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**September's newsletter deadline will be August 28th. Please have your articles and club information emailed to:
Lioness/Lion Amy Hornbaker
buchananlionessamy@gmail.com
Thank you**

A MESSAGE FROM DISTRICT GOVERNOR SAM



Lions, Lionesses, and Leos

I hope all of you withstood the heat of July. Ginny and I were hoping to escape the heat when we traveled to Italy. However, that was not the case, temperatures in Italy were record highs while we were there. We still had a good time.

One month down and hope the seeds of planning have sprouted and your clubs are greening up to meet

the challenges you set in the planning stages. Focus on the immense good you can do for your community and the world. "We serve" is not just words used to make us feel good, but a deep engineered goal to improve our service. Together we can do much good. Walk with me in this endeavor and we will make a difference!

A few errors in the directory need to be corrected. See page 11:

- January 13, 2020 Greencastle Antrim Lioness meeting time: 6:00 pm
- February 6, 2020 Middle Paxton meeting time: 6:30 pm
- March 19, 2020 Landisburg Lions meeting time: 6:30 pm

Continue to actively carry out your goals and serve the community.

Yours in Lionism,
DG Samuel R. Wagner

DIRECTORY AND OTHER CONTACT UPDATES

Greencastle Lions Club President: Ron Snyder (not Richard)
Darrell Miller email update shipdmlill@gmail.com

ZONE MEETINGS

REGION 4, ZONE A

September 9, 2019 6:30pm atTBA
November 18, 2019 6:30pm atTBA
February 17, 2020 6:30pm atTBA

REGION 1-2, COMBINE ZONES

September 11, 2019.....Hoss' Hummelstown
November 13, 2019.Hoss' Hummelstown
February 12, 2020.....Hoss' Hummelstown



FOOD SAFETY TRAINING

Penbrook Lions Club is hosting a food safety/food handlers training course conducted by the PA Dept. of Agriculture on Thursday, October 10 from 6pm to 9pm at the Penbrook Community Building 150 S 28th Street Harrisburg, PA 17103. This class is designed for non-profit organizations. Any Lion from District 14T is invited to join us. Please RSVP to lioncandy2018@gmail.com by September 27 so we can have enough seating and tests available.

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14-T DISTRICT DIRECTORY CORR./CHGS.

The material published in the 2019-2020 14-T District Directory is used by many people for many different purposes. Please review your Directory and send any corrections/changes to: srwagner@embarqmail.com

When changes are listed in this article of the newsletter, please be sure to update your copy of the District Directory. Updates will be available on the District website also.

DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S OFFICAL VISITS

AUGUST

7 - Waynesboro Area Lioness Lions	6:00pm
19 - Greencastle Antrim Lioness	6:30pm
20 - Rouzerville Lions	6:00pm
21 - Steelton Lions	6:00pm
27 - Chambersburg Noon	12:00pm
27 - Buchanan Lioness	6:00pm

SEPTEMBER

9 - Penn National Lions	6:30pm
10 - Greene Township/Chambersburg Evening	6:15pm
11 - Path Valley Lions	6:30pm
12 - Blain Lions	6:30pm
16 - Millersburg Lions	6:30pm
17 - Rutherford Heights Lions	6:30pm
24 - Fayette Lions	6:30pm

1VDG CATHY'S MESSAGE

Greetings Lions, Lioness and Leos:



Wow, we are already one full month in our new year. It's time for us all to begin planning our fundraisers and service projects for this year. Is your club adding to the established service projects you have been doing? Are you trying out a new fundraiser? We should all be considering expanding our vision as we continue in service to

our communities.

The first way we can move our district forward is through our strongest asset which is our SERVICE in our communities. When we serve in our communities and towns, and we serve together we strengthen our Clubs, Zones, and District our efforts work towards improving our communities! As we continue in this new Lions Year, remember to communicate our service efforts because as we do, we gather more friends to help and join in that service.

Our new International President Dr. Jung-Yul Choi has programs and initiatives that focus on the 4 key elements of Lions International that are essential to our mission of service internationally, nationally, and locally:

1. Strengthening [membership](#) through diversity
2. Expanding service impact globally
3. Supporting our global foundation, LCIF
4. Empowering every Lion as a leader

<https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/discover-our-clubs/presidential-theme>

Please click on the link above to learn more about President Dr. Choi.

DG Sam Wagner will begin club visitations very soon and I look forward to seeing everyone very soon.

Serving Together,
1st Vice District Governor
Cathy Baker

ATTENTION CLUBS

ANY UPDATES TO THE DIRECTORY PLEASE EMAIL LIONESS / LION AMY HORNBAKER SO THEY CAN BE PUT IN THE DISTRICT NEWSLETTER. THANK YOU

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GLOBAL LEADERSHIP MESSAGE

Taking your next step in Lions. Whether you are moving "in" or "out" of a leadership position, the "change" and sharing experiences and opportunities with other members of your club or district, is healthy for a club and so rewarding!

As I moved from District Governor to Past District Governor in July, I reflected on a very rewarding year, thanks to all the wonderful members of 14-T! There are big shoes to fill in my new role as Global Leadership Coordinator for 14-T. Thank you to PDG Bill Tuttle for your outstanding leadership and service to the District! I am also continuing to focus on PA Lions Care for the Kids (14-T Childhood Cancer Coordinator). Congratulations to all the clubs in District 14-T who collectively raised over \$4,000, directly and indirectly, towards the \$68,709. Which was raised across the Commonwealth. An amazingly great effort in the first year as a District Project!

August is the last official month of "Summer" and the second month in the 2019-2020 Lions Year. This month is the first Cabinet Meeting, the first State Council of Governors Meeting, and it is also a great time for club goal planning and member training.

Although there is a wealth of material and training available through LionsClubs.org, the district is planning great training opportunities for the Lions, Lionesses, and Leos of District 14-T.

We offer orientation for members, officer training, Certified Guiding Lion Training, Club development, membership development and more! If you have an opportunity to attend training by the District, PLEASE do so. If your club is looking for a more private session, just let us know which area you would like to focus on and we'll schedule a trainer.

There are two items I would recommend focusing on in August. First, start with SMART goals (Specific, Measurable, Actionable, Realistic and Time-Bound) for your club or self. Second, draft a leadership development plan for your club. Are your club officers trained? Do you provide Orientation to your club members? Have you identified prospective future leaders? If so, have you suggested that they consider a certain role or inquired what their club interests maybe? Is there a member who would be a great candidate for the Advanced Learning Program such as Advanced Lions Leadership Institute (ALLI) or Regional Lions Leadership Institute (RLLI)? Encourage attendance of your club members at the Zone Meetings, Cabinet Meetings and State Convention and Symposium Trainings. Let's move forward together! Please contact me if you have any questions or are interested in more information on training and/or development!.

Yours in Service,
IPDG Keldeen Stambaugh
14-T Global Leadership (GLT)
Lions Clubs International



On Behalf of District 14T, PDG Joann Williams presents a donation of \$6000 to Melissa Benzon, Certified Diabetes Educator and Chris Eckert, Practice Manager of WellSpan Summit Endocrinology. \$5000 will be used for Diabetes Self-Management Education with \$1000 targeted for Diabetes Prevention.

GLOBAL MEMBERSHIP MESSAGE

We've survived the Dog Days of Summer and are looking ahead to (or back at) club picnics before getting back to service in earnest. This month, I'd like to share some steps to assessing your club and looking at member recruiting. If you need any assistance, please get in touch with me.

New Member Induction Kits: As a reminder, if your club hasn't already ordered New Member Induction Kits for the new Lions Year, please consider doing so now. I will soon have a small stock of these for 2019-2020, so you can also contact me if you're in urgent need of any.

As we've discussed many times before, member retention is an even bigger challenge than recruiting new members. As such, understanding and improving the experience of our members should be a priority in our clubs. There are a number of guides on the Lions Clubs International (LCI) website to help your club. I recommend starting with How Are Your Ratings to help understand your club's biggest needs. You can also read PDG Jan Adams' article this month on retention.

In regard to member recruiting, there are some great ideas in the Just Ask! Guide. Part of the steps include reviewing the Recruiting Wheel for ideas on where to look for new members. The How Are Your Ratings assessment will help you understand why you might need more members (more service, club leadership, new ideas). It's important to understand how your new members will help and how you'll engage them.

As your club membership team and club members look to share the message of Lions with others, it's important to be prepared. Here are some recruiting aids you can consider using as you reach out to others.

1. Elevator Speech - have a 30-60 second message ready to share
2. Website - have your club website up to date for prospective members
3. Facebook - share club activities so prospective members see you're active
4. Club Brochure - you can share this so prospects know what you do as a club
5. Business Cards - these are good to hand out including contact information (and website and Facebook references to prospects to explore your club)
6. Newspaper Articles - regular postings help build awareness and interest

This is just a quick summary of steps that your club can take to improve and increase membership. I would also suggest that your club look at your service projects since these are the key ways that you'll entice others to join with you. Your club Global Service Team (GST) chairperson as well as our district GST coordinator can assist with this.

Before I close for the month, I want to encourage you to provide orientation for your recent new members. This feeds back into member engagement and retention. If you need any ideas or assistance, please contact me.

Membership continues to be something that needs focus every year. I'm here to help as are the other members of our Global Action Team (GAT). Let us know where we can help.

Yours in Service,
PDG Lion John Mallonee
pdgjohn@hersheylions.org

NORTHEAST PA LIONS SERVICE FOUNDATION

At the June 12 board meeting of the Northeast PA Lions Service Foundation, some improvements to the grant application process were adopted. Any grant application submitted with an expedited review request will be approved by both the president of the board and the grants committee, up to a \$5000 limit. In most cases, a complete and expedited request will be decided upon within 7 business days. Grant requests of more than \$5000 will still require a full board vote, however this can be achieved going forward via email rather than having to wait until the next quarterly board meeting. Copies of grant applications will be sent to the board representative(s) from whom the grant originated so that the representative can follow the grant's status and assist in acquiring any further information needed about the grant. These changes were adopted for the purpose of providing better service to our nine Lions districts and the communities that they serve.

Two grants were awarded at the June meeting; \$2000 to District 14H to help purchase a second Spot vision screener to better serve the children in 21 school districts in which 14H conducts screenings and \$8500 to replace a gazebo that was gifted several decades ago to Elm Street Station Park by the Penbrook Lions in District 14T that will house a new eyeglass collection box, braille library and serve as a hub for white cane collections, beeping egg hunts and other community service projects.

The foundation is planning a presentation for incoming DGs and VDGs at the August State Council meeting.

The board of directors extends their gratitude to all the clubs that have donated funds in the 2018-2019 Lions year to enable us to continue to serve the Lions clubs that serve their communities.

West Hanover Lions Club
westhanoverlions.club

CHICKEN BARBECUE

August 23-24, 2019

10 AM till 5 PM or until sold out

RAIN OR SHINE

✦
Flying J Travel Plaza

Rte. 39 at Rt. I-81 – Exit 77

Donation \$8.00



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IMPORTANT DATES / EVENTS 2019-2020

CABINET MEETINGS

August 25, 2019 SundayRed Lion Hotel
4751 Lindle Rd., Harrisburg

November 10, 2019 SundayLurgan Twp Rec Center
13978 Cumberland Hwy., Roxbury

February 9, 2020 SundayRed Lion Hotel
4751 Lindle Rd., Harrisburg

Lioness Meeting.....12:45am-1:30pm
PDG Meeting.....1:00pm-1:50pm
Executive Session (as needed).....1:30pm-2:00pm
Training for ALL.....2:10pm-2:50pm
Cabinet Meeting.....3:00pm-5:00pm

DISTRICT CONVENTION

April 25, 2020 SaturdayRed Lion Hotel
4751 Lindle Rd., Harrisburg

**More important dates and events will be listed in
September newsletter, along with
Zone Meeting dates and locations.**

IS THE DOOR CLOSED?

Step 1 - Ask, "Just Ask" someone to be a Lion member.

Step 2 " Ask yourself" what will I do to keep and retain this new Lion as a member? Sponsors have a primary role in helping to retain new members. Keep the member involved, satisfied and be sure they have an ongoing interest to serve.

Lion members enter through an **open, door**, they exit through the **back door**, and membership was never intended to be a **revolving door**. Be sure we as sponsors and club members are trying hard enough to retain new members. I'm proud of IPDG Keldeen for closing out this Lions year with a plus 16 in membership! This is the first plus year since 1999 when 14-T and I closed my Governor's year with a plus. It's our job as Lions to keep increased membership and retention going. "Just ask"..... then "Close the back door".

PDG Jan Adams, 14-T Retention Chair

VISION RESOURCES – PRINTING SERVICES

As the District Liaison for Vision Resources of Central PA, I want to first thank all of our clubs for including this fine organization in your considerations for donations to district projects.

However, did you know that Vision Resources might be able to help your club and even save money at the same time? Vision Resources conducts a number of business services with one of them being printing (black and white, or color). They offer extremely reasonable prices with good quality results. My own club has used them to print event tickets (such as spaghetti dinners and pancake breakfasts) and multi-color letters for our annual Sight/Service Fundraising Campaign, and I've used them to print multi-color, trifold brochures. We've always been pleased with the printed materials and the price.

If you're interested in learning more or possibly requesting a quote, please send an email to Scott Moyer of Vision Resources at smoyer@vrocp.org.

Yours in Service,
PDG Lion John Mallonee



PIP Gudrun Yngvadottir Was presented to PDG Lee Eisenhard by PIP Bob Miller at IPDG Keldeen's appreciation dinner on July 28th



BEACON LODGE

District 14T had a great day at Beacon Lodge Appreciation Day. What a great group of Lions and Lioness.

BEACON LODGE PICNIC – AUGUST 25th

All Lions/Lioness/guests welcome.

Begins 12 noon, includes mini golf, tour of grounds, fishing, zip line and rock climbing wall available. \$5 and covered dish. Meal 3 pm provided: beverages, hamburgers, hot dogs, place settings.

Deadline Aug. Aug 18. Contact Lion Denny Hall 814-641-7489 or cuzslab@verizon.net

WAYNESBORO AREA LIONESS LIONS

WALL Club began the new Lions year with a Western themed picnic, complete with guitar-playing and singing with Kip Young and her husband Dale. Sixteen members and fifteen guests attended.



GREENCASTLE LIONESS



In June Greencastle Lioness Club awarded \$3,000 to several area organizations.

Recipients are: Rescue Hose Company No. 1 Inc., \$750. Medic 2, advanced life support, which has units stationed at Waynesboro Hospital, Rescue Hose Company and Mercersburg Montgomery and Peters Township Fire Company, \$750. Two Top Adaptive Sports Foundation/Wounded Warriors at Whitetail Resort, Mercersburg, \$250. Franklin County Veterans Affairs' Operation Save-A-Vet, Save-A-Pet, \$250. Pregnancy Ministries Inc., Greencastle, \$200. Lions District 14-T projects, including Beacon Lodge Camp, Mount Union; Hearing, Speech and Working with the Deaf; KidSight/Adult Vision and Hearing Screening; Leader Dogs; Pa. Lions for Dog Guides Inc.; Pa. Lions Sight Conservation and Eye Research; Special Olympics; and Vision Resource of Central Pennsylvania, \$100 each.

EAST HANOVER LIONS



Carissa Wenner and her family were guests at the East Hanover Lions club business meeting on July 9th where she was recognized as the East

Hanover Elementary student of the third trimester. She was awarded a certificate, large Hershey bar and cash prize for her scholastic and classroom citizen achievements in the third trimester

MARYSVILLE LIONS CLUB

Marysville recently held their 74th annual carnival for the enjoyment of the communities they serve.



We recently inducted their newest member, Lion Brad Lenker. Lion Brad is a longtime supporter of the Marysville Lions Club. Pictured with Lion Brad (middle) is IPDG Kathy Fouse and sponsor King Lion Jon Erdossy, newly elected president of the club.

CONGRATULATIONS



Carol Rockwell was named Greencastle-Antrim Lioness Club's 2018-19 Lioness of the Year

GREENCASTLE LIONS

Greencastle Lions Club were on the square during Sidewalk Sales Days, July 12-13th selling brooms and giving out cold bottled water to attendees



ROUZERVILLE LIONS



The Rouzerville Lions Club showed their support of community youth by presenting Waynesboro Senior High School students Payton A. Sampson and Rebekah D. Cordell a scholarship of \$1000.00 each for college scholarships. The club presented Payton A. Sampson and Rebekah D. Cordell with the scholarship on May 16th at Waynesboro Senior High School Auditorium. In addition to the award, the scholarship recipients and their families were invited as the clubs' guests to a dinner meeting. Payton A. Sampson and her guest attended the dinner meeting.





WHITE CANE DAYS COLLECTIONS

October is the month when many clubs hold their White Cane Days collections. We thank all clubs for their efforts and extend best wishes for their donations. Please remember to submit your reports to me including final tallies when your receipts are complete and compiled. PDG Dalton Paul. Best wishes for your event whether this month or later in the Lions year.

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WHITE CANE REPORTS 2018-2019

I would like to give the District a final rundown of monies that were collected by the clubs for White Cane for the Lions year 2018-2019.

- **Greene Township Lions Club – \$1,845.00**
- **Greencastle Lions & Lioness Club – \$614.00**
- **Landisburg Lions Club – \$2,265.40**
- **Lower Paxton Township Lions Club – \$1,803.87**
- **New Bloomfield Lions Club – \$545.27**
- **Paxtang Lions Club – \$1,272.00**
- **Ickesburg Lions Club – \$198.48**
- **Penbrook Lions Club – \$150.00**
- **East Hanover Lions Club - \$109.19**
- **Harrisburg Lions Club – \$1410.59**
- **Hershey Lions Club - \$528.00**

I did give reports during the year at the Cabinet Meetings but did not have all reports into me before the end of the Lions year. I appreciate all of the clubs who participated in the White Cane Project.

*****CUT AND RETURN*****

2019-2020 WHITE CANE CLUB REPORT PA Lions Multiple District 14-T

This report includes All White Cane Activities occurring from 07/01/2019 to 06/30/2020

1. Did your Lions, Lioness, or Leo Club hold a White Cane fundraising event (or events)?
☐ Yes, please continue with question 2
☐ No, please complete Club information and return form to District White Cane Chairperson
2. Please list activities, dollar amounts raised, and estimated man-hours.

Please email to dalton@innernet.net or
send form to: PDG Dalton E. Paul
District 14-T White Cane Chair
1432 Laurelton Court
Chambersburg, PA 17201

ACTIVITY	AMT RAISED
TOTAL	

Estimated total man-hours expended: _____

Club Name: _____

Report Submitted by: _____ Phone/Email: _____

This report must be in no later than July 15, 2020, but try to get it in as soon as you complete your "2019-2020 White Cane Campaign." Thank you.