

A Message from District Governor Steve Lowe

Hello Lions! Based on the weather as I write this message, Fall has definitely arrived. I hope that everyone is enjoying the cooler weather, football season (Go WVU Mountaineers and Tennessee Vols!), and all of the many activities that go with this time of year. One of the exciting things that I enjoy this time of the year is our Region Rallies! We are about to go into a whirlwind tour of our district with 5 Region Rallies in 6 weeks. If you haven't yet purchased your tickets for your region's rally, don't forget to reach out to your Zone Chair ASAP so you can get a seat. It is guaranteed to be a pretty fun time, with the opportunity to meet your district leadership, see fellow Lions from your region receive awards for the great work that they have done. Who knows....you may be one of the worthy recipients!

October also brings a focus on Membership for the district. I have asked our Global Membership Chair to work with the Zone Chairs, the Global Extension Chair, and the clubs themselves to design and execute a Membership Blitz for the month of October. Let's see which club in each Region can add the most members in the month of October. Winners to be announced mid-November. There may even be a prize involved for some clubs! As we start thinking about how we would like this to look on the club level, be sure to think outside of the box (nod to PDG Gene Hilton, as always) and come up with ways that we can reach the demographic that we haven't yet tapped into for each individual club. When we start to incorporate new and exciting ideas into our activities, it allows for us to stay Rooted in Service by Serving the Path Less Travelled. As we incorporate International President Mark Lyon's motto for this year into the motto that we honor Lion Craig Merkey by using, it gives us a clear idea of the path we need to walk in this journey. I challenge each of you to step up to the plate and try something different.

Here is the list of upcoming events on my schedule that I will be participating in for the upcoming month:

- October 1st – Region 5 Rally: Marietta, PA (Pioneer Fire Hall)
- October 3rd – MD 14 Fall Leadership Symposium: Harrisburg, PA
- October 7th – Garden Spot Lions Official Visit
- October 8th – Region 2 Rally: New Holland, PA (Yoders)
- October 12th – Manheim Township Lions Official Visit
- October 14th – Dinner in the Dark Event hosted by the Paradise Township Lions: Gap, PA
- October 15th – Region 1 Rally: Paradise Township, PA (Kinzers Fire Hall)
- October 17th – Quarryville Lions 100th Anniversary Gala: Quarryville, PA
- October 20th – Palmyra Area Lions Official Visit
- October 22nd – Region 3 Rally: Stevens, PA (Cocalico Area Fire Hall)
- October 27th – Akron Lions Official Visit
- October 30th /31st – MD 14 State Council Meeting #2: Harrisburg, PA
- November 2nd – Heidelberg Lioness Lions Official Visit
- November 5th – Region 4 Rally: Lebanon, PA (Hebron Banquet Hall)



Please reach out to me if you would like to schedule any additional time for me to come visit with your club.

Message from the 1st Vice District Governor Pat Benson

Hello Lions,

Happy Fall and you know what that means, its REGION RALLY TIME. I am excited to join everyone this year and share some great food, laughter and ideas. Thank you to our Zone Chairs for setting up the Rallies for the clubs in their Zones. It is also time to recognize those Lions that receive awards and recognition for serving their communities. Please come and support your fellow Lions and meet new ones at the Rally's.

I just returned from the Leader Dog Institute in Michigan. I was there as part of my training, and it was one of the most meaningful trips I have ever seen. You know what Leader Dogs

does but to be there and experience it firsthand is life changing. Those who work there, and a lot of the staff are Lions, are the most compassionate and forward-thinking people I have ever met. From guide dog training, orientation & mobility instruction, room and board, equipment, and even travel to campus is free of charge. This program truly expresses "We Serve" because this program is born from Lions, sustained by Lions, and transforms lives worldwide. If you want more information, please contact them or myself, I would love to share my experience.

Thank You for all your support and service!

Pat Benson
1st Vice-District Governor



Message from the 2nd Vice District Governor Rick Bates

Hello Fellow Lions

Please keep your calendars open for the following Region Rally dates:

October 1 – Region Rally V

October 8 – Region Rally II

October 15 – Region Rally I

October 22 – Region Rally III

November 5 – Region Rally IV

The district still has open Zone Chair positions available. Contact any of the district cabinet members if interested.

District Governor's visits have begun, do not be afraid to ask questions, if we don't have the answers, I am sure there is someone that can help us get the answers. Take a minute of time in the upcoming lions' year to reflect on why you join lionism.

International Convention for 2027 will be in Washington D.C. lions it wont get much closer than this for us, if interested in going on a bus trip to Washington D.C. contact State Administrator PDG Deb Burkholder.

I had the privilege in the last two weeks to participate with the Denver Lions for the Denver Fair and visit the stands of Akron and East Cocalico at the Ephrata Fair. Still more fairs to attend and support your local lions.

Looking forward to seeing you all at the Region Rally's.

Don't forget to support your Region Zone Meetings.

"Serving the Road Less Travelled"

In Lionism

Rick Bates

2nd Vice District Governor





Phased International Dues Increase Passes

At the International Convention in Hong Kong, delegates passed a resolution to adjust the global funding structure. Dues will increase by \$2.00 (billed \$1.00 semi-annually) each fiscal year for a five-year period, beginning on July 1, 2028, and continuing each year through 2032. International dues are currently \$50 per year.

	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
Approved Increase	\$2	\$2	\$2	\$2	\$2
New dues amount	\$52	\$54	\$56	\$58	\$60



How your international dues are used

US\$50 utilization based on two-year average of fiscal year 2023 & 2024.





How do Lions Clubs International dues compare with other global service organizations?

	 Lions	 Kiwanis	Rotary
Dues	\$50	\$77	\$82
Magazine	<i>Included with dues</i>	\$8	\$18
Insurance	<i>Included with dues</i>	\$22	\$7.43
TOTAL	\$50	\$107	\$107.43

★ TOURS & EXCURSIONS ★

EXPLORE THE ROCKET CITY!

★ FEATURED FORUM TOURS ★

Special guided tours organized for Forum attendees. Space is limited, so reserve early!

TOUR 1: WED ONLY

PRIVATE SHOWING AT IVY GREEN
TUSCUMBIA, AL

A special guided tour of Ivy Green with lunch and private showing of the beloved outdoor drama at Helen Keller's birthplace — a must-see tradition.

TOUR 2: WED & SUN

U.S. SPACE & ROCKET CENTER
HUNTSVILLE, AL

Special private tours of the world's largest spaceflight museum and home of Space Camp®. See a real Saturn V and meet an astronaut.

TOUR 3: FRI ONLY

CAMPUS 805: CRAFT BEER & BBQ
HUNTSVILLE, AL

Sample rotating craft beers paired alongside a curated BBQ experience, and soak in the creative energy that defines modern Huntsville.

★ ADDITIONAL EXCURSIONS ARE AVAILABLE! See more on our local website.

Check out the website → usacanadahsv2027.lionsofAlabama.org

Magic YARN PROJECT

MAKING A DIFFERENCE one stitch at a time.

The 40-year-old Magic Yarn Project has been a staple of the community for decades. It's a place where people of all ages come together to create something beautiful.

STRIDES

FOR DIABETES AWARENESS

Take Steps. Change Lives.

SEP 16, 2027

BIG SPRING PARK

\$25 INCLUDES SHIRT

REACH HIGHER.
Bring home new ideas.
Bring home new friendships.
Bring home a renewed passion for service.

Register Today



Your next great Lions
adventure starts in
Huntsville.



REACH for the STARS

INNOVATE ♦ INSPIRE ♦ IMPACT

51ST USA/CANADA
LIONS LEADERSHIP FORUM

HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA

SEPTEMBER 16-18, 2027

www.LionsForum.org
605-723-4007

Memoriam

William Earhart

Elizabethtown Lions Club

Ronald Bowman

Strasburg Lions Club



NEW MEMBERS

<u>New Member</u>	<u>Club</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
Lori Barrett	West Earl Lions Club	Michelle Musumeci
Brett Gilbert	West Earl Lions Club	Dionne Briek



Disclaimer: Because of the recent launch of the new Lions Portal, there may be names that are missing at this time.

FROM YOUR NEWSLETTER EDITOR: PLEASE FORWARD YOUR ARTICLES BY THE 25TH OF EACH MONTH. LET OTHER CLUBS KNOW WHAT YOUR CLUB IS UP TOO! SHARE YOUR PHOTOS! E-MAIL TO ME AT : anitagordonpalmer@gmail.com Thank you! Lion Anita Gordon-Palmer

Please join us at
The Penn State Hershey
Medical Center
University Conference
Center
500 University Drive,
Hershey,
Pennsylvania
on
Saturday,
October 24, 2026

Any questions or concerns,
please contact Karen Minick at
(717) 531-8783 or via
email at
kminick@pennstatehealth.psu.edu

Penn State Hershey Medical Center

500 University Drive, HUI9
Hershey, PA 17033

Phone: 717-531-8783
Fax: 717-531-5475

E-mail: kminick@pennstatehealth.psu.edu

2026 Annual Research Seminar of the Pennsylvania Lions Sight Conservation & Eye Research Foundation



Saturday October 24, 2026
Continental Breakfast to
begin at
8:00 AM

Meeting begins promptly at
9:00 AM

Located at:
The Penn State Hershey
Medical Center
500 University Drive
University Conference
Center
Hershey, PA 17033

Schedule

8:00-9:00 AM Continental Breakfast
9:00-9:20 AM Opening Remarks
9:20-10:20 AM Presentations
10:20-10:40 AM Coffee Break
10:40-11:40 AM Presentations
11:40-12:00 PM Closing Remarks
12:00-1:30 PM Lunch and Conversation



From the main Penn State Hershey entrance:

- Follow Governor Road/RI 322 West for 0.4 miles.
- Turn left at the first traffic light onto Bullfrog Valley Road.
- Travel 0.4 miles and turn left at the first traffic light onto Life Lion Drive.
- Follow Life Lion Drive to the first stop sign.
- Turn left on Campus Drive.
- The University Fitness and Conference Center building will be on your left (#16 on the map), with parking on the West and South sides of the building; turn left off Campus Drive at the UCC Parking sign.

OR

- After turning on University Drive, you will come to a stop sign and take a right on to Campus Drive. Stay on Campus Drive until you see University Fitness Center sign and turn right and follow sign to Conference Center Parking Lot.

Registration Form

First Name _____
Last Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Telephone: _____
Fax: _____
Email Address: _____

Registration is FREE.

Please send completed registration form

to Karen Minick by

Friday, October 9, 2026 at

Penn State M.S. Hershey

Medical Center,

Dept. of Ophthalmology, HUI9

500 University Drive,

Hershey, PA 17033-0850

or

Email it to: kminick@pennstatehealth.psu.edu

or

Fax it to: (717) 531-5475

If you have any questions, please call

Karen at (717) 531-8783.

WEEKS OF SERVICE FOR LIONS YEAR 2026-2027

October 8, 2026 to October 18, 2026 - VISION



February 13, 2027 to February 21, 2027 – YOUTH



May 29, 2027 to June 6, 2027 – ENVIRONMENT





Lions International

LIONS AND LEOS, WITH THE SUPPORT OF LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION (LCIF), ARE WORKING TO REDUCE THE PREVALENCE OF DIABETES AND IMPROVE THE LIVES OF THOSE LIVING WITH DIABETES.



DIABETES PROGRAMS

Get your club involved in a handful of ongoing diabetes service programs.

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

The United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) provide a shared blueprint for peace and prosperity for people and the planet, now and into the future. The 17 goals are an urgent call for action by all countries — developed and developing — in a global partnership. Achievement of the SDGs also relies on the involvement of volunteer organizations who connect governmental strategies and initiatives with complementary, yet essential, community action.

THIS GLOBAL CAUSE SUPPORTS SDG #3

3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING



ENSURE HEALTHY LIVES AND PROMOTE WELL-BEING FOR ALL AT ALL AGES

Programs

Strides:

A fun and engaging way for Lions and Leos everywhere to promote diabetes awareness. A Strides event can be any physical activity, from a run to a dance competition!

- Strides is Lions International's most popular diabetes program. Access our [Strides Planning Kit](#) to get started today!
- The World Health Organization recommends a total of at least 150-300 minutes of weekly exercise. Strides is a wonderful way to get individuals motivated to be physically active.
- Use our [press release template](#) and guide on [Developing Local Partnerships](#) to start planning.

Diabetes Peer Support Groups:

Encourage the exchange of support among community members living with diabetes.

- Diabetes self-management can feel like a full-time job! Check out the [Diabetes Peer Support Group Workbook](#) to engage people on their journey with diabetes.
- Access our [Diabetes Support Group Planner](#) to explore ways your club, district or multiple district can support your community.

Type 2 Diabetes Screening:

An important way to help your community understand their risk of diabetes and provide education, awareness and screening services.

- Type 2 diabetes accounts for 90% of all diabetes cases worldwide. Help reduce the prevalence by organizing screening events and check out our [Type 2 Diabetes Screening Project Planner](#) to get started.
- Proper diet and physical activity reduce the risk of diabetes. A great way to serve this cause is by hosting a [Healthy Living for Type 2 Diabetes](#) event or a [Type 2 Diabetes Risk Assessment Event](#).

Diabetes Camps:

Designed to help enhance the quality of life for young people living with diabetes by providing diabetes management skills.

- Check out our [Diabetes Camp Handbook](#) to get familiar with planning a diabetes camp. This guide will help to ensure that the diabetes camp experience is successful for both you and the youth!
- Access our [camp resources](#), including a sample press release, a registration document for volunteers and participants, and more.

SERVICE IN DISTRICT 14-D FOR 2026-2027



As your District GST, your district team would like to encourage clubs to come up with a new service project that not only embraces International President Mark Lyon's motto of "Rooted in Service," but to also embrace the late, DGE Craig's motto of "Serving The Road Less Traveled." How did DGE Craig know that his motto would mesh so well with the International President's Motto for this year?

DG Steve is going to be asking clubs to honor DGE Craig's memory by "planting" a new service project that can take "root" by serving those on the road less traveled. Every service project or fundraiser starts with a seed or idea and then with some "watering" along the way, it continues to grow into a successful and yearly service project. Remember, a service project doesn't need to serve a large group of people, it can be finding those individuals or smaller groups that may be overlooked on the road less traveled. Take some time to look around your community for a new service idea to take root. I can't wait to see what new service projects our clubs come up with.

Don't forget to report your club's service projects. If there are any clubs that need assistance in how to report service in the Lions Portal, please feel free to contact me by email at keepharry110@gmail.com or by phone at 717-572-5051.



Vision service project ideas



Ever since Helen Keller called upon Lions to champion the cause of vision in 1925, Lions and Leos around the world have stepped up to serve — and you can too. See all the different ways you can get involved in serving the blind and visually impaired.



Service Ideas

- Learn about blindness and vision impairment by reviewing the [World Health Organization's fact sheet](#). Consider sharing the information in your community at club meetings, teach-ins or through other outreach.
- Explore the [Lions International Vision webpage](#) which features our vision programs, LCIF grant opportunities, and how to make a donation to empower the service of Lions around the world.
- Collect used eyeglasses and send them to the nearest [Lions Eyeglass Recycling Center](#). Visit the [Eyeglass Recycling](#) webpage for information on collection resources, including ordering the Lions International Collection box.
- Plan a [Lions KidSight](#) children's vision screening event to help identify correctable vision conditions.
- Collaborate with a [Lions Eye Bank](#) in your area or utilize the [Lions Eye Bank Overview](#) resource to promote the importance of corneal donations.
- Organize a [vision screening](#) event in your community. Nearly 80% of all visual impairment can be prevented or cured. The first step to prevention is awareness. The second is early detection through vision screening.
- Contact a local eye care facility or center for the visually impaired to find out how you can support them. For example:
 - Assist with building repairs and renovations.
 - Provide transportation to and from appointments for individuals undergoing treatment.
 - Consider making in-kind donations of supplies or equipment.
- Support individuals and families in your community by providing vouchers for comprehensive eye exams and eyeglasses. Explore partnerships with local vision service providers to provide affordable or free services.
- Plan a service activity on [World Sight Day](#), which is on the second Thursday in October annually.
- Organize a braille, large print and audio book collection to benefit a local school, library or senior center.
- Develop a directory of community resources and services available for people who are blind or visually impaired.
- Organize an inclusive sporting event for children with and without visual impairment.
- Partner with a local hospital or vision provider to hold an educational event about vision conditions such as cataracts, refractive errors, diabetic retinopathy, glaucoma, and macular degeneration. Visit the [Lions International Advocacy webpage](#) to explore ways to raise awareness and create positive change.
- Connect with organizations that provide service animals for the visually impaired and see how your club can engage with them.
- Work with your city, town, or community to ensure all bus stops and public transportation locations have braille signage or audible announcements.
- Celebrate [International White Cane Day](#) on October 15 by learning its history, advocating for accessibility and independence for people who are visually impaired, and exploring ways to make an impact in your community.

REGION 5 RALLY

Hosted by Marietta and East Petersburg-Landisville Lions Clubs



THURSDAY, October 1st, 2026, 6:30 PM

Pioneer Fire Company 200 North Waterford Ave.

Marietta, PA 17547

Cost \$24.00 per person

Spend an Evening with Our District 14D Region 5 Friends

***** Each Club Bring: Your Club Banner, 2 Door Prizes to Raffle
and Donations for the Local Food Bank*****

Reservation Deadline September 24th, 2026

Mail To: Region 5 Zone B Chair George Darling
659 East Market Street, Marietta PA 17547

Email To: george_darling@comcast.net

Club Name: _____ Club Contact _____

Number Attending: _____ x\$24.00 = _____ Total

By Thursday September 24th, 2026

(Make Checks Payable to: DISTRICT 14D)



Annual Pennsylvania Lions



Fall Leadership Symposium

"Strengthening Our Roots"

2 LOCATIONS

Saturday, October 3, 2026 9 AM-2:30 PM

PA Lions State Office

949 East Park Drive, Harrisburg, PA 17111

Lunch available for a \$10.00 donation (Payable at Lunch)

Additional parking at Business Center next door

OR

Sunday, October 4, 2026 Noon-5 PM

Butler County Association for the Blind

322 N. Cedar Street

Butler, PA 16001

Refreshments will be available

TOPICS

Stronger Clubs: member retention; rebuilding; effective meetings

Stronger Together: community connections; identifying needs

Stronger Statistics: LCI/Portal navigation and use

Stronger Members/Leaders: recruiting quality members and leaders

FREE & OPEN to all MD-14 Lions

To register, please contact PDG Bill Grager at

bilbomzk@gmail.com or call (717)615-1974

Space is Limited!

Empowerment is the key to success!





LIONS VISION WEEK OF SERVICE

OCTOBER 8-18, 2026

- **October 8th** is World Sight Day
- **October 15th** is International White Cane Day

Vision doesn't just impact one age group; it impacts those of **all** ages.

LCI has the following statistics about Vision on their website:

2.2 billion people with a near or distance vision impairment*

1 billion cases of vision impairment that could have been prevented with proper eye care*

450 million children with a sight condition that needs treatment**

4x higher prevalence of distance vision impairment in low and middle-income regions*

*World Health Organization

**The International Agency for the Prevention of Blindness

REGION II RALLY

Thursday, October 8th, 2026

Yoder's Banquet Facility

14 South Tower Road
New Holland, PA 17557

6:00 pm Social - 6:30 pm Dinner

Meal will include Fruit Cup, Tossed Salad, Beef Tips, Fried Chicken,
Gourmet Red Mashed Potatoes, Buttered Noodles, and Green Beans
Pie and Ice Cream for Dessert.

Cost: \$35.00 per person

Each Club should bring their Club Banner and a donation for the Food
Bank and 1 or 2 items for the door prizes.

Reservation Deadline is Sunday, September 27, 2026

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Mail to: ZC Lion Sharon Smith 38 N Eastland Dr. Lancaster, PA 17602

Name:

Club:

Number Attending:

Enclosed (Checks Payable to District 14-D):



Region 1 Rally



District 14-D • Rally Night

Thursday, October 15th

Kinzer Fire Hall

Doors Open	6:00 PM
Dinner	6:30 PM

Raffle Prizes • Great Food • FUN

\$25 per person

**Meal: Roast Beef, Fried Chicken, mashed potatoes, veggies,
dessert, and drinks**

**RSVP By October 9, 2026, to FVDG Pat Benson
717-808-0970 or pattycake119@comcast.net**

***Clubs are asked to bring 2 Raffle items per club and
food items to donate to the local Food Bank***

**REGION RALLY III
OCTOBER 22, 2026**

6:30pm

**Cocalico Area Fire Hall
(formerly Reamstown
Fire Hall)
12 W Church St.
Reamstown, PA 17567**



**6:00pm Social Time
6:30pm Dinner**

Menu

**Garden Salad, Roast Beef, Potato Filling, Corn, Green Beans, Dinner Rolls,
and Dessert Chocolate Cake w/PB Icing**

Cost: \$25.00 per person

**All Clubs should bring their club banner and a donation for the food bank.
Also please bring 1 to 2 items for the raffle/door prizes.**

RSVP By October 8, 2026

Name _____

Club _____

Attending _____

Checks payable to District 14-D

Mail To: ZC Michelle Musumeci

22 Fairview Dr

Akron, PA 17501

REGION IV RALLY



Reschedule >THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5TH, 2026

6:00 PM Fellowship

6:30 PM Rally Time

HEBRON BANQUET HALL
701 EAST WALNUT STREET
LEBANON PA 17042

Region IV, ROOTED IN SERVICE

Buffet Dinner

Served By Hebron Catering & Events

\$30.00 per Lion / \$25.00 per Guest or Partner In Service/ Lion Spouse

Spend an Evening to Support Our District 14D Region IV

Meet DG Steve Lowe plus Award Presentations

***** Each Club Shall Bring: Club Banner and 2 Door Prizes For Raffle *****

Your Club Support at this Rally eliminates implementation of District Dues

Reservation Deadline Wednesday October 28th 2026

Mail To: Region IV Zone Chair Gregory Walborn
19 Main Street, Akron PA 17501

Club Name: _____ **Club Contact** _____

Number of Lions Attending: _____ **x\$30.00 =** _____ **Sub-Total**

Number of Spouse / Guest: _____ **x\$25.00 =** _____ **Sub-Total**

_____ **Total**

R.S.V.P. by Wednesday October 28th 2026

(Make Checks Payable to: DISTRICT 14D)



Your club is invited to sponsor a Peace Poster contest!

Step 1: Identify a member of your club to lead this contest.

Step 2: Notify Meghan Clair, District 14-D Peace Poster coordinator, of your club's participation.

Step 3: Order your Peace Poster kits by **10/1/2026**. Digital kits are available for download. <https://lionsclubsinternational.myshopify.com/>

Step 4: Coordinate your contest with local schools or organized, sponsored youth groups. Contest is open to students who will be 11, 12, or 13 years of age on 11/15/2026.

Step 5: Pick your club's winner!

Winning posters from each club must be postmarked/received by 11/15/2026.
District judging dates: Additional details to come.

International winners will be notified on or before 2/1/2027.

Please contact Meghan Clair with any additional questions.
clairmeghan2@gmail.com

CONTEST RULES & CONDITIONS

Entries not meeting the rules and conditions listed below will be disqualified:

- The contest's theme is "Harmony in Humanity."
- Only a Lions club can sponsor the contest in a local school or organized, sponsored youth group, such as YMCA programs, Boys & Girls Clubs, Scouts, etc. **Note:** The contest cannot be held in youth groups that a Lions club sponsors, such as a Leo club or Scout unit. However, individual members of those groups (such as Leos or Scouts) may participate if the contest is held at their schools or other organized youth groups.
- The contest is open to students who will be 11, 12 or 13 years of age on November 15, 2026. Eligible birth dates are November 16, 2012 through November 15, 2015.
- Artwork must be no smaller than 13 inches by 20 inches (33 centimeters by 50 centimeters) and no larger than 20 inches by 24 inches (50 centimeters by 60 centimeters). Do not mat or frame artwork.
- Only one entry per student per year, and each entry must be the work of only one student.
- All artwork must be the individual student's original creation and without the use of AI generated art.
- Chalk, charcoal and pastel entries should be sealed with a fixative spray to prevent smearing. Do not laminate entries.
- Three-dimensional entries will not be accepted. Nothing may be glued, stapled or attached to the artwork in any way.
- The use of lettering or numbering on the front of the poster, in any language, is not allowed. All artist signatures or initials should be written on the back of the poster.
- Artwork should be done on a flexible material so it can be rolled for shipping in a mailing tube. Do not fold poster.

We Need Volunteers

DISTRICT 14-D IS HOSTING COUNCIL MEETING #3!

- **WHEN: JANUARY 29-JANUARY 31, 2027**
- **WHAT: STATE COUNCIL MEETING**
- **WHERE: BEST WESTERN HOTEL
HARRISBURG, PA**
- **WHO: MEMBERS OF DISTRICT 14-D TO
ASSIST WITH PLANNING/EXECUTING
HOSPITALITY NIGHT AND BASKET RAFFLE
ROOM**

**To join committee or would like to learn more,
contact Meghan Clair at
clairmeghan2@gmail.com**



THE NEW HOLLAND and BAREVILLE/LEOLA/LEACOCK LIONS CLUBS WILL BE AT THE NEW HOLLAND FAIR!

SEPTEMBER 30 – OCTOBER 3, 2026

We will be serving our Fair Favorite Hot Ham Sandwiches, hot dogs, hamburgers in our secret sauce and drinks at the New Holland Lions Club's stand on South Roberts Avenue and Main Street at the New Holland Fair.

*Come out and support us as we continue to raise funds for our communities **for over 100 years, since 1925!!** We donate to Garden Spot Fire Rescue, the CrossNet Ministries Food Pantry, ELANCO Library, New Holland Ambulance Association, New Holland Boy Scouts, New Holland Summer Arts Association and more. Anyone interested in learning more about the clubs and membership is encouraged to come see our members at the Ham Stand!*



Visit the club on Facebook and see the New Holland Fair's website at <http://www.newhollandfair.org/> for more information.

East Cocalico Lions



With **Fries** Or **Baked**
Potato & Coleslaw

Drive Thru At Reamstown Park

October 9 &
October 23

HOURS:
3:00-6:00 PM



3RD ANNUAL MILLERSVILLE LIONS CLUB CAR SHOW



Food trucks!



50/50 Raffle



DJ



Touch a Truck



Pre-Registration: \$10

On-Site Registration: \$15

Mailed on or before September 24th

 **NEW LOCATION**

Year after year, the Millersville Lions Club is doubling entries to our car show, with 200 cars last year! We are looking to double the amount of money received last year to donate the proceeds to Blue Rock Fire Company. Come out and enjoy a fun-filled day with the family! We will have activities for the kids, food trucks, touch a truck, and, of course, our amazing car show. We have so many categories and will be giving out trophies for each!

 **Comet Field Park, Millersville Rd Lancaster, PA 17603**

For more information and to register your vehicle. Start up time 9am - 10am

 717-682-1138

 Pay by check or use Zeffy

Name:
Address:
Phone:
Email:
Year, Make/Model:



Sunday
11

OCTOBER**10AM-2PM**

Rain Date:

18

OCTOBER

10AM-2PM

Please make checks payable to: Millersville Lions Club

Forms should be mailed to: Attn. Lion Eric Dumm, P.O. Box 25 Millersville, PA 17551

Quarryville Lions Club 100th Anniversary Celebration



Saturday October 17, 2026
at the
Chestnut Level Presbyterian Church
Family Life Center
1068 Chestnut Level Road, Quarryville, PA 17566

Doors will open at 6:00 PM
Program begins promptly at 6:30 PM

We are honored that our scheduled keynote speaker is

James "Jay" Coleman Moughon III
Lions International Director

Banquet tickets are \$50.00 per person for this special event.
Up to 8 persons can be seated per table. Reserve *some or all* of a table or more.

Please complete the reservation form attached and return with payment as soon as possible to:

Lion Thomas McCardell
180 N. Tanglewood Drive, Quarryville, PA 17566

Because we expect a sell-out event, tickets will be available on a first come first serve basis.

Our available seating is only 110.

RESERVATION Form

_____ of reservations @ \$50 per person = \$_____

Make checks payable to **Quarryville LIONS CLUB, Inc.**

Mail this form with payment to: **Lion Thomas McCardell**
180 North Tanglewood Drive
Quarryville, PA 17566

Your Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Please list the names of your Lion members and guests below, Dinner tickets will be mailed to you for distribution to the individuals you are submitting.

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

4. _____ 5. _____ 6. _____

7. _____ 8. _____

STRASBURG LIONS CLUB

Pit Beef Sandwich Fundraiser



Saturday October 17th - 11am – 2pm

40 W. Main Street – Fellowship Hall

(Enter Wesley Parking Lot From W. Main Street)

Meal Includes Pit Beef Sandwich, Cole Slaw, Herr's Chips,
Applesauce, Turkey Hill Iced Tea and a Whoopie Pie

Advance Tickets Available – 717-371-2341

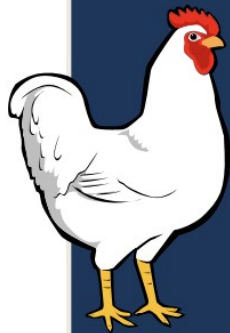




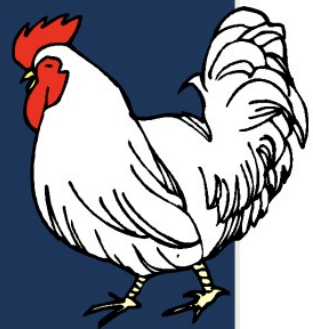
Mountville Lions Club



"Almost World Famous"



Chicken Pot – Pie



Takeout Only: 10:00 am - ?

Sat. October 17th

**St. Pauls' UM Church
100 W. Main St.
Mountville, PA**

**Also Selling
Lions
Brooms!**

***Take-Outs
10:00 am - ?***

**Delicious
Homemade
Desserts
available!!!**

•Take Out-Qts. - \$11

**COLUMBIA
MARDI GRAS PARADE**

Celebrating Our Roots:
Columbia 300th & America 250th Year Anniversaries

OCT. 22ND, 2026 • 7PM

300th 250th

Register online at
columbialions.org/parade
or call Joe at (301) 252-1988

PRESENTED BY
**COLUMBIA
LIONS
INTERNATIONAL**
WE SERVE

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TO REGISTER

The poster is a vibrant, vintage-style illustration. At the top, the title 'COLUMBIA MARDI GRAS PARADE' is written in a large, ornate, yellow font. Below it, a banner reads 'Celebrating Our Roots: Columbia 300th & America 250th Year Anniversaries'. The date and time 'OCT. 22ND, 2026 • 7PM' are prominently displayed. In the center, a large, glowing '300th 250th' is set against a backdrop of fireworks. The main illustration depicts a red steam locomotive with '300th' on its front, pulling a train through a landscape. To the left, three men in blue uniforms with top hats stand in a row, saluting. A large American flag flies on a pole. To the right, the Statue of Liberty stands on a pedestal. In the foreground, a red classic car is parked next to a baseball bat and a baseball that reads 'Columbia 300th America 250th'. The entire scene is framed by a decorative, ornate border.

#EastPeteHappy

INVITES YOU!

CASH & GIFT CARD

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Come out and enjoy a day of Bingo, Raffles, 50/50 and lots of Food, Laughter and **BINGO** yelling!

FUN,
PRIZES,
FOOD,
LAUGHTER...
AND PLENTY OF
BINGO
YELLING!

B I N G O				
11	24	37	53	68
3	18	33	46	72
5	19	★	49	63
9	22	35	58	67
13	28	30	55	71

B I N G O				
12	25	41	52	63
7	16	34	47	71
2	23	★	58	68
10	20	45	54	62
27	37	35	55	74



SUNDAY,
NOVEMBER 8TH, 2026



MILLERSVILLE VFW
219 WALNUT HILL RD.
MILLERSVILLE, PA



DOORS OPEN: **11:30 AM**
BINGO STARTS: **1:00 PM**

THIS IS A CASH & GIFT CARD BINGO
WITH A MINIMUM VALUE OF **\$125** EACH!

Tickets are **\$35 ONLINE** • **\$40 AFTER OCTOBER 1ST**
and include 20 games of Bingo.

In addition to the 20 Regular Bingo Games,
we will have **3 Special Bingo Games** and a **Blackout**.

We will also be selling tickets for **Raffles, 50/50**
and have plenty of food options,
so bring your appetite!

**NO OUTSIDE
DRINKS
PERMITTED**



**PLEASE DO NOT BRING
BEVERAGES FROM
OUTSIDE INTO THE EVENT.**

**ALL DRINKS MUST BE
PURCHASED ON-SITE.**

Thank you for your cooperation!

**BEST
VALUE!**

THIS YEAR WE ARE OFFERING A
PRE-PURCHASE "BINGO SPECIAL" FOR \$65!

- ✓ An Extra Book of Regular Bingo Games
- ✓ 1 Bingo sheet for each of the 3 Special Games
- ✓ A Blackout Card

Avoid the lines and give yourself more
time to peruse the Raffle Prizes,
purchase 50/50 tickets and enjoy a bite to eat.

**PARTIES OF 6 OR MORE
WILL ALSO RECEIVE RESERVED SEATING.**



OUR HOMETOWN NON-PROFITS



- East Petersburg/Landisville Lions Club
- East Petersburg Day Events Committee

Come out and Enjoy a Great Day!

FOR TICKETS

Visit - www.eastpetersburgday.com

Tickets Available Online Until
NOVEMBER 5, 2026.



JOIN LIONS DISTRICT 14 FOR A

Holiday

DINNER & SHOW

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2026

Doors open at 5:30 pm | Dinner at 6:00pm

Weaver's Banquet Facility, 2610 N Reading Rd, Denver, PA

The Lions Clubs of Akron, Ephrata and New Holland are hosting a festive holiday evening of camaraderie and entertainment for District 14.

This event is open to all Lions, their families and friends!

Cost is \$45.00 for a buffet meal to include:

Turkey, Sirloin Tips & Ham Balls

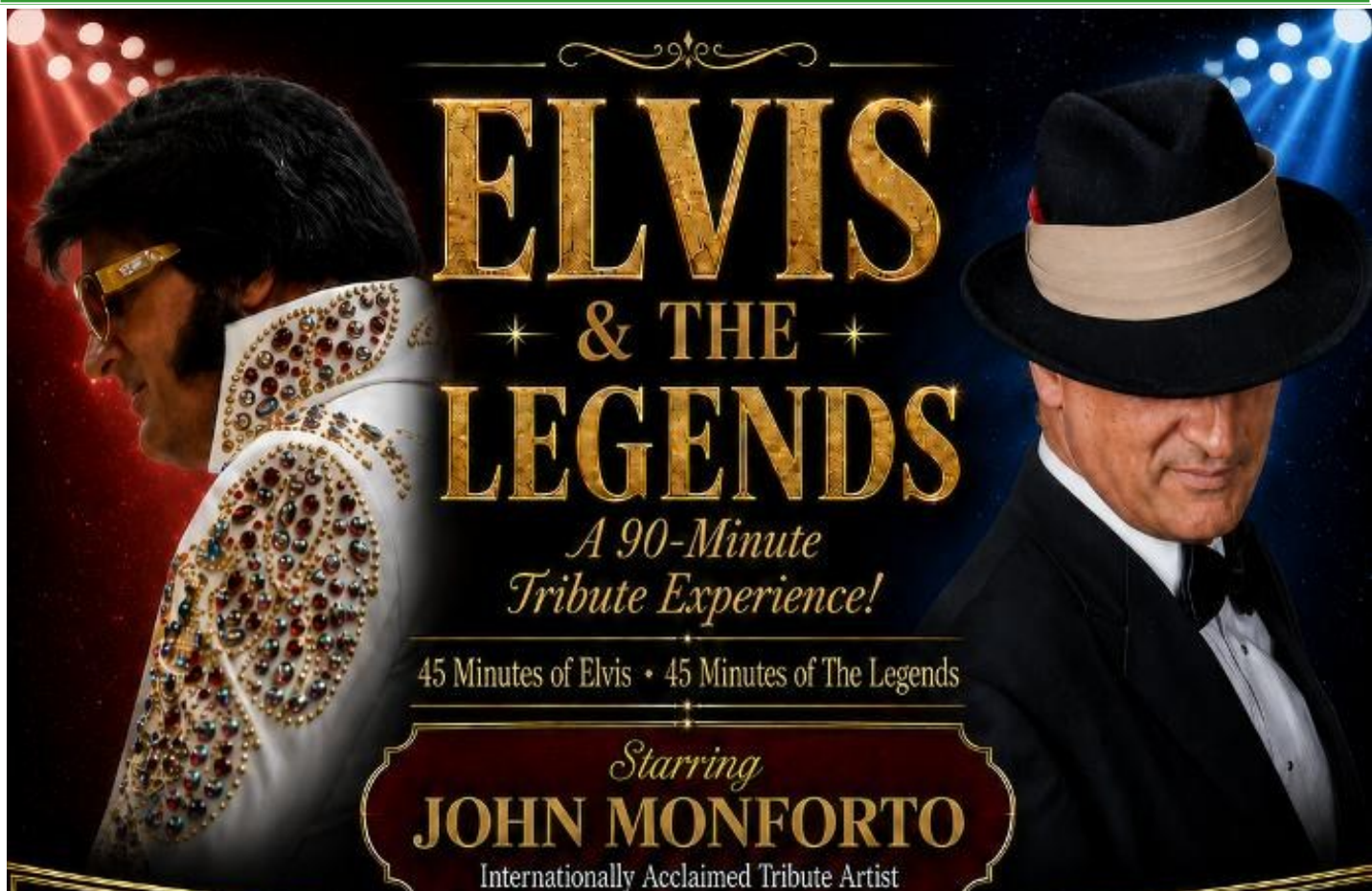
Entertainment by Tom Yurasists performing The Stand-Up Comedy Magic Show!

Seating is limited, so reserve early! All reservations and payment are due by November 17, 2026.

Checks should be made out to **Akron Lions Club** and sent to:
Ephrata Lion **Kendra Rhinier, 94 Misty Lane, Ephrata, PA 17522.**

Contact Kendra Rhinier at 717-587-6563 KendraR@ptd.net

It is preferred that clubs reserve for their members and guests.



ELVIS & THE LEGENDS

*A 90-Minute
Tribute Experience!*

45 Minutes of Elvis • 45 Minutes of The Legends

Starring
JOHN MONFORTO
Internationally Acclaimed Tribute Artist



 **Saturday, December 12**

 Showtime 1:45 PM

 Doors Open 12:30 PM

 *Includes a 30-Minute Intermission*

 **Melhorn Manor**
977 West Main Street
Mount Joy, PA 17552

\$49 Tickets

★ **Raffles & Door Prizes** ★

Light refreshments will be served, including an assortment of cheeses, crackers, fresh fruit, and vegetables.

Tickets & Information





Sponsored by
Lancaster Lebanon Disaster Relief Lions Club



Top row:

- New members and sponsors
- ZC Sharon pinning Ann Marie

2nd row

- PDG Rodney Sweger presenting \$15,000 LOPF grant award
- PDG Marty Zimmerman presenting \$12,500 NEPASF grant award

3rd row

- Emergency Preparedness Go Bag
- Guest speaker- Lara Fenstemaker, Lancaster Co. Animal Rescue Team

4th row

- Display setup Mountville NNO
- Display setup New Holland NNO



East Petersburg-Landisville Lions Club getting ready for our East Petersburg Days Parade, also a picture of our Lion in the parade.

