

**DISTRICT
14K**

**LION KATHY DUELLEY
DISTRICT GOVERNOR**

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COMMUNICATING WITH OUR MEMBERS

LIONS INTERNATIONAL 2023 ROSE PARADE FLOAT

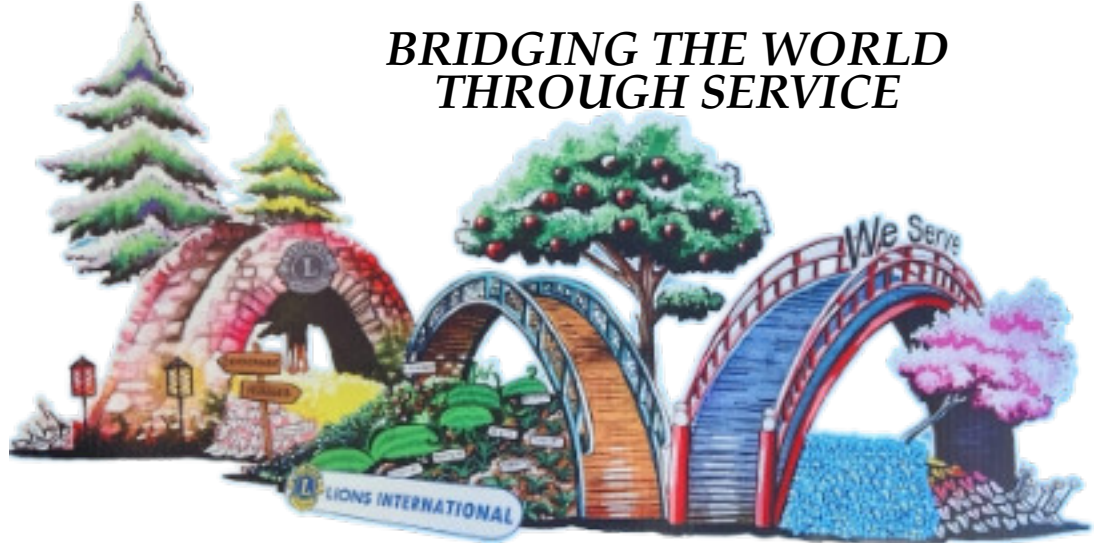
HAPPY NEW YEAR!
Hope everyone had a wonderful and fulfilling holiday.

One of the New Years festivities includes the annual Tournament of Roses Parade. The floats are a creation of beauty taking countless hours of labor to hand place the thousands of flowers that create these floats.

Lions International was represented with a float titled "Bridging The World Through Service" highlighting our global causes, Diabetes, Vision, Hunger, Environment and Childhood Cancer.

At the forefront of the float was International President, Brian Sheehan and his wife Lori.

*BRIDGING THE WORLD
THROUGH SERVICE*



MD-14 GLOBAL ACTION TEAM SPRING LEADERSHIP SYMPOSIUM

Plans have been completed for the February "MD-14 Spring Symposium".

Presentations by

PID Cindy Gregg - **"Putting the FUN in Service"**

PDG Tom Gregg - **"Lion Ethics"**

PDG Kerry McKnight - **"Leadership Styles"**

PDG Tom Toland - **"Successful Fundraising"**

2 LOCATIONS

Saturday, February 11, 9 AM-3 PM Harrisburg, PA

Sunday, February 12, Noon-5 PM Greensburg, PA

For additional information, visit www.lions14k.org
Or click ["Spring Symposium"](#)

MD-14 PENNSYLVANIA LIONS CLUBS STATE CONVENTION

Celebrating A Century of Service

The PA Lions 100th State Convention will be held at the Kovalchick Convention: and Athletic Complex in Indiana, PA on May 18 through May 21. 14-J is excited to be hosting this event and has worked to provide a blend of motivational speakers, MD-14 historical moments, and fun.

Come Meet

**International President Brian Sheehan
and his wife Lori Sheehan**

Come and Celebrate A Century of Service!

For an expanded schedule of activities, visit www.lions14k.org
Or click ["State Convention"](#)

38TH ANNUAL DISTRICT 14K CONVENTION

MELVIN JONES HONORS & NECROLOGY SERVICE

Saturday, April 22, 2023

Honoring
District Governor
Kathy Duelley

Bethany United Methodist Church
Wescosville Campus
1208 Brookside Road, Allentown, PA 18106

Paying Tribute To Our Past District Convention
Chairman, PDG Tom Dieter

For additional information and forms click here.
["Registration"](#) and ["Eyeglass/Hearing Aid Collection"](#)



BEACON LODGE CAMP 500 CLUB

This is the time of the year that we ask for your support of the "Beacon Lodge 500 Club". This is an opportunity for each Lion, Lioness and Leo to make a personal contribution to help with repairs and maintenance of the Beacon Lodge Camp.

The "500 Club" is based on \$5.00 per year per member. Many of the Lions Clubs have this as a budgeted item. Since it began in 1992, as the 365 Club, this fundraiser has totalled in excess of \$966,414.46. The Lions, Lioness, and Leos in the state of Pennsylvania continue to embrace the Lions Motto "We Serve". We encourage all Lions, Lioness/Lions and Leo Clubs in the district to consider 100% participation in this great project.

Send checks payable to Beacon Lodge 500 Club along with your club roster to: DG Kathy Duelley or IPDG Debbie Lillegard. Full information on the ["Beacon Lodge 500 Club"](#) available [HERE](#).



VDG TRAINING IN HARRISBURG



1st VDG Denise Shaffer (l) and 2nd VDG Scott Lohman (r) recently completed VDG Training in Harrisburg January 7 & 8

CONVENTION SECRETARY NEEDED FOR 2023-2024

Contact one of the following
Co-chairs for more information.

PDG Fred Folland ffolland@ptd.net
PDG Don Kaufman drkcasper@gmail.com
PDG Karlene Laub karlenelaub@gmail.com

District Governor's Message

DG Kathy Duellley Bethlehem Lions Club



THE SECOND HALF

Hello Lions, Lioness/Lions and Leo's,

Through the Holidays and culminating with New Year celebrations, we have been blessed with family gatherings and friendships. However, there are people in need of food, shelter and companionship. There are some dealing with health problems and others who have lost loved ones. During this time, Lions have served meals, provided gifts/ monies to those in need, visited our cherished senior citizens and offered words of kindness to those struggling. It makes my heart so happy to see how your Lions clubs have provided these services. This generosity of time and talent was welcomed and appreciated. Reach your hand behind your head and give yourself a "Pat on the Back". I am so proud of all of our clubs!

If this Lions year were a football game, we have completed the first half and would be in the locker room evaluating the results of our game plan. We would make adjustments to that plan and get ready for the second half!

I believe the first half of our year was very successful. District 14-K had a gain in membership all year until the end of December. (-4) But if I listen to my "scouts" there are more new members coming on board soon. Don't forget about my membership incentive in place since November. Every new member you bring to Lions gives you an entry to win Iron Pigs tickets (4 tickets total) to the district Charitable Enterprises baseball game which takes place on July 27. [Click Iron Pigs](#) for additional information.

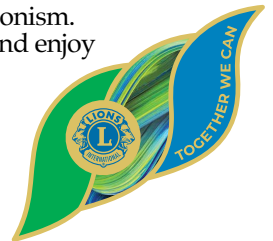
I am very proud of the service projects that I hear about on all of my club visits. Our clubs are active and busy! And our communities are thankful.

What adjustments are needed to ensure a successful second half? First, the coaching staff needs a little help in filling the 2nd Vice District Governor position and Zone Chair positions for 2023-24. These positions are crucial to the continued success of District 14-K. Please consider these special Leadership opportunities to serve, and I promise you won't be disappointed. You will have all of the support needed to be successful. There is a Regional Lions Leadership Institute on March 10-12 in Harrisburg. Flyer is included. Please let me know if you'd like to attend. The application fee is paid by the District and the room and meals are provided by MD-14, plus, you get a weekend away. This training is geared toward Lions interested in exploring Leadership positions.

Second, we need to keep learning/training to improve ourselves and our clubs. Take some time to look through the information on My Lion. Club Presidents, Secretaries, Treasurers and Zone Chairs, and individual members can learn more about their positions and the role they play in Lionism.

Finally, take some time to have fun and enjoy the opportunity to serve. Let's Finish the Season Strong!

Together We Can,
DG Kathy
kathyduellley@gmail.com
484-802-2386



1st Vice District Governor's Message

VDG Denise Shaffer Whitehall Lions Club

Fellow Lions/Lionesses/Leos,

The past few months seem to have gone by very quickly. As I continue my District Governor training, I find there is much to learn and am so glad that I am in Pennsylvania training. Our state offers more training than possibly all Multiple Districts in LCI. The dues that we pay to the state help fund our trainings.

I am preparing to leave for St. Charles, IL the first week of February where I will receive training from LCI and visit our international headquarters. The support from our District and all the PDGs is also amazing. I share all of this in hopes that I can assure anyone interested in becoming a club officer or District Governor of all the training and support that is provided at a district, state and international level. Currently the District is looking for someone to step up to become the Second Vice District Governor before our April convention.

I am enjoying all of our club visits and getting to know all of the amazing Lions in our district. Continue all of the wonderful service you are offering in your communities.

Finally, congratulations to our newest club, Lehigh Valley Sights for Hope Lions Club, chartered on January 26, 2023.

Yours in service,
Denise Shaffer 1VDG - D14-K
dshaffer1091@gmail.com

Attention Pennsylvania Lions Club members!

Registration is now open for the 2023 MD 14 Regional Lions Leadership Institute. The most important Club meeting of your LIFE!

Sign Up Today - Space Is Limited!

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REGIONAL LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

March 10-12, 2023

Red Lion Hotel Harrisburg/Hershey

<p>CONTACT YOUR DISTRICT GOVERNOR OR</p> <p>PDG Kerry McKnight md14k@earthlink.net</p> <p>Space is Limited! \$375 Per Lion Meals & Rooms Included</p>	<p>SUBJECTS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lions Fundamentals • Team Work • Diversity • Public Speaking • Time Management • Personal Mission Statement • Member Motivation • Goal Setting 	<p>INSTRUCTORS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IPD Larry Edwards • PID Jim Cavallaro • PID Cindy Gregg • PID Tom Gregg • PDG Jason Long • PDG Deb Burkholder • PDG Kerry McKnight
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DATES TO REMEMBER

District 14K Membership Challenge thru April 15, 2023

District Cabinet Meeting #3 February 18, 2023
Friedens UCC Church 7227 PA-RT 873 Slatington

Regional Lions Leadership Institute March 10-12, 2023

District Convention April 22, 2023
District Necrology Service April 22, 2023

Next Tattle Tailer Issue: April 2023 Submission Deadline: March 15

LIONS CLUBS ACTIVITIES

Editor's Note: Items are selected from M&A Reports, a month prior to publication, sent in by Lions club secretaries to the editor. We will publish as much as space allows. Email to: Lions14k.news@gmail.com Photos of club activities with brief summary are wanted. Larger full page activities announcements will be uploaded to the district website and a [clickable link \(Identified in Blue\)](#) will be inserted under your respective club below.

REGION 1

EMMAUS LIONESS LIONS: Purchased gifts as part of the Angel Network families in need along with the Emmaus Lions, Held Penny Party fundraiser January 14th during which sold 50/50, Bake Sale and refreshments, Club continues making plastic mats from grocery bags for the Street Medicine group to distribute to the homeless. Held joint meeting with the Emmaus Lions and hosted 1VDG Denise Shaffer, ZC Rich Litzenberger and DG Kathy Duellely who inducted 2 new members into the Emmaus Lions Club

EMMAUS LIONS: We had our annual Partners in Service Night with guests ([See page 9](#)), music and a great meal. We held our monthly hoagie meeting and donated hoagies/sandwiches and miscellaneous food items to the Emmaus Food Pantry. We also shopped and wrapped gifts for our annual Christmas Visitation. Santa and club members visited numerous homes and helped a total of 17 families by providing gifts for the children and gift cards and a meal for each family. In addition, we also purchased gifts and toys to the LV Pediatric Cancer Center. This is Lionism at its best!! ([See page 8](#)), Our January general membership meeting was held with the Emmaus Lioness Lions Club. We were honored to have DG Kathy and VDG Denise in attendance. This is always a fun night. ([See page 6](#)) Our monthly hoagie/sandwich sale was held on Monday, January 16th and we were again able to donate food to the Emmaus Food Pantry. Next sale February 20th (3rd Monday every month except April, July and October) (Italian & Turkey \$6, Ham & Cheese \$5) Email Orders to LionSales@rcn.com

MOUNTAINVILLE LIONS: Participated in the District 14-K Lions Bingo and Raffle event in November 20, 2022., Our club purchased 10 bingo tickets (\$350), 20 raffle tickets (\$100)., Supplied 2 Raffle Gifts valued at more than \$25 each, Donated baked items, PDG Joe Chunko, Lion Joe Miller, Lion Frieda Soska and her husband (Joe) helped run bingo event., Club help a successful Boscov's "Friends Helping Friends" Fundraiser., 11 lions participated and made a profit of \$270., Club held a fruit rolls fundraiser, sold 255 rolls made a profit of \$1,035. Lion Frieda Soska was our chairperson for this event., Lion Frieda Soska volunteered 10.5 hours to the Miller Blood Center and 8 hours to her church., Lion Roland Barrall continues to donate his spare time in the Bethlehem area., Club continues to donate supplies to the Roosevelt Elementary School., Donated \$200 to the Minsi Trails Annual Scouting Fundraiser held on November 30, 2022., Club participated in Annual Operation Santa Claus run on December 17, 2022 with the Western Salisbury Fire Department., Club members walked along side of fire truck handing out candy, dog treats and oranges to the children of the Alton Park area. Santa Claus was on truck greeting the children., Club handed out 6 thanksgiving baskets to low income families from the Roosevelt School., Club will be holding a Valentine's day raffle on February 8, 2023. Proceeds to go to help the less fortunate citizens of our community. This fundraiser is open to all Lions who would like to help our cause. Call Lion Terry Paicer for more information.

ALBURTIS LIONS: Alburdis Lions meet monthly 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month at Zion Lehigh Evangelical Church, Spring Creek Road, Alburdis, 6:30pm., Donated an item for the Zion Lehigh Church's craft bazaar & basket raffle held Saturday 12/05., Donated toys (\$100) to the LVHN Reilly

Hospital., Donated \$200.00 to the Street Medicine Program thru LVHN, Lion Jeanne Zieger was received 11/09/22 as a board member for the Northeast PA Lions Service Foundation.

(2) Lions attended the Kuhnsville Blind/Deaf Christmas Party., The Club will resume ham/cheese sandwich sales 2/07., We welcome Lion Allen Meck to our club as a transfer from Lower Lehigh Lions Club., The Club continues to work on Lock Ridge memorials and ideas for summer., Developed a new eyeglass collection program., Continue sales of Dan Schantz flower cards and meat snack sticks.

KUHNSVILLE LIONS: Held a Christmas luncheon for the deaf and Blind/Visually Impaired December 17th ([See page 8](#))

LEHIGH TOWNSHIP LIONS: On January 11, 2023, the Lehigh Township Lions Club welcome District Governor Duellely for a banner exchange. During the evening we welcomed our newest member, William Grim, and honored past Club Secretary Doug Hall for 15 years of service as Secretary.

LEHIGH TOWNSHIP LIONESS LIONS: We had our Christmas meeting on December 1 and exchanged gifts. On December 13, we had a visitation to our sister club, Lehigh Township. They hosted a dinner at the Woodstone Country Club and it was a great evening of fun and fellowship., Adopted a family of 10 from Lehigh Elementary School for Christmas. They all received gifts and food including a turkey. We also bought Christmas Gifts for 4 children in the Siegfried school in Northampton., Club went carolling at Lisa's House which is a personal care home in Danielsville. We had a great time and the residents even sang along. Each resident received a Christmas gift and ornament.

SLATEDALE-EMERALD AREA LIONS: Distributed Weis gift cards to persons in need at Christmastime., Received grant from NE Pennsylvania Lions Service Foundation for pavilion at Leaser Lake., Made donation to District 14-K for 100% participation of Governor's Projects., Held January hoagie sale., Continue to loan medical equipment to persons in need., Planning 54th Charter Night.

SLATINGTON LIONS: At our December meeting we had a speaker, Mr. Matt Guedes who is the exec. director of Camp Freedom. He gave us a lot of great information on his organization which helps out Veterans, First responders, Police, Firemen and Gold Star families. Attached is one of their information handouts which details some of the things they do to help our hero's when in need. Please read this and share. This group started out locally and has had visitors from over 40 states to use the acreage they have in Carbondale, Pa.

Click "[Healing Heroes](#)" for more information., Comedy Night March 4 Emerald Fire Co. Click "[Comedy Night](#)" for additional information.

UPPER LEHIGH LIONS: Hoagie Sale April 11, Place orders by April 3 to Kathi at 610-799-343. Click "[Hoagie Sale](#)" for additional information.

REGION 2

BATH LIONS: The club held their annual toy raffle November 12-13, 2022 at St. John's Lutheran Church on East Main Street in Fellowship Hall. The club held their 2nd Candy Cane hunt on December 17th at St. John's Lutheran Church on East Main Street.

LIONS CLUBS ACTIVITIES

COPLAY LIONS: Club continues to help make perogies with St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church each month. One of their members volunteers about 40 hours per month at the Miller Blood bank. The club donated \$100 to Leader Dog in 2022 and supported their local food pantry donating \$1,000 in gift cards.

HANOVER TOWNSHIP LIONS: Meeting for dinners every other month, no activities. DG Kathy continues to be in contact with Willard Kulp on a monthly basis.

WHITEHALL LIONS: Club had a successful fundraiser in selling luminaries raising between \$1500-\$1800. This money went to support three families in Whitehall at Christmas. We purchased \$150 Walmart gift cards for each of the children and \$100 grocery gift cards for the families. The Leo Clubs made Christmas cards for the residents at Fellowship Manor and the residents loved them. The club held an awareness event with the Whitehall Adult Active Community on January 10, 2023. This event was Hunger awareness and we had Meals on Wheels, the Whitehall Food Pantry and the Allentown Health Bureau speak. Our next community awareness event will be held on March 14, 2023 at the same location and our topic will be Hearing and Vision Impairedness.

SIGHTS FOR HOPE LIONS: Club had their charter event on January 26, 2023 during their regular meeting. Congratulations to this new club. ([See page 7](#)) They are holding and on going canned food drive for the local shelters and held a White Cane event on January 28, 2023 at the Redners in Whitehall. The club is also looking to sell Lions mints.

COOPERSBURG LIONS: No Report

HELLERTOWN LIONS: No Report

SAUCON VALLEY LIONS: On November 25th our club ran a concession stand at our local Borough Light Up Night., Our club held a successful Spaghetti Dinner with Santa fundraiser on December 4th. We held a basket raffle there and also collected over 40 toys for the Pediatric Cancer Foundation of the Lehigh Valley. , We held our annual Christmas Party on December 10th where we enjoyed live music from Lion Lynn Patnaude's 2 sons and once again collected new socks for the Bethlehem Emergency Shelter., At our January Dinner Meeting our club secretary Lion Paul Nagy gave a presentation on his and his wife Lion Fran's recent visit to Leader Dog.

UPPER SAUCON LIONS: [Flea Market & Craft Show](#) June 3rd Living Memorial Grounds, Coopersburg. *For more information click Flea Market or call 800-405-2773.*

REGION 3

BANGOR LIONS: No Report

MOORE TOWNSHIP LIONS: No Report

MOORE TOWNSHIP LIONESS LIONS: No Report

RICHMOND LIONS: No Report

BETHLEHEM TOWNSHIP LIONS: Sold Nut Roll fundraiser from Country Cottage Bake Shop, Recruited 1 new member to our club, Made Holiday Shoeboxes for children in need, District Governor visit to club in January, Planning our Annual Golf Tournament for June 2023, Scholarship Applications have been delivered to 4 local high schools, Meeting monthly at Borderline Restaurant.

EASTON LIONS: We collected food from two local Wawas with delivery to ProJeCt of Easton's food bank eight times., We collected used eyeglasses at the Walmart Vision Center twice., We helped the Salvation Army with bell ringing at Sam's Club on December 3., We are participating in LCIF's coin collection project with members donating pocket change at every meeting. We collected \$139 Oct-Dec., We collect food for the Salvation Army food bank at every meeting and deliver it afterwards., We donated winter outerwear to a charity in Phillipsburg, NJ., Our club holiday party will be the evening of 1/12., Our Easton-Phillipsburg wrestling luncheon with coaches and team captains will be January 17., Plans are progressing for our 40th Wrestling Classic to be held on March 14, 2023.

NAZARETH LIONS: No Report

PALMER TOWNSHIP LIONS: No Report

WILSON BOROUGH LIONS: [Designer Purse Bingo](#) February 11., Adopt-a-Route volunteers for Meals on Wheels. ([See page 10](#)) Ten local residents had prepared meals delivered to them., Paul and Ann Corriere kept a 30+ year tradition alive by organising this year's Christmas Basket grocery deliveries to needy 12 families throughout the Borough., Eight Lions members participated in organising and delivering the groceries. This year the groceries were purchased at the ShopRite of Bethlehem Township at a cost of \$800., Mike and Nancy Perruso were guests at a Christmas dinner with 10 members of the Palmer Lions Club held at the Kingfish Restaurant., A donation of \$10 per member (\$290) was made to District 14K "Projects Donation Request.", This November marked the third time that the Wilson Boro Lions Club teamed up with the community organization "Celebrate Wilson" to make Christmas a bit brighter for Wilson Borough at the annual tree lighting celebration. Following the arrival of Santa on the back of a Wilson Borough Fire truck, a group of over 150 residents and their children followed him for the ceremonial lighting of the Christmas tree at Meuser Park. Everyone came back to the Wilson Community center where they were served hot cocoa and some tasty treats compliments of the Wilson Boro Lions Club. The youngsters visited with Santa and received a present that included a tree ornament and stockings for them to color for their own use at home. ([See page 8](#))

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Lion Carol Ann Bodnar
Allentown Kulmsville Lions

Lion Michael F. Bodnar
Allentown Kulmsville Lions

Lion Karen R. Clark
Allentown Kulmsville Lions

Lion Laura B. Dario
Bangor Lions

Lion Donna Marie D. Coley Reid
Bethlehem Township Lions

Lion William G. Quier
Emmaus Lions

Lion Chad E. Welter
Emmaus Lions

Lion William J. Grim
Lehigh Township Lions

Lion Martha Surprise
LV Sights for Hope Lions

Lion Judith A. Vanhorn
LV Sights for Hope Lions

Lion Nancy Alekna
Moore Township Lioness Lions

Lion Sandra Dech
Moore Township Lioness Lions

Lion Annette Vliet
Moore Township Lioness Lions

Lion Jesse J. Longley
Moorestown Moore Township Lions

Lion Michael Schramak
Upper Lehigh Lions

Lion Valerie A. Schramak
Upper Lehigh Lions

[Lions Make a Difference Everyday, Everywhere!](#)

Dreams Come True



District 14k presented a check in the amount of \$7,000 to Dreams Come True at their annual telethon on December 6, 2022.

Pictured from left, LCIF Coordinator Lion Donna Bok, Broadcaster Chris Michael, 2VDG Lion Scott Lohman and Region 1 Zone A & B Chairman Lion Rich Litzenberger.

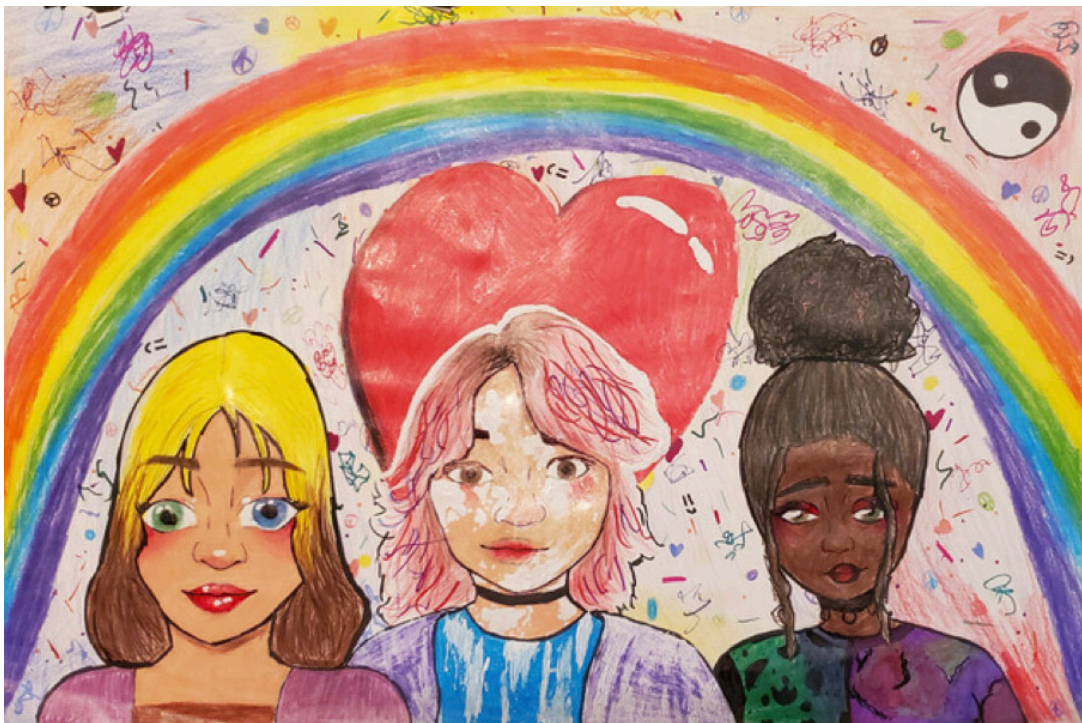


DG Kathy Deulley installs 2 new members of the Emmaus Lions Club January 9. (from left) DG Kathy Deulley, Sponsoring Lion Jim Keller, Lion Willian Quier, Lion Chad Welter, Sponsoring Lion Marty Beers.



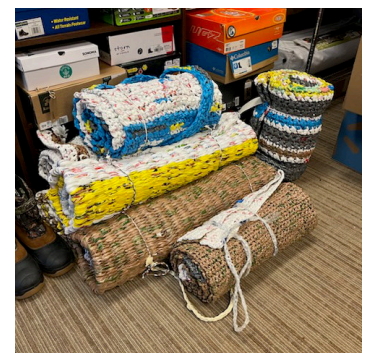
District Governor Kathy Deulley was the guest of honor at a joint meeting of the Emmaus Lions Club and Emmaus Lioness Lions Club at Superior Restaurant in Emmaus.

Pictured from left, 1VDG Lion Denise Shaffer, Region 1 Zone A & B Chairman Lion Rich Litzenberger, Lioness Lion President Barbara Cope, Emmaus Lion President Elliot Billman and DG Kathy Deulley.



District 14K Peace Poster Contest Winner

District 14K Peace Poster Winner Rosabel Cruz. Rosabel is a 6th grade student at Eyer Middle School in Emmaus. Her entry went on to the state level and was voted an honorable mention. Sponsoring Club was Emmaus Lions Club.



Emmaus Lioness Lions make mats from plastic grocery bags and donate them to LVHN Street Medicine to be distributed to the homeless. A ministry of ladies at various churches started making these mats during covid. One of the ladies came to our meeting to teach us how they are made.



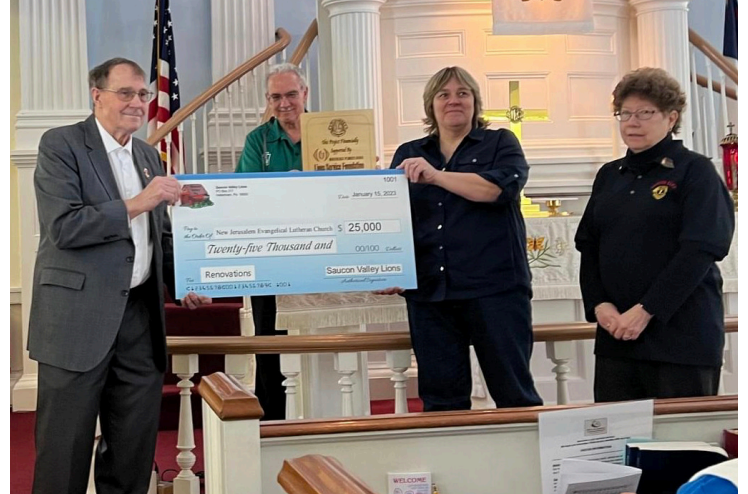
Lehigh Valley Sights for Hope Lions Club Charter Celebration!

January 26, 2023, DG Kathy Duellley had the great honor to induct new members & officers of the Lehigh Valley Sights for Hope Lions Club at their Charter Celebration. This club is a true inspiration! 🥰

Special Congratulations and thanks to the Whitehall Lions for sponsoring this amazing club. Congratulations Lion President Judy on the Banner Patch! 🥰🥰

Check out the article on Lehigh Valley News by selecting the following link.

www.lehighvalleynews.com



The Saucon Valley Lions Club was proud to be a Sponsor in assisting New Jerusalem Church with a grant from the NE PA Lions Service Foundation. Thanks to all that were involved in making this grant possible. On January 15, the NE PA Lion's Service Foundation and Saucon Valley Lions Club Members presented a grant to support the church renovations (the new sidewalk and steps) for the continuation of NJELC's community service. Thank you to those who helped to make this happen so that NJELC can continue to support locals in our community.

Healing Heros with outdoor adventures.

Slatington Lions hosted Mr. Matt Guedes at their December meeting. Mr. Guedes is the executive director of Camp Freedom. He gave us a lot of great information on his organization which helps out Veterans, First responders, Police, Firemen and Gold Star families. This group started out locally and has had visitors from over 40 states to use the acreage they have in Carbondale, Pa. Click the following link for an informational handout which details some of the things they do to help our hero's when in need. ["Healing Heros"](#)



A TIME FOR GIVING

Lionism at it's Best

Many of our clubs were busy during November and December. Shopping, wrapping and delivering gifts and meals to families in need.



The Lions delivered almost \$2000 worth of children's toys this month to **Reilly's Children's Hospital**. The first delivery was from the **Emmaus Lions Club** and the second delivery was from **District 14-K Lions Charitable Enterprises, Inc.**



Emmaus Lions Club hosted 35 children among 17 families in need December 20.



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Lehigh Township Lioness-Lions adopted a family of 10 from Lehigh Elementary School for Christmas. They all received gifts and food including a turkey. We also bought Christmas Gifts for 4 children in the Siegfried school in Northampton. Club went carolling at Lisa's House which is a personal care home in Danielsville. We had a great time and the residents even sang along. Each resident received a Christmas gift and ornament.



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Santa and Mrs. Claus helped to make our **Saucon Valley Lions Club** Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser on December 4th a huge success! The toys we collected went to a wonderful cause.



Saucon Valley Lions enjoyed their Christmas party December 10 at Springtown Inn, Springtown. Our MC was Club President Lion Ray. Thank you Lion Bruce for arranging the festivities, and the Patnaude sons for the live entertainment.



Emmaus Lions Club held their annual Christmas Party in December where some shenanigans took place. Club held a contest where attendees had to construct Reindeer Antlers using balloons and pantyhose. Fun and laughter ensued.



WILSON BOROUGH LIONS PARTNER WITH LV MEALS ON WHEELS

Wilson Borough Lions' "Adopt-a-Route" partners with Greater Lehigh Valley Meals on Wheels to Deliver Meals to Local Clients. For the past two years the Wilson Boro Lions Club has partnered with The Greater Lehigh Valley Meals on Wheels to help deliver meals on the second Friday of each month. Each weekday Meals on Wheels prepares and oversees the delivery of nearly 1500 meals to clients throughout the Lehigh Valley, from Macungie to Easton and Center Valley to Bangor. All deliveries are done by volunteers.

The Wilson Lions Club provides two volunteers each month to deliver two prepared meals to 12 Wilson residents. They begin their delivery around 10:00 am by picking up a cooler, warming bag and client list at a local church pick up site. Included with the client list are driving directions and simple instructions on how to find the client's residence. The entire delivery process takes about 1 1/2 - 2 hours. Typically one volunteer does the driving while the other delivers the meals to the client. The clients are always happy to see our members and are so appreciative of the effort made to ensure they get a nutritious meal each day. Sometimes they are so happy to see us that they don't want us to leave. To date, ten members of the Wilson Boro Lions have delivered roughly 50 meals to 12 different clients over the past two years.

If your club would like to partner with Meals on Wheels, just contact Dawn Stillwagen, Director of Volunteer Services at dawns@mowglv.org or call 610-691-1030. There is a lot of flexibility if you're interested in volunteering.



Pictured is Nancy Perruso (r) delivering a meal to a happy client.



Wilson Lions Club continued a 30 year tradition by organizing a holiday grocery delivery to 12 local families. This year's grocery order included a spiral ham, can goods, spaghetti, peanut butter, sauces, juice, milk, fruit, candy canes and many other items. Just as they have done in the past 15 years, this year's delivery was organized by Lions Paul and Ann Corriere. Eight Lions members participated in the event. Shoprite of Bethlehem Township helped by shopping and organizing the order in advance for the club.

Fundraisers

DISTRICT

- [Bowl-a-Thon](#) Jordan Lanes Whitehall, PA March 9, 2023
- [Penny Party](#) Strausser Community Center Easton April 1, 2023
- [Journey for Sight](#) Lehigh Valley Mall May 6, 2023

CLUBS

- Wilson Borough Lions ["Designer Purse Bingo"](#) February 11, 2023
- Emmaus Lions ["Hoagie Sale"](#) February 20, 2023
- Slatington Lions ["Comedy Night"](#) March 4, 2023
- Upper Lehigh Lions ["Hoagie Sale"](#) April 11, 2023
- Upper Saucon Lions ["Flea Market & Craft Show"](#) June 3, 2023

Click on the [Blue Link](#) for additional information

Lions International Pin Traders Club

- [Pin Swap](#) Red Lion Hotel Harrisburg, PA March 15-16, 2023

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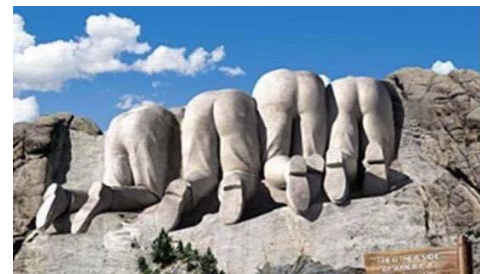
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