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# TATTLE TAILER

District 14-K Communicating with Our Members

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## First Cabinet Meeting Challenges Lions Clubs

A new year in Lionism reflected the challenges and also ways to deal with them as Lions and Lionesses met in the first Cabinet meeting at the Brass Rail restaurant in Allentown on Saturday, August 19, hosted by Region 1. District Governor Don Kaufman says "Every Member Matters" and that they possess unique talents that make our District 14-K clubs great because of their dedication to serving people in their communities.

After breakfast, the business meeting included introduction of a special guest from District 14-U, P.I.D. Bob Miller. Then came approval of the 2017-18 budget by the executive committee and reports from the Global Leadership, Membership, and Service

Team coordinators, followed by reports of DG Kaufman, 1st VDG Karlene Laub, and zone chairpersons, and district committee chairs.

### Team Coordinators

PDG Dennis Butz, coordinator for leadership, noted the need for a 2nd VDG, and invited Lions to join the team. "Take a look around your clubs and identify those Lions who possess the leadership characteristics of confidence, caring, compassion, integrity, open mindedness, ethical and committed to Lions."

IPCC Karen Brady, on membership, noted the ups and downs and said every new member we bring in to the pride will affect the

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## New Lions Club Organized In Center City, Allentown

A new life in Lionism is emerging in Allentown.

With the former Allentown Lions Club dissolving in the past year, District Governor Marsha Johnston, and 1st Vice District Governor Don Kaufman, along with other members of District 14-K, saw a need to replace that club and two others from Bethlehem. The Lions year 2017-2108 gave them further energy to do something about it -- the 100th anniversary of Lionism.

Along with a Lions Clubs International representative, they met with community leaders, for Lion Marsha said she was inspired after visiting in downtown Allentown and

seeing all the new businesses and new developments springing up.

In a recent report in the *Morning Call*, reporter Tom Shortell quoted her as follows: "Lions clubs have always partnered with businesses and their associates. We're kind of mobilizing off of that because with their investments in the downtown, we're hoping they're going to be involved in the community."

The trio of Lions met with business leaders and government officials and studied how to recruit younger members from literature provided by LCI. They also realized that the failures of the past were that they didn't bring in

new blood, people that could bring in new ideas and inspire growth.

The younger generation, sometimes referred to as millenials, wanted changes and Lions are going with the flow, with many secretaries using e-mail and social media to provide advance information. Younger people like to be involved and get their hands dirty running projects that benefit the community.

"One thing is clear," Kaufman said, "is that while the Lions may have left center city, the needs never did. School districts still need volunteers for after-school programs, first

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## Annual District 14K Rally Sept. 28 in Northampton

District Governor Don Kaufman is looking forward to "roaring" with all Lions, Lionesses, Leos, spouses and guests at the District Rally coming up later this month. It will be an evening of fun and fellowship where you can meet and greet your fellow Lion members. This is the time and place to show your team spirit and support of our District Governor and his theme of "Every Member Matters".

The rally will be held on Thursday, Sept. 28 at the Northampton Banquet & Events Center. Social hour starts at 5:50 p.m. with dinner being served by the waitresses at 6:30 p.m.

Our guest speaker for the evening will be Mr. David M. Lobach, Chairman and CEO of Embassy Bank of the Lehigh Valley. There will also be a special "Tail Twister" contest. Your presence is requested at the rally for a "roaring" good time.

Cost is \$22.50 per person and reservation drop dead deadline is Sept. 20.

Please designate a club member to contact members, take reservations, collect ticket money and return with a club check payable to District 14-K. Reservations should be sent to Lion Dennis Butz, 4048 Abbott St., Coopersburg, PA 18036.

Letters, reservation forms and inserts have been mailed to all of the club Presidents and Secretaries. Please promote this event at your zone meetings and club meetings. PDG Dennis would ask that you also encourage clubs to participate in DG Don's "Tail Twister Rally Hat Contest." What a great way to show your Lions Spirit.

For seating purposes, Lion Dennis is also asking all Executive Committee members to send in your reservations separately from your club.

Please promote the rally and let's have a great turnout to launch this Lions year in support of DG Don Kaufman.

PDG Butz is also available to speak about the rally at your Zone Meetings.

## Hellertown Lions Name Their 2017 'Lion of the Year'

At a recent bi-monthly meeting, the Hellertown Lions Club recognized JoAnna Matey with their 2017 "Lion of the Year" award.

Known to many in the community for her service with a smile at the Lions' popular hot dog wagon, Lion Matey emotionally thanked her fellow Lions for the award, and said she would not have received it without their support. She also said that her late husband, Lion Robert Matey, would have been proud of her for the achievement.

The native Southerner also revealed that she is a huge hot dog fan herself, and has been known to eat as many as five hot dogs per event.

Lion Matey is a past Melvin Jones Fellowship recipient, a past president, vice president and board member of the Hellertown Lions Club; and a member of numerous committees and fund-raisers the group organizes, including the hot dog wagon, Peace Posters, scholarship, holiday dinner, Music in the Park food stand, golf outing, White Cane Day, purse bingo and

finance committee.

"This Lion has truly achieved the Lions motto of 'We Serve'" President Bruce Browne said. "This Lion has

always gone above and beyond the call for the club," he said as he presented the plaque honoring Lion Matey.



Lion JoAnna Matey receives the Lion of the Year plaque from Hellertown Lions president Bruce Browne.

## District Governor's Message

### Every Member Matters



It's a Great Time to be a Lion, Leo and Lioness!  
 The month of August started out with our first State Council Meeting in Hershey, Pennsylvania. The meeting was well attended by all the newly installed District Governors and Vice District Governors. We had a great "brainstorming" session before the meeting and we reviewed everything we hope to accomplish this year. Each District Governor is challenged to maintain membership and add new clubs.

The District Cabinet meeting on August 19th will afford me an opportunity to share with you the goals set forth for our new year. Zone meetings are being scheduled throughout the District to communicate everything that is happening around Pennsylvania and around the world, and every Club will have the opportunity to share what's going on in their local community. Please do your very best to attend these important events.

Official Club visits will begin right after Labor Day and continue through February 2018. Please keep me informed of special events your Club is having so I can mark my calendar - I will do my very best to attend.

The District 14-K Rally is scheduled for September 28, 2017 at the Northampton Banquet & Events Center (formerly called Community Center). Our guest speaker this year is David M. Lobach, Jr., Chairman and CEO of Embassy Bank. We also added a tail twister this year that involves our Club Presidents and Rally Hats - should prove to be entertaining! Be sure to come out and support your Club at this year's rally.

I am pleased to announce that the new Allentown Center City Centennial Lions Club will be having a Charter Party on Tuesday, October 10, 2017 at the Renaissance Hotel in Allentown. Every member in the district, along with their spouses, will be invited to celebrate the first new club in our District in eight years. Details are still being finalized, but please mark your calendar for a great night of fellowship.

In Lionism,

*VDG Don Kaufman*

## Cabinet Meeting

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lives of 70 people each year through service. She cited retention of members; more female Lions; "Ask 1" person to join in a service project, and "Blueprint for a Stronger Club" on the LCI website as being helpful to those clubs with fewer than 15 members.

IPDG Marsha Johnston

serves as Service Team coordinator.

### Other Reports

PDG Butz reported on Beacon Lodge: Camp coordinator Kristina Brockman said the camping season is running well; Lions Appreciation Day was well attended and enjoyed by all; the camp needs 10 benches at \$1,000 each, with space for club's name or name of someone to memorialize; and ongoing maintenance needs.

PDG Larry Snyder on

## Dates to Remember

SEPT. 18	Charitable Enterprises
21-23	USA/Canada Leadership Forum, Portland, Oregon
28	District 14-K Rally
OCT.	White Cane Days all month!
14	Center for Vision Loss Needs Breakfast - Northampton
26-29	State Council #2 - Hershey/Grantville
NOV..	6 PDG Advisory Committee
	7 Executive Committee
	11 Cabinet Meeting #2
	20 Charitable Enterprises



Care & Share announced goal of 81,000 pounds of goods for Second Harvest Food Bank.

PDG Joe Chunko announced that the Melvin Jones Fellows honors will be held on Saturday, March 24, 2018 during the 14-K convention. "Now is the time to start thinking about the Lion/Lioness who goes the extra mile and present them with a Melvin Jones Fellowship and/or Progressive Melvin Jones Fellowship," he said. (ED.: A report he made last month on L.C.I.F. is printed in this issue.)

More reports were made that are helpful.

The next Cabinet meeting will be on Saturday morning, November 11, hosted by Region 3.

## New Lions Club

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responders still need equipment, and the poor still need assistance. Through their work, they have firsthand knowledge of the needs of the community."

### Center City Centennial

What resulted from this concentrated effort of recruitment was the newly organized Allentown Center City Centennial Lions Club of 23 members, 12 of them female. They will have a charter party on Tuesday, October 10 at 6:00 p.m. in the Renaissance Hotel (third floor, and with valet parking) in Allentown. All Lions and Lionesses in District 14-K and their spouses are invited to celebrate this new club as they receive their charter, says now District Governor Kaufman.

The club is part of Region 2, Zone A, which now has 113 members. Their next zone meeting will be hosted by the Bath Lions on Wednesday, Sept. 20 at 7:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall (downstairs, rear) of St. John's Lutheran Church, E. Main St., Bath.

## 1st Vice District Governor's Message



### All Members Invited To Zone Meetings

Your District 14-K representatives have been busy getting ready for another year. Clubs are or have put together their schedules for the upcoming year. Don't forget to add your District events to that schedule including Zone meetings. Your Zone chairs are busy putting together their meetings and really enjoy seeing those meetings full of Lions who are interested in what other clubs are doing. District representatives have put together a Zone Chair informational meeting to ensure that Zone Chairs have the most up-to-date info and a refresher for the more seasoned Zone Chairs. Your Zone Chairs attend Cabinet Meetings so that District information may be disseminated to all members. All club members are invited to come to those Zone meetings but it is most important that club presidents, secretaries and membership chairpersons attend. The information these Lions receive should be taken to each club and communicated to all Lions.

The State Council meeting in Harrisburg was quite productive. A "white board" meeting took place with all the 1st and 2nd VDG and the State Council members. The round table event gave me insight to the fact that other Districts in our state of PA. feel a need to make changes to several areas of concern.

I am looking forward to the District 14-K Rally on Thursday, September 28. It will be held again at the Northampton Banquet and Event Center. It's always fun to see all the clubs that gather for great food and fellowship. I'm looking forward to the sea of signs designating the different clubs wearing their colorful shirts and this year we are having a new twist. The Presidents of each club will be decked out in their "rally hats". We have a guest speaker this year and the Leos are always well represented. Let's support our District Governor Don Kaufman as he kicks off his new year.

The other event I always enjoy is the one with the Center for Vision Loss. The breakfast will be held again at the Northampton Banquet and Event Center. It is being held on Saturday, October 14 from 9-11. The monetary support of District 14-K continues to be crucial for this organization.

Lastly, my trip to Michigan, to Leader Dog, was amazing. We spent a full day at the facility learning about the dogs, their training, the interaction of the dogs with the owners and all aspects of what it takes to make a miracle happen for a blind/deaf person. I must say the most amazing part of the day was when we were blind folded and led by one of the dogs. It certainly puts life into a different perspective. I appreciated the opportunity to have gone to such a wonderful facility which by the way, thanks to the Lions Clubs, has been beautifully upgraded and built specifically for the dogs and their owners. When you do your budgets this year, consider giving generously to Leader Dog.

*1st VDG Karlene Laub*

## Editor Needs Help to Cover District Events

To Whom It May Concern:

Your editor has been hospitalized three times - for an auto accident, and two falls, which resulted in a broken hip and pelvis. But with the help of my son, who is superb with the computer and arranges the texts that I produce, we have had little problem producing the *Tattle Tailer*.

This latest fall has made it extremely difficult to get to special events. And so I need your help in two ways: (1) Take photos of special club and district events, and (2) write a synopsis of the special event (coming and going) so that I can put a story together, or, if you wish, write a story of each special event in which you and/or your club may participate. then mail or e-mail the photo(s) and articles to: PDG Bill Halbfoerster, Jr., 2556 Wood's Edge Rd., Bath, PA 18014 or tattletailer14k@rcn.com by the 20th of the month. If there's a printed program for the event(s), send it along, too.

Your cooperation would be greatly appreciated. I enjoy working at a job I love.

Sincerely, *PDG Bill Halbfoerster*

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## REGION I

**ALBURTIS:** Sold out of ribs at Alburteis' May Fest. . . .No activities in July. Enjoy your summer.

**ALTON PARK:** No July report. . . .Patnrnerd with L.V. Saturday A.M. Lions for a picnic for visually impaired children and adults.

**EMMAUS LIONESS LIONS:** No scheduled Emmaus Lioness Lions Club meeting in July

**EMMAUS:** No July report.

**KUHNSVILLE AREA:** Seven members attended the banner exchange and seven made a visitation to Emmaus Lions meeting. . . . Started planning the September chicken barbecue.

**LEHIGH TOWNSHIP:** \$500 to township resident for long term eye issues. . . . \$500 to local family for house fire..

**LEHIGH VALLEY SATURDAY A.M.:** No July report, but with Alton Park Lions held a picnic for visually impaired children and families..

**LOWER LEHIGH:** Collection of eyeglasses, aluminum cans and food for the Zionsville Food Bank continue. . . . August 9 will be our joint meeting with Mountainville Lions Club as host. On August 22 we will have a family picnic. Both of these events will be at Macungie Memorial Park, finishing out our summer meeting schedule for this year. . . . So far this baseball season we have worked 43 of 51 games with 101 volunteering occurrences for 534.75 hours, earning \$4,411.00 . . . We have been gearing up for our Fall Flea Market to be held on September 9.

**MOUNTAINVILLE:** No July report

**ONTELAUNEE:** Visitation will be made to a steak fry meeting at West Penn Township on July 19. . . .Attended banner exchange on July 20.

**SLATEDALE-EMERALD AREA:** No July report.

**SLATINGTON:** \$250 to "Go Fund Me" account for sick Slatington resident. . . .Eyeglasses/exam for three local residents. . . \$250 to local athlete for stem cell research.

**UPPER LEHIGH:** The board has decided to move our General Meetings on the second Wednesday each month back to the Schnecksville Grange. The meeting starts at 6:45 p.m. and the meal will be catered by Kornfeind's Market. . . .Roar with the Lions held on July 28 and 29. . . . These year-end funds were approved: Leader Dog, \$1,000; Northern Lehigh Food Bank, \$1,000; Agape Food Bank, \$500; Meals on Wheels of L.V., \$500; Center for Vision Loss, \$500; Charitable Enterprises - eye care, \$200, diabetes, \$500, hearing, \$1,300. The club raised \$38,783 in 2016-17 and donated \$38,577 to worthy community needs.

## REGION II

**BATH:** Continued our summer Bingo fund-raiser at LV Hospital-Muhlenberg. . . Planned to sell water and snacks for Spuds & Suds Festival in August in downtown Bath. . . We will host the September 20 zone meeting.

**CATASAUQUA AREA:** No activities noted in July M & A Report.

**COOPERSBURG:** No July report.

**COPLAY:** No community projects at this time.

**HANOVER TOWNSHIP:** A memorial tree planting service was held in remembrance of Lion Nick Facchiano on June 5 at the Hanover Township Government Center.

**HELLERTOWN:** Lion of Year 2017 received plaque . . . Monthly can recycling and hoagie sales. . . Golf outing planned for September.

**SAUCON VALLEY:** Have monthly public breakfasts from October through March from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at Se-Wy-Co Fire Co. . . . Blood drive planned for August 19 at Hellertown-Lower Saucon Community Day.

**UPPER SAUCON:** Had a successful flea market in June. . . / Planning underway for a new car show and for upcoming Coopersburg Community Day.

**WHITEHALL:** Club did not meet in July.

## REGION III

**BANGOR:** Held a Wendy's fundraiser in July. . . .Participated in Blue Valley Farm Show. . . .Going to IronPigs baseball game on August 7 .

**BETHLEHEM TOWNSHIP:** Will donate a bench to Bethlehem Township Community Center. . . .Raised \$5,300 in June 9 golf outing at Whitetail Golf Course in Moore Township.

**EASTON:** Collected food donated by Wegman's and delivered it to food bank at ProJect of Easton four times. . . .Drove sight-impaired woman from Easton area to a meeting in Allentown and back home. . . . Donated \$200 toward the co-pay for cataract surgery for an Easton woman . . . .We provided and distributed pink lemonade at Easton's Heritage Day. Legend has it that pink lemonade was "invented" in Easton. Thousands of people attended the annual event that commemorates the reading of the Declaration of Independence in Easton on July 8, 1776. Easton was one of the first three cities where the Declaration was read. Donations we received went to the Sigal Museum.

**HECKTOWN - LOWER NAZARETH:** No July report.

**MOORE TOWNSHIP:** Have recycling bin at township building. No July report.

**NAZARETH:** Held ice cream sale at Nazareth carnival in June and McLion breakfast sandwiches at Nazareth Day fest in July.

**PALMER TOWNSHIP:** Displayed many events for local organizations on Lions electronic sign.

**PLAINFIELD TOWNSHIP:** Continuing sales of brooms and RADA cutlery. . . .Held a family picnic meeting at Wind Gap Park with our scholarship recipients and their families as guests. . . . Sold RADA utensils and USA-made brooms at Nazareth Day and Plainfield Farmers Fair.

**RICHMOND:** Volunteered at Blue Mountain Steam Engine Association community show. . . .Maintaining Richmond Lions Park. . . Two Lions volunteer at food pantry.

**TATAMY-STOCKERTOWN:** Planned to participate in Nazareth Day on July 15.

**WILSON BOROUGH:** No activities to report.

**Get Recognized - Send in Your Club Events to be Published!**



Emmaus Lions Elliot Billman, PDG Dennis Butz, and DG Don Kaufman dip into a huge pot of clam chowder to serve it to members of a needy organization in Allentown.

## Clam Treat for Members of 'Daybreak'

The Lions Club of Emmaus, District 14-K, recently donated 90 quarts of clam chowder and some of their members helped to serve it as a meal for members of the "DAYBREAK" program in Allentown. This program is sponsored by the Lehigh Conference of

Churches and provides social services to our neighbors in need.

The weekly drop-in center gives people living with mental illness or physical disabilities and those struggling with addiction or HIV/AIDS, as well as

the neighborhood's elderly, a place to belong.

Daybreak serves three balanced meals each week-day. The staff also teaches life skills and works with members to provide stability and help them reach their full potential.

## Center for Vision Loss Lions Needs Breakfast

*Calling All Clubs* - Mark your calendars now for the annual Center for Vision Loss - District 14-K Lions Needs Breakfast on Saturday morning, October 14 from 9 to 11 a.m. at the Northampton Banquet & Events Center.

This event raises much needed funds to support the Center for Vision Loss, a non-profit agency dedicated to improving the lives of people with vision loss and promoting healthy vision in the community.

In 2016-2017, Lions raised \$53,000 for the agency. The same fundraising goal has been set for 2017-2018. The

funds help provide critical programs and services such as escorted transportation, low vision services, vision rehabilitation support services, and free screening for children.

Each club may send two members as guests of the agency. Other members are welcome at \$15/person. Please reserve by October 2 to Karen Huetter at 610-433-6018 x 241 or Karen.huetter@centerforvisionloss.org

All clubs received their event information packet in August. Event info can also be found on the agency website at [www.centerforvisionloss.org](http://www.centerforvisionloss.org) or the District 14-K at [www.lions14k.org](http://www.lions14k.org)

## LIONESS CLUBS ACTIVITIES

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**REMINDER:** Pictures of club activities are wanted for Tattle Tailer.

**FORKS TOWNSHIP:** No July report.

**LEHIGH TOWNSHIP:** No July report.

**MOORE TOWNSHIP:** We held our covered dish picnic with 15 members present. . . .6 members attended Slatington steak fry.

**NORTHAMPTON AREA:** No July report.

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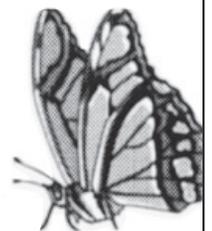
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## LCIF Chairman Tells Where Money Has Gone in Past, Fulfilling Mission

LCIF chairman PDG Joe Chunko, at a recent Cabinet meeting, reported how LCIF has fulfilled its mission in serving communities locally and globally, giving hope and impacting lives through humanitarian service projects and grants.

In fiscal year 2015-2016, Lions, their partners and friends generously donated \$39.48 million to LCIF. The Foundation awarded 453 grants totaling more than \$45.2 million.

Here are the LCIF Core Objectives and the Investment & Impact for each:

- Improving local communities - \$13,874,392 to improve education health care and other critical public services for 3,994,860 people.
- Supporting Youth - \$1,437,287 to implement and expand Lions Quest in 19 countries.
- Providing Disaster Relief - \$9480,060 to support Lions and other partners as they provided aid to approximately 500,000 victims.
- Combating Measles - \$7,965,350 to support the vaccination of 17,400,000 children through the Measles and Rubella Initiative and Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance.
- Saving Sight - \$12,994,255 to deliver eye care services, improve 51 eye care facilities and train 23,643 eye care professionals, benefiting 22,300,000 people.

PDG Chunko listed some ways of supporting LCIF:

- Sponsor a Melvin Jones Fellow Honor
- Purchase a \$20, \$50 or \$100 Contributing Member pin
- Purchase a \$10 Measles pin
- Check the LCIF web site for other ways to contribute

## Taste of Shadows Event at Green Pond Country Club

It's TASTE Time! The Center for Vision Loss invites all Lions to attend the agency's signature event, A Taste of the Shadows, which will take place on Thursday, Oct. 19 at 5:30 p.m. in the Green Pond Country Club.

At this unique dinner we ask our guests to give up their sight while they dine wearing a blindfold. A sighted guide joins every table to offer their "eyes" to assist you. In the past some Lions have attended, but not enough!!! So to remedy that and to celebrate 100

years of Lionism, the agency is offering a \$60 discounted ticket price/person (regularly \$75) to all Lions members. We'd love to see many tables filled with Lions this year.

Event invitations were mailed to clubs in late August, but did not note the special pricing. So don't be confused. Just send in your invitation and tell us you are a Lion! The reservation deadline is Oct. 6. Invitations can be found at centerforvisionloss.org and lions14k.org or contact Karen Huetter at 610-433-6018 x241.

### COMING EVENTS

**SAUCON VALLEY LIONS** - Breakfasts on first Sunday, Oct. thru March, 8 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. at Se-Wy-Co Fire Co., 3621 Old Phila. Pike, Bethlehem. Oct. 1 - Menu: Eggs, omelets, Special chocolate chip or blueberry pancakes, french toast, bacon, ham, sausage, and chip beef, juice and coffee.

**HELLERTOWN LIONS** - Annual Golf Outing, Friday, Sept. 29, 8 a.m. at Wedgewood Golf Course. Cost: \$75pp/\$300 team. Proceeds to Leader Dog.

**SLATEDALE-EMERALD AREA LIONS** -- Tastefully Simple Longaberger Basket Fundraiser, Sunday, Sept. 10. Games begin at 1:30 p.m. 20 Bingo games \$20 donation. Held at Friedens Fire Co. social hall, 3158 Friedens Rd., Slatington. Tickets: Lion Ron Smith, 610-799-4609. To sponsor a basket or donate items for silent auction, Lion Tracy McGowen, 610-703-8889.

Have Your Club Event Listed Here By Sending Info to: tattletailer14k@rcn.com (Note: Use "Club Event" in subject line. There is no charge for this listing.)

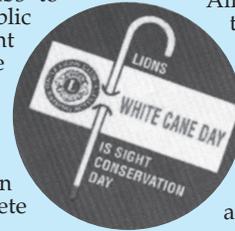
## Month of October Devoted To White Cane Donations

October is our designated month for White Cane Day. Chairman Lion Dick Schreiner encourages clubs to pick an event and participate in this activity. You don't have to hold your event in October, but Lion Dick encourages clubs to help bring awareness to the public by hosting some type of event and explaining what White Cane is all about. You may also hold more than one event in order to raise funds for the blind.

Each time you have an event/ fundraiser please complete

an activity form and submit it to him before March 20, 218.

You may submit it to him by e-mail at htemrs@aol.com or by U.S. mail to Dick Schreiner, 6429 Schantz Rd., Allentown, PA 18104. Please list the activities, "man" hours, and dollar amounts raised. Man hours are calculated as one hour per person.



All money collected stays in the club, but must be used for sight-related projects. White Cane forms are on the 14-K website.

## Oct. 1 Deadline to Order Peace Poster Contest Kits

"The Future of Peace" is the theme of the next LCI Peace Poster contest, and the deadline for clubs to order kits is October 1, 2017, reports District 14-K chairman PDG Joe Chunko.

To order the kits, contact Club Supplies Sales Department Lions Clubs International. Call 630-571-5466 or visit the LCI store at www.lcistore.org and search "Peace Poster Kit".

All credit cards must be placed online. When you receive your peace poster kit, please read and follow the entire instructions.

One winning poster must be submitted to Lion Chunko on or before November 10, 2017. He then has until December 1, 2017 to hold a district poster contest to pick a winner to send to MD-14 State Lions for judging.

If your club will be participating, please give PDG Chunko a heads up by notifying him as soon as you receive your kits. If you choose to do more than one school or youth group, you will need to order a kit for each organization.

If you have any questions, contact him at 610-838-9373- lionjoechocko@rcn.com

## 100th Lions Anniversary in Chicago Was Spectacular

Our 100-year Lions anniversary kickoff was held at the International Convention in Chicago, the birthplace of Lions! The service and celebration were spectacular. Many Pennsylvania Lions were part of this once in a lifetime event.

Lions foundation of service was built in local communities. That's why it's important for clubs to have their own Centennial Celebration. It's a fun way to bring club and community members together. It's also a great opportunity to highlight clubs' contributions and show friends and family what Lions are all about.

PDG Glen Santee says, "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 Juvenile Pancreatic Cancer and Diabetes, to improve life for the future, while continuing to help the blind and work at all the other areas we serve in. I congratulate all the clubs for their tremendous response in the

four service areas for which you have been and are being recognized for that effort."

He is willing to help any club to make reports, plan a celebration or provide information to enhance it.

Look back on the 100 years of your proud past and forward to your great future in service. Join the celebration! The time is now. A LION banner is available for your event. Call to use it!

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