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Thoughts from *District Governor Sam Longbook*

Fellow Lions

As many of you know I had extensive back surgery on Feb 13th. I expect to have a full recovery, but it will take time. I would like to thank the many Lions who have called, sent cards, and dropped off food at our home. It is appreciated more than I can say.

Prior to my surgery I made visitations to the Atkinson Lions, Nashua Everest Lions, Epping Lions and had the pleasure of inducting 3 new members to the Hampton Area Lions Club.

We need to continue to increase and improve our membership. With only a few months left in the year, please remember to work on the retention of current members.

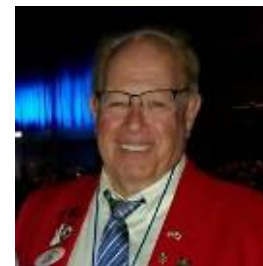
The very good news is that we chartered the newest club in 44H. The Newmarket Centennial Lions Club has 25 members. Congratulations to all and welcome.

See you all at the cabinet meeting on March 4th.

“Service” is such an important part of being a Lion so we will dedicate a portion of this cabinet meeting to a service project. We hope to pack 10,000 meals to be distributed to the needy in your communities.

Hope to see all and remember “many hands make light work”

D.G. Sam Longbook

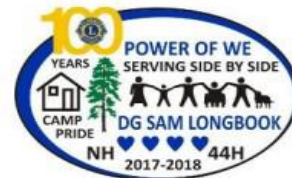


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Travels with the DG

March 2018

Mar. 4 District 44H Cabinet Mtg.
Mar. 7 N. Conway Area Lions
Mar. 8 Laconia/Gilford Lions
Mar. 11 District 44N Cabinet Mtg.
Mar. 12 Hudson Lions
Mar. 15 Wakefield Lions
Mar. 19 Moultonborough
Mar. 21 Windham Lions
Mar. 22 Plaistow Lions
Mar. 26 Somersworth Lions
Mar. 27 MD Health Service Mtg.
Mar. 29 PDG Meeting

Events Calendar

March

- 3/14 Camp Pride Meeting 6:30pm,
Location Auburn Tavern Exit 2
off Rt. 101, in Auburn NH
- 3/08 Lions Youth Services Mtg, 6:00pm
Location: Hannaford in Bedford
- 3/15 LSHF Meeting, 6:30pm
Blake's 353 S Main St. Manchester
- 3/27 Health Services BoardMtg, 6:30pm
Location Hannaford, 7 Kilton Rd.
Bedford, NH
- 3/28 Twin State Soccer Assoc 7:00pm
Luis Luis in West Lebanon
(Powerhouse Mall)

April

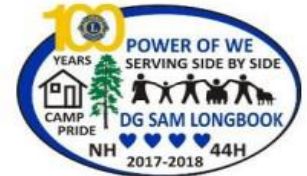
- 4/11 Camp Pride Meeting 6:30pm,
Location Auburn Tavern Exit 2
off Rt. 101, in Auburn NH
- 4/12 Lions Youth Services Mtg, 6:00pm
Location: Hannaford in Bedford
- 4/19 LSHF Meeting, 6:30pm
Blake's 353 S Main St. Manchester
- 4/24 Health Services BoardMtg, 6:30pm
Location Hannaford, 7 Kilton Rd.
Bedford, NH
- 4/25 Twin State Soccer Assoc 7:00pm
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Thoughts from First Vice District Governor *Jerry Vaccaro*

Some of our District Lion clubs need help!!!

Last month I wrote about our Multiple District Programs needing help but we have Lion Clubs in our District also needing help too! So let's work together to help these clubs. I have a few ideas that I will share but you may have better ones.

Please contact your zone chair and simply ask what club in your Zone needs help.

Once you know please contact their club president. Invite their club to your club for a visit. Prior to this visit maybe discuss how your club can help them promote their club projects and fund raisers. How to get new members and retain them. How to improve their communication skill with their fellow club members and possibly suggest “new thoughts” for their club leadership.

Yes, the District leadership is always there to help. Yes, there are Certified Guiding Lions helping but not all clubs needing help have a Certified Guiding Lion. So, please start helping your fellow Lions Club in your Zone, if needed. Make this a “new” club project.

Hopefully, WE, working together can make our District Stronger in Membership, Leadership and in Community Service.

Again thank you for what you do as Lion,

Jerry



Thoughts from Second Vice District Governor *Steve Middlemiss*

What a great turnout for the Newmarket Area Centennial Club on the 17th. It was an honor to install the Charter officers of our newest club on behalf of DG Sam. The District was well represented by all of the clubs who came out to show their support. I'm sure they appreciate each and every one of you. The members are fired up and ready to help their community.

As we continue to move forward through the second half of our Lionistic year, I hope that clubs have begun reviewing their membership for potential officers to lead them into the next year. Look at those who have been important in helping with your fundraising and service projects. These are two areas where great leaders can come from. They have already proven themselves with their efforts. Time is growing short as we need to send this list to International soon so please begin this effort.

Let's continue to help DG Sam by committing even further to add to our membership. Look to include friends, family and co-workers in helping your club with upcoming service projects. Showing them how we serve our communities is a great way to attract them to our cause.

Does your club have a web site and Facebook page? Is it up to date? If a potential member were to Google your club, could they find you and with up to date information? So many of us rely on social media today to communicate and find things we are interested in, and we as clubs need to use it to inform and attract new members. Lion Jay DeRoche and I have been working together to help clubs start their own e-Clubhouse website by holding a training session on February 19th. We wish to thank the clubs who were able to attend and hope this session was helpful. We are looking into scheduling another event before year end and I will be reaching out to clubs to offer a chance to join us.

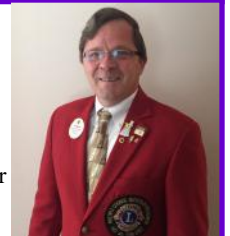
Thank you Clubs for all your efforts to help those in your communities. You are what makes it Great to be a Lion!!

Please don't hesitate to contact me with any questions you might have. To get in touch with me my cell phone is 603-566-7616 and email is cstmiddlemiss@gmail.com.

Don't forget to JUST ASK!

Yours in Lionism

SVDG Steve Middlemiss



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Thoughts from

Cabinet Secretary-Treasurer *Paul Gilberti*



Thoughts from

Multiple Council Chair *Christine Greenwood*

Hello Fellow Lions !

Spring is around the corner.... Hope to see many Lions “springing” to attend the District Cabinet meetings in each District! Both meetings will be sure to add a spring to your step – from a motivational speaker to a dynamic service project.

The leadership teams have been working hard to help the clubs in each District with training, mentorship, membership and having FUN.

Hope to see many Lions at the cabinet meetings – remember, ask a new Lion in your club to join you ! Help make the difference not only in your community but with a new member !

In Lionism

CC Christine

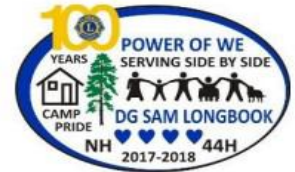


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Thoughts from Global Membership Team Leader *Al Goldstein*



Well membership is starting to move in a positive direction. What a big help we are getting from the new Newmarket Lions. [The club chartered with 23 and at their first meeting 5 more folks joined.](#) This is wonderful. The other night at a zone 5 meeting we had a pretty good round table discussion and yes the topic was membership and leadership. This is a smaller zone with 4 clubs. The good news was 2 of the 4 reported they are bringing in new members. One of the clubs reported they sponsor the Boy Scouts in their town and are excited to report the scouts newest Eagle scout is joining the Lions and will be the Boy Scout liaison. What a win win and great job of thinking outside the box to recruit a new member.

The 28 new Lions from the Newmarket Area club is a great example of people being out there just waiting to be asked to join. I tell people at all of the meetings I go to if you don't ask you will never get. If your club has 12 members and are doing a good job servicing the community think about how much more you could do with 15.

Just ask! People are waiting to join our clubs.

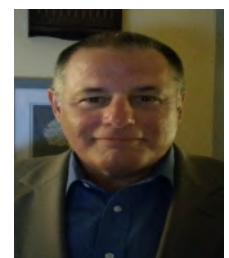
Keep up the good work

Leaders plus service equals members

GMt/IPDG Al

Thoughts from

Global Leadership Team Leader *Dick Lemieux*



Club elections are just around the corner. You might have members who are not sure if they want to jump in and get more involved in the club. Maybe they need a little more “seasoning”. This is where a mentor could close that gap.

The classic definition of a mentor is a trusted advisor, guide and role model. The mentee, sometimes called a protégé, is a person

Who seeks to learn and grow with the guidance of a more experienced or knowledgeable lion.

Characteristics of an effective lion mentor:

- Is willing to share valuable club knowledge and experience
- Is dedicated and enthusiastic about lions clubs and its mission
- Communicates effectively
- Is a respected and ethical leader and role model
- Holds the mentee accountable for their actions and decisions
- Is flexible and creative

As club President or Vice President, you are looking for that new and upcoming replacement—that person who will lead the club in the future. You can mentor that person or have someone who has those characteristics to do it.

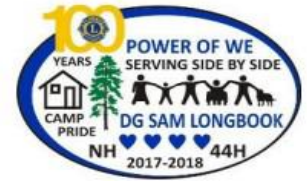
Some people think they might want to step up and not sure about how to go about it. Don't throw them into it, mentor that individual and coach them into broadening their responsibilities as future club leaders.

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Thoughts from
Global Service Team Leader Marie Hall
Service Impact



One of the objectives of LCI, as Lions move forward from the Centennial, is to improve our service impact right down to the club level. What this means is looking at our club activities and measuring the impact it has on our communities. Does writing a check have as much impact as hands-on service? Does giving a scholarship impact as many people as a food drive? [Our Cabinet meeting on March 4 will be a great example of Lions coming together to make an impact by feeding the hungry in our District.](#)

The Exeter Lions Club has agreed to work with me in testing a new community needs assessment tool from the GST center at LCI. They are one of only 45 clubs invited to participate in this research. I believe the final tool will be available by convention in Las Vegas.

March 15 is Diabetes Alert Day. [On March 21st I will be traveling to Washington DC to again serve as a NH advocate at the American Diabetes Association Call to Congress.](#) I will proudly wear my Lions red jacket and I want to hear your stories of how diabetes has impacted your life. Email me at mariehall326@gmail.com.

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**District 44-H Cabinet Meeting
Crown Plaza, Nashua, NH**



March 4th, 2018

\$19.00

Join us for breakfast

Scrambled Eggs

Buttermilk Pancakes

Bacon

Home Fries

Sliced Fruit

Breakfast Pastries

Coffee/ Tea/ Orange Juice Station

8:10 am – 8:55 am Registration and Social

8:55 am Call to Order

9:10 am – 9:40 am Breakfast

This meeting will adjourn by 11:30 am in order to start the Meal Packaging Project.

Name(s): _____

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

Please mail checks to: CST Paul Gilberti
42 Island Pond Road, Atkinson, NH 03811

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

**Make checks out to: Lions District 44-H
No Later Than February 26, 2018**

Please help the committee by making your reservations early.

District 44H Hunger Service Project

Let's provide meals for the hungry

in your Communities



Be a special Lion, join the District in doing a meal packaging service project to package 10,000 meals to be distributed to food pantries in our district.

The March 4th Cabinet meeting at the Crown Plaza Hotel in Nashua will be cut short to provide sufficient time to package 10,000 meals. With 60 to 80 Lions, we will be able to complete the packaging in an hour. You will walk away with a great feeling of accomplishment and satisfaction serving by providing meal to your fellowman.

We have arranged a company to set up and provide all necessary suppliers to complete packaging of 10,000 meals.



Questions contact: IPDG Al Goldstein or DG Sam for info.

Request for District 44-H Spring Convention

Hi Everyone,

As in the past few years we would once again
like to hold a Friday Night raffle.

We could use your help with baskets, gift certificates or any
item you may wish to donate as All Would Be Appreciated.

You can bring the item with you on Friday evening.

I will have cards available for you to write the item and name of donor
on it. The raffle table will be set up in the back of the banquet hall on
Friday.

Any questions please contact me

603-321-0737 Cell phone

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Thank you so much for all you do.

PCC Celeste Ricupero.

Spring Convention Chairperson

MENU FOR DISTRICT 44-H SPRING CONVENTION

MAY 4, 2018 – FRIDAY EVENING BANQUET DINNER

ITALIAN BUFFET

Antipasto platter, including salami, capicola and mortadella, assorted cheeses, olives, roasted peppers
Artichoke hearts, pepperoncini and tuna, minestrone soup, focaccia bread, tomato and mozzarella salad,
with basil and balsamic vinaigrette, cheese tortellini alfredo, penne marinara, chicken parmigiana,
Display of assorted Italian pastries
Assorted sodas and waters

MAY 5, 2018 - SATURDAY EVENING SIT DOWN BANQUET

New England Clam Chowder

Garden salad with assorted dressing

Prime Rib of Beef Au Jus with horseradish cream sauce

Grilled Marinated Vegetables over cous cous (for vegetarians)

Baked Boston Haddock with Seasoned bread crumbs, and fresh Lemon Beurre Blanc

DESSERT

Chocolate Layer Cake



44th ANNUAL DISTRICT 44-H SPRING CONVENTION
NORTH CONWAY GRAND HOTEL
72 COMMON COURT, NORTH CONWAY, NH
MAY 04- 06, 2018

International Guests: International Dir. Connie LeCleur-Meyer and Lion Michael from Wisconsin

Lion #1 _____ Club _____ Plan _____ Meal: Fri _____ Sat _____

Lion #2/guest _____ Club _____ Plan _____ Meal: Fri _____ Sat _____

Home Tel. # _____ e:mail _____

*** Convention fee included in all meal packages***

| Plan | Meals and Registration | # of persons | total cost |
|------|---|--------------|------------|
| A | Fri. banquet & entertainment. Sat. night banquet & hors d'oeuvres | @ | \$ 70.00 |
| B | Friday banquet & entertainment | @ | \$ 32.00 |
| C | Sat. night banquet & hors d'oeuvres | @ | \$ 38.00 |
| D | Convention fee (meetings only - no meals) | @ | \$ 5.00 |
| E | Friday Night Entertainment only (no meals) | @ | \$ 5.00 |

Total Amount Due \$ _____

Please make meal choices :

- Friday: Italian Buffet # _____
- Saturday: Baked Boston Haddock # _____
- Prime Rib of Beef Au jus # _____
- Grilled Marinated veggies over Cous Cous # _____

Saturday and Sunday Breakfast and Saturday lunch will be on your own. There is a restaurant at the hotel.

Please note any special dietary needs _____

Deadline for meal reservations is April 15, 2018.

Hotel Reservation: Lions Convention Room rate: single or double \$89.00/night plus tax (Must be 2 Nights)
One Night Stay \$ 129.00/night plus tax

Call the Grand Hotel @ 1-800-655-1452 and identify yourself as part of the group of NH Lions Convention 44-H
All reservations must be made by Friday, April 13th for the special rate. You will pay the hotel direct for your room.

Make checks for banquets payable to: **Lions District 44-H Convention Fund**

Send check for meals and registrations to: **PCC Celeste Ricupero**
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44TH ANNUAL LIONS 44-H CONVENTION
NORTH CONWAY GRAND HOTEL
NORTH CONWAY, NH
MAY 04 -06, 2018
WEEKEND SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, MAY 4

3:00-6:00 PM REGISTRATION
3:00-5:00 PM HOSPITALITY ROOM OPEN HOSTED BY THE EXETER CLUB
6:00-7:00 PM COCKTAILS- CASH BAR
7:00 PM DINNER & ENTERTAINMENT
9:00 PM HOSPITALITY ROOM OPEN

SATURDAY, MAY 5

8:00-9:00 AM REGISTRATION
9:10-9:40 AM MEMORIAL SERVICE
9:50-12:00 PM CABINET MEETING
AWARDS AND ELECTIONS
12:00 NOON LUNCH ON YOUR OWN
3:00-5:00 HOSPITALITY ROOM OPENS HOSTED BY THE EXETER CLUB
4:00 PM DGE RECEPTION WILL BE HELD IN
THE HOSPITALITY ROOM (WITH THANKS TO THE EXETER CLUB)
HOSTED BY THE HUDSON LIONS CLUB
EVERYONE WELCOME
5:30-6:15 PM DISTRICT GOVERNORS RECEPTION
6:30 PM DISTRICT GOVERNORS BANQUET
10:00 PM HOSPITALITY ROOM OPENS

SUNDAY MAY 6

11:00 AM CHECK OUT

NH Lions Forum

Saturday April 14, 2018
Delta Dental Conference Center

2 Delta Drive, Concord, NH

8:00 AM to 1:00 PM

8 - 8:30 Registration Coffee & Pastries

Opening 8:30-8:45

| time | Vermont Room | Maine Room | New Hampshire Room | Merrimack Room |
|--|---|--|---|---|
| 9:00 - 9:30 | Secretary Class | President Class/ Protocol | PR & Social Media Beginner Class | Treasurer Class |
| 9:30 - 10:00 | | 1st VDG Jerry Vaccaro 1st VDG Fred Plett PCC Ellie Johnson | Lion Tom Reynolds | CT John Wynne |
| 10:00 - 10:30 | | Public Speaking/ Interesting Meetings | GST Team Who, What, Why | Sight & Hearing How to apply/qualify |
| 10:30 - 11:00 | 2nd VDG Sue Lindberg Lion Marilyn Vaccaro | Lion Joe Kasper | Lion Marie Hall Lion Bob Hansen II | PCC Ray Hill PCC Jim Robinson |
| 11:00 - 11:15 | BREAK | | | |
| 11:15 - 11:45 | How to Recruit New | Lions Orientation DG Eric Lindberg PDG Toni Olden | PR & Social Media Intermediate Class | HSB Training - OKS Screeners |
| 11:45 - 12:15 | Lions IPDG Al Goldstein | PID/PDG Round Table Discussion | Lion Tom Reynolds | Lion Bob LaFerriere Lion Christine Day |
| 12:15 - 12:45 | Tail Twisting 2nd VDG Sue Lindberg | All PIDs, PCCs, PDGs Available | How to Enhance Service Project with Social Media 2nd VDG (RI) Michael Hawes | Running Large Fundraisers PCC Mike Baillargeon ZC Joe Sirois |
| 12:45 - 1:00 | CLOSE | | | |
| 1:00 - 2:00 Bonus Class | Special Guest Speaker: PDG Paul Baker, LCI Lions Personality - How to effectively put together boards and committees | | | |
| Please list class sessions for each attendee so Presenter/Facilitator can be prepared with enough printed materials and have enough seats set up | | | | |
| | | | | |
| Name | | | | Class |
| Email | | | | Class |
| Phone # | | | | Class |
| Lions Club | | | | Class |

Earlybird Deadline: register before March 31 cost is \$5/person

After March 31, Registration cost will be \$10.00

Make check payable to: NHAPPDG (New Hampshire of Past & Present District Governors)

Mail to: PDG Bill Brown, 30 Gertrude Rd., Windham, NH 03087

HAMPSTEAD LIONS CLUB

Cordially invites you to our

Homecoming Banquet for DG Sam Longbook

DATE

Sunday, April 15th, 2018 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm

DINNER BUFFET

Salad, Vegetable Medley, Red Bliss Potatoes, Roast Turkey Breast, Maple Dijon Glazed Pork, Sirloin with Merlot Sauce, Brownie Sundae Station

COST

\$38 per person

WHERE

Castleton, Windham, NH

HOW

Please R.S.V.P. by April 1st to:

CST Paul Gilberti

Number of Guests: _____ X \$38 = \$ _____

42 Island Pond Road

Atkinson, NH 03811



- SAVE THE DATE -

New England Lions Council Spring Weekend

At the Doubletree by Hilton, Windsor Locks, CT

Celebrating Lions Appreciation Day at Fidelco, Bloomfield, CT

Friday, May 18 to Sunday, May 20

Friday, May 18

- 5:00 to 7:00 pm Registration check-in at Double Tree (Room rate, \$119/day)
10016 Ella T Grasso Turnpike, Windsor Locks, Ct
- 7:00 to 9:00 pm Welcoming Reception (cash bar) hot and cold appetizers

Saturday, May 19

- Breakfast on your own Will supply names of eateries in the area
- 10:00 am to 3:00 pm Lions Open House at Fidelco
Join to see puppy raising demonstrations
- Meeting at noon Presentation by Fidelco CEO
Lions Clubs to present support checks
- 3:00 to 3:45 Seminar At Doubletree, LCIF History in New England - Lion Frank Rowe
- 4:00 to 4:45 Seminar NELC Webpage Introduction - Lion Mike Haws
- 6:00 to 10:00 pm 6:00 - Purchase dinner at Skyline if desired
8:00 - Comedy Show at the Skyline Restaurant (\$20)
Proceeds to benefit LCIF
Raffle

Sunday, May 20

- 8:30 to 10:00 Breakfast at Doubletree - Keynote Speaker, Lion Mark Lyon ID candidate
Details will be in Registration Form
- 10:00 to 11:30 NELC Meeting
District Governor's to present Reports
- 11:30 End of Weekend

Notes:

- Distance from Doubletree to Fidelco is 5 miles, 11 minutes
Distance from Doubletree to Skyline Restaurant, on same road
Registration form with phone numbers, details to come in April

Lions Camp Pride NEWS ... We Serve

Lions District 44-H Service to Mankind, Inc. Established 1989



Representing the Plaistow Fish and Game Club, Bill McNulty and Bob Chooljian presented a \$5,000 donation to Lions Camp Pride President Peter LaPointe, and Vice President Lenny Hall, for a new Archery Range to be built at Lions Camp Pride.

Summer Help needed, we have 2 maintenance positions and several kitchen staff openings, please contact us with any interest. These jobs are open May- August depending upon position.

Spring schedule work days are all Saturdays we are looking for volunteers for any of these or all of these dates [if your club has a different date in mind just let us know]

May 12

May 19

June 9

June 16

June 23

Team work is the key to our current and future successes.

Thank you for caring about our camp! *Peter*

Peter LaPointe, President Lions Camp Pride hampstead.lions@gmail.com. 978-479-0454 cell

Camp Pride Board of Directors meets the 2nd Wednesday of each month,

Social 6pm meeting @7:00pm, at the Auburn Tavern, Auburn NH.



Prevent Blindness, Saving Sight for Millions of People Around the World

Since Lions Clubs International was founded in 1917, Lions have worked on projects designed to prevent blindness, restore eyesight and improve [eye health](#) and eye care for hundreds of millions of people worldwide. Indeed, sight is one of Lions defining causes. Through professional training, healthcare system development and wide spread drug treatment distribution, Lions have gained worldwide recognition for their work to improve sight and prevent blindness. Lions around the world are also actively involved in:

- Recycling eyeglasses at 18 Centers Worldwide
- Supporting Lions Eye Banks that provide eye tissue for sight-saving surgeries.
- Screening the vision of hundreds of thousands of people every year.
- Preventing blindness by providing treatment to those at risk of losing their vision.

Recreational Camps

Lions proudly support recreational camps that are customized to meet the special needs of children and adults who are blind or who have severe vision loss. With input from experts – physicians, departments and ministries of health and local foundations – Lions have organized recreational camps to give these individuals the unique experience of camping.

Vision Screenings

A vision screening is performed to identify possible vision problems. Lions partner with eye care professionals to carry out joint screening events.

Lions Recycle For Sight

In just about any home, one can find a pair of eyeglasses that are no longer being used. That same pair of eyeglasses can change another person's life.

That's why the Lions started the Recycle For Sight program. Everyone can help.

Throughout the year, Lions, [Leos](#) and other volunteers collect used eyeglasses and deliver them to regional [Lions Eyeglass Recycling Centers \(LERCs\)](#). LERC volunteers clean, sort by prescription strength and package the glasses. Recycled glasses are distributed to people in need in low and middle-income communities where they will have the greatest impact. Eye glasses from New Hampshire are sent to Virginia Lions Eyeglass Recycling Center Inc – MD24. Google them to find out what happens with the glasses we send down to be recycled.

This points out the importance of person-to-person service as “We Serve”

Where there is a need there's a Lion

Here's looking at you – Lion Lang Plumer

ENVIRONMENT

It's Maple Sugar Time! Have you ever wondered just how that Maple Syrup gets to your table? Well, "Maple Sugar-ing" has been around for a long time with the Native Americans being credited for discovering this tasty treat. Legend has it that a Native American Chief hurled his tomahawk into a maple tree and the sap began to flow (Different legends only differ in why the Chief was hurling his tomahawk). His wife, thinking the liquid was water, cooked the evening meal (venison) in it. Finding the food delicious, the tribe members investigated and discovered that the sweetness came from the tree sap- the rest is history...

For centuries, New Hampshire farmers have been tapping the maple trees for sap making it the sweetest of local traditions. Maple sugaring time in New Hampshire runs from mid-February to mid-April. And this is how it works: during the winter, the sap in the maple trees freeze. As the sap begins to thaw in early spring, (freezing nights and warm sunny days), the internal pressure within the tree rises. When the pressure reaches a certain point, the sap will flow from any fresh wound in the tree. In February, maple producers drill a hole (tap into) the tree and insert a spout. A bucket or plastic tubing is attached to the spout and the clear liquid flows. Sap is collected and sent to the sugar house where it is boiled down in an evaporator pan over a blazing hot fire. When the steam rises from the pans, the sap becomes more concentrated until it reaches the density of a syrup. The syrup is then drawn from the pans, filtered, graded and bottled. Each year, New Hampshire produces close to 90,000 gallons of maple syrup and it takes 40 gallons of sap to make one gallon of pure maple syrup- it is easy to see why our maple syrup is so precious. Maple Syrup is graded as Light, Medium and Dark Amber dependent on when the sap was drawn. These Grade A syrups are used for maple cream, candy, maple sugar and table syrup. At the very end of the season, the syrup darkens and is graded B which gives it the strong robust flavor that is used mainly for cooking. YUM, YUM, YUM

Some interesting facts about those Maple Trees:

1. Maple trees belong to the family Sapindaceae and there are approximately 128 species. Most species are native to Asia with a number appearing in Europe, Northern Africa and North America. Only one species can be found in the Southern Hemisphere.
2. The maple tree is a common symbol of strength and endurance
3. Most maple species are deciduous and are known for their changing colors- but a few in southern Asia and the Mediterranean region are evergreen.
4. The lifespan of a maple tree is between 100 and 400 years. The Comfort Maple, an enormous and strangely shaped tree found in Canada, is believed to be 500 years old.
5. The oldest fossil of a maple dates back to 100 million years ago in Alaska
6. Flowers of a maple tree can be many colors and contain both male & female parts (not separate as in other trees)
7. Maple trees are one of the most versatile and best loved trees. The most important factor for a healthy maple tree is good soil which should be fertilized 1-2 times per year.
8. Maple is considered a tonewood, or a wood that carries sound waves well, thus it is used in numerous musical instruments. The back, side, and neck of most violins, violas, cellos, and double basses as well as the necks of electric guitars are made from maple. Many drums are made from maple.
9. Maple is found in many types of furniture, baseball bats, bowling pins, bowling alley lanes pool cues and butcher's blocks. Maple is used to make fine paper for printing



Diabetes FAST FACTS

1.5 million Americans are diagnosed with diabetes every year.

Nearly half of American adults have diabetes or prediabetes

Age 20 years or older: 9.4% of all people in this age group have diabetes

12 million, or 1 in 4 adults age 65 and older, have diabetes

About 193,000 Americans younger than 20 years have diabetes which represents 0.24% of all people in this age group.

Nearly 18,000 youth are newly diagnosed with type 1 diabetes annually.

Diabetes is the primary cause of death for 79,535 Americans each year.

Diabetes contributes to the death 252,806 Americans annually (combining death certificates that list diabetes as the primary and a contributing cause death)

A person with diagnosed diabetes at age 50 dies, on average, six years earlier than a peer without diabetes

The American Diabetes Association has backed the Mediterranean diet in a way that may help people lose weight and improve their blood sugar levels.

Exercise is a part of any weight loss plan, so make an effort to walk a bit after meals and stand up during the day, whether at home or work. These small movements really do add up.

Stay Healthy,
PCC Celeste

Lions Camp Pride Memorial Brick Program ..

Coming up is the 30th anniversary of Lions Camp Pride, we have set a Goal of 30 new memorial bricks by Fall 2018 in recognition of this milestone.

We are beginning to gain traction, but need everyone to pitch in and help.

For \$75.00 a brick with up to three lines of text can be added to the memorial walkway in front of the administration building. It is a tremendous way to recognize a member of your club, local community leader, or a deceased member of your family, mother, father, wife, husband, child, or pet.

A brick form can be found at <http://www.camppride.nhlions.org/> or by contacting Lenny Hall by email at lionscamppride44h@gmail.com



MEMBERSHIP MATTERS

| | This Month | This Year |
|-----------------|------------|-----------|
| Opening Balance | 1,189 | 1,181 |
| Added Members | 0 | 94 |
| Dropped Members | 0 | 86 |
| Closing Balance | 1,189 | 1,189 |
| Net Gain/Loss 0 | 0 | 8 |



THE DOGSIGHT PROJECT

A Project of Health Services of New Hampshire Lions

Multiple District 44

Thank You, Goffstown!



Fidelco uses specialized vans to transport dogs and trainers to training sites and client homes. The vans are sized to accommodate the large crates needed for the dogs, often as many as four at a time. This year at Mid-Winter Convention, the Goffstown Lions Club made a \$5000 donation to complete a matching LCIF grant with the Haddam (CT) Lions Club and Killingworth (CT) Lions Charities, Inc. The Lions Logo and the names of these three clubs will be on the van for all to see for the next 12 to 15 years. That's a pretty good return on investment!!

If your club is interested in being a part of a matching LCIF grant, please let me know. Perhaps we can have other vans with New Hampshire Lions Club names traveling the country!

To all our loyal DogSight supporters – thank you for your generosity at Mid-Winter!

Donations may be sent at any time 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

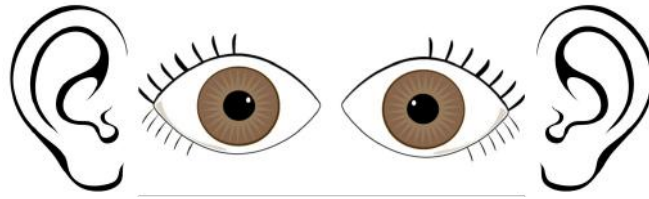
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Goal: \$15,000 Raised to Date: \$23.650

WOW!!! Thank You, MD44 Lions

Health Services of NH (formerly HSB) Stories to Warm Your Heart



This month our heartwarming story features all of

MD-44! Each and every Lion in the Multiple District is a hero in their own way. And each and every Lion is making an impact to change peoples' lives for the better.

If you attended the Mid-Winter Convention, you heard stories and personal accounts from each area that HSNH serves. If you were paying attention, you may have also seen those speaking and even some in the audience getting choked up. Each person who spoke was speaking from their heart. They were speaking about a project and people that they love. It certainly showed.

But then you all showed your support and generosity to Vision Weekend, OKS Kidsight, and DogSight when you started to bring up your checks. You could see how awestruck the speakers were with how generous you were and how that will in turn support so much good in New Hampshire.

You and your club may have only thought, "We only gave \$50" or \$100 or \$5,000. Every contribution is impressive, and when pooled together the impact is enormous!

So, you are all heroes and are making a difference in your communities in a huge way!

Thank you for all you do to make the world a better place.

Remember: Submit your vision screening reports!

44H goes to Becky Brown

beckbrown@hotmail.com

44N goes to Darlene Royce darlene.b.royce@hitchcock.org

Keep Up All the Good Work!

Sue Lindberg, HSNH Chair



LIONS YOUTH SERVICES NEWS

NEW LOGO

If you have been following the news for Lions Youth Services, you should be aware that we had a contest looking for a new updated logo to identify us. We are pleased to announce that a new logo has been selected

and the “WINNING LOGO” is....



The winner of the creation of this new logo will be announced and acknowledged at the upcoming Cabinet Meetings.

PEACE POSTER CONTEST

During the Mid-Winter it was announced that all Lion members and their clubs would be able to purchase their club's winning poster or any other poster that was on display. Please email me if you are interested in purchasing a poster. The price for a 16x20 framed poster is \$40. payable to Lions Youth Services. It is an opportunity to have your winning poster displayed where your club meets each month or to have it displayed at the local school or library or you could bring it along with you to show when you meet with leaders to discuss next year's contest. Please email me at rwynnemilford@comcast.net if you wish to place an order.

Orders for 2018-2019 Peace Poster Kits will be taken during the March Cabinet Meetings. If you will not be attending, please have a member from your club place an order for you. The Kits cost is \$12 each and checks should be made payable to Lions Youth Services.

The theme for the 2018-2019 Peace Poster is “Kindness Matters”.

KINGSTON NH LIONS FOUNDATION MEAT RAFFLE



WHEN: FRIDAY, MARCH 9th – 7:00pm

WHERE: VFW Post 1088, 93 Route 125, Kingston NH

Proceeds from the event will benefit charitable causes supported by the **Kingston NH Lions Foundation**, which serves Kingston, Newton, Fremont and the surrounding community. There will be multiple raffles, with winners receiving high quality meats or various other prizes! Cash prize for 50/50 raffle! Fresh steamed hot dogs for sale!

www.kingstonlionsclub.com



Kingston NH Lions Foundation, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) Non-Profit Organization



The Franklin Area Lions Club
Is sponsoring a
Pancake Breakfast and

Pictures with the Easter Bunny

You are invited!

Saturday, March 17, 2018

\$5.00 per person

PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS

The Soda Shoppe
Central Street, Franklin, NH
7:30 till 10:00 am

After you eat breakfast, sit on the Easter Bunny's lap and have your picture taken. Your picture will be on the Soda Shoppe's bulletin board for you to pick up the next week.



Nashua Lions Club



St. Patrick's Day
Green Auction

Corn Beef and
Cabbage Dinner



~ SAVE THE DATE ~

When: Monday, March 19, 2018

Where: The Crowne Plaza – Nashua

Time: Doors Open at 5:30 pm

Dinner Served at 6:30 pm – Auction to follow dinner

Tickets: \$22.00 per person



SAVE THE DATE!

Sunday, March 25th

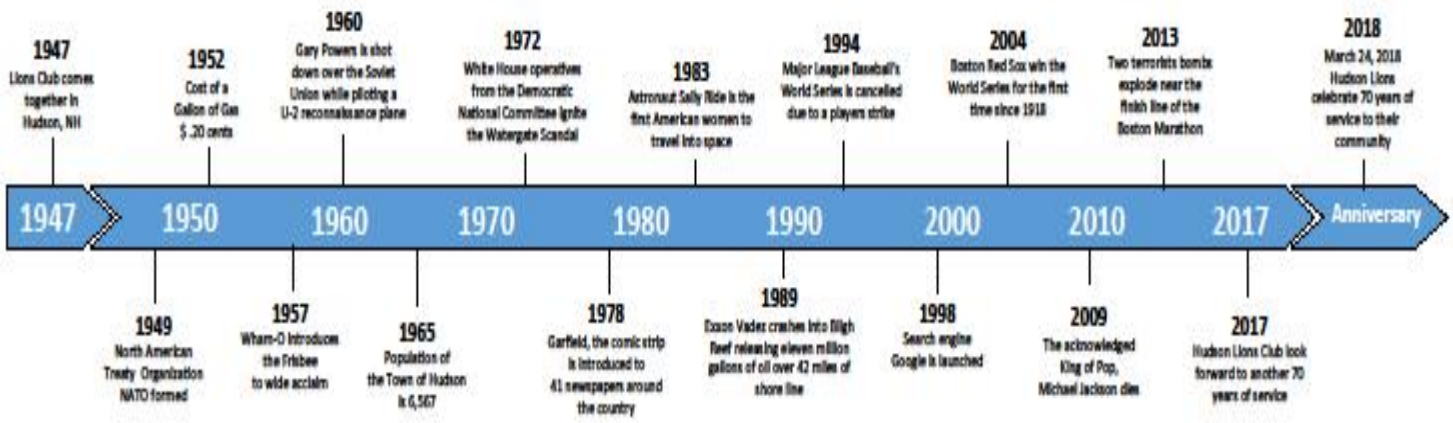
NH Lions will be marching in the St. Patrick's Parade in downtown Manchester! ALL CLUBS WELCOME! As we wind down LCI's Centennial we will celebrate 95 years of Lionism in New Hampshire in 2018! Bring your club banners with you. Watch for time and location for parade formation!

PID Ed Lecius

MD44 Centennial Chair



Hudson Lions Club PLATINUM ANNIVERSARY 70 Years of Service



Hudson Lions invite you to join them in celebrating 70 years of Lions Service

- Saturday, March 24th, 2018 at the White Birch Catering Hall — 222 Central Street, Hudson, NH Social starts at 3:00pm with Dinner starting at 4:00pm Dress in honor of the platinum anniversary
- \$35 per person for Dinner and Celebration Prime Rib, Roasted Potatoes, Green Bean Almondine, Garden Salad, Rolls, Chocolate Mouse Truffle, Appetizers
- Dress: is in honor of the Platinum Anniversary, in black, white and/or silver (optional)

Registration

I would like to be a part of your 70th Anniversary Celebration.

Guest Name(s): _____ Guests Lions Club Name: _____

Send Payment to: Lion LeeAnn Middlemiss at 22 Abbott Street, Hudson, NH 03051

Please make the check payable to: Hudson Lions Club Deadline for Registration is: Friday, March 16th, 2018

Thank you for attending this Lions Celebration with music, raffles and historical perspectives.



Sandown LIONS Club

Invites you to join us for a traditional
**St. Patrick's Day Corned Beef & Cabbage,
and Shepherd's Pie Fundraising Dinner**

Saturday, March 24th

At the

Sandown Recreational Building

25 Pheasant Run Drive

(off 121A behind the Police Station)

4:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

GREAT FOOD, FUN & RAFFLES

\$10.00 ADULTS

\$8.00 CHILDREN 3 TO 12

UNDER 3 FREE



**NOT SPONSORED BY SANDOWN RECREATION OR
THE TOWN OF SANDOWN**



Londonderry Lions Club Presents..



Bobby and the Sharptones

Rock and roll classics of the 50's, 60's, 70's, 80's



*Free Coffee
and pastries*

*Gift Certificates
Raffles*

*Sodas and
Water For Sale*

Join us for a Spring Time themed Dance/Concert
proceeds benefit High School scholarships,
Local sight and hearing, Thanksgiving and
Christmas baskets

B.Y.O.B

*Free Chips
and
popcorn*

Date: Friday, April 7, 2018 Lions Hall Mammoth Road,
Londonderry, NH

Time: 7-11pm

Cost \$20/person, \$35/couple ... Reserve tables available

For tickets and information call Jerry,
603-434-5307



We Serve



Litchfield Lions Sponsoring



Community Diabetes Workshop

Presented By

Dr Sally Alwan

Date: 27- Mar-2018

Time: 6:30 PM

**Place: Litchfield Community
Church Fellowship Hall.**

Cost : FREE

Diabetic friendly snacks provided



Learn how to take charge of your life to prevent and control diabetes



What is Diabetes
Signs of diabetes
Diabetes Risk Factors
Food Choices
Question and Answers



Jaffrey-Rindge Centennial Club
CHARTER NIGHT CELEBRATION



Saturday, April 21, 2018

The Shattuck Golf Club, 53 Dublin Road, Jaffrey, New Hampshire

5:00 – 6:00 PM Social Hour & Appetizers 6:00 PM Dinner & Program

MEAL COST \$35.00 PER PERSON

Buffet: Chicken, Eggplant Parmesan, Vegetables, Salad and Rolls

Cash Bar

Reservations must be received before April 7, 2018

In honor of the Centennial, we invite you to wear vintage Lions clothing, pins, hats, etc. that you may have!

RAFFLE TABLE: The J-R Centennial Club would love a donation of items specific to your club, such as tickets to your next event, etc. to raffle off! Please email Brenda Salmonson to reserve your space for your item on the raffle table. bls@wjplaw.com

JAFFREY-RINDGE CENTENNIAL LIONS CLUB CHARTER NIGHT RESERVATIONS

PLEASE RETURN THIS PORTION WITH A CHECK MADE PAYABLE TO:

Jaffrey-Rindge Lions Club

MAIL TO: Jaffrey-Rindge Lions Club c/o William Phillips
 PO Box 603
 Peterborough, NH 03458

603-924-1922

bls@wjplaw.com

NAME OF CLUB: _____ NO. ATTENDING: _____

AMOUNT ENCLOSED: _____ (\$35.00 PER PERSON)

ATTENDEES: _____

If you would like to reserve a table for your group of 6 to 8 people: please circle YES NO

Reservations must be received before April 7, 2018

**3rd ANNUAL
KINGSTON NH LIONS FOUNDATION
GOLF TOURNAMENT**



Saturday, May 5, 2018
Apple Hill Golf Club – East Kingston, NH
Scramble Format - 7:30am shotgun start



The Kingston NH Lions Foundation is a 501(c)(3) Non-Profit Organization
Serving Kingston, Newton, Fremont and surrounding communities

All proceeds from this fundraising event will benefit:
Drug Awareness, Treatment, Recovery Services & Education
Beneficiaries: Chucky's Fight, SoROCK, Austin 17 House and other charities

\$110 entry fee per player includes:
18 holes of golf with cart; coffee & donuts; BBQ buffet; gifts & prizes
Registration deadline: April 20, 2018

Sponsorship/Advertising Levels:

Platinum - \$1,500 – banner, signs throughout the course, tournament foursome & logo items
in player gift bags

Gold - \$1,000 – sponsor sign on all golf carts and tournament twosome

Silver - \$500 – sponsor sign at registration and on course

Bronze - \$250 – sponsor sign at registration and at practice green

Hole - \$100 – sponsor sign at designated tee box

All donations are tax deductible!

Contact: Kingston NH Lions Foundation
PO Box 183
Kingston, NH 03848
kingstonnh.lions@gmail.com

The Hudson Lions Club Honors Dr. David Appler with Granite State Fellow Award



Lions Clubs International Director Jenny Ware of Michigan pins Dr. David Appler with the Lions Granite State Fellowship pin. ID Jenny was the guest speaker at the 38th NH Lions MD 44 Convention held on Sat Jan 26 at the Nashua Crowne Plaza.

The Granite State Fellowship is the highest award given by the Lions of New Hampshire. All proceeds from this award benefit the Lions Sight & Hearing Foundation of NH. Hudson Lions Club members pictured on right are Past Council Chair Roger LaTulippe, Multiple District GSF Chair, ID Jenny Ware, Phyllis Appler, Dr. David Appler and Valencia Wilson, Hudson Lions Club President.

Dr Appler has volunteered his services as the Hudson Lions Club optician since joining the club in 1976. He has assisted those in need of eye care in the Hudson Community through the Hudson Lions club since that time. He has offered free screening services with the Lions at Hudson Old Home Days, at his vision center and annually for the NH Special Olympics.

Lions Twin State Soccer Association, Inc.
44th Year of Lions Twin State Soccer Games

On Sunday, March 25, 2018 we will be hosting the 2018 Soccer players, coaches, and managers to the "Kick-off Banquet at the Elks Lodge in Lebanon, NH. Everyone is welcome to attend. Banquet cost is \$25. for Lions, families and friends.

We have pictures taken of the players and alternates, coaches, managers for player cards; and hand out medical forms and important information to each. Parents meet with Camp Coordinators to go over valuable information and expectations. Team members get to meet their coaches. This is a very essential first meeting, jammed packed with information. Pre-ordered t-shirts, sweatshirts, hoodies and caps with the current year on them, are picked up and there will be additional available to purchase that day.

Lunch is served, Key-note speaker addresses the participants and the teams are introduced.

This is a very busy day for the directors as well. We begin early (9:30am) with a directors meeting with coffee and donuts/pastries to go over necessary last minute information. 10:30 - 11:15 the players, coaches and managers arrive, at 11:15 team photo sessions begin; 11:30 meeting with the parents and guests; 1:00 Annual Kick-Off Banquet begins, Key-note speaker, and the players and coaching staff is introduced. A brief meeting of the Coaching Staff and Officials for both states at 3:30pm.

Everyone wishing to help/be a part of this event is welcomed.

Cheryl Powers, Director

Lions Twin State Soccer Association, Inc..

44 th Annual Great Smith River Canoe and Kayak Race

The 44th Annual Great Smith River Canoe and Kayak Race, sponsored by the Wolfeboro Lions Club, will be held on Saturday, May 19, 2018, starting at 1:15 p.m.

The race begins at the Allen Albee Beach on Lake Wentworth, passes through Smith River to Crescent Lake, down the lower Smith River to Back Bay and then to Dockside. The race is approximately 4 miles long and includes a mild white-water stretch and two short portages. There are 19 classes intended to accommodate paddlers of all abilities.

Registration runs from 10 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. on the day of the race at the Albee Beach. Registration forms are also available at sporting goods stores in Wolfeboro, the Wolfeboro Town Hall and at the Wolfeboro Chamber of Commerce. For additional information, call Roger Murray at (603) 569-5454.



Electronic Waste Collection Day
Laconia/Gilford Lions Club
April 14
Gilford Cinemas 8 Parking Lot (**new location!**)
9 AM – 1 PM

Got an old computer collecting dust in your closet, or a broken air conditioner sitting on the back porch? What do you do with such items when you replace them? Everything from laptops, phones and computers to TVs cost a fortune to haul away.

Turn all that junk over to the Laconia-Gilford Lions Club during their Electronic Waste Collection Day on Saturday, April 14 in the Cinemas 8 parking lot in Gilford from 9 AM to 1 PM - **Note: this is a new location!** For a small disposal fee (most items are \$5), not only will we take your old electronic items off your hands, we will recycle them. The disposal charge is almost always less than the prices at local transfer stations. Cash or checks will be accepted but not debit or credit cards.

Just bring your electronics to Cinemas 8 parking lot, 9 Old Lakeshore Road in Gilford on Saturday, April 14 between 9 AM and 1 PM. Club members will even help you unload them! You do not have to be a resident of Laconia or Gilford to take advantage of this fundraiser - it is open to everyone.

Items you may want to consider dropping off are laptops, CPUs, servers, CD/DVD players, camcorders, AV equipment, VCRs, speakers, copiers, faxes, scanners, printers, phones (land and cell), phone systems, UPS systems, humidifiers, cords, cables and computer accessories (all \$5).

In addition, we will also take microwaves, air conditioners, dehumidifiers (all \$10), computer monitors and TVs less than 25" (\$20), TVs 26" and larger (\$30). A TV needing more than one person to lift will be \$40. Anything with a cord not listed will also be accepted.

You CANNOT drop off: smoke detectors, oils, paints, thinners, batteries (except car batteries), tires, items containing mercury such as fluorescent and CFL light bulbs or thermometers, capacitors, ballasts, or any other hazardous waste.

Don't miss this opportunity or you'll be storing these things another year - "Don't throw it out, Recycle it!" You'll not only help the environment by disposing of your unwanted electronics responsibly but also help the Lions, the largest service organization in the world, raise funds to meet pressing needs in our community: eye glasses and hearing aids, food pantries, college scholarships, holiday food baskets for needy families, youth sports programs, are just a few of the local charitable organizations that we assist. All that for a disposal fee that, in most cases, is less than the cost at local transfer stations.

The Laconia-Gilford Lions Club appreciates your help with their Electronic Waste Collection Day fundraising event and wishes to thank in advance everyone who contributes to making a real difference in our community.

Look for the yellow Lions' vests on Saturday, April 14 from 9 AM to 1 PM at the Gilford Cinemas 8 parking lot (a new location!). No matter how large or small, every item adds up!

Lions Club Electronic Waste Collection Day

Suggested photo caption: Laconia-Gilford Lions Club members (from left to right) Eileen Morey, Mike Adams, Lois Smith, Allyn Bridge, Marilyn Brown, Bill Chandler and Matt Soza working at last fall's Electronic Waste Collection Day.

Pictures from Newmarket Lions Club Charter night



Conway Area Lions Club

Had an impromptu Lions Meeting with 11 of us at sea, since February 7th one was cancelled due to snow

Eyeglass & Hearing Aids Collection & Recycling

Randy Tompkins

1 Coombs Farm Rd, Greenland NH 03840

Res Phone: 603-431-7352

E-mail : Rye642@comcast.net

Please remember to bring your clubs collected

Eyeglasses and hearing aids to the next Cabinet

Meeting. March 4th 2018 at the Crown Plaza, Nashua NH

USED EYEGLASS PROJECT

(as of February 19, 2018)

Regular glasses sent to VA since project began in 2006:

216,470 pair

Sunglasses sent to VA since project began in 2006:

40,178 pair

Total glasses sent to VA since project began in 2006:

256,656 pair

Total cost of shipping since 2006:

\$13,137

(does not include donations from other District Clubs)

Please send contributions to the Hampton Lions to help offset

The cost of shipping !!

Franklin Area Lions Club

"We're Leaping to Serve" 2018 Annual Calendar Raffle Winners

| Feb. 2018 | Winning Number | \$\$\$ | Name | City/Town/State | |
|-----------|----------------|--------|----------------------|-----------------|--|
| 1 | 1 | \$100 | Forrest Powers | Danbury, NH | The Franklin Area Lions Club thanks our many supporters in our 7th annual "We're Leaping to serve" Calendar Raffle |
| 2 | 442 | \$50 | Nancy Ricard | Canaan, NH | |
| 3 | 20 | \$75 | Sam Gold | Manchester, NH | Congratulations to the winners and Thanks again to everyone who bought tickets. |
| 4 | 129 | \$100 | Steve Powers | Danbury, NH | |
| 5 | 424 | \$50 | Nancy MacKinnon | Andover, NH | |
| 6 | 470 | \$50 | Darin Cummings | Franklin, NH | |
| 7 | 76 | \$50 | Ricardo Smith | Franklin, NH | |
| 8 | 387 | \$50 | Steven Middlemiss | Hudson, NH | |
| 9 | 87 | \$50 | Kristine Bolard | Franklin, NH | |
| 10 | 281 | \$75 | Raymond Bonner | Tilton, NH | |
| 11 | 19 | \$100 | Silvia Wood | Alexandria, NH | |
| 12 | 392 | \$50 | Deb Ankuda | Springfield, VT | |
| 13 | 57 | \$50 | Donna Alley | Concord, NH | |
| 14 | 382 | \$150 | Elda Cordero Goodman | Bedford, NH | |
| 15 | 460 | \$50 | Ken Phelps | Danbury, NH | |
| 16 | 134 | \$50 | Robert Hardy | Tilton, NH | |
| 17 | 229 | \$75 | Nick Natourmtourekas | Hill, NH | |
| 18 | 245 | \$100 | Arty Katsanos | New London, NH | |
| 19 | 396 | \$50 | Stan Patch, Jr | Castleton, VT | |
| 20 | 276 | \$50 | Paula Foshay | Concord, NH | |
| 21 | 39 | \$50 | Bermans | Rumny, NH | |
| 22 | 2 | \$50 | Kathleen Wetherill | Hancock, NH | |
| 23 | 422 | \$50 | Nancy MacKinnon | Andover, NH | |
| 24 | 107 | \$75 | Myla Everett | Franklin, NH | |
| 25 | 126 | \$100 | Cheryl Powers | Danbury, NH | |
| 26 | 389 | \$50 | Pat Ankuda | Springfield, VT | |
| 27 | 141 | \$50 | Pat Tucker | Northfield, NH | |
| 28 | 70 | \$50 | Ashley Mansfield | Franklin, NH | |
| Mar. 1 | 442 | \$200 | Nancy Ricard | Canaan, NH | |