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A MESSAGE FROM DISTRICT GOVERNOR NATE



Dear Lions of District 14-T,

It's hard to believe it's already February—boy, this year is flying by! I've had the pleasure of visiting more than half of our clubs so far, and I'm looking forward to meeting the rest of you in the months ahead. It's been inspiring to see the dedication and passion within our district firsthand.

Membership remains a key focus as we push to make gains this year. Every new member strengthens our ability to serve, and with your continued efforts, I'm confident we can finish strong.

There are some exciting events coming up that I'd like to highlight. First, mark your calendars for the **District Convention on April 5th at the Red Lion**. This year, we're shaking things up! While we'll still hold essential sessions like the cabinet meeting, elections, and necrology, we're aiming to create more of a rally atmosphere—an afternoon filled with camaraderie, fun, and connection. Look for some fresh, engaging activities that we hope will make this convention truly memorable.

Following that, we have the **State Convention in May**, which will be held in Scranton. The State Convention is always a fantastic experience, full of opportunities to meet Lions from across Pennsylvania, exchange ideas, and be inspired. I highly encourage you to attend if you're able—it's well worth the trip!

It's been a wild ride so far this Lions year, but there's still so much left to do. Let's continue working together, supporting one another, and finishing this year out strong.

Yours in service,
Nathan Pfister

**February Newsletter deadline is
March 4th.**

Please email your articles & club
information to
Lion Fay Watson at
faydy320@gmail.com
Thank you!

MESSAGE FROM 1VDG BARB

It seems that January has come and gone. This month, club visits will continue and projects are in the planning stages. With Spring coming shortly, it may give us a 'spring' to our step in Lionism.

Membership and service are still the focus of LCI. We should welcome new members showing the enthusiasm that we have as Lions. This would include our service projects. Ask a prospective member to join one of your service projects. If they feel included to serve the community, they may give them the "in" to serve as a Lion.

1VDG Barb Dudeck

MESSAGE FROM 2VDG JOEL

A Great Lions greeting or ROAR to all! We at present have a heat wave of 42° at 7:45 AM. That is good since we have a lot of activity facing us in the next few months. This weekend is the State Council Meeting, and the District Cabinet Meeting is Feb 23 at the West Hanover Community Center. This is an important meeting for all and all are welcome to attend.

The District Convention is April 4, 2025 and information as to registration, delegates, and candidates will be presented to all soon, as soon as this newsletter in fact.

I enjoyed this past year's travels; and visits and look forward to the final visits with the District Governor.

2VDG Joel Leckron

Join us for:

The **LIONS**



2025 - 35th Annual

DISTRICT 14-T

Convention

Rally

Saturday **APRIL 5th, 2025**

- **\$39.00 Registration & Luncheon** or **\$12.00 Registration ONLY**
Registration/Certification Red Lion Lobby **8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.**
- **Necrology Service 9:10 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.**
- **Presentation: 14-T Leos in Action 10:35 a.m. - 11:20 a.m.**
Infomercial:
- **Atlantic City 2025 Forum & DC 2027 International Convention**
11:20 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.
- **Rally Luncheon ...Fellowship & Fun!!! Noon – 1:30 p.m.**
- **District Cabinet Meeting 1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.**
- **SPECIAL ENTERTAINMENT**
2:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.



- Registration also includes morning refreshments (pastry, granola, yogurt, coffee/tea, juice, bottled water).
- Lunch buffet includes hot entrees and vegetables, salads and fruit crisp.
- Registration Forms are due on or before March 25, 2025.
- Please reserve lodging at Red Lion Hotel (717-939-7841) no later than March 21st to receive the group discount.
- CONVENTION SERVICE PROJECT: Please bring canned goods for the Central PA Food Bank!!! (morning only)



at the **RED LION HOTEL**

4751 LINDLE ROAD, HARRISBURG, PA 17111

DISTRICT CONVENTION - NECROLOGY SERVICE

It is sad to realize but each year we see Lion friends pass away. At the District Convention April 5 we will conduct a brief Necrology Service in the morning to recognize these Lions.

We already have a list of several Lions who passed away since last April, but to be sure we ask each club involved to send us the Club Name and the name of the members who passed. And we also request a digitalized picture in **jpeg** or **png** file format if possible (nothing native to iPhone, sorry) for each listed person.

And we ask you to send all these to Lion John Petrina at artcraft@comcast.net and also 2VDG Joel Leckron at joelleckron@gmail.com as soon as possible, but no later than March 15, 2025.

Any questions pertaining to the photos would be best answered by Lion John.

2VDG Joel Leckron

14-T DISTRICT CONVENTION REGISTRATION

The Convention Committee is working on the registration forms & we'll get that out to the clubs in the very near future!

2024-2025 14-T DISTRICT MEETINGS

February 23, 2025 (Sun.) West Hanover Community Center, 4628 Walnut Ave. , Harrisburg, Pa 17112

PDG's Meeting	12:30 PM-1:30 PM
Executive Session (as needed)	1:00 PM-1:30 PM
General Cabinet Meeting	1:45 PM-3:30 PM

APRIL 5, 2025 - DISTRICT 14-T CONVENTION

June 2025 (Sun.) Executive Committee Only TBD

MULTIPLE DISTRICT 14 STATE CONVENTION

April 30 -May 4, 2025 Scranton Hilton



**NEW MEMBERS
January 2025**

CHAMBERSBURG EVENING LIONS PHILIP REYNOLDS	LURGAN TOWNSHIP LIONS CINDY R REASNER KIM J WISE
PAXTANG LIONS DEBBIE J JOHNSON KACEY S ROTOLO	

**DECEASED MEMBERS
January 2025**

WAYNESBORO LIONS ALICE KARPPINEN

UPDATES FROM LCIF
As of 1/30/25

- Hurricane Helene

The Wake of Hurricane Helene: LCIF's Response to the Devastating Storm

In late September 2024, families were plunged into darkness when Hurricane Helene tore through the southeastern United States. This storm was the deadliest to strike the U.S. mainland since Hurricane Katrina in 2005, causing severe destruction and heartbreak. Knowing these victims had a long and painful road to recovery ahead of them, LCIF approved 14 grants totaling US\$380,000 in response to Hurricane Helene. This includes 12 Emergency Grants of US\$15,000 each across Florida, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Tennessee, plus two Major Catastrophe Grants of US\$100,000 each awarded to North Carolina and Florida. These grants helped Lions provide things like water, food, cleaning supplies, toiletries, flashlights and linens.

The essential supplies and physical assistance go a long way in rebuilding the community, but for many, the emotional support can be just as effective. District 35-I District Governor Patty Jean Strong says, "It's not just about the material goods because those things are transient. They need humanity and empathy, and that's what we give."

You can [read the full story](#) in [LION Magazine](#). (click the link "read the full story")

- LA Wildfires

Raging wildfires in California destroy entire communities

- Several destructive wildfires swept through the Los Angeles area of California in the United States are devastating entire communities.
- More than 28 people have died, and more than 180,000 people have been evacuated.
- The fires have burned over 50,000 acres and destroyed more than 16,000 structures, including homes, displacing countless families.
- When a humanitarian crisis of this magnitude strikes, we, as Lions, are ready to help. Right beside us is Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF), our global foundation.
- LCIF is mobilizing funds, including 2 Emergency Grants awarded and disbursed for \$15,000 each for immediate relief supplies and a US\$100,000 Major Catastrophe Grant, to empower Lions in California to help their communities recover.
- Lions in California continue to develop plans.

All of these grants are made possible by our generous donors, including many of you. Did you know we reached a new Planned Giving milestone? We hit the US\$10 million mark, with 275 donors joining the Lions Legacy Society. These gifts, along with other contributions, play a significant role in funding our grants.

Anyone interested in supporting California efforts should make gifts to LCIF's Disaster Fund, noting that their gift is intended for California wildfire relief. LCIF is tracking all gifts made for the California wildfires.

Local Lions are in the process of assessing needs and donations will be used to support their relief efforts. Donors may not restrict donations for a specific club or district.

District 14-T Disaster Fund Urgent!!!



Dear Lions of 14-T,

We are again in the fire season for the year. People turning on furnaces and fireplaces for the first time. Our District Disaster fund has helped 9 families over the past year with grants of \$1000.00 per family. We are very proud to be able to offer a little relief to those in need.

We cannot do this without the participation of our Clubs and the Disaster Committee thanks everyone for all generous donations to this fund in the District Governor's projects. We are currently in dire need of additional funds to maintain this District Project! The fire needs this season have been great and we have disbursed a total of \$8,329.00 from this fund this Lions year.

We ask that you continue to make these generous donations so we may continue to help make a Lions Impact in this way, in our communities.

All clubs have access to these funds to help a family in need in your community!

Please contact any of our committee members with questions or a request for the District form needed to start the process.

Serving Together,

Lion Kim Hummel, Chair, kimhummel66@gmail.com

Lion Laurie Hoyer, steelers24@aol.com

PDG Dennis Alleman, dralleman@embarqmail.com

Lion Lynda Krieger, krieger.l@aol.com



BEACON LODGE CAMP

Winter at Beacon Lodge

Although the chill of winter is in the air, the Beacon Lodge Board and staff are already working on the Spring Agenda at the camp. There is a strong drive to increase attendance at our camping sessions for adults and children with special needs. With increased campers, comes the need for increased sponsorships of \$1,000 per camper. *No camper is turned away at Beacon Lodge.* If the camper cannot pay their own way and they can't get a sponsor, *BL covers the expense.* If a club cannot make a full donation, any amount toward a sponsorship is appreciated to offset the cost.

A huge thank you to the clubs that have made their sponsorship donations already and to those who are committed to doing so. If you know of a person who may be eligible to attend one of the sessions, you can be the sponsor of that person.

Thank you for helping us continue welcoming our special individuals and continue the mission and purpose of Beacon Lodge Camp.

Thank you,
PDG Jan, President

The Beacon Lodge Winter Newsletter can be found on *Pages 28-29 in this Newsletter.* Please read what has been happening at the camp.

Beacon Lodge is eagerly looking forward to the busy part of the year- the camping season. During the non-busy (for most) part of the year maintenance still goes on. Two work weekends are scheduled for April, the first is the weekend of our District Convention, then followed by Palm Sunday and Easter Weekends, then the second work weekend is April 24-27.

District 14-N , northwest of Pittsburgh, has crew arriving Thursday April 24 afternoon and leaving Sunday April 27 noon. **Our District is going to join District 14-N this year, April 25-26.** The work to be scheduled depends on what the winter weather did or didn't do, but as the leader of District 14-N's crew told me "We do not do very hard work we are older and do what we can". I know raking leaves, power washing, hanging banners, some landscaping etc. are typical chores. While we await the work to do, we need to make some tentative arrangements.

Plans are to arrive Friday Morning and stay overnight then return home late afternoon Saturday. For those who cannot join us Friday, they can come Saturday morning. Arrangements with the camp staff have been initiated but I need some preliminary information. Please email me (joelleckron@gmail.com) with the following info: *Club Name, number of members or guests participating, number of males and females, if a family unit wants to stay together let me know that also, and please let me know which days they will help, the entire weekend or Friday/Saturday.* Also, if club members desire to share a cabin or room that should be expressed. This is needed so the staff can arrange for housing.

You may wonder about costs? Don't! Housing and meals are no charge for those working those days.

I would like to know as much as I can by the District Cabinet Meeting Feb 23, 2025, the final info by District Convention April 5, 2025.

2VDG Joel Leckron

2025 LIONS/LEOS SPONSORSHIP REPLY SHEET

To facilitate the processing of camper registrations, we would appreciate knowing if your club has approved sponsorships. In February, forms will be available on the camp website: BeaconLodge.org

We _____ will provide the following sponsorship(s):

Name of Lions/Leo Club	District	County	
_____ \$475 - Adopt a Counselor			Check Enclosed: _____ Check # _____
_____ \$1000 - Camper Sponsorship			Check will be mailed by (date): _____
_____ \$1200 - Project New Hope			Beacon Lodge Camp to bill club: _____
_____ \$1200 - 1 Family for 5 days (\$1,200 includes 2 parents and 1 child.) (Additional Family Members are + \$50. Up to 6 Family Members)			(note all billing is done after camp closes in August; if you want billed before this please specify above)

_____ Total \$ Amount

_____ YES, PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp may designate the person(s) to benefit from our sponsorship.

_____ NO, Please designate the sponsorship to the following person(s):

Camper Name	Age	Address	New Camper: YES/NO
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

If new camper, please have the camper contact Beacon Lodge Camp at 814-542-2511 for camper registration information.

Person Completing Form:

_____ Name _____ Address

_____ Club Office/Position _____ Phone _____ Email

Please note: The commitment or payment of a sponsorship does not satisfy a camper's registration. A camper will be considered registered upon receipt of the completed registration and the \$100 registration fee.

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN TO:	PA LIONS BEACON LODGE CAMP 114 STATE ROUTE 103 SOUTH MOUNT UNION, PA, 17066	EMAIL - office@beaconlodge.org FAX - 814-542-7437
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ENVIRONMENTAL PHOTO CONTEST!

Hello District Members!

I hope this finds everyone well and you are making the best of this winter season. The cold weather and the snow of the winter season makes us we look forward to the brighter warmer days of spring time.

"The color of springtime is in the flowers; the color of winter is in the imagination". -Terri Guillemets

Use your imagination and capture some wonderful photos and be sure your club submits a photo to the environmental photo contest coming soon in March.

We will be having an environment photo contest like the one that we had in past years. Photos will be submitted electronically during March 1-15 with voting occurring March 18-31 at the district website. The winner will be announced at the district convention. This is an online competition, and a club officer will submit your club's one (1) representative photo. More information will be forthcoming.

Best Wishes,
Lion Makaila Auker
District 14-T Environmental Chair
Richfield Lions Club

Coming soon: The 2024-2025 14-T Environment Photo Competition

From March 18-31, 2025, you can vote for your favorite environmental photo at palions14t.org. A contest winner will be announced at: **District Convention**
Questions and inquiries about contest rules can be emailed to auker3738@hotmail.com. VOID WHERE PROHIBITED.

ELIGIBILITY

The 2024-2025 14-T Environmental Photo Competition is open to all district members in good standing who are amateur photographers. One (1) photo per club in District 14-T may be submitted electronically to auker3738@hotmail.com between March 1-15, 2025; subject line should read "**Environment Photo Contest.**" Voting will occur from March 18-31, 2025, at palions14t.org. Entries submitted before or after the Entry Period will not be eligible.

WHAT TO ENTER

Voters are asked to judge images based on originality, technical excellence, composition, overall environmental impact and artistic merit.

To ensure functionality on our submission platform, please submit files no larger than **10 MB** at the time of entry.

All photographs should accurately reflect the subject matter and the scene as it appeared. Photos that have been digitally altered beyond standard optimization (cropping, spotting for dust, reasonable adjustments to exposure, color and contrast, etc.) will be disqualified.

Entries may originate in the .jpg format. Suggested subjects include: nature, water, landscape, or wildlife, that were photographed during 2024-2025, within District 14-T. If you choose to include people in your submission, you are responsible for obtaining the necessary releases from the individual(s) depicted, and must be able to provide copies of those releases to the Environmental Chair upon request.

The following submissions are ineligible:

- Images of captive animals photographed in zoos and commercial game farms.
- Photos that violate or infringe upon another person's rights, including but not limited to copyright and photographs of persons without the necessary consent.
- Photos that contain inappropriate content.
- Images that involve the willful harassment of wildlife.
- Images taken that cause or caused damage to the environment by the photographer; this includes taking photos from areas where human presence is restricted by authorities.
- Images that involve putting any individual or animal in danger.

HOW TO ENTER

Club entry via email to auker3738@hotmail.com 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 award categories:

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 18-31, 2025). 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 or via another format if the convention is cancelled or rescheduled 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 the eligible 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.



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, 2024 through June 30, 2025).

Lower Paxton Township Lions Club - \$505.00	East Hanover Lions Club - \$711.00
Greene Township Lions Club - \$2155.00	
Paxtang Lions Club - \$1,116.00	
New Bloomfield Lions Club - \$578.86	
Lower Paxton Twp. Lioness/Lions Club - \$650.00	
Waynesboro Lions Club - \$427.65	
Ickesburg Lions Club - \$212.73	
Landisburg Lions Club - \$3,443.85	

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

2024-2025 WHITE CANE CLUB REPORT
PA Lions Multiple District 14-T

This report includes All White Cane Activities
Occurring from 07/01/2024 to 06/30/2025:

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

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.

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 2025, but try to get it in as soon as you complete your "2022-2023 White Cane Campaign". Thank you

LOWER SWATARA LIONS



L: Lower Swatara Lions Club Secretary Jack Rudick proudly presents Lion Bernie Sobotka (L) and Lion Greg Bump (R) with their 25 yr service chevron. Each has been a member of Lions Club International for over 25 years.

Below: Lower Swatara Lions Club continues to serve the community by assisting with preparation and serving meals at the St Peter's Lutheran Food Kitchen in Highspire. The Food Kitchen serves takeout meals every Monday to needy low-income families. The Lions club has committed to take charge one Monday of each month, with several members helping every Monday throughout the month. This past Monday saw 188 meals served, which is an average meal serving.



Lower Swatara Lions Club Vice President Connie Easter with her husband Ed Easter, Lions Bernie Sobotka, Donna Sipe and Kelsey Varner



Lower Swatara Lions Club members Kelsey Varner, Donna Sipe and Bernie Sobotka portion meals for takeout dinners.

ICKESBURG LIONS

Congratulations to Lion of the Year; Lion Sue Stewart. King Lion Mary Dean and Committee Chair, Lion Erik Hansbury presented Lion Sue with this well-deserved award. Lion Sue was also instrumental in getting a replacement made for the Club's Little Library in the square of Ickesburg.



WEST HANOVER LIONS

Lions Club Chaplain, Bill Suhr, was presented a chevron pin commemorating his 20 years of service to West Hanover Township by 14-T Zone Chair Lynda Krieger. Bill has never let his vision impairment hinder his efforts to serve his community. Congrats, Lion Bill!!



EAST HANOVER LIONS



L: The East Hanover Lions recognized two students of the trimester at their dinner meeting on Tuesday, January 28 at Perkins Restaurant with their parents attending also.

Braelyn Engebretson, a six grader from Northern Lebanon Elem. and Cara McCarthy a fifth grader from East Hanover Elem received a certificate, Hershey's candy bar and a monetary award. Congratulations to girls for their service and being selected for this award!

Pictured: Braelyn, Lion Nancy, and Cara

R: On January 28 at our dinner meeting, we had an informative presentation by Lauren and Julia on the annual Mini-thon at Lower Dauphin HS in March. They shared stories of students who have received benefits from the Mini-thon. Last year they raised over \$185,000 and they hope to meet this goal this year. It is a two-day event at the HS. The monies are then presented to the Four Diamonds Thon at Penn State. It was great to hear about local students working to serve others in the community and this great cause!

Pictured: Lauren, Julia, Lion Lisa and President Josie



Below: East Hanover Lions participated in a puzzle night at the EH Township Building on Friday January 17. It was a fun night of fellowship and puzzle making by all!



WAYNESBORO LIONS

THE LUNCH PLACE -- Our Story (extracted from their website)

SERVING OUR NEIGHBORS:

The Lunch Place exists to serve the community and surrounding area of Waynesboro, Pennsylvania and to provide a hot lunch to the needy, the lonely, and those seeking fellowship with their neighbors. We are a Christian organization, but we seek to serve all of God's people. The formation of The Lunch Place was the result of an ad hoc committee established by The Waynesboro Area Human Services Council Board and The Waynesboro Area Fellowship of Churches who were tasked with examining hunger needs in the Waynesboro Area. The Lunch Place served its first meals in February 1990 at Christ United Methodist Church using their kitchen and dining area. The program was intended for residents in the community including families with small children and older singles living alone, who because of age and condition, may not qualify for other programs. A key component of The Lunch Place would be that of fellowship and social contact with others."

BY THE NUMBERS:

Since February 1990, The Lunch Place has served 340,528 meals. We are currently averaging 30 meals a day though there have been times when the average was 40 – 50 meals a day. The Lunch Place is open Monday through Friday from 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM at Christ United Methodist Church. The hot meals are prepared by our Chef Kinte Snead and a group of very loyal volunteers who help prepare the meals, serve, and cleanup each day. There is no charge for the meals, but a donation jar is available to contribute to The Lunch Place. The funding for The Lunch Place comes from churches in the area, local businesses, and private donors. The Lunch Place Board of Directors consists of 12 – 15 members. They are responsible for coordinating, supervising, and providing support for the services provided by The Lunch Place."



**** **The Waynesboro Lions Club** has supported the Lunch Place for many years. Everyone that supports our Lions Club fundraisers "help us, help others" within the Waynesboro area community. Lion (VP) Denise Heck presented the club donation check to Chef Kinte Snead at the Lunch Place.****

NEW BLOOMFIELD LIONS

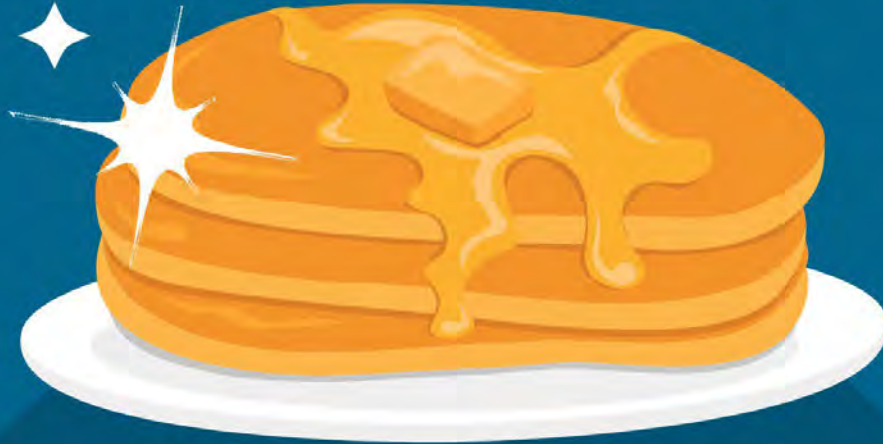
Congratulations to Lion Kim Grundon on obtaining her Proud Lion Certificate and congratulations to new member Kim Womer and her sponsor Lion Dwayne Womer!



Waynesboro Lions Club

PANCAKE

Breakfast



\$8.00 for adults
\$4.00 for children ages 5-12



SATURDAY, FEB. 15

from 8:00am - 11:00am

held in conjunction with the Waynesboro Business
Expo at the Waynesboro High School

Anyone interested in tickets, may contact any Waynesboro Lions Club member ... tickets will be sold at the door on the date of the event!!

The Lions Pancake Breakfast will be held in conjunction with the Waynesboro Chamber of Commerce Business Expo ... come enjoy pancakes and sausage before walking thru the Expo!



73rd Annual PANCAKE BREAKFAST



SAT. FEB 15th

**Paxtang Boro Building
3423 Derry Street • Harrisburg, PA**

6:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Ticket Price Adult \$8

www.paxtanglions.org

**LOWER SWATARA LIONS CLUB
FASNACHT SALE**



Lower Swatara Lions Club is taking orders for delicious Fasnachts made by The Filling Station (Palmyra).

Orders will be ready for pickup Monday March 3, 2025. 6:30-9 PM or Tuesday March 4, 2025 6AM-9 AM.

\$14 per dozen

Advance order from the following options:

- #1 - 1 Dozen Glazed
- #2 - 1 Dozen Sugared
- #3 - 1 Dozen Plain
- #4 - 1/2 Dozen Glazed & 1/2 Dozen Sugar
- #5 - 4 Glazed, 4 Sugar & 4 Plain

These are the only options.

All orders must include a phone number. There will be a limited amount for walk-in orders, so preordering is suggested. Order cut-off is Thursday February 27, 2025 10PM. Cash, card or Venmo accepted. Order through any club member or PM the club.



ICKESBURG LIONS CLUB CASH BINGO

MARCH 9th @1pm Doors open @12pm

MILLERSTOWN MOOSE FAMILY CENTER
MILLERSTOWN EXIT OFF RT. 322

Twenty Games for \$25.00
Tickets available at the door

****Special Savings** Advance tickets \$20.00**

Raffles and Special Games too

Concessions available

Contact Lion Lauri Hoyer @ 717-438-0388 for tickets.

Strike Up Some Fun

2025
5052



DISTRICT 14-T
LION'S

B  **BOWL**
A-RAMA *for*



DIABETES RESEARCH

Saturday **March 15th**

▶▶ **\$20** *Donation to Bowl* from **1pm-3:30pm**

at **ABC NORTH LANES**
5303 LOCUST LANE, HBG 17109



• DOOR PRIZES - RAFFLES • Concession Stand, Bar, Arcade available •



email: **LION DON HOLMES** at
dholmes@westhanover.com
TO RESERVE YOUR LANE AT ABC NORTH LANES



District 14-T
**DIABETES
 BOWL-A-RAMA**



INDIVIDUAL SPONSOR SHEET

REGION _____

Bowl Date **MARCH 15, 2025**
1:00pm - 3:30pm

Saturday

 BOWLERS NAME

 REPRESENTING CLUB

SPONSORS NAME	TOTAL \$\$ PLEDGED	TOTAL \$\$ PAID

ABC North Lanes
 5303 Locust Ln, Harrisburg, PA 17109
 (717) 545-4254



\$
TOTAL MONEY COLLECTED
\$
TOTAL \$ AMOUNT ENCLOSED

We Serve through Bowling!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTION IN THIS WORTHWHILE PROJECT!
 Please make checks payable to District 14-T Bowl-A-Rama

Diabetic Retinopathy is the leading cause of Blindness in adults today. Lions are dedicated to eradicating Blindness and have been involved with Diabetes awareness since 1984. Money raised through this Bowlathon will stay in our area and will be distributed through grants to local health facilities to educate individuals about Diabetes. Grants also ae given to Penn State Milton S. Hershey Medical Center for research to furthur help understand the disease and hopefully find a cure.

PENBROOK LIONS CLUB
PANCAKE BREAKFAST
SATURDAY, MARCH 22, 2025
7AM – 11AM

PENBROOK COMMUNITY BUILDING

150 S. 28TH STREET – HARRISBURG, PA 17103

- ✓ \$5.00 – AGE 11 AND UP
- ✓ \$3.00- AGES 6-10
- ✓ FREE- CHILDREN AGED 5 & UNDER
- ✓ FREE FOR VETERANS
- ✓ PAY AT DOOR

Eat-In or Take-out 😊 All you can eat

Price includes Sausages & Beverages

Benefits Penbrook Lions Service Projects

*Also featuring **Penbrook Leo Club Bake Sale** &
free pancake toppings: fresh fruit & whipped cream*

Learn more about the Penbrook Lions & Leos – visit our website:

www.e-clubhouse.org/sites/penbrookpa



Lower Paxton Lioness-Lions Club Fashion Show
Presented by “Boscov’s at Colonial Park Mall”

DATE: Saturday, March 29th

WHERE: West Hanover Community Center
628 Walnut Avenue, Harrisburg, PA 17112

TIME: Doors open at 11:00; Lunch @ Noon; Fashion Show to follow

MENU: Ambrosia Fruit
½ Ham & Cheese Croissant and ½ Turkey & Cheese Croissant
Macaroni Salad
Apple Pie
Coffee, Tea, and Iced Tea

COST: \$25.00 (all profits donated to local charities) Sorry, no refunds.

There will be door prizes and Baskets will be raffled!

For tickets please contact:

Nancy Bucko @ 717-657-9794 or gbucko@verizon.net

Deadline to buy a ticket is March 3rd

Hope to see you there--bring a friend or two for a fun event!



Landisburg Lions Club Spring

Ca\$h Bingo



Sunday, May 4, 2025

New Bloomfield VFW

Doors Open for Lunch at 12:00 noon

Bingo begins at 2:00 p.m.

Advance Tickets -- \$20

\$25 at the Door



Food, beverages & dessert will be sold.



To Purchase Tickets contact:

Carol Smith – 717-265-5985

Cathy & Deke Gilbert – 717-582-4755

Sue & Steve Benedict – 717-789-9605

Belinda Mullen 717-385-7964

Carrie Byers 717-582-2966

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PA LION'S BEACON LODGE CAMP



News Letter

Winter 2025

It May be winter and cold outside, but things are heating here at the Pa Lions Beacon Lodge Camp. During our off-season, we are completing many projects around camp. We have made repairs to the leaking water line outside our Administration Building, we have completed the first step of having our inground trampoline, with the hole dug, and the repairs to the downstairs office have been completed after a water heater went out and leaked through the ceiling. Our Office Manager Katlin McVey is all set up in her newly refreshed office space. The Upper Deck around C Cabins was replaced with Composite decking. These are just a drop in the bucket of many completed jobs by our maintenance staff and volunteers, but there are more projects still to be completed.



Happy winter fellow Lions and Leos!

Excitement is growing for the 2025 New Year at PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp!

The beautiful Holiday decorations shown in this newsletter have been taken down and stored. With winter's chill in the air, one might not be thinking about the Spring, but the Beacon Lodge staff and Board of Directors are!

We refer to the off season, but as you see, there really isn't an off season at Beacon Lodge. Much maintenance and refurbishing has been done and will continue in anticipation of the 2025 camping season with a variety of sessions for our individuals with special needs and our Project New Hope Retreats for disabled veterans.

The new organizational format of the Directors Team is working well and the part-time consultants are taking the lead on grant writing and marketing of Beacon Lodge, our mission and purpose.

Increasing our camping attendance, awareness of sponsorship needs, and promotion of the facility rental opportunities are just a few of our progressive intentions. We are working to utilize Beacon Lodge as a year round facility by additional usage by Lions Clubs and Districts and to develop business and Corporate world awareness for conferences, meetings and business retreats.

I extend a personal invitation to the Lions of PA and local businesses to visit the camp, take a tour and see the building of a stronger, more progressive camp. Thank you to the Lions of PA for their support.

Best wishes for a prosperous and productive New Year!

PDG Jan Adams, President

Show Your Support

- Sponsor a camper
- Sponsor a counselor
- Attend a Work Weekend
- Make a Donation
- Participate in Golf Outing
- Volunteer

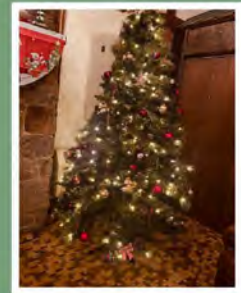


2025-Calendar-Dates

- Camper Application Open -- January 13
- 14-C Work Weekend -- April 4-6
- 14-N Work Weekend -- April 24-27
- First Day of Camp -- June 7
- Pa Lions Appreciation Day -- July 20
- Last Day of Camp -- August 20
- 9th Annual Golf Outing -- August 23
- Fall Work Weekend -- September 12-14

Put a Banner at Beacon Lodge

For the low cost of \$100.00, your Lions Club can be represented by a banner at PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp during the 2025 Camping Season. The Banners are 2.5ft by 4ft and installed during the one of our spring work weekends. These banners can be put back up each year for \$50.00. Orders must be received by March 15th 2025. Contact PDG Tom Toland at ttoland@windstream.net or call the camp (814)542-2511 for orders or more information



Paxtang Lions Club
 District 14-T
 Home Club of PDG Jan Adams
 President of Beacon Lodge Board



Pictures of a Beacon Lodge Christmas
 Think of us next year to host your Holiday Events

Month in Review

From the Desk of the CEO
-January 2025

January 2025 was a busy start to the new year.

*We welcomed 2 new Case Management Clients,
served 32 Low Vision Patients, and
performed over 300 Preschool Vision Screenings.*

Visit www.vrocp.org to learn more about our services.



Recent interview with WITF about Braille Literacy

*Our Vision is
Your Vision*

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