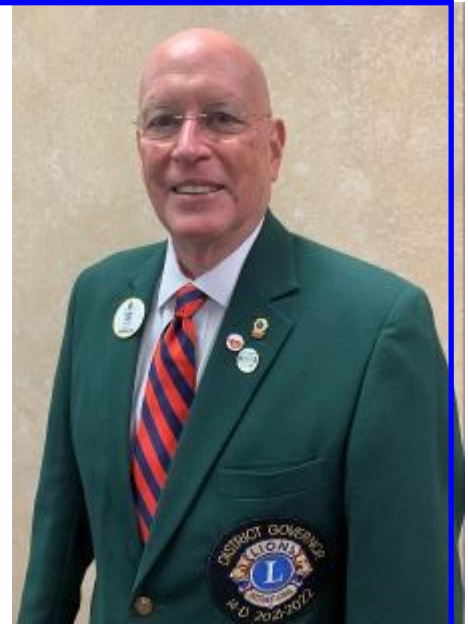


District 14 D- Details

A Message from District Governor Dick Sware

Happy New Year Lions of District 14-D. I hope that you had a very Merry Christmas and were able to enjoy the holidays with family and friends. It's hard to believe that we are now in 2022 and we are half way through the current Lions year.



As Immediate Past International President Dr. Jung Yul-Choi said in his recent LCIF update, we have 6 months left to achieve our Campaign 100 Goal of raising \$300 Million. That goal is very achievable if we keep the goal in the forefront of our thoughts and work together.

We also have 6 months left to achieve our District Goals. Let's not lose sight of those goals as we continue to Make a Difference 1 At A Time by providing Service From The Heart.

I am pleased to announce that our District Convention will be held at the Lancaster County Career and Technology Center in Willow Street on March 26, 2022. We have several other District Events coming up in the next few months. I ask that you put these on your calendars and plan to attend them. There will be more information coming on each of the events very soon. Those events are:

March 6, 2022 District Bowling Tournament Dutch Lanes
Contact – Lion Chester Stoltzfoos

March 12, 2022 Melvin Jones / Pa Fellow Breakfast Yoder's Restaurant
Contact – District Governor Dick Sware

March 25, 2022 Presidents' Honor Night Yoder's Restaurant
Contact – PDG Deb Burkholder

March 26, 2022 District Convention Willow Street LCCTC
Contact – Lion Lori Eshleman and ZC Deb Keeperts

Congrats to 2nd Vice District Governor Mike Schaeffer on his retirement from the Millersville Boro Police Force effective on January 5, 2022 after more than 25 years as a police officer. Please join me in congratulating 2nd Vice District Governor Mike.

Thanks for all you do to Make A Difference 1 At A Time.

Dick Sware
District Governor

District Governor's Calendar

January 4	Official Visit – Denver Lions Club	6:30 PM
January 5	Official Visit – Garden Spot Lions Club	6:30 PM
January 6	Official Visit – Gap Town Clock Centennial Lions Club	7 AM
January 6	Official Visit – West Earl Lions Club	6:30 PM
January 9	State Council Meeting via Zoom	8 PM
January 10	Award Presentation – East Cocalico Lions Club	6:30 PM
January 11	Official Visit – New Holland Lions Club	6 PM
January 13	Official Visit – Marietta Lions Club	6:30 PM
January 18	Official Visit – Manheim Lions Club	6:30 PM
January 19	Official Visit – Cocalico Leo Club	2 PM
January 19	Official Visit – East Petersburg / Landisville Lions Clubs	6:30 PM
January 20	Official Visit – Lititz Lions Club	6 PM
January 25	Official Visit – Millersville Lions Club	6:30 PM

FROM YOUR NEWSLETTER EDITOR: PLEASE FORWARD YOUR ARTICLES BY JAN 25TH FOR FEB. LET OTHER CLUBS KNOW WHAT YOUR CLUB IS UP TOO! SHARE YOUR PHOTOS! E-MAIL TO ME AT anitagordonpalmer@gmail.com (PLEASE PUT IN SUBJECT LINE NEWSLETTER AND MARK RETURN RECEIPT.) Thank you! Lion Anita Gordon-Palmer

Message from the 1st Vice District Governor, Carl Spellman

Dear Lions,

I wish all Lions a Happy New Year and I encourage clubs to dedicate themselves to increased Service, Membership and Leadership in their clubs and communities.

On membership, I encourage each club to have a membership night and there are planning resources on the LCI website. On leadership, you can increase your leadership skills by attending the Regional Lions Leadership Institute, March 11 -13, 2022 at the Red Lion Hotel in Harrisburg. You should apply to DG Dick Sware in order to attend this Institute

Lions Clubs International (LCI) and our clubs have these global causes: [Diabetes, Vision, Hunger, Environment, and Childhood Cancer.](#) In the new year, we should encourage our clubs to start or increase service. Examples of service in each of the areas is provided on the LCI website (lionsclubs.org)

Diabetes: Hold a Diabetes screening event.

Vision: Organize a vision screening event for elementary students. You can work with VisionCorp to hold a KidSight screening at your local elementary school.

Hunger: Organize a food drive for your local food pantry.

Environment: Plant trees in your community on Earth Day Friday, April 22.

Childhood Cancer: Support the Four Diamonds Fund that provides financial support for children being treated for cancer.

Thank you and your club for service to your communities and I wish you success in attaining your Lions goals in 2022.

Making A Difference 1 At A Time

1st Vice District Governor Carl Spellman

Message from the 2nd Vice District Governor, Mike Schaeffer

I have everyone had a wonderful Christmas and holiday season. December was another month for growth in membership. We had 4 dropped members and 7 new members for a net gain of +3. Overall, we are currently at +9 for the year! 2022 looks promising to continue the upward trend with one club reporting they have 5 new members to induct in January.

As a reminder, the \$35 initiation fee is waived until the end of June, a great incentive to attract new members. If you haven't already done so, consider planning a Spring membership drive. Lions from the membership team are available to assist with the planning.

On a personal note, after 26 years of law enforcement service to the citizens of Millersville Borough, I am officially retiring on January 5th. It has been a very rewarding career but the time has come to pursue other opportunities. I wish you a safe, healthy and prosperous 2022 and look forward to continue serving the District as needed.

Happy New Year!

SVDG Mike Schaeffer



IN MEMORIAM

There is no report of Lions passing away in District 14-D in December 2021.



NEW MEMBERS

Christina Fenicchia

Greg Rhinier

Michael Fink

Dang Wang

Jessica Martin

Maggie Brandt

Danielle Burnstein

Barbara Gast

Ephrata Lions Club

Ephrata Lions Club

Garden Spot Lions Club

Lafayette Lions Club

Millersville Lioness Lions Club

Palmyra Area Lions Club

Willow Street Lions Club

Willow Street Lions Club

Kendra Rhinier

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Ronald Fink

John Resch

Katie Hess

Andrea Garber

Rick Eshleman

Alexis Doulin

**REGIONAL LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE
HARRISBURG, PENNSYLVANIA March 11-13, 2022**

CANDIDATE'S INFORMATION FORM

Cost \$175.00 per Candidate (includes Institute, lodging and meals)

Checks should accompany this form and be made out to **"PA State Council of Lions Clubs"**

**Mail to PDG Kerry McKnight
6 Mulberry Lane, New Freedom, PA 17349**

Questions to PDG Kerry McKnight at klm52@aol.com or 717-235-2790

Application Submission Deadline Date: January 31, 2022- Maximum 40 attendees

Please type or print

District Number _____ Member Number _____

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Current Lion's Title _____ Highest Lions Office Held _____

Email** _____ Preferred Telephone # _____

****Will be used for ALL Communication regarding the institute – Please Type or Print**

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Lions Club Name & Number _____ Month and Year Joined _____

Offices Held Within Lions Club _____

Committee Positions Held Within Lions Club _____

Why is this institute of interest to you? _____

Candidate's Signature _____ Date _____

→ DG form on next page

District Governor Must Complete and Sign this Form

In what ways will this candidate benefit from attending the Regional Lions Leadership Institute?

District Governor Member Number _____

Name of District Governor _____

Signature of District Governor _____

Email (Please print) _____

Date _____

LIONS CLUBS
INTERNATIONAL





MD-14 Global Action Team Spring Leadership Symposium

Presenters & Topics

PID Cindy Gregg-"Beyond MyLion"
PDG Cheryl Wilbur-"Incentives for Recruiting"
PDG Tom Gregg-"MyLion Service Reporting+"
PDG Kerry McKnight-"Motivating Lions"

2 LOCATIONS

Saturday, February 12, 9AM-3PM

PA Lions State Office
949 East Park Drive, Harrisburg, PA 17111
Lunch available for a \$7.00 donation
OR

Sunday, February 13, Noon-5PM

Butler County Association for the Blind
322 N. Cedar St, Butler, PA 16001
Snacks will be available

MD-14 Lions Food Donation Activity #2

Harrisburg vs. Butler Locations

Deliver your District's gift of non-perishable food items to either Spring Leadership Symposium location. District with the most food items (by weight) chooses a local Food Pantry to receive the donations.

Register to Attend: Free & Open to all Lions

**Email PDG Kerry at klm52@aol.com
or call (717)235-2790**



REGIONAL LIONS
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MD-14 PENNSYLVANIA LIONS

March 11-13, 2022

Red Lion Hotel, Harrisburg

Curriculum

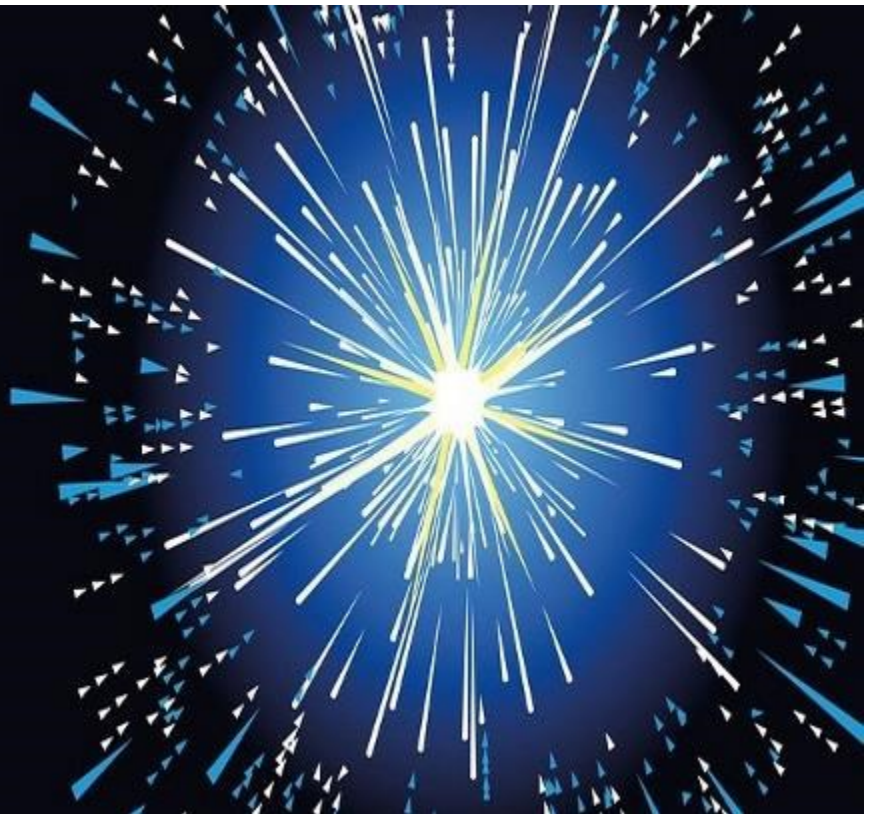
- Diversity
- Lions Fundamentals
- Local Issues and Opportunities
- Motivating Club Members
- Personal Mission Statement
- Public Speaking
- Setting and Reaching Club Goals
- Time Management
- Working in Teams

Faculty

ID Larry Edwards
PID Cindy Gregg
PID Jim Cavallaro
PCC Bill Morgan
PDG Deb Burkholder
PDG Tom Gregg
PDG Kerry McKnight

\$175.00 Tuition includes meals, lodging, and classroom. Maximum 40 attendees.
Registration deadline January 31, 2022 / contact PDG Kerry at klm52@aol.com

Happy New Year





We Invite You to Join Us for the
 Willow Street Lions Club
 75th Charter Night Celebration
 Saturday, March 19, 2022
 Fireside Tavern
 1500 Historic Drive
 Strasburg, PA 17579

Social with Cash Bar will begin at 6:00 p.m.
 Dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m.

Served Menu

Pre-Set Garden Salad tossed with Balsamic Vinaigrette
 Choice of:
 Stuffed Chicken Breast OR Braised Beef
 Chef Choice Potato and Vegetable
 Dinner Rolls
 Dessert/Fresh Fruit
 Iced Tea, Coffee, Hot Tea

Guest Speaker – ID Larry Edwards

Musical Entertainment by Mark Huber

\$40.00 per person

Kindly RSVP by March 9th to:

Lion Jeanie Sware
 4 Kimberly Court
 Lancaster, PA 17602

By phone – 717-468-6421, by email – guiltymother@aol.com, or by mail with your check payable
 to Willow Street Lions Club to the above address

Names of Attendees:

Select Choice of:

____ Chicken or ____ Beef
 ____ Chicken or ____ Beef
 ____ Chicken or ____ Beef
 ____ Chicken or ____ Beef



The Manheim Township (Lancaster county) Lions gifted a senior citizen in much need in our community.

Lion Josephine Martin and Lion Ron Henry presented a check for \$500 to this fine gentleman. He was taken advantage of financially and lost all his assets. He's unmarried and has no children so he's quite alone. Our club agreed to help him and we thought to share this with the District for the newsletter.





The holiday season is a busy, but fun time for the Palmyra Area Lions Club. Over the past month, the club participated in the Campbelltown's 3rd Annual Holiday Tree Lighting event, hosted their own Palmyra Tree Lighting event, and welcomed Santa and Mrs. Claus to the Square in Palmyra.



The club also recently partnered with the Palmyra Public Library to host a Storytime with Santa, which included a reading of 'Twas the Night Before Christmas, the opportunity for children to visit with Santa and Mrs. Claus, and books and cookies to-go!



In addition to all of the Christmas festivities, the club also took some time to honor our U.S. veterans by participating in a Wreaths Across America Day Ceremony and General Wreath Laying event at Indiantown Gap National Cemetery. They also created holiday cards to be mailed to veterans at the Lebanon VA Medical Center.



The club's most recent event, Reindeer Night at the Square, had a record attendance of over 600 visitors who came to see Santa's reindeer "Snow", Santa, Mrs. Claus, and the Grinch! The event was complete with food trucks and members of the Palmyra Area High School Alumni Marching Band, who sang carols to the crowd.

Several members of the Willow Street Lions club helped wrap Christmas presents for children who receive gifts from LS Together.



Members of the Willow Street Lions Club held their annual fruit sale. Several members of the public used the opportunity to drop off some used eyeglasses.





Santa visits the District Governor, delivering gift including a new set of “clubs” and some wax and a chamois cloth to keep his “top” nice and shiny. The DG even participated in a rousing sing-along of Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer.



Santa joined members of the Willow Street Lions club at their Holiday party on December 6th.





Part 2 of the Willow Street Lions club holiday party with Santa.





The CLAW

LITITZ LIONS CLUB NEWSLETTER December 2021

Littitz Lions Club

P.O. Box 165, Littitz PA 17543

Visit our website at www.littitzlions.org

Littitz Lions Celebrates 80 Years Serving Littitz with a Gala (article for the paper)

The Littitz Lions was formed in January 1941 and has served the Littitz and surrounding communities for 80 years! To celebrate this momentous occasion members of the Littitz Lions and guests gathered on November 18th at the most logical and beautiful location the Littitz Inn and Spa (which is also the Littitz Lions meeting location the first and third Thursday of the month).

The festivities began as members and guests arrived to a blast from the past 80 years of photos being exhibited. After dinner and during a decadent dessert bar offering, a historical slide show was presented by Lion Don Campbell. There were two key-note speakers for the evening Lions International Director Larry Edwards and Littitz Lions 1st Vice President Mary Schmalzer. Littitz Lions President Steve Lowe ended the evening with closing remarks and some socializing ensued.

The Littitz Lions would like to recognize the sponsors from the community that supported the Gala Event, thank you for what you do for our community and for the Littitz Lions:

Candyology

Jason Foleer, Allstate Insurance

Julius Sturgis

Littitz Springs Inn & Spa

Meghan Clair

Olio Olive Oil & Balsamics

Penn Cinema

Whiff Roasters

Wilbur Chocolate

More on the Gala

Opening remarks were made by – Region 2 Zone 4 Chair Lion Steve Focht



Keynote speaker – Lions International Director Larry Edwards



Llitz Lions President Steve Lowe-accepted recognitions for individual club members as well as the club from Lions International Director Larry Edwards



Lion Mary Schnelber accepts an International President's Certificate of Appreciation



Lion Don Campbell accepts an International President's Certificate of Appreciation



Lions President Steve Lowe with his wife Kelly



International Director Larry Edwards with his wife Lion Susan and their niece Lion Meghan Clair with her husband Josh



Lion Don Campbell gave a wonderful presentation on both the history of Lions International and our Llitz Lions club



MEMBERSHIP



Remember to ask friends and family to join us for a meeting and to join the club. Joining the Lions club is a lot of fun and very rewarding.



The CLAW

LITITZ LIONS CLUB NEWSLETTER December 2021

Littitz Lions Club

P.O. Box 183, Littitz PA 17543

Visit our website at www.littitzlions.org

**Wonderful homemade dessert selection
made by Lion Meghan Clark. Lions Ron, Ted,
Frank, and Aaron approve!**



More Pictures...



**Thanks to all for a great
night!**