

# "Lion's Mane to the Tails"

Keeping District 14-L Lions Clubs Informed

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Website: [www.lions14l.org](http://www.lions14l.org)



## District Governors Message

If April showers bring May flowers, what do May flowers bring?



Lions and Leos of District 14L, thank you for support these past several months, to say it has been rocky is a true understatement!

As we begin the last quarter of the Lions year, things are well underway for the district and multiple district conventions. The district 14L convention will be held this year on April 22, 2023. Due to circumstances, we are changing the format and days we were planning. This year, we will be having the convention at Beacon Lodge starting at noon. We will have lunch, hear from our speaker, Donna Gority, about partnering in service, do some service for Beacon Lodge to help celebrate Earth Day,, have our

necrology service and elections. I have postponed our Melvin Jones dinner and we will look to have it early next year, so those of you that were thinking of making a contribution to LCIF to get the Melvin Jones awards still have some time to support our very own Lions foundation.



The Multiple District/State convention will be held this year in Indiana, PA. We will be celebrating our 100<sup>th</sup> state convention with some really exciting activities and displays. One of the displays will be featuring our own Everett club and celebrating the years of work they have put in to place the Medal of Honor statue they are putting in this upcoming June, being so close, please think about a day trip to attend. Registration information is available on the [palions.org](http://palions.org) website or reach out myself or one of the VDG's for more information.

**Lions Clubs International**  
**FOUNDATION**

Again thank you all for your support as I have served as your District Governor this year and please let us all know what activities you have going on.

Yours in Service,

*DG Trisha*

PS..... the riddle answer is Pilgrims, ha ha ha



# 1st vice District Governors Elect Message



Hello Fellow Lions,

Well March has been a busy month with the weather flip flopping from cold to hot and back again.

Early in March spent 3 days at the annual Lions of Pennsylvania Pin Swap where fun was had by all including Millie who attended her first swap!

I have spent the rest of my time getting ready for my District Governor year. All clubs over the next week or so will receive a package in the mail and email if it is in the system with information about scheduling club visits for next year plus elections of club officers for next year and open positions on my District Cabinet.

One of the big changes for next year will be the introduction of the new Lions Portal! They will finally have a system that works together and with all the information at your fingertips. Here is the link to read informations on the new portal and what to expect (<https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/resources-for-members/digital-products/portal-updates>).

I also remind everyone to show your support and head to the 100th Pennsylvania State Convention at the Kovalchick Convention and Athletic Complex in Indiana, PA on May 18-21. We need to show support for our neighboring District 14J. Come out and meet the most energetic and fun loving Lions President in history, IP Brian Sheehan.

I hope everyone is doing well and hope to see you out and about at Lions events.

Yours In Lionism,  
FVDG Jason Radmann

## 2nd vice District Governors Elect

### 2VDG Message – April 2023

Celebrated every year on April 22<sup>nd</sup>, Earth Day marks the achievements of the environmental movement and raises awareness of the need to protect Earth's natural resources. Lions Clubs earth wide are committed to caring for our Earth, and Lions Club International has declared April as Environmental Awareness Month.

Even small actions like picking up litter, installing a rain barrel, setting up a composting bin, or building a wild bird nesting box will reap large rewards.



Together We Can...Make Earth A Better Place to Live 

Lion Brad – 2VDG

"Alone we can do so little; Together we can do so much." – Helen Keller





## District 14L 2023 Convention

Saturday, April 22, 2023

Beacon Lodge

114 State Route 103 South, Mount Union, PA 17066



*Celebrate Our Service!*



**\* Lunch Banquet with Guest Speaker Donna Gority \***

**\* Service Project \***

**\* Elections \***

**\* Future Leader Dog Millie \***

**\* Necrology \***



**Schedule:**

11:30 – 12:00 Arrival

12:00 – 1:00 Lunch – Catered by Beacon Lions Club

1:00 – 1:30 Guest Speaker - Donna Gority - Special Presentation Partnering in Service

1:30 – 2:00 Necrology Service

2:00 – 3:00 Service Project - Beacon Lodge help

3:00 – 4:00 Business Meeting & Elections

**RSVP by: April 19, 2023.**

Please RSVP to DG Trisha or FVDG Jason

liontrisharadmann@gmail.com or lionjasonradmann@gmail.com or 814-832-2039



## District 14L Election Procedure

District Governor Trisha Radmann has called for District 14L Lionos Year 2022 - 2023 Convention. Part of Convention Procedure is the Election of our Governor Elect, 1st Vice District Governor and 2nd Vice District Governor as we have 3 individuals running for these positions.

Each Lions Club in our District in Good Standing can send 1 Delegate for each ten members of their club who have been enrolled for at least one year and a day in their club. The Club and Delegate must be in good standing with the association, the multiple district, and our district. Please make sure the Delegate you send as your representative meets these requirements as credentials will be verified.

Please attend and have your Delegates cast their vote. It is Important for all Lions of our district to take part in the operation and be a part of this procedure.

Your in Lionism

IPDG Gary Shetter



*Are you interested in taking your Lions experience to another level!!!!*

**Interested in helping out on a bigger scale!!!**



**We are looking to fill positions at the district level!  
We are looking for people willing to help the district return  
to its previous glory!!**

Looking to fill the following positions for the 2023-24 Lions year

- District Treasurer
- Zone Chairs
- Diabetes Chair
- Hunger Chair
- District IT Chair/Webmaster
- Vision Chair
- Environment Chair
- 

**Please contact FVDG Jason Radmann  
lionjasonradmann@gmail.com or 814-832-2039**



First Vice District Governor Jason Radmann

2023-24 Club Visits

Hello fellow Lions,

I am FVDG Jason Radmann and I am getting prepared for my year as your District Governor in 2023-24, with that said first thing is to get DG visits scheduled!

I would like to get ALL club visits done before Thanksgiving! Below please give me 3 dates you would like your visit as well a list of dates I will be unavailable is shown!

Also I am encouraging clubs never each other to combine DG visits if possible, this will help with clubs getting to know each other and hopefully in turn help each other.

**Date 1:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date 2:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date 3:** \_\_\_\_\_



**Dates Unavailable**

July 6 -16 - International Convention  
July 19, July 23, Aug 9 - 14

**Directory:**

This year I will not be soliciting for ads in the directory. Due to the issues last year anyone who placed an ad last year will get their ad in my directory for free. If you did not submit an ad last year and would like one in the directory please send a copy of what you would like to see along with the dates of your DG visit! The directory itself will also change. I will be going to a 8.5x11 page size format so it will be bigger and easier to read. If you have events you already know about for the coming Lions year please feel free to send them along and I will add them to the directory. I would rather see club donate the money instead of buying ads in a directory!!!

**Further notes for the coming year.....**

This year my main goal will be to bring Beacon Lodge to the forefront in its 75th year of service!

I am asking each club in District 14L to donate \$5 per member towards Beacon Lodge to help celebrate its 75th year.

**Beacon Lodge is in our home district and we need to step up and help support it!**



Also this year we will be supporting Leader Dog for the Blind again. Our current FLD Millie will be coming to any club visits until she returns to Leader Dog in August. Chances are that any visits after August may possibly get a visit from another Leader Dog, news to follow at a later date. So bring your change to the meeting because we will have our Pennies for Puppies jar with us!!!



Information can be emailed to me at lionjasonradmann@gmail.com  
OR  
Mailed to..  
FVDG Jason Radmann  
619 W 1st Street, Williamsburg, PA 16693





# Lion Portal Important Dates!

**7/15/23-7/24/23:** Target Conversion Date

**Before 6/15/23:** Enter all club officers for 2023-2024

**Before 6/15/23:** Enter service activity for events prior to 6/1/23. Reporting for 6/1/23 going forward will be in the new system after conversion

**Before 6/15/23:** Record any club or donations to LCIF are in the bank with the appropriate supporting documentation for recognition.

**Before 6/15/23:** Make sure club data is accurate for this year (2022-2023). For Example, new members, sponsors, new clubs formed, transfers and other end of year activities specific to clubs are correct and recorded in MyLion/MyLCI

- Make sure every member has an email listed and no shared emails can be used in the new LIONS PORTAL
- Make sure member birthdays are entered since birth dates in MyLCI will be converted - even the old conversion 1/1/1900 date! Hint: in MyLCI under reports run "Member Information Update Report" and have your members update their info!
- Training is slated to begin in late April 2023 - Stay tuned!



**2023-24  
Club Officer Elections**

**Just a reminder your clubs should have put together a nominating committee in the month of March and come up with a list of officers to vote on in April.**

**That list of officers needs to be voted on and entered in MyLCI *BEFORE June 5th!!!***

**Lions is upgrading the portal to better serve the population of Lions and to make all the systems work together. They will be shutting down changes in mid June and moving to the new portal by end of July.**

#### **UPDATE YOUR LION ACCOUNT INFORMATION**

Make sure your Lion Account information is correct and up to date in MyLCI or your regional reporting system. Note that the new Lion Portal will require a unique ID. Unshared email and phone numbers will NO longer be supported as a log in credential.

If you're a club president, secretary or administrator, updating member information is simple:

- Log in to the current member portal with your Lion Account credentials
- Navigate to MyLCI
- Select "My Lion Club"
- Select "Members"
- Click on the member whose information you need to update
- Select "Edit Member" to enter in their revised email address and other updated information

**You can read more about the new portal here.....**

<https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/resources-for-members/digital-products/portal-updates>

*The 2022- 2023 District 14-L Disaster Fund*

Please consider making a donation to the District 14 - L Disaster Fund this year.

"We Serve" and the Disaster Fund is a way the district comes together to serve.

The club and individual donations to the fund are appreciated.

The club news in the District 14 - L Newsletter indicates clubs make donations to individuals in need, and there may be opportunities to supplement those donations from the District 14 - L Disaster Fund.

The District 14-L Disaster Fund provides matching funds up to \$200.00

With fire, medical, and others, additional help means a lot to those dealing with a crisis.

Help keep the District 14 – L Disaster Fund financially viable.

According to the LCI website today, there are 37 active clubs and 852 members in District 14 – L.

The Outreach Assessment for the District 14-L Disaster Fund for 2022-2023 is \$1.00 per member. that is \$852.00 if all pay their assessments. With the help of additional contributions, \$4400.00 has been distributed throughout the district. The balance in the disaster fund checking in March 2023 dropped to \$184.00. Two clubs made donations, but there are three requests pending.

CONSIDER MAKING A DONATION

**Make checks payable to the  
"District 14-L Disaster Fund"**

**Send it to**

**Lion Dave Smith**

**903 Third Ave**

**Duncansville, PA 16635**

Club officers, please consider the District 14 - L Disaster Fund when making donations to community needs. There may be additional help from the fund available.

PDG Gerald Chapman - Chairman

PDG Mike Turek - Vice Chairman

PDG Fred McKinley - Secretary

PDG Kathy Neary

PDG Carl Buck Smith





## Stuffed Chicken Breast Dinner & Bingo!!!

**Sunday May 14, 2023**

Doors open at 12:30 for dinner  
Bingo starts at 2 PM

**\$40 per ticket - Only 50 tickets available!**

Ticket includes: Dinner & an 18-pack  
Bingo Packet

Will be held at the Mill Creek Lions Club

For more information or to purchase  
tickets...

**Message the Beacon  
Lions Branch Club  
on Facebook or  
Text 814-506-2027**



**<https://www.facebook.com/BeaconLionsBranchClub>**

**What is the easiest way to report  
service you ask...??**

**ADVOCACY...!!!!**



**YOUR SERVICE HAS THE POWER TO CHANGE LIVES.  
SO DO YOUR STORIES.  
THE MORE YOU SHARE ABOUT WHAT YOUR CLUB IS  
DOING, THE MORE OPPORTUNITIES YOU CREATE FOR  
YOUR COMMUNITY TO JOIN YOU.  
PROMOTE YOUR CLUB AND  
SERVICE ACTIVITIES.**

IP Douglas Alexander



*By Dale Baine*

# **Popeye Fleck Memorial Fishing Derby**



The date is set! The fish are ordered!  
The campers are registered!  
Now all that is left is YOU!!

We are asking for your continued support to help this be another great year! To run the Derby each year it roughly costs \$75 a participant between the fish, rod & reels, hooks, line, bait, and ect. That's why your donations are so important. Without your generosity we can't continue what we do. If you would like to make a monetary donation please send it to Lion Denny Hall 7513 Panther Lane Huntingdon, PA 16652

Come join us for another awesome derby! Also needing volunteers too to run the event. Please reach out me and let me know!

ZC Hunter "Radar" McVey  
814-599-7316

[lionhuntermcvey@gmail.com](mailto:lionhuntermcvey@gmail.com)

## **July 22 Starting @2PM**

PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp  
114 State Route 103 S. Mt. Union, PA 17066





## Celebrate Beacon Lodge's 75th Birthday & PA Lions Appreciation Day

### Schedule of Events

Join us in celebrating our 75th birthday!  
On July 16th we will be having a birthday party for Beacon  
Lodge along with Pennsylvania Lions Appreciation Day.  
We welcome ALL Lions and Leos.

You are most cordially invited to bring your families to Beacon  
Lodge for this occasion.

We will be having a chicken BBQ and all the fixings. Lunch  
will be served from 11:30 am until 12:30 pm.

The cost is \$10 per person.

Reservations are required and must be received by June 30, 2023.

Please make checks payable to Beacon Lodge with PLAD on  
the memo line to purchase tickets.

Mail to:

PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp

114 State Route 103 South Mount Union, Pa 17066

*Starting at 9:00 AM:*

Camp Store

50/50 Raffle Tickets

Basket Raffle

9:00—11:00 Mini Golf

10:00—11:00 Worship Service

11:00—1:30 Pin Traders

11:30 Introduction of IPDG's/  
Invocation / Lunch

12:30 The Great Duck Race

1:30 Camper Entertainment

12:30—2:00 Camp Tours

12:30—2:30 Afternoon Activities & Games

3:00 Announcements/ Winners

3:30 End of the day / Benediction

Pin traders are invited! Please contact:

Amos Shatzer

11268 Alexander Ave.


Mount Union, Pa 17066

(814) 542-9654

ashatzer@verizon.net

Clubs planning to attend by bus are urged

to give us ample notice so that we may  
have adequate parking arrangements.



PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp  
114 State Route 103 South  
Mount Union, PA 17066  
(814) 542-2511  
office@BeaconLodge.org



**PENNSYLVANIA LIONS' APPRECIATION DAY  
CELEBRATING 75 CONTINUOUS YEARS OF CAMPING  
SUNDAY, JULY 16, 2023**

Sunday, July 16, 2023, has been designated as "Pennsylvania Lions Appreciation Day." This is the day to recognize not only Immediate Past District Governors, District Liaisons, and all Lions and Leos for their outstanding support of the Beacon Lodge Program.

As a Lion or Leo, you are cordially invited to bring your families to Beacon Lodge to join the festivities. Festivities will begin at 9:00 AM. Lunch will be served from 11:30 AM to 12:30 PM. The cost is \$10.00 per person. We will have chicken BBQ and all the fixings.

Pin Traders are invited to participate – contact Amos Shatzer at 11268 Alexander Ave, Mount Union, PA 17066 if you wish to display pins.

Clubs planning to arrange for bus transportation are urged to give the camp ample notice so adequate parking arrangements can be made. Bring lawn chairs and or blankets for seating during the camper's talent show. Certified service animals are allowed to attend if you bring the certification paper from the training entity.

We hope you will be able to visit the camp on "Pennsylvania Lions Appreciation Day" to observe what your contributions have made possible. Every Lion in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania should be very proud of their part in making the Beacon Lodge Camp possible.

**PRE-PAID RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE IN ADVANCE BY JUNE 30  
PLEASE SEND THE COMPLETED FORM (BELOW) TO THE ABOVE ADDRESS WITH PAYMENT**

**PLEASE NOTE: NO RESERVATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER JUNE 30, 2023**

**PENNSYLVANIA LIONS APPRECIATION DAY  
JULY 16, 2023**

PLEASE RESERVE \_\_\_\_\_ Picnic Meals @\$10.00 EACH = TOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TICKETS WILL BE PICKED UP ON JULY 16 BY:

NAME & ADDRESS OF PERSON MAKING RESERVATION:

NAME STREET CITY STATE ZIP

Club and District

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ \_\_\_\_\_

*A 501(c) 3 NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION (GIFTS ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE)*



Wish List 2023 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ District: \_\_\_\_\_ Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**OFFICE SUPPLIES:**

- Color Copier Paper
- White Copier paper
- 8x14 white paper
- Bright White Printer Paper
- Envelopes: #10, 6x9, 9x12
- Bubbled Envelopes 6x9, 8x11
- 3 prong Pocket Folders
- Sharpies - all sizes
- Small Paper Clips
- Banker Boxes
- Dry Erase Markers

**KITCHEN:**

- Plastic Cold Cups: 5 oz & 9 oz
- Hot Wax Coffee Cups: 9 & 10 oz
- Chinnet Paper Plates: 9" or larger
- Napkins: dinner, picnic
- Original Dawn Dish Liquid
- Foil Wrap: 18" x 500 ft
- Plastic Food Wrap: 18" x 2000 ft
- Parchment Paper: sheets
- White Bar/Dish Cloths
- Vinyl Kitchen Gloves (ALL sizes)

**HOUSEKEEPING:**

- Thick Paper Towels
- Clorox
- Disinfecting Spray Cleaner
- Disinfecting Floor Cleaners
- Disinfecting Wipes
- Magic Erasers
- White Vinegar
- 55-56 gal Trash Bags
- Toilet Plungers-heavy duty
- Toilet Brushes
- Zipper Vinyl Pillow Covers (standard)
- Zipper Vinyl Mattress Covers (twin)
- Long Twin Size Blankets - No Wool
- Long Extendible Dusters
- Industrial Wet Mop Heads
- Vinyl Disposable Gloves: M, Lg, XL

**MAINTENANCE:**

- M, L, XL, XXL Black Nitrile Powder-Free Gloves
- LED Light Bulbs
- LED Flood Light Bulbs
- Duracell/Energizer/Rayovac Batteries: (AAA, AA, C, D, 9V)
- Packs of Roller Covers: LG & SM
- Foaming Bee/Wasp Killer
- Ant Spray
- Garden Hose Nozzles
- Microfiber Cloths
- Long Neck Lighters
- Paint Brushes: 2", 3", 4"
- Knee Pads

**INFIRMARY:**

- Baby Wipes
- Sunscreen - Cream and Spray
- Bug Spray (OFF, ect.)
- Bactine Spray
- Lanacane Spray
- Benadryl Spray
- Liquid Benadryl for children
- Calamine Lotion
- Hydrocortisone Cream
- Tylenol: adult & children
- ibuprofen: adult & children
- Imodium
- Pepto-Bismol
- Saline Eye Drops
- Cold Relief Medications
- Cough Drops
- Blood Pressure Cuff
- Pulse Oximeter
- Exam Gloves: all sizes, latex free
- Sharps Containers
- Single Use Lancets
- Graduated Liquid Medicine Dispenser Cups
- First Aid Kits
- Large Disposable Bed Pads
- Shower Chairs

**ACTIVITIES:**

- Craft Jewelry
- Craft Beads, String
- Colored Paper
- Elmer's Glue Sticks
- Bingo Cards and Blotters
- Bingo Prizes**
- Stress Balls
- Weighted Stuffed Animals
- Massage Balls
- Twine
- Tie Dye
- White T-Shirts: Med, Lg, XL, 2XL
- White Socks: All Sizes Kids & Adult
- Chewable Sensory Necklaces
- Adult Sleeping Bags
- Smart Scissors & Skills Workbook
- Craft Kits for Children and Adults
- Crayons/Markers/Pencils
- Sensory Color Illusions
- Slinkies
- Suncatchers
- Small Paint Kits and Brushes
- Play Doh
- Small Totes with lids

**Gift Cards:**

- Lowes
- Ace hardware
- True Value
- Harbor Freight
- Walmart
- McDonald
- Hoss's

Please visit [BeaconLodge.org/wishlist](http://BeaconLodge.org/wishlist) for updated items, our Amazon Wish List, and AmazonSmile information.





**Pennsylvania Lions Beacon Lodge Camp**

Will hold its 20<sup>TH</sup> Annual

# **GREAT DUCK RACE**

**Held at PA Lions Beacon Lodge  
Camp on Lions Appreciation Day**

**Sunday, July 16, 2023  
Post Time 12:30  
\$5.00 Donation**

**1<sup>st</sup> Place Prize--\$1,000  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place--\$500.  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place--\$250.00  
4<sup>th</sup> Place--\$125.00  
5<sup>th</sup> Place--\$125.00**

**Don't hesitate to contact your Beacon Lodge Board Member  
for tickets and information.**

**PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp  
7th Annual Golf Outing  
August 26, 2023**

**Add-Ons**

<b>Overnight Accommodations</b> at Beacon Lodge Camp .....	Free
<b>Please call Beacon Lodge to make arrangements</b> 814-542-2511	
<b>Early Bird Golf - 18 holes</b> Friday, August 25 (all day) .....	\$24

In 1948, Lion Carl Shoemaker helped found Vacations for the Blind, a summer camp designed for adults with vision impairment. Since then, the name was changed to PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp. The program has also changed to include children and adults with a wide range of disabilities. By providing a sponsorship or joining us at the American Legion Country Club, you will be helping us continue our mission of providing a summer camp experience to our statewide community of Adults and Children living with Special Needs.

**PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp  
7th Annual Golf Outing**  
**Saturday, August 26, 2023, 1:00 pm**  
**American Legion Country Club**  
**Mount Union, PA, 17066**  
**814-542-4343**

**Sponsor Information\***

Name for Sign: \_\_\_\_\_

District 14- \_\_\_\_\_

Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

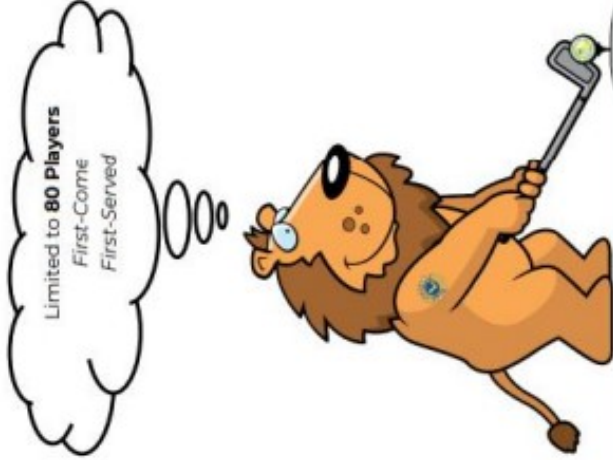
Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Send before August 11, 2023**  
Thank you for helping us serve!

**Golfer Registrations and sponsorships  
now available online!**  
Use the link or QR Code below.  
<https://bit.ly/beaconlodge>



PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp  
c/o Jonathan Carver  
114 State Route 103 South  
Mount Union, PA, 17066



## PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp

Are you looking for a way to help special needs children and adults **AND** have fun?

Then, this golf outing is exactly what you're looking for!

**When:** Saturday, August 26, 2023  
Check-In – Noon  
Shotgun start at 1:00 pm

**Where:** American Legion Country Club  
Mount Union, PA, 17066

**Format:** 18-hole Scramble

**Price:** Just \$75/golfer includes—  
Green Fees  
Cart

Prizes & Awards  
Snacks, beer, pop, and water  
all day

Food is included throughout  
the day

### To Register Online:

Scan the QR Code on the front or visit  
<https://bit.ly/beaconlodge>

**Note: make checks payable to  
"PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp"  
and return:**

c/o Jonathan Carver  
114 State Route 103 South  
Mount Union, PA, 17066

## 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Outing



- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Team \$300
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Team \$200
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Team \$100

### Plus:

Skills Prizes on all par 3s:  
Longest Drive and Longest Putt -  
\$50 Pro Shop Gift Certificates

**Your support as a Sponsor is crucial to  
the success of PA Lions Beacon Lodge  
Camp.**

### Sponsor Levels:

**Diamond - \$10,000** Includes Naming  
Rights for the outing, Logo Branding on  
event website, Score Cards, and all pin  
flags; a 3'x2' diamond-shape Pavilion  
Sign, 4 paid Foursomes and an 18"x12"  
Hole Sponsor Sign (at a tee or green)

**Ruby - \$5,000** Includes 3'x2' Ruby sign, 2  
paid Foursomes and an 18"x12" Hole  
Sponsor Sign (at a tee or green)

**Platinum - \$2,500** Includes 3'x2' Platinum  
sign, 2 paid Foursomes, and an 18"x12"  
Hole Sponsor Sign

**Gold - \$1,500** Includes a 3'x2' Gold Sign, 1  
paid Foursome, and an 18"x12" Hole  
Sponsor Sign

**Silver - \$1,000** Includes a 3'x2' Silver Sign,  
1 paid Foursome, and an 18"x12" Hole  
Sponsor Sign

**Bronze - \$500** Includes a 3'x2' Bronze  
Sign and an 18"x12" Hole Sponsor Sign

**Hole - \$100** Includes an 18"x12" Hole  
Sponsor Sign

**Cart - \$50** Includes an 8.5"x11" sign on cart

## Golfer Registration Form PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp

Format: 4-Person Scramble  
(One single-digit handicap per team)

Team Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Golfer #1 \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City/St/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone (H) \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone (W) \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_ Hcp \_\_\_\_\_  
Golfer #2 \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City/St/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone (H) \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone (W) \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_ Hcp \_\_\_\_\_  
Golfer #3 \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City/St/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone (H) \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone (W) \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_ Hcp \_\_\_\_\_  
Golfer #4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City/St/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone (H) \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone (W) \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_ Hcp \_\_\_\_\_





**JUNE 17TH  
2023**

**Hartsock**

**and**

**Weicht**

**Medal of Honor**

**Statue**

**Dedication**

**Ceremony**

**We would love to have you  
join us at the celebration  
and installation of the statue  
Honoring our two local Medal of Honor  
recipients on the afternoon of June 17th**



**An  
Everett Lions  
project**

**If you would like to say a few words  
please contact us for info  
please RSVP @ [bootman43@gmail.com](mailto:bootman43@gmail.com)**



**100<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL PENNSYLVANIA LIONS CLUBS STATE CONVENTION**



**Thursday, May 18 through Sunday, May 21, 2023  
Kovalchick Convention and Athletic Complex  
711 Pratt Drive, Indiana, PA 15705**



**Registration (complete one form per attendee) Return form by: APRIL 28, 2023**

Name (Last Name, First Name) \_\_\_\_\_ Sub-District \_\_\_\_\_  
Circle Membership: Lion Leo Guest Title: ID PIP PID DG VDG PDG  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_ home cell work Email \_\_\_\_\_  
Club name \_\_\_\_\_, Spouse/Partner/Guest \_\_\_\_\_  
First State Convention YES NO Years as a Lion \_\_\_\_\_  
Special considerations: Dietary Restrictions Hearing Vision Physically Challenged

Convention Registration \$15 per attendee \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
State Convention Pin(s) \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$4/pin \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Meal Reservations**

Friday Luncheon—\$23 per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Buffet -- sandwich, side salad, chips, pickles, cookies, beverage

PA Counsellors/District Governors Honor Banquet--\$35 per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_

garden salad, roasted fingerling potatoes with cracked pepper and truffle oil,  
roasted vegetable medley, layered mousse martini. Choice of

- \_\_\_\_ Asiago Crusted Chicken with Red Pepper Sauce
- \_\_\_\_ Garlic and Herb Roasted Pork Loin
- \_\_\_\_ Grilled Vegetable Lasagna Roll Up with Creamy Garlic Sauce

Saturday Luncheon--\$22 per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Choice of salad, lunch meats, bread/rolls, cookies, chips, beverage

International Banquet--\$35 per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_

garden salad, whipped potatoes, carrots, NY cheesecake. Choice of

- \_\_\_\_ Roast Beef
- \_\_\_\_ Sliced Turkey with Gravy
- \_\_\_\_ Arancini (Italian rice ball) w/ San Marzano tomato, parmesan, basil

Melvin Jones Fellow/Key Member Breakfast -- \$23 per person  
Breakfast buffet \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Amount Due for Meal Reservations** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Amount Due** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Checks payable to: **14-J Lions 2023 Convention**

Mail to: **PDG Linda Lupro**

**401 Galaxy Circle**

**DuBois, PA 15801**

[lionlinda13@yahoo.com](mailto:lionlinda13@yahoo.com)

**410-322-4808**

# 100<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL PENNSYLVANIA LIONS CLUBS STATE CONVENTION



## Celebrating A Century of Service

Listed below are some of the tours, activities, and attractions that will be available during the convention. Please write the number of participants on the line in front of the activity if you want to partake. Accurate totals are needed for preparation.

**TOURS**—*Tours listed below are free and transportation is provided*

\_\_\_ **Indiana County Workshop Tour--Friday, May 19 from 9 am to 11 am**

*The mission of ICW Vocational Services, Inc. is to teach, empower, and support individuals with disabilities through a continuum of services; and to promote lifelong learning to maximize the individual's potential to obtain their goals with dignity.*

\_\_\_ **Indiana Lions Health Camp, the home of Camp Orienda and Indiana Lions Club—Friday, May 19 and Saturday, May 20 various time between 9 am to 12 pm**

*Camp Orienda is a residential summer health camp for persons with disabilities. The Lions Clubs in 14-J will be displaying historical information and memorabilia about the 14-J District. Actor Jimmy Stewart helped to lay the cornerstone for the camp!*

### ACTIVITIES

\_\_\_ **Painting Party (Saturday afternoon)** **\$10/person**

\_\_\_ **Wine Tasting (Saturday afternoon)** **\$25/person**

\_\_\_ **100<sup>th</sup> Year Anniversary Celebration (Friday afternoon)** **no fee**

*Open time capsule, presentations, and cupcakes*

**ATTRACTIONS**—*Provide your own transportation*

**Jimmy Stewart Museum (1.1 miles)**

*Our convention is the same time as Jimmy Stewart's 115th birthday weekend (May 20, 1908), and they always go all out for his birthday. There will be new displays, and several of Jimmy's family will be in for the weekend. Show your convention lanyard and admission is \$7.50.*

**The Indiana County Visitors' Bureau will have a booth at the convention to provide other sight-seeing options.**

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Make Checks Payable to: 14J Lions 2023 Convention**

**Please return with your registration form by April 28, 2023.**



## 100<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL PENNSYLVANIA LIONS CLUBS STATE CONVENTION



Thursday, May 18 through Sunday, May 21, 2023

Kovalchick Convention and Athletic Complex

711 Pratt Drive, Indiana, PA 15705



### HOTEL INFORMATION

These hotels have blocks of rooms for the PA Lions 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Convention. Contact the hotel of your choice to make a reservation. Rates are in effect until **April 18, 2023.**

**Hilton Garden Inn Indiana at IUP--\$139 + tax (Use Code PALION)**

714 Pratt Dr, Indiana, PA 15705

(724) 349-2222

Hilton.com

On-site location

**Hampton Inn Indiana--\$129 + tax (Use Code PALION)**

1275 Indian Springs Rd, Indiana, PA 15701

(724) 349-7700

Hilton.com

2.6 miles from the convention center

**Ramada by Wyndham--\$109.50 + tax (Use Code PALI-MAY23)**

1395 Wayne Ave, Indiana, PA 15701

(724) 463-3561

Ramada.com

1.3 miles from the convention center

**Quality Inn & Suites—varies depending on room choice (Use Code PALIONS)**

1545 Wayne Ave, Indiana, PA 15701

(724) 349-9620

1.8 miles from the convention center

**Other Hotels Nearby**

Holiday Inn Express

Hampton Inn Blairsville

Days Inn Indiana



# HOSPITALITY NIGHT

Friday, May 19, 2023  
9 pm to midnight

**Celebrating our 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**

with

*“Music through the Decades”*

by

**Dueling Pianos International**





# BRIAN E. SHEEHAN

Lions Club International President 2022- 2023

## Meet Our International President

Brian E. Sheehan, from Bird Island, Minnesota, USA, was elected to serve as international president of Lions Clubs International at the association's 104th International Convention, June 22 through June 28, 2022.

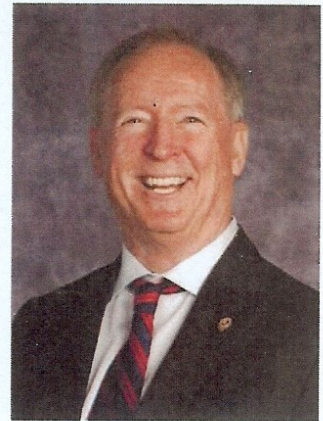
President Sheehan is the founder and CEO of Rural Computer Consultants, a software development company.

A member of the Bird Island Lions Club since 1991, he has held many offices within the association, including council chairperson, long range planning chairperson, membership chairperson, retention chairperson, women's initiative chairperson, MD convention chairperson, GMT Liaison and GLT area leader. He has also served as the chairperson of the Headquarter Operation & Finance Committee, Lions University coordinator, DGE group leader, and board appointee to several committees including Constitutions and Bylaws, LCIF Executive, LCI Executive, USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum and the Centennial Action committees. He has been a presenter at numerous Lions events, including many of the Global Forums.

In recognition of his service to the association, he has received numerous awards including Club Lion of the Year; the District 5M 4 Diabetes Awareness Award; the MD 5M Web Site Appreciation Award; the MD 5M Al Jensen Leadership Award; the Founders Membership Growth Award; numerous International President's Certificates of Appreciation; International President's Leadership Award; multiple International President's Awards; and the Ambassador of Good Will Award, the highest honor the association bestows upon its members. He is also a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow and Second Century Ambassador.

In addition to his Lions activities, President Sheehan is active in numerous professional and community organizations. He has served as president of Bird Island Civic and Commerce, director of the Learning Funhouse and as a member of various school committees. He also received the 2011 U.S. SBA Minnesota Small Business Person of the Year Award.

President Sheehan and his wife, Lori, also a Lion and Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow, have two sons and two daughters. And in their spare time, they have enjoyed raising many types of exotic animals.





# The Luncheon Speakers

## Friday, May 19—DG Daniel Marney Elkins



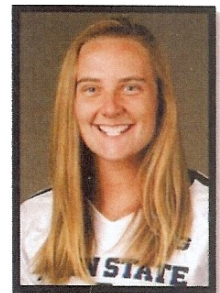
District Governor Daniel Marney Elkins is a professional drug prevention specialist and serves as the director of the Bellevue Prevention and Outreach Center in Wilmington Delaware. He specializes in creating youth leadership programming by teaching strategic thinking and service learning. Lion Daniel is one of the founders of the Lions Virtual movement and is one of the executive producers for the LCIF Tell-A-Thon. He has presented at International Conventions, USA/Canada Forums, Anzi Forums, ISAME Forums, Europa Forums and at district conventions around the country. Lion Daniel is an Ambassador of Goodwill, a Second Century Ambassador, and a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow. Both he and his wife Jessica are proud to be charter members of the Bellefonte Lions club and love being Delaware Lions!

## Saturday, May 20—Jonni Parker



Founded by Jonni Parker, Chasing Greatness is an organization to support persons 18 years and younger with hearing loss by creating funding opportunities for hearing aids and the enhancement of life skills. Jonni is a hearing-impaired athlete who has spent her life “chasing greatness” by not allowing her hearing impairment to define her. She has played volleyball since age 11, with four pairs of hearing aids. She graduated from Penn State in 2022 as a four-year Division 1 collegiate athlete. She is currently a first- grade teacher in Ohio, and she also coaches at Munciana Volleyball Club.

At Penn State, Jonni was the Big 10 Freshman of the year in 2018, and she went on to be a three-year volleyball captain. She is a four-time AVCA All-American and has earned two Academic All-Big 10 Awards. She was a candidate for the Senior Class Award for Volleyball (only 30 nominated) and was awarded the Big 10 Medal of Honor and the Penn State Ernest B. McCoy Award, presented annually to one senior student-athlete who has combined successful athletic participation with academic excellence.





# DISTRICT FOOD DRIVE CHALLENGE

**May 1st - June 10th , 2023**

To finish out the Lion year strong, we are going to hold a district wide service project. We will be collecting non-parishables. Below are the most requested items! The goal is to raise 2500 items for the local communities. The rules are simple! Raise as many items till June 10th and report your progress to ZC Hunter. Each club will decide where their items will go, whether a local "Free Item Bin", church, or food bank. You decide. Open it to guests to raise items, or make it a "fee" for entry to the meeting! Let's get 100% to end the year with a BANG!

- Soups and stews
- Grain breakfast
- Canned or dried beans
- Canned fish, meat
- Peanut butter / other nut butters
- Pasta sauce canned tomatoes
- Shelf-stable milk
- Canned vegetables

**Don't forget  
a can opener!!**

ZC Hunter McVey  
[lionhuntermcvey@gmail.com](mailto:lionhuntermcvey@gmail.com)  
814-599-7316

**PENNSYLVANIA IS CELEBRATING 100 YEARS IN LIONISM IN 2023**

**WHY NOT HAVE YOUR CLUB PURCHASE ONE PIN FOR EACH  
OF YOUR MEMBERS TO HELP THEM WITH THIS CELEBRATION**

**Celebrating MD-14 Pennsylvania  
State Lions Clubs  
Centennial  
1923-2023**



**Limited Edition Centennial Pin**

now available at \$4.00

Reserve your pins for Lions, Leos and Clubs

Contact PCC Terri Kodgis

814/659-6620

Terri.kodgis@breezeline.net

## Welcome new members



McVeytown Lions - Sheree A. Stimley, sponsor Kristi Rishel

Orbisonia Lions - Todd W. Lockhoff, sponsor John Plank

Forbes Road Lions - David M. McDonald, sponsor Devin Horne

Mill Creek Lions - Ashley Ramey, sponsor Karen Morris

Milroy Lions - James E. Moist, Jr., sponsor Ronald Myers

Milroy Lions - Jeffrey J. Sellers, sponsor Ronald Myers

Milroy Lions - Kerry A. Benningoff, sponsor Ronald Myers

Newry Lions - Richard Stanford, sponsor Ron Leighty

Newry Lions - Karen Stanford, sponsor Ron Leighty

Cove Lions - Betsy Wile, sponsor Lisa Wile





- April 22 Beacon Lions Club soup sale at Appleby's in Mount Union at 9:00am
- April 22 District 14-L Convention at Beacon Lodge Camp beginning at noon.
- May 7 2nd Annual Vendor Bingo. Cove Lions Club
- May 14 Beacon Lions Club "Special Bingo" bingo and chicken breast dinner at Mill Creek Lions Building beginning at 12:30 pm
- May 18-22 100th Annual Pennsylvania State Convention & State Council Meeting
- July 22 Popeye Fleck Fishing Derby at Beacon Lodge Camp beginning at 2:00 pm

## AROUND DISTRICT 14-L



Karen Morris of the Mill Creek Lions Club making a Contribution to Casey Carver of the newly formed Beacon Lions Club



Lion Kay Shatzer of the newly formed Beacon Lions Club recently held a auction at the Pin traders Club of Pennsylvania Pin Swap, the quilt was won by Lon Russ Lenig of the Mifflintown Lions Club.

# “Around District 14-L”

## **Allenport** -Held chicken and waffles dinner

**Blairs Mills** - Our club has resumed twice monthly meetings after a January/February hiatus. Donated \$200 to a community member whose home was destroyed by fire. Blood Drive held March 2<sup>nd</sup> with 20 Units collected. March of Dimes Square Dance held March 18<sup>th</sup>. \$200 donated to Leader Dogs. Donated \$25 to outgoing DG Fund. Donated \$100 to Shade Gap Elementary School for Field Trip. Donated \$100 to Lack-Tuscarora Easter Egg Hunt. Donated \$100 to Doylesburg Fishing Derby. Donated \$100 to Home-Town Kids Fishing Derby. Donated \$200 to a community member who recently suffered paralysis from a fall..

**Burnham** - Held our turkey dinner. Held our Hoagie sale. donated \$1000.00 to the Burnham pool. Donated \$500.to N.E. Lions Service foundation. Donated \$500.00 to District 14-L Disaster Fund

**Cove** - April 1st we are holding a Spring Craft/Vendor Show. Our last Brunch of the season in March made a profit of \$1139.00. The club will be helping different community activities. District and other groups by donating \$1596.00 this month.

**Forbes Road** - Donated \$50.00 to Center/Clear Ridge Food Bank. Donated \$100.00 to Leader Dog Program..

**Mill Creek** - Held a fundraiser for Darlene Shehan who is battling cancer.

Had a fundraiser for donations to the Fairweather Farm which rescues horses. Welcomed a new member Ashley Ramey sponsored by Karen Morris. Planning Easter Egg hunt for kids April 1<sup>st</sup> at 1:00. Saturday Bingo April 1<sup>st</sup> at 6:30 p.m. Every 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month. Regular Every Tuesday night Bingo at 6:30 p.m. Hosting Bingo for Beacon Lodge Lions Club May 14, 2023 Tickets on sale now \$40.00 includes 18 card packet and Filled Chicken Breast Dinner

**Milroy** - Donated 2500.00 to a family having a home built by “Habitat” due to losing mother to homicide. Donated \$3000.00 to benefit a family with premature twins of three months. Spaghetti Dinner planned for April 20th to benefit a nine year old girl having a neurological disorder since she was one year old.



**Orbisonia** - Donated to Beacon Lodge's 500 club! . We will sponsor a camper for 2023. Two of our members loved ones are having health problems, so donated to them

**Roaring Spring** - Held OX Roast with 14 Lions helping a giving 150 hours total. Donated \$250.00 for a co-payment towards Cataract Surgery. Will hold an Easter Egg hunt will be held on April 2nd. Will hold craft show on April 29th. Will hold spaghetti Dinner for a needy family on May 5th..