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Thoughts from District Governor Jerry Vaccaro



Last month I was wrong. September was great for so many Lions but October was just outstanding. Where do I start! Maybe clubs, yes clubs. As District Governor and as a Lion, I did not realize the outstanding service projects that so many clubs participate in. Some make you cry, some make you smile and some just make you feel good. Another is meeting the new club Lions that will strengthen our district and have new visions of how to help their club and communities.

Talking about service projects, how about our Kid Sight screenings. The Kingston Lions reported that a school nurse shared a story how a flagged student, after going to an eye specialist, had discovered a tumor behind the students eye. Tumor was caught early, saving the child's eye and possible more serious complications. This is what it's all about -fellow Lions.

Let's not forget the Zones chairs all working on zone projects. More to come on these projects and how they will affect their club communities. Oh yes, how about getting two zones together recently, inviting 80 plus Lions all participating in "The Outreach Program", can you believe over 12,000 meals made up and shared trough the zone clubs. Thank you zone 2 chair Mike Dolan and zone 6 chair Doug Griffin with help from GMT/PDG Al Goldstein. What a time!

I am looking forward in seeing as many lions, Leos and friends at our upcoming District 44H Cabinet meeting, being held at the Wolfeboro Inn, Wolfeboro, NH on Nov 4th.

Until next time, Yours in Lionism,



DG Jerry

Thank you for what you do!



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In The Pride

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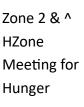
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Moultonboro Visitation







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Events Calendar

11/14-Camp Pride Meeting Camp Pride Meeting, 6:30pm Location: Auburn Tavern, Auburn, NH 11/15-- Sight & Hearing 11/20- Exeter Visitation 11/24– Camp Pride Fundraiser **11/27**– Epping Visitation

Please send all articles, pictures, and information to Marilyn Vaccaro at newsletter44h@outlook.com.

Please send in word or jpeg format.

Deadline for submission is 20th of each month!

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Thoughts from Cabinet Secretary-Treasurer Mark D'Amico

Greetings fellow Lions!

There's still time! Are you still on the fence about attending the District 44H Cabinet Meeting this November 4th? There's no need to hesitate. Just show



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up! You can pay at the door! In fact I'm asking you to please come. We would love nothing more than to have every Lion in the district attend this cabinet meeting. There is no better way to learn about all of the activities in your district.

If you haven't already, please remember to pay your dues. The invoices have all been sent so, if you haven't received an e-mail with your invoice please let me know.

Thanks for all that you do.

CST Mark

Thoughts from Multiple Council Chair Sam Longbook

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Sam had a lot to say this month!

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Thank you to everyone who attended the MD Fall Training Seminar last month. I hope that it was helpful and that you left with more knowledge to build your clubs membership and leadership. There are some great courses at International through the **Lions Learning Center** as well. It is



the goal of each of your District Leadership team to help your clubs in any way we can. Obviously stronger clubs will make for a stronger District. Please don't hesitate to contact me if you would like me to talk to your club about any issues.

Let's continue to work with DG Jerry to continue to strengthen our District.

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 <u>cstmiddlemiss@gmail.com</u>.

Don't forget to JUST ASK!

Yours in Lionism

FVDG Steve Middlemiss

Thoughts from Second Vice District Governor Marie Hall

Hi All,

It's hard to believe we are already into the 5th month of

our Lions year! Time to take stock of how your club leaders are doing and how the club is doing on its membership goals.

When do you start looking for new members and club leaders? Yesterday!

Have you reached out to our District GMT and GLT? Did you attend the traing forum on Oct. 13? Email me if you would like to receive a copy of the "I Didn't Know That" session. Shortly we will be busy with our holiday service projects and fundraisers. Early November is a great time to ask for volunteers for your projects. Once they see our good work, they will want to be a Lion, too!

See you at the cabinet meeting !





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Thoughts from

Global Membership Team Leader PDG Al Goldstein

Membership-Social Media



What does one have to do with the other. In many instances a prospective member takes a look at your club via the internet to see what you're up to and if this is something they may be interested in. This includes Facebook as well. Another big reason to keep your internet sites up to date is too announce when, where and what time your club meets as well as some type of invitation letting people know you are looking for new members. I took the time to look at many sites and it is easy to see there is work to do in many instances.

A couple of weeks ago Zones 2 and 6 did as service project and the Kingston club placed guite a few pictures on Facebook. A non-Lion reached out to them looking for membership information in Her town. Lucky for us we are starting a club there and I was able to reach out to her and invite her to our next meeting. I urge all of you to use the internet to help strengthen your clubs. If you don't have anyone with the background to do this then I see the perfect opportunity to recruit someone who does. Membership Matters. When is the last time you asked someone to join a club?

"Don't believe everything you read on the internet" Abraham Lincoln

PDG/GMT Al Goldstein

Thoughts from Global Leadership Team Leader Pat Kimball



GLT Spotlight Notes: TRAIN, RETAIN, MAINTAIN (This month covers TRAIN)

I want to express my thanks and appreciation to all the instructors and those attended the NH LIONS Forum held on Saturday, Oct 13. Unfortunately, the participation was less than we anticipated and planned for. There will be training again in the spring, and hope to have more participation for the next one. We will again canvas the zone chairs to see what training they would like to have for future events.

There is also training available on the LCIF website. There is the Leadership Resource Center which has training and development programs to promote the personal growth and leadership excellence. The website is changing in late October, so please check out the new site, which will have an all new look and easy to use tools.

I look forward to seeing you at the next Cabinet Meeting being held on November 12 in Moultonborough, NH.



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Thoughts from Global Service Team Leader Lenny Hall

The Service project: Let's do a roadside clean-up. Things to think about?

1) Get Town approval

2) Notify local P.D. (need escort?)

3) 3) proper signage (vests and banners) Make sure townspeople know who to thank!

4) Get enough help. Members, family members and especially kids. Nice to have some young legs Potential Leos and new members!

5) Get Plenty of bags. You will be surprised at just how much trash there is. Maybe recycle the metal and plastics?

6) Who's gonna pick the bags up? Some towns will help out with the pick up, others will let you use the town dumpster if available?

7) It's hard work so have fun

8) Don' forget the water!! Especially don't forget to report the service project to My Lion

Thoughts from LCIF Coordinator PCC Scott Wilson

Melvin Jones Recognition

When you and your club make a donation in support of Campaign 100, it can be earmarked for a Melvin Jones.

Melvin Jones Recognition is a terrific opportunity to highlight the work of Lions in your club but don't stop there. Consider a Melvin Jones as recognition of a person or business in your community. Presenting a Melvin Jones to a business is an opportunity to introduce Lionism to a wider audience. Invite your community newspaper and town cable channel to attend the recognition ceremony. Doing the ceremony at the business brings in all of the employees and hopefully some of their family members. Make it an event worthy of media coverage. It is a chance to celebrate Lionism.





Call on me to discuss options for your Lions Club. I am happy to review ideas and help with ways to bring on the magic of marketing and community recognition.

Yours in Service Scott A Wilson, LCIF District 44-H Coordinator

> Every day, Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF) works to fulfill our mission: "To support the efforts of Lions clubs and partners in serving communities locally and globally, giving hope and impacting lives through humanitarian service projects and grants."



Thoughts fon CHILDHOOD CANCER from *Mary Tremblay*



Oh where Oh where could her article be!!!

Thoughts on VISION From Langdon Plumer Healthy vision can help keep brain in shape



Everyone's vision can change with age

As you age, it is normal to notice changes in your vision. Vision changes can make it difficult to perform everyday activities, such as reading, walking safely, taking medications, performing self-care and household tasks, and driving

Some changes are normal. These changes include the following:

■ Losing focus, making it harder to focus vision up close.

■ Having trouble distinguishing colors, such as blue from black, or where an object ends and its background begins.

• Needing more light to see well and more time to adjust to changing levels of light (e.g., going from a room that is dark to one that is brightly lit).

These changes do not have to stop you from enjoying an active lifestyle or maintaining your independence. These vision changes can often be corrected with the following:

- Glasses
- Contact lenses
 Improved lighting

Where there is a need there's a Lion

Here's looking at you – Lion Lang Plumer





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Thoughts fon ENVIRONMENT from Jeri Maynard

What really should go into your recycling bin? Let's start with the items that shouldn't be put in your recycling bins: plastic grocery bags, greasy pizza boxes, garden hoses and clothes. Plastic grocery

bags are probably the most common misunderstood item. Each community has its own recycling policies so it is important that you are familiar with your town's list of no-nos. Plastic grocery bags require a different collection system and several stores, i.e. WalMart, Target, Market Basket, Home Depot, have recycling bins at the front of their stores. Bags are then sent out to special recycling centers and are turned into backyard decking, fences, pipes and new plastic bags. So what can we do with those grocery bags to keep them out of the local landfill?

(1) Take them back to the store: put in their specified recycling bin or clean and reuse to pack your own next load of groceries (might have to double bag them).

(2) Reuse them at home: use as liners in your wastebaskets(bath, kitchen, car), wrap delicate items (think Christmas ornaments) for storage or moving, cut them up to protect table and countertops when cooking or crafting, use as stuffing for decorative pillow cases, make a bed for the dog by stuffing a large pillow case. Keep nearby (stuffed in a plastic bag) so they are always handy...

(3) Crafting: Bags can be cut into strips and strung together to make "plarn" which can be turned into woven baskets, tote bags, purses, etc. Directions on how to do that can always be found on a DIY website like www.Pininterest.com

Thoughts on DIABETES From Celeste Ricupero



What Foods can I eat if I have diabetes? Vegetables: nonstarchy: includes broccoli, carrots, greens, peppers, and tomatoes **Starchy:** includes potatoes, corn, and green peas **Fruits:** includes oranges, melon, berries, apples, banana, and grapes Grains: at least half of your grains for the day should be whole grains Includes: wheat, rice, oats, cornmeal, barley, and quinoa Examples: bread, pasta, cereal, and tortillas Proteins Lean meat – chicken or turkey without the skin, fish, Also eggs, nuts and peanuts, dried beans and certain peas, such as chiclpeas and split peas or try a meat substitutes, such as tofu Dairy: nonfat or low fat Milk or lactose – free milk if you have lactose intolerance, yogurt, cheese

Stay Healthy, PCC Celeste



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Thoughts fon HUNGER from Bob Gustafson

The United States Department of Agriculture has a nice web site at nal.usda.gov. I was especially interested in their list of frequently asked questions under various headings in the Food and Nutrition Information Center (FNIC) section:

Food Composition Health and Wellness events Meal Planning, Shopping and Cooking Dietary Guidance Food Safety **FNIC Services** Weight Management **Dietary Supplements** Research Food Labeling Food Allergies and Intolerances

contact. Please make use of this site. It has a wealth of information regarding the general category of Hunger.

It really was interesting reading and I would recommend the site to anyone curious about the above categories. The site's internet address is nal.usda.gov/fnic/faq.

If you're in a Lions club that's interested in bringing a Speaker in to talk about Food, Nutrition and Hunger, category number 2 above offered several good ideas of who to

Closing Balance

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Worldwide

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	Added Members	12	24	
	Dropped Members	4	23	

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Hello from MCC Sam White Cane Day Collection

Happy Thanksgiving Lion Berny & Sam



Congratulation to Dean Henry McKee and the Forum committee for conduction a great MD 44 Forum on Lions topics. All Lions in attendance learned a lot and felt their time was well spent. We wish more Lions had attended the 2018 - 2019 Forum.

IRS TAX FILING and STATE CHARTIBALE FILING

NH: Remember to file your New Hampshire paperwork with the Charitable Trust unit and a \$75.00 check to maintain your nonprofit status. On line form at <u>www.doj.nh.gov/charitable-trusts</u>

IRS: Dear Lion, Please remember that all Lions clubs, districts and multiple districts that have annual gross receipts less than US\$50,000 and do not have to file Forms 990 or 990-EZ must file the e-Postcard (also known as 990-N). If your Lions club, district or multiple district has a foundation, which is a separate legal entity, the appropriate form will need to be filed as well.

Please view the document at the link below for important information regarding your annual tax filing obligation. <u>LEARN MORE</u> Kindest regards, Legal Division, LCI

LCI's "THE NEW VOICES INITIATIVE "

New Voices Initiative celebrates the contributions made by women as Lions Clubs International welcomes its first female International President. Showcasing New Voices in your district will promote gender parity, encourage clubs to recruit and retain women, and help close the gap between men and women in leader-ship

New Voices are Lions who demonstrate exceptional influence, as it relates to women, in one of four areas:

□ Service They are ready whenever and however communities need them. New Voices are women in Lions who participate regularly in service projects and the men who help make women more visible in service.

□ Membership Lions make up the largest service club organization on earth – and they are always looking for more caring people who want to make a difference with them. New Voices work hard to recruit and retain new female members, welcoming everyone into the Lions family.

□ Leadership Lions are global leaders in community and humanitarian service. New Voices are influential female leaders and men who support women in leadership roles.

□ Marketing Lions bring unprecedented reach and compassion to their service. New Voices are women and men who amplify women's stories.

Remember: *We are known through "OUR SERVICE"* MCC Sam Longbook





District 44-H Cabinet Meeting

Join us for breakfast

Wolfeboro Inn







90 Main St Wolfeboro, NH 03894

November 4, 2018

Overnight Rooms: Check-in 3:00pm Nov 3, Checkout 11:00am Nov 4 \$125.00 per night plus 9% state tax Price guaranteed until Oct 2nd FIRM, \$159.99 after that date

\$22.00

 Scrambled Eggs
 Bacon
 Home Fries
 pancakes
 Fruit

 8:15am – 9:00am
 Registration and Social
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No Later Than October 25, 2018

Please help the committee by making your reservations early. Dress code: Red Jackets – Lions Shirts=--Lions sweatshirts The Lions Club of New Hampshire presents:

Camp Pride 30th Anniversary







We are looking for **Basket Donations for** our raffle

Please contact:

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Marilyn Vaccaro jvac1408@comcast.net

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Chris Zito

Paul D'Angelo

Mitch Stinson



CALENDAR RAFFLE TICKETS MAKE GREAT STOCKING STUFFERS and BIRTHDAY GIFTS, ETC

Camp Pride's Annual Booster Club Raffle

It's that time of year again! All clubs are asked to help support Camp Pride by selling the 20 tickets (you can always send for more). This is an easy way for your club to contribute to Camp Pride and not break your bank accounts...

Remember, tickets may be sold to <u>club members, friends, business associates</u> or even bought by the club as a chance to enhance their treasury

Tickets remain at \$10.00. On the back of the ticket, you will notice the businesses and friends that have sponsored a date on this year's calendar- please consider patronizing our sponsors if they are in your club's vicinity.

There will be a total of thirty-one (31) drawings, all taking place at the Mid-Winter Convention in January. Each drawing represents a particular day in January. <u>Any ticket</u> <u>drawn will be redeposited</u> into the raffle basket so there are numerous chances to win.

Please return all your stubs, checks and any unsold tickets directly to Lion Lillian Bellisle at 29 Cedar Street, Hudson, NH 03051. If you have questions or need additional tickets, please call her at 603-889-0285 or e: mail: Lionjeri@comcast.net.

As in the past, all proceeds from this raffle will be used to further Camp Pride operations and maintenance.

Will Your Club Be The FIRST To Return All Their Stubs????????

THANK YOU

Camp Pride Board of Directors





Lions Camp pride Commemorative Walkway Become a part of History – BUYA BRICK TODAY

Join us in creating commemorative walkways by purchasing a personally engraved brick to be permanently installed at Camp Pride. Any name or message up to 3 lines of 14 characters each can be engraved on each brick. Each line will be centered by the manufacturer. Company Logos are also possible: Personalized bricks are a great way to:

- Recognize a club anniversary, event or member
- Remember lost loved ones with bricks :in memory of them
- Recognize your children, grandchildren, parents, and other special people
- Mark a birth, anniversary, graduation or other special event in your life
- Honor an employee or friend, advertise a business
- Give a unique and lasting gift for the Holidays

Here's how you can contribute: Three lines \$75.00

BRICK ORDER FORM

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MAIL TO: Lenny Hall, 14 Winslow Dr, Atkinson, NH 03811

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SIGHT PROJECT



A Program of the New Hampshire Lions

Multiple District 44 – Health Services of New Hampshire

Oh, How He's Grown!

There is so much to tell you about how much Judge has grown! At 5 months, he's almost 40 pounds of gentle intelligence. He returns every Saturday to Fidelco for classroom work and his new homework assignments. One week it's been meeting and greeting other dogs; this week it was learning how to go through doors. Think about it: there are 4 ways a door can open – out with the hinges on right or left and in with hinges right or left. Not only will Judge have to help his handler through the door safely, he'll need to keep his own tail safe too! So much to learn!



The annual DogSight Project appeal letter has gone out! Please send donations to **DSP Chair Linda Piekarski, 15 Edgewood Ave, Keene, NH 03431** and make checks payable to **LSHF** with **DSP** on the memo line. Your contribution supports the training that makes Judge the puppy into Judge the Fidelco Guide Dog. Thank you!

Linda Piekarski

Chair, the DogSight Project

lpiekarski@ne.rr.com



Health Services of New Hampshire (formally Health Services Board) is a committee of the Multiple District 44 of New Hampshire.

The message came from one of our Multiple District Lions Clubs here in NH and highlights why we do what we do for the people in our communities:

"The school nurse shared something with us today that I wanted to pass along. She said that there was one particular student that we screened by our club last year and was flagged for follow up testing, resulting in the student's parents going to an eye specialist. Upon further testing, a tumor was found behind one of the student's eyes. This was caught early enough, thanks to our screening, and the tumor was removed and proper treatment was done immediately. If this was not caught as early as it was, the student would likely have lost their eye and had more serious complications. This hits home and is exactly why we do these screenings. It reinforces the good we are doing and the positive impact we have in our community! Where there's a need, there's a Lion!"

Thank you for all of the vision screening being done across New Hampshire.

Become a Health Services of NH Visionary – we are a group of great people doing great work for so many great people across the state of New Hampshire.

PCC Scott Wilson Chairperson, Health Services of New Hampshire A Committee of Multiple District 4



onsSight & Hearing Foundation of New Hampshire, Inc

PO Box 970, Concord, NH 03302-0970

To: All Lions in Multiple District 44

From: PCC Jim Robinson, President LS&HFNH

Subject: LIONS SIGHT & HEARING FOUNDATION OF N.H. INC., ELECTIONS

Where: MD-44 Mid -Winter Convention, Doubletree, Nashua, NHDate:January 26, 2019

Each year per Article 2E of the Articles of Agreement, the Foundation seeks dedicated Lions to run for four (4) Director positions. The S&H Board is looking for Lions of Excellence, willing to take an active role in the affairs of Lionism at the Multiple district level. This year we have (4) positions to fill, thus we need **two** to be elected from District 44-N and **two** from District 44-H. We encourage members of every Lions Club in the state to consider this request carefully, and to nominate and support a member willing to serve for a three-year term as Director of the Foundation. We urge your Club to nominate a Lion to be placed on the ballot. Please have your club secretary send notification of your club support of their nominee to Sight & Hearing Foundation C/O PCC Jim Robinson, 15 Wildbrook Dr., Plaistow, NH 03865, or send E-Mail to Jimrbnsn15@comcast.net before January 14, 2019.

Things you should know!

The Lions Sight & Hearing BOD now meets at the Airport Diner, 2280 Brown Ave. Manchester, NH 03103. Third Thursday, 6:00 PM Social, 6:30 PM Meeting

All Club or personal donations to S&H should be sent to Lions Sight & Hearing Foundation, P.O. Box 970, Concord, NH 03301, We are a 501(c)(3) Foundation.

The <u>minimum</u> contribution from a club to process a Hearing or Cataract application has been increased from \$100.00 to \$150.00. effective September 1, 2018.

PCC Jim Robinson President Lions Sight & Hearing Foundation

GRANITE STATE FELLOW



LIONS SIGHT & HEARING FOUNDATION OF NH, INC

GRANITE STATE FELLOW

In January 2002, PCC Peter DeMoya, implemented a fund raising program for LSHF. This fundraiser he named as the GRANITE STATE FELLOW.

You can recognize an outstanding member of your Lions Club or a person in your Community with a Granite State or Progressive Granite State Fellow. Many clubs recognize an outgoing president with this award. This is the highest form of recognition in the State of New Hampshire.

This recognition comes with a beautiful plaque, a lapel pin and a letter honoring the recipient.

By making a donation of \$500.00 to LSHF you not only give recognition but you are aiding a NH Citizen who is in need of our services. Donations go directly into the LSHF Endowment. Clubs may donate to LSHF in \$100.00 increments for up to five years with a designation on the donation memo for a Granite State Fellow.

Currently there are 383 Granite State Fellows and 16 Progressive Granite State Fellows.

Applications are online at: nhlions.org

Contact Chairman PCC Roger LaTulippe at 603-566-0691 email: <u>dgroger@comcast.net</u>



LIONS YOUTH SERVICES

October's meeting had a large attendance, thank you for participating in Lions Youth Services and what we try to accomplish with bettering and supporting the youth of New Hampshire. We hope that all will

continue in their interest and support of this group.

It looks like we have filled the vacant 44H Director's position for the board. Thank you Pam Brewster from the Epping Lions we look forward to you joining us.

The Calendar Raffle has been filled and

completed (lots of great prizes, (31 chances to win with a limited number of tickets!) and was given the okay to be sent off to the printer. Tickets will be available for purchase during the upcoming November Cabinet meetings and if there are any left to sell, they will be available at the MD44 Mid-Winter Convention in

January. (District 44H Cabinet meeting on November 4th and District 44N Cabinet meeting on November 11th.) Please stop by to pick up a ticket or two for this great raffle. To repeat, this will be a January Calendar (\$5.00 each or 5 for \$20.00). The drawing will take place during the February Lions Youth Services

meeting and the winners announced soon after,

published in the March newsletters and during the March Cabinet Meetings. Please contact

Harry Armstrong at **harrya616@yahoo.com** if you wish to purchase tickets directly. Keep in mind there is a

limited number of tickets so get your tickets while they last!

MATTERS The PEACE POSTER CONTEST

deadline is fast approaching (November 15th is the official date). As many of the schools will be closed on November 6th (Election day) and November 12th (Veterans day, the time to get the peace posters in by this date has been shortened by a few days. Please check with your contact at the school to get the best date possible to judge the entries and to pick them up so that the District Governors have a chance to select a winner. The following is a list of some of the most often rules of LCI that have disqualified a poster. Please use these as a guide when judging your participants but refer to the rules that was in the poster kit for the

complete list. Any rule not met will be considered

disqualified. Hopefully, this will not be the case.

- Student must be 11, 12 or 13 years of age on November 15.
- Artwork must be no smaller than 13"x 20"
- Artwork must be no larger than 20" x 24"
- Three-dimensional entries will not be accepted. Nothing may be glued, stapled or attached to the artwork in any way.
- The use of lettering or numbering on the front of the poster, in any language, is not allowed.
- All artist signatures should be written on the back of the poster only.
- The winning entry should complete the sticker that was provided and placed on the back of the poster.
- Artwork should be done on a flexible material so it can be rolled for shipping in a mailing tube. Do not fold the poster.

Once these rules are met, it is the club's responsibility to choose a first place winner. The club may also choose to select a 2nd and a 3rd place entry as well. We would also like to advise the clubs that they may also turn in up to 10 participants from their club. *Please be sure to advise Virginia Edwards, LYS Peace Poster Director and 44H Chair Erin Frieda of all participants so that they can make arrangements to have all entries photographed. Please photograph the winning poster and all other entries, identifying the name of the participant's poster and the sponsoring club. Please email this information and photos to Rhonda Wynne at rwynnemilford@comcast.net. All photos will be framed for display at the Mid-Winter Convention. *If you should have any concerns or questions, please be sure to contact Virginia Edwards or Erin Frieda.

BACKPACKS 4 KIDS is a new Multiple

District 44 Service Project that Lions Youth Services will be rolling out in 2019!

This service project has been approved to be done at the Mid-Winter Convention in January 2019. There will be a room reserved for all Lion volunteers

to help put together a total of 200 BACK-PACKS!



These BACKPACKS will be available for children in hospitals throughout the state.

The children will receive a drawstring backpack filled with

crayons, stickers, removable

tattoos', coloring books and reading books. A donation of \$2.50 per

BACKPACK to Lions Youth Services will be required to cover all costs.

In the meantime, LYS is looking for donations of coloring books and storybooks on the day of the service project so that they may be included in these BACKPACKS!



LYSNH BENEFIT FOR LIONS YOUTH SERVICE Thirty-One chances to win for just five dollars! One ticket drawn for each day and returned to the ticket pool for the next day's drawing.

No. xxxxx

Tickets \$5.00 each or 5 for \$20.00

Drawing to be held February 14th, 2019

JANUARY 2019

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Donation list for LYSNH Calendar Raffle 2019

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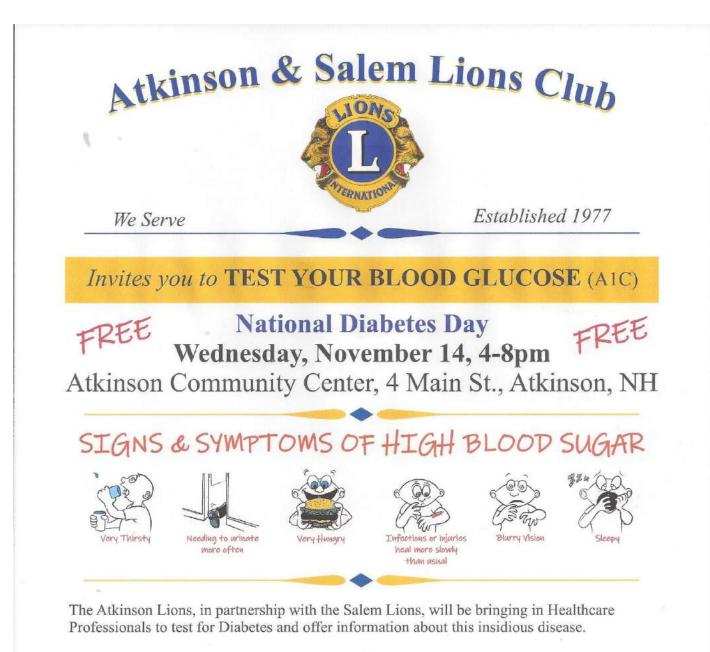
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MULTIPLE DISTRICT MID WINTER CONVENTION

MULTIPLE DISTRICT 44 59th MID-WINTER CONVENTION DOUBLE TREE BY HILTON, NASHUA, NH JAN. 25 –27, 2019							
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A Fri. banquet, entertain	nent, Sat night hors d'oeuvres and Sat. banquet		(a) \$65.00				
B Sat. night hors d'oeuvro	es and banquet		@ \$ 38.00				
C Fri. night banquet and	entertainment		(a) \$ 27.00				
Friday Dessert: Cake and Ice Please make meal choices for <u>Mediterranean Chicken:</u> sur <u>Lemon Pepper Haddock</u> : gra <u>Vegetarian:</u> Butternut Squa Saturday Dessert: Carrot Ca	Pasta, Red marinara sauce, Meatballs, Sausage, e Cream Saturday Night Banquet: Idried tomato, artichoke hearts, scallions, feta cru ape tomatoes, white wine, basil sh Ravioli: Maple allspice crème, toasted sunflov lke fast and Saturday lunch will be on your own. Th	umble, garlic					
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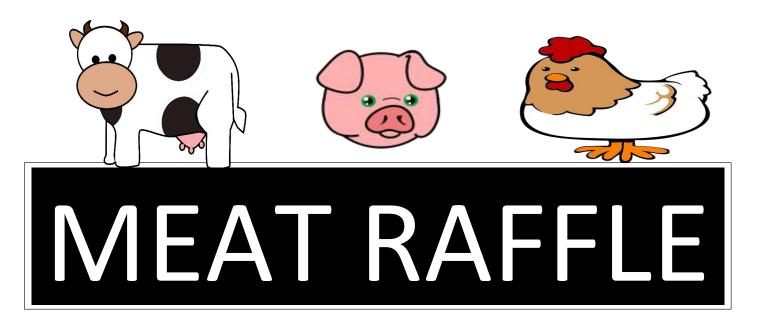
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The Diabetes A1C Test measures your average blood sugar level over the past 2-3 months. It's like a "memory" of your blood sugar levels, it shows how well your body is controlling your blood sugar levels over time.

The American Diabetes Association recommends an A1C of less than 7%. If you test higher than this level, you will be advised to see your Primary Care Physician. Note this information will be kept strictly confidential. Unfortunately, many people are completely unaware they may have Diabetes. Complications include Eye Disease, Cardiovascular Disease, Kidney Disease, Nerve Damage, Amputations and Pregnancy Complications.

PLEASE COME & GET TESTED. IT'S FREE & COULD SAVE YOUR LIFE!



The Sandown Lions welcomes you on Saturday November 9th ,2018 American Legion Post 34 176 Main St, Plaistow NH From 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm Multiple rafiles winners to receive top quality meat. Proceeds to benefit charitable causes of the Sandown Lions Club.

Hudson Lions Club

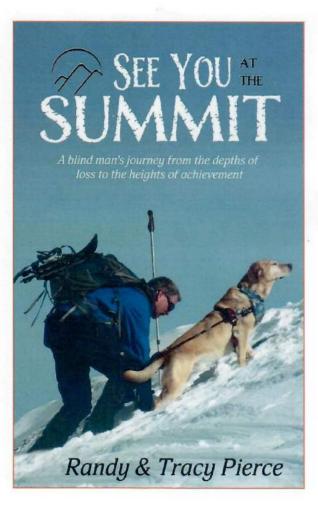


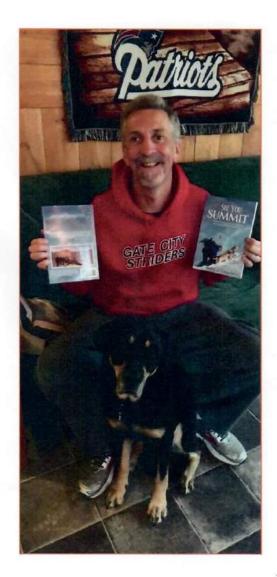


Hudson Lion's Club Past President Randy Pierce has written his inspiring story.

Available on Amazon. The proceeds benefit his charity, 2020 VisionQuest, which has raised hundreds of thousands of dollars in support of vital charities: training guide dogs, and adjustment-to -blindness services — both of which return those stricken with blindness to full, rewarding lives.

Randy Pierce was on top of the world, 22 years old, fresh out of college and thriving at an excellent job. His promising future seemed certain. Then, in just two short and devastating weeks, an unexpected neurological disorder plunged him into blindness. Randy, believing his future had vanished in the blink of an eye, wondered, "How can my life have meaning now?





Moultonboro News



Photo Caption: Moultonborough Lions Club members broke a record in getting the mass mailing ready for their Annual \$5000 Raffle to be drawn at the Holiday Fair at the Moultonborough Central School on Dec. 1st. The secret??...check it out...many hands make light work! Looks like the Lions motto "We Serve" in action. (Missing is picture taker Joe Keegan) Press Release: Got Mail? If not, you will soon because seventeen Moultonborough Lions Club members showed up for the annual "Stuffin" party (sounds much better than mass mailing). Your letter, tickets and return envelops, are now in the mail if you haven't purchased your annual \$5,000 raffle ticket yet. This is a Major Fundraiser for the Lions and they ask for your support.

With all the hoopla with Mega Millions, and Mega Billions, the Raffle cannot compete with the amount of money you can win but it sure can compete with the odds! Support the Lions, keep it local, and whether you win or lose, you win! Because the money raised will go right back to the community. Can't get much better than that.

Lion(s) Eileen & Bob Zewski have chaired this event for a number of years and are proud and thankful for the support they have seen from fellow Lions selling tickets and from the community buving tickets.

This has been a wonderful year for the Moultonborough Lions Club. They celebrated their 55th Anniversary, they welcomed 10 new members, and once again they will make someone very happy with a \$5,000 check right before Christmas. You could be that lucky person! If you would like to find out more about Lionism call Joe & Pat Keegan at 253-9916. Remember the Lions motto is "We Serve".

Submitted by

Patricia Keegan 253-9916



Press Release:

Moultonborough Lions Club members voted to Adopt-A-Shelf at the Inter-Lakes Food Pantry in Moultonborough and fill it with pasta for three months. Lion(s) Joe and Pat Keegan delivered the first installment of 13 cases of pasta (over 200 lbs.) to the pantry on Wednesday. This will be repeated again in November and December at a cost to the Lions of \$200 per month.

According to Amy Norton, CEO of the Food Pantry and Thrift Shop, the Lions have been very supportive of the pantry since its inception and she is very thankful for all they have done over the years. Did you know that as an organization, club, small group of friends, etc. you can Adopt-A-Shelf for a week, a month or longer? If you are thinking of doing something charitable over the Holidays, keep it local by contacting the food pantry at 603-476-5400 and asking about the Adopt-A-Shelf Program. Any donation will be greatly appreciated.

The Moultonborough Lions Club meets on the first and third Mondays of every month. The first Monday is a business meeting starting at 7 p.m. and the third Monday is a dinner meeting starting with a social hour at 6 p.m. with dinner at 7 p.m.

If you would like to find out more about Lionism, call Joe & Pat Keegan at 253-9916. Remember the Lions motto is "We Serve"

Photo Caption: Moultonborough Lions Club members Joe & Pat Keegan deliv-

Submitted by, Pat Keegan 253-9916

Salem News



BizFest promoting Lions and our joint Diabetes detection event.



Eyeglass & Hearing Aids

Collection & Recycling

Randy Tompkins

1 Coombs Farm Rd, Greenland NH 03840

Res Phone: 603-431-7352

E-mail: <u>Rye642@comcast.net</u> Please remember to bring your clubs collected

Eyeglasses and hearing aids to the cabinet meetings and

Conventions as well as any checks.

USED EYEGLASS PROJECT

(as of July, 2018)

Regular glasses sent to VA since project began in 2006:

238,140 pair

Sunglasses sent to VA since project began in 2006:

43,760 pair

Total glasses sent to VA since project began in 2006:

281,900 pair

Total cost of shipping since 2006:

\$15,203.38

(does not include donations from other District Clubs)

Please send contributions to the Hampton Lions to help offset

The cost of shipping !!

District 44H Zone Meetings

ZONE 1 Marilyn Richardson C:603-204-7914 E:Marilyn@pcom.com December 4, 2018 6:30p Place TBD

ZONE 2 Mike Dolan P: 603-909-7950 E: mike.dolan@bauer.com November 13, 2018 Austin 17 house, Brentwood, NH in the Grace Ministries Bldg 6:30 pm

ZONE 3 Melanie Saunders P: 339-894-0982 E: melanieleesaunders@gmail.com TBD

ZONE 4 Beth Ferriera P: 603-820-7085 E: bostonrdsxs25@yahoo.com TBD

ZONE 6 Doug Griffin P: 603-944-1377 E: doug@seadec.com November 13, 2018 Austin 17 house, Brentwood, NH in the Grace Ministries Bldg 6:30 pm

ZONE 7 *PDG Toni Olden C:603-677-2431* E: toniolden@gmail.com TBD



2018-2019

District Directory CORRECTIONS

Pg 31—Meanie Saunders	Pg 56— PID Ed Lecius				
E: melanieleesaunders@gmail.com	E: lioncommish@gmail.com				
Pg 34—Newsletter Contest	Pg 66—Huguette "Yogi" Fregeau				
Gail Dacey (not Darcy)	PO Box 1422				
Pg 36—Lions Camp Pride	Pg 66—Salem Lions Club				
E:lionscamppride44h@gmail.com	Meeting time is 6:30pm				
Telephone: 603-482-6115	Pg 66— Marilyn Hamel				
Pg 39—Barrinton Area LCIF Coordinator	E: pilotdad66@gmail.com				
E:teufelchgen1955@gmail.com	Pg 148—Dacey, Gail				
Club Email: barringtonNHLions@gmail.com	remove "44H Zone 1 Chair"				
Pg 45—Exeter Lions Club	Pg 149— Dennis, Robert				
President Patricia Izzo	E:rdennis4@comcast.net				
E:pa93055@gmail.com	Pg 169—Marilyn Richardson				
Pg 30— Mark D'Amico	E: Marilyn@pcom.com				
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Please send any District Directory Corrections to newsletter44h@outlook.com

Please note in the subject line "District Directory Corrections"

NEWSLETTER SUBMISSION AND DEADLIINE

Deadline for submitting articles to be published in the newsletter is the

20th of each month. Do not send PDF documents

To keep the size of the newsletter reasonable, most event articles will be reduced to 1/4 page.

Clubs and district committees with multiple articles for the same newsletter should consolidate the articles into one submission that does not to exceed one page.

Newsletter submissions should be sent to Marilyn Vaccaro at: newsletter44H@outlook.com

NEWSLETTER DISTRIBUTION

This newsletter is E-Mailed via Constant Contact to all District 44-H members who have e-mail addresses on file with LCI ~ Lions Clubs International.

- ⇒ Presidents and secretaries, please coordinate and make a copy available to members that to not have E-Mail.
- ⇒ All E-Mail changes must be made on the LCI website by your club secretary.
- ⇒ If you have opted out of receiving the newsletter in error, to receive the newsletter

MULTIPLE DISTRICT DIRECTORY

Any corrections to the Multiple District

Directory for 2018-2019 should be sent

to: newsletter44h@outlook.com

Please say "Directory Correction" in the subject line

