



First place Peace Poster of Shea Black, 11, of Wind Gap Middle School.

# Three Winners of Peace Poster Contest Picked; No. 1 Sent to State for Judging

The top three Peace Posters in District 14-K have been picked by a panel of Lions past district governors, IPCC Karen Brady, PDG Fred Folland and PDG Linwood Gehris, according to chairperson PDG Joseph Chunko.

Taking first place is the poster of Shea Black, 11, a fifth grader at Wind Gap Middle School in Pen Argyl, proclaiming that "Peace is made everywhere." The sponsoring club, Plainfield Township Lions Club. The

poster was forwarded to Pa. MD-14 Lions for judging in the State contest.

The second place winner was Catie Feathernby, 12, a seventh grade student at Eyer Middle School in Macungie. The Emmaus Lions Club was the sponsor.

Winning third place was the poster of Robert Ulsh, 11, a student in St. Francis de Chantel School in Easton. His quote: "The people and cultures of our world can create a future of peace by living together in

harmony with each other." Wilson Borough Lions sponsored it.

All three poster winners and their parents will be invited to attend the District 14-K Convention luncheon on Saturday, March 24, at which time they will be presented with the winning prizes. PDG Chunko now has the posters and he will contact the parents to confirm that they will be able to attend the luncheon.

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# "Taste of Shadows" Leaves Diners in the Dark

Ninety people came together on Thursday, October 19, 2017 at the Green Pond Country Club, Bethlehem, to experience vision loss for a short time at the Center for Vision Loss's A Taste of the Shadows vision loss awareness fundraiser. The following members of District 14-K attended: DG Don Kaufman and his wife Cindy, President of the Emmaus Lioness-Lions; IPDG Marsha Johnston and her husband Brian, and VDG1 Karlene Laub.

During the Gathering Hour before dinner, guests enjoyed hors d'oeuvres and tasted craft beers provided by Penn Beverage & Sales and wines provided by Franklin Hill Vineyards while they mingled and checked out the many prizes in the New Focus Raffle. During dinner, the guests were blindfolds while they ate their salad and entrée, poured water and passed rolls and butter. During dessert they then exchanged their blindfolds for simulator glasses that provided visual impressions of each of the four age-related eye diseases commonly affecting seniors. A sighted guide at each table explained how to navigate through the meal and shared information about the agency's vision rehabilitation support services which can improve the quality of life for clients with vision loss.

After dinner, Executive Director Doug Yingling introduced the organization's new video, "Dorothy's Story," produced by ASR Media Productions. It tells the moving story of how one client has worked through her adjustment to vision loss. The guests also viewed "Seeing With Your Heart," a second new video produced by Daymarks Productions to "The Animal document Kindness Project," a Community Service Project to benefit Animals in Distress. This project was driven by the campers, ages 7-13 with vision loss, who attended the agency's Camp I CAN! in July. TeenWorks, an affinity group of the United Way of the Greater Lehigh Valley, funded the project. Lois Gadek, Board President of Animals in Distress, expressed her appreciation for the dedica-

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# District 14-K Needs a 1st and 2nd Vice District Governor

It is the responsibility of the PDG Honorary Advisory Committee to support our District Governor.

We need to assist DG Don Kaufman and District 14-K in the search for a 1st and 2nd Vice District Governor. We haven't had a 2nd Vice District Governor this year, so now we need to fill both positions.

Please consider the leadership skills of your club members or any other District Lion that could fill one of these positions. Contact them and relay

your confidence in them and ask whether they would consider one of these leadership positions.

Follow up with a brief description of the responsibilities involved. If you are not comfortable with making the contact, please call PDG Larry Snyder or Governor Don Kaufman and someone will make the contact for you. You may want to consider several candidates.

We need to have candidates well before the February 12th meeting, so

don't delay. Please send your responses to PDG Larry at larcar41@ptd.net or call him at 610-769-2410 or 610-392-6479. DG Don may be contacted at 610-776-7477.

He has asked our committee secretary, PDG Bill Halbfoerster, to send our committee meeting minutes to us within two weeks of a meeting. PDG Bill stated he currently has many issues, but assured me that he would give this his top priority. (He sent the notices out early as requested).



Sighted guide Dianne Michaels leads her table to help the blindfolded at CVL dinner. - Photo by CEardley Designs

## District Governor's Message

### Service / Membership / Leadership



It's a Great Time to be a Lion, Leo and Lioness! Lion Cindy and I wish you and your family a Happy New Year and a prosperous 2018. We are thankful to be part of the Lions family in District 14-K.

As we begin the second half of our Lions year let's refocus on the goals we set for our clubs. I'm sure they include SERVICE, MEMBERSHIP, and LEADERSHIP. And remember to have fun!

Thanks to all the clubs 1st VDG Lion Karlene and I visited this year. It's hard to explain what it's like to be with so many wonderful people who share the same dreams and desires of being a Lion and serving their communities. The experience is heartfelt and will last forever. Thank you!

The third State Council Meeting for our 2017-2018 fiscal year is scheduled for February 2 - 4 at the Holiday Inn in Breinigsville, Pa. This is a great opportunity to attend a council meeting so close to home. You are welcome to attend the meetings and seminars offered each day along with any of the banquets. Complete details will be forthcoming.

The District 14-K annual Convention will be held on March 24-25 at the Holiday Inn in Breinigsville. The committee is working on the final preparations to provide great seminars, a guest speaker, good food, fellow-ship, and Leo Club activities. Please speak with your fellow Lions and let's plan to break attendance records from recent years. We promise to make it worth your while we'd love to see you at the convention.

I am hopeful that someone will step forward and volunteer their services to serve as our 1st Vice District Governor for 2018-2019. It is all of our wishes that District 14-K continues to stand as a proud district, able to take care of our needs without seeking help and merging with another District. I know there are talented Lions that are afraid to make the commitment and serve on the District level. But I assure you, it's not that hard given the amount of training and support you will receive. The personal reward of serving with so many great Lions is worth any sacrifice you may make upon your time.

In Lionism,

VDG Don Kaufman

## **Committee Sending Out Convention Registrations**

The 2017-18 convention of District 14-K is scheduled for March 24 and 25, 2018 and the convention committee met on January 6th to stuff registration forms in envelopes for every Lion and Lioness member.

Chairman PDG Tom Dieter says the meals were booked for the convention and the seminars are established. There will be some new seminars this year and they will be quite informative and hopefully well attended.

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### **Dates to Remember**

JAN. 15 Charitable Enterprises FEB. 2-4 State Council #3 -Holiday Inn, Breinigsville 12 PDG Advisory Committee **Executive Committee** 

17 Cabinet Meeting #3 MAR. 19 Charitable Enterprises

24-25 District 14-K -33rd Convention Holiday Inn, Breinigsville

24 Melvin Jones Honors At Convention Banquet

25 Necrology Breakfast

#### Look for the registration forms to be in your mail box in the early part of January 2018.

We have a confirmed speaker for the weekend. First year International Director Lion Gwen White, and her partner in service Rhett, from Columbia, North Carolina will be our honored guests, and she will give the message at the banquet. Director White comes very highly recommended by PID Gene Polgar and PID Cindy Gregg.

## "Taste of Shadows"

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tion of the campers. Maeve Yanes received a Certificate of Thanks for her participation as a TeenWorks volunteer at the camp. Both new videos can be viewed at www.centerforvisionloss.

The agency's Accessibility Champion Awards were then presented to representatives Pocono Whitewater, Young at Heart Entertainment and Easton Walmart Super-center. This award honors an individual, business, or community group making exceptional efforts to make their products or programs accessible to people with vison loss.

## 1<sup>st</sup> Vice District Governor's Message

#### An Exciting Time in Lionism



The holidays are over and I hope everyone had some special times with family and friends. It's time for us to get down to business again. The Governor and I have continued our visitations right through the holidays, as we were fortunate enough to attend a Christmas party with the Slatedale-Emerald and Ontelaunee Lions. We had a very nice evening with the two clubs. Thank you to both clubs for your hospitality.

We will be stuffing envelopes with the registration forms for the 14-K Convention and Melvin Jones dinner. Don't procrastinate, get those registrations in A.S.A.P. Don't forget the Melvin Jones Fellowships will be given out at the Saturday evening, March 24th dinner. The Necrology Service is on Sunday, March 25th and we are planning a beautiful Palm Sunday service that you won't want to miss. The convention committee has been working diligently since September to give you a convention with some new things planned, so join us for the fun and fellowship.

I will be attending another training session in West Virginia this month. I'm very fortunate to be coming in as District Governor at a time when the GAT is being organized. The training has been phenomenal, and I'm very excited about this new program. My goal next year is to get all our clubs as excited as I am about the very thing Lions are known for, Service!

Finally, I know I sound like a broken record, but please consider stepping up to 1st or 2nd VDG. I would hate to see District 14-K go by the way-side, which will happen if I don't have a successor.

Until next month, stay warm and keep on serving those who need us most.

#### 1st VDG Karlene Laub





Lois Gandek, board president of Animals in Distress, expresses her appreciation to Center for Vision Loss executive Yingling for the campers in Camp

Cheryl Wallitsch shows Andy Sierra Awareness Certificate she received as Accessibility champion for 2017.

- Photo by Center for Vision Loss

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#### **REGION I**

ALBURTIS - Club staffed the treat stand at the Alburtis Community Center to help out the AACC in community service by providing treats to the trick or treaters passing through and running the snack stand for the community. . . A free Veterans Day lunch was provided for six veterans at Zion Lehigh Church in Alburtis, and a White Cane bucket received \$25 in donations. . . On December 12, we plan an all day fund raiser at Alburtis Tavern. 10% of the food sales goes back to club.

ALTON PARK - Planning annual "Operation Santa Claus."

EMMAUS LIONESS LIONS - Collected 225 pounds of food items for the Bethel Bible Food Bank in Emmaus. . . Contributed \$100 to the East Penn Fitness Team . . . Our club hosted the November 16th Region 1, Zone A meeting. . . . :Purchased a new Emmaus Lioness Lions Club banner for use at our events.

EMMAUS - No November report..

**KUHNSVILLE AREA** - Planning a Christmas party for sight and hearing impaired adults and children in our area on December 9.

**LEHIGH TOWNSHIP** - .Made multiple loans of medical equipment .

LEHIGH VALLEY SATURDAY A.M. - Two schools participated in Peace Poster Contest, Raub Middle School and Trexler Middle School. . . . Selling Gertrude Hawk candy as a fundraiser. . . Will help Catasauqua Lions next month on a project. . . . Collecting batteries for district. . . . Planning Christmas event for visually impaired children and families at Pa. Playhouse for play "The Happy Elf" , with lunch.

LOWER LEHIGH - Collections of eyeglasses, aluminum cans, and food for Zionsville Food Bank continue. . .Sold a total of 10 BonTon booklets for their campaign and raised \$2,100 for the club. . . Gave 24 families grocery gift cards for Thanksgiving helping hands project. . . Donated \$3,200 to the Macungie Institute to be used for handicapped access doors on the building. . . Annual Christmas party on December 10.

MOUNTAINVILLE - Collecting non-perishable food items to prepare Thanksgiving baskets for needy families in our area. . . Selling tickets for drawing on December 13 when District Governor and Alton Park Lions visit.

**ONTELAUNEE** - No November report

SLATEDALE-EMERALD AREA - No November report

**SLATINGTON** - Upcoming Super Bowl fundraiser / party planned. . . . . Charter and awards night at December 5 regular meeting and District Governor visitation. UPPER LEHIGH - Charter night celebrated November 15 at NOVA reception hall, when Erin and Matthew Heintzelman were installed as new members... Will sponsor a child in need to attend diabetes camp. .. Business meetings will now be held at the Schnecksville Community Fair office . . . Gave our donation of \$3,000 to Center for Vision Loss at breakfast.

BATH - Club had a Membership meeting after inviting local officials. Told them about Lions and how we serve in the community. Have gained two new members. . . Raised money for Bath Area Food Bank by setting up tables Nov. 3-4 at Ahart's Market and Town & Country Restaurant in Bath. . . . Club will celebrate 90th anniversary in March 2018.

COOPERSBURG - No November report

COPLAY - No November report, but having breakfast on Super Bowl Sunday.

**HANOVER TOWNSHIP** - No November report

**HELLERTOWN** - No November report

SAUCON VALLEY - No November report UPPER SAUCON - No November report

WHITEHALL - District Governor installed two new members at October meeting. WHITEHALL - District Governor installed two few interinities at October meeting.

One of our members honored at funcheon of Whitehall Community Foundation for her community service...Donated \$500 to Whitehall Township Public Library and \$700 to Whitehall-Coplay Hunger Initiative for signs announcing time and church where bi-monthly meal for needy will be held. . . Purchased seven pairs of eyeglasses for two children and three needy adults.

#### **REGION III**

BANGOR - Having a Rita's ice lid sale. . Selling 50/50 tickets for December drawing. . Selling meat sticks. . . Having a pastie sale. . Donated \$100 to the church food bank. . Gave three \$100 Main Street Market certificates for Thanksgiving to families in need. . . Held a Wendy's fundraiser.

BETHLHEM TOWNSHIP - Five club members volunteered at the Meals on Wheels center in Bethlehem by preparing flowers to be delivered with Thanksgiving meals to the elderly. . . . Supplying the local food banks with donations throughout the year by gathering food items or monetary donations at all District functions. Donated \$500 to Calvary Baptist Food Bank. . . Sold nut roll at local restaurant for four days as a fundraiser project . . . The club donated \$300 to hurricane relief in Texas, Florida and Puerto Ricc. . . Planning 14th annual Bethlehem Township Lions Club Golf Tournament for Friday, June 8 at Whitetail Golf Course, Klein Rd., Bath. (See Events). Club depended six here beyons filled with tow and escentise for existing the service of the course. Events). . . Club donated six hoe boxes filled with toys and essentials for six children. . . One new member, Christopher Valianatos.

EASTON - We picked up food donated by Wegman's, Wawa, and Weis Markets and delivered it to food bank at ProJect of Easton, five times each. sight-impaired woman from Easton area to a meeting in Allentown and back home . . . Sold 72 poinsettias to individuals and businesses . . . Hosted a luncheon to honor Easton and Phillipsburg high schools football teams prior to their game, then awarded trophies to the most outstanding offensive and defensive players and the winning team....One new member, Michael J. McNeil.

HECKTOWN-LOWER NAZARETH - No November report

 $\textbf{MOORE TOWNSHIP} - \text{Have recycling bin at municipal building } \dots \text{No November report}$ NAZARETH - No November report

PALMER TOWNSHIP - Displayed many events for local organizations on Lions sign. PLAINFIELD TOWNSHIP - Continuing sales of American-made brooms and RADA cutlery . . Online sales continuing . . Collected for White Cane. . . . Selling Chocolates on Broadway. . . . Planning annual children's Christmas party at the Pen Argyl Salvation Army.

RICHMOND - Two Lions volunteer at the Portland-Upper Mount Bethel Food Pantry. . . Hosting zone meeting.

TATAMY-STOCKERTOWN - \$100 donation to Nazareth Area Food Bank, \$50 for Thanksgiving and \$50 for Christmas....Donated \$200 to Tatamy Vol. Fire Co... Had November fund-raiser spaghetti dinner.

WILSON BOROUGH - Sponsored full page ads in Wilson H.S. basketball and wrestling programs.

# Leos *Action*

District Advisor, IPDG Marsha Johnston, at the Cabinet meeting reported that all ten Leo clubs have begun the year with very full fall schedules, many for the full year. Sponsoring clubs were urged to attend a Leo club meeting to get to know the Leos. She says, "They are a phenomenal group of young people." She attended a Leo panel discussion USA/Canada the Leadership Forum. The participants were verv knowledgeable and shared many successful stories. Here is a summary of what the local Leos are doing:

**BANGOR** HIGH SCHOOL - Kelly Mennell, Advisor, reported tat the Leos held a blood drive with a total f 89 people signed up. Planning to organize a mini thon to raise funds for the fight against pediatric cancer.

NORTHERN LEHIGH **LEOS** - Advisor PDG Fred Folland says the club

donated \$200 to Center for Vision Loss and attended the Needs Breakfast. . .Helped at food bank in November. . .Will set up and will help serve at Breakfast with Santa on Dec. 3. On Dec. 16 they will help with "Wreaths Across America" at Cedar Hill Memorial Park. .Handing out gifts to children at Friedens U.C.C. Church on Dec. 16.

NORTHWESTERN **LEHIGH LEOS** - Advisor IPDG Johnston reports the club helped with Lehigh Valley "Boo at the Zoo" project. . Selling Blue Mountain candies in time for Christmas.

PEN ARGYL HIGH SCHOOL / WIND GAP MIDDLE SCHOOL LEOS -Advisor Lion Josephine Buscemi reported both clubs are selling Gertrude chocolate bars. . Collected donations for St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital at a football game. .Made paper flowers for residents of Gracedale and Chandler Estates. . .Leos led each homeroom grader

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FORKS TOWNSHIP - No November report.

EHIGH TOWNSHIP – No November 3, the club will be going to the Rainbow Playhouse in Lancaster to see "Guess Who's Coming to Christmas"... Our club of 18 ladies is donating small gifts and volunteering our time a t the Little Shoppers' Christmas Shop on Dec. 2 for the families who use the Northampton Food Pantry.... We will be caroling at three personal care homes in Lehigh Township and giving each resident a small gift... We are also adopting two needy families for Christmas and providing the children clothing and toys from Santa.

MOORE TOWNSHIP - No November report.

NORTHAMPTON AREA - Two Thanksgiving dinner baskets were taken to the school for those in need. . . . We had a successful bake sale and sale of Gertrude Hawk candy bars.

4-8 in developing an American flag and each flag was delivered to a resident at Gracedale.

PARKLAND LEOS Advisor Margaret Buell reports the club has helped at Boo at the Zoo; served breakfast to Schnecksville firemen and their families; Served dinner at Bus Driver Banquet while showing appreciation of their commitment to safe rides for students. . .Volunteer at Center for Vision Loss Halloween party, serving dinner, and assisting in Halloween themed games. . .Beautified community by cleaning up at Adopt a Purchase Highway; Christmas gifts for local charity, and worked at a senior citizen dinner. with .Club volunteers annual Lights at the Zoo and holiday games for the children. . .Continue biweekly visits to Candler Estates and Gracedale.

SAUCON **VALLEY** LEOS - Advisor Genia Miller reports that the Leos assist the Saucon Valley Lions Club with their monthly breakfasts. . . Collect items for shoe boxes to donate to Operation Child. Christmas .Planning a second annual "Pile It On" after Christmas winter clothing collection for Allentown homeless shelters. . .PTO Color Run and a spring food drive planned.

WHITEHALL LEOS -Advisor Lion Jessica Paulas reported that the club continues to sponsor a child Children from International. . .Raised funds from a frozen food sale. . . Held a blood drive.

WHITEHALL-COPLAY MIDDLE SCHOOL LEOS -Advisors Jamie Brobst and Corey Frantz report that they raised funds to help a teacher in the Houston area after Hurricane Harvey struck so he could buy supplies. They some WCSM4Houston bracelets during lunch and sent down \$500 worth of Staple gift cards, and also wrote letters to the children offering support and encouragement

**EMMAUS** SCHOOL LEOS - Advisor Heather Day's report showed the Leos helped with balloon sale at Halloween parade; participated in Adopt-a-Highway trash pickup; attended Lions convention; assisted at Emmaus Lions clam chowder sale; participated at two IronPigs ball games; assisted with Macungie Lions flea market; assisted with senior bingo at Cedarbrook; will fundraise for Penn State's THON.

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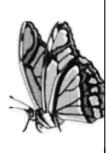
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Second place Peace Poster of Catie Featernby, 12, student at Eyer Middle School, Macungie. Third place poster drawn by Robert Ulsh, 11, of St. Francis de Chantal School, Easton



before May 25, 2018.

# **Lions Beacon Lodge Had Successful Season**

The Pennsylvania Lions Beacon Lodge camp board of directors met recently at camp. Executive Ellen Director Miller reported that the 2017 camping season was pretty successful all things considered. There were a total of 366 campers for the season. This included 48 children and 318 adults. District 14-K had a total of nine campers, eight adults and one child, with all the camperships paid by Lions and Lioness clubs of our District. Since 1949, 11,584 persons have participated in Beacon Lodge camping programs.

PDG Dennis Butz, a board member, said the camping season started

with a camping coordinator, two unit directors and ten counselors. Five of the counselors were from foreign countries, including England, Scotland, Australia and New Zealand. Halfway through the camping season the camp coordinator was let go and replaced by Jake Kelchner, who was officially hired in that capacity on August 25th. All of the staff did a fantastic job making sure our campers had the summer of a lifetime.

The 2018 camping season will start on June 2 and end on August 12.

All of the generous donations from the Lions, Lioness and Leo Clubs this year have been

# Peace Posters

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A total of four Lions clubs participated in this year's Peace Poster contest -- Emmaus Lions sponsored two schools, Lehigh Valley Saturday A.M. Lions also sponsored two schools, Plainfield Township Lions one, and Wilson Borough one. Lion Joe will also ask the L.V. Saturday A.M. Lions and Emmaus Lions about returning their posters.

He thanked each club for their participation in this year's contest, and hopes that next year many more of the 34 Lions clubs in our district will participate.

tremendously helpful. The 2018 Camp Wish List has been updated and will be sent to your clubs and posted on the camp and district websites.

The 2017 Project New Hope was the most successful ever. There were nine families for a total of 27 campers who attended. The families absolutely loved the camp and our mission, and would enjoy having the opportunity to come back again this year.

The 1st Beacon Lodge Golf Tournament was held on August 26, 2017. Attendance at the event was very poor, but donations from most of the districts helped the tournament to realize a profit of \$9,883.00 for the camp. This amount fell considerably short of the \$20,000.00 goal. Discussions will be held as to the future of the tournament fundraiser.

PDG Butz is available to attend your club meetings for a presentation on Beacon Lodge.

Once again, the Board Directors of Beacon Lodge extends our thanks and appreciation for your support of our Special Needs Camp for Children and Adults.

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COMING EVENTS BETHLEHEM TOWNSHIP LIONS - 14th annual

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a.m.; "Shotgun Start", 8 a.m. 4-person scramble; fee \$85.00 each. Golfer's luncheon follows at Whitetail.

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# **Diabetes a New Centennial Service Challenge in Lions**

PDG Glen Santee, District 14-K Centennial Coordinator, had this report at the recent Cabinet Meeting:

We are now almost through our 100-year Lion Anniversary Celebration. The time goes so fast! What have you and your club done to celebrate? Was it special? Did it give you that warm feeling of accomplishment? Is this the day you had that AH - HA moment when you said, I'M Á LION!? Lions' foundation of service was built on local communities, that's why it's important for clubs to have a Centennial Celebration, reminding them that We Serve! Don't miss this chance, CELEBRATE!

In the last report I said, "Now look forward to what we as clubs are going to do to embrace the future of Lions as we commit to expand our service to 170 million people and 200 million by 2020. To take on pancreatic cancer and diabetes." That time is now! November 13-19 was Worldwide Week of Service for Diabetes. Project suggestions are on the Lions Clubs International web site. One way to help is to reach out to community members with diabetes and promote an active healthy life style.

Å new Centennial Service Challenge has been added for 2017-2018, DIABETES! Clubs reporting diabetes projects will receive this special honor patch. As of this report 183,747,973 people have been served through the five challenge areas! Thank you, Lions! Need help? Call, I will do whatever I can to assist you with the centennial. A LION 100 banner is available for your event. Call 610-797-6346 to use it.

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