



The ROAR

your DISTRICT 44N NEWSLETTER



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Hello District 44N Lions:

As I write this month's article, which is my first one as District Governor, we are packing and getting ready to attend our first International Convention to celebrate 100 years of Lionism which is very exciting!

The momentum that is happening throughout our district through positive membership, new clubs being formed and the fantastic service projects that the clubs are doing is also very exciting!

MCC Christine has set the bar awfully high with the wonderful job she has done as District Governor this past year. Hopefully we can continue to build on this momentum because the only limits are the ones we impose upon ourselves.

I would like to thank those of you who have stepped up and supported me up to this point and to those that will be filling active roles in this year's Cabinet and as officers of your clubs. You are a big reason why Lions are so successful.

Throughout the District, with the "Power of We", good things are happening and will continue to happen. This is great news for your communities.

Please save the date of August 13, 2017 for the first Cabinet Meeting of the year. It will be at the Keene Country Club.

I am challenging all of you to not only attend, but bring someone from your club who has never attended a Cabinet Meeting.

Yours in Lionism,
DG Eric





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GET YOUR MEETING NEWS HERE !

Lions Youth Services:
Thursday, July 13, at
Hannaford, 7 Kilton
Road, Bedford at
6:30pm

NH Sight & Hearing:
Thursday, July 20, at
Blakes 353 S Main
Street, Manchester at
6:30pm

Zone 5 Meeting:
Sunday, July 30 at
Sal's Pizza, 80 Storrs
Street in Concord at
high noon.

Reserve by August 1st
44H Cabinet:
Sunday, August 6, at
Castleton Function Hall,
Windham at 9am

Reserve by August 8th
44N Cabinet:
Sunday, August 13, at
the Keene Country Club
on 755 West Hill Road,
Keene at 9am

CALL OUT TO ALL MEMBERS !!

*DO you have any
LIONESS PINS that you
are willing to donate to
the Greenville Lioness?*

*IF YOU DO,
PLEASE contact or SEND
them to:*

Brenda L. Salmonson
Souhegan Lions Club
15 Longhill Rd.
Peterborough, NH 03458



YOU ARE INVITED

**District 44N Cabinet Meeting
Sunday August 13, 2017**

**Keene Country Club
755 West Hill Road, Keene NH
9 am - 12:30 pm**

Save the date and register to attend the "Serve with Passion Cabinet Meeting". You will find out what is new in the District for the upcoming year and get a chance to catch up with old friends and maybe make some new ones.

Summer Challenge: This is not just for Presidents & Secretaries. Invite 1 Lion to come with you who has never attended a Cabinet Meeting!

Registration	8:30 - 9:00 am
Meeting Opening	9:15 - 9:30 am
Brunch	9:30 - 10:00 am
Resume Meeting	10:00 am
Adjourn	12:30 am

Cost is \$21 per person (casual dress)



Please make checks payable to: **Lions District 44N**
and mail to:
CS Virginia Edwards
P.O. Box 311
Danbury, NH 03230

Don't miss out. Seating is limited so make your reservation today! And bring a friend!

Name: _____ Club: _____

Name: _____ 1st Cabinet Meeting? _____

Amount Enclosed: # _____ attending @ \$21/pp = \$ _____



Littleton May Ball Royal Court;
 left to right: King Bradley Mason,
 Queen Maria Goodwin, Prince
 Julian Auger, Princess Isabella
 Romancruz,
 Jr Prince Mason Marland,
 Jr Princess Joslynn Fenimore
 (held by Dad).



Keene Lions hold their great
 Ashuelot River Duck Race
 in June.



**LIONS CLUBS CENTENNIAL
 SILVER DOLLAR COIN**



A lot of behind-the-scenes work went into creating and releasing the limited-edition Centennial Commemorative Silver Dollar Coin this year.

Here are 5 fun facts about the coin!

1. The process of creating the coin from concept to finished product took nearly 6 years!
2. Sandy Spring Lions club (Maryland, USA) proposed the idea.
3. The “Lions Clubs International Century of Service Commemorative Coin Act” was signed by former President Obama on October 5, 2012.
4. The coin’s design pays homage to LCI founder Melvin Jones and the association’s international family of Lions.
5. Coin sales offer an opportunity to improve the lives of people around the world, with every US \$10 is authorized to be paid to LCIF for each coin sold—up to \$4 million US dollars.

A FEW COMMON ACRONYMS USED IN LIONISM

- | | |
|------|-------------------------------|
| DG | DISTRICT GOVERNOR |
| VDG | VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR |
| SVDG | SECOND VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR |
| CS | CABINET SECRETARY |
| CT | CABINET TREASURER |
| MCC | MULTIPLE COUNCIL CHAIR |
| GLT | GLOBAL LEADERSHIP TEAM |
| GMT | GLOBAL MEMBERSHIP TEAM |
| LCI | LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL |
| IP | INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT |
| ID | INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR |
| CC | COUNCIL CHAIR |
| DSP | DOGSIGHT PROJECT |
| HSB | HEALTH SERVICES BOARD |
| LYS | LIONS YOUTH SERVICES |
| MD | MULTIPLE DISTRICT |



44-N Centennial Service Challenge Quick Stats Through June 25th

- Snapshot of club participation:
 - Club participation continues to run ahead of last year.
 - 32 clubs have reported Centennial activity! **595 activities, involving 7,489 hours and an estimated 56,493 people served.**
 - 25 clubs have earned Diamond Level by participating in all 4 campaigns! **Congrats to Amherst, Andover, Bedford, Brookline, Canaan, Chesterfield, Franklin, Gap Mountain, Goffstown, Henniker, Hillsboro, Hooksett, Hopkinton, Keene, Lancaster, Manchester, Merrimack, Milford, Monadnock, Orford, Peterborough, Pinardville, Souhegan, Westmoreland and Wilton!!**
- Legacy Projects
 - To-date, there are 17 Legacy Projects that have been completed or are in process by 12 clubs. **Congrats to Amherst (4), Bedford (1), Brookline (1), Franklin (1), Gap Mountain (1), Goffstown (1), Hillsboro (1), Hinsdale (1), Hooksett (1), Keene (2), Merrimack (2) and Pinardville (1)**
 - Several projects have been identified and are planned.
- Chicago here we come! Centennial Convention!
A once in a lifetime opportunity!!

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!!!!



Dear Fellow Lions,

I'm sharing my June message to club leaders, where I highlight our Centennial achievements and encourage clubs to continue serving and engaging youth in service during our upcoming Centennial year.

I want to thank you for making my year as international president so successful. With your hard work and the dedication, we have accomplished great things and climbed many mountains together over the past year. Thank you for the opportunity to serve as your international president during this incredible moment in our history!

A year ago, we set out to climb new mountains as an association and to position ourselves for success in our Centennial year and beyond. I have been overwhelmed by the incredible response I've received from Lions around the globe. Thanks to the hard work of Lion leaders like you, we have accomplished incredible things, like:

- Shattering our initial Centennial Service Challenge goal by serving more than 160 million people—and we're still going!
- Launching a new global service framework with diabetes as a global service focus.
- Setting an ambitious goal for the future of Lions with LCI Forward.
- Surpassing US\$1 billion in grant funding by Lions Clubs International Foundation.

I am honored to have been your international president during this special time in Lions history. We still have one year left in our Centennial Celebration, so I want to encourage every Lion in every club to take their celebrations to the next level by getting out to serve their communities as often as possible.

Thank you for this amazing opportunity. With so many exciting things on the horizon, I can't wait to see how we come together to shape the future of service.

We're 1,445,591 Lions strong—and counting !

A year ago, I challenged you to help our association reach new heights. Today, I am pleased to announce that **we just surpassed our all-time membership record of 1,445,591 Lions!** None of this would have been possible without the dedication and support of district governors like you. Thanks to your leadership, we have achieved something that has never been done in the 100-year history of Lions. Just think about that for a moment! **We made history together**, and I am so proud of you and what you have achieved.

But there's still more to do. Let's work together for one last push. I urge you to take advantage of this incredible momentum by working with clubs in your district to **reduce end-of-year drops** to make sure we finish our year strong.

At our international convention in Chicago, I will be honoring every one of you who helped make our incredible membership growth possible. I will recognize not only governors of districts with positive membership growth for the entire year, but also governors whose districts show growth over just the month of June.

Congratulations and thank you for your hard work during this historic moment!



Very truly yours,
Chancellor Bob Corlew

Happy Summer to all Lion members,

Congratulations to the 2017-2018 District Leadership Team:

District Governor Eric Lindberg, MCC Christine Greenwood, FVDG Fred Plett, Cabinet Secretary Virginia Edwards, Treasurer John Wynne, Zone 6 Chairperson Alan Edwards, GLT Ed Farrington and GMT Henry McKee. Good luck to all for an exciting and memorable year traveling to visit clubs, meetings, conventions, and having fun being a Lion.



As our new term year begins, may we all have the expectancy to be our usual, marvelous, devoted, committed Lions for a terrific year.

Jumping into membership drives, getting new folks to climb onboard, bringing a family member or a friend to a cabinet meeting so they can meet us and hear about all that we do. "We Serve". Many clubs do not meet over summer, those that do give DG Eric or me a shout if you would like to set a date for a visitation to your club.

Dates for your calendar:

Zone Meeting: DG Eric's first, will be on Sunday, July 30, 2017 at Sal's Pizza, 80 Storrs Street in Concord, NH at high noon, email me if you can make it.

Cabinet Meeting, August 13, 2013 at the Keene Country Club on 755 West Hill Road, Keene, NH. Registration is at 8:30. There will be a notice in the Roar for your registration to attend. Come one, Come all for a good time!

Directories, get 'em while their hot off the presses so you'll be informed of all the names, addresses, tel #'s, to keep in touch with members, and have the dates for upcoming events and meetings.

If you know clubs in your zone that cannot make the meeting, ask for their envelope so you can pass it along to them.

Big Congratulations go out to DG Christine Greenwood and Cabinet Secretary Deb Hogancamp and Jim Hogancamp for all the planning, traveling, cooking, and the list goes on.

Thank you all for a wonderful year. Congratulations to all the Lions that had the opportunity to attend the 100th Centennial Celebration in Chicago, memories and photos are a lifetime. Enjoy the 4th of July,

YOURS IN LIONISM,

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Musings from VDG Fred Plett



As you read this, your leadership team will be in Chicago at the 100th Anniversary International Convention, and Multiple Council Chair Christine Greenwood and District Governor Eric Lindberg will have been officially sworn in.

Congratulations to Christine Greenwood for an outstanding job as District Governor. We have completed two new clubs, the Winchester Centennial club, and very recently, the Grafton County Pemi-Baker Centennial club. Congratulations to Stephanie Crawford for all her work in forming this newest club. And we are in a growth position for the year so far, not yet counting the newest club members!

Let's get behind DG Eric Lindberg to keep, and accelerate, this positive momentum!

Greetings Fellow MD44 Lions

WOW – this past year was an exciting year in Lionism – membership grew immensely, motivation in both Districts increased and fun was had by helping so many people in your communities “Special” thank you goes out to each and every Lion in MD 44 !!!

Let's continue this positive membership and motivation momentum into this year and beyond into the 21st Century ! LCI Forward will be focusing the Lions on FIVE service areas with the goal of tripling our humanitarian impact by serving 200 million PER YEAR by the year 2021 with 1.7 million Lion and Leo members.. Program services will be focusing on Diabetes, Environment, Hunger Relief, Pediatric Cancer AND Vision!! Clubs all over the world will be asked to implement a Global Action Team Service Leader – each District Governor will be assigned a leader in the Districts and will be promoting each club to assign a coordinator for LCI Forward in the upcoming year to help with this important LCI goal !

Both District Governors are engaged and motivated about Lions and ready to work with each of your clubs to continue the passion of Lionism.

Proud to work beside everyone in MD44 ! ~MCC Christine~





JAFFREY-RINDGE LIONS CLUB

*Join us for our 2nd Annual
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*July 12, 2017 / 7-9 p.m.
Monadnock Inn/Parson's Pub*

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When: Saturday, July 22

Where: 13 Town Road 79, Orford

Time: Anytime between 11:00 am and 5:00 pm

Funny cards welcomed!!!!

Bring your own food and beverage

Rain or shine



Merrimack Lions Club



is proud to announce the

15th Annual Lions Charity Golf Tournament

“Swinging for Charity”

Monday, July 24, 2017

Amherst Country Club

Amherst, NH

\$125 Donation includes: Green Fees, Cart, Gift Bag, Several Contests, Prizes, Snacks & Banquet BBQ .

**NEW SCORING FORMAT: Every team has a chance to win!
Score high – score low, every team can win some dough!!!**

Pre-registration is required by July 10th.

Proceeds to benefit youth programs and other local charities.

Sponsorships Available, Donations Welcome!

For more information contact:

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or

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or philpreski@gmail.com





The DogSight Project

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



Dem Bones, Dem Bones

Those bones at the bottom of this article will be emptied for next month's article. In 2016-2017 New Hampshire Lions contributed \$13,990 to Fidelco and \$300 to the Dog Guide Users of New Hampshire. Your generosity is appreciated by all those you help, even though they may not be able to tell you themselves!

We hope to continue our work of helping NH Lions understand the challenges of the blind and visually impaired and how support of the DogSight Project and Fidelco Guide Dog Foundation makes a real difference.

You can help us jump-start the new Lions year with a summer donation to the DogSight Project! Donations 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

  Goal: \$15,000. Raised: \$13,990

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

Greetings to all MD44 Lions. I want to Thank You all for the support given this year to your NH Lions Sight & Hearing Foundation. It has been an exciting and rewarding experience for me personally as President. I thank you all for giving me the opportunity to be a part of helping those in need. Our Endowment Fund increased \$57,000 this year, and we were able to assist people of New Hampshire in the amount of \$36,770. **Thank You for your generous donations.**

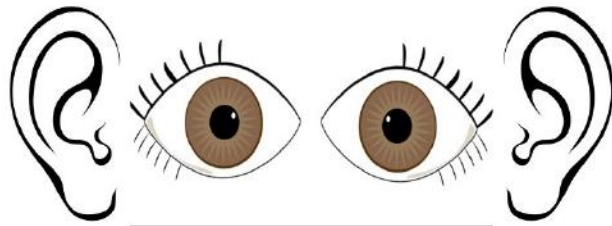
OPEN POSITION— the Sight & Hearing Foundation is seeking to fill the position of Treasurer for the upcoming year. If you feel you are qualified and would like to be considered, please contact either our incoming President, PCC Ray Hill at 673-8075 or myself, PDG Sandra Hurd at 424-8922.

Come and join us at our next meeting on July 20, 2017, at Blake's, 353 S. Main Street, Manchester – Starts at 6:30. **Please let President Ray Hill know if you will attend.**

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

PDG Sandra G. Hurd -- 424-8922 - axstewart@comcast.net
Immediate Past President, NH Sight & Hearing Foundation

Health Services Board - Stories to Warm Your Heart



The Health Services Board would like to try something a bit different this year. Instead of us writing an article every month telling you the same things we have been talking about for years, we are going to try to turn it around a bit. We would like YOU to tell us about a heartwarming story you experienced while doing things that fall under HSB. It could be about an OKS screening you did and something or someone made it all worthwhile. Maybe you were doing a hearing screening, volunteered at Vision Weekend, or did something with the DogSight Project that touched your soul. We want to hear about your “Aha” moment while you were volunteering for anything that falls under Health Services Board.

It would be wonderful to have 11 stories of how our volunteering has touched us and changed the lives of people in our communities. The topics could be OKS screenings, hearing screenings, Lions eye clinic, Vision Weekend, or DogSight.

Please send your story to Sue Lindberg, Chair of the Health Services Board at suelindbergnh@gmail.com. Please do not include names unless you have the permission of the person.

We look forward to being able to share some of your stories with the entire state. You never know, your story may be someone else's inspiration!



LIONS YOUTH SERVICES NEWS

Lions Youth Services has recently elected their new board for the upcoming Lion year 2017-2018:

- Presidents - Marie Hall & Henry McKee
- Vice President - Al Goldstein
- Treasurer - John Wynne
- Secretary - Cheryl Harvey
- Directors - Harry Armstrong, Stephanie Crawford, Joe Caouette, Virginia Edwards, and Rhonda Wynne

(All Lions from both districts are welcome to attend meetings and provide support in LYS endeavors. Meetings are held once a month on the 2nd Thursday at Hannaford's in Bedford).



CHAD GOT BOOKS PROJECT

Lions Youth Services continues to collect NEW or slightly used Books. If you have books to be picked up, please contact mariehall326@gmail.com. Books may also be brought to the August Cabinet meetings.



PEACE POSTER KITS

Once you receive your kit, please be sure that you retain all needed material and give out only that is specified to the school or participating group. Rules, and regulations, deadline information is provided in the kit. If your club wishes to order kits through Lions Youth Services, please contact Rhonda Wynne at rwynnemilford@comcast.net



NEW LOGO DESIGN

Lions Youth Services is looking to all club members to come up with a new logo. We will welcome all entries and designs and the winner of the new selected logo will win a prize to be determined.



**LIONS YOUTH SERVICES
PEACE POSTER CONTEST 2017-2018
30TH YEAR ANNIVERSARY - "THE FUTURE OF PEACE"**



This year we are celebrating 30 years of the Peace Poster contest. Thus far, we have sold 40 kits, with 19 clubs participating in this contest for this 2017-2018 Anniversary! We are making some changes in the introduction and presentation of the contest this year but the process remains the same. A list of clubs and the number of kits ordered are indicated below. Behind the scenes to help and offer support, help promote and introduce the contest to those clubs who may not have participated in the past, are:

Lion Stephanie Crawford, LYS 44N Director, youarebeautifulskin@gmail.com
She will be available to assist those clubs north of Concord, including Concord, for both districts.

Lion Rhonda Wynne, LYS Director, rwynnemilford@comcast.net
will be helping and offering support to the southern part of the state for both districts.

Lion Marilyn Richardson, 44H of the Hudson club, Marilyn@pcom.com
will be serving as liaison for District 44H. If you should have any questions, please feel free to contact any one of us at the email addresses listed above. We are here to help.

The contest has begun but many wait until the school year begins. However, the Brookline club has taken another direction which you might find interesting or beneficial in your contest efforts. The Brookline club has the cooperation of their local public library with the contest by allowing kids, ages 11-13, (by November 15, 2017), participate at a "Peace Poster Drop-In Workshop" at various scheduled times to work on their peace poster. Please contact the Brookline Lions to check out how to get something like this started in your community. School will be getting out soon, so please take advantage of this idea and opportunity for the summer months or even throughout the contest months.

You still have time to order a kit, so email me your request or you can order one online. Deadline for ordering a kit is October 1st. Look for further Peace Poster Contest information at the August Cabinet Meetings and upcoming newsletters..

*It's not too late to start a contest, don't wait, please **DO IT NOW!***

44H Clubs – Conway, Derry, Epsom-Chichester (2), Exeter, Hampstead, Kingston, Salem (2), Saddleback Mtn (3), and Sandown

44N Clubs – Amherst, Brookline, Canaan (6), Claremont, Concord (8), Franklin (4), Merrimack, Milford, Orford (3), Pinardville

THANK YOU for ALL THAT YOU DO!

Contact: Rhonda Wynne at rwynnemilford@comcast.net



**Andover Lions
Installation of Officers
June 12, 2017**

Center left to right:
PDG Christine Greenwood and
President Virginia Edwards
Left to right:
Secretary John Hanscom,
Treasurer Dan Coolidge,
2nd VP Jim Danforth,
SVDG Fred Plett,
1st VP Dick O'Connell,
Membership Chair Howard George,
Tail Twister Ron Evans, Director Bill Leber,
Director Ellie George, Director Al Edwards



ANDOVER – the Food Panty is serving over 40 people per week, with weekly pick up and delivery of donated food, and weekly food shopping to replenish the shelves. Donated two \$1000.00 scholarships to two seniors in the area. A \$500.00 donation was given to Future in Sight via Frank Haley, plus members donated pocket cash for an extra donation. Reached Diamond level, YEAH!!!!

Also donated \$100.00 to LCIF and \$100.00 to the Environment through Danbury Grows who will be planting trees and a vegetable garden, with vegetables being donated to the local food pantry.

Secretary Virginia and member Al Edwards donated \$50.00 to the Brain Injury Institute of NH, with the club matching the donation, in the name of Kelly Holmes of the Canaan Club.

Yearly donation was made to the Andover Youth 6th grade Citizenship Award Trophy and certificate. Fire completely destroyed an East Andover home forcing a woman and her Dad to find a place to live, the club donated \$100.00.

DG Christine Greenwood did the Installation for the 2017-2018 Slate of Officers, SVDG Fred Plett also attended our wonderful, fun filled dinner with 17 members and 16 family and friends.

Andover's 75th 4th of July Celebration is Tuesday July 4th, with the club providing a pancake breakfast from 7:00am to 11:00am, then across the street to On the Green Common from 11:00am to 3:00pm selling Hamburgers, French Fries, Sweet Potato Fries, Onion Rings, and cold drinks under our two 30x60 tents to keep cool. We will be selling raffle tickets to ride in our 1850 Stagecoach, plus raffling off a huge basket filled with summer goodies and a lottery money tree.

COME & ENJOY!





Lion Kevin Drew presented with a Melvin Jones Fellowship



IPP Tricia Shea pins incoming President John Wynne during installation meeting.



BEDFORD - 35 families being serviced with week-end bags being sent home in all of the schools. Board meeting held to move the pantry to the BLC by September 1, 2017. Glasses collected 210. Screened 60 preschoolers at the Bedford Library

Franklin - will have had their Annual Year-end Celebration with a cookout at President-elect Nancy MacKinnon's home. Expect to induct at least one new member. Look for our Renaissance Faire ad being held in September.

GAP MTN - has had no activities this month, but are preparing for a busy summer. Also sponsoring 14 underprivileged kids to attend community's 6 week summer recreation program.

MILFORD— replaced all of the Lion's signs at the entrances to town as a level 1 Centennial project. Donated \$300 to students that are traveling to the national "Fuel Up To Play 60" conference. Collected and processed 2,634 pairs of eyeglasses during the 2016-2017 Lion year. Held annual cash raffle fundraiser. Held annual awards night/new officer installation meeting.

WESTMORELAND - set up tables and chairs at the Westmoreland Town Hall for the monthly "Friendly Meals" dinner, as well as assembling a food basket door prize. Participated in the Westmoreland United Church Yard Sale. Provided Lions Luncheons for nine Westmoreland School students at the June gathering for students performing an outstanding act of courtesy, kindness, citizenship, or scholastic improvement. A member presented two \$1,000 college scholarships at the Keene High School Awards Ceremony.

NEWPORT - held a Pinnacle Bike Race NMHS on June 18th, dollars raised not yet available will include in July report. Donated \$100.00 for glasses & exam. Donated \$100.00 to the Newport ambulance service who were stationed at the bike race. Photo at left , 25 years of service awarded to Secretary Dan Labbe.





Joint meeting of the Chesterfield and Hinsdale clubs



Left to right:
Jason Langevin, Alexis Robarge,
Casey Kosiara, and Pamela Prentiss,
President of Chesterfield Lions



Lions Corner new Popcorn Stand
Sign thanks to Sousa Signs.
Stand hours are 1-4 PM weekends
and holidays during the summer.

CHESTERFIELD - has ended another successful year of meetings and events except for our Golf Tournament which will take place July 18, 2017 at Brentwood Golf Course in Keene, NH. Working hard to finalize players, sponsors and logistics for the event! Had a joint meeting with the Hinsdale club on May 24th with 13 Chesterfield members and 12 Hinsdale members enjoying a dinner of Shepard's Pie and a presentation from the Hinsdale Beautification committee.

Last meeting for the year, June 21st was a social event meeting with the three scholarship winners of \$2,000 each. Each student explained their goals for college and beyond and shared some favorite memories of their time at Keene High School and Chesterfield Central School. Their parents were there also and all enjoyed a pot luck dinner at the lake house of Secretary Sue Parker!

GOFFSTOWN - is providing free of charge our Lions Field as a practice field for the Goffstown police to hone their softball skills in preparation for the annual 'Battle of the Blue and Red Badges' against the firefighters team. The game, scheduled for August 11 in Manchester, is a major fundraiser for Dartmouth- Hitchcock Children's Hospital (CHaD). Keeping with a club tradition spanning over 40 years, awarded four \$1000 scholarships to deserving Goffstown High School seniors pursuing higher education. The scholarships are named in honor of late community activist Nathan Tirrell, and for our Lions members Larry and Elaine Emerton, Bill Peabody, and Gordon Barnard Celebrated our success as Lions in the past year and installed our new 2017-18 slate of club officers at our annual Installation banquet held at the Puritan Conference Center in Manchester. The highlight of the evening was presenting Melvin Jones Fellowships to long time club members Sue and John Caprio.





Bagg Lunch Waitresses



*Pinardville Lions
2017 Induction*



*Kelli Li
2016 Scholarship Recipient*



*Olivia Gagne
2017 Scholarship Recipient*

PINARDVILLE – fortunate to hold monthly business meetings at The Bagg Lunch. Thanks to owner Tammy Beleski, the restaurant opens its doors just for our Tuesday business meetings and provides a wonderful dinner served by hostesses Jen and Jan. The Bagg Lunch also supports our warmth project by placing a bin for customers to donate clothing to the homeless.

Former District Governor and current Pinardville Lions treasurer Maurice Tremblay inducted fellow officers at their June meeting at The Bagg Lunch. President Gloria Proulx is ready to serve a second term with other members holding onto their positions for another fun filled, active and rewarding 2017/2018 Lion year!

Goffstown High School 2016 Scholarship recipient Kelly Li stopped by The Bagg Lunch to fill members in on her first year at Bentley University – pictured here with Treasurer Maurice Tremblay, scholarship committee chair Mary Ann Christie and Pinardville President Gloria Proulx.

Goffstown High School 2017 Graduate Olivia Gagne received the 3rd annual Ralph J. Lavallee Service Award for her outstanding academic and community service, presented by 2nd VP and committee chair Mary Ann Christie (right) and President Gloria Proulx.



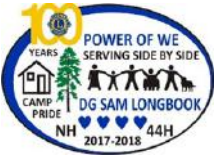


PETERBOROUGH – has spent the last several weeks preparing for our Annual Duck Race, our biggest fundraiser.

We were out and about at many venues around town, selling tickets, talking about the club, and getting some people interested in exploring membership in our club and Lions Club international. This month we made donations to Community Volunteer Transportation Company (CVTC), which provides transportation for those who do not have access because of age, ability, economic situation, or other circumstances. Trips can include non-emergency medical appointments as well as the grocery store or pharmacy. Another donation was made to Monadnock WorkSource, which provides opportunities, supports, and services to people with developmental and intellectual disabilities. Eyeglasses were provided to individuals, and funds were provided to help cover an eye exam. At our first dinner meeting of the month, awards were given in recognition of individuals who provided outstanding service to the Peterborough Lions club, those who had years of service, and those who had years of perfect attendance. Photo bottom left, Lion Will Phillips presented a Granite State Fellow to Lion Marcia Patten in recognition of her work as Zone Director of Operation KidSight. Outgoing President Patty Echavarria extends congratulations from all Peterborough Lions.

HILLSBORO – fundraising for our Circus on July 11 is ongoing as well as our fundraising for the annual Golf Tournament. \$100 donated to Hillsboro Area Food Pantry. 44 pairs of eyeglasses collected for recycling. Collected 7 hearing aids and 1 cell phone for recycling.. Donated \$120 for 3 eye exams and \$500 for eyeglasses at Lens Crafters for our next ten folks. Donated \$125 to Hillsboro Youth Services department to purchase a bicycle. Donated \$500 to LCIF for the Measles Initiative project. \$8000 was donated to school graduates for scholarships. Our last Reading is FUNdamental (RIF) free book distributions for this year were held on 9 and 15 June at the schools in Hillsboro and Washington. Paid \$1393 for our RIF books Blood drive conducted on 14 June. Donated \$150 towards hearing aid and NH Lions Sight and Hearing Foundation picked up the rest of the cost.. PCC Don and Meg Ager attended the PDGs meeting. Presented a Granite State Fellowship to a non-Lion, the Hillsboro Director of Youth Services for his 17 years of service to our community. Our annual Hot Air Balloon Festival and Fair is scheduled for 6 -9 July. Solicitations for our July 11 Circus and for our annual Golf Tournament 5 August are underway. PCC Don and Meg Ager will be attending the Lions 100th anniversary Convention in Chicago as will associate members ID Bob and Michelle Libin.





District 44H Cabinet Meeting
Castleton Function Hall, Windham, NH

August 6, 2017

JOIN US FOR BREAKFAST — \$19.00



Scrambled Eggs

Pancakes

Bacon

Home Fries

Sliced Fruit

Breakfast Pastries

Coffee/ Tea/ Orange Juice Station



8:15-9:00 Registration and Social

9:00 Call to Order

9:15 Breakfast

Name (s): _____

Club: _____ Total Attending: _____ x \$19.00= _____ Check # _____

Please make checks payable to: Lions District 44H and

Mail to: CST Paul Gilberti

42 Island Pond Road, Atkinson, NH 03811



No Later Than August 1, 2017

Please help the committee by making your reservations early!

email: cstpaul44h.comcast.net H: 603-426-2025 C: 978-595-7536

(Dress code: Casual, Club or District Shirts)



Renaissance

1300s-1600s

The Franklin Area Lions Club
Invites you to come join us at the



Renaissance Faire



Saturday and Sunday, September 9th and 10th, 2017

Elks Field 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

South Main Street, West Franklin, NH

(Across from Route 127 to Salisbury)

\$10.00 Adults - \$8.00 Seniors & Children 6 to 12 – Under 5 Free

Experience the excitement of
period shows and demonstrations,
music and festive foods

Vendors welcome

Contact: mylaeverett@gmail.com
www.franklinnh.org/lions



We Serve



Nashua Lions Club Golf Tournament

**Saturday, September 16, 2017
Amherst Country Club
Amherst, NH**

**18 Hole Four Person Team Scramble
Registration: 7:00 AM – 7:45 AM
Shot-Gun Start: 8:00 AM**

\$125 per person/\$500 per team

Entry Fee includes: Green Fees, Cart, Swag Bag, Mulligans, Raffle Ticket, and Meal before Awards Ceremony.

(Please Note: After August 21, 2017 price increases to \$135 per person/\$540 per team.)

For more information, please contact Joel Ackerman at (603) 594-0299.




**THE NEWSLETTER DEADLINE
for the AUGUST ROAR
will be NOONTIME SATURDAY JULY 29th**

**If YOU would get it to me SOONER,
that would be GREATLY APPRECIATED!
THANK YOU !**



MONTH JULY

YEAR 2017

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					100TH LCI CONVENTION CHICAGO, IL USA	
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				LIONS YOUTH SERVICES MEETING		
				LIONS SIGHT & HEARING FOUNDATIO N MEETING		PDG HENRY MCKEE'S 60TH BIRTHDAY PARTY !!!
				HENRY'S "60TH" BIRTHDAY!		ROAR DEADLINE
ZONE 5 MEETING						