeting will be October 28, 2014. Banister, a Past International President, then presented our own Jack Anderson with a service award for completing 50 years of perfect attendance.

After the meal catered by Daniel's Steakhouse, our new President Janice King shared her vision for the coming year. She encouraged the club to participate in more service programs to help garner awards for the club and serve our community better.

King emphasized two particular programs we should participate in and receive awards for doing. The Lions Club International will be celebrating its centennial year in 2017 and is encouraging all clubs to participate in its Global Service Action Campaigns with a goal of serving 100 million people by December 2017. Another program she stressed was the Club Excellence Award. To receive this award, Clubs must excel in community service, membership growth, communication and organizational management. King reviewed some of the key points of this program with the Club.

King then reviews some of the current projects we participate in and how these projects are funded. She encouraged all members to continue to pay their dues on time as the Club must pay dues to the district, state and international levels on a semi-annual basis whether or not the actual dues have been paid by the members. In connection with the projects mentioned by King, Lion Ken Fuller, our Zone Chairman, stated that we need to place more emphasis on both the Georgia Lighthouse and the Camp for the Blind, which the Lions Clubs of Georgia own.

Lion Deborah Saylor made a report on the LEO Club indicating that the School Open house resulted in approximately 7 new members. She then reviewed the projects the LEOs plan for this coming year. Lion Janice King announces that Savannah Kendall with Dr. Church's office will be making a presentation on Child abuse prevention to all interested lions on August 19, 2014 at 6:30 PM in the Anderson Music Hall.

Nine members of the Towns County Lions Club attended the Zone Meeting held in Blairsville, Ga. on August 28. Zone Chair Lion Ken Fuller had offered a prize to the group with the most members at the meeting. The prize was a check for \$50 to be donated to the Camp for the Blind. We were happy to accept this check and are more than happy to forward it to the Camp for the Blind to be used for camp services. Every year the Chamber of Commerce in Towns County holds a Golf Tournament to raise money to benefit scholarships for athletes graduating from Towns County High School. The Towns County Lions Club sponsors a hole during this tournament. Every Thursday several members of the Towns County Lions Club go to the Food Pantry to assemble backpacks to be given to the children at school. These backpacks contain various nutritional food and drinks that the children take home with them to be consumed over the weekend when they do not have access to breakfast and lunch at school. Members of the Towns County Lions Club go to the Food Pantry to assemble boxes of food and return the next day to distribute them to the underprivileged families in the County.

Georgia Mountain FALL Festival - October 10 thru 18, 2014

Union County Lions Club = Union County Lions Club of Blairsville, Georgia, USA held its regular Board meeting at Steve's Steakhouse in Blairsville, GA on August 14, 2014 with 13 Board Members present.

- The board approved eye exams and glasses for four local individuals.
- The board approved a \$50 donation to the Wilderness Scouts

August 14, 2014 Regular Meeting –

- Lion Louise Little introduced our guest speaker - Katherine Higgins- the District Diabetes Awareness Chair. Lion Katherine presented a very informative program and handouts on Diabetes including information on how to test for Diabetes, Risk Factors, the differences between Type 1 and Type 2 Diabetes and what we should eat to remain healthy. She also had the club members fill out a Diabetes Screening form.
- Lion Gene announced that 6 club members went to the 80th anniversary of the Clayton Lions Club.

August 28, 2014 Regular Meeting. The meeting was held in conjunction with the Zone 4 Meeting.

- Lion Betty Gurr introduced our guest speaker Linda Gorman and her husband Jim. Linda gave a presentation on the Quilts of Valor program. It was started in 2003 by Katherine Roberts who made a patriotic quilt for her son who was serving in Iraq. Quilting groups from through the US, Australia, and England picked up the program. Since 2003, 104,655 quilts have been provided to veterans. The local group has provided quilts to many local vets including the recently deceased Lion's Club member Les Myers. They also have sent quilts overseas to ICU units in Afghanistan and USO units in Germany. The local group has presented 65 quilts this year. Linda displayed several beautiful quilts they have made recently.
- Lion Gene Little then introduced Zone Chairman Ken Fuller. Lion Ken acknowledged PID Myers Bannister, PDG James Webb, Towns County President Janice King and our special guest PID Dr John Pierce. Dr Pierce passed out information on the Centennial Service Challenge that focuses on Youth, Vision, Hunger, and the Environment. All clubs are encouraged to participate in all 4 Global Service Action Campaigns to benefit 100 million people by December 2017. Dr Pierce recognized the Towns County Lions Club for having the most members attending the zone meeting and made a \$50 donation to the Camp for the Blind in their honor.
- Zone Chairman Ken noted that September is Send a Kid to Camp month and November is Diabetes Awareness month. He encourage members to support the camp through the memorial brick program and the 1976 club. He also reminded the member that the next Cabinet meeting will be Oct 25th in Watkinsville. This ended the Zone meeting and Lion Ken turned the meeting back over to President Gene Little.
- Lion Louise Little presented the vest and cap of deceased Lion Jimmie Schumacher that was given to the club by his widow Marge. Marge also made a \$100 donation to the club in Jimmie's memory.

Farmer's Market – 5 Saturdays in August – 14 Lions and 1 friend worked a total of 121 hours selling fried pies, hot dogs and hamburgers and visiting with members of our community.



Tribute made to 3 long time members. Each article was in Union newspapers.



WORKING LIONS - 236 hours
NON LION COMMUNITY HOURS - 114 hours
FAMILY & FRIENDS ASSISTING LIONS - 14 hours
Total: 364 hours
Submitted: 6 news article

Washington Lions Club =

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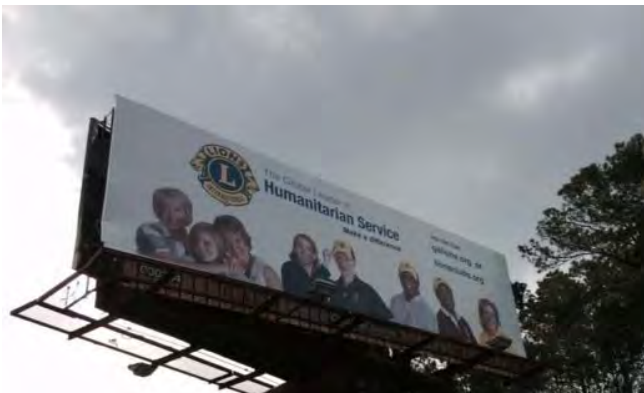
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For those of you attending the 2014 USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum...

*****Your help is needed*****

The Family and Women's Action Committee from LCI is sponsoring a Service Project at the San Juan Forum to benefit the University's Pediatric Hospital (a free care facility that caters to children with chronic ailments) and is requesting that you bring children's books, small toys, pajamas, or monetary donations with you to the Forum. Leos are asked to make cards, particularly in Spanish, to help comfort the children during their hospital stays. You can drop the donations off in the Exhibit area of the convention center at the "Meet Your International Directors" booth. The donations will be delivered following the close of the Forum. Thank you in advance for your donations to this project.



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NAME (check boxes that apply) Each person receiving a hospitality book must be listed	# Hospitality Books	# M/J Luncheon tickets	Lion (Check)	Guest (Check)	Dietary Restrictions (type)

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Address:		City, State, Zip:	
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Hospitality Book Includes: 2 District Breakfasts and District Governors Banquet on Saturday Night.

Cost of Hospitality Book:	At 2014 Convention \$100.00	June 2 – Aug. 30, 2014 \$110.00	Sept. 1 – Nov. 30, 2014 \$120.00
	Dec. 1, 2014 – Mar. 31, 2015 \$130.00	April 1– April 30, 2015 \$140.00	After deadline, May 1, 2015 \$145.00

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