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**IP Douglas Alexander** 

### A MESSAGE FROM DISTRICT GOVERNOR PEGGY



**Greetings Lions and Leos! Happy March!** 

District 14-T Lions you are Awesome!!!!!
Serving from the Heart is what you do!

April 23, 2022 District 14-T Convention is looking to be a very special day! We are finally holding an "in-person" event after 2 years and I hope you will all consider joining me and

the District Team as we celebrate this year. We will continue with our efforts to help put a dent in food insecurity issues in our area by having a large food drive for the Central Penna. Food Bank the day of our Convention. I am encouraging everyone to start collecting food items now for the April Food Drive. Please contact your Zone Chair or me if you need assistance with getting your food items to the Red Lion Hotel on Conference Day.

Many of our Project and Committee Chairs will have tables with information for you about what is going on in our District and our Environmental Chair is planning a Photo Contest!

Our speakers for the day are Past International Director Don Noland visiting us from St. Peters, Missouri, Executive Director, Joe Arthur, from the Central Penna. Food Bank and Michael Stevens, Board member of the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation. The newsletter has the registration form for you.

And the best part of the Day will be voting for your new District 14-T Team. We have great candidates this year as we look forward to our future.

I would encourage all members to consider Leadership positions within our District as part of your service journey. Take advantage of Leadership trainings and check out the Lions Leadership online courses.

The District Team will be winding up our club visits this month and it has been such a joy to be welcomed by our clubs and to hear what is happening in our communities.

And last but not least, don't forget to look while driving in Dauphin, Perry and Cumberland Counties for the new Lions Billboards that will be going up at the beginning of March. Districts 14-C and 14-T took

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April newsletter deadline is April 1<sup>st</sup>.

Please have your articles and club information emailed to Lion Fay Watson at faydy320@centurylink.net

Thank you!

DG Peg message cont'd...

advantage of a State Grant and with the help of Lamar advertising are promoting our brand for all to see! Hopefully new members are waiting to give us a call!

Remember, Service from the Heart and Embracing change will guide our way as we think of this Irish prayer;

May God grant you always...
A sunbeam to warm you,
A moonbeam to charm you,
A sheltering angel so nothing may harm you.

Serving Together from the Heart, **District Governor** *Peg* 

### **Message from 1VDG Dennis**

Greetings Lions and Leos,

I hope you are all well and safe.

January involved visits to 4 clubs. We found Lionism to be alive and well at Hershey, Middle Paxton, Liverpool and Penbrook. It was especially gratifying to see Middle Paxton keeping the faith in Lionism despite losing their meeting facility to fire as well as some of their equipment and supplies. Any help our other clubs could give them would be much appreciated.

Training continues starting this Sunday with 3 weeks of online sessions. In the past this would have involved a trip to Illinois for 4 days or so. In addition on the training side, we had a number of T members (at least 6) attend the Spring Fling Feb 12 at the State Office.

Cabinet selection for next Lions year 2022-23 continues and will continue during March and yes, is still a work in progress. Again, my theme for next Lions Year will be "Together We Can Serve More". Pin design is pending since art class was why I took up accounting

I am looking forward to continue visiting clubs during March with DG Peggy and continue to be very glad to receive donations for our District Projects as well as learning how our individual Clubs are serving (now up to 31 visits so far this Lions Year). We are presently around \$31,000 in year to date project donations. We have disbursed \$2,000 year to date in disaster funds including \$1,000 during January to help a family in Franklin County recover from a fire.

And we closed February with \$41,000 in funds earmarked for the district to fund our part of the 2024 State Convention.

Despite the threat of bad weather, the Third State Council meeting was held Feb 4 and 5 in York and was attended by 16 of the 17 1<sup>st</sup> Vice District Governors. Included was a meal packing project where Peggy and I both participated. Lots of scooping. One of the highlights of the event was the presentation of State Leo of the year of the year to one of our own, Angel Diaz, from the Penbrook Leos.

A special recognition is due the Mt Parnell Lions Club. They received a donation of low vision equipment from an individual in their area that includes a new Jordy wearable camera (valued around \$2,000) as well as 2 talking watches, note pads, and various magnifiers. Vision Resources will be accepting the donation and will be responsible for identifying clients that would make the best use of the items.

Please be safe as we Serve together!

Yours in Lions Fellowship, 1VDG Dennis

### **FEBRUARY DG VISITS**



Penbrook Lion Robert Todd presenting check for District projects.



New member induction New Bloomfield with PDG Sam Wagner



PA State Leo of the Year!

Penbrook Leo Angel Diaz and

PDG Kathy Fouse



State meeting Service Project packaging meals with 1 VDG Dennis Alleman



Packaging meals with CC and IPDG Cathy Baker



New member induction Middle Paxton Lions Club



Hershey Lion Steve Gallerizzo presenting check for District Projects

# Did You Hear?

District 14-T Convention Saturday April, 23, 2022

Red Lion Hotel Harrisburg 4751 Lindle Rd. Harrisburg. PA 17111



### March District Governor Visits

March 3----Richfield Lions  $6:30\ pm$ 

March 10--\_Ickesburg Lions 6:30 pm

March 17 Landisburg Lions 6:30 pm

March 21 ShermansDale Lions 7:00 pm

### Convention Service

Project!

Stuff the Truck with Food

Nonperishable food items for the

Central Penna. Food Bank

Come join the fun and see how much food we can get in that truck!



Service to others is the Rent we pay for living on this earth!



### Save the Date!

#### February 13, 2022

**Global Action Team Spring Fling Symposium** (Western Region) Site To Be Determined

### March 11-13, 2022

**Regional Lions Learning Institute** Red Lion Hotel Harrisburg Hershey 4751 Lindle Road, Harrisburg

#### March 26-28, 2022

Constitution Areas I & !! Advanced Lions Leadership Institute (ALLI) Calgary, Alberta, Canada

### April 11, 2022

Constitution & By Laws/Policy **Committee Work Session** PA State Council of Lions Clubs Office 949 East Park Drive, Harrisburg

#### May 18-22, 2022

2021-2022 State Council Meeting #4 and 99th PA State Convention Radisson Hotel Valley Forge at Valley Forge Casino Resort 1160 1st Avenue, King of Prussia

July 1 - 5, 2022 105th Lions Clubs International Convention in Montreal, Canada

#### August 5-6, 2022

2022-2023 State Council Meeting #1 Red Lion Hotel Harrisburg Hershey 4751 Lindle Road, Harrisburg

#### September 15-17, 2022

46th USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum Calgary, Alberta, Canada

#### October 28-30, 2022

2022-2023 State Council Meeting #2 Pittsburgh Marriott North 100 Cranberry Woods Drive, Cranberry Township

### **14-T NEW MEMBERS, FEBRUARY 2022**

CHAMBERSBURG LIONS CLUB JAMES O. BOLICH JR. LANDISBURG LIONS CLUB JUDY A NACE

LOWER PAXTON TOWNSHIP LIONS CLUB BRENDA A FERNSLER

NEW BLOOMFIELD LIONS CLUB LORA SHEAFFER

PENN NATIONAL LIONS CLUB LORI DOWD

### 14-T DECEASED MEMBERS, FEBRUARY 2022

CHAMBERSBURG EVENING LIONS CLUB ELDRED W REMSON JR. GREENE TOWNSHIP LIONS CLUB
WILLIAM S BURNER SR.

LOWER PAXTON TOWNSHIP LIONESS LIONS CLUB KATHRYN THOMAS

NEW BLOOMFIELD LIONS CLUB CARSON E R HOLMAN PATH VALLEY LIONS CLUB ROBERT C SLEIGHTER

**REGION IV, ZONE B MEETINGS** 

May 4, 2022 (Zone Social) 6:30 PM Lurgan Township Recreation Bldg

### **GLOBAL SERVICE TEAM**

As we plan and prepare for the 14-T Food Drive for the Central Pennsylvania Food Bank, let us remember this quote from Vince Lombardi: "Preparedness is the ultimate confidence builder." Let all of us embrace this worthwhile project.

And at the same time we also think about our own personal health. A healthy lifestyle simply means doing things that make you happy and feel good. For one person, that may mean walking a mile five times a week, eating fast food once a week, and spending virtual or in-person time with loved ones every other day....both are perfect for that person.

Here are some suggestions for a healthy lifestyle:

- 1. Measure and watch your weight.
- 2. Limit unhealthy foods and eat healthy meals
- 3. Take multivitamin supplements.
- 4. Drink water and stay hydrated and limit sugared beverages.
- 5. Exercise regularly and be physically active.
- 6. Reduce sitting and screen time.
- 7. Get enough good sleep.

In closing, let us all participate in the food collection project for the Central Pennsylvania Food

Thank you.

In the Lions way I remain
PDG Bob W. Roebuck
Global Service Team Coordinator

**Representative of the District Convention Committee** 

### Attention All Region IV Lions!

The **Region IV Representative of the District Convention Committee** will be on the ballot at our District Convention on April 23. This is a three year term position who serves with other Region Representatives and the Convention Chair to plan and execute the yearly District Convention.

If you are interested in serving, please send your name and information to DG Peg Hummel (peghum@gmail.com) and PDG Joann Williams (lionjoann@yahoo.com)

### **Coming Soon:**



14T Environment Photo Contest

14T clubs can submit one (1) photo (250 KB or smaller .jpg) between March 1-15, 2022 to <a href="mailto:kcallear146@comcast.net">kcallear146@comcast.net</a>

(Subject line: Environment Photo Contest).

District members and visitors can visit palions14t.org and vote one (1) time between March 16-31, 2022. Winner will be announced no later than April 23, 2022.

See district email for complete submission guidelines.

or see next pages 8-9 for details

The following submissions are ineligible:

- Images of captive animals photographedin zoos and commercial game farms.
- Photos that violate or infringe upon another person's rights, including but notlimited to copyright and photographs of persons without the necessary consent.
- Photos that contain inappropriate content.
- Images that involve the willfulharassment of wildlife.
- Images taken that cause or caused damageto the environment by the photographer; this includes taking photos from areas where human presence is restricted by authorities.
- Images that involve putting anyindividual or animal in danger.

**HOW TO ENTER -** Club entry via email to **kcallear146@comcast.net** with attached photo must also include the name of the club, name of the club member photographer, and contact information for the entrant, including an email address. Club leadership will submit the photo.

**AWARD CATEGORIES -** Winning submissions will be selected for the following awardcategories:

- One (1) Grand Prize winner
- Honorable Mention(s)

**JUDGING-** Judging will be conducted by district members and visitors to **palions14t.org** during the designated voting period (March 16-31,2022). District members and visitors may visit the site during the voting period and vote one (1) time during the voting period.

All judging decisions are final. Please do not contact us about the status of entries or judging.

**RESULTS -** All winner(s) will be announced at the District 14-T Convention on April 23, 2022, or via another format if the convention is cancelled orrescheduled or conducted electronically due to circumstances beyond control of the district.

**PRIZES -** All award winners will receive mention in the district's newsletter and One (1) Grand Prize winner will receive:

\$50 USD gift card

**YOUR RIGHTS** - You will retain all rights to any photograph you submit—including ownership if applicable.

**GENERAL CONDITIONS** - In the event that the operation, security, or administration of the Photo Contest is impaired in any way, Sponsor may, in its sole discretion, either: (a) suspend the Photo Contest to address the impairment and then resume the Photo Contest; or (b) award the prize from among theeligible entries received up to the time of the impairment.

By entering, to the maximum extent permissible by law, you agree to release and hold harmless the sponsor, District 14-T, Environment Chairperson, website manager, etc.

### **BEACON LODGE**



### Camping sessions again at PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp in 2022!

It's exciting to report that a full camping season is being planned for 2022 at PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp - the first since 2019 due to the COVID issues over the past few years.

New employees also - The former Camp Coordinator has been replaced by Libby Sarah, who has brought new energy, ideas and professionalism to the Coordinator position. A Director of Development has also been hired to lead fundraising capabilities by seeking other sources for possible funding such as business/corporations for additional funding other than from the Lions organization.

As chairman of Project New Hope for disabled veterans, I am currently focusing on that program. Two five-day Retreats have been scheduled, (1) June 25-29 and (2) July 9- 13, 2022 and the registration form will be on Beacon Lodge Web page shortly. Any 14-T Lion who is a member of a VFW or American Legion should consider mentioning these Retreats to your post commander or at post meetings. Better still, I am always available to speak at a Veterans facility and/or provide brochures on the program. It's important to reach as many eligible veterans as possible. Whether they are physically or emotional affected, they are welcome to register for one of the retreats at absolutely no cost to them!

Beacon Lodge informational packets for 2022 have already been mailed out to each Lions Club and I posted camping sessions in the February District Newsletter. Board of Directors meetings at Beacon Lodge will be March 12 and 13 when updated info is always presented and discussed. Few dates for your calendars: Lions Appreciation Day July 17, 2022 includes the annual duck race, basket raffle, tours of the camp, lunch and more. This is always a great time to meet and socialize with Lions from across the State.

The annual Golf Outing will be August 27.

As always, thank you for your continued support of YOUR PA Lions Beacon Lodge camp.

PDG Jan Adams

### **BEACON BITS**



# Spring is just around the corner and so are Beacon Lodge Work Weekends!

We are looking for Lions to come help with our Spring Work Weekends. Lions are welcome to come the evening before to get a good night's rest before the start of the work weekend. Lions will be housed in the Adult Camp.

Please share this message with the Lions Clubs in your district! Sign up soon...only 50 spaces per weekend available.

Please contact Casey Carver, Director of Operations to sign up.

dirop@BeaconLodge.org

(814) 542-2511 Ext. 145



### 14-C Work Weekend

**April 8 – 10, 2022** 

Saturday Work starting at 8am – *Breakfast*, *Lunch*, *and Dinner Provided* 

Sunday Morning Projects: 9am until 12pm

- Breakfast and Lunch Provided

### 14-N Work Weekend April 22 – 24, 2022

Friday and Saturday Work starting at 8am

 Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner provided

**Sunday Morning** 

Breakfast

The Leos will also be here for the Leo Rally!



### These are **some** of the projects currently on our list...

- Pressure wash pool
- Swimming Pool Coating
- Tarentum Porch Flooring
- Finish Enclosing Tarentum Porch
- Create/Attach Handrail Tarentum
- Repair Main Lodge Lower Entrance
- Remove/Replace Concrete @AC Infirmary
- Remove/Replace Concrete @ Main Lodge Carport/Entrance
- Repair inside Main Lodge entrance
- Backhoe work @ the Pond/Streams
- Water-seal the zip line railing
- Pressure wash & Water-seal Fishing Dock
- Repair/Paint Picnic Tables
- Indoor Painting (multiple locations)
- Map Circuit Panels Main Lodge
- Fix Electric to Pond Aerator
- Fix Wiring @ Bike Shed
- REMOVING Trees/Bushes:
- □ Trees @Cabin 9
- □ Trees @ Zip Line
- □ Tree @ Water Tower
- □ Bushes @ Admin
- TRIMMING Trees/Bushes
- Splitting Firewood
- Set Up Golf Course
- Set Up Swings
- Set Up Trampoline
- Flowers/Flowerpots
- Mulch Flower Beds
- Mulch Playground
- Pressure Wash CV Buildings/Sidewalks
- A-Frames Clean-up
- Remove leaves from AC/CV buildings
- Cleaning Braille Trail (Leos)
- A-Frames Clean-up



IS SIGHT CONSERVATION The District Governor White Cane Project has been around for many years. All monies collected stays within your local clubs to be used for Eyesight Conservation. Over one-half of the District Governor's Projects are related to Eyesight Conservation. This project can be implemented anytime throughout the Lions, Lioness and Leos' year. (July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022) At the present time the following Lions Clubs have sent their report to me: Greene Township Lions Club - \$1,128.00 East Hanover Lions Club - \$784.00 New Bloomfield Lions Club - \$678.69 Lower Paxton Twp. Lioness/Lions Club - \$518.00 Landisburg Lions Club - \$2424.55 2021-2022 WHITE CANE CLUB REPORT PA Lions Multiple District 14-T This report includes All White Cane Activities Please email to dalton\_paul@comcast.net or Occurring from 07/01/2021 to 06/30/2022: send form to PDG Dalton E. Paul Did your Lions, Lioness, or Leo Club hold a District 14-T White Cane Chair White Cane fundraising event (or events)? 1432 Laurelton Court \_\_\_\_\_Yes, please continue with question 2 Chambersburg, PA 17201 No, please complete Club information and return Form to District White Cane Chairperson 2. Please list activities, dollar amounts raised, and Estimated man-hours. ACTIVITY AMOUNT RAISED TOTAL: Estimated total man-hours expended:\_\_\_\_\_

This report must be in no later than July 15 2022, but try to get it in as soon as you complete your" 2021-2022 White Cane Campaign". Thank you.

Report Submitted by: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone/Email



District 14-T Convention.. April 23, 2022



Food Drive during our Convention for the Central Penna. Food Bank

## Nonperishable items

Let's fill the shelves and help our neighbors!!

### **EAST HANOVER LIONS CLUB**

The East Hanover Lions participated in a yard sale at the East Hanover Community Center in Grantville on Saturday, February 5, 2022. Members provided donations to be sold at the yard sale. We also provided food items to be sold to those attending the yard sale. It was a fun day!







### **MIFFLINTOWN LIONS CLUB**

Mifflintown Lions donated two thousand dollars to Cedar Springs Park in Fermanagh Township which helped purchase the new mower pictured. Pictured is Pete Walters Park Board Representative and Don Bratton Lion's President. The Money was generated from proceeds of our fall chicken BBQ.



### **HERSHEY LIONS CLUB**

#### HERSHEY LIONS SHOW HOW SERVICE IS KEY TO WIDESPREAD IMPACT

Derry Township, PA – With traditional meetings, service projects, and fundraisers slowly resuming, the Hershey Lions Club continues to support the residents of Derry Township, as well as others across the United States and globally. The Hershey Lions hosted a visit by District Governor Peg Hummel during a recent club meeting In February.

The District Governor normally makes in-person visits to all of the clubs within District 14-T, which includes the Hershey Lions Club, and encompasses Dauphin, Franklin, Juniata, and Perry counties. The Hershey Lions donated \$3,000 to its District Governor's projects, delivering widespread impact and empowering opportunities for service.

The projects benefitted by the Hershey Lions Club donation include: PA Lions Sight Conservation & Eye Research, Beacon Lodge Camp for the Blind, Beacon Lodge Cabin Fund, District 14-T Disaster Fund, Youth Exchange and Youth Activities, Special Olympics, PA Lions for Dog Guides, Leader Dogs for the Blind, Hearing Speech and Working with the Deaf, the 14T Helen Keller Emergency Fund, and Lions of PA Foundation. Separately, the Hershey Lions also made sizeable donations to the Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF) Melvin Jones Fellowship, and Vision Resources of Central Pennsylvania.

Other entities benefitting from donations from the Hershey Lions Club include: glasses and hearing aid assistance, student scholarships, youth little leagues, the "Ready for School" backpack project by the Grace United Methodist Church, the Hershey Food Bank, Cocoa Packs, and meals for guests of the Ronald McDonald House.

"The Hershey Lions Club prides itself on its continuous record of supporting quality projects and hands on service that have extensive impact," shared club president, Lion Steve Gallerizzo. "The Hershey Lions Club is proud to be a part of the largest global network of volunteers with 1.4 million men and women driven by kindness to serve our communities and the world in times of need. We fully embody our motto: We Serve," added Gallerizzo.

For more information about the Hershey Lions Club, please visit our website at www.hersheylions.org. To learn more about Lions Clubs International, visit www.lionsclubs.org.



District Governor Peg Hummel (left) of District 14T visited the Hershey Lions Club in February. The Hershey Lions Club President Steve Gallerizzo (right) presented DG Peg with a donation to the district's projects, delivering widespread impact.

### LANDISBURG LIONS CLUB

Landisburg Lions welcomed Deb Tack, executive director of Susquehanna Service Dogs, and SSD ambassador, Gordon, to our meeting. Deb provided a very informative program about the Susquehanna Service Dogs organization.

Ambassador Gordon demonstrated what Susquehanna Service Dogs do for their clients during the presentation, while also waiting patiently during our many questions. Landisburg Lions support Susquehanna Service Dogs and recently purchased a memorial brick for their new training center.



Also, Landisburg Lions Club is the chartering organization for both Boy Scout Troop 73 and Cub Scout Pack 73 of Landisburg. Teresa Brush and Rob Spacht of Cub Pack 73 recently visited the club as we re-chartered for the next year and learned more about the history and future plans for the Scouts.

### LOWER PAXTON TOWNSHIP LIONESS LIONS CLUB

We have lost one of our members, Kathie Thomas. Kathie's smile and dedication to our club were outstanding. She will be missed by all of us. In honor of Kathie's memory, we collected monies at our February meeting for the Four Diamonds Fund, with a match of funds from the Club. We collected \$100.00 and will match that with another \$100.00. Thanks to everyone for your generosity in memory of our friend and fellow Lioness/Lion, Kathie.

<u>Calvary United Methodist Food Pantry:</u> Our March/April service project will be collecting non-perishable food items, household items e.g., detergent, cleaning supplies, toilet paper, paper towels, and bags of individually wrapped Easter candy. Please bring items to our meeting on March 28, 2022. They will be delivered to the Calvary Food Pantry for distribution in April, in time for Easter. Thanks for your support.

### **PAXTANG LIONS CLUB**



MD 14 Global Service Coordinator PDG Bob Roebuck, was guest speaker at the Feb. Paxtang Lions meeting and gave an excellent overview of the purpose and necessity of Service Projects in clubs and District. PDG Bob Roebuck, K.L. PDG Bill Tuttle.





The annual Paxtang Lions Pancake Breakfast, a major fundraiser for the club, showing Lion Chris Spackman pouring batter for the pancake flipping crew.



Also taking place at the Pancake Breakfast was the Paxtang Lions Raffle drawing. Winning ticket drawn by Aubrey Thomas shown with Lion Bill 'Sick, 1st VP Jack Thomas Pancake Chairman, and K.L. Bill Tuttle.



Resident Molly Broniak was 1<sup>st</sup> place Raffle winner of the 55 in. TV, shown with Lion Bill O'Sick and K.L. PDG Bill uttle.

### PENNBROOK LIONS CLUB



At the February Lions Club meeting, 1st VDG Lion Dennis Alleman presented qualifying Penbrook Lions with congratulatory award letters and Milestone Chevron Awards for their respective 10 and 40 years of service in the club. Lion Robert Ensminger received the 40 Year Monarch Chevron. Lions Sylvia Mummert, Summer Martinez, Ray O'Leary and Carmen Gonzalez received the 10 Year Monarch Chevron. We congratulate them on their milestone achievements and their continued service to the Penbrook community.

## PENNBROOK LEOS CLUB LEO OF THE YEAR!







Penbrook Leo President Angel Diaz received the distinguished MD-14 Leo of the Year Award at the PA State Council of Lions Club Banquet at the Wyndham Garden York on Saturday, February 5th, 2022. The award was presented by District Leo Club Coordinator, PDG Lion Kathy Fouse. In addition to the state honor, Leo Angel received a Merit Award from LCI that would earn him a medallion and commemorative certificate and a check for two-hundred and fifty dollars. Kudos to Leo Angel for a job well done!



	Celebrate 100 years with the
	Harrisburg Lions Club
	Cost is \$35.00 per person.
Indica	te number of guests beside menu selection.
U <del>za</del>	Parmesan Encrusted Chicken
-	Vegetarian Chef's Choice
lame	
-mail	
hone	
Please n	nake checks payable to Harrisburg Lions Club

The Harrisburg Lions Club invites you to Celebrate 100 years of Service with them Thursday April 28, 2022

5:30pm hors d'oeuvres, live music, dinner and cash bar

Harmony Hall Estate 1400 Fulling Mill Road, Middletown, Pa 17057

Speaker: Scott Shirley, 1999 M&T Travers Award Recipient

Cost \$35.00 per person

RSVP before Thursday April 14, 2022

Call Lion Danette Blank, 717 512-2394, or email <a href="mailto:dblank@vrocp.org">dblank@vrocp.org</a> Checks made payable to Harrisburg Lions Club.



### ICKESBURG LIONS CLUB annual





March 13th @1pm Doors open @12pm



MILLERSTOWN MOOSE FAMILY CENTER Millerstown Exit Off RT. 322 Twenty Games for \$20.00 Tickets available at the door

Raffles and Special Games too. \*\*Special Savings \*\* Advance Tickets \$15.00



Concessions available

For advance tickets call the Ickesburg Lions @ 717-438-3344 or 717-438-3396 no later than March 11th @ noon.

## PAXTANG LIONS 70<sup>TH</sup> CHARTER NIGHT SAVE-THE-DATE!

You are invited to join the Paxtang Lions as they celebrate their

70<sup>th</sup> Charter Night.

We are honored to have PID Cindy Gregg as the guest speaker, as well as musical entertainment by

Alexandra & Jordan Williams.

Mark your calendar for
Friday, June 17<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm
at the
Red Lion Hotel Harrisburg Hershey!

More info later.





## PTCP - LIONS PIN TRADING CLUB OF PENNSYVANIA

We are a group of Lions who have fun collecting pins and providing service.





Hello again, I just wanted to send out a reminder to everyone about upcoming Pennsylvania Lions Pin Swap in Harrisburg on March 16 and 17 at the Red Lion Hotel. Feel free to come by and take a look at all the pins and to meet fellow Lions from across the US and Canada. If you want to trade some pins feel free to bring them along and trade with the pin traders. We are always looking for great Lions who enjoy pin trading to join PTCP and the Lions International Trading Pin Club. If you have pins you would like to get rid of from members who no longer want or need them, bring them along and we can work with you to either donate them or sell them with a portion of the profit going to the PTCP. Hope to see some of you great Lions at the Swap!!!!!

History: District 14A - Thought I would start a little history of pins in each District. Starting with District 14A where the first pin was said to be issued in 1977 and was the State Capital building. District 14A has had 67 pins to date that we know of including the current DG Larry Frankenfield.

LIONS - Loving Individuals Offering Needed Service

Yearly Membership only \$7 per year

Pin Swaps all across the US including the yearly Pennsylvania Swap mid March in Harrisburg!

PTCP Website https:// pintradersclubpa.weebly.com/

Come Join Us in Harrisburg on March 16 - 18/22 at the Red Lion Hotel!

For more information email us at pintradersclubpa@gmail.com









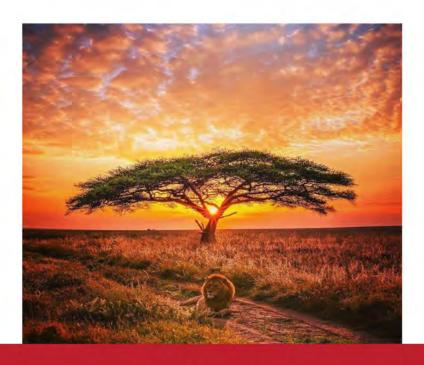
## 2022 STATE LEO RALLY April 22-24, 2022



PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp 114 PA 103 S, Mt. Union, PA 17066

Join Leos from throughout MD14, as we come together for fun, friendship and service.

For more information or registration information, contact: PDG Kathy Fouse, State Leo Clubs Coordinator 717-645-4322 / lionkathyfouse@gmail.com



### District 14-T Lions Convention

Sat. 4/23/2022

Red Lion Hotel Harrisburg/Hershey

### Register Now!

4751 Lindle Rd., Harrisburg, PA 17111

8:00 am- 4:30 pm

We will be hosting Immediate Past International Director Don Noland from Missouri, at the Red Lion Hotel, 4751 Lindle Road in Harrisburg. The convention will be a one-day event again this year with nominations, Necrology Service, Seminars, Rally Luncheon, Voting for District Leaders, District Cabinet Meeting, and opportunities to learn more about 14-T Projects. The Convention Committee will plan to meet over the next month to finalize details.

The Convention Assessment Notices have been sent to each club President and Secretary. If your club did not receive an assessment notice, please contact Lion Darrell Miller, District Treasurer. Registration form is on the next page of this newsletter.

Please also consider having your club provide the convention with a raffle basket. We will also be requesting that you bring your club's banner for display during our rally luncheon. We look forward to seeing you at the Red Lion Hotel on April 23rd!

PDG Bill Tuttle and PDG Keldeen Stambaugh, Convention Co-Chairs



### 32nd ANNUAL DISTRICT 14-T CONVENTION APRIL 23rd, 2022

Red Lion Hotel 4751 Lindle Rd, Harrisburg, PA 17111

### OFFICIAL REGISTRATION FORM

(PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT LEGIBLY)

Each Lion, Leo or Guest must have a separate registration form, even if not participating in Rally Luncheon (\$10 registration fee). Reproduce this form as needed.

CHECK ONE:   \$\square\$ \$35.00 Registration &		☐ \$10.00 Registration* only		
		DUNT SUBMITTED \$		
CLUB & REGION / ZONE	AST NAME	FIRST NAME		
STREET	CITY	ZIP CODE		
PHONE E-MAIL				
ACTIVITIES	ROOM	TIME (subject to change		
Registration/Certification	Capital East	8:00 a.m. – Noon		
Basket Raffle Sales	Capital East	8:00 a.m. – Noon, and 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.		
District Cabinet Meeting & Nominations	Capital West	8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.		
Necrology Service	Lancaster	9:10 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.		
Central PA Food Bank	Capital West	10:00 a.m 10:50 a.m.		
Membership	Capital West	11:00 a.m. –11:50 a.m.		
Rally Luncheon**	Lancaster	Noon – 2:00 p.m.		
Voting	Lancaster	After Lunch until 2:30		
Juvenile Diabetes Foundation	Capital West	2:45 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.		
District Cabinet Meeting	Capital West	3:30 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.		
Registration also includes coffee break to				
Registration Forms are due <b>on or before</b>	NOTES	. Second of forms and absolute.		

Lion Darrell Miller, District Treasurer, 38 Baumgardner Dr. Greencastle, PA 17225

Registration & luncheon is \$35.00, Registration only \$10. • Make checks payable to: District 14-T Convention.

Please reserve lodging at Red Lion Hotel (717-939-7841) no later than April 10th to receive the group discount.

### NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE APPOINTED

District Governor Peggy Hummel has appointed the following Lions to serve on the Nominations Committee: PCC Steve Benedict, Lion Chuck Vickery, and PDG Joann Williams, Chairperson. They are tasked with reviewing the qualifications compliance for each District Officer Candidate submitted and placing into nomination at the District Convention, those candidates so qualified.

Please review the qualifications for each Officer carefully.

District Governor: Candidate is an active member in good standing of a chartered Lions Club in good standing in his/her sub-district; endorsed by his/her Lions Club or a majority of the Lions Club in the District; currently serving as the First Vice District Governor within the District.

First Vice District Governor: Candidate is an active member in good standing of a chartered Lions Club in good standing in his/her sub-district; endorsed by his/her Lions Club or a majority of the Lions Clubs in the District; currently serving as Second Vice District Governor within the District.

Second Vice District Governor: Candidate is an active member in good standing of a chartered Lions Club in good standing in his/her sub-district; endorsed by his/her Lions Club or a majority of the Lions Clubs in the District; served as Club President; served on Club Board of Directors for 2 years; served as Zone or Region Chair OR served as Cabinet Secretary or Treasurer with none of the above being accomplished concurrently.

Those Lions desiring to qualify as a Candidate, please submit your qualifications to members of the Committee by April 4, 2022.

PDG Joann Williams <u>lionjoann@yahoo.com</u>
PCC Steve Benedict <u>lionsteve@embarqmail.com</u>
Lion Chuck Vickery ringgoldboy@yahoo.com

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### 99TH ANNUAL PENNSYLVANIA LIONS CLUBS STATE CONVENTION



Thursday-Sunday, May 19-22, 2022 Valley Forge Casino Resort 1160 1st Avenue, King of Prussia, PA 19406



### Form Required for each Attendee • Return reservation form by April 27, 2022 \*\*Please print clearly\*\*

REGISTRANT		
Name (Last, First Initial)	Sub-District	
Circle applicable membership: Lion Leo Guest	Title: ID PIP PID DG VDG PDG	
Street Address (City, State Zip)	Post	
Telephone (Circle appropriate): Home Cell Work First State Convention: Yes No Years as a Lion	Highest Office (Circle one) Past	Propant
Spouse or Partner	riighest Office (Circle one) I dat	1 reacm
Special Needs (Circle all appropriate): Dietary Restrictions	Hearing Vision Physically Challenged	
State Convention Pin: @ \$5.00/pin		\$
Convention Registration: \$15.00/attendee (no fee	for children)	S
MEAL RESERVATIONS		
Friday Luncheon (Includes sandwich, fruit, chips, cookie, wa	ater or soda)	\$28/meal
Honey Ham & Swiss	Roast Beef & Smoked Gouda	
Turkey & Provolone PA Counsellors/District Governors Honors Banquet	Grilled Vegetable Wrap	£79/man
(Includes entrée butternut squach bisque fa	rm salad, chocolate mousse, coffee, hot and iced tea	\$56/mea
Pan Roasted French Chicken Breast		
Vegetarian Selection	Tun obuidd Fork Tourisday	
Saturday Luncheon Buffet style, includes soups, salads, lunc	h meats, bread/rolls, cookies, fruit, iced tea, soda and w	ater) \$25/mea
International Banquet (Includes entrée, Minestrone soup, Ca		
Teriyaki Glazed Salmon	Piccata Seared Chicken Breast	
Vegetarian Selection		
Melvin Jones Fellow/Key Member Breakfast	patty, bacon, French toast, danish, bagels, juice, coffee a	\$25/meal nd hot tea)
Amount Due for Meal Reservations		
Amount Due for Weat Reservations		
	TOTAL AMOUNT DUE: \$	
Checks payable to:	Mail to:	
4A Lions PDG Rita R. DiAntonio 1109 Childs Avenue		
HOTEL INFORMATION		
Check in time: 3:00 PM · Check out time: 11:00 AM		
Group Code: PA State Council of Lions Clubs - A522SLC	According to the state of the s	2226
Discounted Room Rate: \$119.00 per night plus applicable tar	Deadline for Discounted Room Rate: April 27,	2022
Reservations		
Online: https://reservations.vfcasino.com/cgi-bin/lansaweb?procfun+rn+res	snet+BVF+funcparms+UP(A2560);;A522SLC	:d=m
Direct Telephone: 610.354.8118 (7:00 AM to 11:00 PM)		

### We're rallyin' the troops at Valley Forge!

99th Annual PA Lions State Convention

### May 19-22, 2022 - Hosted by District 14-A

Valley Forge Casino Resort. King of Prussia, PA

### **Featured Guests**



Immediate Past International President Dr. Jung-Yul Choi



Past International President Joseph L. Wroblewski



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International Director Larry L. Edwards



Past International Director James A. Cavallaro





Lion Beth Slade Leader Dogs for the Blind



Lion Jim Quirk Lions Eye Bank of Delaware Valley





### **Meal Sponsor**

PA Counsellors/ District Governors Honors Banquet

### **Feature events**

### Thursday, May 19

• 2021-2022 Council of Governors Meeting #4

### Friday, May 20

Luncheon
 Keynote Speaker:
 Lion Beth Slade

 Leader Dogs for the Blind
 "Top Dog Award"

- PA Counsellors/District Governors Honors Banquet sponsored by Lions of Pennsylvania Foundation Keynote Speaker:
  - ID Larry L. Edwards
     Necrology Service
- Hospitality Night event hosted by District 14-A

### Saturday, May 21

Luncheon
 Keynote Speaker:
 Lion Jim Quirk
 Lions Eye Bank of the
 Delaware Valley

 International Banquet Keynote Speaker:
 IPIP Dr. Jung-Yul Choi

### Sunday, May 22

- Melvin Jones Fellow/Key Member Breakfast Keynote Speaker:
  - PID James Cavallaro
  - Business Session
  - 2022-2023 Council of Governors Orientation
  - 2022-2023 Partners
  - in Service Orientation

### 2022 PA State Convention Friday - May 20, 2022 9 PM to 11 PM

### HOSPITALITY NIGHT

# Everyone's invited to our Oldies-DooWop Sock Hop

Gals, grab your poodle skirt, pencil skirt, and cardigan. Guys, sport your ivy league look with your letter sweater, or dress like a 'greaser' with your leather jacket.

Oldies dress is optional, just come and join us for a nifty, fun evening!





Reminisce the street corner harmonies of the 1950s & 1960s. Music by

The Belfirs

### Sponsored by District 14A

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### LCICon Montreal 2022

## Lions Club Bus and Tour June 22, 2022

Lion Dan Swincinski, PCC and Swinston Travel are excited to offer you this opportunity to attend the 104<sup>th</sup> Lions Clubs International Convention.

Package features: Round trip motor coach transportation from Somerset, Harrisburg and a Northeast PA location to be determined

June 22

Surprise lunch on route

1 night accommodations at the Hampton Inn, Saratoga Springs, NY Admission to the Racing Museum and Hall of Fame Luncheon cruise on Lake George

Arrival in Montreal (5 nights beginning June 23 that you must reserve direct with LCICON)

June 28

 ${\bf 1}$  night accommodations at The Landings Hotel at Rivers Casino & Resort, Schenectady, NY

June 29

Admission to the Baseball Hall of Fame, Cooperstown, NY Lunch before returning to Pennsylvania

Cost per person: Double occupancy \$739

Triple occupancy \$679 Single occupancy \$929

Valid U.S passport is required. If you do not have one, apply immediately. Possible Covid vaccine and negative test may be required. To be determined.

### LCICON MONTREAL 2022 RESERVATION FORM

A minimum deposit of \$250 per person is required to secure your space. You can also pay in full should you prefer, balance will be due by April 20, 2022. You can make a reservation by phone to Swinston Travel 814-443-2691 or <a href="mailto:swinstontravel@gmail.com">swinstontravel@gmail.com</a>.

The reservation form can be mailed to: SWINSTON TRAVEL, 125 North Edgewood Avenue, Somerset, PA 15501 or sent via email.

Checks payable to: SWINSTON TRAVEL Credit and debit cards also acceptable.

NAME(S)		
ADDRESS		
CELL PHONE	LANDLINE	
EMAIL		
NUMBER IS PARTY	PICK UP LOCATION	
AMOUNT ENCLOSED		
COMMENTS		



### DISTRICT 14-C LCI CONVENTION BUS TRIP MONTREAL, CANADA June 22, 2022 through June 29, 2022 BUS TRIP INFORMATION



Based on your responses to our survey earlier this year, District 14-C is offering a bus trip to Montreal, Canada, for the 2022 Lions Clubs International Convention. The trip will begin on Wednesday, June 22, 2022 and end on Wednesday, June 29, 2022. Here is our itinerary:

#### Wednesday, June 22

- Depart Wednesday, June 22nd multiple pick-up locations
- Drive to Alexandria Bay, NY, with several stops along the way to stretch, eat, and use the restroom (lunch is not included in the package)
- Check into our Alexandria Bay hotel (Riveredge Resort)
- Dinner together at a local restaurant

#### Thursday, June 23

- Breakfast at the hotel
- · Shuttle boat to Heart Island and tour Bolt Castle
- · Return to Alexandria Bay, board bus, and drive to Montreal Thursday afternoon
- Check into our Montreal hotel (Hotel Delta by Marriott) and pick up convention materials Thursday afternoon/evening

#### Friday, June 24, through Tuesday, June 28

- Enjoy all of the activities the LCI Convention has to offer
- · Guided bus tour of Montreal (date and time to be determined depending on the convention schedule)

#### Wednesday, June 29

Board our bus and drive home, making restroom, stretch, and lunch stops along the way (lunch is not
included in the package)

The cost of the trip, PER PERSON, varies depending on the number of people sharing a hotel room:

- 1 person \$1,190
- · 2 people \$993 per person
- 3 people \$941 per person
- 4 people \$882 per person

THESE PRICES INCLUDE all transportation costs to and from Montreal, lodging in Alexandria Bay, dinner and breakfast in Alexandria Bay, shuttle boat to Heart Island, tour of Bolt Castle, room deposit for your Montreal hotel room, LCI Convention registration, guided bus tour of Montreal, driver's lodging in Montreal, parking fees for the bus, and driver gratuities. THESE PRICES DO NOT INCLUDE lodging in Montreal (other than your room deposit) or any meals other than dinner and breakfast in Alexandria Bay. You may subtract \$225 from the prices listed above for individuals who will not register for the LCI Convention. PLEASE NOTE - At least one registered convention attendee must occupy each room we reserve in our Montreal Hotel.

A deposit must be paid for each person registering for this trip. The deposit, PER PERSON, varies depending on the number of people sharing a room, as shown below. The deposit covers the following costs: deposit for Wolf's Bus Lines, Montreal hotel room deposit, and LCI Convention registration:

- 1 person \$475
- 2 people \$375 per person (\$150 if not registering for LCI convention)
- 3 people \$342 per person (\$117 if not registering for LCI Convention)
- 4 people \$325 per person (\$100 if not registering for LCI Convention)

Half of the remaining balance must be paid by April 1, 2022, and the remaining balance must be paid by May 1, 2022.

The nightly rate at Hotel Delta by Marriott is \$167. With taxes, the rate is just under \$200 per night. The room deposit included in your trip deposit will be credited to your hotel account. Each party will need to present a credit card at check-in, which will be used to pay for the remaining balance on your account upon check-out.

All participants on this trip will need a VALID PASSPORT to cross the border. THE PASSPORT MUST HAVE AN EXPIRATION DATE AFTER SEPTEMBER 29, 2022. Under current guidelines, anybody crossing the border into Canada MUST BE FULLY VACCINATED, SHOW THEIR VACCINATION CARD, and PROVIDE PROOF OF A NEGATIVE COVID-19 TEST within 72 hours of entry. We will continue to monitor these rules and provide updates.

We MUST HAVE at least 30 people register for the trip by JANUARY 20, 2022, to cover the deposit for Wolfs Bus Lines, which will hold our bus and our hotel rooms in Alexandria Bay. We MUST HAVE at least 40 people register by FEBRUARY 28, 2022, to confirm the trip. If we do not have 40 registered by that date, those who have registered will decide if they are willing to pay an additional fee for the trip.

If we can get 40 people to sign up for the trip by JANUARY 7, 2022, those who are registering for the LCI Convention will get a \$50 discount in their registration fee. If we have 50 or more people sign up by February 28, 2022, everyone will receive a \$50 discount on the price of the trip.

Nobody will be registered for the LCI Convention until we have at least 40 people signed up for the trip or until a group of less than 40 decides to move forward with the trip for an additional fee.

Trip insurance is available through Wolf's Bus Lines. Insurance must be purchased within 14 days of registering for the trip in order to cover cancellation due to a pre-existing health condition. This insurance will cover cancellation due to COVID-19. Participants are advised to include the cost of their hotel room in Montreal in the amount of insurance coverage they purchase. Call Wolf's Bus Lines for more information: 717-528-4125 or 800-692-7804. Dial extension 211 and ask for Kristen.

This trip is open to Lions from other districts. We will be traveling along Interstate 81 from Harrisburg, PA, to Collins Landing, NY. If interested, we invite Lions who live close to Interstate 81 to contact us about the possibility of joining us on our trip to Montreal.

For answers to questions, contact either
PDG John Griffie, jgriffiejr47@gmail.com, 717-870-6678
or
PDG Dennis Cope, dennis.cope@icloud.com, 717-357-3142

Go to the <u>District 14-C website</u>, Alerts and Notices, to access the following documents:

Bus Trip Information

Per person cost breakdown

Bus Trip and Convention Registration Form

LCI Convention Website



# PAMD-14 Centennial Celebration Committee 2023

Seeks designs for a

Limited Edition
Pennsylvania Multiple District 14
Centennial Pin
1923-2023

Designs can be submitted via email to PCC Terri Kodgis at tkodgis@atlanticbb.net by April 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022 for review at the Centennial Committee Meeting on April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2022.