

Lions Tales and Paw Tracts

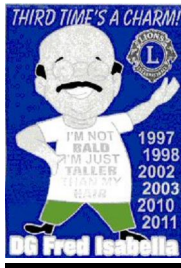
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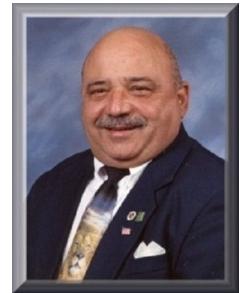
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DISTRICT 14-N

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Dear Lions, Lioness and Leos---

I am writing this article before I leave for Sydney, Australia for the International Convention and more importantly DGE School.

I am planning a few changes to the status quo; first, the newsletter will be in each club's hands by the first of each month. This means all articles from the cabinet MUST be sent to Mark Carter or Betty Lou Ivell no later than the 22nd of the month to make that month's publication. All District reports (M&A/DG Contest) must also be submitted at the same time. Further information is elsewhere in this newsletter.

The reasoning behind this decision is that I have noticed some clubs are only meeting once a month and if they have a second meeting; it is probably a Board of Directors' meeting. I see many clubs that do meet twice a month and the earlier the newsletter is in their hands the sooner the information can be passed around and discussed at the meeting. A prime example is our August State Council meeting, we need help with a few things and it is being held the first weekend of August and if, as in the past, the newsletter gets to you after the club's first meeting you do not get the information. I realize it is posted on our District's website, but I also realize many of our members do not avail themselves of this information.

Our first Cabinet meeting will be held on August 14th and we are asking that delegates from all clubs come to vote. This vote is a statewide task to nominate PID Harold Ott for the position of 2nd VP of International. This also will be our first cabinet meeting of the new Lions year.

I need help in finding Region and Zone Chairmen in the following regions: Clarion and Lawrence Counties. I have one in Lawrence but would like him to be Region Chairman, so we need two Zone Chairmen.

I am asking, with this article, that ALL District Chairmen submit an article of your Chairmanship at least quarterly to be printed in the newsletter. I expect all chairmen to at least contact all clubs to let them know you are available to help them in your field.

I hope that all Club Officers will follow the instructions as stated in the International training manuals.

All Club Officers can get a copy by going to: <http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/common/pdfs/la15.pdf>.
Region Chairmen and anyone interested can go to: <http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/common/pdfs/da200.pdf>.
Zone Chairmen and anyone interested can go to: <http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/common/pdfs/da100.pdf>

Thanks for Helping!

---DG Fred



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Dear Lions, Lioness and Leos---

Tip Your Hat to Lionism in July

July begins a new LIONS year, and with that comes the changing of the guards at every level of operation: international, state, district, and local club levels. This transition period is critical to the ongoing success of Lionism across all boundaries. This time of year, we take a moment to reflect on all the strategic planning questions that guide our future direction and decisions, as a district and as individual clubs within District 14-N. Who are we? Where are we now and where are we going? How are we going to get there? When do we/will we arrive? It's a time when both our district and clubs must evaluate our past and present condition, assess our needs, establish our goals and line up our strategies, actions and timelines for implementation in the oncoming year. All this textbook jargon aside...Where do we start?

Without doubt, those who carried the torch so well this past year want to ensure future success and pass it over to new faces and new leaders who will keep it burning brightly for the next year; as we all want to continue to make a positive impact on the lives of individuals, organizations, social institutions and communities close to us and afar. I think we begin with a few "thank yous" and "congratulations".

Sincere thanks go out to PDG Evan for a tremendous year of leadership and all the fine work and dedication he and all of you as a team have brought to District 14-N and its individual clubs this past year. Congratulations are also in order to our "new" DG Fred who has already been working diligently to do what we all want to do...to bring the mission and vision of LIONS closer to our communities and those WE SERVE. In this same light, sincere thanks go out to individual clubs, their outgoing officers and leaders for taking the reins this past year and moving their clubs closer to goal. And congratulations to new club leaders and volunteers who have chosen to carry on both tradition and change with the accountabilities of the oncoming year.

During any transition period, we are always thankful that the groundwork for improvement is well paved by our predecessors. This past year PDG Evan has paved the road for future decisions in the best interest of District 14-N; and you can bet that DG Fred and myself anxiously and enthusiastically look forward doing the same. We are hopeful and encouraged that the officers and members of each club in District 14-N enjoy this same spirit of change and improvement for the oncoming year. We are anxious to visit all the clubs in the district, open further our lines of communication, work to advance our strengths as a district and rectify any shortcomings that need attention. Let us all raise the spirit of volunteerism and bring with it the fun and enjoyment we gain in service to others. Tip your hat to Lionism in July and ...let's roll!

Yours in Lionism, ---VDG Don



In Memoriam

- Lion Donald L. Hinderliter---Hawthorn Lions Club
- Lion William Stitt---Little Beaver Lions Club
- Lion Lloyd L. Kildoo--- Zelienville Lions Club

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May cherished memories of your loved ones and the knowledge that others care, help comfort you in this time of sorrow.



June 2010 District Summary

(Note: If your club shows no activity, your M&A was not received by the end of the month.)

Class A clubs – more than 35 members; class B clubs – 24 to 35; class C clubs – under 24 members.

Class of clubs is determined by membership shown at Lions Clubs International on July 1, 2009.

Just remember...

Your M&A and DG Contest reports should be submitted by the Wednesday before the last week of the month being reported. For example, the reports for the month of July should be submitted no later than 21 July.

Club	*CI	DG Points	Members (30 June)	Activities
Butler	A	24,600	42	Donated \$3,000 to Blind Association Out of Sight Shredding employment training program start up funds. Eyeglasses recycled 149. Helped seven individuals get eyeglasses. Highway pickup on June 26th. Six butler members attended the Leadership workshop at Blind Assoc. Club night at Butler Blue sox game in community.
Cranberry Township	A		40	No report received.
Elderton	A		38	Ongoing broom sales.
Hawthorn	A		30	Club will be on vacation during July and August; starting plans for a chicken barbeque in September; plans completed for a Ladies' Night in June.
Knox	A	43,500	72	Collected \$11 Lil Ivy Jug, received 4 pair of glasses for recycle, worked with Cranberry Lions Club on Sharp Shopper Customer Appreciation Day, awarded Amber Reichard the Knox Lions Club Scholarship, had a Steak Fry for Lion Members, had roof valleys repaired.
Little Beaver	A	47,150	58	Collected \$7.35 for Li'L Ivy Jug; sponsored Red Cross Blood Drive, held Lions Darlington Days event; donated \$100 to scout troop, Coming Events: 22 July--Family Picnic, 12 August--Steak Fry, 26 August--Blind Picnic at the Lighthouse, 30 August--Blood Drive.
Monaca Center	A		44	No report received.
Penn Glade	A	12,000	30	Basket for the PA council meeting at Cranberry Woods was discussed. Two guests attended the June 13 meeting. 40 attended the club picnic. Tractor raffle ticket sales at Wal-mart and Trader Horn planned.
Rural Valley	A		45	Presented \$500 scholarship to West Shamokin senior student; took food trailer to Dimaio's Market to celebrate Nu Mine days; ongoing broom sales, selling tickets for bear bench chain saw carving to be chanced off at Shannock Valley Festival, July 24; taking food trailer to Shannock Valley Festival and float to parade. Festival dates: July 22-24, 2010.
Monaca Center	A		44	No report received.

Club	*CI	DG Points	Members (30 June)	Activities
Ambridge	B	26,030	23	Donated \$250 to Lion Club International Foundation. Collected 65 pairs of used eyeglasses. Trying to find a new location for our Eyeglass and our cell phone collection boxes. Ordering our picnic supplies for our Annual picnic on Thursday, July 22, at The Barn at Old Economy Park, Ridge Road Extension, for the Beaver County Blind Ass'n participants.
Chippewa Area	B	4,400	29	\$1000 scholarships to Laura Miller and to Katrina Rekrut, \$1000 to Chippewa Library, \$1200 to Camp Kon-O-Kwee/ Spencer, eye glass collection (97), \$50 to McGuire Home, Lion of the Year Award to Lion Joseph Verbosky.
Evans City	B		25	No activities reported.
Ford City	B		32	No report received.
Harrisville	B	22,900	28	PDG Evan Punchard inducted our newest member and installed the officers for 2010-2011 on June 7. No meeting in July; Family Picnic in August.
Hopewell Township	B		30	No report received.
Kittanning	B	31,550	26	Donated \$109 to VOSH, PA for a surgical eye procedure. Donated \$50 for a theme basket for the PA State Convention in May 2011. Donated \$100.00 for Fire Victims Howard and Doris Harshner. Eye Glass Recycling: -79 pair collected. District Governor Punchard installed our '10 -'11 officers: King Lion Doug Brown, 1 st VP Gary Wolfe, 2 nd VP Marie Stivason, 3rd VP Ted Croyle, Secretary Dolores Croyle, Treasurer Sherrie Wolfe, Lion Tamer Mary Precious, Tail Twister Vicki Milliken, Directors John Precious, Dolores Croyle, Dave Metz, Lisa Brown, Jenny Schrecengost. Lil' Ivy Jug \$17.58.
Manor Township	B	26,650	23	Upcoming events, July 3 Ford City Heritage Days Parade, will use Lions float.
New Bethlehem	B	2,000	29	No report received.
New Brighton	B	3,100	28	No activities reported.
New Castle	B		33	No report received.
Rimersburg	B		29	Plans to install officers for 2010-2011 have been finalized. A \$50 contribution has been given to District 14-N to purchase a gift basket for the PA State Council Meeting. A fundraiser has been completed.
Rochester-Beaver	B	6,300	30	White cane day...collected \$250.50. Donated \$5,000.00 to various charities.
Volant	B		33	No report received.
Zelienople	B	25,750	27	Installed new officers, distributed 16 100% attendance pins, 70 pair of eyeglasses collected, made \$646 from last fund-raising dinner, donated \$209 to VOSH, \$250 to Leader Dogs, \$200 to Butler County Association for the Blind, and \$150 to Prosthetics Outreach, plans made for upcoming Horse Trading Days event.
Apollo Area	C		17	Broom sales are ongoing. Coupon books are being sold. Held a scavenger hunt throughout Apollo and North Apollo. Held a picnic at Owens Grove with Leechburg-Gilpin Club members and guests. Had a great time.
Baden Economy	C	28,000	16	June was a slow month but we continued to hold the monthly Bingo games at the Villa Nursing Home, collected aluminum cans for recycling, received 10 Pairs of used eyeglasses, provided transportation to the Lighthouse in New Brighton and sold brooms at various store locations. We also have an active License Plate fundraiser going while sponsoring a boy scout and brownie troops. We got together at the Candlelight for a dinner night out in the community. Worked with our Boy Scout Troop in an Eagle Scout Project.
Beaver Falls	C	22,350	22	Held an installation dinner for our new officers. Donated the following monies: \$200 Little Ivy; Beacon Lodge, \$200; LCIF, \$200; Leader Dogs, \$200; Hearing Foundation, \$200; Eye Research, \$200; Western PA Hearing Foundation, \$200; VOSH, \$200.

Club	*CI	DG Points	Members (30 June)	Activities
Clarion	C		19	Purchased two pairs of eyeglasses. Held food raffle. Hot Dog Roast for Little League team.
Ellwood City	C		20	No report received.
Freeport	C		12	No report received.
Kiski Township	C		23	Eyeglass recycling, six pairs; participated in Relay for Life - sold roast beef, hot sausage, soda, French fries and halupkis; collected \$5 in Little Ivy Jug; sold raffle tickets; donated \$300 to Cancer Society, sold nine regular brooms and two whisk brooms.
Laurel	C		19	No activities reported.
Leechburg-Gilpin	C	34,350	17	Had joint summer picnic with Apollo Lions Club. Placed ad in Butler Blind Assn. program--\$65.00. Donated \$50.00 to VOSH. Donated \$50.00 to 14-N in lieu of a basket for the State Council Fundraiser.
Mars-Seven Fields	C		12	Co-sponsored a fund raising activity for the Mars Home for Youth.
Neshannock	C		16	No report received.
New Bedford	C		17	No report received.
Riverside	C	20,100	19	Transported the visually handicapped persons to a party and a County Council Meeting held at The Lighthouse and/or The B.C.A.B. Installed a new member at our June 16, 2010 with District Governor Evan Punchard doing the installing ceremonies. Hosted our Riverside Lions Club Two 2010 Scholarship recipients at the 6-16-10 meeting along with their Mothers. The scholarship recipients were Debra Evans and Erin Oberg and they each received a \$500.00 scholarship. Four members attended a visitation at the Rochester-Beaver Club meeting on June 3, 2010. Donated \$1,000.00 for two \$500.00 scholarships recipients. Donated \$60.00 for two plaques for the two Riverside Lions Club Scholarship recipients.
Clarion	C		19	Purchased two pairs of eyeglasses. Held food raffle. Hot Dog Roast for Little League team.
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Laurel	C		19	No activities reported.

District Lions Membership Total: (under 1,250 member minimum)

Lioness Clubs

Club	*CI	DG Points	Members (23 June)	Activities
Ellwood City Lioness		25,950	17	No meetings during June, July and August. Lioness worked at hospital gift shop, helped make subs, attended board meeting of the Lawrence County Blind Association, attended a work session at the Butler County Association for the Blind, 35 Lioness and family members attended the annual picnic. PDG Don Neff installed incoming officers.
Little Beaver Lioness		17,600	34	Worked concession stand for Friday night polo games, concession stand for Darlington Days, decorated float for Darlington Days parade, nursing home bingo, and volunteer work at the Lighthouse for the Blind. Collected \$16.26 for the Ivy Jug. Prepared Lions meals for their June meetings. Upcoming activities include Lions Dinner meals for July. Work concession stand for Friday Polo games in July. Continue to help with Bingo at the nursing homes and volunteer work at the Lighthouse for the blind. Also have Lioness t help with Meals on Wheels.
Rimersburg Lioness			18	No report received.

'10-'11 District Governor's Visitation Schedule

Month	Day	Club	Month	Day	Club
July	21	Wampum	Sept. (Cont.)	13	New Brighton
	22	Worthington		14	Cranberry Township Area
	26	Rimersburg		15	New Bedford
	27	Ellwood City		16	Kittanning
August	3 (Noon)	Mars-Seven Fields		20	Zelienople
	4	Sligo		21	Evans City
	9	Knox		27	Union Township
	11	Clarion		28	Volant
	12	New Bethlehem	October	5	Rural Valley
	16	Manor Township		6	Hopewell Township
	17(Noon)	New Castle		7	Rochester-Beaver
	17	Butler		12	Ford City
	18	Neshannock		13	Riverside
	19	Hawthorn		14	Little Beaver
	23	Apollo Area		18	Harrisville
	24	Beaver Falls		19	Baden Economy
	26	Penn-Glade		21	Chippewa Area
September	1	Leechburg-Gilpin		26	Elderton
	2	Slippery Rock		28	Ambridge
	7	Freeport	December	9	Monaca-Center
	8	Kiski Township			
	9	Laurel			

Attention Club Secretaries	M&A and DG Contest Report Filing Change:	The 22nd of the Month Being Reported
Beginning with July 2010's reports, please submit them no later than the <u>22nd of the month.</u>	A new, combined M&A and DG Contest form is now available on the website (www.lionspa14n.org). Paper copies can be obtained from DG Fred. The combined form is intended to encourage secretaries to participate in the DG contest and compete with other clubs but filing only one report.	Links on the top of the form will ease filing the Membership and Activity reports with International. Please contact Betty Lou Ivell with questions (nectarine1@zoominternet.net).

Combined Membership and Activity Report and DG Contest (MADG)

Lions year July 1, 2010 to June 30, 2011

This report is designed to make it easier and quicker for secretaries to file their monthly reports with District 14-N. It may also encourage more clubs to participate in the DG Contest. The electronic version is found on the District site: www.lionspa14n.org. Hardcopies can be obtained from the District Governor. Electronic reports must be **filed by the 22nd of the current month**, paper copies must be mailed by the 20th of the current month. International's membership and activity reports must also be filed at www.lionsclubs.org. Click here to go to the member login page <https://www3.lionsclubs.org/EN/RegisterLogin/HomeLogin.aspx>. **Membership reports MUST be filed each month with International** and activity reports should also be filed monthly, but can be filed quarterly, semi-annually or annually.

Participation in the DG Contest portion is voluntary, but if a club uses these points as a set of goals for their club, it will be an outstanding club. Plaques will be awarded by the District Governor at the Passing of the Banner and will be awarded for each category: Class A – over 35 members; Class B – 24 to 35 members; Class C – under 24 members.

Membership is based on International's data as of July 1, 2010.

Secretary's Name		Club	
Email Address		Month and Year	
Total Membership (all types of members)			
If membership has not changed this month check the box to the right and skip to the DG Contest, if appropriate			
Average monthly attendance/percent of active members only			
Number of completed service activities this month			
Number of board meetings held this month			
Club meets	Weekly	Semi-Monthly	Other
List below the number of members dropped for each reason. Use only one reason for each dropped member.			
Resigned in good standing Code 1	Non-payment of dues Code 2	Non-attendance Code 3	Non-attendance, non-payment of dues – Code 4
Transferred in good standing – Code 5	Moved (dues unpaid) Code 6	Deceased Code 7	Other (please specify) Code 8
Please list all dropped member's names and the reason for the drop (see codes above)			
Name1			
Name2			
Name3			
List below each new member. Be sure he/she is in the proper category (A, B or C)			
A. New member	Sponsor's Name		
A. New member	Sponsor's Name		
A. New Member	Sponsor's Name		
A. New Member	Sponsor's Name		
B. Reinstated member			
C. Transferred member	Member's former club		
Total Members from Last Report			
Total Members dropped			
Total New Members			
Members at Month's End			

If you do not participate in the DG Contest, complete only the lines (blue highlighted) below.

Membership

Points for each new member	750 per member	Your points
Points for each new female member	500 extra per member	Your points
Points for each new family member (same household)	300 extra per member	Your points
Points for each new member who attends a District, Region or Zone meeting	200 per member	Your points
Each new member who attains a "Proud Lion" award	500 per member	Your points
Each club with a net plus two (2) as of June 30, 2011	2,000	Your points

Community Service

White Cane Days held	Dates	Amount collected
DG points for White Cane Days	300 per event	Your points
Eyeglasses recycled	Number	
DG points for eyeglass recycling	100 per month	Your points
MTI event screening	500 each event	Your points
Sponsoring a Beacon Lodge Camper	500 per camper	Your points
Sponsoring any camper to a youth or adult camp	500 per camper	Your points
Sponsoring a youth ball time or a Scout Troop, etc.	500 (one time credit)	Your points
Sponsoring the Drug Awareness or Peace Poster Contest	200 (one time credit each contest)	Your points
Student of the Month recognition	200 per student	Your points
Little Ivy Jug participation	Amount collected	
DG points for Little Ivy Jug	200 each month	Your points
Participation in community events (parade, highway pickup, etc.)	200 each event	Your points

Explanation of community events:

Extension

Sponsoring a new Lions or Branch Club	1,000 each event	Your points
Sponsoring and chartering a new Leo club	1,000 each event	Your points

Retention

Each club that appoints a Retention Chairperson	250 (one time credit)	Your points
Each club that does not drop a member, other than for death, as of June 30, 2011	1,500 (one time credit)	Your points

Leadership

Each club officer who attends the District Leadership training or completes LCI Leadership training online	500 per club officer	Your points
Each club president who receives a President's Excellence Award	500 (one time credit)	Your points
Each club secretary who receives the DG's Secretary's Award	500 (one time credit)	Your points

Orientation

Each club that appoints a club Orientation chairperson	250 (one time credit)	Your points
Each club that orients new members using the District Orientation Guide	500 each new member	Your points
Each club that has a District Committee Chairperson <u>as a program</u> for a meeting	500 each event	Your points

Awareness

Each club that holds a Friendship Night	750 each event	Your points
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Public Relations

Each club that appoints a Public Relations Chairperson	250 (one time credit)	Your points
Each club that has a brochure for public distribution. A copy must be sent to the DG and the VDGs.	500 (one time credit)	Your points
For each newspaper article that is printed and a copy is sent to the DG and the VDGs.	100 per article	Your points

Financial

100% donation to District Projects at the time of the DG's visit, but no later than December 31, 2010	1,500 (one time credit)	Your points
100% donation to District Projects by May 31, 2011	750 (one time credit)	Your points
Donations to Beacon Lodge Challenge and the 500 Club	400 each	Your points
Other charitable donations, excluding District projects, per donation. These donations must be listed below. Minimum donation - \$50.00.	200 each donation	Your points
Donation amount	To whom donated	
Donation amount	To whom donated	
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Attendance at Functions		
Each Lion who attends a Region or Zone meeting	200 per Lion	Your points
Each Lion who attends a Cabinet meeting	400 per Lion	Your points
Each Lion who attends the Passing of the Banner	400 per Lion	Your points
Each Lion who attends the Fall Rally or Spring Convention	600 per Lion	Your points
Each Lion who attends a State Council meeting or a State Convention	700 per Lion	Your points
Each Lion who attends the International Convention	800 per Lion	Your points
Each Lion who attends the USA/Canada Forum	800 per Lion	Your points
Each Lion who attends a Beacon Lodge work weekend or Lions Appreciation Day	200 per Lion	Your points
Miscellaneous		
Each club newsletter sent to the DG and the VDGs	100 each month	Your points
Each MADG report filed by the 22nd of the month	100 each month	Your points
Each District newsletter that is copied and distributed to the club members	100 points (maximum) each month	Your points
Each Melvin Jones Award given by a club	1,000 per award	Your points
Each Pennsylvania Fellow Award given by a club	500 per award	Your points
Each club that appoints a Visitation Chairperson	250 (one time credit)	Your points
Each club visitation, minimum of three (3) Lions. <u>District Committee Chairs visiting for a presentation do not count.</u>	400 each visit	Your points
Initiation of a club webpage	1,000 (one time credit)	Your points
Working with another Lions club on a project	400 each project	Your points
List what project you worked on and with whom you shared the project:		
DG Points from your last report		DG Points from this report
DG Points to Date		

<h2 style="margin: 0;">2010-2011 Cabinet Meetings</h2>	<p>Date:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 14 August (Special Election*) 6 November (Fall Rally) 19 February 9 April (Spring Convention) 	<p>Location:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Butler Blind Assoc. Camp Kon-O-Kwee “ “ “ “ “ “ “ “
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*Nomination of PID Harold Ott for the position of International 2nd VP

<h3 style="margin: 0;">PA State Council Meeting</h3>	<p>Saturday, 7 August Marriott Pittsburgh North Cranberry Township, PA</p>	<p>Excerpts from Marcia Shaull memo, MD-14 Administrator</p>
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This meeting will be held at the Marriott Pittsburgh North at Cranberry Woods, 100 Cranberry Woods Drive, Cranberry Twp., PA and will be hosted by District Governor Fred Isabella and the Lions, Lionesses and Leos of District 14-N.

Room reservations should be made directly to the hotel at 724-772-3700. The room rate is \$99 plus tax.

Reservation deadline is 15 July. (Send reservations for the Saturday night banquet to PDG Evan Punched.) The State Council-approved changes (position eliminations and downsized reporting times of committees and coordinators) will most dramatically change and downsize the August Council Meeting.

State projects and committees may submit written reports and may request to **report only if the committee has an action item or special project to present to State Council. This request must be submitted in written form and sent to the State Office no later than July 15th so it may be copied and distributed to State Council for consideration***. Please keep in mind that budgets reflect these changes in policy. [***Editor’s Note: Not a bad idea for District 14-N Cabinet meetings.**]

23rd Annual Lions Peace Poster Contest	Vision of Peace	Order Your Kits Now!
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Encourage the youth of your community to express their feelings of peace, while gaining exposure for your club. Participate in this year's Lions International Peace Poster Contest.

Start now: Purchase a 2010-11 Peace Poster Contest Kit (PPK-1), that contains all the materials needed to sponsor one contest.

Kits are sold through the Club Supplies Department 15 January- 1 October 2010, at International Headquarters. A kit must be purchased for each contest sponsored. Allow 2-3 weeks for delivery. Call 1-800-710-7822 or order online at www.lionsclub.org.

Beaver Falls Lions Club	Red Barn Players: "Honus and Me"	Tuesday, 17 August \$12/person
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The Beaver Falls Lions Club is sponsoring the Red Barn Players in "Honus and Me" on Tuesday, 17 August at the Red Barn Theater (Ellwood-Zelienople Road—Rt. 288). Curtain time is 8:00 pm. Ticket cost for the Red Barn Play is \$12/person. Call Al Dainton (724-843-0426) to order tickets.

Arrangements have been made, if you wish, for dinner at the Kaufman House in Zelienople from 5-7 pm. Show your Red Barn ticket to receive a dinner for \$10, including tax and gratuity. (Dinners include salad, non-alcoholic drink, and your choice of fish, chicken or beef.)

Clarion Lions Club	Golf Scramble Hi Level Golf Course \$60/Person	Saturday, 31 July 9 am Start
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The \$60 per person entry fee includes 18 holes of golf, cart, hot dogs, beverages, lunch and prizes. Winning places are 1st-\$300, 2nd-\$160 and 3rd-\$100. Prizes are Hole-in-One, Longest Drive, Longest Putt, Closest to the Pin. **Entry deadline is 28 July.**

For more information or to send entry:

Clarion Lions Club

PO Box 301
814-226-6748

Clarion, PA 16214
jfd1139@yahoo.com

Entry Form

Team: _____

Golfer #1: _____

Golfer #2: _____

Golfer #3: _____

Golfer #4: _____

Phone: _____; Email: _____

Evans City Lions Club	Evans City Community Night Pullman Park July 24th	Butler Blue Sox vs the Slippery Rock Sliders. Tickets—\$5/person (\$2 goes to the Lions Club!) Tickets are good for ANY Blue Sox home game. Tickets are available at EDCO Park in Evans City or call or e-mail Lion John Rodgers: jroge288@yahoo.com ; 724-841-5354.
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Make Diabetes Awareness a Club Initiative This Year!

Once again we have entered a new planning year for our district and each of the 42 clubs within District 14-N. And once again, I have volunteered to be the District’s Diabetes Awareness Chairperson. With that in mind, I wanted to call on each club to consider making diabetes awareness one of your project initiatives this year. As you plan for your year, do not exclude the truth that diabetes is a leading cause of blindness among adults and that we as LIONS should be obligated to delivering this dual message to our communities.

Please be reminded that November is “Diabetes Awareness Month” and November 14 is “World Diabetes Day”. In your club planning for the year, it is appropriate to select a diabetes chair and committee as soon as possible and establish the diabetes goals and agenda that your club would like to accomplish. Time flies by quickly and there is no time like the present to get the ball rolling.

As I have been in previous years, I continue to be available to you to help in any way I can. If you haven’t I urge you to take the diabetes quiz we have put on our district website. Feel comfortable reaching me at the following address with your questions, concerns, assistance:

Don Gibala, Dr.P.H
Chairperson, Diabetes Awareness-District 14-N
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Please welcome our new members! June 2010

<u>Club</u>	<u>Member</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
Worthington	Caleb M. Dodd	Robert Shearer
	Matt A. Minter	Robert Shearer

Congratulations to the winners of our May Calendar Raffle

May	Winner	City	\$\$\$	May	Winner	City	\$\$\$
1	Caleb Zablocki	Ford City	\$100	17	Andy Bach	Aliquippa	\$100
2	Richard Ensvoe	New Castle	\$100	18	R. M Damico	Apollo	\$100
3	Chet Whelpley	Beaver Falls	\$100	19	Rural Valley Lions	Rural Valley	\$100
4	Mike Graham	Rimersburg	\$100	20	New Brighton Lions	New Brighton	\$100
5	Neshannock Lions	New Castle	\$100	21	Marcie Cox	New Castle	\$200
6	Michael Hoga	Ft. Belvoir, VA	\$100	22	Tim Roscoe	Cranberry	\$100
7	Rine Deraine	Aliquippa	\$100	23	Beaver Falls Lions	Beaver Falls	\$100
8	Tom Ishaman	Rural Valley	\$100	24	Russell Seech	Aliquippa	\$100
9	Joe Thornburg	New Castle	\$100	25	Jason Plakosh	Monaca	\$100
10	Carrie Forsythe	Darlington	\$100	26	John Horvatic	Beaver	\$100
11	Terry Hissem	Portersville	\$100	27	Hugh McDonald	Chippewa	\$200
12	Jeff Mantini	Manorville	\$100	28	Lon Hogue	New Brighton	\$200
13	Jeffrey Hirshka	Apollo	\$100	29	Lee Ann Herron	New Brighton	\$200
14	Wampum Lions	Wampum	\$100	30	Julia Cisco	Ellwood City	\$200
15	Jason Plakosh	Monaca	\$100	31	John Mason	Knox	\$800
16	Butler Lions	Butler	\$100				

Please Update Your District Directory

PDG Anna Marie Larkin	Contact Changes	135 Fern Hollow Road, Apt. # 1402 Moon Twp, PA 15108 (H): 412-329-7242; (C): 724-312-2391
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PDG Anna Marie is now a member of the Hopewell Township Lions Club.



Editors' Notes: If you have a notice to be included in the newsletter, please submit it by the Wednesday the week before the end of the month (for example, **21 July** for a notice to appear in our August issue). We will use a "First Come" basis for available space. Thanks for your understanding and cooperation! And, if you have any corrections or suggestions for the improvement of the newsletter, please contact us: Mark Carter, 1209 SR 168, Darlington, PA 16115; mtc8008@hotmail.com; 724.846.4413 or Betty Lou Ivell, 2142 Clintonville Rd., Harrisville, PA 16038; 814.786.7215; nectarine1@zoominternet.net.

FYI: Our site website address is www.lionspa14n.org.