



Lion Pride Through Service

2021-2022
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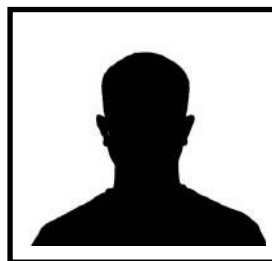
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LCI PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Give the Gift of Belonging

Dear Lions,

We often talk about the power of working together. We know we are stronger as a club than as individuals. When I became a Lion, I knew I was joining something bigger than myself. I felt honored and excited. I felt like it was the natural extension of my life's work. It gave me purpose and direction for all the good I knew I wanted to do.

And do you know what else it gave me? A new kind of family.

I come from a big family and a close-knit community, so I was no stranger to the benefits of a wide circle of loved ones. But as I brought food to home-bound seniors and checked in on single parents, I realized that there are so many people who did not have the community that I had. It made me see that there are things people need beyond food and shelter. People need a sense of belonging. People need to feel included.

And this is why I challenge you to consider inviting someone you have helped – a lonely widower or even a young family – to join your club. There is room for everyone in Lions. Let's show people how giving of yourself truly does come back to you – in friendship, community, and belonging.

Yours in service,

Douglas X. Alexander

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International President, Lions Club International





From LCIF Chairperson Dr. Jung-Yul Choi

The expression “give and take” describes a relationship in which cooperation and shared responsibility create success. Your relationship with LCIF, like mine, is “give and take.” This issue of your LCIF newsletter,

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illustrates how our global foundation gives us opportunity to take our service to greater heights. In turn, we must create a true give-and-take-relationship by each fulfilling our responsibility to give what we can to LCIF. Lions and Leos, thank you for joining me in supporting our Foundation during the remaining months of Campaign 100, and beyond.



District Governor Report October 2021



Hello Lions of OH4!

It is difficult to believe that 1/4 of our Lions year is past us for 2021-2022. As I have been visiting clubs and attending Zone meetings, I have been excited to hear of the great projects our clubs are doing in the communities. Again, carefully clubs are moving forward with some of the past projects scrapped during the 2020-2021 Lions year. Some of the festivals are returning and fundraisers where Lions and Friends of Lions get together to raise funds for projects. Serving the community through food drives, writing special notes to the first responders in the community with doughnuts' being sent, shoe collections, school supply drives and eye screenings returning. It's great to be a Lion!

Many of our clubs are collecting plastic and obtaining benches for their communities. If your club is participating in the Trex community recycling program, please contact GST Roger Mansfield at rmansfield9233@yahoo.com to report the pounds of plastic you have collected and turned in. This project has been so exciting to watch develop. I have heard of 3 clubs that alone have turned in 17,000 pounds of plastic to TREX. That's 17,000 pounds of plastic that have not made its way into a landfill. Let's track how much plastic the Lions of OH4 will keep out of the landfills!

More Lions in a club means new ideas and more service done within a community. Has your club hosted an informational time for prospective members? It's a great time to hold such an event since we are returning to some type of "normalcy" again. By now your club should have received several resources to help you plan and implement a recruitment event. Each club was given a Membership Chair Guide, Just Ask brochure, Connecting to Young Lions and more. Each of the resources you were given can also be found at www.lionsclubs.org by typing a title of "Membership" in the little magnifying glass in the upper right-hand corner of the page. Several topics will appear and then you click the "eye" view icon next to each set of words to find what you are looking for in materials. One good area to explore is titled "Membership Growth Event Toolbox". It basically outlines what actions you can take to host an informational event step by step.

Did you know you can print these resources from the Lion's website? Did you also know that short video clips are available at our web site? If you hold an event you can

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share these on a laptop or even a prospective member can view them in the comfort of their home and read articles about Lions Clubs doing their projects. The wealth of information available is endless. Take some time to explore what is there and use what you can to bring new lions to the Pride! Also, don't forget the Ohio Plan found on the ohiolions.org website as well. GMT Tony DeLuke and his team will help your club with these tools. Also, if you would like, the district team and I can assign you a Guiding Lion if you are struggling. Please reach out for our help. Finally, remember also that there is still a \$35.00 waiver of the initiation fee until December 31st. Now is the time to sign up a new member and save them at least 30% of their first years dues! After their first-year dues, the lion is only responsible for the club dues collected for their international dues of \$43.00 and Ohio Lions dues of \$17.00, plus a small fee a club may charge for the club's administrative fund. The administrative fee is spent on the Lions in their club and administrative activities.

Finally, I want to share this thought from Robert Collier: "Success is the sum of small efforts, repeated day in and day out". You as Lions serve with many efforts in your communities. Each and everything you do in service makes a difference in the life of someone. Continue to serve as needed and your visibility will be noted by others. Lots of little actions lead to BIG results. Share your success stories with your community using social media and the local news media. This visibility will help your club grow in membership and helps to attract younger members in service with new invigorating ideas! Remember, Lions make a difference!!!

Thank you OH4 Lions for your service to your communities!!! As we enter into October continue to serve and be active!

Have a great month!

Lion Judy Young
DG MDI 13 OH4



Second Vice District Governor Report October 2021



Lions of OH4,

I am trying to meet with most of my clubs before the bad weather sets in. By the end of September I will meet with 7 more of my clubs for a total of 13. One club is still not meeting in person. The zoom meetings still roll around and our next Cabinet meeting is to be in person (fingers crossed). Please stay healthy as we move into the holiday season.

Wayne and I have enjoyed working with clubs in their fund raisers and community service. We worked at the Lordstown Lions Club festival selling 50/50 tickets and helped Lisbon Lions make over 3,000 dumpings to sell at the Johnny Appleseed festival.

Yours in Lionism,

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Guiding Lions Training Completed

September 19th 2021

On Sunday September 19th at 2:00 pm, PDG Tony DeLuxe and I held a Certified Guiding Lions Course at Deerfield's Friends Church for our District. A total of 9 Lions members received their Guiding Lions Certifications. This type of certification provides the district with knowledgeable Guiding Lions that can help to guide the creation of new clubs for the first two years of their existence or assist existing clubs that need a little help. I'd like to thank DG Judy for this opportunity. Leadership was also a primary subject of the coursework.

Here are the district's newest class of Guiding Lions:

PDG Bob Booher
PDG Tony DeLuxe
ZC Bill Ferrebee
ZC Caroline Phillips
ZC Cathy Price
Ernie Richmann
IPDG Carol Snyder
ZC Angela Tyler
DG Judy Young



Thanks to all those who attended.

Special thanks to PGD Tony DeLuxe for his help in this training.

PDG Michael Tyler, GLT District Coordinator



LCIF in Action: Hurricane Henri

This was recently posted online in the “Stories of Pride” website: <https://lcifpride.org>

“In MD20 NYS, LCIF helped us build a warehouse and fill it with emergency supplies. We were also able to purchase two trailers for supply transportation. When Hurricane Henri came up the coast, one of our Lions came to the warehouse and filled the small trailer with supplies to aid in the communities that were affected. Long Island was lucky and the supplies were not immediately needed but they are still there until hurricane season is over. LCIF has enabled us to quickly support our local communities in times of disaster. We are still finalizing our systems but just knowing the supplies are here and available is such a relief in this time of increasing number and severity of natural disasters.”

Donate to LCIF www.lionsclubs.org/en/donate or checkout more Stories of Pride on the LCIF website!

New LCIF Club Coordinator Handbook and PPT

LCIF has released a brand new version of the Club Coordinator Handbook and accompanying PowerPoint presentation. Both of these files are rather large and difficult to share (as many of you have experienced with my attempt to email it to you all recently. Sorry!)

I’ve created a shared Google drive folder for anyone who would like to download copies for your own. This shared folder, “MD13 OH4 LCIF Club Coordinators” can be accessed by following this link or typing it in to the web address bar: <https://rb.gy/4v7ohx>

Our Amazon Impact

This week I received the following email from Amazon:

Dear Maureen T. Lerch,

This is the quarterly notification to inform you that AmazonSmile has made a charitable donation to the charity you’ve selected, Lions Clubs International Foundation, in the amount of \$1,193.57 as a result of qualifying purchases made by you and other customers who have selected this charity.

Thanks to customers shopping at smile.amazon.com, or with AmazonSmile ON in the Amazon Shopping app, everyday purchases have generated over \$321 million in donations to charities worldwide so far.

AmazonSmile's impact:

- *\$15,876.26 to Lions Clubs International Foundation**
- *\$285,795,312.80 to all charities in the US*
- *\$321,230,298.08 to all charities worldwide*

To track donations or change your charity, simply visit Your AmazonSmile Impact page.

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Because I'm a very active Amazon user, my personal impact page lists 148 qualifying orders, generating \$33.29 that will go to LCIF, with little effort on my part. All I had to do was sign up, designate LCIF as my current charity, and then remember to place my orders on the smile.Amazon.com website.

LCIF Grant Highlights: SightFirst Grants

The mission of the SightFirst grant program of Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF) is to develop or improve comprehensive eye care systems to fight blindness and vision loss, and to assist people who are blind and visually impaired in underserved communities. SightFirst supports high-quality, cost-effective, equitable, and sustainable eye care projects

SightFirst Grants

Amount of grant award varies: Help fight major causes of preventable and reversible blindness; provide services to those with blindness or visual impairment

- What does LCIF fund? Renovation of existing infrastructure; cost-effective equipment; comprehensive eye care service delivery and education; health personnel training
- Applicable for districts and multiple districts
- Matching funds: Required for select equipment only
- <http://lionsclubs.org/SightFirst>

Contact Me

Please reach out if you have questions about how to donate, if you want more information about a grant, or if your club is interested in awarding a Melvin Jones Fellowship. The best way to contact me is via email, but you can call or text, too!

m1erch@uakron.edu

330-806-8433

Yours in service,

Maureen Lerch

LCIF District Coordinator

Ohio Lions Eye Research Foundation News

The Ohio Lions Eye Research Foundation recently spent \$579,291.47 (more than a half million dollars) to further eye ailment research. The research centers included OSU Optometry, Akron Children's Hospital, Wright State University, NEO Medical University, OSU Ophthalmology, University of Cincinnati, and Case Western Rainbow Babies, to name a few. I was elected as a Trustee for OLERF for our District in 2019. The OLERF didn't have a working website for 5 years prior to my becoming a Trustee, they didn't have a social media presence, and they didn't have a position on their Board for Information Technology and Marketing. In my first two years as a Trustee, I asked to increase the positions available on the Board of Directors to include an "Information Technology and Marketing" position. The bylaws were changed to include the new position for which I was appointed as the first Chairperson for Information Technology and Marketing. I was also able to start a new Facebook page for the OLERF and recruited a few Trustee Administrators for the site. Then, as of a few weeks ago, we were able to present to the public the first working website for the OLERF in many years: <https://ohiolionseyeresearch.org>. The Ohio Lions Eye Research Foundation provided over 1.25 million dollars in research funding to labs and Universities to help cure eye ailments. We still have a lot of work to do!!!

PDG Michael Tyler
OLERF Trustee

LIONS EYE PROGRAM, INC.

The Executive Board is happy to announce the Lions Eye Program's Website is up and running, thanks to Lion Ernie Richmann from the Painesville Lions Club. If you log onto lionseyeprogram.com, you can learn more about us. Please let us know if you have any suggestions and/or questions pertaining to our program. You can call 216-363-2500 and leave a message, or email us at lionseyepgm@gmail.com and someone will get back with you. Your input is needed and will be appreciated.

The next Executive Board and Delegates Meeting will be Wednesday, November 3rd via Zoom at 6:30 p.m. Please mark you calendars and plan to attend. Everyone is welcome to join us. To make your reservation, call 216-363-2500, or email us at lionseyepgm@gmail.com, and the Zoom invitation will be sent to you, along with the agenda, minutes and financial statement.

We are still handling applications for eye exams, glasses and/or cataract surgery, as well as collecting unwanted eye glasses, sun glasses and cases. Thanks to the North Summit Lions Club, we were able to provide VOSH with items that were brand new. Their efforts will make many men, women and children happy.

Looking forward to hearing from you and having you join us on November 3rd.

Lion Lois Lowe
Secretary

PDG Association Meeting Announcement

5th Annual PDG Association Meeting

All PDG's Are Invited

The Date:

October 28th, 2021

The Time:

6:00 PM Social - 7:00 PM Dinner

The Place:

Ala Cart Catering
429 Lisbon Street
Canfield, Oh 44406

The Meal:

Chicken, Stuffed Cabbage, Fish
Dessert
Coffee and Iced Tea

The Cost:

\$20 per person

Please RSVP by October 17th to PDG Mike at mpty526@oh.rr.com,

PDG Michael Tyler, PDG Association President 2021-2022



Ohio Lions Fall Into Service

October 10-17



You create the service best suited for
your community.

Let your GAT know your club is participating ...
(email your Governor, GLT, GST or GMT).



Perform Service (or complete service)
between October 10-17.

Report your service to LCI.

Join our fellow Lions, and Leos throughout Ohio
as we work to safely do what we do best...



WE SERVE!

Roger Mansfield
District 13 OH4 GST
330-607-3228



Reminders:

⇒ Goal is 50-75% of clubs participating! Plan and execute your activities.

Also:

⇒ Continue or start plastic recycling in the Trex community program.

⇒ District STEPS walk is Sunday, October 3, Wingfoot Lake State Park

Upcoming Zone Meetings

1st Zone Meeting			
Zone	Zone Chair	Date	Location
1	Angie	9/4/21	Noon - The Tyler's home - 2770 Worrell Rd, Willoughby Hills
2	Kathy	10/14/21	Conneaut - Biscotti's Restaurant 186 Park Ave
3	PCC Betty	8/19/21	Lordstown - Buena Vista Café
4	PDG Tony	9/20/21	6:00 - Mantua - Jake's Eats 4680 Prospect St
5	Jill	8/17/21	6:00 - Randolph Senior Center
6	Cathy/Caroline	9/16/21	Canfield - A-La-Cart
7	Haven	9/28/21	Possible Zoom meeting
8	Bill & Vicki	9/7/21	Perry
9	Bill Humphry		
10	Joe	9/24/21	7:00 - Calcutta w/ possible Zoom option

Upcoming Zone Meetings

2nd Zone Meeting			
Zone	Zone Chair	Date	Location
1	Angie		
2	Kathy	12/7/21	Ashtabula - Elks Lodge 3115 Lake Rd West
3	PCC Betty		
4	PDG Tony	12/2/21	Deerfield - Combined Mega Zone Mtg
5	Jill	12/2/21	Deerfield - Combined Mega Zone Mtg
6	Cathy/Caroline	11/11/21	Boardman - Details to follow
7	Haven		
8	Bill & Vicki	11/17/21	Beach City
9	Bill Humphry		
10	Joe		

Upcoming Zone Meetings

3rd Zone Meeting			
Zone	Zone Chair	Date	Location
1	Angie		
2	Kathy	3/9/22	Painesville - Local Tavern Fish Bar 11 Chester St
3	PCC Betty		
4	PDG Tony		
5	Jill	3/3/22	Rootstown
6	Cathy/Caroline	2/1/22	Youngstown - Details to follow
7	Haven		
8	Bill & Vicki	2/10/22	Canal Fulton
9	Bill Humphry		
10	Joe		

Upcoming Zone Meetings

4 th Zone Meeting			
Zone	Zone Chair	Date	Location
1	Angie		
2	Kathy		Conneaut - Biscotti's Restaurant 186 Park Ave
3	PCC Betty		Ashtabula - Elks Lodge 3115 Lake Rd West
4	PDG Tony		Painesville - Local Tavern Fish Bar 11 Chester St
5	Jill		
6	Cathy/Caroline		
7	Haven		
8	Bill & Vicki		
9	Bill Humphry		
10	Joe		



Pilot Dogs is in need of:

- J & J Baby Shampoo for puppies
- Nylabones and Kong toys for the puppies
- Bath Sets for the blind residents in training
- Any donation

U.S.Veterans:

- Bath Sets, toiletries and any donations

Bring them to your second Zone meetings in Nov-Dec,
and we will distribute them.



Help is here for Club Secretaries!

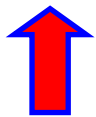
If you are a Club Secretary and you're having trouble using the MyLCI app to do your club's membership reports, or using the My Lion app, or have questions on all you need to do as a club secretary - we can help you!

Please contact PDG Michael Tyler at 440-975-0477 or cell 440-478-4535.

PDG Michael can help you through any questions you have regarding being a Club Secretary. Lion Sharon Hall is another great resource and available to help any Club Secretary at 330-385-3632 or cell 330-932-9356.

Please don't be afraid to pick up the phone and ask us for help. We are both very understanding and will take our time to help you.

We look forward to talking with you,
PDG Michael Tyler



The offer to help still stands for new club secretaries, or not so new club secretaries looking for a refresher session.

Why MyLCI ?



Club Officers Can:

- Maintain member names, addresses and phone numbers
- View and pay LCI statements
- Print membership cards
- Track club service activities
- Create club rosters and mailing lists
- Designate next year's officers
- Report monthly membership



District 13 OH4 received a \$60,000 diabetes grant to renovate 12 cabins at Camp Ho Mita Koda, a camp for diabetic children located in Newbury, Ohio. The cabins needed new roofs, new wiring, insulation, fans, doors, and interior siding. Lions have volunteered at the camp planting trees, updating lighting in the dining hall, cutting & stacking wood for the camp fire ring, and volunteering at special events.

The camp was founded in 1929, making it the oldest camp for kids with diabetes in the United States. The camp was one of the first locations where insulin was used and clinically tested. Activities offered include, rock climbing, kayaking, swimming, archery, paintball, diabetes education, high/low ropes challenge course, canoeing, arts & crafts, hiking, team sports, and so much more. Surrounded by friends and a well-trained staff, every camper learns to 'stretch'...physically, mentally, emotionally and socially. Self-assured in these new skill, campers come away with a strong foundation for life, increased capabilities, new-found independence, and understanding of their ever-changing personal T1D journey.

The camp website is www.camphomitakoda.org

To view a virtual tour go to <https://youtu.be/lm9FCIczK20>

This article appears in the LCIF's Stories of Pride website. It was submitted by District 13OH4 Diabetes Chair Lion Ernie Richmann. To view this and other stories, go to:

<https://lcifpride.org/video/district-13-oh4-diabetes-grant/>





JDRF One Walk, Northeast Ohio 2021

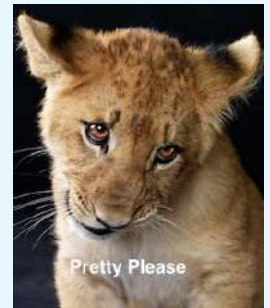
Support Diabetes Research Help Turn Type One Into Type None

The **District JDRF Walk** was held at **Camp Ho Mita Koda** on **Saturday, September 25**. Eighteen Lions and guests participated in the walk and helped Lion Ernie Richmann in his efforts to raise \$5,000 for JDRF. The walk, led by Executive Director Ian Roberts, highlighted all the amazing facilities and activities available to campers. The renovations discussed on the previous page, thanks to Lion funding and Lion labor, are making great improvements at the camp. Lunch was provided following the walk.

Lion Ernie is currently over half way to reaching his goal.
There is still time to help him get there.

You can:

- Do “Your Walk Your Way” - any day, any time, any place.
Send a photo of your walk to me at: erichmann49@yahoo.com
- Donate at: <http://www2.jdrf.org/goto/OH4Lions> .
- Or, send a check made out to JDRF to:
Lion Ernie Richmann, 48 Lincoln Blvd., Painesville, Ohio 44077



Lion Ernie Richmann
District Diabetes Chair
440-668-8310
erichmann49@yahoo.com



Camp Ho Mita Koda Workdays

Save The Dates

Saturday-Sunday, November 6-7



Come for either day or both days, or stay overnight for both days.

Outdoor work that needs completed:

- Building two ramps to make two cabins handicap accessible. *
- Final touchups on paint/trim (if not already completed).
- Replacing broken split rail fencing.
- General cleanup of the grounds (leaves, sticks, etc).

Indoor work that needs completed:

- Staining of the wood paneling inside of the cabins.
- Final painting of one remaining room in the clinic.
- Installation of plexiglass covering for an artifact wall.
- Fixing a couple of broken building doors.
- Complete clear out of the maintenance shed, inventory of equipment, and putting it all back in an organized way.

* Priority item. Need volunteers with expertise and abilities on building ramps.

Staying over Saturday night is optional. Cabins will have bed frames, mattresses and heaters. Electricity will be working, as well as the water and restrooms in the clinic and kitchen. Only the bathhouse and pavilion will be shut down at that point. Folks will need to bring bedding, sleeping bag, pillow, etc.

You can bring your favorite tools for the jobs you want to do. Bring clothes to fit the weather. CHMK will have tools and supplies available if needed.

These work days will be a great opportunity for service, fellowship and FUN! For information, or to sign-up to help, contact Lion Ernie Richmann at 440-668-8310, or erichmann49@yahoo.com .

Scam Alert

Details

Lions in OH-3, and potentially around the state, have received pleas supposedly from International President Douglas Alexander, asking to send him gift cards for a service activity. **THIS IS A SCAM.** Lions Clubs International has been notified, but our clubs need to know NOT to respond to this request.

There is, however, a legitimate Call for Service that has been posted on Facebook. The endorsed candidate for International 3rd Vice President, AP Singh, is challenging Lions to do a service project during our Fall Into Service week — October 10-17.

Summary

DO NOT SEND CARDS OR MONEY. It is a scam.
Please, DO SERVICE FOR YOUR COMMUNITY, and report it on MyLion!

Contact - CC Kerry Parker at kep121@msn.com

*Always verify, with a legitimate source, email requests for cash or gift cards.
The legitimate source should be outside of the original request email.
Do not reply directly to the original request email for verification.*

STEPS



Lions for Pediatric Cancer Research

Raising Research Dollars for a Children's Hospital near you

Don't let them walk alone! **Sunday, October 3rd 2021**



Wingfoot Lake State Park
993 Goodyear Park Blvd.
Suffield Ohio 44260

5K Run/Walk 10:00 AM

Registration \$25 (through 9/7 includes shirt)

1 mile walk 10:30 AM

Registration \$25 (through 9/7 includes shirt)

We welcome all participants,
regardless of age or physical
abilities. Walk, run or roll to
support the cause.

More information: Lion Dee Pamer
330-221-0720

Register or Donate on-line: Steps13OH4.org



Eyeglass Cases



Does anyone have a need or use for empty eyeglass cases?

Kent Lions is trying to find a home for hundreds (maybe thousands) of empty cases, rather than send them to the landfill.



Please contact Scott Stiegemeier (330-678-0369), or Jim Stroble (330-678-5847) if:

- You want any empty cases.
- You know anyone or any group that might want empty cases.
- You are going to western Ohio and could drop these off at VOSH* in Pandora, OH (mid way between Findlay and Lima).

*VOSH (Volunteer Optometric Services to Humanity) has a facility in Pandora and said they would take the cases. The cases would need to be delivered or shipped to them by UPS or FedEx. We are trying to avoid the long drive, or incurring the shipping costs.

Club Reports

Two new Lions were inducted at a recent meeting of the **Ashtabula Lions Club**.



From left to right: Sponsor Lion Michael Thornton, New member Donny Thornton, District Governor Judy Young, New member Lyn Rocco, and Sponsor Lion Ed Searles. Anyone wishing to be a Lion Member, contact Lion Kathy Ray at 440-998-7581.

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Kent Lions Club inducted one new Lion at the September 12th noon meeting.

From left to right: Lion Tamer Leo Lux (conducted the induction), Lion Fran Hardesty (sponsor), new Lion Kathy Wesels, PDG / King Lion Tony DeLuke.





WINDHAM LIONS CLUB

OCTOBER 1 & 2

\$5.00 will buy you the best Sausage or Steak Sandwich in Portage County.

**Our Trailer will be located on
St Rt 303 in the parking lot next to Circle K.**

**Open Friday 10 am till 7 pm
Open Saturday 10 am till 2 pm**

**The Windham Lions have been serving the
Windham community since 1955.**

From the Massillon Lions Club:

LINCOLN

T H E A T R E

Located at 156 Lincoln Way E. in Massillon, Ohio, the Lions Lincoln Theatre was originally built in 1915 as a movie theater and beautifully restored as a performing arts center by the Massillon Lions Club.

Upcoming Events

The Lettermen – Making Musical Memories

Saturday, October 9, 2021 @ 7:30 pm

Michael Sonata and The Dave Banks Big Band (Frank Sinatra Tribute)

Sunday, October 10, 2021 @ 3:00 pm

Hard Day's Night (Beatles Tribute)

Saturday, October 16, 2021 @ 7:30 pm

Terry Lee Coffee: World's Greatest Johnny Cash Experience

Saturday, October 23, 2021 @ 7:30 pm

2nd Annual Lions Lincoln Theatre Christmas Tree Festival (Fundraiser): November 1 – 20, 2021

***Want to sponsor a tree and help the Lincoln? Call Us!**

Lions Lincoln Theatre
156 Lincoln Way E, Massillon, OH 44646
Phone: (330) 481-9105
<https://lionslincolnthatre.org/>
Facebook: www.facebook.com/lionslincolnthatre/

Rootstown Lions Club

SAVE THE DATES!!!



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OCT 9 Sip N Paint

OCT 10 Chili Cook-Off



Double Header



Mark your Calendar

You don't want to miss this

DOUBLE HEADER EVENT



More info to follow



ROOTSTOWN LIONS CLUB

Sip & Paint



\$40.00 per person
Project includes 5
inserts and everything
you will need to make
this amazing project.

Additional cut-outs will be
available for \$3.00 each.

Enjoy friends, fun and
fellowship, snacks & sips!

DATE: Oct 9, 2021
TIME: 1:00 PM – 3:00 PM
LOCATION: ST. PETER OF
THE FIELDS, 3487 OLD
FORGE ROAD, ROOTSTOWN
OHIO 44272

Limited Seating

To reserve your seat, contact Tricia
Ligotti at (330) 701-5104 ,
T_Ligotti@yahoo.com or any
Rootstown Lion

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Jackson Township Lions Club Reverse Raffle

Raffle tickets are \$75 each

If at least 100 tickets are sold, seven winners and at least \$5,000 in cash prizes and gift cards are guaranteed.

No more than 200 tickets will be sold.

Purchase tickets from any Jackson Township Lion, or at our website;

<https://jacksontownshiplions.org/reverse-raffle>

Tickets sold now through October

Drawings on Thursday, November 4 and Saturday, November 13

November 13 drawing will be on Zoom *

Details:

On Thursday, November 4th, all sold tickets will be entered into the semi-final drawing at a Jackson Township Lions meeting. Each ticket holder will be represented at this first drawing by his/her seller. After all tickets sold are thoroughly mixed, twenty-five (25) tickets will be randomly drawn by an independent observer. These 25 ticket holders are potential cash winners and will be notified by phone or email by their sellers, as well as being listed by their ticket number on our Lion's website, www.jacksontownshiplions.org.

* On Saturday, November 13th, the 25 tickets randomly drawn on Thursday, November 4th will be entered in a Reverse Raffle Drawing held via Zoom. All finalists with an email address will be invited to observe this drawing. Tickets will be drawn randomly, one at a time and eliminated from contention until only seven (7) remain. Payouts will be awarded to those seven ticket holders in the following order:

1st	\$200.00	4th	\$500.00	7th	\$1,500.0
2nd	\$300.00	5th	\$600.00		
3rd	\$400.00	6th	\$1,000.00		

Each winner will be notified and listed by their ticket number on our website. Maximum payout is dependent upon at least 100 tickets sold. If fewer than 100 are sold, the highest payout becomes \$600.00 with five (5) winners.

Each ticket purchased will also receive at least one entry into a Gift Card Drawing. The more Reverse Raffle tickets purchased, the more entries in the Gift Card Drawing. Entries in the Gift Card Drawing will be awarded as follows:

- 1 Reverse Raffle ticket = 1 Gift Card Drawing entry
- 2 Reverse Raffle tickets = 4 Gift Card Drawing entries
- 3 Reverse Raffle tickets = 6 Gift Card Drawing entries
- 4 Reverse Raffle tickets = 8 Gift Card Drawing entries

The Gift Card Drawing will be held on Thursday, November 4th.

Kent Lions Chocolate Sale

Our annual carnation sale has been cancelled again this year due to Covid.

In an effort to make up some of the proceeds we will miss from carnation sales, we will be selling Coblentz chocolates (milk and dark) during October for Sweetest Day and Halloween.



1 pound boxes of milk (or all dark) chocolates will be available starting at our October 7 meeting.

Sale price is \$25 a box.

Contacts for the sale:

Doug Long 330-389-1659

Missy Harmon 330-256-0684

Jane Gwinn 330-603-3598

Or, any Kent Lion



Mark your calendars for November 13th and 14th, 2021! Regional Lions Leadership Institute will be held this year.

RLLI

The RLLI program is designed to build the skills of Lions leaders to prepare them to assume leadership responsibilities at the district level.

We hope to have all 3 levels of RLLI this year—registration permitting—so get the word out to your clubs.

Contact: PDG Jackie Miller

pdgjackie@gmail.com

Mobile/Text: 614-530-1861

Location: TBD

This will be a hybrid program. To keep the program to 2 days, there will be on-line assignments prior to the in-person sessions on Saturday/Sunday.

RLLI will be held Nov 13-14 at Mohican State Park.
Deadline for sign-up was Sep 24.



2022 Ohio Lions Winter Retreat

January 14, 15, 16, 2022

REGISTRATION FORM MAUMEE BAY STATE PARK RESORT OREGON, OH

REGISTRATION:

Full registration paid by December 1, 2021 will be **\$125.00**. Full registrations December 2, 2021 – January 3, 2022 will be \$140.00. No registrations will be accepted after January 3, 2022. Make all checks payable to: "THE OHIO LIONS" and specify LIONS WINTER RETREAT in the memo line and return with this registration form to: Ohio Lions, 4074 Hoover Rd., Grove City, OH 43123; Fax: 614-539-5055; Email: ohiolions@gmail.com. To use your credit card: go to www.ohiolions.org & use PayPal and send your registration form to the address above. **NO CANCELLATIONS WILL BE REFUNDED AFTER JANUARY 4, 2022.**

Please provide an Email address to receive updates on the Winter Retreat!

District

NAME: EMAIL:

NAME: EMAIL:

NAME: EMAIL:

TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED: \$

Children's meals available: Total number of children: (price per meal to be determined)

SPECIAL NEEDS: Please List any special dietary needs required, including the need for a Diabetic Meal.

Registrant's Name: Needs:
Registrant's Name: Needs:

☐

Yes,

Session Facilitators

would help as a session facilitator at the Winter Retreat.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS

Hotel reservations must be made through the hotel by phone: **1-419-836-1466**. Room reservations prior to November 30, 2021, may be made by requesting the Ohio Lions Winter Retreat group rate of \$112.00/night plus tax **with 1 to 4 persons per room**. After November 30th the room rate may increase. The resort only has a limited number of 95 rooms and may sell out. The State Office will not accept hotel reservations or room deposits.

Check out www.maumeebaylodge.com for all of the winter events and resort amenities that are offered at the lodge. Make this a family outing!!!

UPCOMING CLUB ACTIVITIES

Mark Your 2021 Calendar

**OCT 7-31 - KENT LIONS CLUB, COBLENTZ CHOCOLATE SALE.**

For more information see [page 32](#).

OCT 1-2 - WINDHAM LIONS CLUB, SAUSAGE & STEAK SANDWICH TRAILER, STATE ROUTE 303 IN WINDHAM, OPEN FRIDAYS 10 AM - 7 PM, OPEN SATURDAYS 10 AM - 2 PM.

For more information see [page 27](#).

OCT 9 - ROOTSTOWN LIONS CLUB, SIP N PAINT, 1:00-3:00 PM, ST PETER OF THE FIELDS, 3487 OLD FORGE ROAD, ROOTSTOWN, LIMITED SEATING - CALL TRICIA LIGOTTI (330-701-5104) FOR RESERVATIONS.

For more information see [pages 29-30](#).

OCT 9 - MASSILLON LIONS CLUB, LINCOLN THEATER, THE LETTERMEN - MAKING MUSICAL MEMORIES, 7:30 PM.

For more information see [page 28](#).

OCT 10 - ROOTSTOWN LIONS CLUB, CHILI COOK-OFF, WATCH FOR DETAILS COMING SOON.

For more information see [page 29](#).

OCT 10 - MASSILLON LIONS CLUB, LINCOLN THEATER, MICHAEL SONATA AND THE DAVE BANKS BIG BAND (FRANK SINATRA TRIBUTE), 3:00 PM.

For more information see [page 28](#).

OCT 16 - MASSILLON LIONS CLUB, LINCOLN THEATER, HARD DAY'S NIGHT (BEATLES TRIBUTE), 7:30 PM.

For more information see [page 28](#).

OCT 23 - MASSILLON LIONS CLUB, LINCOLN THEATER, TERRY LEE COFFEE: WORLD'S GREATEST JOHNNY CASH EXPERIENCE, 7:30 PM.

For more information see [page 28](#).

NOV 1-20 - MASSILLON LIONS CLUB, LINCOLN THEATER, 2nd ANNUAL LINCOLN THEATER CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL.

For more information see [page 28](#).

NOV 4 & 13 - JACKSON TOWNSHIP LIONS CLUB, REVERSE RAFFLE DRAWINGS, TICKETS ON SALE NOW THRU OCTOBER.

For more information see [page 31](#).

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UPCOMING DISTRICT & STATE ACTIVITIES

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OCT-DEC - ZONE MEETINGS, BRING DONATIONS FOR PILOT DOGS, INC TO YOUR 2ND ZONE MEETING.

For more information see [pages 14-17 and page 18 concerning Pilot Dog donations.](#)

OCT 3 - STEPS WALK, WINGFOOT LAKE STATE PARK, 5K RUN/WALK 10:00 AM, 1 MILE WALK 10:30 AM, REGISTRATION THROUGH SEP 7 INCLUDES A T-SHIRT.

For more information see [page 24.](#)

OCT 10-17 - OHIO LIONS FALL INTO SERVICE WEEK, PLAN NOW AND REPORT ACTIVITIES TO YOUR GAT.

For more information see [page 13.](#)

OCT 28 - PDG ASSOCIATION MEETING, ALA CART CATERING, CANFIELD, 6:00 PM. **RSVP BY OCTOBER 17.**

For more information see [page 12.](#)

NOV 3 - LIONS EYE PROGRAM INC EXECUTIVE BOARD AND DELEGATE MEETING, ZOOM MEETING, 6:30 PM.

For more information see [page 11.](#)

NOV 6-7 - CAMP HO MITA KODA WORKDAYS, OPEN TO ALL CLUBS - **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED, CONTACT LION ERNIE RICHMANN.**

For more information see [page 22.](#)

NOV 13-14 - REGIONAL LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE, MOHICAN STATE PARK LOUDONVILLE, ATTENDANCE REQUIRED FOR ENTIRE EVENT.

For more information see [page 33.](#)

JAN 14-16, 2022 - OHIO LIONS WINTER RETREAT, MAUMEE BAY STATE PARK RESORT, OREGON, OH.

For more information see [page 34.](#)

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