

Lion Pride Through Service



2019-2020

International President

Dr. Jung-Yul Choi

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

**To Lead, We Must First
Ask How We Can Serve**

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Greetings Lions!

“You can lead a horse to water, but you can’t make him drink.” Have you heard this saying? This is supposed to speak to the limits of persuading people to do things that may be good for them. But, I see differently.

I say maybe the horse wasn’t thirsty.

Maybe the horse was hungry. Or tired. Or maybe he had a sore tooth that needed treatment. Often, when we assume we know what is best for someone, we are wrong.

Good leaders do not just lead people to water. They ask them what they need and bring it to them. I call this servant leadership.

As Lions, we are all leaders. And it’s our responsibility to listen to those we serve and do everything in our power to get them the tools they need so that they can in turn serve the cause. In my year as leader of the Lions, I will be continually asking those I meet how I can help them to be better Lions. I ask you to do the same.

If you are a district governor, ask your club presidents what they need to bring in more members. If you are a club president, ask your members how you can help them have the best experience as a Lion. And if you are a Lion, reach out to the community. Ask them what they need. And then bring it to them.

That is how we will become leaders in charge of the world.

Sincerely,

Dr. Jung-Yul Choi





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District Governor Tony DeLuke September, 2019



District 13 OH4 Lions,

This is my second report as District Governor. The first 2 months have flown by. We had our first Council of Governors meeting August 2-3 in Grove City near Columbus. I was auctioneer at our Friday night dinner and we raised over \$2,500 for Pilot Dogs. We also had our first District Cabinet Meeting on Sunday August 11, 2019. It was a great meeting and we had 49 in attendance. Thanks to the Kent Lions for helping me host the meeting. You are awesome! I had club visitations to the Wellsville Lions (Picnic), Magnolia Lions, Canfield Lions (Luau), Sherrodsville Lions (Picnic/45th Charter Anniversary and the Willoughby Evening Lions Club. Thanks for being so gracious and welcoming.

I also attended Zone 11 Chairperson Janet Christen's first Zone meeting hosted by the West Point Lions in Lisbon. We also had our first GAT/LRP meeting led by our IVDG Carol Snyder in Uniontown. Thanks to the Uniontown Lions for helping us find a venue. We also had a head start on eye screening in the District. The District Lions had a booth setup at the Portage County Randolph Fair led by Zone 4 Chairperson Jill Reitz and at the Canfield Fair led by PDG Ted Filmer. Great work and thanks to all who helped out at these venues.

On August 28th we had our District Scrappers game at the Mahoning Valley Scrappers Stadium in Niles. We had a great turnout of Lions, family & friends. It was a beautiful night for baseball and we made money for our Melvin Jones Eye Care Foundation. Thanks to Lion Dee Pamer who made it all possible!

One of my goals for the year besides service is to increase our membership in our District. So stay tuned for an announcement of our District Membership Initiative in the next month. The more Lions we have the more Lions we have to "Serve"! Looking forward to visiting all the clubs in the District. I will be in touch with you Presidents & Secretaries.

Respectfully,

Tony DeLuke, District Governor



First Vice District Governor Report September, 2109



Hello Lions of OH 4,

Fall is peeking around the corner, easy to anticipate on cool days like this one. Some of our clubs have been on a bit of a vacation during summer, while others have accomplished lots of service through hours spent at festivals and fairs in addition to their more "standard" projects. Congrats on a job well done! August involved quite a few events for me with our Lions district and state leaders: first the Council meeting at the state office, followed by our cabinet meeting at Deerfield then the Long Range Planning meeting about a week ago. Each group deals with reporting "missions accomplished" and planning for the future. No matter what the committee or club, in different ways we all approach ideas of how to make our Lions a more vibrant, growing group, productive in serving people near and far.

My theme for the year is "Clarity of Vision," which I will consider in each article I write and during each club visitation I make. Together with DG Tony and 2VDG Judy, I will encourage our clubs in visualizing ways to increase our membership and service. We have done so much during recent months and years, but we always can improve. All three of us welcome input from club members on how best to do that. I anticipate some great visits to clubs in Zones "to the North" in the next few weeks. Hope to see many of you soon.

In Lionism,

1VDG Carol Snyder
czs50@aol.com



Second Vice District Governor Report September, 2109



Hello Lions of the great district OH 4!

This is my second report for our newsletter to fill you in on the district's events!

August has been a gearing up month as many clubs have limited activities during the summer due to vacations and set community projects already in full swing. I have been a bit busy as well caring for my bionic husband who had a pacemaker installed. He is doing great and thank you all for your prayers!

I have been busy setting up a visitation schedule and am looking forward to meeting the Lions of Region II especially. So far I have enjoyed a corn roast with the New Middletown Lions and look forward to visiting my club's sponsoring club of Austintown in September. Most of my visitations will take place after the high school volleyball season as I am busy with a full schedule of games for 2019 as an OHSA and PAVO Certified Official. This activity will need to take a back seat after this season!

As our year kicks off, I am asking each Lion to work on bringing in a new member to the Lions Family. As your delegate to State Finance & Planning for OH 4, I am hearing discussions of two items of importance. Dues increase and redistricting again! In order to avoid these two items, we need to increase our membership. Just think! If all 11,000 plus Lions of Ohio each sponsored a new Lion our membership would be over 22,000 plus! End of discussion! I challenge you each to work on that friend you have considered asking and encourage them to commit to being part of the "Best Service Organization of the World"

One last item of thought. If you are a proud Lion, consider replacing your car license plate with the Lions Plate. You do not need to wait until your birthday month as the cost will be pro-rated accordingly. Let's flood the roadways with a reminder that we are proud Lions serving our communities. Also our State Lions Foundation benefits from this purchase.

Have a great September!

In Lionism,

Lion Judy Young
District OH-4 2nd Vice Governor



LION Magazine Reducing Print Issues in April



In April, the International Board of Directors voted to require all official editions of LION Magazine to print at least two issues per year beginning in July 2020, which means that LION magazines around the world will soon be printing fewer issues. We will print four issues of this edition during the 2019-2020 Lion year, and two issues beginning in July 2020.

The board considered that the original intent of LION Magazine, which began publishing in 1918, was to provide timely updates to members. Today, the board believes digital communication channels such as email, the lionsclubs.org website, the international blog, social media, and MyLion are better equipped to provide those updates.

LION magazine is committed to telling the life-changing stories of Lions and will continue to do so both in print and digital formats.



Application for Advertisement Space in the 100th Annual Ohio Lions State Convention Commemorative Program

Please reserve space for us in the 100th Annual Ohio Lions State Convention Commemorative Program. We understand that acceptance of this contract and advertising space is subject to the approval of the Ohio Lions Inc. and that the Convention Host Committee is not responsible for errors or omissions beyond reasonable diligence and control. Copy of advertisement or camera ready copy is herewith submitted with payment no later than March 15, 2020.

RATES

Business Card Advertisement (2 1/2" x 2" horizontal – black & white).....	\$25.00
Fourth Page Advertisement (5"x2" horizontal – black & white).....	\$50.00
Half Page Advertisement (5"x4" horizontal – black & white).....	\$75.00
Full Page Advertisement (5"x8" vertical – black & white).....	\$100.00
Full Page Advertisement (5"x8" vertical – Full Color)Inside Front.....	\$125.00
Full Page Advertisement (5"x8" vertical – Full Color)Inside Back.....	\$125.00
Full Page Advertisement (5"x8" vertical – Full Color)Back Page.....	\$150.00

All checks & money orders payable to OHIO LIONS INC. Please specify on the memo line that the payment is for a Convention Program Advertisement.

Enclosed is a check or money order in the amount of \$_____ covering full payment for our advertisement.

Name/Company/Club: _____ District _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ E-mail: _____

Authorized Signature Date

Send this form, payment and camera ready advertisement to:
PDG Jim Ferritto 178 East Parkway, Madison, Ohio 44057
440-223-6138 james.ferritto1955@gmail.com

Ads will be reproduced as close to the artwork that is provided. Printer will use discretion if necessary to improve the quality.

Please provide email address if you would like to see a proof _____

Thank you for your support!

The Ride of Your Life!

\$20.00 per ticket

Hope for 20/20



Packages
valued at
\$5,000.00

TWO (2)
FULL PACKAGE
WINNERS WILL
BE DRAWN!



Lions Clubs Rose Parade Float 2020

\$20.00 per ticket!

A chance to

BE A RIDER ON THE LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL FLOAT ON JANUARY 1, 2020
IN PASADENA, CALIFORNIA!

Includes:

- 2 night stay at the Rosemead Double Tree Hilton for two,
- 1 Grandstand Seat for one guest,
- 2 Tickets to the International President's Reception,
- 2 Tickets for New Year's Eve Brunch,
- Tour of the Float Barn
- Transportation between the Rosemead Double Tree Hotel to events noted above **INCLUDED!!!!**
 - Winners transportation to Pasadena/Rosemead Double Tree Hotel **NOT INCLUDED**

For tickets or more information, contact PDG BOB SUSAETA @ 714-692-9118

Visit the LFI website at: lionsrosefloat.com

Email: lionsfloatinc@gmail.com

Drawing will be held November 16, 2019; winners will be contacted, **IMPORTANT**, please be sure to **LEGIBLY** fill in name and contact information on the Ticket Stub!

Winners do not have to be a Lion.

Scholarship Opportunity



Attention: High School Juniors and Seniors

Ohio Lions is celebrating its 100th birthday and would love for you to be a part of it!

Ohio Lions is looking for a current high school junior or senior to create a Public Service Announcement (PSA) to spread the word about Ohio Lions.

To enter you must create a script for a 30 second audio PSA encouraging people to get involved with their local Lions Club.

The winning PSAs will be used by Ohio Lions to spread the word about Lionism. The creator of the winning PSA will receive a \$500 scholarship, the runner up will receive \$300 to continue their education after high school.

Ohio Lions is a division of Lions Clubs International. Since 1920 Ohio Lions have been serving their communities and being knights of the blind. Today there are 12,000 members in over 400 clubs located in the state of Ohio.

The submission form can be found at: <https://bit.ly/2VwYyG2>

All submissions must be received no later than: December 1, 2019

Any questions or concerns reach out to: Michael Gibbs at ohloco@hotmail.com

More Information on the history of Lions Clubs International and Ohio Lions can be found at: www.lionsclubs.org and www.ohiolions.org

Lions Clubs International is the largest service club organization in the world. Our 1.44 million members in more than 46,000 clubs are serving in over 200 countries and geographic areas around the globe. Since 1917, Lions have strengthened local communities through hands-on service and humanitarian projects, and we are able to extend our service impact through the generous support of our Lions Clubs International Foundation. We are focused on supporting sight, hunger, the environment, childhood cancer and our new global cause, diabetes, to help address some of the biggest challenges facing humanity. Lions have set an ambitious goal of helping 200 million people per year so we can bring even more service to more people than ever before. For more information about Lions Clubs International visit lionsclubs.org.

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"Service thru Leadership"
Ohio Lions
Global Leadership Team

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August, 2019

Dear Aspiring Lion Leader,

We are pleased to inform you that the MD 13 GLT will once again be offering a "Regional Lions Leadership Institute" to the Lions of Ohio. Levels I and II will be limited to thirty participants each.

The Lions Institutes are indeed the "Ivy League" of leadership training. The institute at both levels will be a three-day immersion into developing and improving your leadership skills. This training will not only help you in your work with Lions, but also in your profession and your life.

This institute is designed solely to enhance your leadership skills. It will not be about fund raising, membership, or service projects. It will be held Friday, October 18 thru Sunday, Oct 20, 2019. Attendance is required for all three days.

The cost to participants is \$185.00. The total institute cost per participant is over \$350. Your only other expenses will be your incidentals and transportation to and from. Your hotel room and 2 dinners and 3 lunches will be paid in full by MD 13 GLT. Grants from LCI and funds from the MD-13 GLT committee allow you to attend for approximately half of the institute cost.

We invite all Level I graduates to enroll in the Level II program. Encourage Lions in your clubs and district that may be stepping up to club or district offices to enroll in the RLLI Level I. We assure you that it will be well worth your time and involvement.

Your application can be filled out and submitted via email to MDS Debbie at ohiolions@gmail.com or mailed to MDS Debbie Luttrell at the Ohio Lions State Office, 4074 Hoover Rd., Grove City, Ohio 43123. A deposit of \$75.00 must accompany your application for the application to be accepted.

We are proud to be able to offer this opportunity to the Lions of Ohio and look forward to receiving your application. If you have questions, feel free to contact any member of the Executive Committee or your District Coordinator.

Sincerely,

PDG Jay Carey
MD 13 GLT Coordinator

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REGIONAL LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE Level 1 and Level 2

Level One

1. Zone Chairs, club officers and all other Lions are eligible to enroll in the Level 1 Leadership Institute
2. Lions who have attended previous Leadership Institutes are not eligible to participate in Level 1
3. Basic degree of computer competency
4. Must attend all 3 days of the institute
5. Demonstrate a willingness to serve in a leadership role in the Lions organization
6. Eligible if currently serving as a District Governor, First or Second Vice District Governor or active PDG.

Level Two

1. Must have attended a Regional Lions Leadership Institute or an Emerging Lions Leadership Institute
2. Eligible if currently serving as a District Governor, First or Second Vice District Governor or active PDG.
3. Basic degree of computer competency
4. Must attend all 3 days of the institute
5. Demonstrate a willingness to serve in a leadership role in the Lions organization

CRITERIA FOR MD-13 LIONS REGIONAL LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

For Level One and Level Two

1. All applications must be received at Ohio Lions State Office **NO LATER THAN September 23, 2019** to be considered. Member and club number are available on your membership card or from club secretary.
2. **A NON REFUNDABLE deposit of \$75 is required to be sent with the application.** Payment instructions for the remaining balance will be sent with acceptance letter. Payment of full registration fee will be required by September 23rd to be enrolled in the RLLI program. Please make checks payable to Ohio Lions, Inc with RLLI on Memo line.
3. Applications may be completed on line at the MD-13 Ohio Lions website www.ohiolions.org by selecting the **GLOBAL LEADERSHIP TEAM** button. Payment may be made by selecting the Pay Pal button on the Ohio Lions website. When completed, press **SUBMIT**.
4. Paper applications may be completed and mailed **ALONG WITH YOUR DEPOSIT CHECK** to MDS Debbie Luttrell, Ohio Lions State Office at 4074 Hoover Road, Grove City, Ohio 43123.
5. Participants will share a room at the hotel. A single room is available by paying the difference of \$125 for the 2 nights. Please advise if you desire a single room with your application.

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MD 13 Global Leadership Team Regional Lions Leadership Institute

October 18 – 20, 2019
Double Tree Hotel, Worthington
Level One Agenda

PENDING LCI APPROVAL

Friday, October 18, 2019

8:00 – 9:00	Registration
9:00 – 10:00	Opening Session
10:00 – 12:00	Lions Fundamentals
12:00 – 1:00	Lunch
1:00 – 3:00	Public Speaking
3:00 – 3:15	Break
3:15 – 4:15	Personal Mission Statement
4:15 – 5:15	Preparation for speech
6:30 – 8:00	Dinner

Saturday, October 19, 2019

8:30 – 10:00	Motivating Club members
10:00 – 11:30	Diversity
11:30 – 12:30	Lunch
12:30 – 2:30	Setting and reaching Club Goals
2:30 – 2:45	Break
2:45 – 4:15	Working in Teams
4:15 – 5:45	Time Management
6:30 – 8:00	Celebration Dinner
8:30 – 9:30	Speech Preparation

Sunday, October 20, 2019

8:30 – 10:30	Public Speaking Presentations
10:30 – 10:40	Break
10:40 – 12:15	Image – Is it Important?
(Three groups to rotate through 30 minute Discussions)	Identifying and Developing leaders
12:15 – 1:15	Leadership
1:15 – 2:45	Lunch
	Closing /Questions / Evaluations

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MD 13 Global Leadership Team
Regional Lions Leadership Institute
October 18 – 20, 2019
Double Tree Hotel, Worthington Level
Two Agenda

PENDING LCI APPROVAL

Friday, October 18, 2019

8:00 – 9:00	Registration
9:00 – 10:00	Opening Session
10:00 – 12:00	Strategic Planning
12:00 – 1:00	Lunch
1:00 – 3:00	Leadership Styles
3:00 – 3:15	Break
3:15 – 4:15	Public Speaking – Instruction
4:15 – 5:15	Basic Mediation Techniques
5:15 – 6:15	Preparation for speech
6:30 – 8:00	Dinner

Saturday, October 19, 2019

8:30 – 10:00	Utilizing Available Resources
10:00 – 11:30	Leaders Can't Do It All
11:30 – 12:30	Lunch
12:30 – 2:00	Conducting Effective Meetings
2:00 – 3:30	Signature Projects
3:30 – 3:45	Break
3:45 – 5:15	Enhancing Your Lions Profile in Your Community
5:15 – 6:00	Speech Preparation
6:30 – 8:00	Celebration Dinner
8:30 – 9:30	Speech Preparation

Sunday, October 20, 2019

8:30 – 10:30	Public Speaking Presentations
10:30 – 10:40	Break
10:40 – 12:15	Small Group Focused Discussion - Application
12:15 – 1:15	Lunch
1:15 – 2:45	Closing / Questions/ Evaluations

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***MD-13 Ohio Lions GLT Committee
Regional Lions Leadership Institute 2019***

PLEASE CHECK DESIRED COURSE LEVEL: LEVEL ONE _____ LEVEL TWO _____

Name: _____ Gender: (M/F) _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Telephone: _____

District: _____ Club: _____

Year Joined Lions: _____ Lions Membership No: _____ Club No: _____

You may use the reverse side for more room, if necessary, answering the following:

List leadership roles in your club/district: _____

List leadership roles in your community: _____

Why are you applying for this institute? _____

Where do you see yourself in Lions in five (5) years? _____

Deposit Submitted: _____ Check # _____ Credit Card Type: Visa/MC/Amex _____

Card # _____ Valid Thru _____ Authorization Code _____

I request Private Room: _____ Y/N Private Room Cost of \$125 will be due by September 23, 2019

I agree to attend all sessions from Friday, Oct 18 thru Sunday Oct 20, 2019.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Chorus for a Cause will be celebrating their 10 year anniversary this year!



As part of the celebration, 2 concerts are planned that will share proceeds with our Melvin Jones Eye Care Foundation and others. Donations are based on attendance.

September 28, 2019

Community Christian Church

210 N Main Street, Canton, OH 44720

Doors open at 3:30 PM, concert begins at 4:00 PM

September 29, 2019

St. Stephen Martyr Lutheran Church

4600 Fulton Dr. NW, Canton, OH 44718

Doors open at 6:00 PM, concert at 6:30 PM



Tickets are \$15, available at the door and on-line at: achorusforacause.org

Your Lions are as unique as the people you serve. And that's what makes them so special. The same is true for Lions around the world.

Just look at us. We have more than 48,000 clubs around the world, and every one is different. We are 1.4 million members, and each is unique. Some members are young, and some are lifelong volunteers. We all bring different talents and experience to our service.

When we recognize the contributions of all members, we unlock our true potential. Because together we are stronger. And only together can we change the world. Dr. Jung-Yul Choi



KENT LIONS CLUB
CARNATION DAYS
Nov. 1, 2019
 (Friday)
Nov. 2, 2019
 (Saturday)



\$12.00 Per Dozen
 FREE DELIVERY TO DESIGNATED AREAS

Assisted by DELTA GAMMA SORORITY	CONTACT: JIM STROBLE CO-CHAIRMAN 330-678-5847 TONY DELUKE CO-CHAIRMAN 330-730-3117
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Proceeds To
KENT LIONS CLUB
COMMUNITY PROJECTS

"Whenever you are about to find fault with someone, ask yourself the following question, what fault of mine most nearly resembles the one I am about to criticize."
 Marcus Aurelius



Type 1 diabetes is an autoimmune disease that strikes children and adults suddenly. It has nothing to do with diet or lifestyle. You cannot prevent it—and there is currently no cure. If you have type 1 diabetes, you must constantly monitor your blood-sugar level, rely on injected or infused insulin and carefully monitor your eating and activity. It's a serious and stressful disease to manage.



What: Lions at JDRF Walk - Helping turn type one diabetes into type none.
Team name is Lions at Akron-Cleveland.

When: September 29, 2019
Check-in is 8:30 am
Start is 10:00 am



Where: Cuyahoga County Fairgrounds located at 10201 E. Bagley Road, Middleburg Height, OH 44130

Who: Lions, Leos, Friends - all are welcome.

Details: Length of walk is 1.3 or 2.3 miles.

Go to <http://www2.jdrf.org/goto/LionsAkron-Cleveland> to join the team or donate.

For more information on registrations or donations, contact:

Lion Ernie Richmann at erichmann49@yahoo.com, or leave a message at 440-668-8310.

If a club is interested in the JDRF walk in Pittsburg on September 21, I can create a Lions team for that location. Just let me know!

Yours in Lionism,
Lion Ernie Richmann, District Diabetes Chairperson

Each year, JDRF One Walk brings together more than 900,000 people across the country to change the future for everyone living with type 1 diabetes (T1D). This fun, family friendly event gives people with T1D, their loved ones, companies and the local community the opportunity to come together, create change and positively impact lives of those living with T1D.

Join us to make it safer and easier to live with this disease until we create a world without T1D. In September there will be 3 JDRF One Walk events within an easy drive from anywhere in District 13 OH4. You can participate as an individual or you can recruit other Lions and Leos to participate as a team. The nearby events are:

Date	City	Venue
September 21	Pittsburgh, PA	Schenley Park, Flagstaff Hill
September 29	Akron-Cleveland	Cuyahoga County Fairgrounds
September 29	Columbus	Chemical Abstract Service Campus



WINDHAM LIONS CLUB

**Sept 6 & 7
Oct 4 & 5**

**Our Sausage and Steak Sandwich Trailer
Will be serving the best sandwiches
In Portage County.**

**The Trailer will be located on
St Rt 303 at the 2nd traffic light.**

The Windham Lions have been serving the
Windham community for over 60 years.



75th CELEBRATION OF THE ASHTABULA LIONS CHARTER

Date: October 5, 2019 Saturday
Time: 1:00PM
Place: Waters Catering
3224 E. Center St. (Route 20)
Kingsville OH
Guest Speaker: PCC David Gauch
Menu: Roast Beef Au Jus, Roast Pork
Red Parsley Potatoes & Carrots
Cavatelli with Marinara Sauce
Tossed Salad and Breads
Drinks: BYOB, Coffee, Tea & Punch
Cake
Price: \$15.00 (Pay at door)
RSVP: By September 28, 2019
Kathy Ray 831-540-5867 or
kathleen.ray0@gmail.com



Kimberly Gibbs
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Cincinnati, Ohio 45236
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bluefrog@bizcinci.rr.com

On Sale Now!! You must buy your plate by September 25, 2019 for these plates to remain available.

Where - WWW.OLATES.COM or your local Deputy Registrar / BMV

Details - At last count, only 108 Ohio Lions License Plates have been sold. We need to buy 150 for the plates to remain available after September 25, 2019. Please consider purchasing your very own Ohio Lions License Plate as the profits from sales go to the Ohio Lions Foundation. We will lose the option to buy this special plate unless 150 or more plates are purchased.





Join Us for Our Pilot Dogs Tailgate Fundraiser

**OSU at Indiana
Saturday, September 14th, 2019
Kickoff at Noon
Doors Open at 10 AM**

**Pilot Dogs, Inc.
577 West Town Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215**

Come watch the OSU at Indiana game at Pilot Dogs! Featuring: Delicious catered lunch, kennel tour, blindfold walks with Pilot Dogs (Prior to kickoff), music, raffles, silent auction, drinks & snacks provided throughout the game.

Ohio State School for the Blind band students to perform prior to kickoff

ADVANCE TICKETS ONLY!

\$35 Per Person

\$250 for a Table of 8

Register via Phone at 614-221-6367, or online at:
<https://www.pilotdogs.org/2019-pilot-dogs-osu-tailgate-fundraiser/>



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



It's A Portage County Lions EUCHRE Night.
The 1st Friday of each month.
Doors Open 5:30 pm – Cards Start at 6:30 pm.
Cost: \$ 2.00 Person. * Bring a snack or drink to share.

Where: Rootstown United Methodist Church.
4065 St. Rte. 44. * Corner of St. Rte. 44 & Tallmadge Rd.
Between NEOMED 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.

Presenting an Exceptional Leadership Event

The USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum is a true learning value filled with
2 and 1/2 days of building your leadership skills.

Meal Time/Keynotes and Fun



Thursday Evening

A Lot of
Brass Will
Get You
Dancing!

High Street Band

Friday Lunch

Sherre DeMao



Founder, CEO and Strategy
Maestro of BizGrowth Inc, an
award-winning firm specializing
in next-level, next-idea solutions
for entrepreneurial enterprises
and leadership.

Confessions of a Mompreneur:
Leadership Lessons Learned
from my Daughters

Saturday Lunch

Joshua Allison



Josh is the Founder and Chief
Ideator for ThinkCafe, a
consulting company committed
to solutions for the new
workplace. He has spoken and
worked with organizations from
Hawaii to New York. Josh is a
thought leader and a passionate
speaker and trainer, he
specializes in workplace
leadership and engagement.

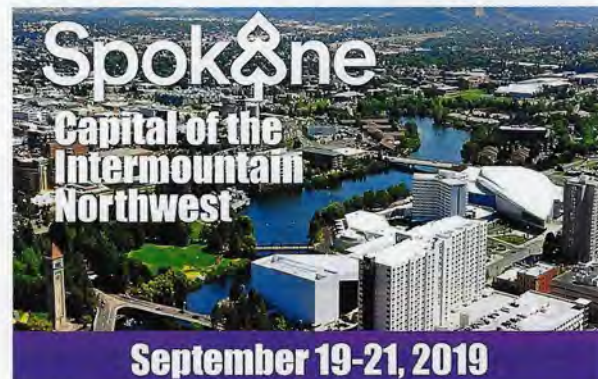
43rd Annual USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum

Creating Better Leaders

How do you build a better leader in you? Leadership is nothing more than the
experience, the education, commitment and the knowledge built with
confidence. And then communicating ideas that create the fulfillment of any
cause or endeavor.

For the 43rd year, the Forum has been the ultimate experience in helping you
be a better leader. Increasing your skill set in leadership communication,
learning more about programs and services of Lions Clubs International, and
giving you confidence to achieve greater things.

With confidence in your abilities, you'll shine as community leader that will not
only help you make a better world but open more opportunities for whatever
your passion may be. The Forum is created for any Lion. Join us in Spokane.



Over 70 Seminars Including Something New! Outside Seminar Guest Speakers



Katherine Greenland

Katherine Greenland is Founder and
Principal at Greenland Consulting
LLC, a consulting agency dedicated
to synergistic solutions for a world
in transition. She speaks internationally
on topics of inclusion & diversity,
millennial mindset, women's empow-
erment and transformational
leadership.

Millennial Mindset: 5 Strategies To
Captivate the Younger Generation



Michelle Ray

(Back By Popular Demand)

After raving reviews, her keynote
address in Columbus has led Michelle
back to the Forum with seminars in
Spokane.

Harness the power of personal
leadership... Your personal attitude
impacts the purpose of creating a
better leader in you!

Lead Yourself First!



Rachelle Strawther

Topic of workshop: Leading Without
Authority: How to motivate and guide
volunteers who don't have to say
'yes'.

As Director of Leadership Training and
Development for Gonzaga University's
School of Leadership Studies,
Rachelle designs and leads executive
leadership programs.



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Leaders



CREATING CHANGE

Times are changing and so is the
USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum.
This year we are incorporating new
seminars with special guests from
outside of the organization, the
business world and educational
leadership institutions. You'll have the
opportunity to sit with past international
leadership as it looks to the future.
Plus, help you personally, create a
better leader within you.

September 19-21, 2019 • Register Today... www.lionsforum.org
Spokane, Washington



Canfield Lions First Annual Pancake Breakfast

**Place: Lord of Life Lutheran Church
550 N Broad Street
Canfield, Ohio 44406**

Date: October 19, 2019

Time: 9:00-AM to 12:00-Noon

**Price: \$8.00 Per Person and Children 5-years and Under Free.
Tickets sold at the door or in advance by calling
Andy Dzuracky 330-692-0578**

MENU:

**4-Pancakes, Links Sausages, Maple Syrup Topping, Blueberries,
Cherry Toppings, Orange Juice, Coffee,Decaf Coffee, Tea, and
Milk.**



Call For Help

**If you know of a source for a sausage donation (approximately 600
baby link sausages needed), please call Andy Dzuracky at 330-692-0578.**

**Your assistance can help make the Canfield Lions first pancake
breakfast a much greater success.**

Lion Jim Stroble

strobes@neo.rr.com

330-678-5847

6987 Hudson Road

Kent, OH 44240

Scheduled Zone Meetings (As of 8/19/19)

Zone	Date	Location
1st Zone Meeting		
1	Sep 9, 2019	Highland Hts
2	Oct 9, 2019	Painesville
3	Sep 30, 2019	Cortland
4	Sep 26, 2019	Kent
5	Sep 26, 2019	Rootstown
6		
7	Sep 19, 2019	Canfield
8		
9		
10	Sep 24, 2019	North Canton
11	Aug 19, 2019	Lisbon
2nd Zone Meeting		
1	Nov 12, 2019	Highland Hts
2		
3	Tentative Nov 21, 2019	Lordstown
4	Nov 19, 2019	Deerfield
5	Nov 19, 2019	Deerfield
6		
7		
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11	Nov 21, 2019	TBD
3rd Zone Meeting		
1	Feb 20, 2020	Highland Hts
3	Tentative Feb 20, 2020	Newton Falls
4	Feb 16, 2020	TBD
4th Zone Meeting		
1	June 18, 2020	Highland Hts

*"There are things known and
there are things unknown, and
in between are the doors of
perception."*

Aldous Huxley



CLUB ACTIVITIES

Mark Your Calendar 2019-2020



SEP 6 - PORTAGE COUNTY LIONS EUCHRE NIGHT, DOORS OPEN 5:30 PM - CARDS START 6:30 PM, ROOT-STOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 4065 STATE RTE 44

For more information see notice on [page 17](#)

SEP 6-7 - WINDHAM LIONS CLUB SAUSAGE AND STEAK SANDWICH TRAILER

For more information see the notice on [page 15](#)

SEP 28 - EAST LIVERPOOL LIONS CLUB 95TH CHARTER ANNIVERSARY, 6:00 PM SOCIAL TIME, 7:00 PM DINNER, EAST LIVERPOOL MASONIC LODGE, 422 BROADWAY ST, EAST LIVERPOOL, RSVP BY SEP 20, INFO AND RSVP CONTACT KL RON ANDERSON 330-532-3168

SEP 28 - CHORUS FOR A CAUSE, 3:30 PM DOORS OPEN, 4:00 PM CONCERT BEGINS COMMUNITY CHRISTIAN CHURCH, 210 N MAIN ST, CANTON, OH - Share of proceeds benefits Melvin Jones Eye Care Foundation

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SEP 29 - CHORUS FOR A CAUSE, 3:30 PM DOORS OPEN, 4:00 PM CONCERT BEGINS COMMUNITY CHRISTIAN CHURCH, 210 N MAIN ST, CANTON, OH - Share of proceeds benefits Melvin Jones Eye Care Foundation

For more information see notice on [page 13](#)

OCT 5 - ASHTABULA LIONS 75TH YEAR CHARTER CELEBRATION, 1:00 PM, WATERS CATERING, KINGSVILLE, OH, RSVP NO LATER THAN SEP 28 TO KATHY RAY 831-540-5867

For more information see flyer on [page 15](#)

OCT 19 - CANFIELD LIONS CLUB FIRST ANNUAL PANCAKE BREAKFAST, 9:00 AM - 12:00 NOON LORD OF LIFE LUTHERAN CHURCH, 550 N BROAD ST, CANFIELD, OH

For more information see the flyer on [page 18](#)

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DISTRICT OH4 & STATE ACTIVITIES

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SEP 14 - PILOT DOGS TAILGATE FUNDRAISER, OSU at INDIANA, KICKOFF AT NOON - DOORS OPEN AT 10:00 AM

For more information see [page 16](#)

SEPT 19-21 - USA/CANADA LIONS LEADERSHIP FORUM - SPOKANE, WA

For more information see flyer on [page 17](#)

OCT 6 - STEPS: LIONS FOR PEDIATRIC CANCER RESEARCH

Wingfoot Lake State Park, Suffield, OH - 5K Run/Walk 10:00 AM, 1 Mile Walk 10:30 AM

Registration \$20 through Sep 7 includes shirt

Register or Donate on-line at: Steps13OH4.org

OCT 18-20 - MD13 GLOBAL LEADERSHIP TEAM, REGIONAL LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

Double Tree Hotel, Worthington, OH

Registration **NO LATER THAN** Sep 23

Information and registration on [pages 8-12](#), or on-line at: www.ohiolions.org

MAR 27-29, 2020 - 13OH4 DISTRICT CONVENTION

McKinley Grand Hotel, Canton, OH