

OH 1 DISTRICT NEWS

GOVERNOR DAVE STOCKUM



Greetings OH1,

On June 28th, I was officially deribbioned as OH1's District Governor at the Lions Clubs International Convention in Montreal, Canada. In a ceremony with over 700 other incoming District Governors from 190+ nations, a representative from each governor's district removed the ribbon we wore on our governor's badge during our final training sessions in Montreal. First Vice District Governor Deb Crawford removed mine, and what has been temporary since DG Rebecca's health issues arose became official. The convention was especially thrilling because Ohio Lion PCC Ron Keller from the Millersport Lions Club was elected to the International Board of Directors, joining Ohio's surviving Past International Directors Steve Sherer, Steve Thornton, and our own Jerry Smith as active members of the Lions International Family.

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One initial request I am making is to have all our clubs represented by your President, Secretary, and any other members wishing to attend at one of our regional meetings this Fall. The dates and locations of these meetings are being set at this time and will be announced in the Website and the August newsletter when they are confirmed. We have not done a good job of training our club officers the past few years and really need to get together early this Lions year and get ourselves on the same page in respect to I am looking forward to visiting all our clubs via a meeting, a project, or any other gathering where Lions congregate. Check out the newsletter, the Website, or look for us on Facebook (we added a Facebook Coordinator to the Cabinet) and stay current on what's happening in OH1. Go to the website and see our entire leadership team. They are a great bunch and will ensure we have a great year!

Respectfully submitted,

DG Dave Stockum

Thoughts from 2VDG Lion Deb



Welcome to a new Lions Year!

There are new Lion faces in clubs and as district officers. Thank you to those who have answered the call to serve. New talents and thoughts are a gift to help existing clubs grow. A single person can plant a tree, but many people can plant a forest. We can continue to serve many others by working together.

In addition to attending our club meetings and activities, why not add something new? There will be plenty of opportunities for Lions to attend a new event. These include: Zone, Regional, and Cabinet meetings, Northwest Ohio Lions Eye Care Foundation meetings, USA/Canada Leadership Forum, Winter Retreat, District, State, and International Conventions. Be sure to read the newsletter each month for updates and further information concerning upcoming events.

Roar On, Lions of OH 1! Remember to serve with kindness, think outside the box, and respect those serving with us. Best wishes as we continue to serve our communities, district, state, and world.



This is our first newsletter for the Lion year 2022-2023. As editor, I would like to thank all of those who responded with news and information for this letter. Now read...read...read!

CLUBS CORNER

The Archbold Lions Club had two activities in June to work with the community. First, we hosted the Archbold PD and FD members for a steak fry. Members of the police and fire department join us as everyone fixes their own rib-eye and the Lions pay the bill.

Second, we manned the various areas for the Route 66 concert. Over 40 members, spouses and special friends took tickets, sold products and provided security. Thanks to all those that helped.

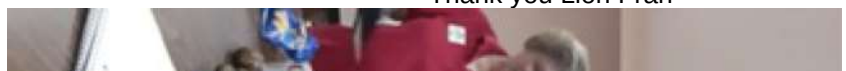
This article was submitted by Lion John Poulson, the first article I received!

Portage Lions are holding the annual 4th of July Parade. It starts at 11 am on July 4. The parade starts north of the village and will be ending at Christ UMC this year due to the road construction on Route 25. Following the parade are a car show, live music, children's activities, a free food, and a bake sale. Thank you Lion Ann Deutschman

North Baltimore Lions: 2nd Vice District Governor Sue Davis installed the 2022-2023 officers of North Baltimore Lions Club. Pictured is Lion Sue installing President Lion Ryan Delaney.



Thank you Lion Fran



2nd VDG Susan Davis

I have been a... different capacities.... classrooms of learners, lead... teachers who prepared them... both which is far different to... group of volunteer coaches... director. I am also a chair... of the Rotary Golden Apple Academy. I served as president and helped develop their mission statement and constitution and by-laws. That has helped prepare me for this adventure. Yes adventure!



But, you again are different-unique. You are responsible for the ongoing success of this district. You have been building it for years through hard work as officers, district, state and international leaders, with the projects and services you provide.

I want you to be comfortable with me as your 2ndVDG. To assure that, I need to keep open lines of communication, be open-minded, and humble. I need to remember that you are my greatest resources for a successful district!

I try to be authentic-what you see is what you get. Above all, everything must be done with positivity.

I was a charter member of the Findlay Lioness Club as well as its president. Being by John's side, and often in the shadows, have given me an opportunity to listen and learn.

"Together We Can" make this a great Lions year!

Bluffton Lions Festival of Wheels

190 cars, along with tractors and motorcycles were present for the Lion's Festival of Wheels. An excellent day enticed the participation of many visitors, making this car show a great success.

Thank you Lion Barbara Plaughter



Ladies this is not your grandmother's bingo night! Sponsored by the Sylvania Lions Club and Sight Center NWO

Enjoy a night out with your friends while playing for fabulous purses by designer brands you love such as Kate Spade, Dooney and Bourke, Coach, Michael Kors and more. There will also be raffle prizes, a 50/50 raffle and the opportunity to play in a coverall game for a top-of-the-line designer bag. Enjoy an evening together outside (weather permitting)... it is like tailgating or in your car with a chance to win a designer purse! **New this year...** prize for the best set up at your vehicle!

The cost is \$40 per person which covers 16 bingo games and 3 chances for intermission coverall bingo. 4 people per car. Bring your own food and/or the concession stand will be open.

For more information and registration go to www.SightCenterNWO.org/Events or contact Carol at carolcollins125@yahoo.com or Tim at info@sightcenternwo.org.

Thank you Lion Deb Chany for sharing at the request of Lion Carol Collins

DRIVE-IN Designer Purse BINGO!

Thursday Sept. 15, 2022

Sundance Mid Drive-In
4500 N. Dixie - Dayton, Ohio
Doors open at 4:45 pm
Bingo begins at 6:00 pm sharp

Admission Donation
\$40.00 per person
\$40.00 Night of Event fee only includes:
• Book of 16 Games of Bingo
• The chance of winning a fabulous Designer Purse
• One free 50/50 raffle
• 3 Chances for Intermission Coverall Bingo
• Free Dealer
• 10 Board Game prizes
• Cash or Credit Card
Concession Stand will be open

Pictures of purses & raffle baskets along with rules will be given to each car at the event!

Additional books of 16 games of Bingo can be purchased for \$5.00
Additional Intermission Coverall Bingo for a beautiful designer purse-\$5.00 for 3 cards.
Also 50/50 Raffle & 100 Baskets in Win
NWO Get Creative - Prize for best setup at your vehicle

Purchase tickets online at www.SightCenterToledo.org/Events
Don't wait, tickets are limited! Brought to you by:
Sight Center NWO
Sylvania Lions Club Inc.

Social distancing in the comfort of your own vehicle.
(Please 4 people per vehicle)



The 3 \$100 in gift cards for Kentucky tornado disaster victims was sent as a donation from the Ohio Lions Youth Committee.

Coldwater - Activities included the Annual Pumpkin Painting in October, Annual Coloring for Homecoming in October, and Project Linus blankets for the area hospital, a late year project.

Columbus Grove -Activities included Valentine's Day cards or shut-ins and nursing home residents and the collection and donation of "a car full of items" for Kentucky disaster victims. In addition, Columbus Grove Leo Madison Zimmerly was awarded the Ohio Lions Leo Scholarship for 2022.

McComb - This club chartered on May 16, 2022, and has already participated in an "Over 80s" service project with the McComb Lions Club.

The Wauseon Lions Club awarded 3 Dick Bryan awards to well deserving Lions within our Club. From left to right in the picture is Lion Carol Edgings, Lion Allen Huelskamp and Lion Dan Burnette. Thank you Lion Sheryl Burnette



IN THE ZONE

OH1 has eight zones. They have been grouped into the following three regions: *Region 1*, Zones 1,2,3, Chair John Cordes; *Region 2*, Chair Deb Crawford, Zones 4,5,6; and *Region 3*, Chair Darlene Roll, Zones 7 and 8. Each region Chair is meeting with their region's zone chairs to go over their responsibilities. The first regular zone meeting will be a regional meeting with all clubs in the region. Presidents and Secretaries are encouraged to be there along with any interested member of their respective clubs. Stay tuned for exciting projects and activities. **Region 2 Information** There will be a meeting for Lion clubs in zones 4, 5, and 6 Region 2 on August 30th. A formal invitation will be sent and more information about the Regional meeting will be in the August newsletter.

COMPLIANCE

A word from our compliance officer:

The new Lions year begins now so it is time to submit your 3 compliance forms: IRS 990, Ohio Attorney Generals charitable registration and the Commerce Dept. unclaimed funds. These can all be completed online. The time to do this is NOW!

Lion's Passing

I am writing to inform you of the passing of former Lion Ron Thomas. Ron was an active member and past local president before he moved to Florida in the 1980s. He passed away on January 4th of this year.

There will be an informal memorial service for Ron on Saturday, July 30 from 9:00 am to 11:00 am at the Waterfall Pavilion at Riverside Park. There will be coffee and doughnuts. Ron's widow and children will be there to share stories and memories.

Even though Ron left Findlay many years ago, I am hoping that there may be some older members who will remember Ron. It would mean the world to the family if you would join us for this celebration of Ron's life.



MY LION

Just hanging out? Tell us what you are doing!

Remember to report your club activities to My Lion monthly. Our goal is 100% reporting. ROAR

REMINDER : All articles are due on August

25 to susanrdavis@ma.com



USA/Canadian Leadership Forum

Travel to Calgary, Alberta. Canada

Registration before July 31 is \$320 and after July 31 is \$345.

For more information: 2022lionsleadershipforum.com



OHIO LIONS WINTER RETREAT'

Baby it's cold outside....



Remember the old song? Well think snow, wind, ice and a whole TON OF FUN on January 13, 14, 15, 2023

Deer Creek State Park Resort

Mt. Sterling, Ohio

Trivia Time

Do you know...

Who was the last District Governor of 13 A and who was the first District Governor of OH 1? (hint: mother and son)

DISTRICT OH1 LIONS LEADERSHIP

District OH1 Cabinet 2022-23

District Offices

Governor – PDG Dave Stockum

First Vice District Governor – Lion Deb Crawford

Second Vice District Governor – Lion Susan Davis

Cabinet Secretary – PDG Sheryl Burnette

Cabinet Treasurer – PDG John Davis

District Administrator – PDG Bill Keller

District Chaplain – PDG Dan Ritter

District Convention Chairs – FVDG Deb Crawford, SVDG Sue Davis, Lion Jessica Reichley

District Directory – PDG Nick Schmunk

District Newsletter – SVDG Sue Davis

District Website – Lion Rick Carder

District Facebook Page – Lion Jessica Reichley

District Historian – PDG Bill Keller

District Tail Twister – Lion Katie Buckingham

District Awards Chair – Lion Tim Schrumm

District A/V Chair – PDG Dan Ritter

District Pin Chair – Lion Leon Grace

District Cubs Chair – Lion Jessica Reichley

District STEPS Chair – Lion Jessica Reichley

District USA/Canada Forum Chair – FVDG Deb Crawford

State and Foundation Committees

State Building Trustees Committee – PID Jerry Smith

State Compliance Committee – PDG John Davis

State Constitution/Bylaws Committee – Lion Ann Deutschman

State Finance/Planning Committee – PDG Dean Carruthers

State International Convention Committee – FVDG Deb Crawford

State International Relations Committee – Chairman PDG Don Wiechart

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