

Newsletter of
DISTRICT 44N
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Hello District 44N Lions

September has certainly been a whirlwind of excitement and some sorrow for the loss of a few outstanding Lions in both Districts AND Lions Clubs International. My thoughts and prayers go out to all the families during this time of loss. The leadership team attended the USA Canada

Forum in Omaha, NE on

Sept 15 - 17 - what an amazing experience. If you have never attended a USA Canada Forum, I suggest you think about attending. It truly, truly is an experience to educate yourself about Lions in more detail, network with Lions from all over USA and Canada and share your passions for Lionism. Next year, the



USA Canada Forum will be in Portland, Oregon. The leaders of NH took part in a service project which packed 100,000 meals in TWO hours - is was an amazing experience to take part in this service project. Reminded each of us the power of the Lions motto "We Serve"! We all certainly had a great time, a few of us were filmed for the passing of the torch LCI video which will be aired. The International President Bob Corlew took a few minutes to take a "selfie" with Jason and I. Between traveling to Omaha, I have been busy visiting clubs sharing my passion for Lionism. The clubs I have visited so far are: Brookline, Souhegan, Chesterfield, Canaan, Concord Lions, Antrim-Bennington, Hinsdale and the Hillsboro Lions Clubs. I hope to have ALL the club visits completed by December - therefore if you have not scheduled a DG visit yet, please contact CST Deb Hogancamp at debhogancamp@gmail.com

Final words to remember...

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Newsletter Deadline



Congratulations to
PMCST Sue Lindberg for
being accepted to attend
the Lions International
Faculty Development
Institute to be presented
on November 11-14, 2016 in
Houston, TX



Visitation Schedule for DG Christine



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Events Calendar

10/01	<i>Walk By The Sea,</i> Hampton Beach NH
10/09	<i>Harvest Breakfast</i> Hinsdale NH
10/14-16	<i>NELC Weekend Training</i> and Meeting, Crowne Plaza, Nashua NH
10/16	<i>Farrington Homecoming,</i> ID Ed & Lion Elaine Crowne Plaza, Nashua NH
10/29	<i>Murder Mystery Dinner,</i> Jaffrey/Rindge Club, Jaffrey NH
11/13	<i>44N Cabinet Meeting,</i> Puritan Room Manchester
1/27-29	Mid-Winter Convention
4/8/2017	<i>Lions Forum,</i> Delta Dental Building , Concord NH
5/5-7/2017	<i>44N Spring Convention</i> N Conway, NH



OCTOBER

10/04	Pinardville
10/05	Lancaster
10/06	Gap Mtn
10/10	Littleton/Lafayette
10/11	Bristol
10/12	Amherst
10/16	IP Ed Homecoming
10/18	Milford
10/19	FVDG Eric Lindberg Visits Newport
10/20	Henniker
10/24	Westmoreland
10/25	Lancaster

NOVEMBER

11/03	Cohase/Woodsville
11/06	44H Cabinet Meeting
11/13	44N Cabinet Meeting

Deadline for submitting articles to
be published for November 2016,
each and every submission, should
reach me by no later than
12:00 pm noon time on
Saturday, **October 22**
Please submit them to:
rwynnemilford@comcast.net



Hello Fellow Lions,

My husband and I attended the USA/Canada forum in Omaha 9/15-17. The forum was full of workshops that informed, inspired, and provided us with information on new ways to serve, to build our clubs, and exposed us to services that will help us in these endeavors. I would encourage everyone to attend at least one of these forums.



Lions Service Project..filling food boxes to help stop hunger (served over 100,000 meals in 2 hours) during the recent USA/Canada Forum in Omaha NB. Left to right: Jason Smart, MCC Scott Wilson, Lion Jim and Deb Hogancamp, DG Christine Greenwood, PDG Henry McKee and DG Al Goldstein

Look to page 2 of this newsletter for DG Christine's club visitations and schedule for October and November. I look forward to meeting everyone and if I can be of service, please don't hesitate to contact me.

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Lisbon, Littleton, Whitefield*

**ZONE LIONS OF THE QUARTER**

ZONE 7 - Lion Bob Holmes for his work on the Canaan club
chosen by ZC Nancy Charbono-Ricard and presented to him
during DG Christine's visitation to the Canaan's club on
September 1st. Pictured left to right:
DG Christine Greenwood, President Bob Holmes and his
wife Lion Kelly Holmes

**Lions Youth Services
NH Lions Serve CHaD**

Lions Youth Services invites all Lions clubs in
MD-44 to participate in this Reading Action
Program Service Project. CHaD serves 70,00
patients each year, equaling 300,000 outpatient visits. LYS is
asking each club to start collecting NEW (for sanitary
reasons) books for all age groups from 6 months to 18 years
old. This can include board books, music and sound books,
audio books, crossword and game books, Mad Libs, braille
books, etc.

LYS will be accepting your donations at the November
cabinet meetings and at the Mid-Winter Convention.

CHaD will distribute the books to all their inpatient
and outpatient hospitals and clinics; truly a chance to reach
children all across NH and beyond!

Lions attending the Mid-Winter Convention will be
asked to sign cards of get well and cheer to be inserted in the
books. For questions, contact President Marie Hall or Vice-
President Rhonda Wynne.

DG CHRISTINE'S SEPTEMBER CLUB VISITATIONS



SEPTEMBER 1ST - CANAAN LIONS



SEPTEMBER 6TH - CHESTERFIELD LIONS



SEPTEMBER 8TH - SOUHEGAN LIONS

DG CHRISTINE'S SEPTEMBER CLUB VISITATIONS (cont'd)



SEPTEMBER 22ND - BROOKLINE LIONS



During a club visitation DG Christine inducted new member Tracy Fairbanks to the Chesterfield club.

Left to right: KL Pam Prentiss, new member, Tracy Fairbanks and DG Christine



During a club visitation DG Christine inducted new member Candy Fedders to the Souhegan club.

Left to right: Lion Brenda Salmonson, new member Candy Fedders and DG Christine

EMERGING LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE (ELLI)

Emerging Lions Leadership Institutes focus on building the skills of Lions members for leadership opportunities at the club level, including the position of club president.

Candidates must be Lions in good standing who have successfully served on a club committee and who have not yet attained the level of club president. Current charter club presidents are also eligible for this institute. If you are interested in applying, please download the application from Lions Club International or contact DG Christine or GMT Henry McKee for the application. Because of the high number of applications received by LCI, acceptance into the institute is not guaranteed. **The submission deadline for this institute is November 7, 2016 therefore the leadership team will need the application by October 28th.** The institute will be January 21 - 24, 2017 in Chicago, Illinois.

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE (FDI)

Congratulations to PCMST Sue Lindberg for being accepted to attend the Lions International Faculty Development Institute to be presented on November 11-14, 2016 in Houston, TX.



This past month has been a very busy month for a lot of us as summer turns to fall. During September I had the pleasure of attending the USA/Canada Forum in Omaha with a good size group from New Hampshire and from the entire New England area. We were able to participate in some really great learning sessions, inspirational speakers, and lots and lots of fellowship. It is truly amazing to meet Lions from across the USA and Canada. What a great group! When I saw at least seven New Hampshire Lions leading most of the 2000 attendees with one of the three service projects it made me proud to be a Lion of New Hampshire. Together the attendees put together over 100,000 meals that were given to those in need in Omaha and the surrounding areas. Next year the forum will be in Portland Oregon. Any Lion can go. This is not just for the leadership!! I would highly recommend all Lions to attend future forums! Just a couple of reminders of upcoming events. We have the November Cabinet Meeting on November 13th at the Puritan Backroom in Manchester. Also, please mark your calendars for PID Ed Farrington's Homecoming on October 16th at the Crowne Plaza in Nashua. Let's all show up and say, "Thank you" and welcome him home! ~Eric Lindberg, FVDG



44N Centennial Service Challenge Current Activity Through September 23rd

- Looking forward to hearing about all the club activities around our upcoming Centennial Celebration! Please make sure club secretaries are recording your events and projects!!
- If you'd like a speaker to come to a future meeting to update your club on Centennial Activities please let me know. Here's the current schedule:
 - Goffstown – 10/18
 - Hillsboro – 10/25
 - Canaan – 11/3
- License Plate Magnets
 - The new magnets are in! If you purchased one previously and need a stronger one, contact me and I'll arrange for a no cost replacement. If you haven't purchased one (or two) yet please let me know.
- Early snapshot of club participation:
 - 3 clubs have already reached diamond level by participating in all 4 campaigns! **Congrats to Canaan, Hillsboro and Milford!!**
- Thanks to the clubs who have already appointed a Centennial Chair person! Looking forward to working with you!!
- Start thinking about making plans for the 2017 Convention in Chicago. This one will be a fantastic celebration of 100 years!!

Contact: Phil Przybyszewski, 44N Centennial District Coordinator at philpreski@gmail.com or 603-424-3311

More information to come in future issues of the ROAR!!!!



In Memory Of....
Canaan Lions Charter Member

Judge Daniel W. Fleetham, Sr. who had passed away in his sleep on Wednesday, September 7, 2016 at the age of 104. He was born in Canaan on February 5, 1912. He was the founding President of the Canaan Lions club in 1952 and served as its president again 50 years later. He was an active member of the Boy Scouts of America, served as Lodge Advisor of Passaconway Lodge 220 of the Order of the Arrow, received the Founder's and Centurion awards. He was an active member of Theta Chi fraternity (83 years) where attended Norwich University, class of 1934 and received the Theta Chi for a Life Distinguished Service award. He attended, just this past July, the Theta Chi National Convention in Atlanta and was recognized as the "Oldest Guy in Theta Chi". Dan also attended and graduated from Belknap College in 1972 receiving a BS in Business.

He volunteered, along with his wife before her passing in 2003, with the "Meals on Wheels" program with the Mascoma Senior Center for 30 years. He was still participating until well over his 100th birthday or so. He was recognized by NH Governor John Lynch for his service declaring February 5, 2012 as "Daniel W. Fleetham" Day. Services for a Celebration of his Life will be held at the Canaan Hall in Canaan on **Saturday, October 1, 2016 at 6 pm.**

Memorial donations also may be made to the Canaan Lions for the Canaan Lions Scholarship Fund. For more information, please view the Multiple District 44 Fellowship Notice Update Canaan Lion Dan Fleetham that was sent out by Nancy O'Dowd, District Fellowship Chair, dated September 16, 2016.



Dan , Alpha/Norwich 1934,
oldest alumnus in attendance at
the young age of "104".



Dan Fleetham Sr. Age 100



"Trying to get without first giving is as fruitless as trying to reap without having sown."
~ Napoleon Hill

What does Lions being 100 years old have to do with being a Lion today? Historical reflection and education are linked. Our past is woven into the warp and woof of Lionism. It is not essential to know who Melvin Jones is to be a contributing Lion in your community, although his contribution is inestimable; nor is it critical that you know we are part of almost 1.4 million like-minded people, but it does feel good to be part of something so much bigger than just you or me; nor is it important to understand the impact we have on our community, although our hometown would be so much less without our existence.

The chief takeaway of celebrating 100 years is the shared collective of our common good. Looking back at the previous 100 years allows our young members an induction to the fullness of their cultural inheritance as Lions. The acronyms, the Lions mission, the community impact, the process of induction and the planning of service projects, links us in so many ways. We stand on shoulders squarely planted in the rich soil of tradition. Our newest Lions cultivate relationships and new traditions because so many Lions came before them. We look back and smile with the pride that comes with being associated with an organization founded on the tried and true creed of service to others. Our motto "We Serve" is as fresh today as it was 100 years ago. And it is the cornerstone of the next 100 years of service.

This year, make a personal commitment to bring your best friend into Lions. Your best work friend, your best church friend, your best friend in the neighborhood, your favorite aunt or nephew or just someone you met in the line at the supermarket. Each club should plan to end the year with at least NET +1 in membership. If you lose two members, seek out three new Lions in service of your community. NET +1 This will give us a net minimum of +77 Lions in our multiple district.

Thank you now and always for the work you do!

"Volunteering is the ultimate exercise in democracy. You vote in elections once a year, but when you volunteer, you vote every day about the kind of community you want to live in." ~Author Unknown

Warmest regards,



*Please join
the Milford Lions Club
in Welcoming Home
PID Ed Farrington and his wife Lion Elaine*

*October 16, 2016
Crown Plaza Hotel
2 Somerset Parkway
Nashua NH*

Cocktails and hors d'oeuvres 3:00

Dinner and Program 4:00

*Dinner choices: Roast Prime Rib of Beef
or
Apple Stuffed Chicken Breast*

\$42 per person

Please RSVP by Oct 5, 2016

With choice of dinner

*to Lion Ernest Barrett (Cushing47@aol.com)
or PCC Raymond Hill (raymondhill40@comcast.net)*



NH Sight & Hearing Foundation
Greetings to all NH Lions from your
NH Sight & Hearing Board of Directors

Would your club like to learn of all the areas in which your NH Sight & Hearing
Foundation operates?

We would be happy to have a Board Member speak at a Club and/or Zone
Meeting. Contact me to set up a time and date.

We are seeking Lions who would like a position
on the Sight & Hearing Board. Please contact me
if you would like to be part of the exciting and
rewarding work that we do for those less
fortunate than ourselves in the State of New
Hampshire.

Open positions are 2 each in 44H and 44N.
Elections will be held at the Mid-Winter
Convention in January 2017.

Come and join us at our next meeting on
October 18, 2016,
at Hannaford's Board Room (upstairs) -
7 Kilton Road - Bedford.

Let me know if you will attend, so I can save a chair for you.

You are **ALL** members of the NH Sight & Hearing Foundation.

PDG Sandra G. Hurd, President,
NH Sight & Hearing Foundation

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NELC WEEKEND
TRAINING SEMINARS ~~MEMORIAL SERVICE
SATURDAY BANQUET ~~SunDAY MEETING



All NE Lions are welcome to be members of the NELC. Dues are \$10 per year.
Payment of dues at the weekend waives registration fees.

WEEKEND TRAININGS

Saturday A.M. GMT / GLT for DG's and GMT / GLT Multiple District / District Coordinators
Presenters: PID Ed Lecius, GMT Constitutional Area 1-A Coordinator
PDG Karen Ressler, GLT Constitutional Area 1-A Coordinator

Saturday A.M.: Club Presidents, VPs and Wannabees:
So you are in office and wondering what to do to get through the Year!
An advanced and interactive class at how to have successful projects,
fun meetings, and quell conflicts.
Presenters: PID Carolyn Messier and Lion Marie Salpietro

Saturday A.M.: Club Secretaries/Treasurers;
The Power Team that Keeps a Club Alive. An intense look at both positions with an
emphasis on working as the team that they must be.
Presenters: PDG Carolyn Gile

Sunday A.M. The Internet - Can Your Club Be Seen?
A tutorial on gaining a unified face to be found in today's world -
taught by a young Lion!
Presenter: Lion Michael Haws

Sunday A.M. RC/ZC - The Backbone of Your District!
An interactive look at what is required vs. what is needed to successfully get the job done
and properly support your DG Team. Both for current new or old, and wannabees.
Presenter: CC John Youney

If you have any questions on any of the weekend, please contact me.
PDG Sandra Hurd, NELC Director, at 424-8922 or axstewart@comcast.net

***** Deadline to Register (snail mail or email) is October 10th *****



NELC WEEKEND
TRAINING SEMINARS ~~MEMORIAL SERVICE
SATURDAY BANQUET ~~SunDAY MEETING



October 14-16, 2016 ~ Crowne Plaza ~ 2 Somerset Parkway ~ Nashua, NH

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*** Fri & Sat: Deluxe room incl: Sat & Sun morning Breakfast \$106+ tax. Call the Crowne direct to reserve room ~ 603-886-1200 ~ Reference NELC. (Cut off date for room rate was September 14) Check with Crowne for any possible extension. ***

Hospitality Room Open Fri and Sat afternoons ~ Windsor Room on 2nd Floor

Saturday, October 15 ----- Deadline to register is October 10th

8:00 Registration \$15 (Regist. fee waived for members)

Check in Hunt Room ~ Across from Speakers Corner Restaurant

9:00 to 11:30 ~ Trainings See Page 2

11:45 Lunch in Hunt Room ~ Sandwich Wrap Buffet ~

Choice Ham and Dill Havarti OR Chicken Salad (Circle One) \$22

Includes Beverage ~ Dessert

12:45 Travel to Rindge, NH, Cathedral in the Pines

2:00 Memorial Service

5:00 Hospitality Suite ~ Windsor Room ~ 2nd Floor

6:00 Banquet ~ Dinner Buffet Hunt Room ~ Featured Speaker \$40

Featured Speaker - Lion Randy Pierce, Hudson Lions Club

Mountain Climber, Runner, # 1 Fan - New England Patriots

MENU Chicken Caprese~sauteed chicken breast tomatoes, Mozzarella, Provolone

Lemon Pepper Haddock baked Atlantic haddock w/pepper crust

Baby Greens salad Baby Spinach Salad~ Potato or Rice

Fresh~Bread~Beverage~Dessert

Sunday, October 16 ----- Deadline to register is October 10th.

9:00 Registration \$10 (Sunday only) (Regist. fee waived for members)

9:45 to 11:30 ~ Trainings See Page 2

11:30 Lunch in Hunt Room ~ Soup du Jour ~ \$22

Grilled Chicken Caesar Salad Fresh Breads~Beverage~Dessert

PURCHASE ALL THREE MEALS FOR \$80.00 SAVINGS OF \$4.00.

12:30 NELC Meeting in Hunt Room

Name: _____ Address: _____

District: _____ Tel. No.: _____ Email: _____

District Position: _____ Club Position: _____

MAIL REGISTRATION FORM & CHECK (Payable to NELC) to OR EMAIL by 10/10/16

PDG Ken Emery ~ kpemery1960@gmail.com ~ 802-578-7483

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Serving the needs of the Districts of New England

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INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP

RE: New England Lions Council Dues
Individual Membership

2016 – 2017 N E L C Membership

\$10.00

Lions Name: _____

District: _____

District Position: _____

Mailing address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip: _____

Best Phone No.: _____

Email: _____

Please send to PDG Ken Emery, at the above address.

Thank you.





The DogSight Project

A Program of the New Hampshire Lions
Multiple District 44 – Health Services Board



A GOOD START

We're off to a great fundraising start for this Lions year. One club has sent in their donation already! Your letter from the DogSight Project will be mailed this month. Please read it to your clubs! You may donate to any accredited guide dog school other than Fidelco through the DogSight Project by including that information with your contribution. By default, donations go to Fidelco, and only Fidelco donations of \$300 or more will receive a banner patch.

As always, thank you New Hampshire Lions for your support of all guide dogs, and in particular for your support of the DogSight Project and the Fidelco Guide Dog Foundation!!

Donations to the DogSight Project may be sent to **DSP Chair Linda Piekarski, 15 Edgewood Ave, Keene, NH 03431**. Please make checks payable to **LSHF** with **DSP** on the memo line. The independence a guide dog brings to a blind person is priceless. Your contribution gives that gift many times over.

Thank you! ~ Linda Piekarski, Chair, the DogSight Project, lpiekarski@ne.rr.com

ENVIRONMENTAL PHOTO CONTEST!

I hope everyone is planning to enter the photo contest. I am so excited to see what you all come up with this year. We will need to vote at the November Cabinet Meeting and can only have one go on to the Multiple District at the Mid-Winter Convention to compete with one photo from 44H. The winner of that judging will have their picture go on to LCI and have it displayed at the International Convention in Chicago in June.

Here are the rules again in case you missed them:

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- Photos are to depict a nature theme such as animals, plants, weather, etc. **REMEMBER: No People!**
- Photos must be original and unaltered
- Photos must be printed on high quality photo paper and measure 8" x 10"
- Each club may submit only one photo.
- Only 1 photo from the Multiple District may be submitted to International
- Contest photos become the property of LCI
- MD Entries will be on display at the International Convention
- Photos will be judged on originality, artistic merit, and technical quality



I would appreciate getting a copy electronically as well as the printed copy. This way we can put some of them in future editions of the ROAR and we can all see how talented some of our members are!

ALL SUBMISSIONS WILL NEED TO BE SENT TO ME PRIOR TO THE NOVEMBER CABINET MEETING! MY INFORMATION IS IN THE DIRECTORY.

I am not able to attend the November Cabinet Meeting so your First Vice District Governor will be running the voting and I need to have everything ready for him. So please get your photos to me no later than November 5th.

~ Sue Lindberg, suelindbergnh@gmail.com



Celebration of Peace 2016 - 2017 Peace Poster Contest For District 44H and District 44N



Recently an email was sent to all the Zone Chairs within both districts for those clubs that are participating in the Peace Poster contest this year. It is an attempt to try and coordinate the contest so that all are on the same page sort of speaking. The following are suggestions in making this happen. This information was sent to your Zone Chair in attempt to help your club. If you should have any questions or concerns, please contact your Zone Chair, District 44H Chair, Lillian Bellisle or myself.

- Select a first place, second place and third place winner in accordance to the LCI rules and regulations for the contest. Determine what award to distribute to these winners.
- Select two (2) additional posters from contestants, (3) Winners plus (2) Participants for a total of (5) five Posters.
- Participating Club's Chairperson to take a photo of each of the (5) five Posters. If photo cannot be taken, please have someone else in your club take the photo(s) or forward all five posters directly by mail or bring to your Cabinet Meeting so that a photo may be taken for each poster submitted by your club.
- All photos taken must be emailed to LYS Director, Rhonda Wynne rwynnemilford@comcast.net with appropriate description included - such as; name of club, name of participant, whether or not a 1st, 2nd, 3rd place winner etc.
- Purchase (5) five 8x10 Photo Frames (preferably plain black); they can be purchased at a local Dollar Tree Store for \$1.00 each. (total of \$5.00). If photo frames cannot be purchased, please notify LYS Director, Rhonda Wynne.
- Advertise winning Posters and Participants Posters via your club's web site and/or facebook account. Those clubs that do not have a web site or a facebook account, share information on the district facebook account and/or through the local newspaper.
- Ship all Posters rolled carefully in a tube to your Zone Chair; Ship Framed Poster Photos to your Zone Chair separately. If you or a member from your club will be attending your Cabinet Meeting, please be sure that the original Posters and Framed Photographed Posters are brought to the meeting.

Deadline date for collecting Posters for **District 44H** is November 4th - to be judged at their November 6th Cabinet Meeting. Chair Lillian Bellisle (889-0285) has assured that all District 44H participating clubs will be collected and screened for this judging. Deadline date for collecting Posters for **District 44N** is November 10th which can be brought to the November 13th Cabinet Meeting but if they are not brought to the meeting, then they must be mailed and ALL must be in the hands of the Zone Chair or Rhonda Wynne by no later than the deadline date of November 15th.

District 44H Zone Chairs/Club Participating

Zone 1 - Gail Dacey, grd514@aol.com

Litchfield, Salem

Zone 2 - Patricia Kimball, pkimb56@gmail.com

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Zone 3 - Mary Tremblay, mntremblay@earthlink.net

Seabrook

Zone 5 - Marilyn Vaccaro, jvac1408@comcast.net

Epsom-Chichester, Saddleback

Zone 6 - N/A

Zone 7 - Jay Bisio, jbisio34@gmail.com

Conway, Moultonborough

Zone 8 - N/A

District 44N Zone Chairs/Club Participating

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Pinardville

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Amherst, Brookline, Merrimack, Milford

N/A

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Concord, Henniker

Virginia Edwards, zinthewhitexmas@aol.com

Franklin

Nancy Charbono-Ricard, nancy.charbono@dartmouth.edu

Canaan, Orford

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Littleton

(NOTE: District 44H, no clubs from Zones 4 and 6 participating; District 44N, no clubs from Zones 3 and 4 participating. District 44N has yet to select a zone chair for Zone 8; the Littleton club is the only club participating in Zone 8, the Henniker club purchased a kit but unfortunately will not be participating.)



Multiple District 44 Secretary Training
2016



Left to right: DG Christine
Greenwood and DG Al Goldstein



Left to right: ZC Virginia Edwards
and DG Christine Greenwood

Multiple District Secretaries Class

I would like to thank the presenters for a fantastic job along with their two assistants. The class was filled with lots of information. All were presented with a flash drive and hard copies of the very informative power point. This class was to help all our secretaries understand the filing into Lions International and their responsibilities to their club and district. These two presenters did such a good job on all aspects of the program. They also conducted a very informative question and answer session. The secretaries were very impressed with Marilyn and Sue and their presentations.

My sincerest thanks to: Presenters: PMCST ZC Marilyn Vaccaro and PMCST ZC Sue Lindberg
Assistants: ZC Virginia Edwards and Lion Marilyn Mann

Also much thanks to our presenter for the past several years..since 2009 actually. Lion Diane Guerriere of the Wolfeboro club was kind enough to help this year's presenters with information they used to help them begin with producing their newer program. Diane through the years has not only done the September class but also the April Forums. I received high praise for her classes throughout the years. Lion Valencia Wilson joined Diane also with a couple years of September and April classes and became an asset to the program.

My sincerest thank you to District Governor Al Goldstein and District Governor Christine Goldstein for your trust in me.

Event Coordinator: PCC Celeste Ricupero



Dear District Governor,

Lions recently reached the milestone of 100 million people served during the Centennial Service Challenge. Without the hard work of district governors like you, this incredible accomplishment would never have been possible. Your leadership and dedication to service has inspired Lions to make a real impact in their communities and around the world.

But there are still so many more people who need our help. I hope you'll join me in celebrating this accomplishment by recommitting yourself to service. Encourage your Lions to keep serving and reporting their service to LCI. Remind your clubs that each Lion serves 70 people a year on average, so we can change even more lives when we invite new members to join us. And remember that new clubs bring new service to areas that need us.

Not only will you help expand our service impact when you welcome new members and charter new clubs, but you'll also stay on track to earn your District Governor Membership Award.

Let's keep serving and keep changing lives together!

Very truly yours,

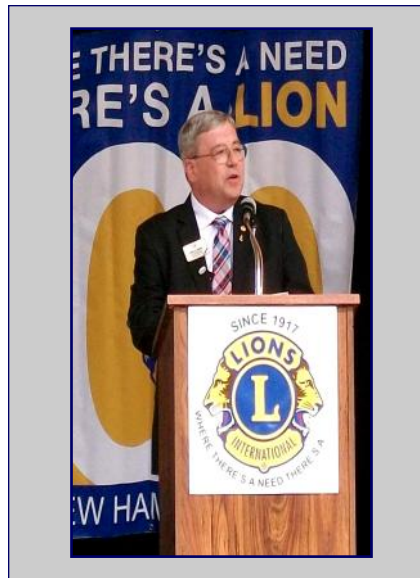
Chancellor Bob Corlew

Your International President

**SEPTEMBER 27, 2016
INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT
CENTENNIAL BUS TOUR
MANCHESTER NH**



Top to bottom:
 •Centennial Bus Arrives in Manchester
 •PID Ed and Elaine Farrington Greets International President Bob Corlew and Diane Corlew
 •PID Ed Farrington, Dianne and IP Bob Corlew
 •Lion Diane Corlew and Lion Elaine Farrington



Top to bottom:
 •44H DG Al Goldstein, IP Bob Corlew and 44N DG Christine Greenwood
 •PID Ed Farrington
 •IP Bob Corlew and MCC Scott Wilson



Top to bottom:
 •Lion Dignitaries
 •44N DG Christine Greenwood
 •IP Bob Corlew, new member Jason Smart and DG Christine Greenwood
 •IP Bob Corlew and PID Ed Lecius

SEPTEMBER 27, 2016
INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT CENTENNIAL BUS TOUR
MANCHESTER NH



Photos left:

IP Bob Corlew
inducting new
members from
various clubs
during his
recent
Centennial Bus
Tour to
Manchester



A few members from the Pinardville Lions club welcome IP Bob and Diane Corlew to Manchester.



A few Lions place their signatures
on the Centennial banner.

Left to right:
Goffstown Lions
SVDG Fred Plett,
IPP David Pierce,
new lions Bill and
Michelle Callahan
and President
Steve Brzozowski





LION OF THE YEAR



MONADNOCK— this year Lion of the Year went to a tireless member who seems to be everywhere. He was our Vision screen leader. He also worked on the roast beef supper, Youth Show, and Gramma's Table supper. He was there to sell Christmas Trees, as well as helping Larry in his workshop with Girl Scouts and Cub Scouts.

The award was to be presented at our final meeting of the year at Piedra Fina's; however, this member had heart bypass surgery the Monday before the meeting. A group of Lions went to his house in July to see how he was doing and presented him with the award.

I am proud to announce Monadnock Lions Club Lion of the year.

Earle Spafford.

Job well done Earl!



From left: to right: Lions
Sandy Williams, Diana
Griffin, Arlene MacArthur,
Roland Patten, Marcia
Patten. Not shown: Patty
Echavarria, Lisa Koziell-
Betz, Deidre McGrath-
Fischer, and Gary Fischer,
Michael Reimer



PETERBOROUGH - made a donation to the Cornucopia Project. Their mission is to help children gain an understanding of where their food comes from. As they care for seedlings and harvest vegetables, they establish a sense of place and become rooted in their local environment. The Community Garden gives families a chance to learn about growing food, and serves as an outdoor classroom for community programs, while providing organic produce to the Peterborough Food Pantry. Our Christmas Trees have been ordered for one of our annual fundraisers. We provided an eye exam for an individual. Lions brought the SPOT Screener to the Wellness Festival at the Community Center, (photo above). Peterborough Chief of Police Scott Guinard was the speaker at our first dinner of the meeting, discussing identity theft.

AMHERST — held 6th Annual Car/Truck/Truck/Motorcycle Show on August 20th. The Show was a great success with prizes awarded in 17 categories including oldest vehicle, best of show and largest club participating. The Show was organized by Lions Dick Stout, Ollie Holt Ron Hebert, John Swanson and PDG Don Potter. Their efforts along with many members of the Club netted over \$8000 for charities! The Club is participating in the annual Peace Poster contest for the first time in many years. Spearheaded by IPP Joan Ferguson, materials have been placed in the community for local children and homeschoolers to easily access materials. Be sure to mark December 3 on your calendar for our Annual Craft Fair to be held at the Amherst Middle School. There will be many crafters joining us to sell their handmade items and crafts just in time for Christmas shopping.

FRANKLIN - Renaissance characters perform at the recent Renaissance Faire

WILTON - Bill Gabor
at a recent SPOT screening



CANAAN - handled 108 medical units with 8 Lions working 39 hours and driving 660 miles. Five Lions cooked and served 42 meals at the monthly community dinner, giving 16 hours of service. Provided hearing aids to a Canaan resident. DG Christine and CST Deb made a visitation at the September 1 dinner meeting. Two members attended secretary training in Concord and two members attended a Lions Youth Services meeting in Manchester. Two new members will be inducted by IP Bob Corlew during his visit to Manchester on the LCI Centennial Bus on September 27. The final motocross race day was on September 25 and the awards banquet is set for October 15 at the Mountain Meadow Event Center. A Celebration of Life for Charter President Dan Fleetham is scheduled for Saturday, October 1, at 6:00 p.m. at Canaan Hall, 18 Cardigan Mountain Road, Canaan. (see memorial page in this newsletter)

ENFIELD-MASCOMA LIONESS - made a donation to the Brain Injury Association's Walk-by-the-Sea in support of Canaan Lion Kelly Holmes, to the Upper Valley Haven in support of National Hunger Action Month, and to the Mascoma Ecumenical Council in support of their Thanksgiving food baskets. Will be meeting on October 13 to decorate shopping bags for Frosty's Craft World in November, will be cleaning four miles of Enfield roadside on October 15 as part of Adopt-A-Highway, will be preparing a meal for guests at David's House on October 16, and will be holding a membership night at our monthly business meeting on October 27.

ANTRIM BENNINGTON - just had a marvelous Antrim Home and Harvest Outdoors Dinner event which is one of our major fundraisers. This is combined with a dramatic fireworks evening show. Also hosting in Antrim a Town Hall Candidate nights, September into October, whereby those who are in the November election can personally meet and greet members of our general community. Further October events include providing a breakfast for the Antrim 2020 Community Focus Group.



HINSDALE - will be hosting its annual Harvest breakfast fundraiser on October 9, 2016 from 7 AM to 11 AM at the Hinsdale Community Center in downtown Hinsdale. See flyer in this newsletter.

GAP MTN - had a quiet September in regards to activities. Ongoing volunteering at our local food pantry and are working on the very busy season coming up. We've got two eye screenings scheduled, a Halloween event for the kids, annual Basket sale and we're also working on our Centennial Legacy Project.

BEDFORD - supported our newest member in the Chili Fest at Pat's Peak. It was a great summer day with over 45 participants. 6 lions took part and served over 750 samples of chili during the four hour program coming in 9th this year for recognition. 950 pairs of eyeglasses were collected. An ongoing program, our medical supply program for Haiti and now Ecuador is still progressing every month with donations of wheelchair, shower equipment, etc. The Community Food Pantry sponsored by the Bedford Lions Club continues to move forward to find new ways to help the community. Our social with 12 attending is always one of the highlights of the year that everyone enjoys.





KEENE - as noted in the last issue of "The Roar" we had a very successful but slow "Ashuelot River Duck Race" with very little water running, however after dumping a little over 4000 rubber ducks, we had a \$5000 winner, Jean Snow from Keene followed by 7 other winners of cash and gift certificates. Within the race are 50+ purple ducks that were sold at \$100 per duck and the winner of the cash prize of \$2500 was Joe Palermo also of Keene. We are proud to say that we share the profits of the duck race with other clubs that sell adoption papers for these ducks. The clubs participating with Keene are Chesterfield, Westmoreland and Hinsdale. Final figures from the Kids Site screening program for the Lions year 2015-2016 showed that Keene Lions screened 1,138 children in 34 locations and of those screened, 74 were referred to local eye care professionals. Over 15 Keene Lions and several spouses were involved and volunteers from both the Chesterfield and Westmoreland clubs pitched in with the screening.



On September 15th, 16th and 17th four Keene Lions members attended the USA/Canada forum. Lions attending were Deb and Jim Hogancamp, Christine Greenwood and new Lion Jason Smart. Since we meet every week at the Keene Country Club our weekly programs continue to provide us with informative and entertaining information as we enjoy a light lunch and fellowship. President Brian Donovan adds to our FUN at the meetings. Next we are looking forward to our bi-annual roadside cleanup on Route 9 coming up in October. Also in October will be auditions for our upcoming February Broadway show "The Beauty and the Beast" on October 29th and 30th.



MILFORD - held monthly free community spaghetti supper for about 85 people at the Share Outreach hall. Eight members attended the Zone 2 meeting in Brookline where a zone project was discussed. The zone will be donating a large grill and a tent to Camp Allen for use as a welcoming area during their season next summer. Held a board of directors meeting and a club meeting where plans for the year were discussed. Upcoming events include a concession stand fundraiser at the annual Milford Pumpkin Festival on October 8th and 9th, and PID Ed Farrington's homecoming celebration on October 16th at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Nashua. To the left is a photo of one of the four bricks that were installed on the Milford Oval in the past few months. Bricks were purchased for \$50 each.





Hinsdale Lions Club

Harvest Breakfast

Sunday October 9th, 2016

7:00am to 11:00am

**Millstream Community Center
Main Street/Route 119, Hinsdale,**

Donations: \$7.00ea
Kids under 10 free
Pancakes, scrambled
eggs, sausage, juice,
coffee



Benefits go to Hinsdale Lions Club Charities and Scholarships





THE JAFFREY-RINDGE LIONS CLUB*

PRESENTS A

COMEDY MURDER MYSTERY DINNER

"UN"-HAPPY DAYS

Help solve a grisly murder at the 20th reunion of the "Happy Days" characters.
Be extra daring and dress in your flashiest 50's or 70's costume!

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Sponsored by MilliporeSigma

October 29, 2016 – 6:00 p.m.

The Shattuck – 53 Dublin Road, Jaffrey

\$50 per person – includes three course dinner.

(Entrée choice of Chicken Piccata or Vegetarian Lasagna)

Cash Bar Available

Reserve a table with 6-8 of your friends

For tickets, and to select a entree

Contact Will Phillips or Brenda days at 603-924-1922

Or nights Will @ 603-547-5262, or Brenda @ (603) 547-5263

Or via email at bls@wjplaw.com

Find us on Facebook: "Jaffrey-Rindge Lions Club" 



44N CABINET MEETING

November 13, 2016 Puritan Backroom 9am-1pm
245 Hooksett Rd. Manchester, NH



Sunshine Breakfast Buffet \$20/person

Pancakes
Scrambled eggs
Sausage links
Home fries
Fresh fruit
Assorted pastries
Cold Cereal
Toasted English muffins
Juice/Coffee/Tea



Make plans to join the District
and

Special Guest Speaker:
"Lion Randy Pierce"

"Achieve a Vision
Beyond Your Sight"

Registration	8:30 am
Meeting Opening	9:15-10:00 am
Brunch	9:30-10:00 am
Resume meeting	10:00 am
Adjourn	1:00 pm

Reminder: Only District raffles may be sold at
Cabinet Meetings. Club Announcements and activities
are always welcome.



Name: _____

Club: _____

Name: _____

Attending _____ @ \$20.00 pp= Amount enclosed: \$ _____

Payable to Lions District 44-N and Please mail to
CST Deb Hogancamp, PO Box 14, Kingston, NH 03848

~ RSVP BY NOVEMBER 6, 2016 ~

Happy Birthday to YOU!



SAVE the DATES



JANUARY 27-29, 2017



Lions turn 100 year old!

**Friday
Night
Buffet
&
Party**

**We are giving away \$500+
in prizes and gifts
on Friday Evening.**

Registration Form & more information are coming.

MAKE PLANS TO ATTEND THE 44N SPRING CONVENTION



COME CELEBRATE LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL
100 YEARS

North Conway Grand Hotel

North Conway, New Hampshire

May 5 thru May 7, 2017

Bring your family, friends, and Club to join in a once in a lifetime
celebration



April 8, 2017



2017 New Hampshire Lion Forum
9:00 am to 2:00 pm
Delta Dental, Concord, NH

Committee will meet to decide on trainings
Let us know your wishes.

We will review last year's best attended trainings.
Morning snacks and deli lunch will be available.

A club competition will be run throughout the year.

Let us know your club's most meaningful
SERVICE PROJECT and most ***UNUSUAL FUNDRAISER***.

Prize for each member of winning clubs.
IPDG's will decide on winners.

Club needs to be represented at training to be considered a winner.
FUN – CAMARADERIE – LEARNING TIME
BE SURE YOU ARE THERE !!!!

Suggestions: Contact me-
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