



DG DENNIS ALLEMAN



**PA DISTRICT 14-T
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A MESSAGE FROM DISTRICT GOVERNOR DENNIS



Greetings Lions and Leos:

Welcome to January and it's already been cold. Some days. Many service projects and much fundraising are taking place all across our District. Please keep up the good work. Many included food distributions which help one of LCI's global causes that being hunger. The Military Share project here in Franklin County has grown from 95 helped in May to 429 in December with Lions participating. And Christmas meant helping with bell ringing for the Salvation Army.

I wound up having a club visit during December and it was quite welcome. The Millersburg club met for the first time since November 2020 and it was great to have an opportunity to see the members and hear about the sponsorship of the Christmas Lights in the Borough of Millersburg. Included also was a discussion about increasing their membership. I want to thank Zone Chair Lynda Krieger for her efforts reaching out to the club. With the Millersburg visit I will have the opportunity to visit all clubs in 14T this year.

Other visit activity was attending West Hanover's Christmas party where the club received a Club Excellence Award for 2021-22 and Don Holmes received a Melvin Jones Fellow. Shoutout also to the Richfield Lions who held their annual pork and sauerkraut dinner today and they still had food left over after me and my son left there.

Please remember that our district team is here to support and listen to the clubs and not the other way around. 2-way communication is vital to the success of our District 14-T and our clubs. And, we continue to be blessed with donations from many of these clubs toward our District projects.

Visits for January are scheduled to Include Lower Paxton, Lower Swatara, Lower Paxton Lioness Lions, West Hanover, Mercersburg, and Paxtang. Looking forward to all and am grateful for the support from 1st Vice Patty Ohler and 2nd Vice Nate Pfister this year.



**February newsletter deadline is
February 4th.**

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

Thank you!

DG message continued...

Visits aside, there are still a lot of things left to accomplish this Lions Year. District bowlathon still needs planned. Work toward new clubs continues - in particular setting up a Latino club in Chambersburg. A possible specialty club for motorcycle riders also here in Chambersburg, and Lord knows what else. And then we have the matter of a District Convention coming in April. We have a PID speaker from Virginia coming but at the moment we don't have 2nd Vice Governor candidate for 2023-24 yet.

The 3rd State Council meeting is scheduled for the weekend of Feb 4. A meal packing event is planned at the event to put together mac and cheese as well as pasta and tomato sauce. The Central Pa Food Bank has agreed to accept the packed meals. Help will be needed, and there will be more details to follow. PDG Andy Piskel in 14W is planning this. Note: a similar event happened at last year's 3rd Council meeting in York,

Thank you in advance for your support for the rest of 2022-23 and please keep up the hard work in the areas of leadership, membership, and service.

Yours in Lions Fellowship,
District Governor Dennis

MESSAGE FROM 1VDG PATTI

Happy New Year Lions !!

Looking back on 2022 we see plenty of negative events, thoughts, and attitudes. Let's not let these feelings enter 2023.

In the Lions world, we have so many positives happening every day. Let's live in and for the Lions and the hope we bring to our communities. Stand up and be proud of our accomplishments, learn from our "not so great moments", but always remember it is not about us but about our commitment to help others and do it in a humble way.

This year let's build our Lions world around our communities and reach out to as many people as we can by improving their world and the world in general.

We are put on this earth to look after one another, let's do it as a Lion.

Blessings in the new year,
Lion Patti Ohler
1st Vice District Governor

14T District Governor Visitation Schedule 2022-23				
Date		Club	Time	
Jan 10		Lower Paxton Lions	6:30	PM
Jan 12		Lower Swatara Lions	6:30	PM
Jan 16		Lower Paxton Lioness Lions	12:00	PM
Jan 17		West Hanover Lions	7:00	PM
Jan 26		Paxtang Lions	6:30	PM
Feb 2		Middle Paxton Lions	6:30	PM
Feb 7		Hershey Lions	6:15	PM
Feb 8		Liverpool Lions	6:30	PM
Feb 9		Penbrook Lions	6:30	PM
Feb 20		Duncannon Lions	7:00	PM
Mar 2		Richfield Lions	6:30	PM
Mar 9		Ickesburg Lions	6:15	PM
Mar 16		Landisburg Lions	6:30	PM
Mar 20		Shermans Dale Lions	7:00	PM
		Millersburg Lions	TBD	

Recent Kidsight Screening at Blain Elementary. Pictured are:



Chairperson Lion Ed Albright,
Lion Terry Tibbs &
Lion Steve Jury



Kids Sight Team members
Lions Fay Watson and
Carol Smith



Kidsight Team members
Lions Nancy Myers and
Kathryn Tibbs

14-T NEW MEMBERS, DECEMBER 2022

FAYETTE LIONS CLUB
FREDERICK L LONGENECKER

MIDDLE PAXTON LIONS CLUB
SONYA LYNN BODEN
DONNA LANTZ
CATHERINE A SMITH
CHRISTOPHER A SMITH (

PENBROOK LIONS CLUB
NACOLE S MOORE

14-T DECEASED MEMBERS DECEMBER 2022

MT PARNELL LIONS CLUB
TEX E SHAFFER

Please note that anyone wanting to contact Lion Joel Leckron
must use phone # 717-660-7299.

The old ...261- number is no longer valid.

DISTRICT 14T CONVENTION!

14T District Governor Dennis Alleman and the District Convention Committee invite all Lions and Leos to the **33rd Annual District 14T Convention Saturday, April 22, 2023.**

We will be hosting special guest, PID Jay Moughon, at the Red Lion Hotel, 4751 Lindle Road, 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.

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. Watch for the registration form in future District Newsletters.

Mark your Calendar for Saturday, April 22, 2023.

We look forward to seeing you at the Red Lion Hotel on
April 22nd!

PEACE POSTER NEWS

District 14-T entry for this years Peace Poster received an Honorable Mention in the judging and will be presented with an award and plaque along with the 2nd prize winner sponsored by Richfield Lions at the February 12th District Cabinet meeting at W. Hanover Community Center.

Honorable Mention #2: District 14-T
Student - Jamie Keebaugh, 7th grader at Fannett-Metal School
Sponsor - Path Valley Lions Club



Please go to the website below to see all the talented artists beautiful winning posters for 2021-22

<https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/peace-poster-winners>

Peace Poster Kits go on sale **January 15** from the Club Supplies Sales Department at International Headquarters. Just Google Lions International Peace Poster, to get to the website and order your kit for next year.

Lion John Petrina,
Peace Poster Chairman

MESSAGE FROM OUR ENVIRONMENTAL CHAIR

Hello District Members. I hope this finds everyone well and looking forward to a Happy New Year!!! With that brings hopefulness of better things to come. Some people make resolutions which may or may not result in long-term behavior change. Common resolutions include weight loss, fitness, better sleep, career goals, spending more time with family, etc., and can also include helping the environment.

The Columbia Climate School has suggestions for easy ways to reduce your carbon footprint at [The 37 Easiest Ways to Reduce Your Carbon Footprint \(Animated Graphic\) - Sustainable Living \(columbia.edu\)](http://The37EasiestWaysToReduceYourCarbonFootprint(AnimatedGraphic)-SustainableLiving(columbia.edu)). Some suggestions include:

Food

- Compost your food waste, or find a drop-off point.
- Eat more fruits, veggies, grains, and beans instead of meat.
- Reduce food waste through meal planning and freezing leftovers.

Clothing

- Wash your clothing in cold water.
- Buy vintage or recycled clothing.
- Don't buy fast fashion.

Shopping

- Support companies that are environmentally responsible.
- Buy used or recycled items whenever possible.
- Bring a reusable bag.

Home

- Use fans instead of air conditioning when possible.
- Switch off lights, and unplug devices when they are not in use.
- Change incandescent light bulbs to LEDs.

Transportation

- Drive less if possible. Walk, take public transportation, carpool, rideshare, or bike instead.
- Combine errands to reduce driving.
- Use cruise control, which can save gas.

Just a reminder that we will be having an environment photo contest similar to the one that we had last year. Photos will be submitted electronically in March and the winner will be announced at the district convention. The most notable change is that photos will be a larger size. Voting will again occur at the district website. This also serves as a public relations effort for the district. This is an online competition and a club officer will submit your club's one (1) representative photo. More information will be forthcoming.

As always, if your club needs a speaker, I'm happy to help: **717-343-0021** or kcallear146@comcast.net. If your club is in need of easy and manageable environment projects that have an impact, please contact me.

Best regards,
Lion/PDG Krista Callear
14-T Environment Chair
Hershey Lions Club



THANK YOU FROM KENTUCKY



Thank You



December 3, 2022

*District Governor Dennis Alleman
130 Pheasant Circle
Chambersburg, Pennsylvania 17202-3379*

Dear DG Dennis,

Thank you to the Lions of District 14T for the assistance they have provided to help the communities in Eastern Kentucky impacted by the flooding in July of 2022.

No one expected a rain event to produce 10-12 inches of rainfall in a span of 11 hours beginning the evening of July 27th and going into the morning of July 28th. Small creeks, which usually contain a water depth of 6-12 inches, swelled to a depth of 20 feet. Rivers crested at historic levels. Homes, schools, and businesses that had never before flooded were inundated with water. Cars, trucks, and homes floated with the water and created dams, which further increased the depth and rate of the rising waters. No one in those areas had ever experienced this magnitude of flooding.

Our District rapidly reached out to Lions Clubs in the flood ravaged areas to determine how we could begin to assist their communities. A Disaster Emergency Grant was obtained from LCIF and those funds were quickly spent on needed supplies. An outpouring of donations and assistance from individuals and Lions Clubs both inside and outside of our state is enabling our Lions District to further assist those in need. From box fans, dehumidifiers, shovels, water, and cleaning products to building supplies, heaters, blankets, and sleeping bags to coats and cold weather gear, the District is working and will continue to address the ever changing needs. Recovery is underway in those areas but it will be years before the areas will be fully recovered.

Once again, we thank you as we are humbled by your district's willingness to help those in need. Your actions truly embody our motto of "We Serve."

In service and with heartfelt thanks,

District Governor Verna Sharp and the District 43Y Disaster Relief Committee



MD-14 Global Action Team Spring Leadership Symposium

Presentations

PID Cindy Gregg-*"Putting the FUN in Service."*

PDG Tom Gregg-*"Lion Ethics"*

PDG Kerry McKnight-*"Leadership Styles"*

PDG Tom Toland-*"Successful Fundraising"*

2 LOCATIONS

Saturday, February 11, 9 AM-3 PM

PA Lions State Office

949 East Park Drive, Harrisburg, PA 17111

Lunch available for a \$7.00 donation

OR

Sunday, February 12, Noon-5 PM

Wagon Wheel Restaurant

6912 US 22, Greensburg, PA 15601

(Restaurant will not be open for food service-Lions meeting only)

Snacks will be available

MD-14 LIONS FOOD DONATION SERVICE PROJECT

Harrisburg & Greensburg Locations



Deliver your District's gift of non-perishable food items to either Symposium location. District with the most food items by weight chooses a local Food Pantry to receive donations.

Register to Attend: Free & Open to all PA Lions
Email PDG Kerry at klm52@aol.com or call (717)235-2790

Sign Up Today - Space Is Limited!



RLLI



REGIONAL LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE



March 10-12, 2023

Red Lion Hotel Harrisburg/Hershey



**Contact Your District
Governor**

Or

**PDG Kerry McKnight
md14glt-learn@yahoo.com**

**Space Is Limited!
\$175 Per Lion
Meals & Rooms Included**

SUBJECTS

- **Lions Fundamentals**
- **Team Work**
- **Diversity**
- **Public Speaking**
- **Time Management**
- **Personal Mission Statement**
- **Member Motivation**
- **Goal Setting**

INSTRUCTORS

- **IPID Larry Edwards**
- **PID Jim Cavallaro**
- **PID Cindy Gregg**
- **PDG Tom Gregg**
- **PDG Jason Long**
- **PDG Deb Burkholder**
- **PDG Kerry McKnight**

This form can be downloaded from website:

<https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/resources-for-members/resource-center/club-excellence-awards>



Lions Clubs International

2022-2023

CLUB EXCELLENCE AWARD APPLICATION

Date: _____

Club Name: _____ Club Number: _____ District: _____

2022-2023 Club President's Name: _____

Member Number: _____ Email Address: _____

1. MEMBERSHIP

Maintained club membership count (closed the year with the same number of members as the start of the year or have a positive membership growth)

or Chartered new Lions club, Leo Club or Club Branch

Name of Lions Club, Leo Club or Branch: _____

2. SERVICE

Contributed to LCIF

Started a new service project. *Consider one of our Global Causes!*

List Three service activities your club participated in that were reported in MyLion or your regional reporting system:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

3. LEADERSHIP & ORGANIZATIONAL EXCELLENCE

Club is in Good Standing: Not in Status Quo or Financial Suspension. District dues paid and no unpaid balance with LC greater than US\$50 outstanding 90 days or more.

Reported Club Officers to LCI

Key Officers participate in club officer training

4. MARKETING

The club has publicized its service activities through local media or social media.

2022-2023 District Governor Signature*: _____ District: _____

Member Number: _____ Date: _____

Due by: August 31, 2023

Send to: clubexcellenceaward@lionsclubs.org

Awards Mailed to: 2023-2024 District Governors

*If sent from district governor's registered email, it qualifies as signature on applications submitted electronically.

Request for review of award eligibility from a disqualified club will be considered only if received at International Headquarters within 12 months after completion of the fiscal year, provided that the original application form is already filed at LCI.



Lions Clubs International

District and Clubs Administration

Lions Clubs International

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Oak Brook IL 60523-8842 USA

www.lionsclubs.org

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LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT DIVISION

Learn. Lead. Grow.

Learning is a lifelong process. Lions Clubs International believes all Lions and Leos can benefit from training and personal development. Developing leaders and enhancing our members' satisfaction and growth is key to the overall success of clubs everywhere. A variety of training and development opportunities are offered to help achieve this objective.

Explore learning resources online.

The **Lions Learning Center (LLC)** offers all Lions and Leos the opportunity to learn and sharpen their knowledge of Lions fundamentals and leadership skills through online interactive courses.

International Institutes: View International Institutes available in your constitutional area. [Apply today!](#)

Local Institutes and Trainings: View local training events available in your area. No events listed? Contact your GLT coordinator.

The **My Learning Record report** in Learn provides individual Lions and Leos with a current and shareable record of their completed training as a participant or as faculty. Faculty credentials, such as Faculty Development Institute Graduate (FDI graduate) or Lions Certified Instructor Program (LCIP certified) are also reported.

[Access all this using your Lion account!](#)

Prepare for your role as an officer.

Lions Clubs International offers training for the following officers:

Club Officer Training: Online training options are available for club president, secretary and treasurer.

The **Zone Chairperson Workshop** is designed to enhance the skill development of zone chairpersons.

The **Second Vice District Governor (SVDG) Training Program** is a blended learning program designed to meet the development and training needs of the second vice district governor.

The **First Vice District Governors/District Governors-Elect (FVDGs/DGEs) Training Program** is an intensive year-long program designed to equip FVDGs/DGEs with the knowledge, vision, and skills necessary to strengthen and build Lions Clubs International.

For information on available leadership development training and resources, visit the Leadership Development webpage (lionsclubs.org/learn), contact your Global Action Team – GLT coordinator, or email leadershipdevelopment@lionsclubs.org!

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Lions Clubs International

LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTES

Attend an institute.

As Lions and Leos continue to seek out opportunities to Learn, Lead and Grow, in-person **Leadership Development Institutes** are available to support them in achieving their goals throughout their leadership journey.

Develop skills to become an effective leader.

The [Emerging Lions Leadership Institute \(ELLI\)](#) prepares Lions and Leos for leadership positions at the club level.

The [Regional Lions Leadership Institute \(RLLI\)](#) prepares Lions and Leos for leadership positions throughout the association and may be customized to accommodate the needs of each area.

The [Advanced Lions Leadership Institute \(ALLI\)](#) focuses on developing the leadership skills of Lions and Leos with a desire to at the zone, region and district levels.

Help train the next generation of leaders.

The [Faculty Development Institute \(FDI\)](#) provides Lions and Leos with foundational knowledge and skills to train at the club, district and multiple district level. The curriculum focuses on training delivery and techniques to facilitate in-person instruction.

The [Lions Certified Instructor Program \(LCIP\)](#) provides training and certifies Lions who wish to serve as faculty at the International level, including the FVDG/DGE Seminar. The curriculum is designed to enhance existing knowledge and optimize skills for adult learning.

Invest in future leaders.

The Leadership Development [International Institute Program](#) provides in-person learning, offered at the constitutional area level.

The Leadership Development [Local Institute Program](#) provides options for local leaders to manage and tailor training in multiple districts, districts and/or undistricted areas.

The Leadership Development [Institute Grant Program Program](#) offers funds towards conducting a local Emerging Lions Leadership Institute (ELLI) or Regional Lions Leadership Institute (RLLI).

The Leadership Development [Multiple District Grant Program](#) offers funds to support First and Second Vice District Governor Training.

The Leadership Development [District Grant Program](#) offers funds to support the Zone Chairperson Workshop.

For information on available leadership development training and resources, visit the Leadership Development webpage (lionsclubs.org/learn), contact your Global Action Team – GLT coordinator, or email leadershipdevelopment@lionsclubs.org

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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, 2022 through June 30, 2023).

East Hanover Lions - \$530.00	New Bloomfield Lions - \$892.00
Lower Paxton Twp Lioness/Lions - \$585.00	Landisburg Lions - \$3001.44
Paxtang Lions - \$767.00	Harrisburg Lions - \$861.00

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

**2022-2023 WHITE CANE CLUB REPORT
PA Lions Multiple District 14-T**

This report includes All White Cane Activities
Occurring from 07/01/2022 to 06/30/2023:

- 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
- Please list activities, dollar amounts raised, and Estimated man-hours.

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

ACTIVITY	AMOUNT RAISED
TOTAL:	

Estimated total man-hours expended: _____

Club Name: _____

Report Submitted by: _____ Phone/Email

This report must be in no later than July 15 2023, but try to get it in as soon as you complete your " 2022-2023 White Cane Campaign". Thank you.

BEACON LODGE



By the time you receive this month's Newsletter, all the hustle and bustle of the Holiday Season will be over, now it's time to look forward to 2023, planning Lions club activities and putting those important Lions dates on your calendar.

Please add July 16, 2023 to your calendar for Lions Appreciation Day at PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp. PABL will be celebrating their **75th anniversary** next year and plans are underway for the possibility of having a representative from Lions Clubs International in attendance.

As always, ongoing efforts are made to reach more disabled Veterans to attend the Project New Hope sessions next summer and BL staff are putting emphasis on securing counselors for the special needs camp sessions.

Remember the Beacon Lodge "Beacon pin"?

It was available many years ago, but no longer available. Lion Jane Letson found some in her possession and has given them to me to offer to clubs. If you or your club has interest in the pins, please contact me janpdg@gmail.com and I will get them to you.

Lions of 14-T, thank you for your ongoing service and best wishes for a successful and productive 2023!

PDG Jan Adams

LOWER SWATARA LIONS CLUB



From left to right: King Lion, Jack Rudick; Babette Rudick, John Rowan (Co-Chair) Tom Schanbacher (Co-Chair); Ron Alleman; Gordie Seibert; Nate Pfister; Future Lion-Felicity Pfister (front) and Abigail Pfister.

The Lower Swatara Lions Club recently held its 4th Annual "Stockings for Service Persons" (in conjunction with Geigle and Hetrick Funeral Homes) during the month of November 2022. A project, that started five years ago as a fledgling respect for our troops serving abroad (interrupted by the Pandemic for one year) has grown from an initial donation of 36 stockings in 2017 to a wondrous outpouring of 181 stockings in 2022.

Co-Chairs Lion Tom Schanbaucher and Lion John Rowan, with the support of the Lower Swatara Lions membership, and generous community support were able to donate 181 stockings to our troops serving overseas during the Holiday season. The stockings included everything from personal hygiene products, playing cards, DVDs, socks, books, pens, and paper, including a personal note from a future Lion "thanking" the troops for their sacrifice. Lions Tom and John anticipate even more for 2023.

For more information please contact Lion Tom Schanbaucher at: schanbacherthomas@gmail.com or Lion John Rowan at: Reader114@verizon.net

HARRISBURG LIONS CLUB

Harrisburg Lions rang the Bell for the Salvation Army on Saturday December 18th outside of the Hobby Lobby in the Colonial Park area.



Jim Handshaw, Organizer & Dave Young



Jim Handshaw, Organizer & Danette Blank



Jim Handshaw, Organizer & Jay Snyder

EAST HANOVER LIONS CLUB



December has been a busy month for East Hanover Lions. East Hanover Lions assisted the East Hanover Park and Rec with a Breakfast with Santa on December 10 at East Hanover Community Building. We distributed coloring books to all the children. It was a fun time with Santa!

On December 13 we met to wrap our gifts to distribute gifts of clothing and toys to the children at East Hanover Elem (Lebanon Co) and Penn National Race Track. We used our proceeds from our dance in October. It is always wonderful when we can help others in need.



East Hanover Lions assist with placing wreaths at Fort Indiantown Gap - "Wreaths Across America" it is always a very memorable experience to honor those who served our country!

On December 17 we also attended the American Music Theatre in Lancaster "Home for Holidays". It was an awesome show and truly got you in the spirit of Christmas!



WEST HANOVER LIONS CLUB

West Hanover Lions Members and Club Honored

At the West Hanover Township Lions Club December holiday banquet, awards were presented to two Lions for their dedication and hard work throughout the year. Lions District 14-T District Governor Dennis Alleman and Immediate Past District Governor Peggy Hummel presented the prestigious Melvin Jones Fellowship Award to West Hanover Lions President Don Holmes for his leadership and extraordinary member recruitment achievements. In addition, District Governor Alleman presented the Club Excellence Award to the West Hanover Lions Club for the many accomplishments the club achieved in the past year.

Also at the banquet, King Lion Don Holmes presented the President's Award to West Hanover Lions Treasurer Eric Lawson for going above and beyond in his job as Treasurer and his work on various fundraiser projects.

The West Hanover Lions use monies generated by fund-raising activities to support many vital community projects, including two annual \$1,000 scholarships for area high school graduates, grants for the Central Dauphin School District Vision and Autism Support Programs, cutting edge equipment for the Penn State Hershey Eye Center, support for the West Hanover Senior Van Service, help for families affected by disasters, assistance for community residents with visual needs, support for local youth athletic teams and facilities, and sponsorships for visually impaired campers at the PA Beacon Lodge Camp.

Learn more about the West Hanover Lions Club on their web site, westhanoverlions.club, or at a regular meeting, the third Tuesday of each month at 7pm at the West Hanover Community/Recreation Center, 628 Walnut Avenue, just off Linglestown Road, across from Central Dauphin High School.



West Hanover Lions President Don Holmes, second from left, presents President's Award to West Hanover Lions Treasurer Eric Lawson, second from right, as Immediate Past District Governor Peggy Hummel, left, and District Governor Dennis Alleman, right, look on.



Immediate Past District Governor Peggy Hummel, left, presents Melvin Jones Fellowship Award to West Hanover Lions President Don Holmes.

PENBROOK LIONS CLUB

PENBROOK LIONS WRAP AND DELIVER PRESENTS FOR KIDS AT THE CAPITAL AREA HEAD START IN PENBROOK

The Penbrook Lions and the Penbrook Borough collaborated on a holiday service project to benefit children at the Capital Area Head Start Program in Penbrook.

The Penbrook Lions donated four hundred ninety-five dollars for the purchase of toys for children ages three to five. Borough Council donated four hundred dollars for the project; Councilwoman Vicki Shaw spearheaded the project. Lion Sabrina assisted in streamlining the activity and assuring a smooth delivery of the toys for the kids. KL Vicky and Councilwoman Vicki had a fun time doing the shopping, and the Lions *happily* wrapped the presents at the December Lions meeting. Lion Sabrina and KL Vicky attended to the details, insuring each child received the toy requested, included batteries as needed, packaging the toys by classroom, and delivering the toys to Head Start on a timely basis. KL Vicky, Lion Sabrina and Councilwoman Shaw delivered the wrapped toys on Tuesday, December 27th to Head Start Center Director, Ms. Vicki Cleveland, who ensured the delivery of the presents to each child on the list.

Penbrook Lions and Council continue to work together to make a difference in the community. The Penbrook Lions are extremely grateful for the collaboration and dedication of Councilwoman Vicki Shaw in working with and guiding and the Lions Club to activities that meet the needs of the community.



PENBROOK LEOS CLUB



The Penbrook Leo Club held their 12th annual Manna Food Drive & Fundraiser in November, raised money and collected non-perishable food items for the pantry. At the December club meeting, the Leos presented Ms. Susan Mulford, Director of the pantry, with a check for \$1,185. Ms. Mulford thanked the Leos for their continued support of the Manna Food Pantry and their dedication in address- ing the needs of the community and beyond.

Ms. Mulford related the joy and thanks of the pantry clients who selected their weekly choice of veggies from the garden. Leo Kristina led the Leos in the project evaluation of the Manna Food Drive project; Leos agreed that they had met their goals for the project.



The Penbrook Leos & Lions closed the community garden for the winter; plots were weeded, mulched and watered, garden tools and equipment were cleaned and stored, the water tanks were emptied. Lions Vicky and Carmen mailed the project Final Report to LCIF. The report was received and reviewed and the follow up email from LCIF stated, **“Great job...It looks like the project was a great success...thank you and the Lions & Leos of D14-T for your dedication to humanitarian service and support of LCIF.”**



Lower Paxton
•• ALONG WITH THE ••
West Hanover
LIONS
CLUBS



CASH BINGO

Sat. February 18th, 2023

Doors Open at 11:00am ★ Bingo Starts at 1:00pm

at West Hanover Community Center
628 Walnut Ave. 17112 off Linglestown Rd. ACROSS
from Central Dauphin High School

- **20 Games of BINGO**
- **GREAT DOOR PRIZES**
- **Lioness/Lions Bakesale**
- **Hot Food Concessions**

Seats are LIMITED
\$30 Donation per Ticket
tickets are available at
W.H. Community Center, 628 Walnut Ave.
or from either Lions Club Members



Save the Date
75th Charter Celebration
of the
Lower Paxton Township Lions Club

May 13, 2023
Social 5:30 pm / Dinner 6:00 pm



Keynote Speaker
Douglas X. Alexander
Immediate Past International President

Menu
Choice of
Seared Lemon Herbed Chicken
Sliced Roasted Beef with Pan Gravy / Vegetarian
(served with Tossed Salad, Oven Roasted Red Potatoes,
Honey Glazed Carrots, and Triple Chocolate Cake)
\$40.00 per person

Red Lion Hotel-Harrisburg Hershey
(watch for more information to come)

105th LCICon July 7-11 2023

To learn more go to
<https://lcicon.lionsclubs.org/>



The information below was received from Mr Ron Brown, owner of Chesapeake Mobility:

Used Power Wheel Chairs / Aluminum Ramps / Mobility Equipment, Etc.

My name is Ron Brown. I am retired but serve as a volunteer advisor at my son's (Ryan) durable medical equipment company, Chesapeake Mobility.

Chesapeake Mobility, buys, accepts donated equipment and then refurbishes, rehabs and recirculates all types of durable medical equipment. Our primary focus is motorized power wheel chairs and aluminum ramps. However, we are interested in other durable medical equipment such as stair lifts and similar equipment. We will be happy to come and disassemble aluminum ramps no matter how long or complex the ramp is. We have had some prior success locating usable preowned motorized wheel chairs and durable medical equipment at a number of the Lions Clubs in the region. If we have already received equipment from you in the past, we thank you, and people who received the rehabbed equipment most surely thank you.

I am contacting you in hope that you may have some of the above mentioned equipment in your medical storage locker and may be looking to discard, sell or exchange to us for a cash or in kind donation, or that you know of someone who needs an aluminum ramp removed. If you are looking to dispose of any of the above noted equipment please contact / email / text me or Ryan Brown at the numbers below. We will gladly make you an offer, make a donation and come pick up the equipment at your convenience.

Thank you again for humanitarian service. Merry Christmas, Happy Holidays and Happy New Year.

Most appreciatively,
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A photograph of the New York City skyline, featuring the United Nations Secretariat Building and other skyscrapers, with a body of water in the foreground. The text "Secure your spot at LDUN 2023." is overlaid in large white font. Below the image, a dark blue banner contains the text "Lions Day with the United Nations upcoming dates:" in white.

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Lions Day with the United Nations upcoming dates:



Thursday, February 9, 2023

Nairobi, Kenya

This event and supporting materials will be offered in English and French only.

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Friday, March 3, 2023

New York, New York, USA

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- Tickets to the LDUN program
- Printed souvenir program
- Lions International pin (Nairobi and New York) and portfolio (New York only)
- Dynamic speakers and panel discussions
- Entertainment
- Participation in local service projects