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September Newsletter deadline is September 6th.

Please email your articles & club information to Lion Fay Watson at faydy320@gmail.com AND Lion Ron Alleman at vikesron3@gmail.com
Thank you!

A MESSAGE FROM DISTRICT GOVERNOR BARB



SERVING TODAY, TOMORROW AND ALWAYS

Lions and Leos of District 14-T:

Welcome to the 2025-2026 Lions Year. I am looking forward to build upon the successes we had last year! Last year District 14-T was busy as always serving our communities as well as other organizations.

This year there are a few new service initiatives where we can further our service throughout the district. LCI has chosen three focus areas:

Mental Health and Well-being
Hunger
Environment
October 14-12, 2025
January 3-11, 2026
April 18-26, 2026

"Special Initiatives - As we embark on a new year of service, we are excited to introduce our 2025-2026 Service Focus Weeks, designed to amplify Lions International's global impact by uniting efforts around specific causes. International First Vice President A P Singh encourages districts to engage with these causes year-round, with a special emphasis on creating a unified, global impact during these designated weeks. I commit to encouraging my district to participate in the 2025-2026 Service Focus Weeks."

You can find more information on the Lions Website, www.lionsclubs.org. If you have any ideas or information that will help, let a cabinet member know.

Message from DG Barb continued...

I hear "I never logged into the website." This year, training will be held for those interested. There will also be training for club officers and zone chairs.

New projects may spark interest for others. This is also a good way to promote Lionism to all that are interested. Tell them what we are all about. Bringing in new members will help our district grow. (Mission 1.5 new members).

My Service Goal will focus on the following two global causes. First Global Cause: Childhood Cancer Second Global Cause: Humanitarian.

Stretching our service a little will accomplish much. Don't forget that two projects can be done at the same time.

I will discuss my other goals over the coming months: Membership Development, Leadership Development and LCIF

Yours in Lionism, **DG Barb Dudek** District Governor, 14-T

NEW MEMBERS June/July 2025

LURGAN TOWNSHIP LIONS DON WISE NEW BLOOMFIELD LIONS MARCUS H. QUAKER

DECEASED MEMBERS
June/July 2025

LURGAN TOWNSHIP LIONS GALEN L MYERS

PICS FROM THE LAST DISTRICT COUNCIL MEETING of 2024-2025



Greetings from the GST

I am excited about being the GST for our District this year. Service is the purpose for the existence of Lions Clubs. Lions Club service projects make a difference in people's lives.

I am new to District 14-T. I moved here two years ago from District 22-D in Delaware. I want to learn more about your club, the types of service projects that you do and what challenges you face in serving your community. The best way to learn more about your club and community is to help you with one of your service projects. So please invite me to an upcoming project.

I am here to assist your club with service reporting, preparing grant applications for service projects and sharing information about what other clubs are doing in their communities. Contact me if you have a question.

Daniel Harper GST District 14-T 301 275-7860 beachnut333@gmail.com

2025-2026 DISTRICT MEETING DATES

DG Barb would like to help you prepare for this new year with notification of these important dates prior to the publication of the District Directory.

Pennsylvania State Council Meetings

#1 – August 2, 2025 (Sat.)	Red Lion Hotel
#2 – October 24-26	Red Lion Hotel
#3 – January 30, 31 and February 1, 2026	Red Lion Hotel
#4 – May 14-17, 2026 Council meeting and state convention	Indiana PA

DISTRICT 14-T CABINET MEETINGS

#1 – August 16, 2025 (Sat.)	Landisburg Picnic Grounds
Landisburg, PA	-
#2 - November 9, 2025 (Sun.)	Lurgan Twp. Center
13978 Cumberland Hwy., Roxbury	
#3 – February 15, 2026 (Sun.)	West Hanover Community Center
4628 Walnut Ave., Harrisburg, Pa 17112	•

DISTRICT 14-T CONVENTION

#5 - June 2026 (Sun.) Executive Committee Only TBD

LIONS OF PA FOUNDATION

First, I would like to thank our Clubs and individual members who purchased fundraising tickets from me. The winners were:

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June 15th – 699 – 14-C

June 16th – 605 – 14-T (Lion Larry Reisinger)

June 17th – 917 – Unclaimed

June 18th – 567 – 14-C

June 19th – 846 – 14- E

June 20th – 226 – Claimed

June 21st – 360 – 14-B
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The Foundation's Board continues to meet quarterly to review Grant Request Applications.

We recently met on June 28. Three grants were approved: District 14-D and the Ephrata Lions Club requested \$10,000 for the Ephrata Area Service Building to help with ADA accessibility; District 14-B requested \$10,180 for a Diabetic Retinopathy Screening Camera; and District 14-J, the South Fork Lions Club and the Forest Hills Leo Club requested \$5,000 for the Lions Emergency Awareness & Development Program.

District 14-D requested \$2,000 to be used at the regional food banks in Lancaster and Lebanon Counties. This request was tabled until more specific use of funds is provided.

The Grant Request Application is found on our website – www.lionsofpafoundation.org

This application insures that we receive the necessary information to consider your request.

Our next meeting will be **October 11**. If your Club is planning to submit an application, please email it to me by **October 1**. I will then forward the completed application with necessary signatures to our Executive Director and President. From there the application will be forwarded to the Board Members in preparation for the upcoming meeting.

If at any time any member has a question or needs an explanation about the Lions of PA Foundation, please do not hesitate to contact me.

I am available to come to your Club or Zone meetings with a presentation that explains our Foundation.

I am also available to present your Lions of PA Fellowship or Past International President Joseph Wrobleski Award.

PDG Kathy Fouse 14-T Board Member Lions of PA Foundation 717-645-4322 lionkathyfouse@gmail.com



D. Denise Heck

11908 North Woodlea Drive Waynesboro, PA 17268 717-765-4454 (Home) 717-816-4454 (Cell) deniseheck@comcast.net



Dear Lion Secretary or President,

As in the past, the Beacon Lodge Golf Outing is coming up in August. Again, we are asking your Lions Club to sponsor a hole. The cost is only \$100.00. Our District has a great reputation for their support of Beacon Lodge. PCC McCarl, PDG Kathy Duelley, and I want our district to be the first 100% contributor to this great project. That means that each club in the district will be the sponsor of a hole, and the district also contributes. We unfortunately did not reach 100% last year. **This year let's make it 100**%

If your club sponsors a hole, there will be a placard on display at the hole. Let us show the rest of Pennsylvania how our District comes through when needed. I will also be calling in May to remind you of this much needed support. As you can see below, there are other sponsorship levels as well.

Your checks can be sent directly to me at the above address. Do not send them directly to Beacon Lodge. Make your checks out to: <u>PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp</u> and please consider adding this to your club's yearly budget.

Sincerely,

Denise Heck Beacon Lodge Board Member

Your Support as a Sponsor is crucial to the success of PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp.

Sponsor Levels

- Diamond \$10,000 Includes Naming Rights for the outing, Logo Branding on event website, Score Cards, and all pin flags; a 3' x 2' Diamond-shape Pavilion Sign, 4 paid Foursomes and 18"x12" Hole Sponsor Sign (At a tee or green).
- Ruby \$5000 Includes 3'x2' Ruby sign, 2 paid foursomes and an 18"x12" Hole Sponsor Sign (At a tee or green).
- Platinum \$2500 Includes 3'x2' Platinum sign, 2 paid foursomes and an 18"x12" Hole Sponsor Sign
- Gold \$1,500 Includes a 3'x2' Gold Sign, 1 paid Foursome and 18"x12" Hole Sponsor Sign.
- Silver-\$1,000 Includes a 3'x2'Silver Sign, 1 paid Foursome and 18"x12" Hole Sponsor Sign.
- Bronze \$500 Includes a Bronze Sign and 18"x12" Hole Sponsor Sign.
- Hole \$100 includes an 18"x12" Hole Sponsor Sign.
- Cart \$50 Includes an 8.5"x11" sign on cart.



PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp 8th Annual Golf Outing August 23, 2025

Add-Ons

Ov	vernight Accommodations
	at Beacon Lodge CampFree
Ple	ease call Beacon Lodge to make arrangements 814-542-2511
Ea	rly Bird Golf – 18 holes
	Friday, August 22 (all day)\$24

Sponsor Information*

Name.

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District 14-	
Contact:	
Address:	
Phone:	
Email:	

*Send before August 8, 2025 Thank you for helping us serve! In 1948, PDG Carl Shoemaker helped found Vacations for the Blind, a summer camp designed for adults with vision impairment. Since then, the name was changed to PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp. The program has also changed to include children and adults with a wide range of disabilities. By providing a sponsorship or joining us at the American Legion Country Club, you will be

helping us continue our mission of providing a summer camp experience to our statewide community of Adults and Children living with Special Needs.



PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp 114 State Route 103 South Mount Union, PA, 17066



PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp 9th Annual Golf Outing

Saturday, August 23, 2025, 1:00 pm

American Legion Country Club Mount Union, PA, 17066 814-542-4343



PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp

Are you looking for a way to help special needs children and adults **AND** have fun?

Then, this golf outing is exactly what you're looking for!

When: Saturday, August 23, 2025 Check-In – Noon

Shotgun start at 1:00 pm

Where: American Legion Country Club Mount Union, PA, 17066

Format: 18-hole Scramble

Price: Just \$85/golfer includes—

Creen Fees Cart

Prizes & Awards

Snacks, beer, pop, and water

all day

Food is included throughout

the day

Note: make checks payable to "PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp" and return:

> PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp 114 State Route 103 South Mount Union, PA, 17066

9th Annual Golf Outing

Prizes

1st Place Team \$300 2nd Place Team \$200 3rd Place Team \$100 Plus,

Skills Prizes on all par 3s: Longest Drive and Longest Putt -\$50 Pro Shop Gift Certificates

Your support as a Sponsor is *crucial* to the success of PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp.

Sponsor Levels:

Diamond - \$10,000 Includes Naming Rights for the outing, Logo Branding on event website, Score Cards, and all pin flags; a 3'x2' diamond-shape Pavilion Sign, 4 paid Foursomes and an 18"x12" Hole Sponsor Sign (at a tee or green)

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Silver - \$1,000 Includes a 3'x2' Silver Sign, 1 paid Foursome, and an 18"x12" Hole Sponsor Sign

Bronze - \$500 Includes a 3'x2' Bronze Sign and an 18"x12" Hole Sponsor Sign

Hole - \$100 Includes an 18"x12" Hole Sponsor Sign

Cart - \$50 Includes an 8.5"x11" sign on cart

Golfer Registration Form PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp

Format: 4-Person Scramble (One single-digit handicap per team)

ream Name	
Golfer #1	
Address	
City/St/ZIP	
Phone (H)	
Phone (W)	
Email	
Golfer #2	
Address	
City/St/ZIP	
Phone (H)	
Phone (W)	
Email	Hcp
Golfer #3	
Address	
City/St/ZIP	
Phone (H)	
Phone (W)	
Email	Нср
Golfer #4	
Address	
City/St/ZIP	
Phone (H)	
Phone (W)	
Email	Нср



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, 2025 through June 30, 2026).

Lower Paxton Township Lions Club - \$505.00 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 East Hanover Lions Club - \$711.00 Paxtang Lions Club - \$2010.00 Hershey Lions Club - \$383.25

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2025-2026 WHITE CANE CLUB REPORT PA Lions Multiple District 14-T

Occurring 1.	rt includes All White Cane Activities from 07/01/2025 to 06/30/2026: Did your Lions, Lioness, or Leo Club hold a White Cane fundraising event (or events)?Yes, please continue with question 2No, 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:	
Estimate	d total man-hours expended:		
Club Nar	me:		
Report Submitted by:		_ Phone/Email	

This report must be in no later than July 15 2026, but try to get it in as soon as you complete your" 2022-2023 White Cane Campaign". Thank you.

PAXTANG LIONS





The Paxtang Lions held their 73rd Annual Charter Night at Paxton Presbyterian Church on June 12th.

Pictured on the left: Lion Rich Waltz presenting the Lion of the Year Award to Lion Gerry Bucko. Pictured on the Right: PDG Bill Tuttle presenting a Melvin Jones Fellowship io Lion Ed Cordell.

LOWER PAXTON LIONS



The Lower Paxton Lions Club recently celebrated the Clubs 77th Charter Night. Lion Chris Finnegan received a "Melvin Jones Fellow" and Lion Brenda Fernsler received "The Lion of the Year". King Lion Lynda Krieger also awarded several other awards to Lion Ken and Sue Stuck, Lion William Minsker, PDG Robert Roebuck, Lion Brenda Fernsler, PDG Kathy Fouse and Lion John Petrina.

Pictured I to r: Incoming King Lion Mike Stephens, Lion Chris Finnegan, Lion King Lynda Krieger, Lion Brenda Fernsler and Lion Kyle Whitman.

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PENBROOK LEOS Celebrates 16 Years



Many thanks to everyone that came out to support our 16 years of service to the Penbrook Community. We enjoyed Guest Speaker- Lt. Jesse Foltz, who spoke on the importance of serving our community in big and small ways. Our Installation of Club Officers 2025-2026 was led by PDG Kathy Fouse. Sarah DiSantis, Justin Fleeming's representative presented us with a citation for our service. We each gave a speech on our favorite Leo projects. We presented Lion Carmen with a plaque, and an honor board to show her our appreciation for her time and care throughout the years.

GREENCASTLE G-A LEOS



G-A Leo club members served drinks at Greencastle Lions pancake breakfast L to R advisor Lion Darrell Miller; Leos Caely Smith, Cole Johnson, Derek Latta, and Anna Booze

G-A Leo Club members assisted with the annual egg hunt. Left to right advisor Lion Darrell Miller; Leos Jaden Princler, Cole Johnson, Anna Booze & Caely Smith.



LOWER SWATARA LIONS



L: Lower Swatara Lions Club President Babette Rudick proudly presents a scholarship check awarded to Hayden Herneisey, daughter of Jen and Marlin Herneisey of Middletown, PA. Hayden is a recent graduate of Middletown Area Sr High School and will enroll as a business major at Elizabethtown College this Fall.

R: Lower Swatara Lions Club welcomes our newest members at our June stated meeting: Christine Hoke with sponsor Babette Rudick, Alex_Arthun with sponsor JoAnn Coleman, and Allen Muller with sponsor David Orris. The club now has 51 club members, a significant increase from the 17 members recorded in 2017.







Above: Lower Swatara Lions Club sponsored the Kids Corner Activity Area during the Middletown Historical Society's Heritage Festival on June 14, 2025. Club members supplied materials and helped children construct bead bracelets, clothes pin animals and book markers. About 85 children participated in the crafts.

MIFFLINTOWN LIONS



Lion Don Bratton of Mifflintown Lions presents a check to CJP Managers Nick Beward, Amelia Smith, and lesson's instructor Zach Hostler. This donation to the pool was from the proceeds of the Mifflintown Lion's May Chicken BBQ.

LOWER PAXTON TOWNSHIP LIONESS LIONS

Lower Paxton Township Lioness Lions presented a check to the Ronald McDonald House.



LANDISBURG LIONS





Above: Landisburg Lions Club recently announced two Melvin Jones recipients. Pictured left is Lion Elizabeth Quigley with husband Lion Keith Quigley. Pictured right is Lion Ginny Beaver with husband PDG Sam Wagner.



L: Lion Sue Benedict was recently recognized for receiving a Lions Membership Key award.

R: The Landisburg Lions recently honored veterans in the club. Pictured are Lions Carl Myers, George Roche, Keith Quigley and President Christina Baum. Missing from the picture are Lions Kathryn and Terry Tibbs.



ROUZERVILLE LIONS



Installation of Rouzerville Lions Club Officers 2025-2026

First row- Marjorie Seilhamer-1 year director; Mark Spangler-1st vice president; Don Kauffman-3rd vice president; Ann O'Toole- 2 year director

Second row- PDG Joann Williams; Don Seilhamer-President; Jan Hilson- Lions Tamer; Carrie Spangler; Ellen Scott-Secretary; Dennis O'Toole-2nd vice president

Third row- John Hilson-Tail Twister; Larry McFadden- Treasurer; Denny Carbaugh-2 year director; Allen Scott- fundraiser chairman

Missing - Lamar Sease- 1 year director; Jonathan and Erin Scott, Regina Shreiner- Food chairpersons; Carolyn Sease, Linda Barkdoll, David Girio, Stewart McCleaf, Harold Mumma



The Rouzerville Lions Club 2025 CAR and TRUCK Show

Open to all Years, Makes, and Models of Rat Rods Street Rods, Late Model and Classic Cars and Trucks

Sponsored by
American Legion of Waynesboro
Hamner's Truck & Trailer Repair
Linda Barkdoll of Ronnie Martin Realty
Owls Club of Waynesboro
Lion Don Seilhamer, Antietam Realty
Grove-Bowersox Funeral Home, F&M Trust

Sunday, July 13, 2025

Held Rain or Shine at RED RUN PARK ON PA. RT. 16 in ROUZERVILLE

12143 Buchanan Trail East, Waynesboro, PA 17268 (See Map on back for directions and watch for signs)

AWARDS TO TOP 17 CARS and TOP 8 TRUCKS By DRIVERS CHOICE VOTING

DASH PLAQUES TO FIRST 100 ENTRIES

Courtesy of C-Ely Signs and Graphics

\$15 ENTRY FEE — REGISTRATION: 8am till 12 noon PARTICIPANT VOTING CLOSES at 1:00pm — TROPHIES at 2:30pm

NUMEROUS DOOR PRIZES
50/50's, HOT FOOD, COLD DRINKS & ICE CREAM
GOOD OL' ROCK-N-ROLL OLDIES MUSIC

By RS Entertainment

SPECTATORS WELCOME - NO ADMISSION CHARGE

NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ACCIDENTS OR DAMAGE
NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, SMOKING, DRUGS, PETS OR LOUD MUSIC DURING SHOW
FOR INFORMATION OR DIRECTIONS CALL ALLEN SCOTT AT 717-762-4234
or EMAIL: jellenscott@comcast.net

Flyer printing courtesy of Allen B. Scott Hauling



SUNDAY, JULY 13

Millersburg American Legion 527 Market Street Millersburg Doors open at 11:00 AM Early Bird at 12:45 PM Regular Bingo at 1:00 PM



Tickets can be purchased by sending a Facebook Message



Like and follow Millersburg PA Lions Club Facebook page for latest updates.





RAFFLES DOOR PRIZES 50/50 CONCESSION STAND

No.

100% of proceeds from this bingo will go to the Christmas Light/Decoration Fund for the Millersburg Borough

50th Annual Mercersburg Lions Club Community Fair August 10-16th, 2025

Free Parking, Free Admission! Celebrating our 50th Anniversary of the Fair!

Sunday, August 10th opening with limited food stand (no rides).

Full Food Stand, Rides, Games and Entertainment run Monday, August 11th through Saturday, August 16th

Rides provided by Snyder's Amusements

Fair Entertainment and Activities



Wednesday, August 13th – *Vertigo Vultures*, \$1.00 Bingo Thursday, August 14th - Big Bucks Bingo and *New Country* Friday, August 15th - *Kenton Sitch Band* and Fireworks, \$1.00 Bingo

Saturday, August 16th closing day - Car Show, **Bobby D & The Truck Stop Burritos**, and \$1.00 Bingo Funds raised cover our annual costs of owning the Park with additional funds going to improvements.

Come join in on the fun - We are always looking for new members and volunteers. Monthly

Meetings are the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 6:30 PM (October – April - gather at the Mercersburg Moose Community Room; May - September at our Lions Club Park front pavilion). Please email Mercersburglionsclub@gmail.com for more information about joining, volunteering, or any of these events.

Like and Follow our Facebook page – Mercersburg Lions Club and Instagram Page – mercersburglions

for updates on these and other events.

Check our website (and calendar) for all of our activities and to rent a pavilion and more for your event - https://sites.google.com/view/mercersburglionsclub

Events Advertised in The Mercersburg Journal and The Mercersburg Merchant



Visit our website for more information, including our partnership with Mercersburg Lions Community Park Association (MLCPA), a 501(c)3 tasked with raising funds to make our Mercersburg Lions Community Park a place to get outside and enjoy the outdoors. We are so excited for the future of our park, owned by Mercersburg Lions Club, the only walkable park in the Mercersburg Borough.

Contact - MLCParkAssociation@gmail.com if you would like to share your talents of grant writing, fundraising, etc. WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Thank you for your support! #WeServe

2025 Penn State Eye Center Eye School



SECOND ANNUAL ICKESBURG LIONS CLUB'S

MOUNTAINEER CAR & TRUCK SHOW

Held in conjunction with

ICKESBURG'S FALL HARVEST FEST



SATURDAY OCTOBER 4, 2025 9 AM-2 PM





DOOR PRIZES, 50/50, PULL TABS, DASH PLAQUES, AWARDS FOR TOP 25 CARS OR TRUCKS

TROPHIES FOR TOP CAR, TOP TRUCK, and BEST OF SHOW PLAQUES FOR 2ND & 3RD PLACE CARS & TRUCKS

FOOD STANDS, FLEA MARKET, TRACTOR PARADE

\$12 PRE-REGISTER, \$15 DAY OF SHOW

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CALL (717) 275-6842

PROCEEDS BENEFIT OUR COMMUNITY THROUGH THE EFFORTS OF THE ICKESBURG LIONS CLUB and ICKESBURG FIRE COMPANY