

## **Lion Pride Through Service**

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# LCI PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE We Can Be The Difference

Dear Lion,

Your commitment to the health and safety of your community makes a real difference in people's lives, especially in our efforts to fight diabetes. You are advocates, educators and leaders. And for many, your intervention is the first step toward preventing type 2 diabetes and getting back on the path toward a healthier lifestyle.

Diabetes affects nearly 10% of the world's adult population — and half of those currently living with the disease are undiagnosed. That's where Lions can be the difference. Let's all work together to raise awareness and educate our friends and neighbors so we can keep families healthy and our communities strong.

Yours in service,

Douglas X. Alexander

Douglas X.Alexander International President, Lions Club International





# District Governor Report November 2021



Lions of OH4,

Welcome to Fall in Northeast Ohio! It is a great time to be out in our communities serving during Lions "Fall into Service" week, not only for MD13 OH4, but joining with Lions of the world in service to their communities.

Clubs in OH4 have been busy serving in many ways. During my visits, I have heard of clubs writing notes to assisted living residents and shut ins in the community. What a great way to put a smile on someone, perhaps feeling forgotten, especially during this pandemic time. Another club painted picnic tables at their community park that was getting a facelift. Clubs were providing fall mums to thank their firemen and police for their service in protecting their community. Another club provided donuts for the policemen with personalized thank you notes for their dedication. The Trex program is another big reported project during our fall into service week. Clubs are conducting drive in drop off sites for their community members to collect plastic for Trex benches. Did you know, that the reporting clubs doing the Trex program have collected 38,000 pounds of plastic bags and obtained over 48 benches for their communities at NO COST to their club? That's 18 Tons of plastic that did not find its way to the landfill. Awesome roaring job Lions of OH4!

It is great to hear of the great projects done by the Lions of OH4. But, are you "Visible" as you serve? Be sure to let your community know you are serving with pride and trying to make a difference in our stressed world! Be sure to post pictures with a small description on all of the social media platforms you use. Facebook, Instagram and TikTok are some being used by our clubs. One can get lessons on how to use these platforms from the local library with an appointment. Post often, at least 2 times a week. Personal posts as well as posts on you club page are a beginning. Have you considered joining the community face-book groups to let the town know you are having fun serving and would like to invite others to join in on the fun? Create an image that your club is inviting to younger members of your community. Enter their world of technology! Then serve together actively with BIG visibility throughout the year.



# District Governor Report November 2021



There is a wealth of information on the LCI webpage at <a href="www.lionsclubs.org">www.lionsclubs.org</a> to help you report your great service activities on MyLion. So far only 30% of the clubs are reporting their great service activities throughout the world. We can do better! When you visit the website and type in the magnifying icon "Service Reporting", a wealth of step-by-step tools are available to help you. Directions on how to set up your MyLion account is presented. There also is a step-by-step guide titled "How to Report & Celebrate Service". Included is a page "Measuring Service Impact" that explains why it is important to report service and a list of the types of activities to report. Just click on the "eye" icon of the titles and the printed materials appear. You are able to print them for future reference and use. Finally, do you know who is able to report service activities for your club? There are 4 individuals indicated by LCI. Each clubs secretary, president, service chairman and club administrator can report service using their MyLion Account for the club. So, if you are relying on just your clubs secretary you are missing an opportunity to be recognized when service reporting does not occur. Share the responsibility and assist the secretary on your clubs service reporting!

As we enter November and a time for family celebration, lets look at the opportunities that we as Lions can learn new things and serve consistently in our communities. Let me leave you with this thought.

"We develop opportunities by applying persistence to possibilities. Opportunity is all around us. If we seek it, we will find it. If the door of opportunity is closed we must knock on it and keep knocking until the door opens."

Find a way to create more opportunities to make a difference in your club and communities. Have a "Happy Thanksgiving" sharing with everyone in your lives!

Lion Judy Young DG MD13 OH4



# Immediate Past District Governor Comments Fall 2021



#### Hi Lions!

I just wanted to share a few thoughts about membership as we head into November and the busy holiday months. I've been asked by Governor Judy to share ideas with clubs relating to ideas from LCI in the area previously called NAMI, and now labeled Global Membership Approaches. No matter what you call it, there are some great suggestions and materials to help our clubs. We ordered enough printed materials so that each club could receive their own copies. They've been distributed at the Zone meetings.

No groaning allowed! (Or aloud!) I know people get tired of hearing about membership, but it is the heart of how we provide service. No members = no service!

To touch on one area included in the material: Membership Satisfaction. Some of our clubs have lost members during the past year. Whatever the reason, we need to be concerned about what makes us want to be Lions. I'll bet it isn't that we love boring meetings! I would suggest that your club officers truly consider some of these tools. Three assessments that I see to choose from are in "Club Quality Initiative", "Membership Satisfaction Guide", and "How Are Your Ratings?" Take time to look them over! Choose one and try it. The key to each is to truly ask and share with each other the strengths and weaknesses that might be part of your club. We can't fix any problems that might cause individuals to be disappointed or discouraged if we don't bring them forward and plan how to improve. We need to also celebrate what we're doing right. Positive service will attract others to serve.

Speaking of what we're doing right -- Take time to look at MyLion or club Facebook pages to see what great creative projects our district has put together during our "Fall Into Service" week. It's so good to share ideas -- it's fine to "steal" from each other and modify to make a service project fit your club.

Don't forget to ask someone to join soon. Remember that the LCI \$35 waiver is good until the end of December.

WE SERVE!

Lion Carol Snyder IPDG District 13 OH4



#### LCIF in Action: Sensory Trail

This was recently posted online in the "Stories of Pride" website: <a href="https://lcifpride.org">https://lcifpride.org</a>

The Winchester (Virginia) Host Lions Club's sensory trail in Jim Barnett Park to aid the blind and visually impaired, was officially opened Sunday, September 26, 2021: "This project started 6 years ago when Lions Clubs International asked clubs to consider a Legacy Project to celebrate the 100th anniversary of Lions Clubs International that would benefit their community. We are so proud to have this project completed and will continue to enhance it." Donate to LCIF <a href="www.lionsclubs.org/en/donate">www.lionsclubs.org/en/donate</a> or checkout more Stories of Pride on the LCIF website!

#### LCIF Grant Highlights: Hunger Grants (Pilot Grant Program)

There are nearly one billion people across the world that experience food insecurity. No one can truly understand the devastating physical and emotional impact of hunger unless they experience it. Through the LCIF Hunger Pilot Grant Program, Lions can support school based feeding programs, food banks, feeding centers, and similar facilities that provide food to people when they need it most.

#### Hunger Pilot Grants (available to districts only, not clubs)

- Amounts: Grants are available to Lions districts in amounts of \$10,000 to \$100,000.
- What does LCIF fund? Large-scale infrastructure development projects focused on equipment acquisition for food banks, school kitchens, and food storage and transport. Examples include:
  - Construction or expansion of food banks, feeding centers, and food storage facilities
  - Construction or expansion of kitchen or dining facilities as part of a school based feeding program
  - Purchase of refrigerators and freezers to store perishable food items
  - Kitchen equipment such as stoves and ovens
  - o Furniture such as chairs and tables for dining rooms and feeding centers
  - Vehicles to transport, collect, and deliver food
- Matching funds: 25% of total project cost
- http://lionsclubs.org/HungerGrant

#### 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.

Maureen Lerch, LCIF District Coordinator mlerch@uakron.edu
330-806-8433

#### FALL INTO SERVICE WEEK

Our district's Lions clubs participated in the "Fall Into Service" week., October 10-17, with many projects. The long list of projects includes:

- Helping to clean roadways
- · Community cleanups
- · Community beautification planting flowers
- Painting
- Sending cards to nursing homes
- · Pumpkin distribution at Alter Care
- Food pantry food donations
- Vision screening

#### THANK YOU LIONS FOR MAKING A DIFFERENCE IN YOUR COMMUNITY.

Lions also recently participated in the JDRF Walk and the STEPS run/walk for pediatric cancer. Great job Lions in supporting these great causes.

There is a work weekend at Camp Ho Mita Koda November 6 and 7. You can come for one day or both. You can stay overnight if you wish. Remember to bring bedding if staying overnight.

Many clubs have started, or continue to do, the Trex plastic recycling program. Please continue these efforts. If your club has not started the Trex program, reach out to us and we can get you started. Our district has received over 48 benches and collected well over 38,000 pounds of plastic, which has kept this plastic from reaching our landfills, our highways and our waterways.

Once again, thank you Lions.

**GST** Roger Mansfield

#### LIONS EYE PROGRAM, INC.

NEWS FLASH – The Lions Eye Program's Executive Board and Delegates Meeting will not be held via Zoom after all. We will be meeting on Wednesday, November 3rd in the DePaul Room at the St. Vincent Charity Medical Center, 2351 East 22nd Street, Cleveland, Ohio. Lion Jerry Volk will call the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m., followed by a pre-Thanksgiving dinner (cost - \$18 person) and then he will resume the meeting. Everyone is welcome to join us as long as you are wearing a mask and practice social distancing. If you prefer not to eat, you may still join us – just indicate "no meal" when making your reservation.

Please call 216-363-2500 and leave a message, or email <a href="mailtonseyepgm@gmail.com">lionseyepgm@gmail.com</a> to make your reservation BEFORE FRIDAY, OCTOBER 29TH.

Feel free to bring your boxed eyeglasses with you.

Lion Lois Lowe Secretary

# Upcoming Zone Meetings

| 2nd Zone Meeting |                |          |                                    |  |
|------------------|----------------|----------|------------------------------------|--|
| Zone             | Zone Chair     | Date     | Location                           |  |
| I                | Angie          |          |                                    |  |
| 2                | Kathy          | 12/7/21  | Ashtabula - Elks Lodge             |  |
| 3                | PCC Betty      | 11/17/21 | Hubbard Lions Club                 |  |
| 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                            |  |
| I                | Angie          |         |                                     |  |
| 2                | Kathy          | 3/9/22  | Painesville - Local Tavern Fish Bar |  |
| 3                | PCC Betty      | 3/23/22 | Niles Lions Club                    |  |
| 4                | PDG Tony       |         |                                     |  |
| 5                | Jill           | 3/3/22  | Suffield Lions Clubhouse            |  |
| 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 <sup>th</sup> Zone Meeting |                |      |          |
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| Zone                         | Zone Chair     | Date | Location |
| I                            | Angie          |      |          |
| 2                            | Kathy          |      |          |
| 3                            | PCC Betty      |      |          |
| 4                            | PDG Tony       |      |          |
| 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

# Camp Ho Mita Koda Workdays

# Save The Dates Saturday-Sunday, November 6-7

(Sat 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM - Sun 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM)



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.

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 <u>FUN!</u> For information, or to sign-up to help, contact Lion Ernie Richmann at 440-668-8310, or <u>erichmann49@yahoo.com</u>.

<sup>\*</sup> Priority item. Need volunteers with expertise and abilities on building ramps.



# 2021 STEPS 5K Run / I Mile Walk For Pediatric Cancer Research

Although the attendance numbers are still down from pre-Covid days, many Lions did not let the gray, drizzly weather hamper their spirits on Sunday, October 3rd. 95 walkers and 4 runners were registered for the 2021 STEPS event at Wingfoot Lake State Park in Suffield, OH with only a handful not making it for various reasons.



Brimfield Lions presented
Dalton Remesnik and his family our Journey of Hope
Award for being such a great advocate and promoting for pediatric cancer research.
Dalton was our original inspiration to keep promoting pediatric cancer research. Dalton is a survivor and cancer free.



The district 13OH4 Melvin Jones Eye Care Foundation presented a check for \$20,000 to Lion Dee Pamer, Event Chair. These dollars will be used for cancer related vision/optic problems experienced by pediatric cancer patients. Your Eye Care Foundation has donated a total of \$50,000 over the past 3 years. We are so grateful and humbled by such a wonderful donation.



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## **Club Reports**

On Wednesday, October 6, at the Manor Restaurant in Austintown, the **Austintown Lions and Lioness Clubs** held their annual Governor's Night, with King Lion John Susany presiding. Special guests were District 13 OH4 Governor Judy Young, of the Poland Lions Club, and her husband Lion Paul Young. A new member, Patti Diocin, was inducted by DG Young into the Austintown Lions, with Lion Jim Banyots serving as her sponsor.

District Governor Young did a rededication of the Lioness Club members who now will become a Branch Club of the Austintown Lions. Lori Stone is president of the Lioness Club.

In DG Young's remarks, she considers herself as chief motivator of the district and a cheerleader for each Lions Club. She thanked the Austintown club for their service and dwelled on membership. She asked the Austintown Lions to set goals in which they can blend new technology with current ways of doing things to achieve better quality and outcomes. DG Judy ended with a request of the Lions to simply ask someone to become a Lion.

District 13 OH4 is comprised of over 50 clubs in 9 Counties in Ohio.

Anyone wishing to become an Austintown Lion should contact Lion Bob Whited at 330-7927907 or olebert 1@aol.com.

From left to right: DG Judy Young, King Lion John Susany, new Lion Patti Diocin, and sponsor Lion Jim Banyots.



## **Club Reports**

Lions from three different clubs joined forces to help with vision screening at Ravenna's West Main Elementary School recently. **Ravenna Lions, Brimfield Lions** and **Kent Lions Clubs** each had two Lions present. This was one of the first opportunity to assist the schools with screening in almost two years.



L-R Seated: Lion Jane Gwinn (Kent), Lion Bev Collin (Ravenna)

L-R Standing: Lion Jim Stroble, (Kent) Julie Andrella, Lion Jill Reitz (Brimfield), Lion Jim Fisher (Brimfield)

Not pictured: Lion Debbie Sunderland (Ravenna)

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The Uniontown Lions Club and the Uniontown Lions Paul Ruley Eyeglass Recycling Center volunteers want to sincerely thank the Melvin Jones District 13OH4 Lions Eye Care Foundation for purchasing and donating an automatic lensometer for the District's recycling center at the Uniontown Community Park building.



This generous donation will greatly help us to continue the crusade against darkness by assisting us to more effectively extend the Lions objective to preserve sight and prevent blindness using our recycling efforts for the District to supply graded glasses for mission efforts. This automatic lensometer will increase our grading by 100% versus using one of our antilog lensometers.

# From the Massillon Lions Club:



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 sig Band (Frank Sinatra Tribute)
Sunday, October 10, 2021 @ pm

Hard Day's Night (Bea

Saturday, October 03, 2021 @ 7:30 pm

Terry Lee Goffee: 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://lionslincolntheatre.org/ Facebook: www.facebook.com/lionslincoIntheatre/

# Southeast Portage County Lions Club Reverse Raffle and Dinner

Lake Milton American Legion Lake Milton, OH

Saturday, November 6, 2021

Doors open at 5:30 PM - Dinner at 6:00 PM

Grand Prize \$1,500.00

Side Boards, Basket Raffle, 50/50 and More!!

Cost \$50.00

Includes a raffle number and dinner for 2 (No take out meals)



# Massillon Lions Club Quarter Auction





Sunday, November 7, 2021

Doors open: 1:00 p.m. Auction starts: 2:00 p.m.

Epworth United Methodist Church 3061 Lincoln Way NW Massillon, Ohio 44647







We Serve

For more info contact:
Bryan Stuck 330-309-1900
bstuck@sssnet.com



# Brimfield Lions Wobble Before You Gobble 5K Turkey Trot Walk/Run and 1 Mile Fitness Walk

When: Thanksgiving Morning – Thursday Nov. 25th

**Registration Starts**: 7:30am

Run Starts Promptly @ 8:30... Rain or Shine

Distance: 1 Mile or 5K

**Location:** Brimfield Plaza- In front of the Subway Restaurant

Sponsored By: Brimfield Lions – Questions call Lion Jill: 330-931-8028

<u>Cost:</u> 10 nonperishable items or cash donations will be accepted – ALL items and proceeds to benefit the Brimfield Community Food Cupboard

Start a NEW Tradition and bring out the ENTIRE family for this FUN event!

Strollers, Wagons & Pets Are Welcomed!!!



## **Kent Lions Fundraising Event**

SWEETEST DAY/HALLOWEEN/THANKSGIVING

# Coblentz Fine Chocolates for Sale One Pound Box of Deluxe Chocolates

**ASSORTED OR ALL DARK CHOCOLATE AVAILABLE** 



\$25/Box

"Coblentz Chocolate Company, nestled in Ohio's Amish Country, holds true to the local traditions of doing things the old-fashioned way. We use the freshest ingredients. No shortcuts- chocolates are hand-dipped and truffles hand-rolled."

For over 60 years, the Kent Lions have had an annual Fall Carnation Sale. Unfortunately, that is not possible this year due to problems with securing flowers from our supplier. Also, Covid concerns limit the participation of our Delta Gamma Volunteers. The Kent Lions are offering this premium chocolate for your enjoyment.

Buy for yourself! Or, buy as a gift for a special friend, neighbor or business associate.

- \*Proceeds from the Sale will support the Kent Lions Club Projects such as:
- \*Provide Eye Exams & Glasses for residents in the Kent area
- \*Support Ohio Eye Care Foundation in providing eye surgeries to residents in Ohio District OH-4
- \*Pilot Dog Scholarships
- \*Donations to Kent Social Services
- \*Two John Ferlito Scholarships for Roosevelt High School Seniors

To place your order, contact any Kent Lion or call or email one of these Lions:

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Missy Harmon 330-256-0684 <u>mcbutterfly61@yahoo.com</u>

Doug Long 330-389-1659 <a href="mailto:chocfount@sbcglobal.net">chocfount@sbcglobal.net</a>

Jerry Fiala 330-687-5174 javerage@att.net

To order on-line, go to: http://lions-club-kent-Ohio.square.site



## **KENT LIONS CLUB**



## 75TH CHARTER ANNIVERSARY 1946-2021

# Saturday, November 20th, 2021 6:00 PM



Invitations will be sent out soon.

# MD13 PDG Association PDG Raffle

Tickets will be on sale until the drawing at the state convention next May.

#### **Details:**

- Each ticket costs \$5.00.
- Only 1,000 tickets were printed.
- Tickets are now available from your District coordinator.
  - They will each have 100 tickets to distribute to any willing salesperson.
- There are 5 winning tickets to be drawn \$750, \$500, \$250, \$100, and \$50.

District coordinators are:

OHI - PCC Darlene Roll

OH2 - PDG Francis Hensel

OH3 - PDG Rob Murry

OH4 - PDG John Woodside

OH5 - PDG Sheryl Schlater

(with DG Joe Jackson and PDG Mike Kerek helping)

OH6 - PDG Norman Cupps

OH7 - PDG Sue Diehm

Our profit will go to the Ohio Lions W.R. "Dick" Bryan Diabetes Fund.

This year, let's sell all the tickets!

We are hopeful that because we are distributing tickets early, and diabetes is a disease that affects so many, that we really can sell all 1,000 tickets.

#### **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:

| lst | \$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:

- I Reverse Raffle ticket = I 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.



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



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.



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CARNIVAL

Service Project to Benefit Cherry Street Mission

Registration paid by 1 Dec 21: \$125

Registrations 2 Dec 21 - 3 Jan 22: \$140

No registrations will be accepted after 3 Jan 22



Or send in the registration form and make all checks payable to: "THE OHIO LIONS" and specify LIONS WINTER RETREAT in the memo line and to: Ohio Lions, 4074 Hoover Rd., Grove City, OH 43123

NO CANCELLATIONS WILL BE REFUNDED AFTER 4 JAN 22





### 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                                    | ve updates on the Winter Retreat! District   |
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| NAME:   | EMAIL_   |
| NAME:   | EMAIL  |
| NAME:   | EMAIL  |
| TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED: \$   | al number of children:(price per meal to be determined)  |
| Registrant's Name: Registrant's Name:   | special dictary seeds required, including the need for a Diabetic Meal,  Needs:  Needs:  |
| Yes,  | Session Facilitators would help as a session facilitator at the Winter Retreat.  |
| November 30, 2021, may be made by requiplus tax with 1 to 4 persons per room. | the hotel by phone: 1-419-836-1466. Room reservations prior to uesting the Ohio Lions Winter Retreat group rate of \$112.00/night After November 30th the room rate may increase. The resort only has a out. The State Office will not accept hotel reservations or room |

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



## **Eyeglass Cases**



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

The Kent Lions Club 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 Pandoroa, OH (mid way between Findlay and Lima).

<sup>\*</sup>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.

**UPCOMING CLUB ACTIVITIES** 

Mark Your 2021 Calendar

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

For more information see page 23.

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

For more information see page 19.

NOV 4 & 13 - JACKSON TOWNSHIP LIONS CLUB, REVERSE RAFFLE DRAWINGS, TICKETS WERE SOLD IN OCTOBER .

For more information see page 26.

NOV 6 - SOUTHEAST PORTAGE COUNTY LIONS CLUB, REVERSE RAFFLE AND DINNER, LAKE MILTON AMERICAN LEGION, DOORS OPEN 5:30 PM - DINNER 6:00 PM.

For more information see page 20.

NOV 7 - MASSILLON LIONS CLUB, QUARTER AUCTION, DOORS OPEN 1:00 PM, AUCTION STARTS 2:00 PM, EPWORTH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 3061 LINCOLN WAY NW, MASSILLON.

For more information see page 21.

NOV 20 - KENT LIONS CLUB, 75 CHARTER ANNIVERSARY, KENT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 6:00 PM, INVITATIONS WILL BE FORTHCOMING.

For more information see page 24.

NOV 25 - BRIMFIELD LIONS CLUB, WOBBLE BEFORE YOU GOBBLE 5K / I MILE RUN / WALK, 8:30 AM, BRIMFIELD

For more information see page 22.

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#### **UPCOMING DISTRICT & STATE ACTIVITIES**

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NOW - MAY 2022 - MDI3 PDG ASSOCIATION, PDG RAFFLE, SEE DISTRICT COORDINATORS FOR TICKETS OR INFORMATION.

For more information see page 25.

NOV 3 - LIONS EYE PROGRAM INC EXECUTIVE BOARD AND DELEGATE MEETING, DEPAUL ROOM, ST VINCENT **CHARITY MEDICAL CENTER, 6:30 PM.** 

For more information see page 8.

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

For more information see page 14.

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

For more information see page 27.

JAN 14-16, 2022 - OHIO LIONS WINTER RETREAT, MAUMEE BAY STATE PARK RESORT, OREGON, OH. For more information see pages 28-29.

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