

*Serve With  
Heart*

*Jack Frost*  
**District Governor 11 D-1**  
*February, 2023*



Phyllis Pross, Newsletter Editor • 16424 Whitehead Dr., Linden, MI 48451  
Phone: 810-735-4288 • e-mail: pdpross@charter.net

**From District Governor Jack Frost**



**DISTRICT GOVERNOR**

Jack Frost  
309 Main St. Essexville 48732  
C 989-295-4714  
lionfrost84@gmail.com

**FIRST VICE GOVERNOR**

William Bauder  
7920 Mielke Rd. Freeland 48623  
H 989-695-9393 C 989-493-3407  
bauder\_william2005@yahoo.com

**SECOND VICE GOVERNOR**

Jonathan VanTol  
3433 Fairway Dr. Bay City 48706  
989-225-5047  
jvantol@svsu.edu

**CABINET SECRETARY**

Vaughn Begick  
5353 Lorraine Ct. Bay City 48706  
989-686-0578  
vaughnPAC@aol.com

**CABINET TREASURER**

Sandy VanTol  
3433 Fairway Dr. Bay City 48706  
989-225-4583  
slvantol23@gmail.com

**IMMEDIATE PAST  
DISTRICT GOVERNOR**

Duane Wilcox  
12337 S Jennings Rd. Linden 48451  
C 810-240-7535  
duanewilcox@rocketmail.com



District Website

**WINTER HAS FINALLY ARRIVED in Mid-Michigan!**

Whether the Groundhog sees his shadow on February 2<sup>nd</sup> or not, Spring will be here in about 6 weeks! We're tough Michiganders, but I'm sure we're all looking forward to that!

I'm looking forward to our District Convention at the Doubletree in Grand Rapids on April 14-16<sup>th</sup>, and I hope you can make it! Our Convention Chairs, PDG Dick DeLong and PDG Dennis Poirier have been working hard and we have a meeting this week to finalize plans. Read information below and register early! Rooms are only \$85 per night. You can always share a room and transportation costs! We are planning some FUN for Friday night!

I am designating Special Needs Vision Clinic in Saginaw, and Leader Dogs for the Blind, in Rochester, to receive equal shares of funds raised at the Convention. In addition, I am challenging all Lions to raise \$10,000 for those two projects, and if you reach the goal I will dance an Irish Jig at

the Convention. I will announce details on Lions Facebook pages, but in the meantime you may mail contributions to District 11 D-1 Treasurer, Sandy VanTol, 3433 Fairway Drive, Bay City, MI 48706.

Two more Lions have stepped up to leadership roles as Zone Chairpersons in Region 1: PP Scott MacKenzie for Zone One and PP Ed Reaume for Zone Two. Thank you Lions Scott and Ed! They will be working with Region One Chair Joe Gwizdala III, and they will be holding meetings in the near future. Please welcome them and support their efforts!

The current data from LCI shows 1080 members in our District, which is an increase over last month. Please keep up your efforts and let's get that number up to 1130 by the end of June!

*Yours in Lionism,  
Jack Frost  
DG, 11 D-1*

**SERVE WITH HEART!!!**

## REGION/ZONE CHAIRS

### REGION I Chair

Joe Gwizdala III  
Bay City  
1354 N. Union Bay City 48706  
989-684-9384  
Gwizdala1354@outlook.com

### REGION I ZONE 1 CHAIR

Position Open

### Region I Zone 2 Chair

Position Open

### Region II Chair

Tobias Webber  
Shields  
1132 Sue St. Saginaw 48609  
H 989-225-5362  
tobywebber@yahoo.com

### Region II Zone 1 Chair

Kenneth Krause  
Auburn Williams  
307 Hackney Trail Auburn 48611  
C 989-798-0001  
kenneth.krause@yahoo.com

### Region II Zone 2 Chair

Dan Houston  
Buena Vista  
2317 Whittier St. Saginaw 48601  
C 989-798-8940  
dhoustonsr1@gmail.com

### REGION III Chair

Dan Embury  
Linden  
8115 Lahring Rd. Gaines 48436  
810-955-8927  
jkisch01@yahoo.com

### Region III Zone 1 Chair

Gerald Whitney  
Montrose  
11182 Wilson Rd. Montrose 48457  
810-250-1131  
tiny11194@yahoo.com

### Region III Zone 2 Chair

Position Open



## From 1st Vice District Governor Bill Bauder



Hello Fellow Lions,

Wow, another month has shot right by again. I hope you all got that snow shoveled without any problems. Now that the cold is here, we can meet up and make plans for the upcoming year. Some of us are still out in the cold serving our communities. No matter the weather, Lions Serve.

We have our District Convention

coming up in April and I hope to see a lot of you there.

The Veterans Medical Center in Saginaw might be opening back up to let Service Groups back in to do bingo again. As soon as I hear more, I will let you know.

Well, stay warm and keep on serving.

*FVDG Bill Bauder*

## From 2nd Vice District Governor Jonathan VanTol



Lions!

A new year is upon us and the possibilities for service and community action are endless. Remember Your Club, Your Way. Find the projects your community needs and what YOUR membership wants to support. Won't be long and the weather will warm up as spring approaches.

Next up for us is the Lions of Michigan Forum. It will be held at the Grand Rapids Double Tree Hotel, February 24-25th. Sign up ASAP for great learning opportunities.

Then before we know it, the District Convention will be held April 14-16th at the Double Tree hotel in Grand Rapids. More great information and the ELECTION of next year's officers. Get your nominations in to the Nominating Committee so they can be put on the ballot.

In order for a Club's delegate to

vote at the District Convention, that club needs to be in good standing. Part of this is ensuring that a Club's District dues are PAID BY MARCH 31st. As of April 1st they will be declared DELINQUENT. In order to get back in good standing those dues need to be paid 15 days prior to the close of credential certification. Which will be hard to do with the Convention April 14-16th.

PLEASE, PLEASE get your District Dues in early so all delegates are able to vote. Those dues notices have been sent out by the Cabinet Treasurer. Lion Sandy has gotten many back, but many more need to be sent in.

Every Club deserves their voice to be heard at the District Convention. So it's UP to all Members to ask your Club officers if they have been sent in.

**Jonathan S VanTol**

# UPCOMING EVENTS

*see details inside*

Bear Lake Camp"  
**Polar Plunge & Dinner**  
February 18, Bear Lake

East Flint Auxiliary  
**Soup and Pie Supper**  
February 18, Flint

Lions of Michigan  
**Forum**  
February 24-25 Grand Rapids

**DISTRICT CONVENTION**  
April 14,15.16, Grand Rapids

Bear Lake Camp  
**Juvenile Diabetes Camp**  
Summer 2023

Bear Lake Camp  
**Baseball Game / Picnic**  
July 14



From Immediate Past District Governor Duane Wilcox



Wow! Has it been another month already. A little bit more snow and then spring will be here. So let's get our clubs ready for the busy season of fundraising.

At your next club meeting start talking about fun things to do together and the fundraising will be the easy part.

Don't forget about thinking of who would like to be your club's new officers. It's never too early to plan. Here are a few things coming up. Bear Lake Camp Polar Plunge on Feb 18th. Come out and have some fun with other Lions and

raise money for a great cause. Michigan Forum Feb 24-25th in Grand Rapids.

District Convention April 14-16th. Get registered early and book your room. Only \$85.00 per night.

If anyone would like to run for office, make sure you get your paperwork in. Also anyone wanting to be a chairperson of one of our great projects please contact Lion Bill Bauder or Lion Jonathan Vantol. They would greatly appreciate your help. Until next month your friendly fellow

*Lion Duane IPDG*

HUMBLE AND KIND

Dear Lion,

We invite you to attend the **9th Lions Golf World Cup**, February 28-March 5, 2023 in Andalucía, Spain. We are looking forward to hosting this exciting in-person event once again. Our guest of honor this year will be LCIF Chairperson, PIP Douglas Alexander, so come and enjoy golf with him and your fellow Lions.

You and Lions from around the world will compete in a tournament that benefits the Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF). Andalucía is a paradise for golf lovers, with more than 100 golf courses and an exceptional climate, sun and warm weather all year round. The 5\* Fairplay Golf & Spa Resort is next to Jerez de la Frontera, one of the most beautiful and historical cities of Spain, surrounded by great golf courses. It is also very close to Seville.

For more information about the 9th Lions Golf World Cup, please visit [www.lionsgolf.info](http://www.lionsgolf.info) (website is available in English only).

All proceeds will be donated to LCIF.

We look forward to seeing you in sunny southern Spain!

Register today

With best regards,

The Lions Golf Organizational Team

Director of Tournament: Golf Pro Dr. Volker Bernhardt (contact: [charity@drgolf.info](mailto:charity@drgolf.info))

Public Relations: Angelika Eisinger

LCIF Coordinator: Luis Domínguez (Past International Director 2009/11)

## Project Kidsight

by PDG Steven VanTol

It is time to plan for Kidsight screenings in your area. Have you contacted a preschool or daycare to screen some children. We have three cameras in the district available for Kidsight screenings which can be used inside a building. PDG Joe Bogar, Zone Chair Gerald Whitney and PDG Steven VanTol all have cameras. Let's get out there and screen children.

The Kidsight trailer for screening where an indoor location is not possible. The trailer is in Auburn and available to be used for screenings. Please coordinate your needs by contacting Lion Steven VanTol email lionstevvantol@gmail.com or phone 989-430-9500. The dates the Kidsight trailer is scheduled can be found on the district calendar located on the district webpage [www.lions11d1.com](http://www.lions11d1.com). So far the Flushing Lions and Bay City Lions have screenings planned for June of this year.

## Global Leadership Team (GLT)

PDG Steven VanTol

Lions International has learning opportunities online. If you have a MyLion account, go to the Learning center. Look at the classes offered for your personal growth. Every Lion can sign up for a lion account go to <https://www.lionsclubs.org/en> then click the "Member Login" tab to get the registration page. Need help? Just ask. I can assist or another lion can help you get started with a MYLion account.

## ZOOM

The district has a Zoom account which is available for any club or committee meeting. Send a request to this email: [district11d1@gmail.com](mailto:district11d1@gmail.com) to request a zoom meeting or call PDG Steven VanTol at 989-430-9500. Zoom meetings are scheduled on a first come basis.

## Lions of Michigan Foundation (LMF) District 11D1 Trustee Article

by Lion Sandy VanTol

The Lions of Michigan Foundation (LMF) Fund Development and Marketing Committee met on January 25, 2023 in Lansing. Here are some of the highlights from that meeting:

The 37th **Sight and Hearing Sweepstakes tickets** are available. This is an easy way

for your club to add to their funds. For 30-99 tickets sold, your club receives \$3.50 / per ticket, for 100-249 tickets sold, your club receives \$5.00 / per ticket, for 250 or more tickets sold; your club receives \$5.50 / ticket. There will be ten cash prizes ranging from

\$5,000 to \$100. There are also four seller incentives ranging from \$1,000 - \$100. Remember to mail them back early to be sure they arrive in Lansing before the deadline.

**Cookbooks** are still available at \$15 / book. Once 20 or more books are sold, your Club receives \$5 for each sold cookbook.

## Hall of Fame (HOF) Forms – Nomination forms are due around February 14, 2023

and must be signed by the District Cabinet Secretary. One living and one deceased member

from each District can be nominated. The HOF Banquet will be held on August 5, 2023 at

the Comfort Inn in Mt. Pleasant.

Information for the **Lions of Michigan Cruise** in early 2024 can be found on the flyers in this newsletter. Please note full payment is due by 11/1/2023.

If you have any questions or desire additional information about the LMF, please

**Register now for LDUN Nairobi or New York.**

## **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.**

**Register now**

**Friday, March 3, 2023**

**New York, New York, USA**

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

**Register now**

You don't want to miss the 2023 Lions Day with the United Nations in Nairobi, Kenya or New York City, USA! Come and meet Lions, Leos, partners and diplomats and participate in our exciting global partnership. This year's event will explore the impact of Lions' and Leos' service on improving health, nutrition and wellness in communities around the world.

Your LDUN registration includes:

- 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

Learn more

This email was sent to all Lions in the following US States: Connecticut, Delaware, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, all Lions in the following countries: Kenya, Somalia, Ethiopia, South Sudan, Uganda, Rwanda, Burundi, Tanzania, and Lions who received the Save the Date message and requested to receive updates for LDUN 2023.

## **Project Kidsight**

by PDG Steven VanTol

It is time to plan for Kidsight screenings in your area. Have you contacted a preschool or daycare to screen some children. We have three cameras in the district available for Kidsight screenings which can be used inside a building. PDG Joe Bogar, Zone Chair Gerald Whitney and PDG Steven VanTol all have cameras. Let's get out there and screen children.

The Kidsight trailer for screening where an indoor location is not possible. The trailer is in Auburn and available to be used for screenings. Please coordinate your needs by contacting Lion Steven VanTol email [lionstevenvantol@gmail.com](mailto:lionstevenvantol@gmail.com) or phone 989-430-9500. The dates the Kidsight trailer is scheduled can be found on the district calendar located on the district webpage [www.lions11dl.com](http://www.lions11dl.com).



**Lions of Michigan  
Forum**

**February 24 & 25**

**Doubletree in  
Grand Rapids**

# Cabinet Treasurer Communication

by Lion Sandy VanTol, CT

**Dues Invoices:** With the change from paper invoices to electronic invoices for the January – June 2023 dues, the invoices were e-mailed on January 16, 2023 to Club Presidents, Treasurers, and Secretaries with e-mail addresses on record. Thanks to the clubs that responded promptly. As of this writing, 17 clubs (45%) have sent in their payments. Please remember that the dues deadline is February 16. Your club must be paid up-to-date for your club's delegates / alternates to vote at the District Convention. Also, our District has an invoice due to the Lions of Michigan and your payments cover this expense. Your timely cooperation in sending in your payments is greatly appreciated.

**Parade of Checks:** If your club is planning to participate in the District Convention Parade of Checks, and no one from your club will be in attendance, it would be appreciated if you mail your checks so they arrive to me by April 10. With the increases in postage and the time required to organize, tally, and send your checks to the appropriate state and district projects, it would be wonderful to get the checks processed all at one time. As always, thank you for your generosity in supporting projects that help so many in our state

## District Newsletter and Communication JUST DO IT

The district newsletters are only being sent to those members who have signed up to receive the newsletter via email from the district web site. The signup page can be found on our website [www.lions11d1.com](http://www.lions11d1.com).

Have you signed up for the newsletter and feel you are not receiving the email? Check your trash and or spam folder. Also, add [district11d1@gmail.com](mailto:district11d1@gmail.com) to your email contact list.

Presidents and secretaries please sign up for the newsletter. Then ask your members if they are receiving the district newsletter from the district email. Please share this signup information.

Please encourage your club members to get the information direct. **JUST DO IT!!**



### "Soup and Pie" Supper

PREPARED BY: East Flint Lion's Auxiliary

WHERE: 4352 Crosby Rd.

Flint, MI 48506

DATE: Saturday, February 18, 2023

TIME: 4 - 7 p.m.

TICKETS: \$10.00 per person

Please join us for soups, salad, and pies!

Selling whole pies for \$10 each

JOIN US FOR SOUPS, SALADS, & PIES

# **11 D-1 District Convention**

**April 14, 15, 16, 2023**

**Doubletree Hotel in Grand Rapids**

## **2023 CONVENTION INFORMATION**

Lions of District 11-D1 – the convention committee and your Governor have been busy putting together an informative and fun time for the 2023 District Convention to be held in Grand Rapids at the Doubletree Airport hotel.

The theme for the convention will be.

The registration form also has a section to indicate whether an attendee is or has been in the military. There will be recognition at the noon luncheon.

There will be a \$2.00 voucher included in your packet for breakfast for each day.

As stated on the registration form the deadline for rooms and meals is **March 30<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

**THERE WILL BE A \$5.00 LATE FEE FOR ALL MEAL REGISTRATIONS AFTER March 30<sup>th</sup>.**

**To register on line copy and paste the below link to your browser:**

<https://www.hilton.com/en/book/reservation/deeplink/?ctyhocn=GRRaidt&groupCode=CDTXLC&arrivaldate=2023-04-13&departuredate=2023-04-16&cid=OM,WW,HILTONLINK,EN,DirectLink&fromId=HILTONLINKDIRECT>

If you wish to register by phone the number is **616-957-9072**. Call between the hours of **8:00 am and 4:00 pm Monday through Friday** and mention **District 11D1 Convention**.

Clubs wishing to have their own hospitality room must contact hotel at the above phone number in red to make arrangements.

If you have any questions contact PCC Dick DeLong at 989-753-9821 or PDG Dennis Poirier at 989-895-8857



## 2023 District Convention Registration

Please fill in all applicable information:

Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Lion Name: \_\_\_\_\_ email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse/Guest Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Registration fee (No fee for First Timers)

\$15.00 per attendee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Friday Night Meal \$19.00 per attendee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Saturday Lunch \$15.00 per attendee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Saturday Night Banquet \$26.00 per attendee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

---

Saturday Dinner Choices: Flank Steak \_\_\_\_\_ Trout \_\_\_\_\_

If you have any special meal requirements, please indicate what they are and we will do our best to accommodate your needs.

Friday night will be a buffet.

Club secretaries please duplicate this form and return one for each member or couple planning to attend the convention.

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE FOR MEALS AND ROOMS IS MARCH 30<sup>th</sup>, 2023.**

Send Meal registration with check made out to District 11 d-1 Convention to:

PCC Richard DeLong, 4571 Bittersweet Lane, Saginaw, MI 48604

**ATTENTION: THERE IS A \$5.00 LATE FEE for registrations received after March 30<sup>th</sup>, 2023.**







**LARRY L. EDWARDS**  
**PAST INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR**

Larry L. Edwards, from Altoona, Pennsylvania, USA was elected to serve as international director of Lions Clubs International at the association's 102nd International Convention, held in Milan, Italy, July 5 through July 9, 2019.

Past Director Edwards retired in 2016 after working 45 years in the banking industry. As a former bank executive he directed operational requirements for nine large bank mergers as well as developed new commercial banking product lines and their supporting technologies.

As a member of the Harris Township Lions Club since 2018, he first joined in 2005 as part of the Lakemont Lions Club. Past Director Edwards has held a number of offices within the association including multiple district council chairperson and as part of the multiple district State Convention Election Committee. He is also president of the Blair County Lions Sight Conservation Foundation.

In recognition of his service, Past Director Edwards has received numerous recognitions including several International President's Awards. Past Director Edwards is also a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow.

In addition to his Lions activities, Past Director Edwards is director of the Central Pennsylvania National Guard & Veterans Association, former treasurer of the Blair County United Way, and member of the Blair County Chamber of Commerce. Past Director Edwards is also an Eagle Scout and past board member and district chairman for Boy Scouts of America.

Past Director Edwards and his wife Susan, a Melvin Jones Fellow and a Lion of PA Fellow, have a daughter, son-in-law and two grandchildren living in Henderson, Nevada, USA.



## LIONS OF MICHIGAN HALL OF FAME OFFICIAL NOMINATION FORM

The LIONS OF MICHIGAN HALL OF FAME is a project of the Lions of Michigan Foundation. The purpose of the Hall of Fame is to recognize and honor those individuals who have had a significant impact on Lionism in Michigan and to preserve a memory and record of their service.

### SELECTION

A maximum of seven individuals may be selected annually for enshrinement into the Lions of Michigan Hall of Fame. The inductees shall include up to four living and two deceased individuals. Past International Directors will automatically be inducted at the end of their two year term as International Director, and each year, one Hall of Fame inductee will be selected by a special committee consisting of the current members of the Lions of Michigan Hall of Fame.

### SELECTION COMMITTEE

The primary Hall of Fame Selection Committee will be comprised of the members of the Lions of Michigan Foundation's Fund Development and Marketing Committee.

### NOMINATIONS

Nominations will be received annually, no later than March 1. All nominations must be made using the Nominating Forms provided by the Lions of Michigan Foundation. All portions of the Nomination Form must be completed in order for a nomination to be considered. A detailed Narrative for each Nominee should accompany the Nomination Form to provide the Selection Committee with additional information about the nominee. However, the Narrative shall have no numerical score.

Nominations may be initiated by an individual or individuals, a Lions Club or a District. Nominations must have the endorsement of the District Cabinet (**one nominee per category**) before they are submitted to the Foundation office. Individuals nominated and not selected, in any given year, may be nominated in a subsequent year through the endorsement of a current District Cabinet.

### INDUCTEES

Inductees and their spouse/guest will be invited guests of the Lions of Michigan Foundation at their scheduled induction ceremony. The time and location of the induction ceremony will coincide with the Foundation's Annual Meeting.

### RECORDS

The Lions of Michigan Foundation will be the official repository of records of the LIONS OF MICHIGAN HALL OF FAME. All records will be retained at the Lions of Michigan State Office.

Lions of Michigan Foundation - 5730 Executive Drive - Lansing, Michigan 48911  
www.lmsf.net (Web) - info@lmsf.net (Email) - 517-887-6642 (Fax)

NOMINEE: \_\_\_\_\_

LIONS CLUB: \_\_\_\_\_

DISTRICT: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

POINTS WILL NOT BE AWARDED FOR MULTIPLE TERMS IN A SPECIFIC OFFICE.

SECTION 1: LIONS MEMBERSHIP & EXTENSION	POINTS	POINTS GIVEN
YEARS OF SERVICE ( _____ )	1 PT. EACH YEAR	
NEW MEMBERS SPONSORED		
1 - 25 MEMBERS	10 POINTS	
26 - 50 MEMBERS	25 POINTS	
51+ MEMBERS	50 POINTS	
EXTENSION AWARD	25 POINTS	
GUIDING LION AWARD	25 POINTS	
<b>TOTAL POINTS FOR SECTION 1</b>		<b>0</b>

SECTION 2: LIONS CLUB SERVICE	POINTS	POINTS GIVEN
PRESIDENT	15 POINTS	
VICE PRESIDENT	10 POINTS	
SECRETARY	10 POINTS	
TREASURER	10 POINTS	
MEMBERSHIP CHAIR	10 POINTS	
BOARD MEMBER (OTHER THAN ABOVE)	5 POINTS	
<b>TOTAL POINTS FOR SECTION 2</b>		<b>0</b>

SECTION 3: DISTRICT LIONS SERVICE	POINTS	POINTS GIVEN
DISTRICT GOVERNOR	30 POINTS	
VICE, LIEUTENANT OR DEPUTY DISTRICT GOVERNOR	15 POINTS	
CABINET SECRETARY	15 POINTS	
CABINET TREASURER	15 POINTS	
REGION CHAIR	10 POINTS	
ZONE CHAIR	5 POINTS	
COMMITTEE CHAIR	5 POINTS	
ATTENDED A CONVENTION	5 POINTS	
<b>TOTAL POINTS FOR SECTION 3</b>		<b>0</b>

<b>SECTION 4: MULTIPLE DISTRICT LIONS SERVICE</b>	<b>POINTS</b>	<b>POINTS GIVEN</b>
COUNCIL CHAIR	35 POINTS	
VICE COUNCIL CHAIR	20 POINTS	
TREASURER	20 POINTS	
COMMITTEE CHAIR	15 POINTS	
COMMITTEE MEMBER	10 POINTS	
ATTENDED A CONVENTION OR FORUM	10 POINTS	
PRESENTED AT A CONVENTION OR FORUM	10 POINTS	
<b>TOTAL POINTS FOR SECTION 4</b>		0

<b>SECTION 5: INTERNATIONAL LIONS SERVICE</b>	<b>POINTS</b>	<b>POINTS GIVEN</b>
COMMITTEE CHAIR (Convention, USA/Canada Forum, Sight First, Etcetera)	25 POINTS	
COMMITTEE MEMBER	15 POINTS	
ATTENDED AN INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION	15 POINTS	
ATTENDED A USA/CANADA FORUM	10 POINTS	
PRESENTED AT A CONVENTION OR FORUM	10 POINTS	
<b>TOTAL POINTS FOR SECTION 5</b>		0

<b>SECTION 6: MD 11 &amp; SD 10 LIONS PROJECT SERVICE</b>	<b>POINTS</b>	<b>POINTS GIVEN</b>
PRESIDENT	25 POINTS	
VICE PRESIDENT	15 POINTS	
SECRETARY	15 POINTS	
TREASURER	10 POINTS	
BOARD MEMBER	10 POINTS	
COMMITTEE CHAIR	10 POINTS	
COMMITTEE MEMBER	5 POINTS	
<b>TOTAL POINTS FOR SECTION 6</b>		0

<b>SECTION 7: AWARDS &amp; HONORS RECEIVED</b>	<b>POINTS</b>	<b>POINTS GIVEN</b>
INTERNATIONAL AMBASSADOR OF GOODWILL	150 POINTS	
INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENTIAL AWARD	75 POINTS	
INTERNATIONAL LEADERSHIP AWARD	50 POINTS	
INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT'S CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION	25 POINTS	

INTERNATIONAL 100% DISTRICT GOVERNOR	25 POINTS	
LCIF - MELVIN JONES FELLOWSHIP	25 POINTS	
MD 11 - S.A. DODGE AWARD	50 POINTS	
LIONS OF MICHIGAN FOUNDATION – FELLOWSHIP – AWARD	50 POINTS	
LEADER DOGS FOR THE BLIND – FELLOWSHIP – AWARD	50 POINTS	
LIONS BEAR LAKE CAMP - FELLOWSHIP – AWARD	50 POINTS	
EVERSIGHT – FELLOWSHIP – AWARD	50 POINTS	
WELCOME HOMES FOR THE BLIND – FELLOWSHIP – AWARD	50 POINTS	
NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL AWARD RECEIVED	25 POINTS	
STATE/LOCAL GOVERNMENT AWARD	25 POINTS	
TOP LIONS SINGLE DISTRICT AWARD (Ralph Sheehan Award, Other _____)	20 POINTS	
<b>TOTAL POINTS FOR SECTION 7</b>		<b>0</b>

<b>SECTION 8: NON-LIONS SERVICE</b>	<b>POINTS</b>	<b>POINTS GIVEN</b>
STATE/LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD OFFICER (Mayor, City Council Chair, County Commissioner, School Board, Other _____)	25 POINTS	
STATE/LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD MEMBER	15 POINTS	
COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION – CHURCH – YOUTH ORGANIZATION LEADER (Scouting, 4-H, School, Church, Other _____)	10 POINTS	
COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION – CHURCH – YOUTH ORGANIZATION COMMITTEE MEMBER	5 POINTS	
<b>TOTAL POINTS FOR SECTION 8</b>		<b>0</b>

POINTS AWARDED: Section 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Section 2: \_\_\_\_\_ Section 3: \_\_\_\_\_ Section 4: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Section 5: \_\_\_\_\_ Section 6: \_\_\_\_\_ Section 7: \_\_\_\_\_ Section 8: \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL POINTS AWARDED: 0 \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that my District selected this nominee at an official meeting of our District Cabinet, and a quorum of voting members was present.

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature - Cabinet Secretary**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**District**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

# NARRATIVE

Please list the reasons why your nominee should be considered for membership in the Lions of Michigan Hall of Fame? Explain how your nominee has had a significant impact on Lionism in Michigan. Utilize additional pages as necessary.

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT LEGIBLY

One of the amazing things about working at Leader Dog is witnessing the dedication that team members have to the organization and the mission. As in decades of dedication. About 30% of the team has been here 15 years or more!

One of the people who exemplified this commitment is Keith McGregor, who started working at Leader Dog back in 1981 as a dog care attendant. He then began his apprenticeship to become a guide dog mobility instructor. It was during that time that Keith recognized an unmet need for a program that served people who were both blind and deaf.

With Leader Dog's support, Keith enrolled in a local college program to learn American Sign Language (in case you didn't know, ASL can be signed by touching a person's hand, or "tactile signing"), and through his passion the groundbreaking DeafBlind Guide Dog program at Leader Dog was born.



# Lions Bear Lake Camp

## "Sub-Zero Hero" Polar Plunge and Dinner

February 18th, 2023  
2:00 PM Jumper Check-In  
3:00 PM Polar Plunge  
5:00 PM Dinner

COME CHILL WITH US AND MAKE A SPLASH BY JUMPING IN THE LAKE TO RAISE MONEY FOR LIONS BEAR LAKE CAMP. DRESS UP AS YOUR FAVORITE SUPERHERO AND ENJOY A FUN FILLED AFTERNOON. JOIN OUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR FOR A POLAR PLUNGE, FOLLOWED BY A DELICIOUS DINNER.

### Costume Contest

Prizes for  
Best Costume  
Best Jump (no diving)  
and Crowd Pleaser

### Dinner Includes

Soup Bar  
Bread Bowls  
Salad Bar  
Hot Chocolate Bar  
Dessert  
Cash Bar

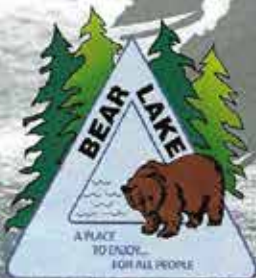
Warming tent available  
with hot coffee, tea, cocoa, cider.

Alcohol available for purchase.

50/50 Raffles  
Basket Raffles

\*Buy an event tumbler  
and receive 2 drinks  
tickets \$15

- \$20 Dinner for Spectators Only
- \$40 Pledge- Jump, Dinner, T-shirt
- \$100 or More- Jump, Dinner, T-shirt, Tumbler & 2 drink tickets
- \$250 or More- Jump, Dinner x2, Tumbler & Drink Tickets x2, T-shirts x2
- \$500 or More- Priority Jump, Dinner x2, Tumbler & Drink Tickets x2, T-shirt x2, Event Hoodie



Sign up online at  
[bearlakecamp.org](http://bearlakecamp.org)  
under the "Events" Tab

For More Information Contact  
Emily Chamberlain 517-927-2627

Chrissy Andre 989-627-3808 [chrissyandre113@gmail.com](mailto:chrissyandre113@gmail.com)

Traci Tribley 989-277-7437 [traci@bearlakecamp.org](mailto:traci@bearlakecamp.org)

\*\*\*Costumes are encouraged, birthday suits highly discouraged.\*\*\*



# George E. Daly Award

A George E. Daly Award has been established which is administered by a committee consisting of two (2) Past District Governors who are in their second and third years out of office District Governor and three (3) non-Lion members of the community selected by the two Lion members and approved by the District Cabinet each year on or before the midwinter cabinet meeting. The Past District Governors on this committee will act in an advisory capacity only and will have no vote in the selection of the candidate to receive the award. The non-Lion members shall have one vote each for the selection of the candidate. The Past District Governor serving the one-year term shall act as Chairman of this committee. In the event a Past District Governor of the second or third year out of office cannot serve they shall be replaced by a Past District Governor the next higher year out of office.

The committee will select a candidate for this award who must have:

- a. Been a Lion at least three years
- b. Had perfect attendance for the past three years
- c. Been a member in good standing of a Club in good standing in this District
- d. A Lion of high moral character.

Judging will be based on the following criteria:

- a. Offices and / or chairmanships in the Club
- b. Lions' projects participated in
- c. Accomplishments of this Lion in service to the community
- d. Accomplishments of this Lion in service to Lionism

Any Club that wishes to nominate a candidate for this award shall do so by submitting a form signed by the Club Secretary or President to the chairman of this committee listing the candidates' qualifications by deed and year occurred. The form for this award will be provided by the District. The Chairman of this committee will receive the nomination forms and remove the nominee's name, town and Club. He will then assign a number to the form. The voting members of this committee will vote on their choices. First, second and third choice with three (3) points for first choice, two (2) points for second choice and one (1) point for third choice. Nominees receiving zero points along with the nominee receiving the least number of points in each round dropped from consideration until only one nominee remains.

The District Governor and the voting members of his cabinet shall not be eligible for this award during their terms of office. No Past District Governor shall be eligible for this Award.

This Award will not be given if, in the estimation of the Committee, no one is worthy of the award that year.

No other award will be established in the District with any direct or indirect link to this award. The prestige of this award will be continually protected.

**APPLICATION FOR GEORGE E. DALY AWARD**

CANDIDATE NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR LAST THREE YEARS: \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL YEARS PERFECT ATTENDANCE: \_\_\_\_\_

A. OFFICES AND/OR CHAIRMANSHIPS HELD IN THE LIONS CLUB: Offices Held:

Committee Chairmanships:

B. LIONS PROJECTS PARTICIPATED IN:

C. ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF THIS LION IN SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY

D. ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF THIS LION IN SERVICE TO LIONISM:

CLUB PRESIDENT OR SECRETARY \_\_\_\_\_

The submission deadline is February 28, 2022.

The applications should be submitted to by mail or email to:

PDG Steven VanTol, 4851 Raymond Rd., Midland MI 48642 lionstevenvantol@gmail.com



## Lions Bear Lake Camp

We are super excited to be able to offer a Juvenile Diabetes Camp next summer! Please help us get the word out about this amazing o...

# LIONS BEAR LAKE CAMP JUVENILE DIABETES CAMP 2023

**JULY 23-29TH**

**YOUTH WITH TYPE 1 DIABETES  
AGES 5-16**

**LIONS BEAR LAKE CAMP**

3409 N Five Lakes Rd  
Lapeer, MI 48446



**Overnight camping experience for youth with T1D. Experience a fun filled week of activities, education, and nutrition, while building life long friendships, gaining confidence, and acquiring new skills.**

**ARCHERY . SWIMMING. BOATING. FISHING. CLIMBING TOWER. CHALLENGE COURSE. ZIPLINE. ARTS & CRAFTS. GAMES & MORE!**



**REGISTRATION OPENS JANUARY 1ST, 2023**

810-245-0726

[www.bearlakecamp.org](http://www.bearlakecamp.org)

[info@bearlakecamp.org](mailto:info@bearlakecamp.org)

# MINUTES

## District 11 D-1 Cabinet Meeting

1-8-2023 at 2:00 pm

Junction of Hope, 4136 Peet Road, Chesaning, MI 48616

District Governor (DG)	Present	Jack Frost
Immediate Past District Governor(IPDG)	Present	Duane Wilcox
First Vice District Governor (1 <sup>st</sup> VDG)	Present	Bill Bauder
Second Vice District Governor (2 <sup>nd</sup> VDG)	Present	Jon VanTol
Cabinet Secretary (CS)	Present	Vaughn Begick
Cabinet Treasurer (CT)	Present	Sandy VanTol
Region, I Chair (RC)	Absent	Joe Gwizdala III
Region one, Zone 1 Chair (ZC)		
Region one, Zone 2 Chair (ZC)		
Region II Chair (RC)	Present	Toby Webber
Region two, Zone 1 Chair (ZC)	Present	Ken Krause
Region two, Zone 2 Chair (ZC)	Present	Dan Houston
Region III Chair (RC)	Absent	Dan Embury
Region three, Zone 1 Chair (ZC)		
Region three, Zone 2 Chair (ZC)	Present	Gerald Whitney

Other Lions Present: Jeff Hunt, Steve VanTol, Vicki Rodriguez, Liz Gatica, Doris Amman, Ron Johnson, Alice Zajac, Shari Johnson, Bob Sturgis, Larry Porn, Dennis Poirier, Joe Bogar

Prior to the meeting, DG Jack Frost presented awards to GMT Alice Zajac and GET Dennis Poirier.

Pins were presented to Chairs of Committees-Jeff Hunt, Dennis Poirier, Duane Wilcox, Larry Porn, Bob Sturgis, Ron Johnson, Shari Johnson. Also, prior to the meal, a motion was made by Ken Krause with a second by Dan Houston to cover the cost of meals for all those in attendance. It passed.

Call to order-District Governor Jack Frost

Pledge of Allegiance-Jeff Hunt

Invocation-Jon VanTol

Roll Call of Voting Cabinet-A quorum was present.

Additions to the Agenda-Motion by Duane Wilcox with a second by Ken Krause to approve the agenda as presented. It passed unanimously.

Approval of the 10-9-2022, Cabinet meeting minutes-Motion by Jon VanTol with a second by Duane Wilcox to approve the minutes as printed. It passed unanimously.

Treasurer's Reports-Cabinet Treasurer Sandy VanTol-See attached report. Motion by Jon Vantol with a second by Bill Bauder to receive the Treasurer's report. It passed unanimously.

Region and Zone Reports

Region I Chair-Joe Gwizdala III-I will go back to visiting clubs as soon as I can get around better.

Zone One-Scott MacKenzie from the Bay City Club has been appointed to this position.

Zone Two-Ed Reaume from the Bay City Club has been appointed to this position.

Region II Chair-Tobias Webber- As fall came and went, I was busy

lining up club visits. It has been a privilege to meet and get to know the people in the trenches and at the heart of who we are as Lions. I have visited all the clubs and hosted a regional meeting. I was a little disappointed not only in the turn out for the Regional Meeting but the lack of RSVPs. It makes it a little hard to plan.

I found all the clubs actively serving their little niche and representing their District and the Motto: "We Serve" .Wishing all of you a year of service and good will

Zone One-Ken Krause-A visit to the Freeland Club was completed and a report submitted.

Zone Two-Dan Houston-A visit to the Montrose and Saginaw Clubs was completed and reported.

Region Three Chair-Dan Embury-Setting up Region 3 meeting mid-March 2023 - More details to come.

Zone One-Position available

Zone 2-Gerald Whitney- My visits to clubs are going well. I have visited the Linden Lions Club, their fundraiser is their Christmas tree sales, which went good for them. I have visited Fenton Lions Club and they have gotten quite a few new members and have been coming up with good fundraising ideas. I have visited the Gaines Lions Club and their fundraising goal was for a new roof for their club house, which went

good for they have a new roof. I have visited the Swartz Creek Lions Club and they are doing good with their fundraising for Leader Dog program. I have visited Lennon Lions Club at their gun raffle. I have Grand Blanc Lions Club they have been collecting eyeglasses as a fundraiser.

#### Committee Reports-2023

Convention Committee-PDG Dick DeLong and PDG Dennis Poirier-

The 2023 District Convention will be held in Grand Rapids at the Doubletree Airport Hotel on April 14th, 15th, and 16th. Early bird is April 13th. Registration forms and convention information is published in the governor's newsletter. The information in the newsletter is up to date. There will be updates in future newsletters. The room rate is held at \$85. DG Jack Frost is working on a theme for the convention.

2024 Convention Committee-PDG Alice Zajac and RC Toby Webber-Possibly Grayling or Cadillac.

Constitution and Bylaws-PDG Dick DeLong, Jeff Hunt, Alice Zajac, Rick Bigelow-No report. DG Jack Frost reported that the Bay City Lions Club had adopted a new Constitution and Bylaws recently.

Credentials-CS Vaughn Begick, PDG Ron & PZC Shari Johnson-A hard copy of delegates should go to Lion Dick DeLong along with Ron Johnson.

Elections-PDG Dick DeLong, Dennis Poirier- The election of Trustee to the Lions of Michigan Service Foundation will be held at the General Business Meeting to be held on Saturday, April 15th and the election of District Governor and 1st and 2nd Vice District Governor will be held on Sunday, April 16th. All nominating forms will be in the governor's newsletter and must be submitted to the Nominating Committee no later than 30 days prior to the convention. George E. Daley Award-PDGs Harold DeMott and Steve VanTol-Nominations are needed.

Nominating Committee-PDG Bill Erickson and PDG Ron Johnson-Due at least 30 days prior to convention. Thus far, Gerald Whitney has filed to run for 2nd Vice-District Governor.

Resolutions-PDG Dick DeLong-No report.

International Convention-Chairs: DG Jack Frost, 1st VDG Bill Bauder, 2nd VDG, Jon VanTol-The convention site is Boston, MA in late June. Lion DG. There are many sights to see in Boston per Jack.

MD 11 Convention-PDG Bob Sturgis-2023 Convention will be held in Muskegon May 18-20. It will be held at a new hotel there. The room rates will be a little higher, over \$100 per night. There will be no parking fee at the hotel. Trips to a submarine and LST in the harbor will be held. There will be a picnic on Thursday evening. They are trying to arrange to have the Lions All State Band there. The featured speaker will be Douglas Alexander, the Immediate Past International President. The theme is "Together We Can Be Extraordinary". There will be a sock drive. There will be a picnic on the ship for \$15. There will be secretary and treasurer training.

Michigan Forum PRC PZC Joe Gwizdala III-Feb. 24-25, 2023. Looking forward to having a great Forum. Please get your registrations in ASAP and see you in Grand Rapids.

USA Canada Forum-PDG-Bill Erickson-It will be held in Reno, Nevada this year.

Childhood Cancer-Darlene Anderson- We helped a Davidson family with home equity of \$490. Their son is in C.S.Mott Children's Hospital with Large Cell Lymphoma, due to chemo also developed mucositis. It was a financial & emotional struggle with him in hospital since Nov 29th. I am planning to hold zoom meeting with Childhood Cancer chairs within a month. Watch for more information on District Murder Mystery Fundraiser for Childhood Cancer hosted by GLBAS club on April 29th at the Great Hall in Midland. Need more help on committees.

Defense against Diabetes-Julia Embury and PDG Joe Bogar-No report.

Kidsight-PDG Steve VanTol-See page 5 of the January newsletter for the report.

Sickle Cell-Lion Ben Frazier and PZC Dan Houston-26 children were shopped for at Christmas at Meijer at \$60 each. Thanks for support from the District..District Governor's Newsletter and Lion Pride State Magazine-PCT Phyllis Pross-No report.

District Photographer-PDG Jeff Hunt-Photos from today will be online shortly.

District IT Committee Report-PDG Larry Porn-District IT Committee-No meeting was held at the State level. However, several emails were exchanged among the members. The Topic was using QR codes for donations. The Chairmans District and his assistant were working on a project to accomplish this objective for presentation to the Council of Governors at their meeting. Several of us wanted to provide more options to the fact more individuals were using credit or debit cards to pay for just about everything. We wanted to add to the presentation several additional ways that payment could be received. My Club uses a card reader and a cell phone to enter payments at various projects. Handing out a QR coded card after distributing a product does have drawbacks. We wanted all possible solutions presented. They were not!

Liaison-PDG Dick DeLong-No report.

Public Relations-Matt Tetloff and Allysa Born-No report.

Social Media-Matt Tetloff and Alyssa Born-No report

Leader Dogs for the Blind-PDG Ron Johnson and Kristin Shively-Struggling since pandemic.

Leader Dog Puppy Program-PRC Joe Gwizdala III-As always, we need puppy raisers.

Paws with a Cause-Ellen Pretzer-No report.

Eversight-IPDG-Duane Wilcox-Happy New Year Lions,

Eversight is doing well. Our next state committee meeting is on Jan. 23 at noon or the 26th at 5pm let me know if you would like a link to the meeting. They are both via zoom. An organ donor will speak there.

If you need to renew your driver's license, please think about becoming an organ donor.

Don't forget if you or someone you know needs help from Eversight. There is no waiting list currently.

Our District received a pin as a Sight Supporter by giving over

\$1500. Lion DG Jack Frost received the pin and placed it on our banner. There will be a June golf outing, and auction and wine tasting as fund raisers.

Hearing and Speech-Teresa Tetloff-No report.

Radio Reading Services-PRC-Doug Palmer-No report.

Special Needs Vision Clinic-PDG R. G. Barnum-A big THANK YOU to Lion Alice & Lion Joe for all the work they did. Thank you to all who bid on items & bought tickets for the raffle. Anyone have ideas of how we can make money for the Clinic? Call me R. G. Barnum 810/240/6028 Thank You,

Vision Services-PRC Joe Gwizdala III-Nothing new to report currently.

White Cane-PRC-Doug Palmer-No report.

All State Band-Position available-\$2500 will be needed for each band member for Boston. There is a new organization and they are getting information out. They hope to have 50-60 going to Boston. Donations are needed. A flyer will be coming out.

Bear Lake Camp-PDG Ron Johnson-There is a Polar Plunge on February 18, 2023, at Bear Lake. The flyer on the fundraiser has been mailed out and in the newsletter. There will be a dinner at Bear Lake on April 8 and tickets are available. There will be a board meeting then also.

Lion Deb VanTol visited with approximately 20 Frankenmuth young adults interested in LEOs. The LEOs in Frankenmuth are moving forward with plans in January 2023. The Frankenmuth LEOs have club and school advisors that organized the meeting and are planning to be part of the group. GREAT SUPPORT was observed for the Frankenmuth LEOs! Have Fun! The Handy, Bangor, And Auburn LEOs are continuing with service to the community while having fun. The Auburn LEOs have 26 new LEOs with most being inducted by 2nd Vice District Governor Jonathon VanTol at the December 6 meeting.

Youth Exchange-Deb VanTol- CONGRATULATIONS Isabella Wells! Isabella won the District 11D1 Essay Contest and has won \$2000 towards travel through LYEP. She has plans to spend time in Italy at a homestay and camp. Her sponsoring club is the Montrose Club. Additionally, Carma Dix from the Montrose Club is traveling with LYEP. She also has chosen Italy or possibly France as her destination. Both girls have already submitted applications and additional materials for submission in January 2023. As past State Chair for LYEP, Lion Deb VanTol is handling communication with the countries in lieu of the state chair. Remember: Any young person 16-22 can travel with LYEP. They don't need to be a LEO or have family connections with a Lion. The time is right now to get the International LYEP Guidebook. Lion Deb VanTol (text 989-430-1824) would be happy to send through email the Guidebook/ brochure, application, and set up a virtual visit with parents/guardians and the young adult to answer questions.

District GLT (Global Leadership Team)-PDG Steve VanTol-See the GLT report on page 4 of the January newsletter.

District GMT- (Global Membership Team)-PDG Alice Zajac-No report.

New Voices-Mary DeMott-No report

District GST- (Global Service Team)-PDG Joe Bogar-Collection boxes for glasses are a good service project.

Global Extension Co-Ordinator Team-PDG Dennis Poirier- Discussions are continuing to restart the Essexville Lions Club. Scholarship awarding will be restarted in Bay City.

Honorary Committee-IPDG Duane Wilcox and all PDG's residing in the district-No report.

Hunger-PDG Dennis Poirier- Food Giveaways are being held at the Salvation Army in Bay City once a month starting in March again. 1<sup>st</sup> VDG Bill Bauder reported that 6 food giveaways are being held each year in Freeland.

LCIF- (Lion Clubs International Foundation)-PDG Bob Sturgis- Lion Bob has been working on LCIF for 37 years. \$325 million was raised in the last campaign. There are 5 model clubs in our District which is the most of any District in the State.

Lions of MI Foundation-Trustee 1yr. CT Sandy VanTol, Trustee 2 yr. and Foundation President PDG Steve VanTol-See report on page 4 of the January District newsletter.

Strategic Planning-Voting Members of the Cabinet: A special meeting may be scheduled.

Unfinished Business-Bond Insurance-Lion CT Sandy VanTol reported that she has been requesting bids on insurance for officers. Right now, only the Treasurer and Convention Chair are bonded. One other company she checked has a lower premium with better coverage. Our current insurance contract is over on 6-30-2024. After discussion, it was decided to consider switching carriers next year.

New Business-Gift Donation for Michigan Forum prizes-Region 1 Chair Joe Gwizdala III who is on the Michigan Forum committee has requested a donation from the District for Forum drawings. After discussion, a motion was made by Vaughn Begick with a second by Ken Krause to donate \$50 to the Michigan Forum for prizes. The motion passed,

Closing Comments-1<sup>st</sup> VDG Bill Bauder-Glad to see everyone and he will be looking for Region and Zone Chairs.

2<sup>nd</sup> VDG Jon VanTol-Good to see everyone. He is learning about the office. DG Jack Frost-Reporting of Service is important. He has a goal of 100%. Membership also needs to increase. Thanks to the Cabinet and Committee members for their help.

Announcements-

Adjourn- A motion by Jon VanTol with support by Ken Krause. It passed unanimously.

Next Cabinet Meeting- Friday, April 14, 2023, Doubletree at the Airport. Grand Rapids

Respectfully submitted,  
Lion Vaughn Begick, Cabinet Secretary



CASS CITY LIONS

Chocolate

Easter Bunny Sale

EASTER Sunday April 9 2023

GREAT NEWS!! SAME PRICE as 2022!

Price structure for this year.

6 oz. Milk or Dark Chocolate, 18 Bunnies/Case @ \$60.00

3 oz. Milk or Dark Chocolate, 24 Bunnies/case @ \$44.00

Mix n Match type and sizes

They Do Not offer Sugar Free.

Bunnies will have Lions stickers attached again

Ordering Deadline: Feb. 20, 2023, 1200 Noon

Anticipated Delivery: First weekend of March

Pick-Up: Our site will advise.

Contact: Gary Jones- 989-912-0610, gdjones3957@gmail.com or  
K. Martin: 989-670-1115

Thanks for your consideration/Order



2ND ANNUAL LIONS CLUB-LIONS BEAR LAKE CAMP  
FUNDRAISER



BASEBALL  
GAME

July 14, 2023

& PICNIC

Utica Unicorns  
vs.  
Westside Woolly  
Mammoths

\$36

Price includes pregame  
buffet and 2 drinks  
Buffet is 6:00-7:30

## Roster

### corrections/

Page 8 Joe Gwizdala's email address is  
Gwizdala1354@outlook.com

Page 28 Debbie Baker is president of the  
Frankenmuth Lions  
951 Eastgate Drive, Frankenmuth 48734  
989.245.6689  
email: deborahschaardbaker@gmail.  
com

Page 42 Jack Frost's email should be  
lionfrost84@gmail.com

Page 43 The correct address for  
Radio Reading Services should be:

Radio Reading Services  
Director: Brad Walker  
404 Wilson Road #212  
East Lansing, MI 48824  
517.353.9124

# Lions Around the District

**Caro Lions:** shown is a photo of our Club President and Secretary on an Annual Brat Run. Each year we travel (maybe numerous times) to various places and hit ALL the Brat stands we can. This year we went to Frankenmuth's Winterfest and hit 4 Brat stands, rating them on a list with the Best at the top. Willi's won the top spot on this trip. We are open to grow the group of participants that love to eat Brats.FYI...just a fun thing we do.Thanks, Lion Wayne



*Caro continued*

and 2 Boys teams. Totaling over 160 kids in the program. Our team Coaches are all Volunteers, usually a parent of one of the kids on the team. As you can see on the schedule, a Clinic is offered and run by the Caro Boys Varsity Coach each Saturday morning at 9am. Then the games start at 10, 11, and noon on 2 courts in the High School and 1 court in the Middle School. Area teams show up to play each Saturday as well as our teams travel to their school. Thew participating schools this year are North Branch, Mayville, Bad Axe, Birch Run, Harbor Beach, Vassar, Our Lady of Lake Huron (OLLH), Millington, Reese, and USA.

The photos attached show our Schedule, a picture of the 3rd thru 6th grade players and Coaches, Concession sales table, and a brief write-up by our Basketball Board President about the program that is different from my additional info.

Caro Lions Club Basketball program. We sponsor grades 1 thru 6. Other area schools sponsor their own area youth basketball programs but Caro has not, so the Lions Club stepped up. 1st and 2nd grade has 60 kids Boys and Girls combined (making 6 teams) involved and they have 1 practice and games against each other each week at Highland Pines School. 3rd and 4th grade has 1 Girls team and 3 Boys teams, 5th grade has 1 Girls team and 1 Boys team, 6th grade has 1 Girls team



**Flushing Lions Club** has been working with the Masonic Lodge to help a 55-year-old man who had both legs amputated

above the knees due to complications from Hemophilia and diabetes. He needed a ramp to get into his house which the two organizations were working to provide. The Masonic Lodge was able to take care of that project, but the entrance to the bathroom had two doorways that he could not get his wheelchair through to use the facility. The two doorways were only 26 inches wide. The Lions club purchased the materials and provided some help for a local carpenter named Dave Brownrigg to open the inner door and replace the outer door with a 3-foot-wide door. This



Game	Class 1	Class 2	Away games	Mobile School
Jan 8	High School	High School		High School
Jan 15	High School	High School		High School
Jan 22	High School	High School		High School
Jan 29	High School	High School		High School
Feb 5	High School	High School		High School
Feb 12	High School	High School		High School
Feb 19	High School	High School		High School
Feb 26	High School	High School		High School
Mar 5	High School	High School		High School
Mar 12	High School	High School		High School
Mar 19	High School	High School		High School
Mar 26	High School	High School		High School
Apr 2	High School	High School		High School
Apr 9	High School	High School		High School
Apr 16	High School	High School		High School
Apr 23	High School	High School		High School
Apr 30	High School	High School		High School
May 7	High School	High School		High School
May 14	High School	High School		High School
May 21	High School	High School		High School
May 28	High School	High School		High School
Jun 4	High School	High School		High School
Jun 11	High School	High School		High School
Jun 18	High School	High School		High School
Jun 25	High School	High School		High School
Jul 2	High School	High School		High School
Jul 9	High School	High School		High School
Jul 16	High School	High School		High School
Jul 23	High School	High School		High School
Jul 30	High School	High School		High School
Aug 6	High School	High School		High School
Aug 13	High School	High School		High School
Aug 20	High School	High School		High School
Aug 27	High School	High School		High School
Sep 3	High School	High School		High School
Sep 10	High School	High School		High School
Sep 17	High School	High School		High School
Sep 24	High School	High School		High School
Oct 1	High School	High School		High School
Oct 8	High School	High School		High School
Oct 15	High School	High School		High School
Oct 22	High School	High School		High School
Oct 29	High School	High School		High School
Nov 5	High School	High School		High School
Nov 12	High School	High School		High School
Nov 19	High School	High School		High School
Nov 26	High School	High School		High School
Dec 3	High School	High School		High School
Dec 10	High School	High School		High School
Dec 17	High School	High School		High School
Dec 24	High School	High School		High School
Dec 31	High School	High School		High School
Jan 7	High School	High School		High School
Jan 14	High School	High School		High School
Jan 21	High School	High School		High School
Jan 28	High School	High School		High School
Feb 4	High School	High School		High School
Feb 11	High School	High School		High School
Feb 18	High School	High School		High School
Feb 25	High School	High School		High School
Mar 4	High School	High School		High School
Mar 11	High School	High School		High School
Mar 18	High School	High School		High School
Mar 25	High School	High School		High School
Apr 1	High School	High School		High School
Apr 8	High School	High School		High School
Apr 15	High School	High School		High School
Apr 22	High School	High School		High School
Apr 29	High School	High School		High School
May 6	High School	High School		High School
May 13	High School	High School		High School
May 20	High School	High School		High School
May 27	High School	High School		High School
Jun 3	High School	High School		High School
Jun 10	High School	High School		High School
Jun 17	High School	High School		High School
Jun 24	High School	High School		High School
Jul 1	High School	High School		High School
Jul 8	High School	High School		High School
Jul 15	High School	High School		High School
Jul 22	High School	High School		High School
Jul 29	High School	High School		High School
Aug 5	High School	High School		High School
Aug 12	High School	High School		High School
Aug 19	High School	High School		High School
Aug 26	High School	High School		High School
Sep 2	High School	High School		High School
Sep 9	High School	High School		High School
Sep 16	High School	High School		High School
Sep 23	High School	High School		High School
Sep 30	High School	High School		High School
Oct 7	High School	High School		High School
Oct 14	High School	High School		High School
Oct 21	High School	High School		High School
Oct 28	High School	High School		High School
Nov 4	High School	High School		High School
Nov 11	High School	High School		High School
Nov 18	High School	High School		High School
Nov 25	High School	High School		High School
Dec 2	High School	High School		High School
Dec 9	High School	High School		High School
Dec 16	High School	High School		High School
Dec 23	High School	High School		High School
Dec 30	High School	High School		High School
Jan 6	High School	High School		High School
Jan 13	High School	High School		High School
Jan 20	High School	High School		High School
Jan 27	High School	High School		High School
Feb 3	High School	High School		High School
Feb 10	High School	High School		High School
Feb 17	High School	High School		High School
Feb 24	High School	High School		High School
Mar 3	High School	High School		High School
Mar 10	High School	High School		High School
Mar 17	High School	High School		High School
Mar 24	High School	High School		High School
Mar 31	High School	High School		High School
Apr 7	High School	High School		High School
Apr 14	High School	High School		High School
Apr 21	High School	High School		High School
Apr 28	High School	High School		High School
May 5	High School	High School		High School
May 12	High School	High School		High School
May 19	High School	High School		High School
May 26	High School	High School		High School
Jun 2	High School	High School		High School
Jun 9	High School	High School		High School
Jun 16	High School	High School		High School
Jun 23	High School	High School		High School
Jun 30	High School	High School		High School
Jul 7	High School	High School		High School
Jul 14	High School	High School		High School
Jul 21	High School	High School		High School
Jul 28	High School	High School		High School
Aug 4	High School	High School		High School
Aug 11	High School	High School		High School
Aug 18	High School	High School		High School
Aug 25	High School	High School		High School
Sep 1	High School	High School		High School
Sep 8	High School	High School		High School
Sep 15	High School	High School		High School
Sep 22	High School	High School		High School
Sep 29	High School	High School		High School
Oct 6	High School	High School		High School
Oct 13	High School	High School		High School
Oct 20	High School	High School		High School
Oct 27	High School	High School		High School
Nov 3	High School	High School		High School
Nov 10	High School	High School		High School
Nov 17	High School	High School		High School
Nov 24	High School	High School		High School
Dec 1	High School	High School		High School
Dec 8	High School	High School		High School
Dec 15	High School	High School		High School
Dec 22	High School	High School		High School
Dec 29	High School	High School		High School
Jan 5	High School	High School		High School
Jan 12	High School	High School		High School
Jan 19	High School	High School		High School
Jan 26	High School	High School		High School
Feb 2	High School	High School		High School
Feb 9	High School	High School		High School
Feb 16	High School	High School		High School
Feb 23	High School	High School		High School
Feb 29	High School	High School		High School
Mar 6	High School	High School		High School
Mar 13	High School	High School		High School
Mar 20	High School	High School		High School
Mar 27	High School	High School		High School
Apr 3	High School	High School		High School
Apr 10	High School	High School		High School
Apr 17	High School	High School		High School
Apr 24	High School	High School		High School
Apr 30	High School	High School		High School
May 7	High School	High School		High School
May 14	High School	High School		High School
May 21	High School	High School		High School
May 28	High School	High School		High School
Jun 4	High School	High School		High School
Jun 11	High School	High School		High School
Jun 18	High School	High School		High School
Jun 25	High School	High School		High School
Jul 2	High School	High School		High School
Jul 9	High School	High School		High School
Jul 16	High School	High School		High School
Jul 23	High School	High School		High School
Jul 30	High School	High School		High School
Aug 6	High School	High School		High School
Aug 13	High School	High School		High School
Aug 20	High School	High School		High School
Aug 27	High School	High School		High School
Sep 3	High School	High School		High School
Sep 10	High School	High School		High School
Sep 17	High School	High School		High School
Sep 24	High School	High School		High School
Sep 30	High School	High School		High School
Oct 7	High School	High School		High School
Oct 14	High School	High School		High School
Oct 21	High School	High School		High School
Oct 28	High School	High School		High School
Nov 4	High School	High School		High School
Nov 11	High School	High School		High School
Nov 18	High School	High School		High School
Nov 25	High School	High School		High School
Dec 2	High School	High School		High School
Dec 9	High School	High School		High School
Dec 16	High School	High School		High School
Dec 23	High School	High School		High School
Dec 30	High School	High School		High School
Jan 6	High School	High School		High School
Jan 13	High School	High School		High School
Jan 20	High School	High School		High School
Jan 27	High School	High School		High School
Feb 3	High School	High School		High School
Feb 10	High School	High School		High School
Feb 17	High School	High School		High School
Feb 24	High School	High School		High School
Mar 3	High School	High School		High School
Mar 10	High School	High School		High School
Mar 17	High School	High School		High School
Mar 24	High School	High School		High School
Mar 31	High School	High School		High School
Apr 7	High School	High School		High School
Apr 14	High School	High School		High School
Apr 21	High School	High School		High School
Apr 28	High School	High School		High School
May 5	High School	High School		High School
May 12	High School	High School		High School
May 19	High School	High School		High School
May 26	High School	High School		High School
Jun 2	High School	High School		High School
Jun 9	High School	High School		High School
Jun 16	High School	High School		High School
Jun 23	High School	High School		High School
Jun 30	High School	High School		High School
Jul 7	High School	High School		High School
Jul 14	High School	High School		High School
Jul 21	High School	High School		High School
Jul 28	High School	High School		High School
Aug 4	High School	High School		High School
Aug 11	High School	High School		



# Lions Around the District

*Flushing continued*

*Montrose continued*

became a challenge, as the house was over a century old and there were layers of various construction materials making the walls very thick and requiring the door casings to be modified on the three-foot door and the inside door to have its casing completely removed and replaced with trim to cover the defects in the multi layers of construction. An electrical switchbox also had to be moved to properly trim out the doorway. The access to the bathroom was easily accessible after the changes. The job is not finished as some additional trim is needed, the lock set needs to be installed and the door needs to be stained. Photos are included as shot from the interior of the bathroom. The Lions paid for the materials and provided some of the work. The ramp is also pictured. That also needs some additional work as the ice from the awning is falling on the ramp.



Also shown is the Christmas tree in the City's Park which the Lions Club provided \$1,200 of ornaments for.

Our treasurer's wife Mary Lou Kellett passed away from Liver cancer on August 17

and was very active in education. She worked with the Senior Center to provide an exercise program with an unusual drumming exercise. When COVID hit the center, and only 10 individuals were allowed in the facility at a time she took them to recognize Riverview Park and taught them outside. The Lions Dedicated a picture of her to the Senior Center to recognize her support for the group. Lion Fred, her husband, died three months later of esophageal cancer. Lion Larry Porn Flushing Lions Secretary

**Montrose Lions Club** help set up the Santa Store at the Montrose Orchard for the giving out of Christmas gifts to the children in need in the Montrose area. With the help of community and all the donations we were able to help make Christmas a happy one for 169 children in the Montrose area.



**Shields Lions Club** sponsored a blood drive at the Thomas Township Library. Club Treasurer Bill Roasa is shown donating along with other Club members. Bill is being supported by Club members who donated their time to make the drive successful.

