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bygoneacres@gmail.com

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Rock n' Roar







Pursuing New Horizons with International President, Gudrun Yngvadottir

Dear Lions,

As a Lion, you have an opportunity to help prepare the next great generation of volunteers. That's why supporting and collaborating with Leos and other young people in your community is so important.

These young men and women are already doing so much to help us deliver on our promise to make the world a better place. So consider planning a project with Leos or young people to help them develop new skills and new passion for service, or even starting a Leo club of your own. When you do, you'll help the leaders of tomorrow be service leaders today.

In friendship,

Gudrun Yngvadottir

Your International President





The New Voices Initiative celebrates women's contributions to Lions Clubs International as it welcomes its first female International President. This initiative promotes gender parity by focusing on increasing the number of women in Lions Clubs, as well as closing the gap between men and women in leadership positions. There are four key focus areas.

LEADERSHIP

We are the largest service club organization in the world for a reason. We are committed to developing great leaders, innovating at every level of Lions, and harnessing technology that will expand and drive our humanitarian service. We're not satisfied with being the biggest. We want to be the best.



District Governor Michael Tyler February 2019



Hello Lions.

It's hard to believe that just in a few weeks' time we will be upon our District Convention. I hope to finish all 57 club visits by February 28, 2019 and by March 7th I'll have attended each of our 11 Zone Meetings at least once. However, I know how hard all our clubs work so rest assured I've tried to make this year's Convention fun.

Friday night we will have a friend of mine on piano with a "Howl at the Moon" style fun packed hour. All of our hospitality rooms for our Governors will be open. Saturday we will show appreciation for our PDG's, Cabinet Members, and Lion Ron Derry as our guest speaker for lunch and he will explain the "Good Program". Later with will meet with International Director Mark Lyons and his wife Lion Lynn. Then my band "Unglued" will play for an hour before we open the Governors hospitality rooms yet again to finish the night.

Sunday will start with a necrology service put on by our wonderful 2nd Vice District Governor Carol Snyder and her husband Jeff. I certainly hope everyone can attend so we can pay our respects to those we've lost this year. PDG Ted Filmer will officiate the necrology service. Then our Grand Banquet will start complete with tuxes.

I hope many of you are able to attend as I hope to fill the entire weekend with family, friends, Lions, and fun.

Hope to see you there, District Governor Michael Tyler





1st VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR REPORT - FEBRUARY 2109



This is my 7th report as District 13-OH4 1ST Vice District Governor. I hope that everyone is surviving this January snow & cold snap. District Governor Mike Tyler's year seems to be flying by. I've been very busy with my training for District Governor for 2019-2020. I have been having DGE training at every Ohio Lions Council of Governors meetings including the one scheduled for February 9th. Then I will be heading to Saint Charles, Illinois on Monday, February 11 thru the 15th, for our District Governor Elect Training. This is a first time trial as prior to this year you did all your training at the International Convention. This year we will do 3 days in Saint Charles and I day in Milan Italy on July 5th, 2019. January 18-20th I attended the Winter Retreat at Maumee Bay. If you haven't been to one you need to.

We had our 3rd MD13OH4 Long Range Planning meeting in Cortland on January27th at 2:00 PM. We are working to restructure the GAT & the LRP committees. We will not have a GAT meeting in January or February prior to the District Cabinet meeting on February 10th, 2019 (Originally scheduled for February 17th) at Deerfield Town Hall. I would like to thank those Lions that have stepped up to be on these two important committees.

I'm in the process of filling my District Cabinet positions for the 2019-2020 Lions year. If you are currently on the District Cabinet or are interested in being on my Cabinet in 2019-2020 please let me know of your intent. I know that I will need Zone Chairman for Zone's 4, 6, 7, 8, & II. Please step up to help continue to make ours one of the best District's in Ohio MD 13.

I look forward to serving District Governor Mike Tyler and visiting all 29 Region I Clubs. Let's make 2018-2019 a monumental year for District MD13OH4. It's Great to Be A Lion!!!

Yours in Lionism,

IVDGE Tony DeLuke





2nd Vice District Governor Report - February, 2019



District Lions:

This past month has been a busy one, with more to come! Since the holidays I have been pleased to visit 2 single club meetings in our district plus one combined meeting of 2 clubs. As always, It has been great to meet all these active Lions and hear about their various service projects. Even the smallest clubs have amazing impact on their communities.

With my position as second vice I will be sitting in on the third Council of Governors' meeting next weekend. It's good to be able to slowly absorb all the actions and issues discussed by these fine Lion leaders.

PDG Jeff and I truly loved being able to attend the Annual Winter Retreat at Maumee Bay Lodge. It's such fun to gather with Lions from our district and from all over the state. In spite of missing a few session leaders (due to the terrible storm) we were able to enjoy sharing together ideas both Lion and "non-Lion." You should consider attending next year.

I attended the last Long Range Planning meeting last week and the next cabinet meeting will be soon. We have awesome leaders in OH 4, so you can be assured we are doing our best to lead our district into 2019. If I haven't visited your club yet, I will be doing so in the next weeks, so I will have touched base with all the Region 2 clubs before the convention. I'd also like to visit another couple of Leo clubs, as I have not yet been able to do so.

Speaking of the convention, it will be here before we know it. I look forward to seeing many of you there. Keep serving in the busy months ahead.

Lion Carol Snyder
Second Vice District Governor czs50@aol.com



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Who was the mystery Santa for the City of Willoughby this Holiday Season!!!

Here's a clue..... He needed a pillow!!!

DG MIKE you're a great Lion and Santa!!!

Plan for Milan! July 5-9, 2019

- ☑ Mark your calendar now for the LCI Convention in Milan, Italy in July 2019.
- ☐ Register for the Convention early to enjoy the lower registration rates offered at the LCI Convention in Las Vegas, or before December 31st.
- ☐ Visit the drpattihill website to learn about our Candidate and
 - Register as a volunteer to help onsite in Milan
 - Keep in touch with the online newsletters
 - Become a Club Campaign Reporter, letting your local Lions know about the Campaign progress
- ☐ VISA Do you need a tourist visa for Italy? There is a link on the drpattihill.com site so that you can check this out.
- ☐ Book your air travel → or ground travel early
- ☐ Learn more at the LCI CON 2019 webpage



- - - ATTENTION - - ALL DISTRICT 13 OH4 LIONS CLUBS

Voting of proposed amendment during the upcoming annual district convention In compliance with District I3 OH4 Constitution and By-Laws, notice is hereby given as per Article VI, Section 8 of the Constitution that consideration by a formal voting ballot will occur. Voting session, for this consideration, will occur (sometime) during Saturday's business meeting to accept or decline the issue as presented.

District 13 OH-4 By-Laws Amendment: March 16th, 2019 to be presented to the delegates.

To amend the By-Laws, Article IV, Section 3

By adding to the list (Parade of Checks) Pediatric Cancer Research and make no other language changes.

Rational for approval:

In support of, endorsement and commitment by the Lions of District 13 OH4 to a program evolving from a "visionary" project by the 2017-2018 MD13 Council of Governors and now a service commitment by Lions Club International.

The 2017-2018 Cabinet of District 13 OH4, just as each Lions Club, is obligated to further the purposes of LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL, amended Policy #6 to recognize Pediatric Cancer Research in order to seek the endorsement of our own Districts Lion Clubs.

This would enhance the support and have a "direct" direction of donations.

DISTRICT OH-4 Ballot Issue #1

Shall the Lions of District 13 OH-4 amend the By-Laws of Article IV,
Section 3 – to include Pediatric Cancer Research to the Parade of
Checks.

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FIRST CALL TO CONVENTION WITH

GOV. MIKE & LION ANGIE TYLER



OHIO LIONS DISTRICT 13 OH4 CONVENTION MARCH 15, 16, 17, 2019 MCKINLEY GRAND HOTEL CANTON, OHIO



District Governor, Mike Tyler invites all Lions, Lioness and Leos to attend the 3rd Annual District 13 OH4 Convention. There will be good fellowship, educational forums, entertainment, hospitality rooms, banquets, luncheons and a lot of FUN.

We will begin on Friday, March 15, 2019 with registration from 3:00 PM till 5:45 PM. The Convention will open at 6:00 PM with the opening ceremonies, a meal and Entertainment will be held in the Grand Ballroom. This will allow you the opportunity to meet new friends and renew old acquaintances. The Hospitality rooms will be open after the entertainment. Saturday will be devoted to Educational Forums, District Business Meeting and there will be a Luncheon for all Lions and Spouses. Hospitality Rooms will begin at 9:00 PM. Sunday there will be a Church Service, Memorial Service, and the Grand Banquet with our International speaker ID MARK LYON. International Director Mark is from Brookfield, Connecticut.

WE ASK EACH CLUB TO DO THE FOLLOWING:

- Send a list of names of all deceased members since our last year's Convention for our Memorial Service on Sunday. This is for ALL Clubs whether your Club is coming to the convention or not.
- Select your Delegates and Alternates now! You get One Delegate and one Alternate for every ten members in your club or major fraction thereof.

REGISTRATION FEES

Lions or Spouse	Entire Convention (Saturday Cabinet Dinner Not Included) \$82.00 This includes Friday Buffet, Saturday Breakfast and Luncheon, Sunday Breakfast and Grand Banquet, All Convention functions, Entertainment and Hospitality Rooms.
Lions or Spouse	Friday Night Buffet Only
Lions or Spouse	Saturday Luncheon Only
Lions or Spouse	Sunday Grand Banquet Only\$28.00

All tickets will be issued in registration packets and all persons wishing to attend must register in advance.

No tickets will be sold at the door for any meal Functions.

Deadline to register for Hotel & Convention will be February 19, 2019

(SEE OTHER SIDE)

PARKING; free parking is included with FULL REGISTRATION, in the adjoining parking garage across from the hotel. You will receive an additional ticket at the hotel desk upon registering, both tickets will be needed to exit parking garage.

ROOMS: \$85.00 Per night including Taxes.

This price is only if your hotel registrations are made and paid through the Convention Chairman. The Reservations and money must be sent to the Convention Chairman in order to get this price.

ALL REGISTRATIONS must include member's title, name and spouse's title and full name. If you are bringing a friend, please list his/her full name.

Full registration fee must be sent with the registration forms. Names will not be registered for the convention until the fees are received. Registration must include member's full name and spouse's full name. If you bring a friend, please list his/her full name.

Deadline to register for Hotel & Convention will be February 19, 2019

Please do not send in Hotel Registration without convention registration forms.

NO PARTIAL PAYMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED

All Registration Forms with fees are to be sent to:

PDG Ron Clifton 302 Ewing Road Youngstown, OH 44512 (330) 540-6724

(330) 540-6724

Make all checks payable to: District OH4 Convention Fund

Cutoff Date for <u>Cancellation or Refunds</u> is March 1, 2019. <u>No Refunds after that date.</u> This applies to rooms and registration.

Again this year, we will have assigned seating at the Sunday Grand Banquet; tables will be assigned according to the postmark on your paid registration.

Hospitality rooms must be paid to the Convention Chairman and the check made payable to District OH4 Convention Fund. The rates are \$85.00 per night and must be reserved for both nights

Friday night theme and attire is: "ROCK AND ROAR"

DRESS UP AS YOUR FAVORITE MUSIC ENTERTAINER OR INSTRUMENT

PRIZE FOR THE BEST DRESSED MALE AND FEMALE











OHIO LIONS DISTRICT 13 OH4 CONVENTION REGISTRATION FORM MARCH 15, 16 & 17, 2019

CLUB NAME

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO DISTRICT OH4 CONVENTION FUND & SEND FORM WITH CHECK TO: PDG Ron Clifton, 302 Ewing Road, Youngstown, OH 44512

RESERVATION DEADLINE IS FEBRUARY 19, 2019

LIST ON THIS FORM ALL MEMBERS, SPOUSES AND GUEST THAT ARE ATTENDING ALL OR PART OF THE CONVENTION. PLEASE NOTE IF SPOUSE IS A LION, ETC.

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Duplicate forms can be downloaded off the District Web Site (NO Cancelations/refunds after March 1, 2019) SEND <u>FULL AMOUNT</u> DUE WITH THIS FORM TO THE CONVENTION CHAIRMAN SEE OTHER SIDE FOR HOTEL REGISTRATION

HOTEL REGISTRATION FORM

MARCH 15, 16 & 17, 2019

320 Market Ave. S Canton, Ohio

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PDG Ron Clifton, 302 Ewing Road, Youngstown, OH 44512

WILL GUARANTEE RESERVATIONS FOR THE CONVENTION. YOU WILL BE PAYING THE CONVENTION CHAIRMAN. LIST BELOW THE NAMES OF ALL MEMBERS WHO WISH TO RESERVE A ROOM AT THE MCKINLEY GRAND. THIS IF YOU DO NOT CANCEL YOUR ROOM BY MARCH 1ST YOUR HOTEL RESERVATION WILL NOT BE REFUNDED

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3rd ANNUAL OHIO LIONS DISTRICT 13-OH4 CONVENTION OFFICIAL DELEGATE AND ALTERNATE FORM MARCH 15, 16, 17, 2019

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OHIO LIONS DISTRICT 13 OH4 2018/19 CONVENTION LIST OF DECEASED MEMBERS FOR MEMORIAL SERVICE SINCE OUR LAST CONVENTION

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NAME OF CLUB:	Send to: PDG Ron Clifton 302 Ewing Road Youngstown, OH 44512	This form is used to list members who have passed away since the last Convention	ased Memb			

The Ohio Lions State Youth Committee is sharing the following information provided to us by the Lions Pin Traders Club of Ohio. State Youth Committee contact: PCC Darlene Roll (youth@ohiolions.org or 419-371-5515).

Lions International Trading Pin Club (LITPC) Youth Scholarship Applications

Scholarship applications are available for graduating seniors who are the child or grandchild of a Lion, Lioness or a member of a Leo Club. The Scholarship Guidelines, Application Form and Acknowledgement form can be found on the LITPC web site at the following URL: www.litpc.org

The most important aspect of the Youth Scholarship Program is to help a young person pursue his/her education and follow their dreams.

The LITPC takes great pride in fulfilling the motto of Lions Clubs International, "WE SERVE". During the SightFirst II Campaign, the pin traders contributed US\$144,000 to LCIF. Our Scholarship Program is another example of the pin traders' slogan, "Lions First".

We encourage all graduating seniors who are the children/grandchildren of Lions or Lioness members or who are members of Leo Clubs to participate in our Scholarship Program.

Selection of the scholarship recipient will be based on academic achievement, an essay stating the student's goals, a statement of reason(s) for applying and an overview of work, community and school service, and letters of recommendation. Applications and supporting documentation are to be completed and submitted to the pin trading club scholarship chairman named below by March 1, 2019.

The Scholarship Guidelines, Application Form and Acknowledgement form can be found on the LITPC web site at the following URL: www.litpc.org

Applications need to be mailed to the Ohio Lions Pin Traders club secretary at the following address:

PID Steven D Sherer 1090 Thomas Drive SW New Philadelphia, Ohio 44663

For the Ohio Lions Youth Committee, PCC Darlene Roll, committee chair





It's A Portage County Lions EUCHRE Night on the Ist Friday of each month Doors Open 5:30pm – Cards Start at 6:30pm Cost: \$ 2.00 Person * Bring a snack or drink to share

Where: Rootstown United Methodist Church 4065 St. Rt. 44 *The Corner of St. Rt. 44 & Tallmadge Rd Between NEOCUM and Fire Station

This is a Community Event....Everyone is invited!

Come as you are - no partners or teams needed

Questions: Call/Text Lion Jill Reitz 330-931-8028

KENT LIONS CLUB

PANCAKE FESTIVAL

SUNDAY MARCH 3, 2019

8:00 A.M. TO 1:00 P.M.

STANTON MIDDLE SCHOOL CAFETERIA Assisted by DELTA GAMMA SORORITY

Proceeds To
KENT LIONS CLUB
COMMUNITY
PROJECTS

FREE Glaucoma Screening Available

Adults: \$7.00 Children 10 & Under: \$3.00 Pre-Sale \$5.00

BRING YOUR OLD EYE-GLASSES & HEARING AIDS TO OUR LIONS COLLECTION BOOTH ON PANCAKE DAY "WE SERVE" that they may see.



The Sebring Lions Club are selling ceramic Lions mugs.

The cost is \$5.00 each. To place an order please contact PCC Chuck Allcorn at 330-938-1566







WINDHAM LIONS PANCAKE BRUNCH

MAR 3

The Windham Lions will host an all-you-can-eat pancake brunch at The Brick Chapel on 9001 N. Main Street, Windham. Brunch consists of pancakes, eggs, sausage, toast and beverage.

Cost at the door is \$7.00 Pre-sale ticket is \$6.00

Time: 8:00 am to 12:00 pm

3rd ZONE	<u>DATE</u>	<u>HOST</u>
I	February 20	TBD
2	March 5	Ashtabula
3	February 21	Lordstown
4	February 27	Crestwood
5	February 21	Suffield
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7	February 19	Boardman
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10	March 7	Jackson Twp
11	February 21	New Waterford

Cabinet Meeting Host Club

February 10, 2019 Magnolia

Deerfield Town Hall
1450 State Route 14
Deerfield, OH 44411

Kimberly Gibbs Owner (513) 290-3735 cell (513) 681-3218 office (513) 791-0246 fax 4005 Lansdowne Ave. Cincinnati, Ohio 45236 www.bluefrogpromo.com bluefrog@bizcinci.rr.com

GIGGLES and GROANS

What's the perfect thing to say to a coffee-lover on Valentine's Day?
"Words cannot espresso what you meant to me!"

Q: What's the best thing about Valentine's Day?

A: The day after when all the chocolate goes on sale!

CLUB ACTIVITIES

Mark Your Calendar 2018-2019



MAR 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 - CANFIELD LIONS CLUB FRIDAY NIGHT FISH DINNERS

This event is held at A La Carte Catering at 429 Lisbon Street, Canfield. Main Course dinners choice of Haddock (baked or fried), Macaroni & Cheese, or Haluski with Pierogi and choice of side dishes, dessert and beverage. Served from 4:30 pm to 7:30 pm. Cost: \$12.00 ea.

MAR 3 - WINDHAM LIONS CLUB ANNUAL PANCAKE BRUNCH

For more information see the flyer on page 14.

MAR 3 - KENT LIONS CLUB ANNUAL PANCAKE BRUNCH

For more information see the flyer on page 13.

MAR 23 - NORTH CANTON LIONS CLUB ANNUAL SPRING CRAFT SHOW

The North Canton Lions Club will hold a Spring Craft and Artisan Show on Saturday, March 23 2018 from 9:00 am until 3:00 pm at the North Canton Hoover High School. Contact Lion Bill Humphrey at 330-497-1694 or bhumphrey@att.net for more information.

DISTRICT OH4 & STATE ACTIVITIES

Mark Your Calendar 2018-2019

MAR 15 - 17 - OH4 DISTRICT CONVENTION

McKinley Grand Hotel in Canton, OH

MAY 17 - 19 - MD 13 STATE CONVENTION

Embassy Suites in Dublin, OH

Lion Patti Gauch 11048 Parkman Road Garrettsville, OH 44231



