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OH2 Lions,

It is with regret that I accepted VDG Tim Kerschner's letter of resignation from the office of Vice District Governor on June 29 due to personal and health reasons. An emergency meeting of the OH2 PDG Association was held, and Lion Julianne Zody was selected to fill the vacancy. An official vote will take place at the Cabinet Meeting on August 20. I look forward to working with VDG Julianne.

As we get deep into Summer, we are heavy into fundraising and service projects. Please be aware that your Facebook accounts are being monitored by the Ohio Attorney General for activities that you should be paying sales tax on or otherwise illegal. PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE be sure that you have your accounts set up with them and the county to pay your tax. Doing it now, instead of when you "get caught" could save you lots of hard-earned money that could be used toward a project. Don't say you weren't told; this has been said for well over a year now.

Fall into Service will be held again in OH2. Look further into the newsletter for more information. While you are thinking about the October service date, be thinking of another in November for Diabetes awareness, especially around November 14, Diabetes Awareness Day. 2 points towards Governor's Service Award!

Club Presidents, were you at training in May? Have you opened the packet for your club? Did you get one?? My visitation schedule is in there. Please take a moment to check my visit with your club. If we need to reschedule, I am looking at 2023, especially for those 2/4 Tuesday and Thursday clubs @!! If there is an issue, please let me know now so that I can possibly move visits around. (Also goes for the VDG's schedules) I want to see who is reading this, I know it is summer, but there is important information in this newsletter (and all of them) that needs to be read. And not only by Club Presidents, but also **all** members. Please text me your name, club name and date I am to visit (419-937-7543)! Blow up my new phone!!

Is there a question you have about Lions?? Chances are that someone else wants to know the answer also. Send it to my email and I will address it here, there is no "dumb" question, and I will not reveal your name. To start with: What are Specialty Clubs?

Launched in August of 2017, the Specialty Club program was designed to create clubs in which members share a common interest or passion, allowing them to connect with one another on a deeper level. For example, they may share a hobby, profession, culture, common causes or life experience. Forming Specialty clubs allows groups of people around the world to turn their passions into rewarding service projects that directly benefit their communities.

District Governor, Cindy

Governors

Visitation Schedule

Butler "Branch" August 1 Lions August 2 Vote – I will have limited availability, working election, please text August 3 Zone 2 BBQ August 4 Port Clinton August 6-7 Bloomville Kids Parade, COG Meeting, Columbus August 9 **Crestline Lions** Aug 10-14 Attica Fair-Family home, no club visits Elyria Evening August 15 August 16 Fremont Noon August 16 Ontario August 17 Bloomville Blood Mobile/Seneca County **Project Lifesaver** August 18 Hayesville August 20 Cabinet Meeting, Attica August 22 Sycamore August 23 Crestline Branch August 23 Milan Edison

August 24	Attica
August 25	Mansfield
	United
August 29	Zone 1
	Bellevue
August 30	Zone 2
August 31	Zone 3
September 1	Zone 6
Sept 2-	Happy Labor Day
Week	end!! Start OSU

Football!! GO BUCKEYES! September 6 Zone 5 September 7 Zone 4 September 8 Zone 7

1st VDG Juianne

Hello Lions of District 13 OH 2!!

Welcome to the Lion's year 2022/2023.

I am 1VDG Julianne Zody and I am stepping in to fill the position and want to thank the PDG Association for their vote of confidence. I have been a Lion for 21 years and am looking forward to serving you and the district.

As we meet and work on projects I want you to remember the Lions 3 Fs; FUN, FOOD, and FELLOWSHIP, have a good time working with your Lions family.

I will be visiting clubs in Zones 5, 6, and 7 this year and will be reaching out to Club Presidents to schedule a visitation. I am looking forward to seeing old friends and making new ones.

The Necrology service will be my responsibility at the District Convention in March. Please send your forms to: Julianne Zody, PO Box 236, Perrysville, Ohio 44864 or email <u>cozcurl@earthlink.net</u>. I am hoping we have very few this year.

I will share my theme with you in the coming months but in the meantime I will add on to IP Brian Sheehan's theme.

> "TOGETHER WE CAN SERVE"!

1st VDG Visitation Schedule

August 3 Zone 2 Social BBQ Attica August 5-7 Council of Governor/Committee Meetings-Columbus August 20 Cabinet Meeting

Club visitations Forth coming.



Well, I have begun my agenda as a 2 VDG and I am busy as a bee. And it is only month one. I visited with the Norwalk Lions Club and just happened to pick the night they were having a picnic. I think that was great planning on my part. I had the honor to install their officers for the New Year and to hand out some Chevrons for milestone in membership. It was a very enjoyable evening learning about the history of how they first began their very profitable annual fundraiser, which is serving adult beverages at the Norwalk Raceway. It all

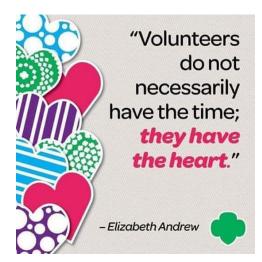
started with one Lion bringing the idea to the club for a new fundraiser project which started out on a very small scale and has now grown to being one of the most profitable projects for Lions in our District, if not the State. Job well done!! The level they are able to share that good fortune is amazing. I grew up just down the road from that Raceway and have watched it grow over the years into quite an event.

I visited with the Marblehead Lions. Who doesn't like an excuse to drive up to the Lake? They were very welcoming and went down memory lane to mention my Minion campaign. I promised their new president that I would have a shirt for him next year and he can join in the Minion Parade. The next big event for this Club is the Perch Festival in August. This is not just a fish fry, but a festival with lots of vendors. If you have not attended this event, I encourage you to take a ride up to the Lake and help support this event, or even jump in and help serve a little perch.

And wouldn't you know, my visit with the Bascom Lions just happened to be another picnic. And I had the pleasure of installing their officers for the new year. It is always an honor to participate in a Club's Celebrations and Bascom also welcomed in two new members and presented FOUR Melvin Jones Awards. What a night to be a part of!!!

I also had a visit with the Fostoria Lions. Such a welcoming Club. I was greeted in the parking lot before I even got into the building. Another new Lion joined our Lion Family. Her father had been a long time Lion and now that she is approaching retirement and has more time she has decided to follow in his footsteps. I am sure her father was smiling as I pinned her Lion's Pin on her. We sometimes don't realize the lives we touch or guide into service. My own son has recently asked about joining a Lions Club over in the Courtland area. And my daughter is already a Lion. Our children, and grandchildren, will learn from our example of service. Such an honor to be part of another new member induction ceremony.

In the words of our International President—Home is where we serve. His home



for the next year will be all over the World. My Home for the next year will be our District. Where will your home be? Just in your community or also in your Zone and your District? Your State?

Yours in Lionism, 2VDG Patty Moorman

2VDG Visitation Schedule August

August 1	Wellington Lions
•	Club
August 3	Zone 2 Social BBQ
	Attica
August 5-	7 Council of
	Governor/Committee
	Meetings-Columbus
August 9	Sheffield Noon
	Lions Club
August 9	N. Ridgeville
	evening
August 11	Elmore Lions
August 18	Lorain Lions
	(noon)
	Colonel Crawford
	Bratwurst Festival
	(Evening)
August 20	Cabinet Meeting



District 13 OH 2 Necrology Information

Club Secretary:

Please complete the following and return to the 1st Vice District Governor.

At the District Convention, we honor our deceased Lions, Lioness, Leo members at our Necrology Services on Sunday morning. This service is for members that have passed away since the last District Convention.

If you have had more than one member pass please duplicate this form and return one for each member.

Name	Club	
Date Joined club	Passed away on	
Club Offices held		
District Offices held		
Major areas of service to Lion's		
Comments		

(If more space is needed use another sheet or back)

It would be nice if the club President, family member and or club members could be present at the Necrology Service on Sunday Morning to place the flower for the departed member. After the service, feel free to pick up the flower and return it to the family or the club. Thank you again.

Return forms to:	1 st VDG Julianne Zody P.O. Box 236
	Perrysville, Oh 44864
	or
	Email to cozcurl@earthlink.net
	Any questions Phone 419-606-4890

District Committee's Information

We now have a State OLPCF ... Ohio Lions Pediatric Cancer Foundation.

What does this mean ... first, this enables the Lions in the State of Ohio to make donations as a taxable deduction. We can also provide greater assistance towards the research of Pediatric Cancer by consolidating our District funds to provide a greater impact on a state level.

The **OLPCF** has created the "Journey of Hope" Award for any donations of \$500 or more. Therefore, we are encouraging clubs making their annual donations to pediatric cancer to start **making their checks payable to the OLPCF** so the club can work towards obtaining this award. Annual donations can be accumulated similar to our other Foundations to be able to reach this goal. These donations will still be sent to me, our District Board Member, for recordkeeping and I will forward them onto the state committee. The award can be presented to an individual or the award can be a club award similar to a banner patch. This decision is up to the club.

We will continue to have our annual STEPS Walk/Run donations/contributions payable to our District Treasury, Ohio Lions District OH-2 and those funds will remain in our district funds to be able to meet immediate needs of individuals that need assistance with Pediatric Cancer expenditures. But the annual donations that clubs make towards this Global Service Need; outside of the STEPS Walk/Run, should be made payable to OLPCF so the club can qualify towards this award.

If you have questions, please feel free to contact me at mdicesare1033@gmail.com or 419-306-2045.

Thank you... Lion Mona DiCesare OLPCF Representative OH-2

District 13 OH-2 Membership Team Melody D Barnes GMT-C

Opening Balance for the new Lions year of July 2022 was 1,724 members.

Added Members4Dropped Members2Closing Balance1,726Net Gain/Loss2

Worldwide 1,380,133 In my absence, Mark Rafeld GMT member will be the contact person, 11/1/2022- 4/5/2023. Membership for our district finished with a minus 2. Everyone worked to bring those numbers up. At least 20 clubs were awarded the 1-Plus patch. Fellow Lions

we are **setting new goals** for this year. First we will strive to meet our District's goal of **at least 2 new clubs**. We are continuing to work on the New London area, which seems a little more promising with the local contacts that were made this month. Our efforts toward **Club Growth** this year are not just developing two new clubs but will include **increasing our membership** in every Lions Club in our district. We will set **a goal of not less than five new members** for **each club**. Increasing your numbers can be done in several different ways. To mention a few, for every service project you have, set up an information table or area to promote Lions membership, immediately invite any prospective new member to the clubs next meeting. Develop one or two days or nights just for Lions information, invite prospective new members for snacks, lunch or dinner. Take time to be seen with Lion's brochures at any and all community events. At least two members, especially your **Membership Chairs** can encourage and promote participation at local events. Need help? Call your GMT for direction.

Extension of existing clubs are other options to grow membership by forming a Branch Club.

Club Retention, find ways to keep communication open within your clubs, check on those who are absent for more than two meetings. Assess and re-assess community needs and what your club can do to be and stay visible. Include new members, rotate leadership. **Membership Drives** will be encouraged.

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Congratulations to the following five Lions clubs in District OH2 for completing and submitting annual OH2 Compliance reports:

Lindsey, Norwalk, Port Clinton, Rowsburg and Sycamore...

I am certain that many more clubs will be submitting their respective reports this month, and I will be looking forward to reviewing and adding your club's name onto the list of "early completers" Thank you!

The Ohio Department of Commerce, Division of Unclaimed Funds, has scheduled a **free education webinar** to provide information you will need when filing your report. The webinar on September 1, 2022 from 1 pm to 2 pm EST is closed to new registrations. However, Lions Compliance Committee will share the provided information to Ohio Lions in order to have clubs successfully file their Unclaimed Funds form prior to the November 1, 2022 deadline.

Have a great August, enjoying county fairs, family and Lions activities, festivals and service projects.

CC/IPDG Kevin Reidy

GLOBAL SERVICE ANNOUNCING: FALL INTO SERVICE 2022 OCTOBER 9-16

As we begin the 2022-23 Lions year, **SERVICE** continues to be at the forefront of our mission. Recognizing the importance of this mission, the statewide Fall into Service project is planned for October 9-16, 2022. Included in this newsletter are forms that can be duplicated for clubs to use as a planning tool and for marketing purposes.

The service does not have to be new. It just needs to be held during Oct. 9-16. Please note that a Letter of intent is included in the forms. This encourages clubs to plan now for fall. Please return a copy of this form to Debbie Reidy, GST. Also are some suggested service ideas.

If your club does not have the skills or equipment necessary to enter in MyLion, please contact me for assistance. We have demonstrated that Lions throughout District OH 2 are providing Service and 100% of Ohio's Lions Clubs reported service. Our hope is that future grants will be available as a result. District Governors have included 100% reporting as one of their goals. We can make it happen!

Service should be included at all Cabinet meetings. The host club for the meeting should assist in determining the project. I can assist if needed. Zone meetings should also include a project with host clubs determining the cause. Donations to a cause could be included as a project for Zone meetings. We need to use our marketing tools to promote this service and use to recruit members.

I have print copies of our Global Service Manuals available, Please contact me for a print copy if your club needs one.

We are also being asked to contribute to fundraising for participation of the Ohio State School for the Blind in our next International Convention this summer in Boston! More details to come. Each District's Global Service Team Coordinator Zooms monthly with State Chair Kerry Parker. If you have any concerns/questions, please contact me.

GST Debbie Reidy debre51@aol.com 419-543-1600



Congratulation to all Lions clubs and Lions for the donations to LCIF Campaign 100. We did it! Campaign 100 goal was \$3 million and we went over with \$324 million. When Lions are called to help others with their money they always come through. Our District did a great job in 2021-2022 year with donations and we went over the goal of \$30,000. We donated a total as of this \$43,733. Lions understand what the donations means to our local communities, our nation and the world.

LCIF has approved over \$1 million in grants for the Refugees and Displaced Person Ukraine Fund. The grants went to many Lions in many countries. The money is being used for food, medicine, sleeping bags, bedding, cots, and anything else that will help the refugees.

I have appointed again as LCIF Coordinator for our District for another term. I will continue to work hard for LCIF and I would like to visit clubs to talk about how important LCIF is in serving the need.

LCIF is about six (6) to eight (8) weeks behind in getting Melvin Jones out. Please continue to send me the information on Lions that you want to present a Melvin Jones to. If you have not received yours please contact me and I can check on it.

Seneca County Fair

Seneca County Project Lifesaver Steering Committee and Old Fort Lions members, Carl Miller and Dan Schatzinger assist in The Sandwich Barn at the Seneca Co Fair. This group always makes a donation to PROJECT LIFESAVER for our help.



Zone Chairs Corner

The PDG Association will have its first meeting of the year at noon on Aug 20, just prior to the cabinet meeting. Please bring ideas for any projects for this year.



Club News Past, Present and to come

Ashland Evening Lions

We rang bells four Fridays in July for the Salvation Army. Ours is only group that does this at mid-year for them. Governor Cindy Beat paid us a formal visit at our July 7 meeting. Member Lion Teresa Clark-Chamberlain's did an eyeopening Self-Defense seminar for us with President Ed Krakora as her assistant. Eyeglasses count from Goodwill Industries was 990 to start the new year. We purchased a supply of donation boxes. Finally, we have found an outlet for used hearing aids. Our local HearingLife location will refurbish usable ones for donation to medical missions.

Submitted by Lion Ann Miller

Ashland Noon Lions

This month the Ashland Noon Lions discussed plans to team up with the Ashland Evening Lions on a diabetes project. Our annual Rose Sale Fundraiser has hit a little hiccup as rose prices have gone way up. We will need to check for other sources and the board will make a decision at our next board meeting. Coming up on August 16th is Amish Health Day, where Lions will help with vision screening. We also are continuing to paint fire hydrants throughout the city.

Attica Lions Club

The Attica Lions Club approved donating to the following at the Attica Fair -Jr Fair Livestock Sale -Bake Sale -Pedal Pull -kids play area -pig scramble -pavilion entertainment We will also be running the fair admission gate again this year. Our other upcoming events include planning the cooking for the Lions Zone Social on August 3rd, scheduling eye screening events with both the local Preschool and the Seneca East elementary school and cooking for the Seneca East Public Library Reverse Raffle on September 17. Please check out our online Community Calendar at

https://www.atticalionsohio.com/

Bascom Lions

The Bascom Lions had a busy meeting last month. 2nd VDG Patty Moorman installed our officers for the new Lion's year. Then PDG Pete DiCesare installed 2 new members Marty Brenamen and Lynn Barnes. Also, Pete presented 4 Melvin Jones Awards to Jim Hutchins, Doug Meier, Dan Pelton, and Jerry Lowery. Following that, Past Bascom President Jim Hutchins was given the Ohio Eye Leadership Award for our club and Lions Francis Reinhart and Wayne Posey received a Chevron for 40 years of being a Lion.

We are still selling tickets for our annual gun raffle. Business for the month included donations to FACT and STEPS.

Bellevue Lions Club

Bellevue Lions 78th Annual Installation of Officers June 20th. The Installation of new Lion Officers took place at Seybert Methodist Church. Lions International was formed in Chicago in 1917 and our local club was chartered October 1944. Our motto is "We Serve" and our specialty is Eye Sight and Diabetes. Local fund raisers provide the money to carry on our work. This year the Installing Officer is the new incoming District Zone Chairperson from Port Clinton Lions, Mike Garber PhD.



The special event for the evening was the presentation of the Melvin Jones Fellow plaque to our out-going President, Erica Caranfa. This is Lions highest recognition for service to the club.



Here are the new officers of the Bellevue Lions, from left to right: Jack Williamson-Treasurer, Jerry Garman-Director, Ann West-LCIF Coordinator, David Greene-1st VP, Adrian Zavaleta-Tail Twister, Erica Caranfamembership, Jim Pickering-Secretary, and Melissa Caranfa incoming Presiden t(holding gavel).

Bellville Lions Cluib

The Bellville Lions had their annual picnic on July 21 at Palm Park at the pavilion they built many years ago. Our program was the Richland County Sheriff's Mounted Unit. Sergeant Pat Britt and her horse Lucy gave the club a great program. The Club donated \$100 to the Sheriff's Mounted Unit.

Lion Edward Brook was presented with a Melvin Jones. He joins many Lions to the Melvin Jones Fellowship. Lion Donna Schroeder was present with the Lion of the Year award. Lion Edward also present each member with a small gift to show his appreciation of their work for 2021-2022 when he was president.

The Club donated \$565 to the Boy Scouts Troop 126 for the work they are doing with the "Parade of Flag Program." Regional Chair Lion Gene Berrier installed the 2022-2023 officers for us on July 12. The installation was late this year due to the storm are area had in June.





Bucyrus Lions Club

Lion Melody Barnes, GMT of District 13-OH2, installed the Bucyrus Lions Club's officers and inducted our new member in June. Lion Cheryl Luidhardt, long-time member and current club treasurer was presented with a Melvin Jones Fellowship. The Bucyrus Lions Club members are trying something new by meeting at the Community Room of the FC bank at noon for one of their monthly meetings. Jeff Reser, the mayor of Bucyrus was the speaker there and shared possible projects for the Lions to help with in town. Lion Bob Guinther is working on membership by inviting new people to come to a

meeting. The club members will be at the "First Friday" event in downtown

Bucyrus on August 5 th to let people know more about Lions. The club is also planning for a fall chicken BBQ. Lion Joy Hillis passed around a picture of some of the toys the club purchased for a visually impaired toddler. See below.



Colonel Crawford Lions Club

On Wednesday and Thursday, July 20th and 21st, members of the Buckeye Central, Colonel Crawford and both Crestline Lions Clubs united their efforts to staff the gates at the Crawford County Fair. Previously, with just Colonel Crawford and Crestline involved, we worked 7 hour shifts. But with the advent of the Buckeye Central and Crestline Noon Clubs, several Lions including the late PDG Sonny Barker thought maybe we could go to shorter shifts, get the new Clubs involved and spread the wealth. There were 72 workshifts needed and we tried to match members from different Clubs at the gates together to get to know each other better. Thanks to the efforts of Lions from all of the Clubs it was a success. Numerous members worked

more than 2 shifts and when issues arrived some agreed to work over, proving Lions will do what it takes to get the job done. Thanks to all participating!

The next big project for the Colonel Crawford Lions is the Bucyrus Bratwurst Festival. On Monday and Tuesday of the week of August 14th, we will be preparing 30 roasting pans of our world famous pitawurst. Wednesday we set up and the rest of the week we will be selling bratwurst on either a rye or white bun and that delicious pitawurst. Thanks to Patti and Bob Moorman and also Mike Grube for volunteering to help. If you get near Bucyrus that week you're more than welcome to stop by and grab a sandwich.

Elyria Evening Lions Club

The Elyria Evening Lions have had a busy summer planting flagpoles around Lorain County, our signature fundraiser. Thanks to Lion Dave for coordinating everything for the club. Also, Lion Gayle and PCC Kerry attended the International Convention in Montreal and worked the campaign for International Director Ron Keller. They attended some great seminars on the growing use of technology and had fun meeting Lions from around the world. Congratulations to ID Ron on his election!



Fostoria Lions

The Fostoria Lions Club held two preschoolers vision screenings during the month of July. We are in the process of preparing for our Heritage Festival downtown on July 30th. We were able to induct two new members.

We are in the planning process for the STEPS WALK which will be held in September

. Lions Floyd Lawless and Mona DiCesare working the Registration Table for eye screening at the July 16th Farmers Market in downtown Fostoria. Pete was doing the screening of preschoolers.



Last Wednesday evening a Media Blitz was held at the Seneca County Sheriff's Office to display their recently purchased Command Center Trailer.

This Trailer was purchased by the Seneca County Project Lifesaver Organization to house and support the Sheriff's Office with their collection of drones that have also been purchased by the SCPLS Organization. This supports the Project Lifesaver project/efforts in Seneca County.

All Seneca County Lions Clubs have a representative on the Organization. The paint job was paid for by the Tiffin Moose Organization. What a great team project for Seneca County. The SCPLS Organization is the brainchild and result of DG Cindy Beat. DG Cindy has continued to be active on the team. PDG Pete DiCesare is the current President of the Organization.





Fremont Lions

Fremont Lions Club was busy in June with the annual fundraising Pancake Breakfast and the Installation Dinner for new officers. New President Donna Thatcher invited the new board to her home for a Pizza and Planning luncheon in June to kick-off the new year. The Club is providing an Eschenbach Smartlux Digital device to the Parkview Care Center to assist those residents. The device provides various levels of magnification and brightness with hand-held or contact use. Fremont Lions has an on-going project with Parkview providing greeting cards and items to the residents and a monthly treat to the staff. We are looking forward to a visit in August of our District Governor Cynthia Beat. An upcoming fundraiser in August

will also take place at the Sandusky County Fair where we assist in the parking of cars

Loudonville Lions Club

Loudonville Lions served over 500 people at their Chicken BBQ in Central Park during the Car Show July 2nd, selling out of chicken, brats and hot dogs! The Club also sponsored a Rain Barrel for the annual display by Ashland County Soil and Water Conservation, painted by local student Grace Ringler. We also sold out at the monthly Fish Fry, serving over 150 meals. Finally, the Club returns to serving quarterly breakfasts for retirees of Mansfield Plumbing Products. All in all a productive month for the Club!







Lucas Lions Club

Hello fellow Lions, At our June meeting PDG Dana Zody installed our club officers for the 2022-2023 Lions year. We are continuing to collect plastic for a Trex bench to be donated to the Lucas community.

July 21st our special guest was District Governor Cindy Beat while there she inducted a new member to our club, thank you Cindy.



Each year we have donated \$400.00 to the Lucas Buyers Club which they use to help purchase sale animals of our Lucas students at the Richland County Fair and Bellville Street Fair. We are continuing with that donation again this year. We are now working toward our Lucas Community Picnic and Duck Race on Aug. 18th. Have a good rest of the summer.

Madison Twp Lions

What a Start

Our Madison Twp Lions have started off our new year with a roar. Our Charles Mill Lake Fireworks Show for Lions Club Awareness was a smashing success, With the support of 85% of our members, we hope might have generated some interest of 3 potential new Lions. As well as made some much-needed revenue for upcoming Service projects. Most importantly No one was hurt or disfigured. That's Including our new DG Cindy Beat.



This was followed up with our Presidents Dinner Yot Club Flotilla. Which I believe was one of the most enjoyable experiences our club has had in a while. During the meeting portion of the dinner, our club had agreed to donate money to some of our favorite charities. It was also stated in our meeting that our Service support for Madison School concessions will be starting up next month. This will give our club a much needed chance to catch our breath. Be Cool and Stay Healthy

Marblehead Peninsula Lions

The Marblehead Peninsula Lions Club will host the 30th Annual Perch Festival on Sat., August 27 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at James Park. The event is made possible through the cooperation of Lake Erie Shores & Islands. The festival will kick off at 10 a.m. with a parade through downtown Marblehead. All clubs are invited to march, ride golf carts or on classic cars to represent their clubs and support our 30th festival! Bring banners to show your club's name! The Marblehead Lighthouse will serve as grand marshal of the parade in honor of the historic landmark's 200th anniversary in 2022. The Perch Festival is the club's main fundraiser and proceeds from the festival are given back to individuals and organizations located on the Marblehead Peninsula. In addition to delicious food and live music sponsored by NOMS Healthcare, festival activities

include vendors, raffles (including the grand prize of \$2,022), 50/50 drawings, a car show, kids games and more. The festival will be held rain or shine. Contact Jane Danchisen Pittman for parade applications at (540) 327-4502 or jpittman@su.edu or Marla Hirt for vendor spaces at mhplcperchfest@gmail.com.

Speaker at our July meeting was 2nd Vice Governor Patty Moorman. She encouraged us to work together as a team, not with just our club, but with other clubs. She commended the Port Clinton, Oak Harbor and Marblehead clubs for meeting together. She emphasized that the key to retention is fellowship and projects that keep members coming back.



Perrysville Lions

Perrysville Lions served another successful Swiss steak luncheon on July 10.

To do our part for Champaign 100 we voted to send our Tail Twister money, we sent \$94.

President Julianne installed the 2022/2023 officers and pasted the Presidents pin on to PDG Dana. As a thank you for a great year Julianne presented each member with a Service from the Heart ornament. We will serve our next Swiss steak luncheon August 14 from 11 to 1.



Plymouth Lions

FEB 5 2023 BOWLING DYNESTY LANES IN WILLARD START TIME 11 AM MARK YOUR CALENDERS MORE INFO IN OCTOBER. COST REMAINS THE SAME \$15. PER PERSON \$60. TEAM OF 4 PUT A TEAM TOGETHER SHORT A PERSON GET A FRIEND WHAT BETTER WAY TO SHOW THEM IT'S GREAT TO BE A LION

Port Clinton Lions Club

Summer is in full swing in Port Clinton, and our club is equally active. Fundraising activities during July included the use of our food trailer on the 4th in support of Port Clinton's fireworks, and on July 10th at the Women's Club Art Show. In addition, on July 14th we held a successful Christmas in July bus trip to Frankenmuth, Michigan. The response from participants was overwhelmingly positive.

Wrapping up our summer fundraising, we will again use our food trailer at the two-day Arts in the Park festival during August and hold a fall Chicken BBQ in September.

July meetings were equally busy. On July 7th we hosted our scholarship recipient and her parents and on the 21st visited the Catawba Island Historical Society Museum for a guided tour.

Savannah Crestview Lions Club

The Savannah-Crestview Lions Club is getting the word out about our name change and looking forward to a busy fall. In July we helped sponsor a school supply give away at both Oakwood Crossing and Savannah Park. Approximately 50 children were given a bag of coins to use to shop and purchase the supplies they wanted. Ice cream Sundaes were also enjoyed by all. Thanks to Lion Judy Kocab for all her work organizing this event.

We will be inviting people to get to know about Lions and join our club at the Crestview Open House at each building and also hope to do vision screening with incoming kindergarten students.

Our October pancake breakfast will be held at Crestview as part of the weekend Homecoming festivities. More details to come. We are looking forward to an exciting year of service.

Shelby United Lions Club

PDG Dana Zody and 1st Vice District Governor Elect Julianne Zody were the guest Guiding Lions at our July 13th club meeting. It was an honor to share what the club has done and plans for future projects with them.

Shelby United Lions will be hosting the next Zone 6 meeting Sept 1st. We are looking forward to meeting everyone and hearing what everyone is doing. Hope to see everyone there!







Above are pictures of the winners from the Shelby United Lions Club coloring contest held during the Shelby Bicycle Days.

Tiffin Lions Club

Youth Chair, Mike Smith, explained the Community Service Awards presented to graduating Seniors at Calvert and Columbian High Schools and to Sentinel Career and Vocational School. He then presented a certificate and \$500.00 check to Tiffin Calvert senior Jackson Seislove who told of his community service and plans to join the family business.



He presented a certificate and \$500.00 check to Tiffin Columbian senior Emma Charlton. She told of her community service, presently Seneca County Fair Queen and plans to be an Early Education teacher.

Mr. Derek Lewis of Sentinel Career and Vocational School told of the fourteen programs at the school and each student's yearlong community service packing food at the YMCA and cooking at Salvation Army. The check will go into Drug Free Club fund for member activities. Our July 18 guest was District Governor Cindy Beat. She reported events of the recent Convention in Montreal, Canada. The year's theme is "Together We Can." Ronald Keller, a First Year Director, is from Ohio. Ohio 13B was the only Lion District with 100% reporting!! Campaign 100, celebrating 100 years of Lionism, met a goal of over \$3 million. The keyword was "Awesome," said with arms lifted!

DG Cindy's theme for the year is Team+ Service= Success. Upcoming events include August 3 Zone 2 BBQ in Attica, August 30 Zone 2 Advisory Meeting in Fostoria, October 9-16 Fall Into Service (think of a project), and October 29 is a Leadership Training Day in Attica.

Sight Committee Chair Al Karcher reported he and Paul Klaiss picked up 231 used glasses, 15 sunglasses from nine locations in 2¹/₂ hours. He took box of 4,546 glasses, plus boxes of lenses, and cases to Norwalk for a SVOSH truck to pick up for sorting and cleaning at Ohio University School of Optometry. An eye exam and glasses were approved. Club and interested persons are to meet July 20 at 7pm at the Sheriff's Department for a drone demonstration and view tactical trailer purchased by Seneca County Project Lifesaver.

Vermillion Lions

Some of us went out to Jerry's garden and did some weeding. Trying to keep it spruced up!

Our speaker for our meeting was Julie Horn. She spoke about starting the American Heritage Girls Troop. The girls would be between the ages of 5 - 18. They have cleaned the beach. They do service hours. They will be working for their own badges. They hope to have 3 fundraisers per year. On July 30 they are having a spaghetti dinner at German's Villa. It is \$20 per person.

At our August 2 meeting it will be Spouses evening. Hamburgs and hot dogs will be provided by Ron Tucker. Everyone is to bring a dish to share.

On August 5 & 6 we were asked to park cars at Sherod Park for the Beach Market. We will be given \$100 for doing this.

There was a discussion on the bench for Jerry Massonova and Del Orwig. Further discussion will follow.

On August 13 we will be helping cook and sell sweet corn at the Market in the Park.

On July 31 Putt Putt for Pool, city pool, will be going on. It is 4 persons per team at \$25 per person.

Ohio's largest one day festival, our Woollybear Festival, will be held on Sunday, October 2. We will be selling our delicious homemade french fries.

We will be hosting our Zone meeting in November.

Enjoy the rest of your Summer!

Wellington United Lions Club

On June 28, the Wellington United Lions celebrated our one year charter and installation of new officers.

The kids had a blast at our "Pie Face" game fundraiser booth in downtown Wellington on July 4th.



We also marched in the village parade and handed out cold refreshments.



We are having our 2nd Boose Basket fundraiser - \$20 for one or \$50 for three tickets. There will be three winning tickets drawn on September 2 during Wellington's First Friday events.

Contact <u>WellingtoUnitedLions</u> @gmail.com or use PayPal (same email address). Make sure to change to Family and Friends to avoid a service fee. Good Luck



Lions that have Passed this month

Upcoming District Activities

All Lions Clubs that would like to have their activities promoted in the District Newsletter are welcome to do so. This will possible get more lions to them. Please send flyer 2 month before the activity so it can be seen before the activity.

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PERCH FESTIVAL

MARBLEHEAD LIONS CLUB

50/50 Raffle

KIDS GAMES

Music by: GARY COVER



RAFFLES

VENDORS

MAGICIAN

AUGUST 27, 2022 – JAMES PARK, MARBLEHEAD (PARADE BEGINS AT 10AM)

> CAR SHOW 10 a.m to 4 p.m.



Loudonville Lions Club Two Person/Two Club

3 Divisions Mens, Mixed, Women to be held at Pleasant Hill Golf Course Sunday, Sept. 18, 2022



\$70.00 per team ~ shot gun start at 9 a.m. Four clubs total per team-your choice (i.e. putter, driver, iron, wedge) PLEASE BE AT COURSE AT 8:30 FOR SIGN UP \$5,000 Hole-In-One Challenge*** Deadline for Entry: September 12, 2022

• Cash prizes, top team, male female

• Riding carts available at extra cost

• Snack at the turn

• Lunch provided after play

• Prize holes on each side

<u>Male & female prizes for:</u> Longest putt Closest to pin, and Longest drive

For more information contact Scott Baldner @419-606-9007 *** other hole-in-one prizes may be available Proceeds benefit the 2023 Loudonville Lions Scholarship Fund

Name:	Phone:	
Address:		
Email:		
Team members:		~

Make checks payable to: Loudonville Lions Club Return to: Dave Hunter, 244 W. Main St., Loudonville, Ohio 44842



July 1, 2022

Greetings Potential STEPS Walk Sponsor:

A relatively new initiative for Lions Clubs International has been to address Pediatric Cancer across the world. Many Lions Clubs throughout the country will be hosting a Walk/Run event sometime during late Summer or early Fall to raise funds for this initiative. These events have taken the name of **"STEPS" Lions for Pediatric Cancer**.

Our District's event will be held around Lakes Lamberjack and Mottram in Fostoria on Sunday, September 25th. Our Fun Walk will start at 10:00. We are looking forward to a fun event to raise funds for a very worthy cause.

We have several levels for our sponsorships:

	Name on Tee Shirt provided to each participate
\$500 and above	Golden Level-Sign placed along route/Recognition during event
\$250 - \$ 499	Water Stop Sponsorship - Name on Tee Shirt
\$100 - \$ 250	Company Sign placed along walk/run route
\$ 0 - \$ 99	Listed on our Sponsorship Banner

All donations will be accepted. If you or your company can not participate in the run or walk; please consider a donation to this worthy cause.

We would appreciate your support. Please make checks payable to:

Ohio Lions 13OH2 STEPS Walk

Mail to:

Mona DiCesare, Chairperson 1033 Kennedy Lane Fostoria, OH 44830

Thank you so much !!!!

Lion Mona DiCesare Fostoria Lions Club District OH2 Pediatric Cancer Chairperson

Lions for Pediatric Cancer

1 Mile Wa Sunday, September 25, 2022

Throughout September, Lions and friends around Ohio will be participating in 1-mile walks to raise money and awareness for pediatric cancer. Join us September 25 - in in Fostoria or your local community - to help families fight cancer ONE STEP at a time!

Lake Lamberjack and Lake Mottram at Fostoria City Park At the west end of West Center Street, Fostoria Walks begin at 10am Or Make a donation as a Virtual Walker

100% of the money raised will go to pediatric cancer research and to support affected families.

University Hospitals Rainbow Babies & Children's PROMEDICA

Akron Children's Hospital



Awards will be presented for age groups. **REGISTRATION BEGINS AT 9AM - YOU CAN REGISTER THE DAY OF THE RACE**

To Register:

Mail the form with \$25 registration to Lions OH2 STEPS 1033 Kennedy Ln, Fostoria OH 44830 or send via email to afirechf@gmail.com. Registration includes t-shirt if received before Sept 10.

ERNATION

NAME: _____ AGE: ____ SHIRT SIZE : ____ VIRTUAL WALKER? Y / N

EMAIL: PHONE: ()

Make checks payable to OHIO LIONS 13OH2 STEPS WALK

For any questions, email afirechf@gmail.com or call Lion Mona DiCesare at 419-306-2045

Ohio Lions

all Into Service

October 9-16, 2022

Join us as Lions and Leos throughout Ohio work in their communities to do what we do best... WE SERVE!1. Create a service project suited for your community

2. Send your Letter of Commitment to your Global Service Chairman

3. Perform Service

4. Share!-- Report it to LCI on MyLion-- Post on social media and Share with your community through local news outlets

SERVICE IDEAS

Roadside Clean-up

Clean Gravestones

Food Pantry Donations/ Volunteers

Donate/Volunteer at Homeless Shelter

Collect/Donate School Supplies

Host a Parade/Party at a Senior Facility

Collect/Donate Gloves, Hats, Scarfs

Eye Glass Collection

Voice for Voiceless

Write/Send Letters to Military

Volunteer at the Humane Society

Collect/Recycle Pill Bottles

TREX recycling

Yard clean-up for local seniors

Community beautification

Health screenings / Blood Drive

Appreciation for local services / teachers / nurses...

Club Strides Walk (diabetes)

Collection for foster children

Organize a community "Closet Cleaning" with a collective yard sale

Remember: This does not have to be a "New Project" -- ongoing projects count as long as part of the work is done October 9-16, or in the month of October for our Leos.

DON'T FORGET - REPORT YOUR SERVICE



OHIO LIONS FALL INTO SERVICE WEEK

OCTOBER 9-16, 2022

Letter of Intent

Please include the Lion/Leo Club as a participant in **Ohio Lions Fall Into Service Week**. This club will <u>participate and report a service project(</u>s) performed or completed October 9-16 or during October for our Leos.

Club Name:	District	Zone:
Contact Person:	Email:	@
Local/Community Paper:	Phone:	

_____YES! Our club plans to participate in *Fall Into Service Week*, but we are still planning...

_____YES! Our club is participating in *Fall Into Service Week* with the following project:

And, our club/I would like help with the following (check all that apply):

- Service Project Ideas Learning how to Report Service
- Learning how to advertise Service Using Service as a Membership tool
- _____ Working with a Leos club _____ Starting a Leos club

Learning how to work with other organizations in the community

Other:

Date

King Lion/President or Secretary

Please email the completed form to your District GST on or before September 22:

OH1	Lion Carol Collins	carolcollins125@yahoo.com
OH2	Lion Debbie Reidy	debre51@aol.com
OH3	Lion Josie Prokop	lionjosiep@gmail.com
OH4	Lion Roger Mansfield	rmansfield9233@yahoo.com
OH5	Lion Jane Jarrow	janejarrow@aol.com
OH6	Lion Jay Newland	cnjnewland@yahoo.com
OH7	Lion Tamarra Parker-Stephens	liontamarra@gmail.com

2022 INTRODUCTION TO LEADERSHIP EVENT

Saturday, October 29, 2022. 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Attica Fairgrounds

15127 E Township Rd 12; Attica, Ohio 44807

Open to all Lions and Districts!

WHY LEADERSHIP? Leadership matters because no one and nothing comes to success without it. Think about it: virtually every great accomplishment has at its core, solid leadership. When everything is going well it keeps us from getting complacent. When things are going poorly it rights the ship, sets the new course and provides hope.

"Everything rises and falls on leadership." —John C. Maxwell

Join us on a journey to begin understanding Leadership, what it is, the different styles, the different levels, and how to improve your abilities and effectiveness.

OVERCOME YOUR FEAR! The thought of being in a position of leadership can invoke many emotions. For many it induces fear!

The fear of being seen as an imposter. The fear of being criticized. The fear of being a failure. The fear of not being a good communicator. The fear of making hard decisions. The fear of not taking responsibility. The fear of not getting it done. What are your own personal fears?

Join us as we discuss these fears and how to overcome them, on your journey to becoming a more effective Leader.

WORKING WITH A TEAM! The most difficult person to lead is normally ones self; from setting and sticking to goals, staying focused and on task, to putting in the effort for success. We must push ourselves.

"Alone, we can do so little; together, we can do so much." – Helen Keller Leaders also deal with the same difficulties when working with a team. However, it takes a much different approach when working and leading others. Join us to discuss effective ways of working with committees and groups to achieve greater successes.

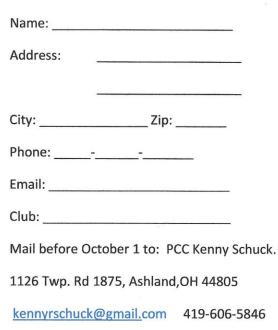
LEADERSHIP IS FOR YOU! Our country, world, and organizations need leaders more than ever. If you have a job, a family, friends, belong to a church, or an organization such as Lions. You are involved in Leadership. The better you understand and develop your Leadership skills, the more successful and enjoyable your participation in life will be. Please join us for this one day event where we will delve into Leadership. This will be a great start. Leadership is a lifelong learning and growth process.

2022 OH2 Leadership Event

Yes, I want to improve my understanding of Leadership, and grow my Leadership effectiveness.

Lunch will be provided. Cost \$10.00

Make checks payable to **District OH2 Lions** put **Leadership Event** on the note line.



7-11 SPONSOR OUR OSSB MARCHING BAND

The Lions Club International Convention is returning to the United States - Boston July 2023!

2023

#LCICon

Boston

With the convention in our backyard, the Ohio Lions are sponsoring the Ohio State School for the Blind Marching Band to march with us in the Parade of Nations and to perform at special venues.

We are teaming up with the fundraising branch of the OSSB Foundation to send these 26 youth and their 14 marching aides to Boston. To reach our goal, the Ohio Lions are asking Lions and clubs to sponsor these youth -- \$1 per band member, \$5 per member, \$10 per member -- every bit helps. This year only. This parade is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity for our visually impaired students and we want to make it a GRRREAT experience for them.

For all payments to meet the student travel deadline, all donations need to be received at the State Office by March 1, 2023.

Checks should be made payable to: Ohio Lions, Inc 4074 Hoover Rd. Grove City, OH 43123 (<u>Band Fund</u> on the memo line)

Ohio State School for the Blind

INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION 2023