



District 27-B1 Cabinet  
2001-2002

Row 1

Pat Knier  
Tom Clausen, PDG  
Steve Groene, IPDG  
DG Orville Kittel  
Gary Colton  
Ed Filemyr  
Dwayne Habrat, PDG  
Dave Holschbach

Row 2

Irv Korth  
Bud Nitzke  
DAP Brenda Arellano  
Ralph Schneider  
Orv Doede, PDG  
Howard Sippel  
Herb Schneider, PDG  
Shirley Peterson  
Clayton Sengbusch, PDG  
Cora Lawson  
Paul Tadych, PDG  
Richard Schaefer

Row 3

Gary Bilke  
Dave Wood  
Elmer Kaas  
Bob Newton  
Ken Wallander  
William Wessing  
Vic Voigt, PDG  
Bob Showers, PDG  
Dave Petrie, PDG  
Pat Champeau, PDG  
Tom King  
Harvey Hansen

**Minutes**  
**District Convention • District 27-B1**  
**Saturday, Novemeber 11th, 2001**  
**Pioneer Marina & Resort • Oshkosh, WI**

- Call to Order** 1. Meeting was called to order at 8:15 a.m. by DG Orv Kittel.
- Pledge** 2. Pledge of Allegiance was led by IPDG Steve Groene.
- Song and Prayer** 3. Prayer by Pat Knier.
- Welcome** 4. Welcome to Oshkosh by City Mayor Jon Dell'Antonia.
- Lioness Affiliate  
President** 5. Lioness Affiliate President Brenda Arellano greeted the Convention on behalf of the District Lioness.
- Guest Speaker** 6. ID Arthur Lazarow informed us that he is serving on the board as Chairman of the Public Relation Committee. President Frank Moore has asked for more advertising money for another advertising campaign this coming fall. There is ½ million dollars being allocated for this. He commented on the marvelous camp we have and said we should be proud of it. Continue the good work!
- State Secretary  
Report** 7. PDG Dwaine Habrat gave the State Secretary report and acknowledged the District Governor's activities. Use the following to access the State Office Operations.

Telephone # 715-341-2277  
Fax # 715-341-9987 or  
e-mail: lionstat@coredcs.com

Room rates for the International Convention at the Hotel Do Sports Plaza in Osaka, Japan on July 8-12, 2002 are approximately \$118 + 5% tax and 10% service charge per night. More information on the LCI web site at:

<[www.lionclubs.org](http://www.lionclubs.org)>

He continues to be concern with membership. September is down 30 members since June. Dues have increased to \$6.00 per year for the district. All Past District Governors who served prior to 1987-88 are asked to send a biography of their Lions activities and personal information to the State Office. Also, Past District Governors were asked to include a list of awards received and the year received.

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**WLF Report**

8. WLF President, Mike McMeeken reported on the State of the Foundation. Recognized our District Director Ken Wallender and Dave Wood. Also, recognized our WLF Club Program Associates. 61 out of 96 in the district enrolled at this time. He also recognized all Past Directors for their continued work. Last year we had almost 1,700 campers come out. Next year there will be 2 weeks set aside for the Diabetes Youth. 166 campers and 7 staff members came from 27-B1. Vision Screening is starting to take off. Diabetes Awareness is gaining strength quickly. There are programs all over the state. Deer hide collection is doing well. Last year over \$6,800 was collected for the hides. All the cabins have been completed this past year. Also, the easy access to lower cabin area, new storage shed, and a declining wall for the kids. Future projects include new Foundation Office, expansion of Dining Room, Health Lodge, and Indian Hollow is going to be renovated. Please contact your directors for a program on your Foundation.

**Lions Eye Bank  
of Wisconsin**

9. *PDG DON JOHANSON, D-1, PRES. LIONS EYEBANK OF WIS.*  
PDG Don Pavlat from 27-B2 gave report on Wisconsin Eye Bank. He thanked us for our support of the Eye Bank, especially with our continued support. They have cut expenses by cutting the number of corneas going over seas, and those going to the hospitals for research. The number of transplants in Wisconsin have increased. There are no longer any waiting list for people in the state that want a cornea.

**Mission to  
Mexico**

10. PDG Bob Showers thanked all those in 27-B1 for their support. Just returned Halloween Eve from Ciudad Victoria and he recognized those people who had went down on the mission. Spent \$1,851 on ambulance from Marquette County along with other donated vehicles. Bus expenses were \$575.81. Ambulance expenses were \$444.35 and \$79.75 for a tire for a total of \$2,950.91. Please keep collecting used eye glasses, used equipment, and school supplies.

**Peace Poster**

11. Lion Karen Koch reported on the Peace Poster. The theme this year is "Light the Path to World Peace". There are 7 Peace Poster entries.

**Convention Pins**

12. Lion Gary Bilke reported that there are no Convention Pins for sale and any pins left over will go down to Mexico. Our new District pins came out in July this year, and there are 3 pin design entries to vote on at this convention.



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**Resolutions**

13. PDG Clayton Sengbusch was happy to report that there are no resolutions for this year on the ballot. He informed us that the deadline for getting resolutions in for the State Convention is 90 days before the start of the State Convention. Send them to himself or State Executive Secretary Dwaine Habrat.

**Nominations**

14. Nominations were directed by Jeri Showers.

For DG - Ed Filemyr  
Nomination by PDG Vic Voigt  
Second by PDG Steve Groene

For VDG - Tom King  
Nomination by PDG Bob Showers  
Second by PDG Steve Groene

For WLF - Ken Wallender  
Nomination by PDG Bill Wessing  
Second by Vic Voigt

Endorsement for ID Candidate - Bob Showers  
Nomination by PDG Tom Clausen  
Second by PDG Tom Koch

District Bowling  
From the Floor  
Random Lake  
Valders

Motion and second to close nominations. Carried.

**Mid Morning  
Seminars**

15. Juvenile Diabetes by Julie Kersten  
  
Youth Exchange by Alicia Reinl and Denise Horneck  
  
Red Cross by Kelly Butzlaff

**Lunch**

16. Prayer was said by District Chaplin Lion Pat Knier. The head table was introduced along with other honored guests. IPDG Steve Groene and PDG Tom Clausen Presented the 100% Secretary and Treasurer awards.

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**Parade of Checks** 17.

**Afternoon  
Seminars** 18.

Rawhide by John Solberg

Wisconsin Lions Foundation by Karl Franzen

Leader Dog Representative by Linda McClain

**Necrology** 19.

Necrology services were held in Remembrance for those Lions and Lioness who left us this past year.

**Voting** 20.

**Banquet** 21.

ID Arthur Lazarow was the featured speaker. He presented International President Certificates of Appreciation to Sherman Hamilton and Pat Knier. Certificates of Appreciation from the Leader Dog School were presented to PDG Steve Groene, Eleanore Luedke, and PDG Vic Voight. WLF President Mike McMeeken presented Burch Sturms to IPDG Steve Groene and Ellie Luedke , Past Affiliate Lioness President. A special award was presented to the Winnebago East Shore Lions Club for their continued contribution to WLF. PDG Bob Showers presented Melvin Jones Fellowships to Lion Elmer Grahl, PDG Del Peterson, and PDG Tom Clausen. Election results were presented by Jeri Showers and are:

District Governor Elect - Ed Filemyr

Vice District Governor Elect - Tom King

WLF Director - Ken Wallender

International Director Candidate - PDG Bob Showers

District Bowling - Valders Lions Club

Peace Poster - #2

District Pin - #2

CST Gary Colton gave the Parade of Checks totals: WLF \$28,605, Leader Dog \$6,180, LCIF \$3,999, Diabetes \$2,105, District Hearing \$925, Mission to Mexico \$1,175, Youth Exchange \$800, Eye Bank \$200, Emergency Fund \$25, and American Diabetes \$1,035.

Bucket Raffle brought in \$1,200. Convention Raffle brought in \$5,804. Raffle Drawing was conducted by PDG Vic Voigt.

A prayer was given by District Chaplain Pat Knier.  
Convention Adjournment by DG Orv Kittel.

*Respectfully Submitted by Gary Colton CST*

**Minutes**  
**1st Cabinet Meeting ♦ District 27-B1**  
**Sunday, July 29, 2001**  
**Peck's Plantation ♦ Wautoma, WI**

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| <b>Call to Order</b>                | 1.  | Meeting was called to order at 1:00 p.m. by DG Orv Kittel.  |
| <b>Pledge</b>                       | 2.  | Pledge of Allegiance was led by IPDG Steve Groene.  |
| <b>Song and Prayer</b>              | 3.  | Prayer and Song was led by Pat Knier.   |
| <b>Introductions</b>                | 4.  | Introduction of Cabinet and Guest.  |
| <b>Opening Remarks</b>              | 5.  | DG Orv Kittel's goal this year for District 27-B1 is to establish one new club and to install 100 new members. The Presidents theme is: <i>'Light the path for youth, members, new leaders, and finally light the path for service.'</i>  |
| <b>Induction of Cabinet Members</b> | 6.  | Induction of Cabinet Members by State Executive Secretary PDG Dwaine Habrat.  |
| <b>Award</b>                        | 7.  | DG Orv Kittel presented an "Outstanding Leadership" Plaque which was awarded to IPDG Steve Gorene.  |
| <b>Roll Call</b>                    | 8.  | Roll Call was taken by Cabinet Secretary-Treasurer Gary Colton. All Cabinet members were present except: Walter Drees, David Bardon, Charles Taylor, Dan Fullington, William Wessing, PDG Gordon Hoffman, PDG Don Kringel, PDG Vernon Pautz, PDG John Coleman, PDG Max Harrington, PDG Howard Heimke, PDG Fred Holtz, PDG Clem Schoenborn, and PDG Calrence Weller. |
| <b>Communications</b>               | 9.  | No Communications to report from Cabinet Secretary-Treasurer Gary Colton.   |
| <b>Minutes</b>                      | 10. | Motion by PDG Vic Voigt to accept the minutes as written by Past CST Jim Roberts, and seconded by PDG Tom Koctt to approve the minutes. Motion Carried.   |
| <b>Financial Report</b>             | 11. | Motion by PDG Paul Tadych to accept the financial report, seconded by PDG Bob Showers. Discussion: Money in savings and money market to be put to use, keep on hand for unforeseen contributions, grants, etc.. Motion Carried.   |
| <b>Old Business</b>                 | 12. | PDG Dave Petri reported that nothing has been done regarding the Red Cross since last spring.   |

**Budget Proposal  
2001/2002**

13. Proposed budget for FY 2001/2002 was presented by Cabinet Secretary/  
Treasurer Gary Colton. Motion to accept by Tom King, seconded by Ross  
Tarno. Motion Carried.

**District Dues**

14. Discussion to set district dues at \$5.00 with 50¢ to go towards the  
District Convention. Motion by VDG Ed Filemyr to accept the \$5.00  
district dues, seconded by Tom King. Motion Carried.

**District Convention  
Report**

15. PDG Tom Clausen reported the District Convention will be held at the  
"Pioneer Resort Inn" at Oshkosh. Meals are set. Ads are set. Letter and  
registration form are at printers. No seminars have been set. Reservations  
must be made by October 10th. Room fees are set at \$69 and suites at \$109  
for Lion members, if made by deadline. Meals at \$15.50.

**Vice District  
Governor Report**

16. VDG Ed Filemyr reported that Holiday Inn of Fond du Lac is set for the  
District Convention in 2002. Holiday Inn of Manitowoc is being negotiated  
for the year 2003. Anxious to meet with each Zone. He would like to hear  
about activities that are going on.

**New Business  
WLF**

17. WLF Director Ken Wallender reported that the cabin project is complete at a  
cost of \$2.1 Million with \$2,000 of landscaping to be done yet. Program  
Associate has one date left, which is August 2nd, 2001. April will be a  
training session for the Quest program. Cost will be \$225 per teacher with the  
remainder being paid by the Foundation. DiabetesCamp will run for 2 weeks  
next year, due to the great attendance. Many kids were unable to participate  
because of the overwhelming attendance. The new program received many  
checks from various organizations, but the registered youth did not show for  
unknown reasons. Factors are believed to be due to the low cost of sponsors'  
registration investment. Letters will be sent out to staff and clubs, suggesting  
they follow-up to ensure each youth sponsored, attends the program. This will  
help to ensure that youth wishing to attend, will be able to do so; while  
maintaining a full attendance. PDG Steve Groene and Ken Wallender  
delivered 290 lbs. of cheese on July 27th, donated by Sergento Cheese for  
Diabetes Kids. The golf outing had 168 register, and 160 showed. Lions Day  
had 1,200 reservations at the time of deadline, and 1,150 showed. Due to the  
threat of inclement weather, many guests left early. Ken Wallender has  
4-seasons pins available if needed. The Storage Building has been completed.  
Ground breaking for Eye Glass Center took place at Lions Day. Among the 7  
motorcycle clubs, a donation of \$35,000 was received for the Climbing Wall.  
The last addition on the Climbing Wall has been completed. The wall is also  
handicap accessible. From the Dining Hall to first cabin in the boy's section, a  
loft break has been added. Upcoming improvements include: addition to the  
Health Lodge, addition to the Dining Hall, (a meeting with the architect will  
be addressing committee's concerns), Kate and Owl will include an



amphitheater with seating into the North bank, doors will be added to the Rec Shelter, install a sprinkler system for the lawns. Lawyer attends each year from Milwaukee and teaches tennis, suggested building tennis courts for the kids. Any donations of tennis rackets and tennis balls are to be given to Ken Wallender. The grant for the Animal Pens and Feeding Station has been lost. The Feeding Station will be placed at the loft way behind the Memorial Building to help attract wild animals to that area. Eye glasses and hearing aides are needed, with an emphasis on hearing aides. There were approximately 61,000 pairs of eye glasses received on Lions Day. Conference of Camp will be held October 16th - 20th. Work Day is scheduled for October 20th, November 10th, April 6th, and April 13th at the camp. Ken Roberts was recognized for his donation during the past 7 years to the WLF. WLF Director Dave Wood had the opportunity to attend two director meetings before he started official business. He sits on three committees. Any questions or concerns can be directed to Dave and he will bring them to the board.

**Lioness Affiliate  
District Liason**

18. Lioness Affiliate District President Brenda Arellano informed us that she will gain valuable experience working with the cabinet this year.

**Diabetes Awareness**

19. PDG Milt Wood reported the goal for this year is to aid the children's diabetes center and the surrounding area.

**Children Vision  
Screening**

20. PDG Paul Tadych reported about a half a dozen people have been trained for the Children Vision Screening. LEHP & Eye Bank are doing well.

**Constitution  
& By-Laws**

21. PDG Clayton Sengbusch reported that Resolution 1 was passed, which removed items from the constitution and placed them into Bylaws. Resolution 2 was not passed. If it would of been passed the dues could be increased with a simple majority vote of the delegates, but as it stands now they will have to have a 2/3 majority. New Resolutions are being formatted in order to be implimented for next year's State Convention and it's hosting club. Ideas are welcomed.

**Diabetes & Sight  
Conservation**

22. Lion Ross Tarnow wished to thank everyone for their help last year. Approximately \$8,000 was donated by Lions and Lioness Clubs towards the American Diabetes Association and the Lions Foundation.

**Technology**

23. PDG Tom Clausen reported this year's first goal is to encourage as many Lions secretaries as possible to submit membership reports over the web. This will save International time and money. Second goal is to help clubs set up their own web page. This will enable ease for the community to find information on the club. There is a web page for a current email list of the district's current officers. The address is:

< [lionsof27b1@yahoo.com](mailto:lionsof27b1@yahoo.com) >

**Raffle**

24. PDG Vic Voigt reported that he still has raffle tickets available.

- District Pins** 25. Gary Bilke reported that he purchased 500 2002 District Pins at a cost of \$1.45 each. Motion by IPDG Steve Groene to sell the pins for \$2.00 each, seconded by PDG Dave Petri. Motion Carried. Discussion on how to handle payment for pins. Motion by PDG Vic Voigt to pay cash for pins directly to Gary Bilke, seconded by Tom King. Motion Carried. Discussion on amount of pins to have available at convention. Motion by PDG Milt Wood to order 500 District Convention Pins which will be available only at the State Convention, seconded by PDG Dave Petri. Motion Carried.
- Hearing & Speech** 26. Howard Sippel reported there were 15 hearing aids purchased this past year.
- Historian & Eye Bank** 27. PDG Orv Doede reported that due to the State giving away too many free corneas, eye research programs, transplantation's in foreign countries or third world development countries, that their budget is overmaxed.. There is no waiting list for eye transplants at this time. District 27-B1 has three locations where eye transplants are done. They are Sheboygan, Neenah/Menasha area, and Appleton. Fond du Lac serves as a transport team, being a relay point. There are approximately 20-25 trips per month for eye or cornea in the district.
- LCIF/USA Canada Forum** 28. PDG Robert Showers reported that USA/Canada Forum at Hali-Fax Nova Scotia is coming up in September. LCIF Committee has met and we do have 5 Melvin Jones Fellows to present at this year's District Convention.
- Leader Dog** 29. PDG Vic Voigt reported There were three districts in the State of Wisconsin that qualified for the 100% Contribution. District 27-B1 was one of these qualifying districts. Donations of \$10,000 was received in excess of last year. Congratulations to the top ten clubs donating to the Leader Dog Program are: Winnebago East Shore, Two Rivers, Shorewood, Plymouth, Appleton Noon, Appleton Evening, Hilbert, Larson/Winchester, Oshkosh Lakeshore, and Ripon. There were eight dogs that came to Wisconsin.
- Lion's Quest** 30. Shirley Peterson said a special thanks to Ken Wallender for all the work he has been doing for the Quest Program.
- Lion & Lioness Extension** 31. Jack Johnson reported he would be getting that new club for the District.
- Membership** 32. PDG Tom Clausen & IPDG Steve Groene are taking this office for one year. Their goal is to hold 5 regional meetings. The president and membership chairman from each club should attend.
- Mission to Mexico** 33. PDG Bob Showers reported \$1,851 in expenditures. October 21st is the next trip. Motion by Tom King to maintain the Mexico project in the district, seconded by Ken Wallender. Motion Carried.

**Research & Long  
Range Planning**

34. PDG Dave Petri reported working with the Red Cross to set up a program. All ideas will be entertained.

**Tail Twister &  
Sergeant-at-Arms**

35. Irv Korth reported at the next Cabinet meeting that all must be in a sports coat or Lions vest.

**Peace Poster**

36. Karen Koch reported there is only two months left to get the Peace Poster done. Chairmen are to announce this to their clubs at their zone meetings.

**Public Relations  
Lion Information**

37. Cora Lawson reported that the District 27-B1 will be spotlighted in the Wisconsin Lion magazine in October. Deadline for information September 1st. No newspaper photos are acceptable, photographs only. Please avoid computer photos, due to the higher cost to get ready for print. Discussion of how PDG Dave Petri is disappointed in the quality of the magazine. He would like to see more articles on projects within the state. IPDG Steve Groene reported he had attended a meeting addressing this problem. PDG Dwaine Habrat also voiced his disapproval.

**Environmental**

38. PDG Tom Koch nothing to report at this time.

**Elections &  
Nominations**

39. Jeri Showers reported that she has papers for WLF Director, but is looking for candidates for Vice District Governor and host city for District Bowling.

**Zone Chairman  
Reports**

40. Region One/Zone 1

Steve Hemauer reported a Zone meeting is planned for August 13th at the Smith Brother's Zoo. One new Melvin Jones Award to be given.

Region One/Zone 2

Dave Holschbach reported a Zone meeting is planned for the 3rd Wednesday in September.

Region One/Zone 3

Harvey Hansan reported there will be a Corn Roast on August 15th. A zone meeting will be scheduled at a later date.

Region Two/Zone 1

Ralph Schneider reported a Zone meeting is scheduled for September 17th.

Region Two/Zone 2

Elmer Kass reported that the Cascade Lions will be celebrating their 25th year anniversary on September 27th, at Five Pillars Supper Club. Cost is \$25 per couple or \$13 per individual.

Region Two/Zone 3

Richard Schaefer reporter one club celebrated their 20th year anniversary, and another club celebrated their 35th year anniversary.

Region Three/Zone 1

Robert Grundman report that the clubs are all active. No Zone meeting set up.

Region Three/Zone 2

PDG Patrick Champeau reported a zone meeting is scheduled for the 2nd Monday in September.

Region Four/Zone 1

Gary Bielke reported a zone meeting is scheduled for September 19th. A host club will arrange the meetings this year.

Region Four/Zone 2

Daniel Nitzke reported a zone meeting for the 3rd Wednesday in September. They are also in the process of planning a Diabetes screening to be held in Ripon.

Region Five/Zone 1

Tom King reported a zone meeting will be held in late September.

Region Five/Zone 2

Sherman Hamilton reported a zone meeting is scheduled for August 27th, at the research station. Plainfield Lions Club has a Bean Feast coming up August 11th & 12th. Poy Sippi Lions Club has their festival on September 8th.

**Viking Ship**

41. Motion by IPDG Steve Groene to give \$350 to the Valders Club to tow the Viking Ship to the International Convention, seconded by Jeri Showers. Motion Carried.

**Youth Exchange**

42. Motion by Tom King to help fund Camp Vista in Dundee in the amount of \$1,200, seconded by IMPD Steve Groene. Motion Carried.

**Adjournment**

43. Motion to Adjourn by Howard Sippel, seconded by Ross Tarno. Motion Carried. Adjourned at 4:12 p.m..



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**Convention  
Site**

19. District Governor Elect, Ed Filemyr gave us a report on the Holiday Inn of Manitowoc. Next year's Convention will be at the Holiday Inn of Fond du Lac. Discussion concerning Pioneer Inn. Motion by PDG Bob Showers to hold the 2003 District Convention at the Pioneer in Oshkosh. Seconded by VDG Elect Tom King. Carried. Discussion regarding when to hold Convention. 86% of all Lions wish to hold Convention in October according to PDG Del Peterson. By-laws state Convention be held in November. Let this be an advisory issue regarding change. PDG Bob Showers made mention that we should establish a permanent weekend for the Convention. It was also suggested that we look at our policy regarding the selection of the Convention site by the two previous Past District Governors. We have to be able to work with getting Convention speakers lined up, etc. Lion Clayton will work on the policy and bring it to the next Cabinet meeting. Every Cabinet member please bring your ideas to the next meeting.

**District  
Anniversary**

20. PDG Dwaine Habrat made us aware that 35 years ago we broke away from District 27. He suggested that we hold a celebration next summer or fall. Invite all Past District Governors from 27-B1.

**Zone Chairmen  
Reports**

21. Zone Chairmen are preparing their next zone meetings. PDG Orv Doede made mention that Zone Chairmen have Lions Eye Bank presenters available from the District.

**Thank You**

22. Special thanks to PDG Vic Voigt and Lion Bill Wessing for a good job on the Convention Raffles.

**Vice District  
Governor Report**

23. VDG Ed Filemyr would like to be invited to Zone chairman meetings. Also, all clubs that collect over \$25,000 please get your Form 990's in to the government.

**Adjournment**

24. Motion by Lion Jeri Showers to adjourn. Seconded. Carried.

Respectfully Submitted;

Gary Colton CST

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- Call to Order** 1. Meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m. by DG Orv Kittel.
- Pledge** 2. Pledge of Allegiance was led by PDG Bob Showers.
- Song and Prayer** 3. Prayer by Pat Knier.
- Introductions** 4. DG Orv Kitter had all veterans who served our country, stand being that today was Veteran's Day..
- Roll Call** 5. Roll call taken by CST Gary Colton. All Cabinet members were present except: Lion Gary Bilke, PDG John Coleman, Lion Wally Drees, Lion Dan Fullington, PDG Max Harrington, PDG Howard Heinke, Lion Steve Hemauer, PDG Gordy Hoffman, PDG Fred Holtz, Lion Karen Koch, PDG Tom Koch, PDG Don Kringle, PDG Glen Murty, Lion Robert Newton, PDG Eugene Norberg, PDG Vern Pautz, PDG Dave Petrie, PDG Ken Rhode, PDG Herb Schneider, PDG Clem Schoenburn, Lion Chuck Taylor, PDG Clarence Welller, PDG Milt Wood. Special excuse for PDG Tom Clausen, IPDG Steve Groene, and PDG Victor Voigt. Guests Present were: Lion Mary Champeau and Lion Harvey McBroom.
- Minutes** 6. Motion by PDG Paul Tadych to accept the minutes from the last Cabinet meeting. Seconded by Sherm Hamilton. Carried.
- Financial Report** 7. Motion by PDG Clayton Sengbusch to accept the Treasurer's report. Seconded by PDG Bob Showers. Motion Carried.
- Communications** 8. CST Gary Colton received Zone Meeting date from Lion Steve Hemauer. Meeting will be on December 3rd, at 7:30 p.m. at Schmidt's Bros.
- New Business** 9. DG Orv Kittel reported Convention attendance. 415 People attended the Convention. 259 Lions, 56 Guest, 56 Lioness, 1 Leo, and 43 other District guests. 63 clubs were represented with 52 clubs with Delegates. 151 Lions were certified. 145 Voted. Tail Twister Irv Korth turned over \$351.11.
- Election Results** 10. Lion Jeri Showers reported the International Director Candidate is PDG Bob Showers, DG elect is Ed Filemyr, VDG is Lion Tom King, WLF Director is Ken Wallender, District Bowling Host for 2002-2003 will be Valdars Lions Club. District Pin Winner was #2 and Peace Poster Winner was #2.

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**Constitution  
and By-laws**

11. PDG Clayton Sengbusch would like to set up a policy in regards to a definite time for Certification at the Convention. Also, he will set up a policy in regards to Zone Chairman Orientation by the Incoming District Governor.

**Lions Quest**

12. Lion Shirley Peterson reported that Lions Quest is on hold for right now, because Lions International is in the process of purchasing the Quest Program.

**Mission to  
Mexico**

13. PDG Bob Showers reported that the last trip to Mexico cost us about \$3,000, with the purchase of a vehicle and one other that was donated. We will have about \$1,334 with the monies from yesterday, but we will need more with the trip coming up in February.

**USA/Canada  
Forum**

14. PDG Bob Showers reported that the Forum in Halifax had 3,000 people registered, but lost 500 people because of the 911 Disaster. Next year's is in Fort Worth, Texas.

**Forum**

**District Pin**

15. CST Gary Colton reporting for Lion Gary Bilke, reported that the District Pins are sold out and any left over Convention Pins are to be sent on to Mexico, because they are not for sale. Motion by Lion Tom King to pay out \$75.00 to Craig Hansen for last year's District Pin Design, this year's Convention Pin and this next year's District Pin Design. Seconded by PDG Bob Showers. Carried.

**Membership  
Report**

16. CST Gary Colton reporting for IPDG Steve Groene and PDG Tom Clausen, reported that they presented 5 Region Seminars during the months of September and October in Cascade, Clarks Mills, Fairwater, Packwaukee, and Van Dyne. 30 Lions clubs and 1 Lioness club attended the seminars. Zone chairmen were asked to follow up with their clubs to see if they need any further help or information.

**Bowling**

17. Lion Dave Bardon reported that the District bowling tourney is in Collins this year on February 16th, 17th, 23rd, and 24th. Come out and have some Fun!

**Public  
Relations**

18. Lion Cora Lawson reported that she would like some help from the Zone Chairman with regards to feedback regarding Convention Articles from the area newspapers.

**Minutes**  
**3rd Cabinet Meeting ♦ District 27-B1**  
**Sunday, February 10th, 2002**  
**Columbus Club ♦ Appleton, WI**

- Tail Twister**            28.    Lion Irv Korth turned over to CST Gary Colton \$12 from the last Cabinet meeting, along with \$38 for those who bought an American flag.
- Youth Exchange**            29.    PDG Del Peterson has 6 youths that came forward to go over seas. His club only sponsors 2. The Elkhart Lake Club pays ½ of the fare or up to \$600. PDG Del Peterson made motion to pay up to \$600 for one youth out of the District Youth Exchange account. Second by PDG Steve Groene. Motion carried. Lion Bill Wessing made motion to sponsor form District Funds up to \$600 for one youth from Random Lake. Second by Lion Tom King. Motion Carried.
- Zone Chairman Reports**    30.    Zone Chairmans - Region 1 - Zone 2 & 3 are doing newspaper advertising and getting the Cabinet Committee Chairmans involved at their meetings. Lion Gary Bilke's Zone is talking about getting a new club started. Lion Dick Schaefer - on March 21, 2002; 25th anneversary for the St.Peter Club. Lion Sherm Hamilton informed us that Poysippi had their 50th anniversary and they had Russ Link form the Lions Camp as their speaker. The rest of Zones are getting meetings set up and are doing fine.
- District Governor Elect Report**    31.    VDG Ed Filemyr stressed to us that all the clubs in the District should try to get their PU/101 Forms in as soon as possible, because they are needed for next years State Directory pulication.
- Adjournment**            32.    Motion by Lion Geri Showers to adjorn @ 4:25 p.m. Motion Carried.

*Respectfully Submitted by Gary Colton CST*



## **To Be Reviewed at Next Cabinet Meeting**

### **Possible request for exact date for 27B1 District Convention**

**Policy #1 Convention Item B reads the convention must be held within a time period of the last 2 weekends in October and the 1st 2 weekends in November.**

If District wants an exact date because of B2 convention & WLF Meeting item B can read either:

The convention shall be held the third weekend of October

OR

The convention shall be held the second weekend in November

OR

Any other date the cabinet desires.

### **Policy on Certifications at Convention**

The cabinet secretary-treasurer shall certify delegates immediately after the business session until 15 minutes before the scheduled noon luncheon. There shall be no certification during lunch and the parade of checks. The cabinet secretary-treasurer shall certify again upon completion of parade of checks and continue until the scheduled start of the Necrology Service. Certification on Friday evening is at the option of the cabinet secretary-treasurer.

### **Zone Chairman Orientation**

The District Governor and Vice Governor shall hold a Zone Chairman Orientation prior to September One each year. It should cover such subjects as Zone Meetings, Zone Reports and Reporting, and District Policies, How to read District Financial Statements, and other subjects deemed necessary.

**Minutes**  
**3rd Cabinet Meeting ♦ District 27-B1**  
**Sunday, February 10th, 2002**  
**Columbus Club ♦ Appleton, WI**

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| <b>Call to Order</b>                   | 1. Meeting was called to order at 1:05 p.m. by DG Orv Kittel.  |
| <b>Pledge</b>                          | 2. Pledge of Allegiance was led by IPDG Steve Groene.  |
| <b>Song and Prayer</b>                 | 3. Song and prayer led by Pat Knier.   |
| <b>Introduction of Guests</b>          | 4. DG Elect Ed Filemyr intorduced Lion Larry Fredericks and his wife.  |
| <b>Roll Call</b>                       | 5. Roll Call taken by CST Gary Colton. All Cabinet members were present except: Lioness Brenda Arellano, David Bardon, PDG Pat Champeau, PDG John Coleman, Dan Fullington, Robert Grundman, PDG Max Harrington, PDG Howard Heimke, Steve Hemauer, PDG Gordon Hoffman, PDG Fred Holtz, Karen Koch, PDG Tom Koch, PDG Glen Murty, PDG Eugene Norberg, PDG Vern Pautz, PDG Ken Rhode, Ralph Schneider, PDG Clem Schoenborn, Ross Tarnow, PDG Vic Voigt, PDG Clarence Weller, and PDG Milt Wood. |
| <b>Minutes</b>                         | 6. Motion by PDG Bob Showers to accept the minutes from the last Cabinet meeting. Seconded by Bill Wessing. Motion Carried.  |
| <b>Treasurers Report</b>               | 7. Motion by VDG Elect Tom King to accept the Treasurers report. Seconed by PDG Bob Showers. Motion Carried.   |
| <b>Communications</b>                  | 8. CST Gary Colton received notice that Lion Ross Tarnow would not make this meeting.  |
| <b>Final Wrap-Up of the Convention</b> | 9. PDG Tom Clausen reported that there were 415 attendees representing 63 clubs, 52 clubs having delegates. The Booklet ads came to \$513 with convention dues at \$1,200, registration of \$9,309, and bucket raffle of \$1,200; less expenses we profited approximately \$250 this year. A complete report was handed to CST Gary Colton. IPDG Steve Groene reported that this year's convention will be at the the Holiday Inn in Fond du Lac on November 8, 9, & 10th.                   |

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**Columbus Club ♦ Appleton, WI**

**Convention  
Pins**

10. Gary Bilke reported that he has gotten some flack about not being able to buy convention pins from some Lions. Again, the only way to obtain these pins is to attend the District Convention. Also, Gary is looking for pin designs for this next convention. The FDL Evening Lions Club has 25 sets of their club pins that Lion Bill Wessing was not able to use at last years District Convention. These pins will be going to the Mission to Mexico trips. PDG Herb Schneider made motion to get pins to Mission to Mexico to him by next Thursday. Seconded by Dave Wood. Motion passed.

**State and  
International  
Conventions**

11. PDG Dwaine Habrat reported that to date, the response hasn't been real great in regards to the State Convention. Let's all start promoting for it. There will be some interesting seminars presented this year and the protocol will be changing this year. Table host format to be used, is similar to that used at the USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forums. PDG Dwaine also encourages us to get more Lions interested in becoming Leaders. We have been lacking in this area over the last few years. Regarding the International Convention: State headquarters is the Hotel Desports Plaza. Room rates are \$118. Air fare is going to be between \$850 - \$1,000 out of Chicago.

**District  
Governor Elect  
Report**

12. VDG Ed Filemyr reported that the Officer Training this year will be at Moraine Park Technical College (MPTC) on April 13, 2002 with 6 break out sessions. Also, this past February 2, 2002 the Leadership program that was held, had 26 in attendance. It was interesting and informative according to the feedback that was received.

**WLF Report**

13. Dave Wood reported that they are in the process of moving into the new administration building. An anonymous Donor has contributed \$100,000 towards the renovation of the new dining hall. Winter Activities are hampered with the lack of snow, but it is still a good time to visit the camp. July 28 - August 2 & August 4 - 9 this summer; is being designated for our Diabetic Youth up at the camp. So far we have 71 WLF Associates out of the 94 Lions, Lioness, & Leos Clubs. Ken Wallender reported that work days at the camp this spring will be April 13 & 20. Lions Day is July 21st. Burch-Sturm golf outing is July 20th. QUEST Training Program is back and there will be a meeting some time in April.

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**Sunday, February 10th, 2002**  
**Columbus Club ♦ Appleton, WI**

- Children Vision Screening**      14.      PDG Paul Tadych reported that to date, 12,929 children have been screened and 1,047 children have been referred. This means that about 4,000 children have been screened each year. Though these numbers sound impressive, in 1999; there were 63,000 three year olds in Wisconsin, so two more years have passed and those 63,000 are now five and six year olds. Did we miss over 126,000 more children? PDG Paul feels that we are doing a service wherever we have screened, but a lot of children are yet being passed by. If you, your club, or zone wants to get involved; contact Traci Meyers at Lions Camp or PDG Paul at (920) 668-6308.
- Constitution & By-Laws**      15.      PDG Clayton Sengbusch reported that at the last State Constitution and By-Laws Committee meeting they approved a resolution for \$450,000 to build a new kitchen with a basement which would be used for laundry and bathroom facilities. Also, at that time they had 3 resolutions defining State Projects. To pass any of them will require a 2/3 vote. Another resolution was sent back for rewriting, but it should be in our April Lions Magazine. Now, since our last cabinet meeting; I've come up with some new policies that I have been asked to do (enclosure). Policy #1 - Convention Item B: Discussion. Motion by IPDG Steve Groene to leave the District Convention as it is, Second by PDG Dave Petri. Motion Carried. Policy #2 - Certification at the Convention: Discussion. Clayton will rewrite, regarding when the CST will not certify at the District Convention. Policy #3 - Regarding Zone Chairman Orientation, Motion by PDG Dave Petri. Second by PDG Paul Tadych. Motion Carried.
- Technology**      16.      PDG Tom Clausen has spoken at some Zone meetings, but it's not going so well. Trying to get clubs to submit their reports over the Internet. He will also help clubs design their own web page.
- District Raffle**      17.      Wally Drees will have the Raffle tickets printed and ready for the next Cabinet meeting.
- Elections & Nominations**      18.      Jeri Showers - No report. PDG Paul Tadych said that we should get behind our candidates.
- Hearing & Speech/Eyeglass Recycling**      19.      Howard Sippel reported that so far he has issued 12 hearing aids with authorization for 5 more. Hearing aid prices are going to \$250. Programmable hearing aids cost \$249 - \$489. Tom King made motion to spend money to provide hearing aids for some kids. Second by Jeri Showers. Motion carried.



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**Sunday, February 10th, 2002**  
**Columbus Club ♦ Appleton, WI**

- Historian** 20. PDG Orv Doede reported that he has been assisting those clubs that are having anniversaries with their club history.
- Lion Eye Bank of Wisconsin** 21. PDG Orv Doede made mention that an article will be coming out in our State Lions Magazine in April. We also have 3 members on the Lions Eye Bank from our District. PDG Orv Doede is Vice President, PDG Steve Groene is a state wide representative, along with Lioness June Kitchen. Cost of cornea transplants have excalated tremondously. Eyes are priced at \$1900 each.
- Leo Clubs** 22. Robert Newton reported that we lost a Leo Club over in Sheboygan.
- Membership/ Extension/ Orientation** 23. PDG Tom Clausen reported that he, PDG Steve Groene, and Harvey McBroom completed their membership trainings in 5 regions; where 32 clubs participated. Pick up your A.S.K. buttons over at the table up front.
- Mission to Mexico** 24. PDG Bob Showers reported that there are 4 missions going down to Mexico.
1. Feb. 15 - 22 . . . . .Coasta Rico
  2. Feb. 23 - 28 . . . . .Honduas
  3. Feb. 28 - Mar. 3 . . . . . Caravan to Van Largo
  4. Sept. 17 . . . . . Leave for USA/Canda Forum  
 Sept. 22 - 29 . . . . .Leave the Forum for Mexico
- USA/Canada Leadership Forum** 25. PDG Bob Showers informed us that there will be 49 seminars this year at the Forum. This is a great week for the opportunity to learn about Lions. The cost this year is \$145, if paid before June 1st. Three meals are included in the price.
- Peace Poster** 26. VDG Orv Kittel reporting for Karen Koch informed us that Theresa Lorrie, 12 years old from Eldorado; tied for 3rd place at State and received \$50 for her efforts.
- Public Relations** 27. Cora Lawson has some information coming from International about what kind of articles would be interesting to put in our State Magazine. We need some variety and some exciting articles. PDG Tom Clausen is on the State Magazine committee and they are looking for new bids for better articles and featured stories.

**Minutes**  
**4th Cabinet Meeting ♦ District 27-B1**  
**Sunday, April 28th, 2002**  
**Osthoff Resort ♦ Elkhart Lake, WI**

- Call to Order** 1. Meeting was called to order at 1:00 p.m. by DG Orv Kittel.
- Pledge** 2. Pledge of Allegiance was led by IPDG Steve Groene.
- Song and Prayer** 3. Prayer by Pat Knier.
- Introductions** 4. VDG Elect Tom King introduced next year's Region 5 - Zone 1 Chairman, Lion Sandy King. Lion Wally Drees introduced Lion Debbie Goeser from Rosendale.
- Roll Call** 5. Roll call taken by CST Gary Colton. All Cabinet members were present except: David Bardon, PDG John Coleman, Dan Fullington, Robert Grundman, Sherm Hamilton, PDG Max Harrington, PDG Howard Heimke, Steve Hemauer, PDG Gordon Hoffman, PDG Fred Holtz, Karen Koch, PDG Tom Koch, PDG Don Kringle, PDG Glen Murty, PDG Vern Pautz, PDG Clem Schoenborn, Jeri Showers, Ross Tarnow, Charles Taylor, PDG Clarence Weller, and PDG Milt Wood.
- Communications** 6. CST Gary Colton received notice that Lion Ross Tarnow would not make this meeting due to left hip replacement. He thanks all the support the Cabinet gave this year in our fight against Diabetes. Also, Lion Sherm Hamilton recently had Heart By-pass surgery and would not be with us today.
- Minutes** 7. Motion by PDG Vic Voigt to accept the minutes from the last Cabinet meeting. Seconded by Bob Showers. Motion Carried.
- Treasurer's Report** 8. Motion by Wally Drees to accept the Treasurer's report. Seconded by Bill Wessing. Motion Carried.
- Officer Training Report** 9. DG Elect Ed Filemyr reported that there were 97 Lions and Lioness in attendance at this year's Officer Training Seminar held at MPTC. This represented about 30% of the clubs in the District. There will be another meeting with the Regional and Zone Chairs later. Next year this seminar will have a realignment and it will be held later in the year.

**Minutes**  
**4th Cabinet Meeting ♦ District 27-B1**  
**Sunday, April 28th, 2002**  
**Osthoff Resort ♦ Elkhart Lake, WI**

**State and  
International  
Conventions**

10. International Convention is in Oslo, Japan and so far there are 12 registered to attend outside of the District Governor Elects. State Convention in La Crosse should be a really great and exciting convention. Host clubs working very hard on this year's convention. Changes this year will be a more appropriate use of protocol with less introductions and head tables. We are going to a new concept called table hosting, similar to that done at the USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum. There will be an Oktoberfest on Thursday night, a separate room with computers, and a Lion's store with merchandise available for purchase. To date we only have 750 registered which is about half where we should be at, so encourage people to attend the convention.

**District  
Conventions**

12. PDG Tom Clausen reported that everything is straight with the Pioneer Marina and Resort, so it looks like we came right on budget. IPDG Steve Groene will be getting something together for DG Elect Ed's fist newsletter in July concerning this year's convention in Fond du Lac.

**New Business  
2002-2003  
Cabinet Dates**

13. DG Elect Ed Filemyr informed the Cabinet that next year's Cabinet meeting dates will be July 28th, November 10th, February 2nd, 2003, and May 4th, 2003.

**2002-2003  
Start Up Funds**

14. DG Orv presented \$1,000 check to DG Elect Ed for 2002-03 District 27-B1 Cabinet.

**Bank Approval**

15. Next year's CST Bill Wessing informed us that he will be using Wisconsin State Bank of Random Lake. Motion by PDG Vic Voigt to approve Wisconsin State Bank of Random Lake. Seconded by Lion Bud Nitzke. Motion Carried.

**WLF Report**

16. WLF Director Ken Wallender reported that the new Administration building is very close to completion. Indian Hollow is now having some work done to it. Come out and golf this year on July 20th in conjunction with Lions Day at the Camp. Lion Ken also has raffle tickets for a set of pins. WLF Director Dave Wood informed us that we should get reservations in by July 12th for the chicken dinner on Lion's Day. Also, he stressed the importance of all the clubs having a WLF Associate so that the information being sent out to the clubs from the Foundation does not get overlooked.

**Minutes**  
**4th Cabinet Meeting ♦ District 27-B1**  
**Sunday, April 28th, 2002**  
**Osthoff Resort ♦ Elkhart Lake, WI**

- LCIF** 17. PDG Bob Showers gave CST Gary Colton \$525 in checks for LCIF undesignated; so with that, we have \$2,868.23 in the account. Therefore; we can award three Melvin Jones awards. He is looking for people to sit on the committee, and looking for recommendations for eligible candidates to receive a Melvin Jones award.
- Children's Vision Screening** 18. PDG Paul Tadych informed us that he received a whole packet of information from Traci Meyer that contains a listing of Day Care Centers in our District. If anyone is interested in putting on Vision Screening, this information is available to all clubs.
- Constitution & By-laws** 19. PDG Clayton Sengbusch read the policy concerning certification at *DISTRICT* Convention. Motion by VDG Elect Tom King to accept policy as read. Seconded by PDG Dave Petri. Motion Carried. Lion Clayton, referring to resolutions being presented at the State Convention; briefly brought a few things to our attention.
- Technology** 20. PDG Tom Clausen said that it's a very slow process to try to get technology going for a voluntary organization. It's going to be a long drawn out process because of the time involved to get started. There has not been much interest in Club Web Pages. PDG Tom will be doing Technology Training at the State Convention and PDG Tom is helping DG Elect Ed with the Directory. Looking for Club Officers' e-mail addresses to be published in the Directory. Goal is to get all secretaries to file their M&M Reports through e-mail.
- District Raffle** 21. Wally Drees had the tickets printed and delivered them to PDG Vic Voigt. They will be available at the State Convention for club pickup.
- District Pin** 22. Gary Bilke requested approval for 500 District Pins and artwork is needed by the July 28th Cabinet meeting for the upcoming District Convention Pin. Motion by VDG Elect Tom King to order 500 of the Muskie Pins. Seconded by Irv Korth. Motion Carried.
- Hearing & Speech/Eye Glass Recycling** 23. Howard Sippel reported that so far we have given out 15 hearing aids with 4 to be paid for yet.

**Minutes**  
**4th Cabinet Meeting ♦ District 27-B1**  
**Sunday, April 28th, 2002**  
**Osthoff Resort ♦ Elkhart Lake, WI**

- Leader Dog** 24. PDG Vic Voigt made it known to the Cabinet that security is so tight at General Mitchell Field in Milwaukee that a woman with a security dog was arrested and fined for having a dog in a public place. Leader Dog for the blind in Rochester, MI is erecting new dormitories and they have a program to 'buy a brick' at the cost of \$100. There are a few clubs in the District that have not made their donation to Leader Dog.
- Lions Quest** 25. Shirley Peterson reported that Quest has been pretty slow because they are waiting on some information regarding training that will occur this fall at the Camp.
- Extension** 26. Ralph Schneider reported that they are still doing some prospecting over in the Sheboygan area.
- Membership/  
Orientation** 27. IPDG Steve Groene reported that we should have a healthy plus in membership as we head into the dreaded month of June, but that should be somewhat off -set with the start -up of the new club in Brandon.
- Mission to  
Mexico** 28. PDG Herb Schneider reported that the February trips were a success and the next trip coincides with the USA/Canada Forum in Texas this September.
- Public  
Relations** 29. Cora Lawson is happy to see the amount of club information that is coming in and she has copies available of the Public Relations Handout.
- Youth  
Exchange** 30. DG Orv Kittel reporting for Jim Zamzow, informed us that we are possibly looking at forming Leo Clubs over in Berlin and Endeavor. The one club over in Sheboygan is still on the books but they are looking for an Advisor.
- Zone Chairman  
Reports** 31. Region 1 Zone 2, Dave Holschbach had PDG Paul Tadych as guest speaker and will take the position next year.
- Region 1 - Zone 3, Harvey Hansen reported that he will be Region Chairman next year and that his club had a successful brat fry even with the weather conditions because of some good advertisement. Zone 2 and 3 is doing some multiple zone advertising and it is going well.
- Region 2 - Zone 1, Ralph Schneider reported that all clubs doing well but one, but it is still existing. His third zone meeting is Monday, April 29th. Ralph, also will be a Region Chairman next year.

**Minutes**  
**4th Cabinet Meeting ♦ District 27-B1**  
**Sunday, April 28th, 2002**  
**Osthoff Resort ♦ Elkhart Lake, WI**

Region 2 - Zone 2, Elmer Kaas reported that all clubs doing well with a plus in membership for the zone.

Region 2 - Zone 3, Richard Schaeffer had last Zone meeting on April 8th with a presentation on the Lion's Camp. Next meeting on September 8th with a guest from the Eye Bank.

Region 3 - Zone 2, PDG Pat Champeau reported that he had John Solberg from Rawhide at his last meeting as guest speaker. All the clubs are heavily involved in fund raisers. This last February Oakfield Lions held the Annual Inter District Zone Social at the Community Club in Brownsville.

Region 4 - Zone 1, Gary Bilke thanked those involved in getting the new club started in Brandon. Especially IPDG Steve Groene. Brandon will have their charter night on June 23.

Region 4 - Zone 2, Bud Nitzke had representative from Ripon Medical Center at last Zone meeting for the purpose of promoting Diabetes Screening.

Region 5 - Zone 1, VDG Elect Tom King reported that his third meeting was a social with 90 people in attendance. One club working on a Leo, presented a Melvin at the social. Harrisville had a screening and screened 143 children and 17 were referred.

- Lensometer**            32.    DG Orv Kittel made mention that the District has in it's possession a Lensometer that is just sitting around doing nothing. Motion by PDG Dave Petri to give the Lensometer to the WLF for use. Seconded by Pat Knier. Motion Carried.
- Awards and Gifts**        33.    DG Orv Kittel presented Governor Appreciation Awards and gifts to the Cabinet members. Motion by PDG Bob Showers to give DG Orv a big hand for the good job he did this year. Seconded by PDG Tom Clausen. Motion Carried.
- Adjournment**            24.    Motion to adjourn by all at 4:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted;

Gary Colton CST

2001-2002 DISTRICT 27-B1 BUDGET				
4/22/02				
		BUDGET	ACTUAL	
<b>RECEIPTS</b>				
101	2000-01 Cabinet Brought Forward	15,486.68	15,486.68	
102	Interest	1,000.00	493.01	
103	Tail Twister	400.00	456.11	
104	Dues: District Account (4.50 x 2520)	11,340.00	11,034.00	
105	District Convention	1,260.00	1,226.00	
106	State Account (10.50 x 2520)	26,460.00	25,746.00	
107	State Bonding (4.60 x 77)	354.20	349.60	
108	Lions International Reimbursement	2,053.80	1,198.05	
121	District Pins	1,000.00	1,106.00	
125	District Raffle	4,000.00	5,804.00	
126	District Convention	10,000.00	9,907.28	
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>		<b>73,354.68</b>	<b>72,806.73</b>	
		BUDGET	ACTUAL	BALANCE
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>				
206	State Dues	26,460.00	26,276.25	183.75
207	State Bonding	354.20	354.20	0.00
208	Office	5,000.00	3,544.97	1,455.03
209	District Governor	1,200.00		1,200.00
210	Vice District Governor	600.00		600.00
211	Zone Chairman (12 @ 100.00)	1,200.00		1,200.00
212	District Chairman (35 @ 50.00)	1,750.00		1,750.00
213	Cabinet Secretary/Treasurer	500.00		500.00
214	WLF Chairmen (2 @ 500.00)	1,000.00		1,000.00
215	Cabinet Meeting Dinners	2,750.00	1,807.64	942.36
216	State Convention Opening Luncheon Ticket	400.00		400.00
217	Appreciation Awards	1,650.00	459.68	1,190.32
218	USA/Canada Forum \$1000/\$500	1,500.00	1,500.00	0.00
219	District Governor Orientation \$150	150.00		150.00
220	Training and Education	650.00	107.33	542.67
221	District Pins	1,200.00	775.00	425.00
222	Membership	450.00	450.00	0.00
223	Extension	250.00	173.43	76.57
224	Miscellaneous	190.48	9.40	181.08
225	District Raffle	2,100.00	3,100.73	-1,000.73
226	District Convention	12,000.00	11,958.12	41.88
227	Unallocated Expenditures	12,000.00	350.00	11,650.00
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>		<b>73,354.68</b>	<b>50,866.75</b>	
Balance This Page			21,939.98	
Non-Budgeted Funds			21,847.25	
Cash On Hand			43,787.23	

<b>NON-BUDGETED FUNDS</b>				
22-Apr-02				
		<i>Received</i>	<i>Spent</i>	<i>Balance</i>
	District Youth Exchange			
300	Carryover 00/01	4,039.12		
301	Contributions 01/02	1,733.00		
302	Spent		1,200.00	
				4,572.12
	Youth Outreach			
310	Carryover 00/01	1,441.55		
311	Contributions 01/02	0.00		
312	Spent		25.00	
				1,416.55
	LEHP			
325	Carryover 00/01	262.51		
326	Contributions 01/02	0.00		
				262.51
	LCIF			
330	Carryover Designated 00/01	5,397.25		
331	Contributions Designated 01/02	4,259.00		
332	Spent Designated		5,000.00	
				4,656.25
333	Carryover Undesignated 00/01	278.23		
334	Contributions Undesignated 01/02	2,065.00		
335	Spent Undesignated		0.00	
				2,343.23
	Hearing			
340	Carryover 00/01	3,681.06		
341	Contributions 01/02	2,650.00		
342	Spent		1,750.00	
				4,581.06
	District Birch-Sturm Fund			
350	Carryover 00/01	1,462.70		
351	Contributions 01/02	1,245.00		
352	Spent		865.00	
				1,842.70
	Mission to Mexico			
360	Carryover 00/01	1,258.55		
361	Contributions 01/02	2,150.00		
362	Spent		1,385.72	
				2,022.83
	Emergency Fund			
380	Carryover 00/01	125.00		
381	Contributions 01/02	25.00		
382	Spent		0.00	
				150.00
	<b>TOTAL BALANCE</b>			<b>21,847.25</b>



## LCIF Designated Account

	Carryfwd.	Additions	Paid Out	Balance
Plymouth		300.00		300.00
Rosendale	669.00	334.00		3.00
St. Nazianz	150.00	300.00	1000.00	450.00
Region 5 Zone 1	297.25			297.25
Region 5 Zone 2	111.00	1075.00		186.00
Sherwood Lions	500.00		1000.00	500.00
Two Rivers	1070.00	400.00	1000.00	470.00
Kingston Lioness	500.00	250.00		750.00
Winnebago East Shore	400.00			400.00
Green Lake	1000.00		1000.00	0.00
Reedsville	700.00	350.00		1050.00
Sheboygan Evening		1000.00		0.00
Kingston Lions		250.00	1000.00	250.00
	<b>5397.25</b>	<b>4259.00</b>	<b>5000.00</b>	<b>4656.25</b>
4/22/02				



# NEWS

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## Lions, Lioness and Leos of District 27B1

Being your new District Governor I would like to tell you something about myself. I have been married a long time to a wonderful and terrific lady by the name of Ana. We have three daughters and a grandson. Carmen lives in Wausau, WI. Christine lives in Fort Lauderdale, FL and the youngest Sandy lives in San Juan, Puerto Rico.

I have been a Lion for fifteen years with the Berlin Lions Club. I would like to thank everyone that has helped me along the way. The members of my club who worked at the conventions and supported me, taking care so everything went smoothly.

I will be leaving for the DGE School on June 26, 2001 and will be returning from the International Convention on July 7, 2001.

Don't forget to get your order in for the chicken dinner at Lions camp at Rosholt on Lions Day July 22, 2001. Your reservations will have to be in by July 15, 2001 or they won't be able to guarantee you a dinner. So everyone has a good time there will be camp tours, arts and crafts and seeing the campers and counselors in action having a good time. Remember this is your camp and you have every reason in the world to be proud of it because it is the most beautiful Lions camp in the States if not the World. Take a day and enjoy it with your family and friends. You won't regret the time you spend there. It will make you proud to be a Wisconsin Lion.

By working together we can accomplish everything we set our minds to do and have fun doing it.

At this time I would like to give recognition to the Lions that put on a very interesting and informative Officer Training and Orientation Program for the attending Lions.

I would like to thank Russ Link for the program on Wisconsin Lions Camp, Lions Presenters for the officer Training Sessions, Thomas Clausen PDG, Steve Groene IDPG for Membership, Gary Colton for Orientation, Robert Showers PDG for Presidents, Jeri Showers for Treasurers, Dwaine Habrat PDG/State Secretaries, Herb Schneider PDG for Zone Chairman. Without dedicated Lions that give time and energy like this we wouldn't have the information and training to do a good job.

We can't forget the Lionesses and their training people who passed on information to their NEW Officers too. THANKS TO ALL OF YOU!

See you when we get back from the convention. Keep the home fires burning with the FLAME OF LIONISM.

**From Lioness Brenda**

Here we are the beginning of my office as your new Affiliate President. I hope to serve you as well as all our former Affiliate presidents. It is such an honor.

My goal this year is Type II Diabetes awareness tential sight stealing abilities. I have been diagnosed with this thier two years ago and I am still learning about it. I just can't seem to get enough information. I feel that more information is a lot better than not enough. I am looking forward to meeting with your clubs. Don't be bashful inviting me. I don't bite hard.

Our Lioness Spring Banquet went very well. The Fond du Lac Club did such a good job. Many thanks. Joyce Babler of the Van Dyne Club was presented with the Birch-Sturm Award. Congratulations Joyce. We are very proud of you.

Yours in Lionism,  
Lioness Brenda

# WELCOME NEW LIONS JULY

**New Members**

Glenn Klemme  
David Dellger

**Sponsor**

Norbet Hintz  
John Zeigler

**Club**

Waldo  
Plymouth

**Deceased**

Ronald Reilly  
Eugene Le Mahieu  
Dan Baulch

**Club**

Waldo  
Sheboygan Falls  
Sheboygan Falls

**WE SERVED**

Ronald Reilly Waldo  
Eugene Le Mahieu Sheboygan Falls  
Dan Baulch Sheboygan Falls

## **27-B1 LIONS ACTIVITIES**

**JULY**

- 2-6 **LIONS INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION - INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANT**
- 13-14-15 Collins Ball Tournament & Picnic-Collins Lions Ball Park, DJ Friday & Saturday at 7:00 p.m. Orville Kreplin Band Sunday, Parade at noon Sunday--Call Ken Wallander for tickets (920) 775-4281
- 21 **BRICH-STRUM GOLF - GLACIER WOODS GOLF CLUB - IOLA, EI CALL 1-877-463-6953**
- 21-22 **WAYSIDE-MOORRISON LIONS GOLF JAMBOREE - WONDERING SPRINGS GOLF**
- 22 **LIONS DAY AT YOUR LIONS CAMP - PLEASE CALL OR WRITE WLF 1-877-463-6953**

**AUGUST**

- 6 **SHOREWOOD ROBBIN HOOD OPEN - AT HIGHT CLUFF GOLF COURSE, SHORWOOD 11:00 A.M. START. CONTACT CLARENCE WELLER, (920) 439-1718**

**SEPTEMBER**

- 25 **CASCADE LIONS 25TH ANNIVERSARY AT FIVE PILLERS, RANDOM LAKE, CONTACT ELMER GRAHL, (920) 528-8654**



# INSIDE WLF

JULY 2001

## USED HEARING AIDS NEEDED:

The WLF Hearing Program provides hearing aids to people in your community who need them but can't afford them. This Program is successful because of the collaborative efforts and generosity of the Lions, Lioness, and Leo Clubs, hearing health-care professionals, and hearing aid manufacturers. **We receive credit for every used hearing aid we send to certain manufacturers.** To fund the Hearing Program, we need as many used hearing aids as possible. WLF has free canister for your Club to use for the collection of hearing aids in your community. Simply contact your Director or the office, toll-free at 877-463-6953.

## YOU ARE INVITED:

**The Foundation has an open meeting policy** and any member of and Lions, Lioness, or Leo Club is always welcome to attend. Please share the following dates with your membership and extend to them our invitation to attend a meeting and discover what takes place at their Foundation.

July 20, 2001 Lions Camp

October 27-28, 2001 Lions Camp

January 5-6, 2002 Lions Camp

March 23-24, 2002 Lions Camp

May 17, 2002 La Crosse



## NEW WISH LIST ITEMS:

There is a brand new Wish List with **lots of new items**. For details, please contact the Office, toll-free at 877-463-6953, or email us at [wlf@wi-net.com](mailto:wlf@wi-net.com). To learn how your Club can contribute to the Wish List and receive recognition in the Friends and Honors Garden, see your WLF Director or call toll-free 877-463-6953.

Integrity...

**We Make A Living By What We Get;**

**We Make A Life By What We Give.**

**WLF...Changing Lives-Forever!**



## WLF PROGRAM ASSOCIATE:

The Foundation is asking each Club to appoint a member to the position of WLF Program Associate. This position was created to better serve your Club and community. All correspondence from and about the Foundation will be targeted to this position and this person. In addition, question from members and the community about the Foundation can also be directed to the WLF Program Associate. More than half the Clubs have already completed this appointment. **Make sure your club is not left out.**

## COMMUNITY PROJECTS FOR YOUR CLUB:

When Lions, Lioness, and Leos speak of the Wisconsin Lions Foundations, Inc., everybody thinks of Lions Camp. This is correct because it is the biggest Project of the Wisconsin Lions. The Foundation was started 45 years ago to serve as a vehicle for the Lions, Lioness, and Leos to work together on a common project while serving the residents or Wisconsin. **The following are also Projects of the Foundation for your Club to serve the people of your community:**

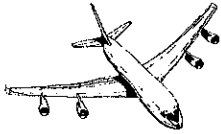
Children's Vision Screening  
Hearing Aids  
Hearing Dogs  
Eyeglass Recycling  
The Lions Eye Bank of Wisconsin  
Youth Service Project Awards  
Youth Exchange  
Lions Quest



## CHILDREN'S VISION SCREENING:

Blurred, double, or one-eye vision are common problems for children before the age of five. Children this age do not realize that they are not seeing correctly. A simple screening can make a difference for eye disorders or even blindness later in life. **To set up a presentation or training, contact your WLF Director or Traci Meyer at the Foundation Office, toll-free 877-463-6953.**

# District Governor Orv's Calendar



## July

- 1-7 International Convention
- 16 Appleton Noon
- 19 Youth Exchange Camp
- 21 Council Meeting
- 22 Lions Day
- 29 1st Cabinet Meeting - Wautoma

## August

- 16 International HQ Visit
- 17-19 Leader Dog School

## September

- 5 Two Rivers
- 19-23 USA Canada Forum

## October

- 2 Manitowoc Lions
- 6-7 Council Meeting
- 10 Waldo Lions

## November

- 9-10 District Convention Oshkosh
- 11 2nd Cabinet Meeting

## December

- 24-31 Christmas

## January 2002

## February

- 10 3rd Cabinet Meeting-Appleton

## March

- 28 4th Cabinet Meeting

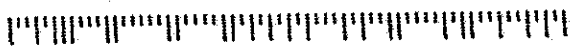
## May

- 17-18 State Convention

## June

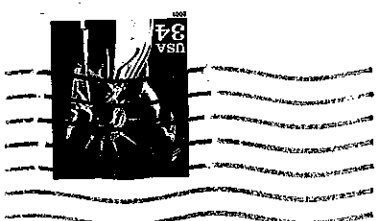
## July

- 8-13 International Convention Japan




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Lion Steve Groene, DG  
 408 N. Stafford St.  
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**LIONS DAY IS COMING**

MAKE PLANS to attend Lions Day at Lions Camp in Rosholt. This is a time to see what you have done for Wisconsin Youth. Invite your Club, family, and friends to spend a day at the World's Best kept Secret.

**Date: July 22, 2001--Time 10:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.**

**A delicious chicken dinner will be served from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.**

**Cost: \$6.50 adults \$3.50 children 13 years and younger**

Registration Form- To Be Guaranteed a chicken dinner, you must register by Friday, July 13.

Please make \_\_\_\_\_ reservations for Lions Day Dinner

Club name \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Adults \_\_\_\_\_ Children \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

Mail form to Wisconsin Lions Foundation, 3834 County Road A, Rosholt, WI 54473

**DISTRICT GOVERNOR VISITATION**

It is a requirement of Lions International that your District Governor make one official visit to each Lions club in his district. Look at my calander above and pick a date hen you would like me to visit your club. Please complete the following form and return it to:

**District Governor Orville Kittel, 429 Eaton St., Green Lake, WI 54941-9700**

CLUB NAME \_\_\_\_\_

DATE REQUESTED \_\_\_\_\_ ALTERNATE \_\_\_\_\_

MEETING PLACE \_\_\_\_\_

MEETING TIME \_\_\_\_\_ LADIES NIGHT \_\_\_\_\_

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

We won't have to get the information in to Cora Lawson for the Wisconsin Lions Magazine until August 15, 2001 for our month in October in the magazine. It was my fault that PDG Steve Gorene put the information in the newsletter. Start putting the information together for the magazine so everything is ready when the time comes. Thank you, I'm sorry this happened.

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TO INCREASE MEMBERSHIP*

# NEWS

## WISCONSIN LIONS B-1

August 2001

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Tell your members!



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## Lions, Lioness and Leos of District 27-B1

Hello Everyone:

We had a very busy schedule at Governors Elect School. There were four days of reading, writing and speaking. In our Group #9, we had Governors Elect from Turkey, Alaska, California and Wisconsin. We had a great time talking about our different areas and the problems each of them had.

Each group had to put on a talent show that would last five minutes and there were twenty four groups. I am happy to report that our group #9 took first place in overall in the talent show. In our skid we sang and danced to the tune of the song New York, New York and got a big hand from the audience when we finished. All the members of the group got a copy of the Certificate.

As for the Lions Day Parade, everything went good, but when the Wisconsin Lions got about three blocks into the parade, the sky opened up and it started to rain like the dickens. All the Lions from the United States and from other countries got soaked. We had a candidate by the name of Peter Cerniglia, who was running for International Director from Wisconsin, so we kept on marching until we got to the reviewing stand and then we put away our flags and banners because it was lighting badly. At the end of the convention we found out that Peter won the position of International Director from Wisconsin for which we congratulate him.

Our new President, Frank Moore III, has chosen for his theme **LIGHT THE PATH**. There will be several Paths that he would like us to light up.

**LIGHT THE PATH FOR YOUTH** - That will include Peace Poster, Youth Camps, Youth Exchange Program and Leos. They are our future leaders and need the help and guidance that we as leaders now can give them. Don't let them down, get involved.

**LIGHT THE PATH FOR MEMBERSHIP** - Look for good quality members like yourselves who can come into the club and be a benefit and like to have fun doing fund raiser projects to help the less fortunate people who need assistance. Now, if you have 2 or more people who want to join your club, but can't because they can't attend your meetings, they can form a club of their own, meet at a time and place of their convenience and be attached to your club as what is called a "branch club". When their membership grows to 20 Lions, now they can form their own club independent from yours.

**LIGHT THE PATH TO PUBLIC AWARENESS** - Let your community know what you are doing to help others in your town, surrounding communities and in the world.

**LIGHT THE PATH TO NEW LEADERS** - Each year your club and 45,000 other clubs around the world elect officers to carry on the programs and to come up with new ones to help other people when the need arises. Also, they can take command and help promote your club's image in your community.

**LIGHT THE PATH TO SERVICE** - Don't stop with just being an officer in your club, but go on to other things. Express your interest in giving your talent to the Cabinet or Chairman positions that you can handle or you could be trained to handle.

Let's get together and work hand in hand to make our clubs **LIGHT THE PATH** to the above. You will feel proud to be a Lion. Please remember that **ALONE WE CAN DO SO LITTLE, BUT TOGETHER WE CAN DO SO MUCH!** So, let's all work together for a common goal and build your club to the potential that it can be. Good luck to all the clubs for a very successful year in membership growth and projects that will reflect the Lions' motto **WE SERVE**.



### *From Lioness Brenda*

You will have to excuse my rambling, with what has been going on in my life the last two weeks. My mother had a heart attack. While sitting with her waiting for the Doctor to say what could be done for her, made me think of what she has taught me about helping others and the values that I learned while growing up.

I was raised in a loving, caring family. My parents saw a need in the community or church, they did what was needed to help fill it. My dad was a Sunday School teacher for over twenty-five years, I am working on number twenty-four. My dad was on the Church council, President when the new church building was dedicated. I was President when we celebrated our Centennial. I am now on the Church Pastor/Parish council. Mom was always there to teach and motivate us (my four brothers and myself). I am there to hopefully teach/motivate others.

I am a single parent with three children. My oldest son is 32, slightly retarded, and has one year to go to graduate from the food service program at Fox Valley Technical College. My second son is 31, has been a CNA for 11 years, and wants to get his nursing degree. He is married with three children. My daughter is 22 and going into her fifth year at UW River Falls as a double music major with a creative writing minor. I have taught them to love each other and their neighbors. They have done well.

Mom finally had to have open heart surgery, with four bypasses. What a hard time on the nerves, but then I think of it from her point of view. A lot less painful for us. We had each other and the Lord to be thankful. While at Oshkosh Mercy Medical, a friend, PAP Ellie Luedke, had lung cancer surgery. Let's keep her in our prayers.

Your in Lionism,  
Brenda

## **WELCOME NEW LIONS AUGUST**

### New Member

Edward Schoms  
Tom Berton  
Kenneth Kallenberg  
Donald Jackson

### Sponsor

Bill Mulhern  
Lester Laedtke  
Elmer Wagner  
William Johnston

### Club

Montello  
Larson-Winchester  
Plymouth  
Hancock

### **Attention all Lions of 27-B1**

Any person or Lions Clubs that would like to put something into the Bulletin can send it to DG Orville Kittel, 429 Eaton St., Green Lake, WI 54941. The item would have to be in my hands by the 15th of the preceding month that it would be put in. Thank You

## **27-B1 LIONS ACTIVITIES**

### **AUGUST**

- 6 **SHERWOOD ROBIN HOOD OPEN** - At High Cliff Golf Course, Sherwood 11:30 a.m. Start  
*Contact Clarence Weller, (920) 439-1818.*
- 15 **TWO RIVERS LION CORN ROAST** - Neshotah Park 5:30 p.m. til ???
- 21 **LIONS ANNUAL CORN ROAST - HOST CLUB:** Sheboygan Hispanic, 6:00 p.m. Cocktails, 6:30 p.m. Dinner, Place - Bruce's of Elkhart, Hwy J, Elkhart Lake, WI - Cost \$10.50 per person  
RSVP: By August 10, 2001. *Call: Lion Roy Ramos - (920) 452-9385 - Cell Phone: (920) 331-4210.*

### **SEPTEMBER**

- 25 **CASCADE LIONS 25th ANNIVERSARY** - At Five Pillers, Random Lake, *Contact Elmer Grahl (920) 528-8645.*

# INSIDE WLF

August 2001



## LOCAL CLUB PROGRAMS COULD INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

WLF offers your Club and members more than just Lions Camp. Listed below are the programs or projects you can also implement to better serve the people of your community.

**Used Eyeglass Collection** - allowing local people to donate their used eyeglasses so others can see

**Hearing Aids** - providing hearing aids to those who meet financial criteria, so they can hear better

**Children's Vision Screening** - we train your members so you can conduct vision screening, ensuring children see correctly.

**Community Diabetes Education** - training people with diabetes, and the professionals who care for them, how best to live with this debilitating disease

**Youth Projects** - these projects include Lions Quest, Youth Service Project Awards, Leo Leadership Conference, and Youth Exchange.

**Lions Eye Bank of Wisconsin** - providing tissue for research and corneal transports

For more information on these projects, contact your WLF Director.

## NEW WISH LIST ITEMS:



There is an updated Wish List with **lots of new items**. For details, please contact the Office, toll-free at 877-463-6953, or email us at [wlf@wi-net.com](mailto:wlf@wi-net.com). To learn how your Club can contribute to the Wish List and receive recognition in the Friends and Honors Garden, see your WLF Director or call, toll-free, 877-463-6953.

## WLF HEARING PROGRAM:

The WLF Hearing Program is dedicated to helping Wisconsin individuals with hearing difficulties who need financial assistance. There are three easy and simple steps to follow to see if someone in your community qualifies for financial assistance:

1. Contact District Hearing Chairperson or WLF Office, toll-free at 877-463-6953, and request an application.
2. Complete application and return to WLF Office.
3. Wait for determination of eligibility from District Hearing Chairperson.

The above steps must be followed and must occur before any hearing devices are ordered. **Financial assistance is only available when hearing aids are ordered through the WLF Hearing Program.** Again, the above three steps must be completed **before** hearing aids are ordered. Also, please remember to continue collecting used hearing aids . . . they are sent to a hearing aid manufacturer for credit to purchase new ones.



## PEOPLE AND CHILDREN IN THIRD WORLD COUNTRIES NEED OUR GLASSES:



Please make sure your Club is actively collecting used eyeglasses. The Eyeglass Recycling Center at the Foundation sends recycled glasses to missions going to 34 other countries of the World. Can you comprehend not being able to see because you need glasses and they're not available or you can't afford them? We recycle eyeglasses "*so others may see*", and we can always use more. The collection containers are free and not only serve as a way to collect glasses, but as a way to promote Lionism, as well. Keep those glasses coming! **To receive a banner patch, be sure to include your Club name with the glasses that are sent to the Center.**

## WLF AND COST OF LIVING:

Before budgeting for your "Primary Donation" to the Foundation for this year, please consider that the cost of living has increased remarkably over the years. Please see that your donation has increased remarkably, as well.



# DISTRICT 27-B1 LIONS 26TH ANNUAL CONVENTION



**OSHKOSH NOVEMBER 9, 10 & 11, 2001 PIONEER INN RESORT**

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 Plymouth, WI 53073

**Mail this form by Oct. 27**

# THANK YOU

Dear Lions, Lioness, Leos and spouses,

A great big Thank You to all the Lions, Lioness, Leos and spouses who worked so diligently on our campaign for International Director these past two and a half years. We want to thank everyone for your support and hospitality.

On behalf of Joann and myself special appreciation goes out to all the caucus "speaking teams" who were up at the break of dawn many mornings, to the people who passed out literature and to everyone who braved the rain on parade day and carried signs. Many hands make the job easier.

### ***Wisconsin are indeed #1.***

Special thanks to our campaign chair, Del Hintzmann and his wife Jeanne, and the campaign committee that worked hard in the trenches. Also, let us not forget the Past International Directors and their wives who have supported and advised us along the way.

In appreciation of this teamwork, the Cross Plains Lions Club and Joann and I will have a Victory Party on Sunday, August 12, 2001 @ 1:00 p.m. See attached form in this newsletter.

International Director,  
Peter & Joann Cerniglia

## IMPORTANT NOTICE

We won't have to get the information in to Cora Lawson for the Wisconsin Lions Magazine until August 15, 2001 for our month in October in the magazine. It was my fault that PDG Steve Gorene put the information in the newsletter. Start putting the information together for the magazine so everything is ready when the time comes. Thank you, I'm sorry this happened.

## VICTORY PARTY

***Lions, Lioness and Leos you are cordially invited to International Director Peter Cerniglia's Victory Party in appreciation for your support***

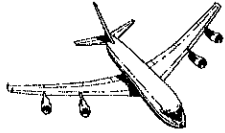
When: August 12, 2001  
Time: 1:00 p.m.  
Place: Cross Plains American Legion

***Please respond so we know how much food to prepare:***

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RSVP to: Lion Lyle Esser, 2501 Center Street., Cross Plains, WI 53528

Number of people attending \_\_\_\_\_ Club \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_



## District Governor Orv's Calendar

### August

- 12 Peter Cerniglia, Cross Plains
- 15 Two Rivers, Nesholah Park
- 16 International HQ Visit
- 17-19 Leader Dog School
- 21 Sheboygan Hispanic, Elkhart Lake

### September

- 5 Two Rivers
- 10 Neshkoro Lions, Lioness
- 19-23 USA Canada Forum
- 26 Francis Creek Lions

### October

- 2 Manitowoc Lions
- 6-7 Council Meeting, Stevens Point
- 10 Waldo Lions
- 13 C-1 Convention, Lions Camp
- 18 Kingston Lioness, Homestead in Market

### November

- 2-3 B-2 Convention, Pioneer Resort
- 6 Newton Lions, Stock Supper Club
- 9-10 B-1 Convention Oshkosh
- 11 2nd Cabinet Meeting

### December

- 5 Fond du Lac Noon, Sunset Supper Club
- 24-31 Christmas

### January

- 11-13 Council Meeting, Merrill
- 18-19 A-1 District Convention Fontana

### February

- 8-9 A-2 District Convention Brookfield
- 10 Cabinet Meeting, Columbus Hall Appleton

### March

- 1-3 Council Meeting, La Crosse
- 6 Harrisville
- 8-9 D-1 District Convention Plattville
- 15-16 E-2 District Convention Menomonie
- 28 4th Cabinet Meeting, Elkhart Lake

### April

- 9 Larsen-Winchester Lioness, Clayton Town Hall
- 12-13 E-1 District Convention Chippewa Falls
- 19-20 C-2 District Convention Lac du Flambeau
- 26-27 Elm Training

### May

- 8-9 D-1 District Convention

### June

### July

- 8-13 International Convention Osaka, Japan

## District Governor Visitation

It is a requirement of Lions International that your District Governor make one official visit to each Lions Club in his district. Look at my calendar above and pick a date when you would like me to visit your club. Please complete the following form and return it to:

District Governor Orville Kittel, 429 Eaton Street, Green Lake, WI 54941-9700

Club Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date Requested \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate \_\_\_\_\_

Meeting Place \_\_\_\_\_

Meeting Time \_\_\_\_\_ Ladies Night \_\_\_\_\_

**Please get your club visitations in as early as possible, September, October, November, December and January.**

## PEACE POSTERS

### LION PRESIDENTS of 27-B1

**IT IS TIME** to be considering the possibility of involving the youth of your community in the Lions Peace Poster Contest. What a marvelous way to train up the children to be thinking in terms of PEACE in the world. It also helps to teach them a little of what Lionism is about.

**YOU NEED TO** contact an Art teacher or other leader of youth between the ages of 11 and 13, explain the program to them, and get their desire to participate in the program. Then you need to send for a Peach Poster Kit (\$7.95) one kit per each group involved, from Lions International and closely follow the instructions in it.

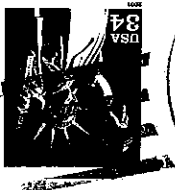
**REMEMBER THE OCTOBER DEADLINE TO HAVE YOUR FINISHED POSTERS HANDED IN TO ME** since they must be judged at our district convention. That means school children must begin at the beginning of the school term. So get a jump-start on this!

**YOU WILL FIND** all the information that you need in the article UNITED IN PEACE on page 16 of the June issue of THE LION, or you may contact me **KAREN KOCH**, PEACE POSTER CHAIRMAN at P.O. Box 24, Rosendale, WI 54974, or e-mail me at [kochs@thesurf.com](mailto:kochs@thesurf.com) or phone me at (920) 872-2637.

#### Change of Address:

Historian/State Eye Bank • Orvin Doede PDG • 421 Pearl Ln. Apt. S-104 • Fond du Lac, WI 54935

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421 PEARL LN. APT. S 104  
FOND DU LAC, WI 54935



Lion Steve Groene, DG  
408 N. Stafford St.  
Plymouth, WI 53073-1245





*THE TIME TO INCREASE  
MEMBERSHIP IS NOW*

# NEWS

## WISCONSIN LIONS B-1

September 2001

This newsletter is on line at [www.fdl.uwc.edu/27-b1/july2001](http://www.fdl.uwc.edu/27-b1/july2001)

Tell your members!



### We Serve

DISTRICT GOVERNOR  
**Orville Kittel**  
429 Eaton St.  
Green Lake, WI 54941  
920-294-3526  
[okittel@itol.com](mailto:okittel@itol.com)

IMMEDIATE PDG  
**Steven Groene**  
408 North Stafford St.  
Plymouth, WI 53073  
[sgroene@excel.net](mailto:sgroene@excel.net)

VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR  
**Edward Filemyr**  
W5545 Hwy A  
Adell, WI 53001

CABINET SECRETARY-  
TREASURER  
**Gary Colton**  
N5180 State Rd. 175  
Fond du Lac, WI 54937

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## Lions, Lioness and Leos of District 27-B1

Hello Everyone:

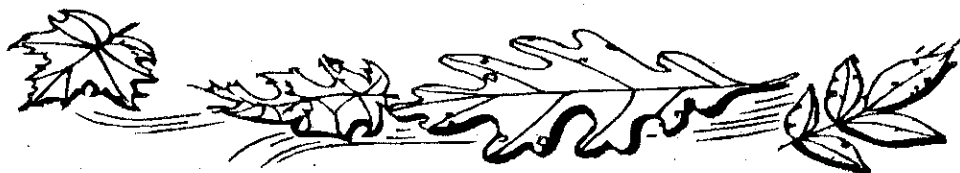
Time is just flying by. Here we are in September and summer will soon be over. To tell you how fast things are going, the trip to visit Lions International Office and tour the Leader Dog School seemed so far away and we were there already. On August 16th we joined the other nine District Governors in Milwaukee, where we left our cars at the hotel. From there we departed to Oak Brook, Illinois where we toured Lions International Office, had questions answered and talked with various department representatives who had valuable information for all of us. We spent the night in Oak Brook and the next day had to get up at 4:00 AM and catch a flight to Detroit to visit the Leader Dog School. We toured their facility and confirmed all the things we had been told about Leader Dog School.

On Sunday afternoon we flew back to Milwaukee. The trip was a very interesting learning experience. I will try to answer any questions you may have when I visit your Club this year.

Lions Day at Camp was a big success with just under 800 chicken dinners sold. The weather got a little nasty about 1:00PM, but we still had a great time. If you have not been to Wisconsin Lions Camp, please make the time to go and see for yourselves what you have been missing.

My calendar is filling up fast. **Presidents** and **Secretaries**, please check my calendar for days open for a visitation to your club and let me know as soon as possible. If by any chance you send me a date to visit and it is not in my calendar, or if there is a mistake on the date or of any other kind, please contact me immediately so I can check it out and correct it.

We all are concerned about children. School is starting and I would like to remind all of you to please be careful driving by the schools' area. Sometimes children do not think and cross the street without even looking both ways. Let's avoid accidents please. Thank you.





## *From Lioness Brenda and DG Orville Kittel*

As you read in my newsletter, I was in Oak Brook, Illinois visiting the Lions International headquarters. While we were there, and every time we, (the District Governors) have a chance, we bring up the subject of Lionesses. Every Past International Directors and present International Director and the Governors of Wisconsin are hearing more about the subject as well.

Lioness Brenda and I have talked and we agree that you Lionesses should be part of Lionism and participate in the Zone Meetings, Conventions, and Fund Raisers. You Lionesses have been and I hope will continue to be a big part of Lionism in the future. You have done a lot for your Community, State and International project. You have given freely your time and money on every project that you have taken up. Keep up the good work and continue to be a shining star in Lionism.

Please keep in your prayers Lioness Betty Duzinske, Area 2 Director and hope for an improvement in her health. Thank you.

Yours in Lionism,

Brenda and DG Orville



## Welcome New Members!

### New Member

Karen Marx  
Vincent Fitzgerald  
Mary Stepaniuk  
Thomas Abhold  
James Kalk  
Janet Limberg  
Daphne Kemmett  
Robert Carter  
Ron Zenke  
Todd Virch

### Club

Butte des Morts Lions  
Coloma Lions  
Dundee Long Lake Lions  
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Howards Grove Lions  
Howards Grove Lions  
Manitowoc Lions  
Neenah Lions  
Reedsville Lions  
Westfield Lions

## Deceased Members

### Deceased

Elroy Matzdorf  
Lillian Abler

### Club

Elkhart Lake  
Fond du Lac Noon



# Special Meeting Notice

There will be a special informational meeting for all Lions interested in being an International Director Candidate during the next Wisconsin campaign. The meeting will take place on Saturday, October 6, 2001 at the Comfort Suites, 300 Division St. in Stevens Point. The meeting will begin promptly at 10:00 a.m. and should conclude by Noon.

Interested persons should contact International Director Peter Cerniglia (608-798-4180) or the State Office (715-341-2277) to confirm their attendance.

Interested persons may also wish to attend a special seminar for International Director Candidates at the 2001 USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum in Halifax, Nova Scotia



# INSIDE WLF

## SEPTEMBER 2001

### YOUR CLUB'S ANNUAL (REGULAR) DONATION...



For many years the WLF Board of Directors has referred to a Club's yearly donation to the Foundation as its "Regular" donation. Searching for a name that is more meaningful and more descriptive, the Board recently adopted the name change from "Regular" to "Annual" Donation. This is something your Club does on an annual basis. The Annual Donation is used to fund the Foundation and all of its programs, including Lions Camp.

### COST OF LIVING ...

Is your Club's Annual Donation keeping pace with the increases in the cost of living expenses? As an example, if your club's Annual Donation has been \$1,000 since 1990, based on cost of living increases, today that Annual Donation is valued at \$740.08.\* It would take an Annual Donation of \$1,351.20 to equal the same \$1,000 given as the Annual Donation back in 1990.

\*American Institute for Economic Research



Cost of Living

### WORK DAYS AT LIONS CAMP:



Mark your calendars now and help prepare Lions Camp for the long winter months to follow. **October 20 and November 10, 2001 are the dates. Please call the Foundation's Office** toll-free at 877-463-6953, (INFO-WLF) to learn more and to request a registration form.

### FOUNDATION'S WISH LIST:

The Wish List continues. The Foundation's Wish List is made available to Clubs and others who would like to make an additional contribution to the Foundation that is **ABOVE and BEYOND their Annual Donation**. For the new and latest List, call toll-free at 877-463-6953. Learn how your club can be recognized on the Recognition Wall in the Friends and Honors Garden by donating to the Wish List.



### "DOING SOMETHING FOR SOMEONE ELSE"

Special price on these Wisconsin Lions History books – for details contact your WLF Director. These books are a must for every new member and local library. Remember, contact your WLF Director or call the Foundation Office toll-free at 877-463-6953.

### BUILDING FUND CONTINUES ...

With the Cabin Replacement Project now completed, the Board has decided to continue with the Building Fund Project to accomplish the following:



1. Addition to Eyeglass Recycling Center for new space for Foundation Offices
2. Remodel the existing Health Lodge
3. Revise and remodel the Kitchen and Dining Hall
4. Construct an amphitheater in Indian Hollow
5. Construct a Great Meeting Hall

These projects will be completed in the order of their priority. Clubs, individuals, businesses, and Foundations may contribute to this Fund.

### ATTENTION DEER HUNTERS ...

Please remember, if you are a Deer Hunter and want to put your deer hides to good use, the Wisconsin Lions Foundation can use them. **As a possible project, why not organize the collection of deer hides for your whole community.** For further information, call the Thorp Lions Club at 715-669-5588, or call the Foundation Office toll-free at 877-463-6953.



### PRESENT A BIRCH-STURM FELLOWSHIP

Have someone very special you need to recognize? Consider presenting a Birch-Sturm Fellowship. The money stays right here in Wisconsin in our Endowment Fund. Start a tradition, present one per year. Call the Foundation for details at 877-463-6953, or contact your WLF Director.



# 2001 Convention Booklet Ad Space (Actual Size)

**\$45**

**\$75**

Full Page - \$110

Covers - \$135

Your Club keeps 40%

Make checks payable to District 27-B1 - Deduct 40% off the above prices.

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## Anniversary Announcements

The Random Lake Lions Club will be celebrating its 50th Anniversary on April 20, 2002, at the Five Pillars Supper Club in Random Lake, Wisconsin.

On December 12, 1951, seven local men met at Ediee's Inn in downtown Random Lake to organize a Lions Club, "strictly a new venture in this village" - (from their original minutes). They met with Shafeec Mansour, a special Lions' representative from Merrill, Wisconsin. The seven members were: Jerome Krier, Ray Scholler, Stuart Sepstead, Roland Krier, Karl Jung, L. Bauernfeind and Harold Krier.

At their next meeting, On January 15, 1952, they officially elected officers who were immediately installed by Lion Mansour. The first slate of officers was: Jerome Krier, President, H.O. Gosse, First Vice President, Leo Kircher, Second Vice President, Harold Krier, Third Vice President, Ray Scholler, Secretary, Stuart Sepstead, Treasurer, Roger Eisentraut, Lion Tamer, A.J. Mueller, Tail Twister, Roland Krier and L. Bauernfeind, Two-year Directors, Karl Jung and Chester Stahl, One-Year Directors.

On that same night, 39 members signed the Lions Club Charter. A total of 43 people later signed their name on the Charter dated "this 25th day of January in the year of our Lord 1952". The Charter Night celebration took place on Sunday, February 17th.

Only one of the original Charter members is active in the club today, that is: the First Secretary, Ray Scholler.

Lions or other people interested in attending our celebration on April 20th at the Five Pillars Supper Club should contact:

Dan Uelmen, Jr., President  
Random Lake Lions Club  
P.O. Box 351  
Random Lake, WI 53075

50th!

50th!

The Wayside-Morrison Lions Club is proud to announce our 50th Charter Anniversary on Monday, September 10th, 2001. The anniversary committee would like to extend a very special invitation to the members and ladies of our club to join us in celebrating this unique occasion. The festivities will be held at the Cedar Ridge Supper Club, located just east of the town of Maribel in Manitowoc County on Hwy Z (exit #164 off of Interstate-43). Cocktail hour with complimentary hors d'oeuvres begins at 6:30 PM. A dinner of chicken & beef tips with all the trimmings will be served at 7:30 PM. The cost of the meal, tax and gratuity included, will be \$10/person. Please contact Lion Ray Seibert on or before Monday, September 3, 2001 to make your reservations. Ray can be contacted at:

Lion Ray Seibert  
3783 Wayside Road  
Greenleaf, WI 54126  
920-864-2395

Karl Falck will be honored as the only remaining charter member and with 50 years of service. Entertainment will be provided by the Artesian Wessl. A door prize drawing and other activities will follow the meal, so please plan to stay and enjoy the rest of the evening with us. We look forward to seeing you on the 10th of September.

Sincerely,  
Way-Morr Lions' Anniversary Committee

The Cascade Lions Club would like to announce their 25th Anniversary to be held at Five Pillars, Random Lake, on September 27th, 2001. Anyone interested in attending may contact Elmer Grahl at 920-528-8645. The speaker for the evening will be Past International Director Ronald L. Duffe.

A 25th Anniversary

## **ATTN: SECRETARIES!**

To the secretaries who are filing their M reports electronically to International, please know that when you file this way you are saving a lot of paperwork records for International. You were sent the special packet that included four forms in it so you can send a copy to the Governor, Vice Governor, and Zone Chairman besides the one to International. This special packet came from the District.

You also received a packet from International which only had three forms in it. We needed the four sheets so all the necessary people can be informed in your club. If you want, you can print three copies of your M report before you send it to International and print a copy and send it to the Governor, Vice Governor, and Zone Chairman. Thank you.

### **Sold ads for Convention Booklet:**

Cover - \$135.00

Cowles-Henke Insurance Agency

Full Page - \$110.00

Friar Tucks/Salty's/Sebastions

1/4 Page - \$45.00

Bank of Oakfield

Kristmas Kringle Shoppe

The Roxy Supper Club

Stitches 'N Tyme

## **Nominations Deadline**

Who will be our next Vice District Governor, or Wisconsin Lions Foundation Director and District Bowling?

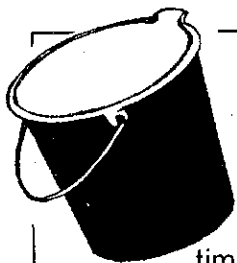
The deadline is coming up very fast. Get your papers in as soon as possible. All nominations are due by October 6, 2001 and should be sent to:

Lion Jeri Showers

Elections and Nominations Chairman

P.O. Box 637

Packwaukee, WI 53953



## **Bucket Raffle**

We will be having a bucket raffle for neat and creative prizes. At this time we are asking every Club to bring an item to be included in the raffle. Bill Wessing said there was a lot of prizes given away in the past. Your Club can decide on the value of the prize. Let's all get involved and come up with some good, useful items. Thank you.

## **Display Table**

November 9, 10, and 11th is the District's Convention. If any committee is interested in having a display table in the hall, they should contact Lion Shirley Peterson at Box 2, Elkhart Lake, 53020.

A letter will be sent to committee chairpersons giving the details with a postcard for a return reply next month.

# District Governor Orv's Calendar

## September

- 4 Wautoma Lions
- 5 Two Rivers Lions
- 10 Neshkoro Lions, Lioness *ZONE MEETING*
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- 19-23 USA Canada Forum
- 26 Francis Creek Lions
- 27 Cascade Lions 25th Anniversery

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- 28 4th District Cabinet Meeting Elkhart Lake

## May

- 17-18 State Convention La Crosse
- 19 Council Meeting in La Crosse

## July

- 8-13 International Convention Osaka, Japan

## District Governor Visitation

It is a requirement of Lions International that your District Governor make one official visit to each Lions Club in his district. Look at my calendar above and pick a date when you would like me to visit your club. Please complete the following form and return it to:

District Governor Orville Kittel, 429 Eaton Street, Green Lake, WI 54941-9700

Club Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date Requested \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate \_\_\_\_\_

Meeting Place \_\_\_\_\_

Meeting Time \_\_\_\_\_ Ladies Night \_\_\_\_\_

**Please get your club visitations in as early as possible, September, October, November, December and January.**



# PEACE POSTERS

## LIONS PRESIDENTS of 27-B1

**IT IS TIME** to be considering the possibility of involving the youth of your community in the Lions Peace Poster Contest. What a marvelous way to train up the children in terms of PEACE in the world. It also helps to teach them a little of what Lionism is about.

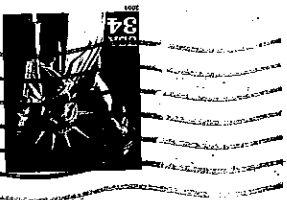
**YOU NEED TO** contact an ART teacher or other leader of youth between the ages of 11 and 13, explain the program to them, and get their desire to participate in the program. Then you need to send for a Peace Poster Kit (\$7.95), one kit per each group involved, from Lions International and closely follow the instructions in it.

**REMEMBER THE OCTOBER DEADLINE TO HAVE YOUR FINISHED POSTERS HANDED IN TO ME** since they must be judged at our District Convention. That means school children must begin at the beginning of the school term. So get a jump-start on this!

**YOU WILL FIND** all the information that you need in the article UNITED IN PEACE on page 16 of the June issue of THE LION, or you may contact me, **KAREN KOCH**, PEACE POSTER CHAIRMAN at P.O. Box 24, Rosendale, WI 54974, e-mail me at [kocks@thesurf.com](mailto:kocks@thesurf.com) or phone me at (920) 872-2637.



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Green Lake, WI 54941





# NEWS

## WISCONSIN LIONS B-1

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TREASURER  
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Fond du Lac, WI 54937

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## Lions, Lioness and Leos of District 27-B1

Hello Everyone:

At this time I have some good news for all the clubs in District 27-B1. Presently we are on a roll and I sure hope that we keep rolling acquiring new members. This couldn't be possible if it was not for the hard work put in by the members of the clubs. Yes, take a look at the new members and the clubs that did ask a friend, a neighbor or business person to join their Lions Club.

It takes the cooperation of members, and the information that you are getting from the Cabinet Membership Chairmen on how to get and retain new members. We have to promote Lionism and let everyone see or know what we are doing. Let everyone know what we do with the money collected from our fund raisers. Get pictures of the activities into your local newspaper and your Wisconsin Lions Magazine and let your communities know what you are doing to make things nicer or better for everyone.

When we get new members, we have to make them feel welcomed, wanted and needed. Assign them responsibilities so they feel useful. Motivate them to recruit friends, relatives, businessmen in the communities to join the club. I am sure they will feel proud to belong to the largest service organization in the world. We lend a helping hand not only locally or in the State, but we cross the boundaries to help those less fortunate.

When Helen Keller challenged the Lions to be the knights of the blind, we took up that challenge and today we have completed the last cabin project at the Lions Camp in Rosholt. There, **vision impaired** individuals can go and spend one week free of charge and have fun and be themselves. There you will also find an eyeglass recycling center where eyeglasses are prepared and distributed to all those that need them in the third world countries.

Now we have another challenge that is extremely important and that is to increase and retain membership. Without members there is no club, so let's get out there and find new members for your clubs. Keep the more mature lions active and motivate them to teach all the new members to be good leaders, to get involved in the fund raisers, to accept positions at club level, state level and even international level. Our mature members have a wealth of experience that they can share with the new members, so let's use that and make those new members be the best they can be. Let's increase membership, but let us not see them slip away through the back door because then we have not succeeded in our efforts. We cannot brag about getting new members unless we help them to be productive and become a real, proud Lion.

Thank you and God Bless,  
DG Orville Kittel - District 27-B1

**From Lioness Brenda**

What an exciting time of the year, with the summer over we are harvesting our gardens and stocking up for the winter ahead of us. The bow hunters are out there trying to get an early deer. Good luck in your hunt.

It is also time to seriously think about going to our DISTRICT CONVENTION in Oshkosh on November 9 and 10. If you haven't reserved your room at the hotel, time is running short. Also, get in your convention registrations. There are some excellent seminars scheduled, meals planned, and a good time to get together in Lionism. If you haven't already given to the MISSION TO MEXICO, bring the items to the convention. Also, at the convention last year, a suggestion was brought up to have a baby shower for an orphanage in Russia. Please bring clothing sizes from infant to 3 years. We are getting the address of an orphanage to send the items to.

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Brenda

**Welcome  
New  
Members!**

**New Member**

- Roger Daul
- Nadia Bernot
- James Peterson
- Ana Kittel
- Jeffrey Capelle
- Jerry Jehn
- Joel Fleschman
- Todd Flitter
- Jim Alexander
- Andrew Rickert
- Michelle Krajnik
- Rev. Kevin Scheuller
- Danneale Jackson
- Jericho Hedblom
- Joseph Awe
- Debra Scott
- Todd Kuklis
- Wendy Kuklis
- Norma McBroom
- Martin Gomaz
- Stan Ellner

**Club**

- Berlin Lions
- Berlin Lions
- Berlin Lions
- Berlin Lions
- Brillion Lions
- Brillion Lions
- Campbellsport Lions
- Campbellsport Lions
- Cascade Lions
- Eldorado Lions
- Fairwater Lions
- Fairwater Lions
- Hancock Lions
- Harrisville Lions
- Harrisville Lions
- Menasha Lions
- Princeton Lions
- Princeton Lions
- Sheboygan Evening
- Sheboygan Hispanic
- Van Dyne Lions

**Deceased  
Members**

**Deceased**

**Club**

- |                  |                     |
|------------------|---------------------|
| Phil Ketter      | Campbellsport Lions |
| Lawrence Miersch | Elkhart Lake Lions  |
| Donald Groth     | Redgranite Lions    |
| Victor Krueger   | Reedsville Lions    |



**THE LIONS CONVENTION**

Attention to all who plan on attending the Lions Convention in Oshkosh at the Pioneer.  
The seminars will be:

- Rawhide • WLF • Leader Dog • Red Cross • Youth Exchange • Juvenile Diabetes**

There will be three seminars running at the same time in different rooms. You would be able to make two in the morning and two in the afternoon. I'm sorry, but time will not allow us to present three in the morning and three in the afternoon. So pick one or up to four that you would like to see in their time periods.



# INSIDE WLF

October 2001

## WLF PROGRAM ASSOCIATES . . .

The WLF Program Associates will be receiving a **Special Invitation to a reception held in their honor** at their District Convention. Please alert your Club's Associate that the invitation will be coming and encourage them to respond when they receive it.



## PEOPLE AND CHILDREN IN THIRD WORLD COUNTRIES NEED OUR GLASSES . . .

Please make sure your Club is actively collecting used eyeglasses. The Eyeglass Recycling Center at the Foundation sends recycled glasses to missions going to 43 other countries of the World. Can you comprehend not being able to see because you need glasses and they're not available, or you can't afford them? We recycle eyeglasses "*so others may see*", and we can always use more. The collection containers are **FREE**, and not only serve as a way to collect glasses, but as a way to promote Lionism, as well. Keep those glasses coming! **To receive a banner patch, be sure to include your Club name with the glasses that are sent to the Center.**



## YOUR CLUB'S ANNUAL DONATION . . .

When you vote on your Annual Donation to the Foundation this year, please remember the cost of living has increased over the years. As an example, in 1990 if you gave the Foundation \$1,000, it will take \$1,351.20 to equal the same purchasing power today. **And always remember, we are doing this for the kids.**

## FALL WORK DAYS - October 20 & November 10, 2001

Your help is needed for Fall Work Days at Lions Camp. Breakfast is at 7:30 a.m. Work starts after Breakfast.

### Work Day projects include:



- Firewood** – cutting, hauling, splitting, stacking
- Leaves** – raking and pickup
- Rain gutters** – cleaning
- Brush chipping** – pine plantation

- Landscape work**
- Hiking Trails** – wood chips
- Eyeglass Center** – washing & sorting
- Piers, Docks & Boats** – Storing

Overnight lodging is available at Lions Camp on Friday and Saturday evening for those needing accommodations. Bring your own towels and personal items. Bedding is available if needed. Meals (breakfast, lunch, and dinner) are provided on Saturday. Coffee and donuts will be available on Sunday morning.

**PLEASE SEND THE COMPLETED WORK DAY SIGN-UP FORM TO:** Wisconsin Lions Camp, 3834 County Road A, Rosholt WI 54473. If you have questions, feel free to call the Camp at 715-677-4761. (Please return this form to Lions Camp or call 715-677-4761)

## October 20 & November 10, 2001 Work Day Sign-up Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Club \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Number Attending Work Day \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate meals/lodging we can provide for you:

Lodging: Friday Night \_\_\_\_\_ Saturday Night \_\_\_\_\_

Meals on Saturday: Breakfast \_\_\_\_\_ Lunch \_\_\_\_\_ Dinner \_\_\_\_\_

## Anniversary Announcements

50th!

The Random Lake Lions Club will be celebrating its 50th Anniversary on April 20, 2002, at the Five Pillars Supper Club in Random Lake, Wisconsin.

On December 12, 1951, seven local men met at Ediee's Inn in downtown Random Lake to organize a Lions Club, "strictly a new venture in this village" - (from their original minutes). They met with Shafeec Mansour, a special Lions' representative from Merrill, Wisconsin. The seven members were: Jerome Krier, Ray Scholler, Stuart Sepstead, Roland Krier, Karl Jung, L. Bauernfeind and Harold Krier.

At their next meeting, On January 15, 1952, they officially elected officers who were immediately installed by Lion Mansour. The first slate of officers was: Jerome Krier, President, H.O. Gosse, First Vice President, Leo Kircher, Second Vice President, Harold Krier, Third Vice President, Ray Scholler, Secretary, Stuart Sepstead, Treasurer, Roger Eisentraut, Lion Tamer, A.J. Mueller, Tail Twister, Roland Krier and L. Bauernfeind, Two-year Directors, Karl Jung and Chester Stahl, One-Year Directors.

On that same night, 39 members signed the Lions Club Charter. A total of 43 people later signed their name on the Charter dated "this 25th day of January in the year of our Lord 1952". The Charter Night celebration took place on Sunday, February 17th.

Only one of the original Charter members is active in the club today, that is: the First Secretary, Ray Scholler.

Lions or other people interested in attending our celebration on April 20th at the Five Pillars Supper Club should contact:

Dan Uelmen, Jr., President  
Random Lake Lions Club  
P.O. Box 351  
Random Lake, WI 53075

## ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES

Back in 1972 the International Association of Lions adopted a policy statement that regarding human environment. This statement in part stated that the Association would "...foster and promote then general welfare; to help create and maintain conditions under which man and nature can exist in productive harmony and fulfill the social, economic and other requirements of present and future generations of mankind." Needless to say this is an important policy, so our district cabinet had a post for a number of years as Environmental Chair. This year I am this chair.

In a UN system-wide Environmental Issues on consumption, the report discusses ways that we can change our lifestyles to make a significant moderation of consumption of our resources. It goes on to give some facts: People in industrial countries account for 20% of world population, but consume 85% of its aluminum, 81% of its paper, 80% of its iron and steel, and 76% of its timber. The average American citizen accounts for the use of 540 tones of construction materials, 18 tons of paper, 23 tons of wood, 16 tones of metals and 32 tones of organic chemicals in the course of a lifetime. In the US, total consumption of virgin raw materials was 17 times greater in 1989 than in 1900, compared with a threefold increase in population.

To change this drain of our natural resources, industry must change their mentality and so do we as individuals. We must think of environmentally efficient materials. Getting rid of waste is of course a costly problem, subsidized by local, state and national funding. Maybe if the cost gets high enough we will learn. Maybe our Lions Clubs on the local level should do more to try to bring our consumption down to sustainable levels. Let's not continue to think about waste disposal, rather think about waste reduction.

More on the environment in the future, By Thomas, L, Koch, District Environmental Chair.



# DISTRICT 27-B1 LIONS 26TH ANNUAL CONVENTION



**OSHKOSH NOVEMBER 9,10 & 11, 2001 PIONEER INN RESORT**

Lions, Lionesses and Leos of 27-B1 and friends of B1: You are cordially invited to attend the 26th Annual Convention of District 27-B1 at the Pioneer Inn Resort in Oshkosh. A weekend of friendship and learning await you at the City on the Lake on the shores of beautiful Lake Winnebago. So mark your calendars and make your reservations early for a "Fun-filled" weekend in Oshkosh. International Director Art Lazerow from Virginia will be our guest for the weekend. Governor Orv is excited to be your governor this year, so be in attendance and lend him your support. Many other interesting speakers will enlighten you. Make plans to attend.

We will have 110 rooms available for you at \$69 per night plus taxes. Registrations are currently being accepted by calling the **Pioneer Inn at 800-683-1980**. Mention you are with the Lions to get the special rate. You must make your reservations by October 10th. After that, the hotel will release the rooms to the public and you may not get into the convention hotel. After Oct. 10, as soon as the resort is 90% full, the special Lions rate will no longer be available, so make your reservations early. About 6 more suites are available at \$109 per night. They are double sized rooms. **Handicapped and those who can't walk long distances**, the quicker you make your reservations, the closer you will get to the lobby of the hotel, but only if you ask when making your reservations.

Registration will begin Friday at 4 p.m. and continue to 9 p.m. The hospitality will open at 6 p.m. to 11 p.m. UODG Steve has booked last year's band, Abler & Bernico. Your \$5 registration will give you beer and soda all night at the expense of the convention. Lots of clubs pay for their member's registrations. Give it a thought. We don't want anyone walking away because of the price. Remember, even if you come on Saturday noon just to vote, everyone is still required to register and pay the \$5 fee, so come early and enjoy yourselves.

Saturday begins with coffee and sweet rolls, also a part of your registration. Come as early at 7:30 and meet your friends. The opening session will begin about 8:15 am. Lunch is a hot lunch buffet of broasted chicken and baked ham for \$13.

The Convention Banquet will be in the ballroom at 6:30 p.m. A sliced Roast Beef dinner, oven browned potatoes, vegetables and dessert will be served for \$17.50. Sunday morning breakfast from 7:30 to 9 is available for \$11.

A District Governor, a Vice District Governor and a Foundation Director will be elected at this convention. Interested in hosting the 2003 District Bowling Tournament? Nomination papers must be submitted to Governor Orv, the elections chairman, Jeri Showers, and the State Executive Secretary, 30 days prior to the convention.

The 2002 District Pin will be offered for sale at this convention. Get your designs ready. The District Pin Contest will vote for the calendar year, 2003, pin. A \$25 prize will again be awarded. Good Luck!

Don't forget, sell some ads for our convention booklet. Clubs will again receive 40% of the sales. Full page \$110, 1/2 page \$75, and 1/4 page \$45. Take 40% off for your club and mail in the balance with the ad.

## Where to mail?

**Convention ads to:**

**PDG Tom Clausen 133 Clinton St. N. Fond du Lac, WI, 54937**

**Convention registrations to:**

**IPDG Steve Groene 408 N. Stafford St. Plymouth, WI 53073**

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### **Sold ads for Convention Booklet:**

- Cover - \$135.00  
Cowles-Henke Insurance Agency
- Full Page - \$110.00  
Friar Tucks/Salty's/Sebastions
- 1/4 Page - \$45.00  
Bank of Oakfield  
Kristmas Kringle Shoppe  
The Roxy Supper Club  
Stitches 'N Tyme

### **ATTENTION 27-B1**

As of September 25, 2001. Jack Johnson is being replaced. Thank you for your past efforts. The new Lion & Lioness Extention is:

**Ralph Schneider**  
**3621 County Rd. LS**  
**Sheboygan, WI 53083**  
**Res: 920-452-2844**



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## Lions, Lioness and Leos of District 27-B1

Hello Everyone:

I would like to congratulate you on a good membership (new members) drive. We are doing very well and for the first time, since I became Governor, we have had just a couple of dropped members and no deaths. If you did have any, I did not receive notification on your M reports. With your help we can keep the momentum going and help bring in new members and not lose any.

I know that if we all try and do our best, we will succeed. Lions have always met every challenge that was given to them, so let's meet this one too. The challenge that we have now is to increase membership not only in our District, but in the State of Wisconsin and then in the whole USA. With everyone doing their best, I know we will accomplish this. This is the one time that doing your part as an individual can make a big difference. By working together this can be successful. Ask a neighbor, a friend, a relative to join. Bring them to a meeting or activity and let them know what we Lions do in terms of helping the less fortunate. Talk to them about our juvenile diabetes program, about the scholarships given out, Leos, Mission to Mexico, eye sight, hearing aid programs, eye glasses, Leader dogs, our camp in Rosholt and all other programs available. Can you imagine what a great success it will be if each one of you bring at least one new member to the club? That will be fantastic! I know you can do it, so let's work on it.

The 26th Lions Convention is on November 9 & 10 at the Pioneer-Resort and Marina in Oshkosh. If you are interested in attending, please get your room reservations as soon as possible. You also will have to register. With the programs we have scheduled, I don't think you would want to miss anything. Time is running out and I hope to see many of you there.

Again I will say, ALONE we can do so little, but TOGETHER we can do so much.

Thank you and God Bless.  
DG Orville Kittel - District 27-B1





## From Lioness Brenda

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If you have any pin designs, get them to Bonnie Hughes, W7464 County Road N, Van Dyne, WI 54979. The designs will be voted on at our convention session. We will need to have all levies paid by the time of the convention. We will be having a raffle again this year during hospitality hours, on Friday night, so please see that your contribution is there for the event. I will need the names of our members that have deceased since July 1, 2000, to the present for the necrology service. We need the names by November 1, 2001. Thank you.

I have been receiving a number of PNA reports, with anticipation of receiving the other clubs. I need to submit a quarterly report to our State Lioness Liaison, and it is hard to do if I don't have the numbers off from these reports. I have been invited to a few of the clubs already and I am excited to be able to meet with you.

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Yours in Lionism,  
Lioness Brenda

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- 27 UW River Falls Operetta

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James Hietpas  
Donna Barr  
Beth Faretta  
Tammy Hackbart  
Virginia Brandel  
Greg Richhoff  
Judith Roland  
Robert Koene Jr.  
Randy Hoizer  
Charles Thompson  
Steve Schoemer  
Todd Bauer  
Norma Niemuth  
Joseph Des Jauriais  
Michael Rowe

### CLUB

Appleton Noon  
Coloma  
Coloma  
Coloma  
Fond du Lac Noon  
Oxford  
Poy Sippi  
Sheboygan Falls  
Sheboygan Falls  
Rosendale  
Sheboygan Noon  
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# DISTRICT 27-B1 LIONS 26TH ANNUAL CONVENTION



**OSHKOSH NOVEMBER 9,10 & 11, 2001 PIONEER INN RESORT**

Lions, Lionesses and Leos of 27-B1 and friends of B1: You are cordially invited to attend the 26th Annual Convention of District 27-B1 at the Pioneer Resort in Oshkosh. A weekend of friendship and learning awaits you at the City on the shores of beautiful Lake Winnebago. So mark your calendars and make your reservations early for a "Fun-filled" weekend in Oshkosh. International Director Art Lazerow from Virginia will be our guest for the weekend. Governor Orv is excited to be your governor this year, so be in attendance and lend him your support. Many other interesting speakers will enlighten you. Make plans to attend.

We will have 110 rooms available for you at \$69 per night plus taxes. Registrations are currently being accepted by calling the Pioneer Inn at 800-683-1980. Mention you are with the Lions to get the special rate. You must make your reservations by October 10th. After that, the hotel will release the rooms to the public and you may not get into the convention hotel. After Oct. 10, as soon as the resort is 90% full, the special Lions rate will no longer be available, so make your reservations early. About 6 more suites are available at \$109 per night. They are double sized rooms. **Handicapped and those who can't walk long distances**, the quicker you make your reservations, the closer you will get to the lobby of the hotel, but only if you ask when making your reservations.

Registration will begin Friday at 4 p.m. and continue to 9 p.m. The hospitality will open at 6 p.m. to 11 p.m. UODG Steve has booked last year's band, Abler & Bernico. Your \$5 registration will give you beer and soda all night at the expense of the convention. Lots of clubs pay for their member's registrations. Give it a thought. We don't want anyone walking away because of the price. Remember, even if you come on Saturday noon just to vote, everyone is still required to register and pay the \$5 fee, so come early and enjoy yourselves.

Saturday begins with coffee and sweet rolls, also a part of your registration. Come as early at 7:30 and meet your friends. The opening session will begin about 8:15 am. Lunch is a hot lunch buffet of broasted chicken and baked ham for \$13.

The Convention Banquet will be in the ballroom at 6:30 p.m. A sliced Roast Beef dinner, oven browned potatoes, vegetables and dessert will be served for \$17.50. Sunday morning breakfast from 7:30 to 9 is available for \$11.

A District Governor, a Vice District Governor and a Foundation Director will be elected at this convention. Interested in hosting the 2003 District Bowling Tournament? Nomination papers must be submitted to Governor Orv, the elections chairman, Jeri Showers, and the State Executive Secretary, 30 days prior to the convention.

The 2002 District Pin will be offered for sale at this convention. Get your designs ready. The District Pin Contest will vote for the calendar year, 2003, pin. A \$25 prize will again be awarded. Good Luck!

Don't forget, sell some ads for our convention booklet. Clubs will again receive 40% of the sales. Full page \$110, 1/2 page \$75, and 1/4 page \$45. Take 40% off for your club and mail in the balance with the ad.

## Where to mail?

Convention ads to:

PDG Tom Clausen 133 Clinton St. N. Fond du Lac, WI, 54937

Convention registrations to:

IPDG Steve Groene 408 N. Stafford St. Plymouth, WI 53073

## CONVENTION SEMINARS

On Saturday the selection of seminars will be the following. There will be two presentations of each seminar.

The first seminars will be offered from 10:25 to 11:05 and again at 11:10 to 11:50. You will be able to pick two of the three offered seminars.

### YOUTH EXCHANGE

There will be one or two students telling about their experience with the Lions Youth Exchange Program. Information will also be given on how you can host a Youth Exchange student.

### RED CROSS

The Red Cross representative along with a PDG will be explaining how the two organizations work together. The Red Cross rep will also explain how the Lions can become volunteers in a crisis situation such as New York.

### JUVENILE DIABETES ASSOCIATION

The Juvenile Diabetes representative along with a counselor or student will explain how valuable our Wisconsin Lions Camp is to them.

There will be two sessions for the afternoon. The first time is from 1:45 to 2:25 and repeated from 2:30 to 3:10. The sessions offered will be:

### RAWHIDE

The Rawhide representative and a student will explain how their program has changed the lives of the many youth that are in this program.

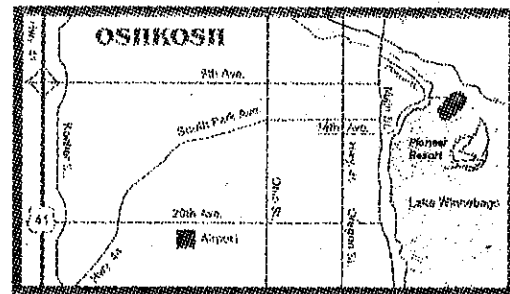
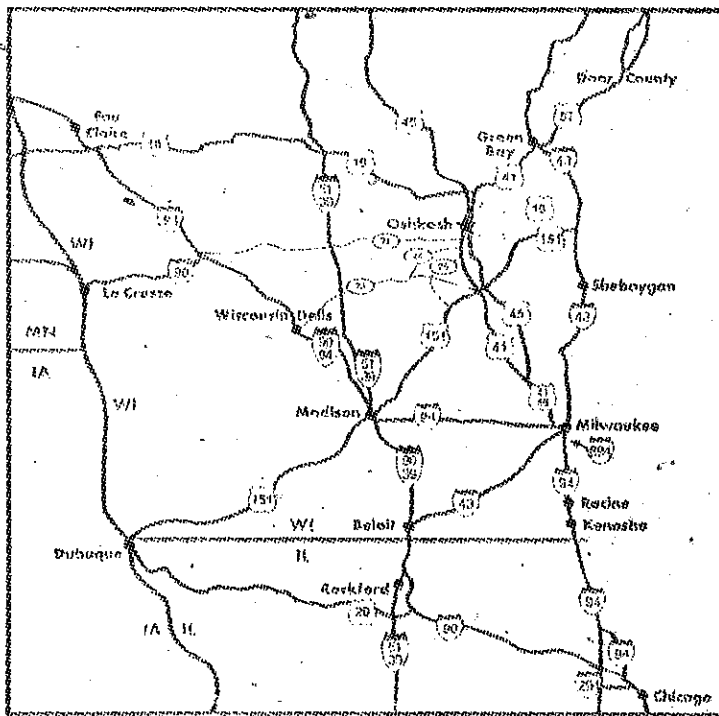
### WISCONSIN LIONS FOUNDATION

A counselor will talk about the experiences of working with the youth at the Wisconsin Lions Camp.

### LEADER DOG

A Leader Dog Rep will talk about how receiving a Leader Dog has changed his life and the value of the Leader Dog Program.

Try to have a member attend each of the sessions and then share the information with the rest of your club.



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## **NOVEMBER LIONS DIABETES EDUCATION MONTH**

### **DID YOU KNOW...**

- Diabetes is a leading cause of blindness. Diabetics are 25 times more prone to blindness.
- Diabetics are 17 times more prone to kidney disease, 5 times more prone to gangrene (often leading to amputation) and twice as prone to heart disease and stroke.
- Diabetes decreases life expectancy by approximately one-third.
- The incidence of diabetes appears to be increasing by 6% annually.
- 50% of diabetics don't know they have the disease.
- There are two types of diabetes - insulin dependent and non - insulin dependent.
- Only 10% of the total diabetic population are type 1, non-insulin dependent.
- Insulin dependent and non-insulin dependent diabetics are subject to the same devastating complications.
- The chances of developing diabetes doubles with every 20% of excess weight.
- Women are more likely than men to have diabetes.
- The chances of developing diabetes increases during middle and old age.
- Insulin does not cure diabetes. Presently there is no known cure for diabetes.

## **WHAT CAN YOUR CLUB DO FOR DIABETES?**

- Plan a November club meeting on diabetes education featuring a speaker from your medical community or diabetic association.
- Offer your club's assistance to a diabetic association or the medical community in distributing diabetes educational materials to the public.

For more information, contact the:  
District Diabetes Chairman

## **Francis Creek Lions Club**

*announces their annual*

## ***Pancake & Egg Breakfast***

**Sunday, October 21, 2001  
St. Anne Catholic Church School Hall  
Francis Creek, WI  
Serving from 8:00 am. until 12:00 Noon**

**\$4.00 adult Ticket  
\$2.50 age 10 and under**

*The breakfast includes all you can eat pancakes, scrambled eggs, sausage links, hash brown potatoes, apple sauce, orange juice and coffee.*

*The Francis Creek Lions Club is dedicated to the betterment of the community and all mankind, and is especially supportive of programs for the blind and hearing impaired.*

# PEACE POSTERS

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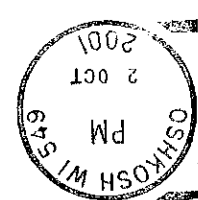
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**MD27-B1 DISTRICT CONVENTION  
Oshkosh, Wisconsin  
Saturday November 10, 2001**

**ATTENTION ALL LIONS**

Lions running for offices 2002-2003

**Robert (Bob) Showers PDG**  
Asking for endorsement from 27-B1 for  
International Director

**Edward Filemyr**  
Running for District Governor

**Tom King**  
Running for Vice District Governor

**Ken Wallander**  
Running for Wisconsin Lions  
Foundation Director

None have filled papers for District Bowling  
in the allotted time

Bowling will have to come from the floor  
at the meeting Saturday morning.

Good Luck to all!

**ATTENTION SECRETARIES**

District raffle please turn in your tickets and  
money to Lion Victor Voigt PDG, before the  
convention. The address is 628 Hwy W,  
Reedsville, WI 54230 Phone: 920-722-4235.

***For the Bucket Raffle:***

Get your prizes to lion Bill Wessing before  
the Convention and his address is: 227 5th  
Street, Random Lake, WI 53075  
Phone: 920-994-4444

To those attending the convention or think-  
ing about it, there will be a convention pin in  
your packet that you won't trade, give away  
or sell. You will have to register early  
because these pins could be hard to get  
later at the convention.

7:00 - 8:15 a.m.

**CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST**

8:15 - 8:25 a.m.

Call to order - DG Orv Kittel  
Pledge - IPDG Steve Groene  
Prayer - Chaplain Pat Knier  
Introductions - DG Orv Kittel  
Welcome to Oshkosh -  
Visitors Bureau

8:25 - 8:30 a.m.

Lioness Affiliate Pres. - Brenda Arellano

8:30 - 8:40 a.m.

International Director - Arthur Lazarow

8:40 - 8:50 a.m.

State Secretary Report - Dwaine Habrat

8:50 - 9:00 a.m.

WLF report - Pres. Mike McMeeken

9:00 - 9:10 a.m.

Lions Eye Bank of Wisconsin

9:10 - 9:15 a.m.

Mission to Mexico - PDG Bob Showers

9:15 - 9:20 a.m.

Peace Poster - Lion Karen Koch

9:20 - 9:25 a.m.

District Pin - Lion Gary Bilke

9:25 - 9:30 a.m.

Resolutions - PDG Clayton Sengbusch

9:30 - 10:15 a.m.

Nominations - Lion Jeri Showers

District Governor

Vice District Governor

Wisconsin Lions Foundation Director

Endorsement of International Director Candidate

District Bowling Tournament

10:15 - 10:25 a.m.

**BREAK**

10:25 - 11:05 a.m.

**Seminars**

Juvenile Diabetes  
Julie Kersten

Youth Exchange

Alicia Reinl, Denise Horneck

Red Cross

Kelly Butzlaff

11:10 - 11:50 a.m.

Seminars Repeat

12:05 - 1:35 p.m. LUNCH

Prayer - Lion Pat Knier

Introduction of Head Table,

Leader Dog Representative

100% Secretary & Treasurer Awards

Parade of Checks

1:35 - 1:45 p.m. BREAK

1:45 - 2:25 p.m. Seminars

Rawhide  
John Solberg

Wisconsin Lions Foundation  
Karl Franzen

Leader Dog Representative

2:30 - 3:10 p.m. Seminars Repeat

3:20 - 4:00 p.m. Necrology

Voting—Ballroom A, 15 minutes after the completion of the Necrology  
Service and will continue for 1/2 hour.

6:30 p.m. Banquet

Guest Speaker  
International Director Arthur Lazarow  
Gloucester, Virginia

## District Governor Orv's Calendar

### November

- 1 Kiel Lions
- 2-4 B-2 Convention, Green Bay
- 5 Pickett Lions
- 7 Dundee-Long Lake
- 8 Pick up PID Art Lazarow
- 9-10 B-1 Convention, Pioneer Resort, Oshkosh
- 11 2nd Cabinet Meeting Pioneer Resort, Oshkosh
- 15 Hilbert Lions
- 20 Random Lake Lions
- 21 Two Rivers Lions
- 26 Van Dyne Lionesses

### December

- 4 Newton Lions
- 5 Fond du Lac Noon, Sunset Supper Club
- 9 Eden Lions
- 12 Fond du Lac Evening Lions
- 13 Collins Lions
- 17 Appleton Noon Lions
- 24-25 Christmas Eve and Day Ervin Kittel
- 27 Oakfield Lions
- 31 New Year's Eve Ervin Kittel

### January (2002)

- 1 New Year's Day Ervin Kittel
- 3 New Holstein Lions
- 9 Campbellsport Lions Club
- 10 Sheboygan Falls
- 11-13 Council Meeting, Merrill
- 15 Sheboygan Evening Lions
- 17 St. Peter + Winnebago East Shore Lions
- 18-20 A1 Convention, Fontana
- 24 Princeton Lions
- 28 Hancock Lions

### February

- 5 Fairwater Lions
- 7 Montello Lioness Club
- 8-9 A-2 District Convention Brookfield
- 10 3rd B-1 District Cabinet Meeting, Columbus Club
- 11 Plainfield Lions
- 12 Stockbridge, Chilton Lions
- 13 Kingston Lions
- 14 Plymouth Lions Club
- 18 Van Dyne Lions
- 19 Amsterdam Lions
- 28 Menasha Town Of

### March

- 1-3 Council Meeting, La Crosse
- 6 Harrisville Lions
- 11 Reedsville Lions
- 15-16 E-2 District Convention Menomonie
- 26 Sheboygan Noon

### April

- 8 Wild Rose Lioness
- 9 Larsen-Winchester Lioness, Clayton Town Hall
- 10 Appleton Noon Lionesses
- 16 Maribel Lions Club
- 20 Random Lake Lions, 50th Anniversary
- 28 4th District Cabinet Meeting Elkhart Lake

### May

- 7 Neenah Lions
- 17-18 State Convention La Crosse
- 19 Council Meeting in La Crosse
- 23 Adell Lions

### June

- 26 Howards Grove

### July

- 8-13 International Convention Osaka, Japan

## IMPORTANT NOTICES

### PIN TRADERS

There is a room for the Pin Traders where you can swap or buy Pins. It is in the lower level, and the name of the room is the Pintail. You don't have to belong to the pin traders to set up a table.

### GET REGISTERED

Get your rooms reservations and get registered early so we can have your packets ready when you get there. Otherwise you might have to wait for your name tag and packet, because they are all done up in advance.

### SECRETARIES

You have to fill out a report if you have a change in membership or not. It is very important that they are sent in every month. International needs them and I need them too. If you forgot one and it is even in July of Aug., please send it to me so I can get my reports caught up and in to International. There are just a few that are delinquent. Thank you for your help.



# INSIDE WLF

November 2001

## DEER HUNTERS TAKE NOTE:



Please remember that if you score big this year and want to put your deer hides to good use, the Wisconsin Lions Foundation can use them. As a possible project, why not organize the collection of deer hides for your whole community. For further

information, call District Governor Bernie Stutgen and the Thorp Lions Club at 715-669-5588 or call the Foundation Office toll-free at 877-463-6953.

## YOUTH SERVICE PROJECT AWARDS:

Do you know a youth service project in your area that should be recognized? Any youth group (not just Leo Clubs) can perform a youth service project. This is a fabulous way to recognize young people for making a difference in their communities. The Wisconsin Lions Foundation is very proud to offer this award to the youth in your community. We need your help to make this project work. **Deadline is March 1, 2002, so make your plans now.** Applications will be mailed out soon, so see your WLF Director, WLF Program Associate, or Club Secretary. More applications are available from your WLF Director, or call the Foundation office toll-free at 877-463-6953 (INFO-WLF).



## RECOGNITION - RECOGNITION:



Do you have an individual or a business in your community, or even a member, that deserves that special kind of recognition? Your Foundation has two different ways you can do this.

1. Present a Birch-Sturm Fellowship. Cost is \$1,000

with the money staying in the Endowment Fund, ensuring operational revenues for future years. 2. The Recognition Wall of the Friends and Honors Garden. Cost is \$2,500 or \$5,000. You can specify how the money is to be used. All of these forms of recognition are to be over and above a Club's Annual Donation. See your WLF Director, WLF Program Associate, or call the Foundation Office at 877-463-6953 for details.

## YOUR CLUB'S ANNUAL (REGULAR) DONATION...



For many years, the WLF Board of Directors has referred to a Clubs yearly donation to the Foundation as its "Regular" donation. Searching for a name that is more meaningful and more descriptive, the Board recently adopted the name change from "Regular" to "Annual" Donation. This is something your Club does on an annual basis. The Annual Donation is used to fund the Foundation and all of its programs, including Lions Camp.

## WLF PROGRAM ASSOCIATES:

Over 64% of the Lions, Lioness, and Leo Clubs have already appointed their WLF Program Associates. What is a WLF Program Associate? The Foundation is asking each Club to appoint a member to this position. All correspondence from and about the Foundation will be targeted to this position. In addition, questions from members and the community will also be directed to this position. This is a no-cost, easily appointed position, which should allow us to be of even greater service to your Club.



## SPECIAL OFFER FROM LensCrafters:



All LensCrafters stores offer Lions Clubs a special \$50.00 price for new glasses purchased for local needy adults and children. This price consists of any frame priced under \$50.00 with single vision or multifocal scratch resistant plastic lenses. All children up to age 12 will receive polycarbonate lenses. This special price does not include the eye exam; however, Clubs are encouraged to pursue a discounted eye exam with the individual doctors. For more information about LensCrafters' charitable assistance program with Lions, visit any LensCrafters store and speak with the "Gift of Sight Captain".



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**All Peace Posters should be at the Convention to be voted on. The winner will be sent to International by November 15th.**

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**NOW IS THE TIME TO  
INCREASE MEMBERSHIP**

# NEWS

## WISCONSIN LIONS B-1

December 2001

This newsletter is on line at [www.fdl.uwc.edu/27-b1/dec2001](http://www.fdl.uwc.edu/27-b1/dec2001)

Tell your members!



### We Serve

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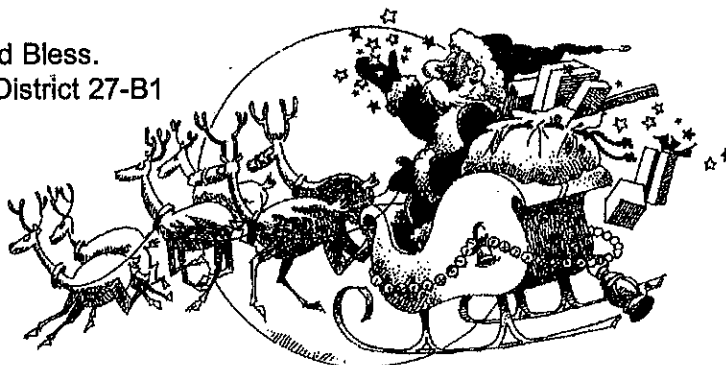
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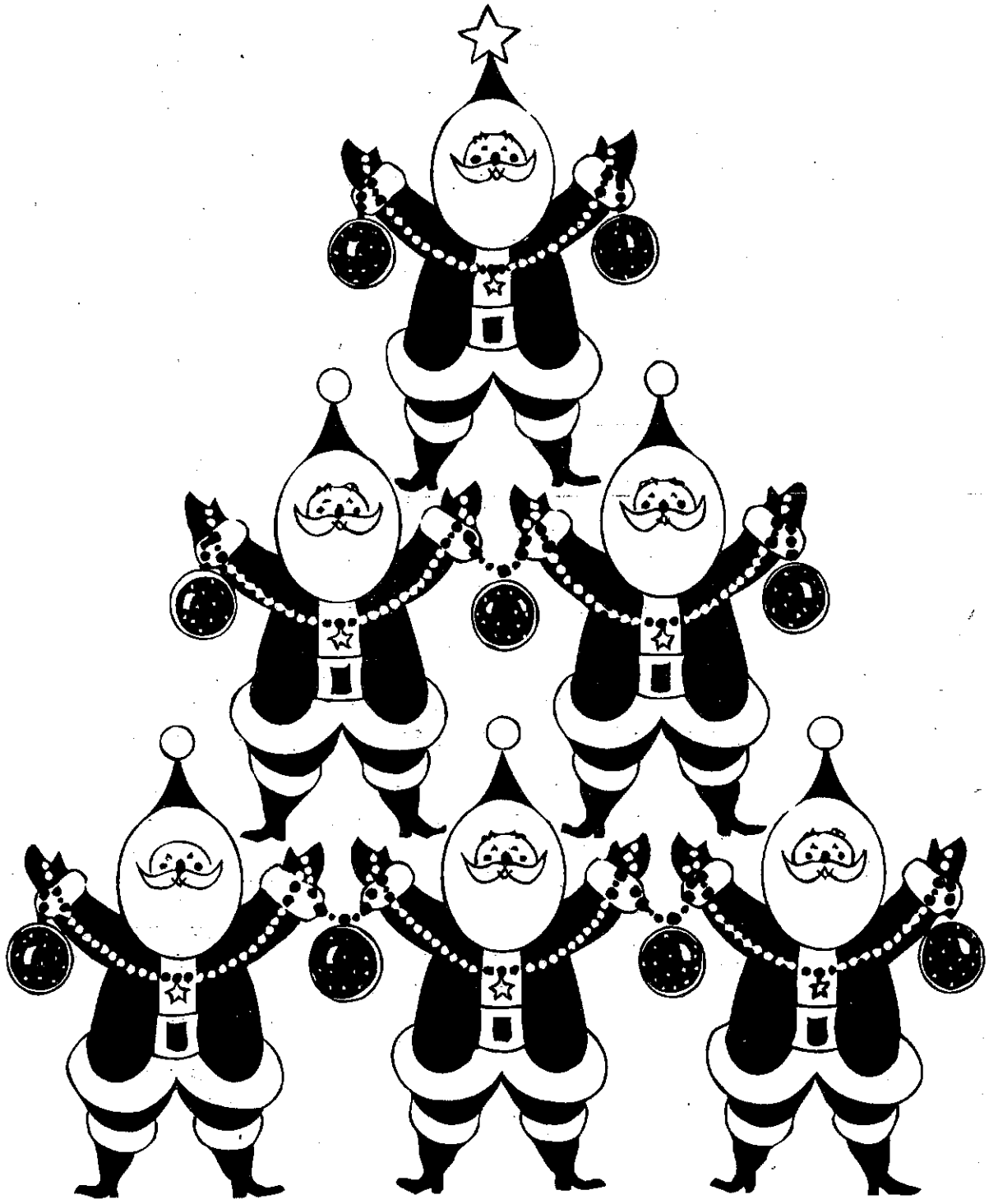
The 26th District Convention is over and from the reports I have received from some of those who attended, they are satisfied with how everything went. They liked the Seminars and Presenters and some seminars were so packed that there was standing room only. This is the year targeted toward lighting the path to our Youth, which will be the leaders and the Lions of tomorrow. This is why we gave the opportunity to as many young adults as possible to present the seminars and they were all well received.

The District Raffle and the Bucket Raffle were also very successful and I have been told that they were the biggest that we have had. I will let the ones in charge tell you themselves about how each raffle went.

To the secretaries of all clubs I need to tell you that I need your cooperation in sending in the M Reports quickly. There are some clubs that have not sent in the reports for a couple of months. You know who you are, so we need those reports as soon as possible. These reports are very important because from them International and the rest of us know what your club is doing, if you have inducted new members, have had deaths or drop outs. When it comes to new members, if the reports are not sent in, that hurts them because they do not get registered with Lions International to be recognized as a member. Also, they do not get their Lions Magazines that come from State and International plus any other materials available. They also lose time in service because they were not put in on the month they were sworn in as members. So, please, get your M Reports in as soon as you can after the last meeting of the month.

Thank you and God Bless.  
DG Orville Kittel - District 27-B1





Merry Christmas  
from all Lions, Lioness,  
and Leos

## From Lioness Brenda

To all who did not get to the District Convention, you sure missed some excellent seminars. Our part of the convention went fairly well. Our President-elect is Kathy Bargebquast of Fond du Lac and our Vice-President elect is Louise Ebert of Appleton. Our raffle table at the hospitality night earned \$513.00 for the Wisconsin Eye Bank and the skirt-twisting earned over \$300 for the Wisconsin Lions Foundation. Good Job!

If you haven't heard, our dear friend, Past Affiliate President, Area Director Betty Duzinske passed away on November 2. She will be missed. If you are in her area, please consider the opportunity of filling her spot on my Board of Directors for the remainder of my term.

What a time in this world of chaos for us to give thanks to our Lord. We should be thankful for our friends, family, jobs, retirement, and especially that we are not the TURKEY on Thanksgiving.

Yours in Lionism,  
Lioness Brenda

### CALENDAR

#### November

- 9-10 27-B1 District Convention - Oshkosh
- 12 Wild Rose Lioness Club
- 15 Pator/Parish Council
- 26 Van Dyne Lioness Christmas Party
- 27 UW River Falls Operetta

#### December

- 1 Larsen/Winchester Children's Christmas Party
- 10 Wild Rose Lioness Christmas Party
- 14 Wild Rose Community Christmas Party



**Welcome  
New  
Members!**

### NEW MEMBERS

Jeffrey Neils  
Brad Barron  
Tyler Thompson  
Raymond Mason  
Denver Hilt  
George Hilt  
Bernard Cichocki  
Fred Ford  
Michael Mosley  
Gerald Messner  
William Lutz  
Georgia Derrick  
Jennifer Phillips  
Robert Imhoff  
Jody Myers  
Warren Bratel  
Thomas Wilharms  
James Kolar  
Paul Marti  
Richard Schumacher  
Michael Writz  
Timothy Christensen  
Tiffany Wegner  
Sharon Roitt

### CLUB

Elkhart Lake Lions  
Endeavor Lions  
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Howards Grove Lions  
Montello Lions  
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Newton Lions  
Packwaukee Lions  
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Plainfield Lions  
Sheboygan Falls  
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Stockbridge Lions  
St. Peter Lions  
Waldo Lions  
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### DECEASED

Ralph Vander Putten  
New Holstein



**SPECIAL THANKS:**

My wife and I want to give special thanks to co-chairmen of the convention committee IPDG Steve Groene and PDG Tom Clausen and their respective wives Jean and Betty for taking care of the registrations, packets, flowers and general functions of the convention. Our thanks also to PDG Del Peterson for scheduling the seminars and getting the presenters and to his wife Lion Shirley, for arranging for the display tables and the hospitality areas. Thank you to PID Harry Merriman and his wife Kathy and PID Phillip Ingwell and his wife Betty for helping the International Director, Art Lazarow and his wife Joan feel among friends. Also, thanks to PDG Victor Voight and his wife Christine for helping host the Leader Dog Representative, Linda McLane. Thanks to Lion Pat Knier and wife Lion Sheryl for the emotional prayers and well done Necrology program. Big thanks to all the members of the convention committee for their time and hard work so everything flowed smoothly; you did a great job.

We hope Lioness Affiliate President, Brenda Arellano and the Lionesses enjoyed the weekend sharing the spirit of Lionism with our fellow Lions. Leos, thanks for your presence and hope the convention was fun and a learning experience for you. Our thanks also to Ms. Cathy Doran, Executive Meetings Manager of the Pioneer Resort & Marina. She, and other staff members, did a fantastic job in making us feel comfortable and meeting our requests promptly. Ms. Doran put many hours and wore many hats to accommodate us and make us feel welcomed. We feel she is definitely an asset to the Pioneer Resort.

We will never forget the experience of working and sharing with all of you on this endeavor and will always be appreciative of your efforts to help us. All you Lions, Lionesses and Leos made justice to our motto "We Serve." Thank you all for a terrific job and for your part in making the 26th District Convention a success.

Orville Kittel, DG-District 27-B1  
and Lion Ana

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**LEARN LIONS LEADERSHIP**

Specially for all Zone Chairmen and also invited are club presidents and anyone who may become a Club or District Leader. This includes Club District officers and committee chairs regardless of gender. Save the date of February 2, 2002, 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. for 27-B1 District Training, location to be announced. The club officers training will be scheduled in the Spring as is customary.

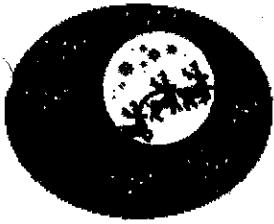
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**ATTENTION: CHANGE OF SECRETARY**

There is a change of Secretary in the Green-Glen Lions Club. As of November 1, 2001 the new Secretary will be Gib Binder, P.O. Box 74, Glenbeulah, WI 53023. We want to thank Monica Kleinhans for being Secretary in the past.

**THANKS TO SPONSORS FOR THE NEW MEMBERS**

This is the best time to thank all the sponsors for bringing in new members into their clubs. There will be a certificate issued to the sponsor for new members. The certificates will be in Bronze, Silver or Gold. It will depend on how many new members you bring in. So, this is your chance to shine in your club and see how many more new members you can get. To those who got new members you can increase your total and get more new members to get a higher value certificate. Please go out and do your best to increase memberships.



### A HOLIDAY WISH:

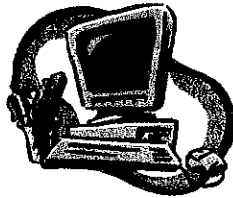
A Wish from President Mike McMeeken, his Board of Directors, and the Staff of the Wisconsin Lions Foundation... May this Special Holiday Wish find you and yours happy,

healthy, and feeling good about yourself and the work we are able to do at the Wisconsin Lions Foundation because of your support. **HAPPY HOLIDAYS!**

### VISIT OUR NEW WEB PAGE:

The Foundation has a newly designed web page with lots of updated information and many new links. Please check it out and sign our Guest Book.

[www.wilionwlf.org](http://www.wilionwlf.org)



### WE NEED YOUR DEER HIDES:



Please remember that if you score big this year and want to put your deer hides to good use, the Wisconsin Lions Foundation can use them. As a possible project, why not organize the collection of deer hides for your whole community. For further

information, call District Governor Bernie Stutgen and the Thorp Lions Club at 715-669-5588 or call the Foundation Office toll-free at 877-463-6953.

### A GREAT BIG THANK YOU!

Work Days for 2001 are complete now. A large amount of jobs were completed and a big savings to Lions Camp was accomplished. To those who participated, a **great big thank you for your help**. We also wish to thank the spouses and families at home for allowing your loved ones to participate.



### PLACEMATS ARE IN:

Full-colored placemats featuring Lions Camp are now available from your WLF Director or from the Foundation Office. Placemats

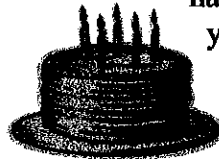
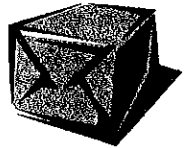
are free and promote what we do here at Camp.



December 2001  
**INSIDE WLF**

### EYEGLOSS RECYCLING PATCH:

Sharon Cherek, Manager of the Eyeglass Recycling Center, says we could salvage about 10% more of the donated glasses if they were packaged in cardboard containers rather than paper and plastic bags. We are currently processing more than one million pair of glasses per year. 10% more would mean that **around 100,000 more people would receive the gift of sight**. Remember, in order for us to properly recognize your Club, we need to know where the glasses come from. Simply include the name of your Club in the box with your glasses.



### A FUNDRAISING IDEA:

Why not consider turning your Birthday into a "Contribution Day". Here's how it works: Invite your family and friends to a get-together. Instead of gifts, attendees are encouraged to make contributions to WLF during the event. You can go so far as to include information packets and mail them out to people with the invitations. This idea has been tried and it really works.

### WANTED: USED HEARING AIDS!

By collecting used Hearing Aids, we are able to supply them to those who need them but can't afford them. Used aids are turned over to hearing aid manufacturers for credit. Please make sure your Club is involved. Containers are Free!



**WLF. . . . Together we change lives for the good and forever.**

## District Governor Orv's Calendar

### November

- 1 Kiel Lions
- 2-4 B-2 Convention, Green Bay
- 5 Pickett Lions
- 7 Dundee-Long Lake
- 8 Pick up PID Art Lazarow
- 9-10 B-1 Convention, Pioneer Resort, Oshkosh
- 11 2<sup>nd</sup> Cabinet Meeting Pioneer Resort, Oshkosh
- 15 Hilbert Lions
- 20 Random Lake Lions
- 21 Two Rivers Lions
- 26 Van Dyne Lionesses

### December

- 4 Newton Lions
- 5 Fond du Lac Noon,
- 9 Eden Lions
- 12 Fond du Lac Evening Lions
- 13 Collins Lions
- 17 Appleton Noon Lions
- 20 St. Nazianz Lions
- 24-25 Christmas Eve and Day Ervin Kittel
- 27 Oakfield Lions
- 31 New Year's Eve Ervin Kittel

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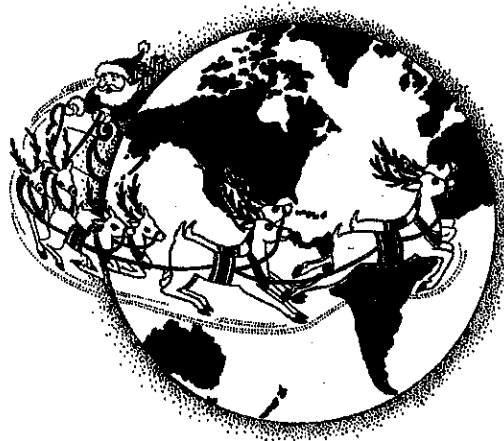
### June

- 26 Howards Grove

### July

- 8-13 International Convention Osaka, Japan

*Peace on Earth!*  
*Merry Christmas*  
*to all and to all*  
*a good night!*



ABC/WIBC Moral Sanction

SPONSORED BY THE MERRILL EVENING LIONS CLUB AND GLEASON LIONS CLUB

February 9, 2002 thru April 21, 2002 - Except March 30 and 31 (Easter Weekend)

Les & Jim's Lincoln Lanes 1208 N. Center Ave. Merrill, Wisconsin 54452

Squad Times

Saturday (Singles & Doubles) 12:00 pm  
 3:30 pm  
 9:00 am  
 12:00 pm  
 Sunday

Date & Time Preferred  
 Singles & Doubles Event

Team Captain (Sign)

Club Name \_\_\_\_\_

(print) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Club ID# \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Team Name \_\_\_\_\_

1st Choice \_\_\_\_\_

2nd Choice \_\_\_\_\_

1st Choice \_\_\_\_\_

2nd Choice \_\_\_\_\_

Prize Money \$ 2.00  
 Bowling Fee \$ 6.50  
 Administrative Fee \$ 1.50  
 (Host Club)  
 State Bowling Committee \$ .50  
 Total Per Event \$ 10.50

Entry Enclosed:

\_\_\_\_\_ Doubles @ \$21.00 per set  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Singles @ \$10.50 per bowler  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Team @ \$52.50  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Total Enclosed

No scheduling without required fees and this entry form. Substitutes in any of the events must be reported to the Secretary at least 30 minutes prior to the start of scheduled bowling.

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

HANDICAP RULES AND PRIZE MONEY DISTRIBUTION

The annual Tournament of the Lions State Bowling Tournament shall be conducted on a handicap basis. Each bowler shall receive a handicap of 75% of the difference between his/her average and 220 pins in each event entered not to exceed a maximum of 175 pins per person in each event. The handicap allowed shall be taken from ABC/WIBC handicap manual. Each bowler shall use his/her previous year's highest average attained in any league in which 21 or more games were bowled. If he/she does not have a previous year's average, bowler may use highest current average as of January 1st, 2002 provided 21 games or more have been bowled. If no previous year's average or current average, men will be required to use an average of 150 pins and women will be required to use an average of 140 pins. Averages shall be verified by the team captain. Failure to use the proper average or to make corrections in averages prior to the completion of the first game shall disqualify score(s) if submitted average is lower than the actual average of base price winnings on submitted average, if it is higher (ABC/WIBC Rule 319a-3). ABC/WIBC Rule 319a-2 and 319d apply with regard to the reporting of tournament prize winnings and the ten pin reference. Bowlers must be familiar with the rating requirements of ABC/WIBC Rule 319e. All prize money will be returned 100% in the event entered on a handicap basis. The champions in each event shall be declared by actual pinfall plus handicap and will receive appropriate recognition.

Team Captains, upon signing this entry form, certify that the bowlers whose names are shown on this entry form are Wisconsin State Lions/Lioness for whom competition in this tournament is restricted to.

All non-members of ABC or WIBC who are eligible for membership may obtain high score protection by paying affiliate membership dues of \$16.00 (ABC) or \$25.00 (WIBC). To be eligible to bowl, a bowler must have membership in the Lions Club International Handicap Tournament.

Team Members \_\_\_\_\_ Sanction Number \_\_\_\_\_ Assoc. Name \_\_\_\_\_ Average \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_

Singles \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_

6. \_\_\_\_\_

Doubles \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

Give name in full for each event. The word "reserved" or "partner" is unacceptable. Order listed is order bowled. Entries close January 10, 2002. Surcharge of \$1.00 per event per bowler for any event after January 10, 2002. In order to bowl in this tournament or any other future State Lions/Lioness Tournament bowlers must be in good standing and paid up. The host club has no responsibility and will not at any time provide substitutions for any club with a shortage of bowlers in team event or Doubles. Singles shall be forfeited. Lions State Tournament Rules Secretary, IX, under no circumstances, after entries have been received and filed by the secretary, shall fees for the same be refunded.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: MERRILL/GLEASON LIONS BOWLING 2002 - MAIL TO JIM ARNDT • 1609 E. SEVENTH ST. MERRILL, WI 54452

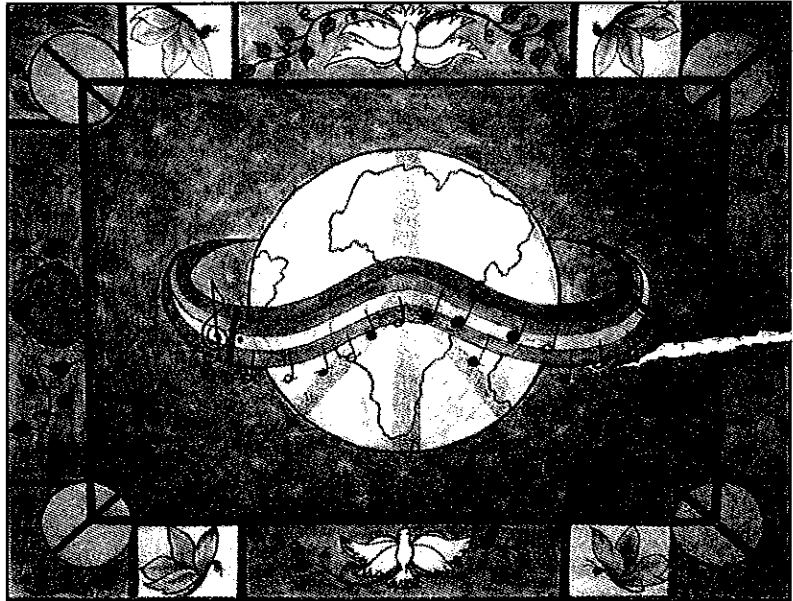
Tournament Chairmen: Jim Arndt (715-536-9405), Jim Barnes, Jack Kasper, and Dan Kriess



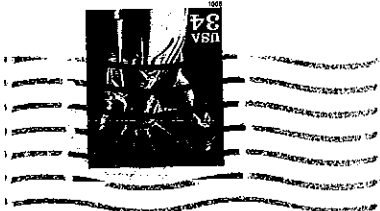
# PEACE POSTER

## ATTENTION ALL LIONS *The Winning Peace Poster*

I would like to congratulate the winner in the Peace poster contest. It was a very good piece of art work and it expresses the theme of Peace in the world. The winner is from the town of Rosendale, Wisconsin where she attends school. With works like these with the thoughts of the future how can we not express a great big thank you for what you have done. I wish you the best of luck in the next judging of more paintings.



ORVIN DOEDE PDG  
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FOND DU LAC, WI 54935



Lion Orville Kittel, DG  
429 Eaton St.  
Green Lake, WI 54941





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INCREASE MEMBERSHIPS**

# NEWS

## WISCONSIN LIONS B-1

January 2002

This newsletter is on line at [www.fdl.uwc.edu/27-b1/jan2002](http://www.fdl.uwc.edu/27-b1/jan2002)

Tell your members!



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## Lions, Lioness and Leos of District 27-B1

Hello Everyone:

Here we are in January and six months of my governorship are over. It seems like I just got started. I have got some good news to report and that is that our October figures are in and we have a plus 4 in our District as for new members over drops. **THAT IS TERRIFIC!** Let's keep up the good work as this is a great way to start the New Year.

I want to thank all the clubs who have gotten members to help us get to where we are now. To the clubs who have not gotten any new members, see what you can do to get one or two new members. Like I have said before, "Alone we can do so little, but together we can do so much."

Secretaries and Presidents - Please check my calendar and see what day will fit in for my visitation to your club. If your club hasn't been visited by me or if you have not scheduled a date for my visit, please do so. Time is running out fast and I need your help to finish my job.

There is one thing what would make my term as Governor very good. That is if we can come up with a plus in membership and one new club to top of a very good year for District 27-B1. Remember, it takes all of us Lions and Lionesses pulling together to accomplish the goals we have set for this year. As of now all the hard work put in by so many of you, is starting to show progress. Now is the time for everyone to put in just a little effort and accomplish a much bigger task which is to put the State of Wisconsin in the plus column on membership. Remember, it is all up to you Lions to go out there and do your best in recruiting new members. **I KNOW TOGETHER WE WILL DO IT!**

Happy Holidays to all and a very Happy, Healthy and Prosperous New Year.

Thank you and God Bless.  
DG Orville Kittel - District 27-B1



### ***From Lioness Brenda***

The New Year is upon us and we have made our resolutions, be it to lose weight, exercise more, spend less on certain items, go to Church more, let's not forget to pray for peace world wide, as we know that prayer works.

We have a new Area Director to replace Betty Duzinke, Her name is Pat Pettit of the Fond du Lac Club. Thank you Pat for volunteering, you will lear a lot. Secretaries of Adell, Ripon, Van Dyne, Random Lake, kindly send the appropriate PNA report to Pat.

Hopefully by the time you read this we would have had a little snow to make it seem more like winter.

Yours in Lionism,  
Lioness Brenda

#### **Calendar**

Jan	7	Neshkoro Lioness Club
	14	Wild Rose Lioness Club
	15	Sheboygan Evening Lions Club 80th Anniversary
	17	Kingston Lioness Club

## **Welcome New Members!**

#### **NEW MEMBERS**

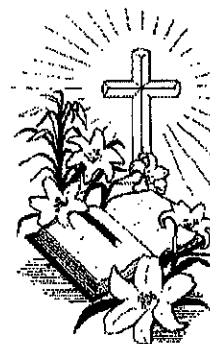
Scott Krueger  
Thomas Bartelt  
Kathleen Heinzen  
Elizabeth Phillips-Smith  
Anthony Smith  
Elizabeth Binder  
Deborah Lang  
Judith Walsdorf  
Don Krause  
Scott Henke  
Jon Numrich  
Gary Kramer  
Steven Vorpapel  
Javier Dimas  
John Owens  
Leonard Quinn  
Rick Dans  
Adam Wood  
Robert Roeder  
Duane Ciske  
Brian Hoffman  
Barbara Smith  
Mike Sommerhalder  
Bruce Wiegand  
Glen Pollack  
Ervin Ehnert  
Ben Castnere

#### **CLUB**

Brillion Lions  
Fond du Lac Evening Lions  
Francis Creek Lions  
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Green Glen Lions  
Kiel Lions  
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Markesan Lions  
Neshkoro Lions  
Pickett Lions  
Plymouth Lions  
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Ripon Lions  
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Rosendale Lions  
Sheboygan Evening Lions  
Sheboygan Evening Lions  
Sherwood Lions  
Valders Lions  
Van Dyne Lions  
Van Dyne Lions  
Wautoma Lions

#### **DECEASED**

Ellsworth Wilharms	Elkhard Lake Lions
Burdette Petersen	Plymouth Lions
Wittchow Irvin	Rosendale Lions
William Hielke	Pickett Lions



## District Governor Orv's Calendar

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- 2 Poy Sippi Lions
- 3 New Holstein Lions
- 8 Ripon Lions
- 9 Campbellsport Lions Club
- 10 Sheboygan Falls
- 11-13 Council Meeting, Merrill
- 14 Larson - Winchester Lions
- 15 Sheboygan Evening Lions
- 16 Zone Meeting Dave Halssback
- 17 St. Peter + Winnebago East Shore Lions
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- 22 Tom King Zone
- 23 Butte Des Morts Lions
- 24 Princeton Lions
- 28 Hancock Lions

### February

- 2 Officers Training
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### March

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- 6 Harrisville Lions
- 7 Cascade Lions
- 11 Reedsville Lions
- 15-16 E-2 District Convention Menomonie
- 18 Eldorado Lions
- 25 Oxford Social
- 26 Sheboygan Noon
- 26 Appleton Evening Lions

### April

- 8 Wild Rose Lioness
- 9 Larsen-Winchester Lioness
- 10 Appleton Noon Lionesses
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Happy New Year!





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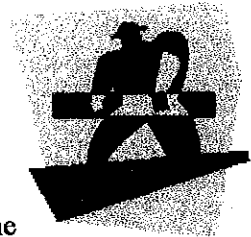
## A NEWS YEAR'S WISH:



From President Mike McMeeken, the Board of Directors, the entire Staff of the Foundation, including Lions Camp and the Recycling Center, a **New Year's wish for nothing but success for your Club, its members, and the people of your community.** We also wish for a renewed commitment to the Wisconsin Lions Foundation and the people we serve. Always remember our ability to serve others is because of your support. We do this together. We have for 46 years. We are the best, again, because of you.

## COME VISIT OUR NEW OFFICE:

The personnel of **Lions Camp** has grown, and additional space was needed. It was decided to move the Foundation Staff out of the Memorial Building, giving the entire area to the Camp Staff; this would also give them room to expand. There was no room or economical way to expand the Memorial Building so the Directors decided to expand the Eyeglass Recycling Center. This would also put the operation of the Recycling Center on one floor, something that has been needed for some time. This expansion has created space for a large conference room and office space for the Foundation administrative offices. Come and take a look at what we have created.



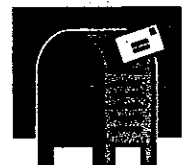
## LIONS YOUTH SERVICE PROJECT AWARD:



The Wisconsin Lions Foundation is very proud to offer this award to the youth in your community. We need your help to make it work. **Deadline is March 1, so do it now.** Applications were mailed to all WLF Program Associates or Club Secretaries in November. More applications are available from your WLF Director or call the Foundation office, toll-free, at 877-463-6953 (INFO-WLF).

## NEW WEB PAGE ADDRESS:

Please note the following change in our web page address. The page has been redesigned and contains a multitude of information about the Foundation, Lions Camp, and all projects and programs. The new address is [www.wlf.info](http://www.wlf.info). To help you remember, please realize our toll-free number is INFO-WLF. Our web address is wlf.info . . . the toll-free number reversed. Enjoy the free call and the web page, as well.



## NEW FOUNDATION WISH LIST:



There is a brand new Wish List available. Please call the Foundation Office, toll-free, at 877-463-6953 (INFO-WLF) to see what is available. If you have access to the internet, there is also a copy on our web page, [www.wlf.info](http://www.wlf.info).

## COST OF LIVING:

As your Club's Annual Donation keeping pace with the increases in the cost of living expenses? As an example, if your Club's Annual Donation has been \$1,000 since 1990, based on cost of living increases, today that Annual Donation is valued at \$740.08. It would take an Annual Donation of \$1,351.20 to equal the same \$1,000 given as the Annual Donation back in 1990. Please remember, our costs go up, too.



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# Lions Eye Bank of Wisconsin

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## Giving the *Gift of Sight* through Corneal Transplantation, Research, and Education

The Lions Eye Bank of Wisconsin, Inc. is a team of professionals and volunteers dedicated to restoring the Gift of Sight through transplantation of corneas, research to advance the knowledge and treatment of eye diseases, and education to increase donations of human eyes after death.

The Lions Eye Bank of Wisconsin serves the entire state and has its laboratory and offices in Madison, Wisconsin. The Lions Eye Bank of Wisconsin fulfills this mission by procuring, processing, and distributing eye tissue to corneal transplant surgeons, researchers, and teachers. Equally as important is our commitment to education through our network of medical professionals, Lion and Lioness Clubs and members, and other volunteers who give generously of their time and ideas.

The Lions Eye Bank of Wisconsin continues to commit itself to people--those in the present who receive a transplant and those in the future who will benefit from today's research. Our ultimate aim is improving people's quality of life through the Gift of Sight.

The Lions Eye Bank of Wisconsin has been a member of the Eye Bank Association of America since 1969.

### World-wide, recent data shows:

- 👁 45 million people are blind (vision less than 20/400).
- 👁 180 million people have vision impairment (vision less than 20/60).
- 👁 1 person becomes blind every 5 seconds.
- 👁 1 child becomes blind every minute.
- 👁 1.5 million children are currently blind.
- 👁 11 million people could benefit from a corneal transplant.
- 👁 About 45,000 transplants are performed each year using corneas donated in the United States.

**Over 200 years will be needed to perform all corneal transplants needed if no new blindness occurs.**

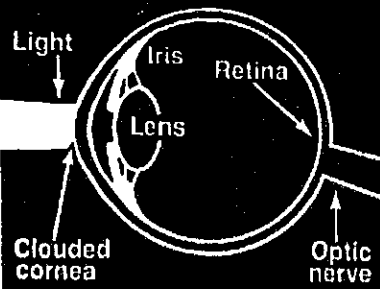
**More can be done!!  
Help support the  
Lions Eye Bank of Wisconsin**

**Could a greater miracle take place than for us to look through each other's eyes for an instant?**

*Henry David Thoreau (1817-1862)*

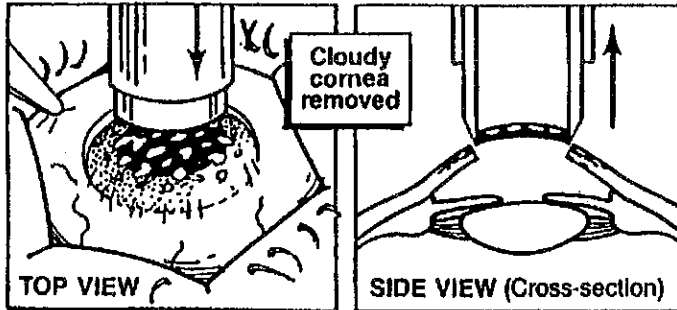
## CLOUDED CORNEA

Clouded cornea obstructs light.

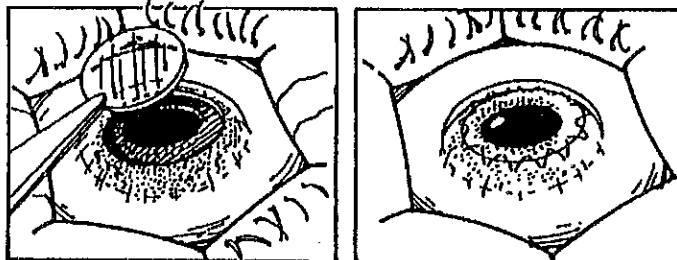


When the cornea (the eye's front 'windowpane') becomes cloudy, light cannot penetrate the eye to reach the light-sensitive retina. Poor vision or total blindness may result.

## CORNEAL TRANSPLANT



**1** Cloudy cornea is removed with a cylindrical cutting instrument called a trephine. Same trephine cuts out donor cornea so shapes are identical.

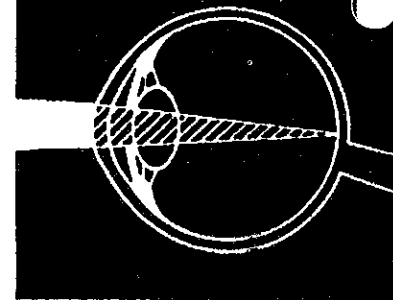


**2** Clear donor cornea is placed in the opening.

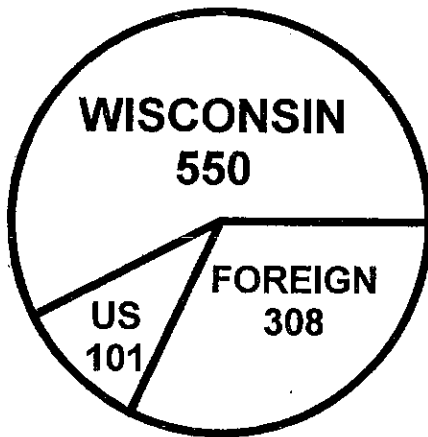
**3** Donor cornea is sewn in place.

## OPTIMAL RESULT

Clear cornea admits light.



If the graft is successful, light may be focused onto the retina in a normal fashion. Optical signals are channeled to the brain via the optic nerve and sight is restored.



Wisconsin patients receive the best corneas available for transplant as needed. Additional corneas are provided to other eye banks in the United States and to foreign programs. 90% of the blindness in the world is in foreign under-developed countries with severe financial hardships.

The Lions Eye Bank of Wisconsin has expenses of about \$1.4 million per year. Testing for infectious disease and suitability of the donor cornea is expensive but necessary to ensure safety and success of the transplant. Last year \$125,000 was donated to assist the eye bank. This provided many free transplants to people in need.

959 corneal transplants were performed with corneas donated by Wisconsin residents. Also, eyes donated for research and educational uses were provided to the University of Wisconsin Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences (Madison) and to the Medical College of Wisconsin's Department of Ophthalmology (Milwaukee).

Research programs investigate glaucoma, diabetic retinopathy, and macular degeneration and may someday yield treatments or methods of prevention. Eyes were also provided for training of new ophthalmic surgeons also ensuring their skills and competency are among the highest levels.

Wisconsin is a leading state in the donation of organs, eyes, and tissues for transplant. Your support of the eye bank allows us to continue that accomplishment while at the same time helping all those in need of the *Gift of Sight*.

Share Your Life - Become a Donor

**There is no better way to thank God for your vision than to give a helping hand to those in the dark.** *Helen Keller*

## **Environmental Article**

From your Environmental Chair, Tom Koch, PDG:

Air pollution kills up to 3 million people annually. Ninety percent of these are in the developing world. Outdoor pollution harms more than 1.1 billion people and kills an estimated half million people per year, mostly in cities. Much of this is due to traffic.

Indoor air pollution—soot from burning wood, dung, crop residues and coal for cooking and heating affects 2.5 billion people, mostly women and girls, and is estimated to kill more than 2.2 million people each year. These statistics come from the World Population News Service Popline.

Some other environmental issues include that deforestation rates are highest in history. Half of the world's forests have disappeared since the end of the last Ice Age. As global populations increases, this seems to be a growing concern. According to the United Nations Population Report, the decline in forests is due to both, increasing population and the decreasing forest area. Of course, the greatest problem is in areas of Asia, Africa and Latin America. However, it is all of our concern. Just think of the repercussions of this.

Finally, consumption is a critical factor in the relationship between population and environmental stress per the 2001 State of World Population Report by the U.N. Population Fund. Almost all human activities put demands on natural resources. Currently, a huge consumption gap exists globally. The 20 percent of the world's people who live in the highest income countries, like the U.S. account for 86 percent of total private consumption expenditures, while the poorest 20 percent, account for just 1.3 percent. Similarly, today one-fifth of the world's population that live in industrialized countries produce over one-half of the carbon dioxide emitted into the atmosphere, while the poorest one-fifth produce only 3 percent. The U.S. alone, with only 4.6 percent of global population, emits nearly 25 percent of global greenhouse gases. Again, think of the effects on us!





## **LEARN LIONS LEADERSHIP SEMINAR**

**HEAR YE, HEAR YE!!** Region and Zone Chairmen, Club Presidents and Past-Presidents, Club Membership Chairmen, also anyone that may serve in a position for furtherance of Lionism. Consider responsibilities in you Club, Zone, Region, District 27-B1, Multiple District 27, or LCI. HERE IS a chance to Learn Lions Leadership skills and new initiatives to enhance Lions ELMR or MELR programs. Our International office has provided material to improve our leadership skills. Don't be in the dark about these exciting opportunities. Help others find the Light of Lionism by participating in this seminar. Your help is needed on February 2, 2002, 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 at Kettle Moraine Tech College, Hwy 23 East, Fond du Lac. Please use the West parking lot and entrance for Room A-112.

Please advise VDG Ed Filemyr of your desire to participate so materials can be prepared at no cost to you. The annual Lions Officers Training will be held on April 13, 2002 at the same place.

## **ATTENTION LIONS AND LIONESSES**

A few notes for your information as related by ID Peter Cerniglia from the Nov. Int. Board Meeting.

1. To date LCIF has collected almost 2 million dollars in contributions and pledges for the New York disaster. Japan alone has pledged and will contribute 1 million dollars. Trailer shelters have been purchased and are refurbished to use in the Ground Zero area. When the final work is done, the trailers will be sent to other disaster areas. More information is on the LCIF newsletter & web page.
2. The Board has passed a resolution regarding the formation of Lions Clubs from Lionesses Clubs. The new Lions Club can retain the name Lioness in the Lions Clubs official name. Example - The Stevens Point Lioness Lions Club. This is to provide some recognition to the Lionesses program. More information to follow.

Lion Orville Kittel, DG  
429 Eaton St.  
Green Lake, WI 54941





### *From Lioness Brenda*

February is upon us and we are thinking that spring cannot be far behind. We are looking forward to seeing some longer days and more sun. It is time to really gear up and think hard about going to the State Lion Convention in LaCrosse in May. I will be going to LaCrosse for a meeting in March regarding the convention which you will hear about more in the future. These conventions are a good learning tool for any new members. You would learn a lot about Lionism and meet members from throughout the state. I will never forget my first convention. I have only been a Lioness for five years and have learned a lot and have room for more knowledge.

Our Lioness are in the process of planning the Spring Banquet that will be hosted by the Van Dyne Lioness. We are really looking forward to this time of fellowship.

I haven't heard from a number of clubs yet about visiting with your group, as I am anxious to renew friendships and gain new friends. Don't be bashful, I don't hurt.

Yours in Lionism,  
Lioness Brenda

### **25th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION**

St. Peter Lions Club will celebrate its 25th anniversary in 2002. The Club was sponsored by the Winnebago East Shore Lions Club, and was chartered on January 15, 1977 with 31 members, of which 14 remain as current members. Jerry Guelig was elected as the first President and Chuck Smith was the first Secretary/Treasurer. The Club has since grown to 83 members and has had a very beneficial and positive impact on the St. Peter area. Through the efforts of the members' activities and fundraisers, over \$150,000.00 have been raised and donated back to community projects and needy causes and/or individuals in the surrounding area.

The most unique of the fundraisers is the annual super bowl Saturday "Super-Sub Sale", where a 100 yard long submarine sandwich is assembled and sold

at each of two Pick 'N Save stores in Fond du Lac, with "teams" of members competing against each other to see which store can sell out first, and claim "bragging rights" for the coming year. The longest standing fundraiser has been the STURGEREE/raffle where tickets are sold on Lake Winnebago, offering prizes for the largest sturgeon speared. This fundraiser was "given" to the St. Peter Lions by Winnebago East Shore Lions the first year of existence and continues to this day.

The celebration will take place on Thursday, **March 21, 2002**, including a dinner program at the Community Hall in Mt. Calvary. For further information, contact **Dan Rosenthal at (920) 922-1418, or Dick Schaefer of W2624 Silica Road, Malone, WI 53049 or at (920) 795-4773.**

### **OFFICER TRAINING AND EVENTS**

Plan on attending April 13th, Saturday 9-12 noon the officer training and events. This annual event is for club President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer and all other Board members. We all want strong clubs, so come together to exchange ideas. Many clubs are doing terrific things for the club and the community. We can help each other by meeting face to face with group leaders who have years of experience in Lionism. There will be break out sessions for each Board of Director club positions. Location: Same as last year. Moraine Park Tech College, Hwy, 23, East Johnson Street Fond du Lac.

Please send club reservations to: VDG Ed Filemyr, W5545 Hwy A, Adell, WI 53001, (920) 994-9824.

#### **Cascade Lions Club**

*February 17, 2002* - Soup-A-Rama at their club house on February 17, 2002, 11:45 a.m. to ? Eight (8) Soups and toasted cheese sandwiches.

*February 29th, 7:30 p.m.* at the Plymouth High School Presenting Braschler Music Show  
Call Augie at 920-528-8748

#### **Winnebago East Shore Lions Club**

Fish Boil - March 23rd, 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. at the Community Hall, Mt. Calvary

## District Governor Orv's Calendar

### February

2 Officers Training  
 5 Fairwater Lions  
 7 Montello Lioness Club  
 8-9 A-2 District Convention Brookfield  
 10 3rd B-1 District Cabinet Meeting, Columbus Club  
 11 Plainfield Lions  
 12 Stockbridge, Chilton Lions  
 13 Kingston Lions  
 14 Plymouth Lions Club  
 18 Van Dyne Lions  
 19 Amsterdam Lions  
 20 Markesan Lions  
 21 Cleveland Lions  
 25 Omro Lions  
 26 Whitelaw Lions  
 27 Rosendale Lions  
 28 Menasha Town Lions

### March

1-3 Council Meeting, La Crosse  
 5 Oshkosh Lakeshore Lions  
 6 Harrisville Lions  
 7 Cascade Lions  
 11 Reedsville Lions  
 12 Sheboygan Eye Bank  
 15-16 E-2 District Convention Menomonie

18 Eldorado Lions  
 21 St. Peters - 25th Anniversary  
 25 Oxford Social  
 26 Sheboygan Noon  
 26 Appleton Evening Lions

### April

8 Wild Rose Lioness  
 9 Larsen-Winchester Lioness  
 10 Appleton Noon Lionesses  
 13 Officers Training  
 16 Maribel Lions Club  
 20 Random Lake Lions, 50th Anniversary  
 22 Packwaukee Lions  
 23 Michicot Lions  
 28 4th District Cabinet Meeting Elkhart Lake

### May

7 Neenah Lions  
 17-18 State Convention La Crosse  
 19 Council Meeting in La Crosse  
 23 Adell Lions

### June

26 Howards Grove

### July

8-13 International Convention Osaka, Japan

## WISCONSIN LIONS MISSION TO MEXICO

Nine Districts from Multiple 27 are actively involved in the Mission to Mexico Project. We are in good shape and are helping many people in Mexico and other south of the border countries. To date we have completed 23 missions and four more are planned this year.

**Mission #1** - The first Mission in February will be to Poza Rica Mexico. This will take place February 15 thru February 22. This is a fly down Mission and will be headed by PDG Dwaine Habrat and PID Helmer Lecy.

**Mission #2** - The second Mission will go February 23 thru Feb. 28 to Honduras and will be headed by Lion Pauline Schiferl and PID Ron Duffe.

**Mission #3** - The third Mission will be Feb. 28 thru March 3. This will be a border town campaign. PDG Bill Taubman will lead this Mission with a small caravan of emergency vehicles filled with medical and school supplies. PDG Bill Taubman will be pulling the Mission to Mexico 5th wheel trailer down.

**Mission #4** - The fourth Mission will be in conjunction with the 26th annual USA/CANADA Lions Leadership

Forum. PDG Bob Showers will lead this caravan and it will leave Beloit, WI on Tuesday, September 17th at 5:30 a.m. We will travel for two days and arrive in Fort Worth Texas the evening of Wednesday September 18th. The caravan vehicles will be parked in a secured place and we will attend the USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum. We will depart from Fort Worth at 5:30 a.m. Sunday September 22nd and travel to McAllen Texas. We will have a general meeting and training session in the morning of Tuesday September 24th and then leave for Mexico by noon. The eyeglass campaign will run from September 24th thru September 28th. If you would like to just participate in the Mission, you will need to be in McAllen on Monday September 23rd. We will return to McAllen Texas the evening of September 28th and everyone will be able to depart for home on Sunday September 29th.

If you would be interested in any of the above planned Missions, please call the Lead person for more information.

PDG Bob Showers  
 Mission to Mexico  
 Executive Committee

# 51st Annual Wisconsin State Lions/Lioness Bowling Tournament

ABC/WIBC Moral Sanction

SPONSORED BY THE MERRILL EVENING LIONS CLUB AND GLEASON LIONS CLUB

February 9, 2002 thru April 21, 2002 - Except March 30 and 31 (Easter Weekend)

Les & Jim's Lincoln Lanes 1208 N. Center Ave. Merrill, Wisconsin 54452

**Squad Times**  
 Saturday (Singles & Doubles) 12:00 pm  
 3:30 pm  
 9:00 am  
 12:00 pm  
 Sunday

**Date & Time Preferred**  
 Singles & Doubles Event

1st Choice \_\_\_\_\_  
 2nd Choice \_\_\_\_\_  
 1st Choice \_\_\_\_\_  
 2nd Choice \_\_\_\_\_

**Prize Money** \$ 2.00  
**Bowling Fee** \$ 6.50  
**Administrative Fee** \$ 1.50  
**(Host Club)**  
**State Bowling Committee** \$ .50  
**Total Per Event** \$ 10.50

**Entry Enclosed:**  
 Doubles @ \$21.00 per set  
 Singles @ \$10.50 per bowler  
 Team @ \$52.50  
 Total Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

No scheduling without required fees and this entry form. Substitutes in any of the events must be reported to the Secretary at least 30 minutes prior to the start of scheduled bowling.

**Team Captain (Sign)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Club Name** \_\_\_\_\_

(print) \_\_\_\_\_

**City** \_\_\_\_\_ **Club ID#** \_\_\_\_\_

**City** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip** \_\_\_\_\_

**Team Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Telephone** \_\_\_\_\_

**Team Members** \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Assoc. Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Sanction Number** \_\_\_\_\_

**Average** \_\_\_\_\_

**HANDICAP RULES AND PRIZE MONEY DISTRIBUTION**

The annual Tournament of the Lions State Bowling Tournament shall be conducted on a handicap basis. Each bowler shall receive a handicap of 75% of the difference between his/her average and 220 pins in each event entered not to exceed a maximum of 175 pins per person in each event. The handicap allowed shall be taken from ABC/WIBC handicap manual. Each bowler shall use his/her previous year's highest average attained in any league in which 21 or more games were bowled. If he/she does not have a previous year's average, bowler may use highest current average as of January 1st, 2002 provided 21 games or more have been bowled. If no previous year's average or current average, men will be required to use an average of 150 pins and women will be required to use an average of 140 pins. Averages shall be verified by the team captain. Failure to use the proper average or to make corrections in averages prior to the completion of the first game shall disqualify score(s) if submitted average is lower than the actual average of base price winnings on submitted average, if it is higher (ABC/WIBC Rule 319a-3). ABC/WIBC Rule 319a-2 and 319d apply with regard to the reporting of tournament prize winnings and the ten pin reference. Bowlers must be familiar with the rating requirements of ABC/WIBC Rule 319e. All prize money will be returned 100% in the event entered on a handicap basis. The champions in each event shall be declared by actual pinfall plus handicap and will receive appropriate recognition.

Team Captains, upon signing this entry form, certify that the bowlers whose names are shown on this entry form are Wisconsin State Lions/Lioness for whom competition in this tournament is restricted to.

All non-members of ABC or WIBC who are eligible for membership may obtain high score protection by paying affiliate membership dues of \$16.00 (ABC) or \$25.00 (WIBC). To be eligible to bowl, a bowler must have membership in the Lions Club International Handicap Tournament.

Give name in full for each event. The word "reserved" or "partner" is unacceptable. Order listed is order bowled. Entries close January 10, 2002. Surcharge of \$1.00 per event per bowler for any event after January 10, 2002. In order to bowl in this tournament or any other future State Lions/Lioness Tournament bowlers must be in good standing and paid up. The host club has no responsibility and will not at any time provide substitutions for any club with a shortage of bowlers in Team event or Doubles. Singles shall be forfeited. Lions State Tournament Rules Secretary IX, under no circumstances, after entries have been received and filed by the secretary, shall fees for the same be refunded.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: MERRILL/GLEASON LIONS BOWLING 2002 - MAIL TO JIM ARNDT • 1609 E. SEVENTH ST. MERRILL, WI 544. Tournament Chairmen: Jim Arndt (715-536-9405), Jim Barnes, Jack Kasper, and Dan Kriess

# INSIDE WLF

FEBRUARY 2002



## WISCONSIN LIONS YOUTH SERVICE PROJECT AWARD:



Do you know a youth service project in your area that should be recognized? Contact your Foundation Director for complete details and an application. Any youth group (not just Leo Clubs) can perform the youth service project. This is a fabulous way to recognize young people for making a difference in their community. The Wisconsin Lions Foundation is very proud to offer this award to the youth in your community. We need your help to make it work. **Deadline is March 1, so do it now.** Applications were mailed to all Club WLF Program Associates or Club Secretaries in November. More applications are available from your WLF Director or call the Foundation Office, toll-free, at 877-463-6953 (INFO-WLF).

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

Be sure your entire Club knows about the following very important dates:

April 13 & 20, 2002 - Work Days at Lions Camp  
July 20, 2002 - 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Birch-Sturm Golf Outing  
July 21, 2002 - Lions Day at Lions Camp  
November 2 & 9, 2002 - Work Days at Lions Camp



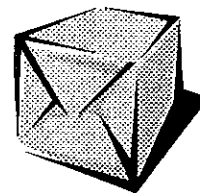
## CALLING ALL GOLFERS AND THOSE WHO LIKE TO HAVE FUN:

No, you don't have to be a Birch-Sturm Fellow to play golf in the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Birch-Sturm Memorial Golf Outing. You just have to mark the date now on your calendar and show up for the fun and excitement. We know it is early, but someone once said, "it is never too early to think about golf". This year's event is planned for Saturday, July 20 at the beautiful Glacier Wood Golf Club in Iola. We will be hosting foursomes of golfers from around the State. After golf, you will be treated to a cookout at Lions Camp. There will be lots of contests, prizes, food, fun, and a whole lot of socializing, all for the extremely low price of \$65.00 per golfer. **Prizes and hole sponsors are needed.** Prizes received in prior years included \$5,000 cash for anyone who achieves a hole-in-one; a Sony Camcorder; a set of Callaway Irons; two round trip tickets to fly anywhere in the contiguous United States; and a week's stay at a Time-share somewhere around the Country. We know you have golfers in your Club and community . . . what a wonderful way to show them our Lions Camp.



## EYEGLASS RECYCLING PATCH:

Sharon Cherek, Manager of the Eyeglass Recycling Center, says we could salvage about 10% more of the donated glasses if they were packaged in cardboard containers rather than paper and plastic bags. We are currently processing more than one million pair of glasses per year. 10% more would mean that **around 100,000 more people would receive the gift of sight.** Remember, in order for us to properly recognize your Club, we need to know where the glasses come from. Simply include the name of your Club in the box with your glasses.



## LION MINTS:



Every time your Club orders and pays for Lion Mints from The Profit Masters, Inc., they give a donation to your Foundation. **Since April of 1997, \$30,280 has been donated to the Foundation from The Profit Masters, Inc.** This Project is much more than just a fund raiser. It serves to promote Lionism in your community. To learn more about this Program, contact your WLF Director or the Foundation Office at 877-463-6953.

**WLF . . . Changing Lives for Tomorrow!**

# DISTRICT 28-B1 BOWLING TOURNAMENT

Collins, WI @ Sportsman's Bar

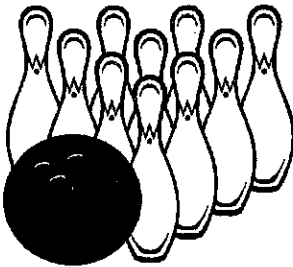
February 16-17 and February 23-24, 2002

3 Shifts on Saturday & 2 on Sunday

\$55.00 per Team Entry Fee

Saturday Shifts are 10:00 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m.

Sunday Shifts are 1:00 p.m., \$ 3:30 p.m.



Send entry blank & Entry fee to:

**Lion Steve Schwoerer**

4022 Evergreen Lane

Chilton, WI 53014

Phone: 920-772-4975



Make Check Payable to:

**Collins Lions Club**

Deadline for Entry Blank is January 31, 2002

LIONS CLUB NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

LIST PREFERENCE OF DATE & TIME

1ST CHOICE \_\_\_\_\_ 2ND CHOICE \_\_\_\_\_

TEAM #1 & NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

TEAM #2 & NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

Captain \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Captain \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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**FOOD IS AVAILABLE TO BE PURCHASED AT THE LANES  
HOTEL ACCOMODATIONS ARE AVAILABLE NEARBY IN MANITOWOC  
HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!!**

# SHEBOYGAN NOON LIONS 3RD ANNUAL 9 PIN DIABETES FUNDRAISER & BRAT FRY

## SPONSORED BY: SHEBOYGAN NOON LIONS

Help us Fight Diabetes  
Saturday, March 16, 2002  
Shifts start at 12 noon and 2:45 p.m.  
*(Tourney and Brat Fry open to the public)*

### OFFICIAL ENTRY BLANK

1. 9-Pin Tap-9 pins or a strike on the first ball will be a strike, anything less than 9 you will roll at the spare. 3 games with handicap will determine the winner. All prizes will be handed out according to the number of entries.
2. Handicap will be 90% of 210. The average you will use will be the highest of: A.B.C/W.L.B.C. book average for 2000-2001 or current league average (15 GAMES OR MORE). If no average is available 150 for men and 130 for women will be used.
3. Red pin head pin strikes give you a chance to win a prize!
4. This is a singles fundraiser tournament!
5. Entry fee will be: \$10.00 per person  
     \$6.00 bowling  
     \$3.00 diabetes donation  
     \$1.00 expenses
6. ENTRY INTO BOTH SHIFTS ALLOWED.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Highest Average \_\_\_\_\_ Shift Time \_\_\_\_\_

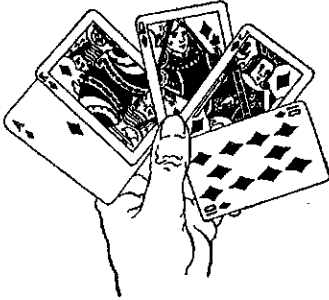
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ALL ENTRIES MUST BE SENT TO OR DROPPED OFF AT LAKESHORE LANES  
2519 S. BUSINESS DR. SHEBOYGAN, WI 53081 OR CALL AND RESERVE A SPOT  
TODAY AT 920-458-1352. ASK FOR LION BILL HILBERT!  
DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES IS MARCH 16TH, 12 NOON  
THANKS TO ALL THAT PARTICIPATED in the past YEARS!



# Larsen - Winchester Lioness

## Cribbage Tournament

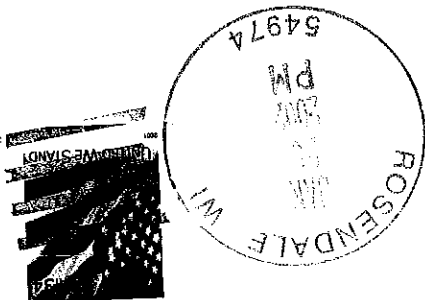


Sunday, March 3, 2002  
1:00 p.m.

Neenah Eagles - 1338 S. Commercial

Entry Fee: \$25.00 per team  
Questions? - 725-0571

ORVIN DOEDE PDG  
421 PEARL LN. APT. S 104  
FOND DU LAC, WI 54935



Lion Orville Kittel, DG  
429 Eaton St.  
Green Lake, WI 54941





THE TIME IS NOW  
TO INCREASE MEMBERSHIP

# NEWS

## WISCONSIN LIONS B-1

March 2002

This newsletter is on line at [www.fdl.uwc.edu/27-b1/mar2002](http://www.fdl.uwc.edu/27-b1/mar2002)

Tell your members!



### We Serve

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VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR  
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CABINET SECRETARY-  
TREASURER  
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N5180 State Rd. 175  
Fond du Lac, WI 54937

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## Lions, Lioness and Leos of District 27-B1

Hello Everyone:

As of this newsletter, we have good news regarding membership. We are **a plus one** in membership in our District. A big thank you to all the Committees and Clubs that have promoted membership throughout the year. Let's keep it going and let's see if we can keep the drops in membership down. Yes, Clubs, it is up to you now to keep the momentum going and get new members to keep us in the plus membership for the year.

I hope I will see a lot of you Lions, Lionesses and Leos at the State Convention. Also, I hope that you all will vote **YES** to a resolution that will let the Wisconsin Lions Foundation solicit funds to build on to the existing dining hall and remodel the kitchen. The cost for this project will be between \$350,000 to \$500,000. This money has already been donated by an anonymous donor, but for legal purposes, it has to be voted on by the Lions. So, vote **YES** on that resolution so they can start building after the Convention. Let us all thank God for that generous, anonymous donor and the donation.

We are coming to the end of my visitations and if for some reason I haven't been to your club or haven't got your club on my visitation schedule, please let me know so I can get you on.

Some Clubs have not sent in the M Reports. I need help from the Secretaries finding the missing ones. Please check your copies to make sure a report was sent in every month. It is very important that International and I get them. International sends me a list of all those they don't get and I have to contact the Clubs to get them. The best, and most inexpensive way to do this, is to put the names of the Clubs and the month that are missing in the Governor's newsletter to remind you to send them in. Please check your records and send them to me as soon as possible. Thank you for your cooperation regarding this matter.

God Bless,

DG Orville Kittel  
District 27-B1

### *From Lioness Brenda*

After the last two months of flu and various infections, I sure am looking forward to some weather that doesn't fluctuate so much. In other words, SPRING. Spring is a very exciting time of year, voting for your club's officers for the 2002-2003 Lioness year, Officers' training at Moraine Park Tech College in Fond du Lac, State Convention in LaCrosse, and Spring Banquet.

The Lioness year is coming to a fast close with so many clubs having spring fund raisers, let's get your P&As sent in so we can get our books in order to hand over to the new officers. I have not received any P&As from three clubs, nor been invited to visit with seven clubs. Is this something I need to be like a dictator about, or just an oversight on the club's part? I have never held an office like this before so I do not know in what way to become invited. It is always an honor to visit with you and if you have any problems that we can discuss, try to find a solution. You can always call me at work 920-293-4628 ext. 24, during the day or my home number is 920-622-5127 after 6:30 p.m.

Yours in Lionism,  
Lioness Brenda

#### March Calendar:

- 1-2 LaCrosse - Quarterly Presidents Meeting
- 7 Zone Meeting-Wild Rose Lions Building
- 11 Wild Rose Lioness
- 20 Affiliate Board Meeting
- 21 Pastor/Parish Meeting

## Welcome New Members!

<u>New Members</u>	<u>Club</u>
Charles Wenzel	Brillion Lions
Daren Kainz	Coloma Lions
Daniel Kainz	Coloma Lions
Judy Merola	Coloma Lions
Kenneth Lilge	Green-Glen Lions
Gerold Brunner	Green-Glen Lions
Kipp Bwrejell	Montello Lions
Joseph Schhaver	Oakfield Lions
Stanley Ruplinger	Oakfield Lions
Sandra Boonneville	Poy Sippi Lions
Adam Tykac	Sheboygan Noon Lions
James Pierret	St. Peter Lions
David Roehrig	St. Peter Lions
Russell Dopp	Wild Rose Lions

## Deceased Members

<u>Deceased</u>	<u>Club</u>
Gerald Brilfuss	Cleveland Lions
Margret Weiss	Green Glen Lions



## **CAMP FOR CHILDREN WITH DIABETES**

Wi Lions and the American Diabetes Association presents Camp Lakota (the diabetes camp season) Brochures for camp will be mailed the first week in March. The brochures will be MAILED FIRST CLASS to previous campers and the children on the American Diabetes Association waiting list. ALL BROCHURES WILL BE MAILED AT THE SAME TIME. NO BROCHURES HAVE BEEN MAILED OR SENT TO ANY FAMILY. There is a \$50.00 registration fee for all campers. THE REST OF THE CAMPER FEE IS GENEROUSLY PAID BY THE WISCONSIN FOUNDATION.

To be placed on the mailing list, please call or e-mail: Nancy Tarantion, Program Director  
American Diabetes Association • (414) 778-5500 x 6531 • (888) 342-2383 x 6531  
www.ntarantino@diabetes.org

### *CELEBRATING 50 YEARS OF SERVICE THROUGH LIONISM*

*MEMBERS OF THE  
RANDOM LAKE LIONS CLUB*

*INVITE YOU TO JOIN THEM IN CELEBRATING THE CLUBS*

### **50TH ANNIVERSARY**

SATURDAY, APRIL 20, 2002

FIVE PILLARS SUPPER CLUB - LOWER LEVEL  
(TWO BLOCKS EAST OF HWY 57 & HWY K)

### **RANDOM LAKE, WISCONSIN**

REGISTRATION AND COCKTAILS	4:00 P.M.
SEATING AND WELCOME	5:15 P.M.
DINNER	5:30 P.M.

GUEST SPEAKER: DR. RICHARD TYLER PAST INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR

PRICE: \$20.00 PER PERSON

COME AND ENJOY AN EVENING OF FINE DINING, AN ENTERTAINING PROGRAM,  
CAMARADEREE AND LIVE MUSIC!!

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R.S.V.P. - by April 8, 2002

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of people attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

R.S.V.P. to: Random Lake Lions Club  
P.O. Box 345  
Random Lake, WI 53075

**Notice!****Re: 2002-2003 Cabinet Positions**

Every year the District Governor-Elect appoints the team of Lions who will make up the District Cabinet. And each year we are looking for people who are interested in serving beyond the club level in a district capacity. You may be the one we are looking for, but for whatever reason you may have been overlooked in the past. Well, here is your opportunity!

There are several positions awaiting those interested in making a difference. What are you interested in? That is the simple question you have to answer. As of today some positions have already been filled, but there are still openings available if you let me know now.

The requirements are as follows:

1. A positive interest in learning and in making a difference in Lionism.
2. Attendance at four cabinet meetings during 2002-2003 Lions years.
3. Willingness to speak; be it local clubs, zone meetings, orientation programs, and/or district conventions to Lions, Lioness, and Leos about your subject matter. There are manuals and Past District Governors to mentor you. (All the offices that we are going to fill are in the Lions Directory which each Club President and Secretary has). I am considering a new position of Culture & Arts Chair. All positions are open to men or women Lions. Preference given to DG Advisory Committee members (Club Pres, Past Pres, 1st V.P. & Secretaries)
4. Some positions, like Zone Chairman, set up meetings for area Lions Clubs officers to provide a forum for local clubs to voice concerns and learn about District projects. There are a few Zones available.

I know what you are thinking. There is some time involved, but the great thing is you will have a lot of support from others. Only by teamwork can we succeed in our Lions' goals for 2002-2003. Thus, if you may be interested in becoming a District Cabinet members, first look in the directory for a position you may be interested in, and second contact me at 920-994-9824 or email (efilemyr@hotmail.com). You can be a Lion Leader. I will get back to you A.S.A.P.

Yours in Lionism,  
DGE Ed Filemyr

### **ATTENTION ALL SECRETARIES AND PRESIDENTS**

This is a list of Clubs and the months that I'm missing and I need your HELP!

Coloma Lions	Aug. - Oct.	2001
Green Lake Lions	Nov. - Dec.	2001
Manitowoc Lions	Aug.	2001
Maribel Lions	Oct. - Nov. - Dec.	2001
Mishicot Lions	Nov. - Dec.	2001
Newton Lions	Oct.	2001
Oshkosh Lakeshore Lions	Nov.	2001
Whitlaw Lions	Aug.	2001

This list covers only through December 2001. Please get you reports in on time!!



# INSIDE WLF

March 2002



## WAYS TO GIVE:

Listed below are ways to give to the Wisconsin Lions Foundation over and above your Annual Donation. Many of these are also available to individuals. As always, if you have questions, please contact your WLF Directors or the Foundation Office toll-free at (877) 463-6953.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Money used for</u>	<u>Donor receives</u>
Friends of Foundation	\$25.00 to \$99.99	General Operations	Lapel Pin, Trading Post Discount
Friends of Foundation	\$100 and up	General Operations	Same as above
Wall of Honor	\$500	Building Projects	Name Engraved on Wood Block
Birch-Sturm Fellowship	\$1,000	Endowment Fund	Pin, Plaque, Name Displayed on Master Plaque in Office
Friends and Honors Garden	\$2,500	Donor's Choice	Half Diamond on Recognition Wall in the Friends and Honors Garden
Friends and Honors Garden	\$5,000	Donor's Choice	Full Diamond on Recognition Wall in the Friends and Honors Garden

## ANNUAL DONATION TIME APPROACHES:

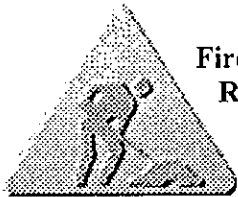
As always, your Wisconsin Lions Foundation is able to operate Lions Camp and other projects because of the donations we receive from the Local Lions, Lioness, and Leo Clubs of Wisconsin. Please insure your Annual Donation is keeping pace with, or exceeds, the cost of living increases we all have to deal with. If your Club has already given during your District Convention Parade of Checks, please think of us if you have funds left over at the end of the year.



## LIONS CAMP SPRING WORKDAYS:

*Spring Workdays at Lions Camp will be April 13 & 20, 2002  
Breakfast is at 7:30 a.m. Work starts after Breakfast.*

### Workday projects include:



Firewood – cutting, hauling, etc.

Rain gutters – cleaned

Landscape work – around new cabins

Eye-glass Center – washing and sorting

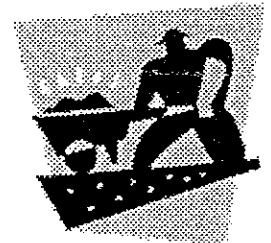
Waterfront Readiness - Piers, Docks & Boats

Leaves – raking and pickup

Brush hauling –

Hiking Trails – wood chips

River Cleanup



Overnight lodging is available at Lions Camp on Friday and Saturday evening for those persons in need of accommodations. Bring your own towels and personal items. Bedding is available if needed. Meals (breakfast, lunch, and dinner) are provided on Saturday. Coffee and donuts will be available on Sunday morning.

PLEASE CALL FOR A REGISTRATION FORM OR CALL THE LIONS CAMP OFFICE TO REGISTER AT (715) 677- 4761. Please register before April 8, 2002. If you have questions, feel free to call the Camp at (715) 677-4761.

**WLF . . . Come see what we have done**

# 51st Annual Wisconsin State Lions/Lioness Bowling Tournament

ABC/WIBC Moral Sanction

SPONSORED BY THE MERRILL EVENING LIONS CLUB AND GLEASON LIONS CLUB

February 9, 2002 thru April 21, 2002 - Except March 30 and 31 (Easter Weekend)

Les & Jim's Lincoln Lanes 1208 N. Center Ave. Merrill, Wisconsin 54452

Club Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Club ID# \_\_\_\_\_

Team Captain (Sign) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (print) \_\_\_\_\_

Squad Times  
 Saturday (Singles & Doubles) 12:00 pm  
 3:30 pm  
 9:00 am  
 12:00 pm

Team Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sanction Number \_\_\_\_\_  
 Assoc. Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Average \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
 Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Date & Time Preferred  
 Singles & Doubles Event \_\_\_\_\_  
 Team Event \_\_\_\_\_

1st Choice \_\_\_\_\_  
 2nd Choice \_\_\_\_\_

1st Choice \_\_\_\_\_  
 2nd Choice \_\_\_\_\_

Prize Money \$ 2.00  
 Bowling Fee \$ 6.50  
 Administrative Fee \$ 1.50  
 (Host Club)  
 State Bowling Committee \$ .50  
 Total Per Event \$10.50

Entry Enclosed:  
 Doubles @ \$21.00 per set  
 Singles @ \$10.50 per bowler  
 Team @ \$52.50  
 Total Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

Team Captains, upon signing this entry form, certify that the bowlers whose names are shown on this entry form are Wisconsin State Lions/Lioness for whom competition in this tournament is restricted to.

No scheduling without required fees and this entry form. Substitutes in any of the events must be reported to the Secretary at least 30 minutes prior to the start of scheduled bowling.

## HANDICAP RULES AND PRIZE MONEY DISTRIBUTION

The annual Tournament of the Lions State Bowling Tournament shall be conducted on a handicap basis. Each bowler shall receive a handicap of 75% of the difference between his/her average and 220 pins in each event entered not to exceed a maximum of 175 pins per person in each event. The handicap allowed shall be taken from ABC/WIBC handicap manual. Each bowler shall use his/her previous year's highest average attained in any league in which 21 or more games were bowled. If he/she does not have a previous year's average, bowler may use highest current average as of January 1st, 2002 provided 21 games or more have been bowled. If no previous year's average or current average, men will be required to use an average of 150 pins and women will be required to use an average of 140 pins. Averages shall be verified by the team captain. Failure to use the proper average or to make corrections in averages prior to the completion of the first game shall disqualify score(s) if submitted average is lower than the actual average of base price winnings on submitted average, if it is higher (ABC/WIBC Rule 319a-3). ABC/WIBC Rule 319a-2 and 319d apply with regard to the reporting of tournament prize winnings and the ten pin reference. Bowlers must be familiar with the rating requirements of ABC/WIBC Rule 319e. All prize money will be returned 100% in the event entered on a handicap basis. The champions in each event shall be declared by actual pinfall plus handicap and will receive appropriate recognition.

Give name in full for each event. The word "reserved" or "partner" is unacceptable. Order listed is order bowled. Entries close January 10, 2002. Surcharge of \$1.00 per event per bowler for any event after January 10, 2002. In order to bowl in this tournament or any other future State Lions/Lioness Tournament bowlers must be in good standing and paid up. The host club has no responsibility and will not at any time provide substitutions for any club with a shortage of bowlers in Team event or Doubles. Singles shall be forfeited. Lions State Tournament Rules Secretary IX, under no circumstances, after entries have been received and filed by the secretary, shall fees for the same be refunded.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: MERRILL/GLEASON LIONS BOWLING 2002 - MAIL TO JIM ARNDT • 1609 E. SEVENTH ST. MERRILL, WI 54452  
 Tournament Chairman: Jim Arndt (715-9405). Jim Barnes, Jack Kasper, and Dan Kriess

**ATTENTION ALL PRESIDENTS AND SECRETARIES**

There will be a Special Olympics held in Oshkosh on Saturday, April 6, 2002. They have asked me to see if I can get 30 to 35 Lion volunteers to help on that day from 7:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. They will furnish meals for the people who volunteer. It will take place at the University of Oshkosh at the Gruenhagen Dormitory in the lower level, so please ask your Club members if they can help and get back to me, Orville Kittel, 429 Eaton Street, Green Lake, WI 54941. Phone number 920-294-3526. Please leave your Club name and how many Lions and their names for a roster to turn in, or my fax number is 920-294-0602. This is the first time that I know of that it is here, I can be wrong but, they are asking for Lions to help. Please try to make that day available, we need you.

Thank You

**DISTRICT 27 B-1  
OFFICER & CLUB TRAINING  
APRIL 13, 2002**

*Time: Registration 8:00 - 9:00 a.m.  
Location: Moraine Park Tech College  
235 National Avenue at Johnson Street (STH 23)  
Fond du Lac, WI - West Entrance • Parking Lot "O"*

**GENERAL SESSION**

WHAT IS ELM?                      WISC LIONS FOUNDATION  
MISSION TO MEXICO              LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION  
PEACE POSTER CONTEST        PROTOCOL

**BREAK OUT SESSIONS 10:30 - 12:00**

- 1. PRESIDENTS & VICE PRESIDENTS
- 2. LIONESSE
- 3. SECRETARY & TREASURERS
- 4. MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMEN
- 5. REGIONAL & ZONE CHAIRS
- 6. MEMBERS - ORIENTATION

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REGISTRATION:

Club Name \_\_\_\_\_ # Attending \_\_\_\_\_

Coffee and Pastry at registration                      *Please return regardless of number attending*

Indicate number for each Breakout Session so we can schedule an adequate room.

MAIL TO:  
DGE ED FILEMYR • W5545 Hwy A, Adell, WI 53001



To: All Presidents/Secretaries  
From: District Governor Elect, Ed Filemyr

In order for all of us to communicate easier, I ask that you complete this form and send it back to me as soon as you can. I realize that many clubs have not yet held elections however, you may know who will be in the following positions. Please be aware this is only a supplement to the PU101 Which will still need to be sent in. This will allow me to get a head start on the new directory. Thank you for your cooperation. Please send this back to me by mail or Fax or email.

DGE Ed Filemyr  
W5545 Hwy A  
Adell, WI 53001  
Fax: 920-994-9824  
e-mail: efilemyr@hotmail.com

Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Meeting Place: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Meeting Day: \_\_\_\_\_

Time: \_\_\_\_\_

President: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Secretary: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Treasurer: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Membership Chairman: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

# SHEBOYGAN NOON LIONS 3RD ANNUAL 9 PIN DIABETES FUNDRAISER & BRAT FRY

## SPONSORED BY: SHEBOYGAN NOON LIONS

Help us Fight Diabetes  
Saturday, March 16, 2002  
Shifts start at 12 noon and 2:45 p.m.  
*(Tourney and Brat Fry open to the public)*

### OFFICIAL ENTRY BLANK

1. 9-Pin Tap-9 pins or a strike on the first ball will be a strike, anything less than 9 you will roll at the spare. 3 games with handicap will determine the winner. All prizes will be handed out according to the number of entries.
2. Handicap will be 90% of 210. The average you will use will be the highest of:  
A.B.C/W.L.B.C. book average for 2000-2001 or current league average (15 GAMES OR MORE). If no average is available 150 for men and 130 for women will be used.
3. Red pin head pin strikes give you a chance to win a prize!
4. This is a singles fundraiser tournament!
5. Entry fee will be: \$10.00 per person  
    \$6.00 bowling  
    \$3.00 diabetes donation  
    \$1.00 expenses
6. ENTRY INTO BOTH SHIFTS ALLOWED.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Highest Average \_\_\_\_\_ Shift Time \_\_\_\_\_

### ENTRY FEE MUST ACCOMPANY ENTRY BLANK

ALL ENTRIES MUST BE SENT TO OR DROPPED OFF AT LAKESHORE LANES  
2519 S. BUSINESS DR. SHEBOYGAN, WI 53081 OR CALL AND RESERVE A SPOT  
TODAY AT 920-458-1352. ASK FOR LION BILL HILBERT!  
DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES IS MARCH 16TH, 12 NOON  
THANKS TO ALL THAT PARTICIPATED in the past YEARS!

# District Governor Orv's Calendar

## March

- 1-3 Council Meeting, La Crosse
- 4 Brandon
- 5 Oshkosh Lakeshore Lions
- 6 Harrisville Lions
- 7 Cascade Lions
- 11 Reedsville Lions
- 12 Sheboygan Eye Bank
- 15-16 E-2 District Convention Menomonie
- 18 Eldorado Lions
- 19 Van Dyne Lions
- 21 St. Peters - 25th Anniversary
- 25 Oxford Social
- 26 Sheboygan Noon
- 26 Appleton Evening Lions
- 27 Whitelaw Lions

## April

- 8 Wild Rose Lioness
- 9 Larsen-Winchester Lioness
- 10 Appleton Noon Lionesses

## April Con't

- 13 Officers Training
- 16 Maribel Lions Club
- 20 Random Lake Lions, 50th Anniversary
- 22 Packwaukee Lions
- 23 Michicot Lions
- 28 4th District Cabinet Meeting Elkhart Lake

## May

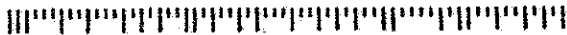
- 7 Neenah Lions
- 17-18 State Convention La Crosse
- 19 Council Meeting in La Crosse
- 23 Adell Lions

## June

- 26 Howards Grove

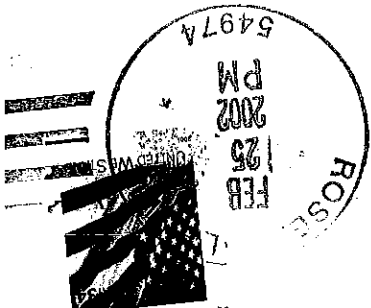
## July

- 5-13 International Convention Osaka, Japan




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 FOND DU LAC, WI 54935



Lion Orville Kittel, DG  
 429 Eaton St.  
 Green Lake, WI 54941





# NEWS

## WISCONSIN LIONS B-1

THE TIME IS NOW  
TO INCREASE MEMBERSHIP

April 2002

This newsletter is on line at [www.fdl.uwc.edu/27-b1/apr2002](http://www.fdl.uwc.edu/27-b1/apr2002)

Tell your members!



### We Serve

DISTRICT GOVERNOR  
**Orville Kittel**  
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920-294-3526  
[okittel@itol.com](mailto:okittel@itol.com)

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**Steven Groene**  
408 North Stafford St.  
Plymouth, WI 53073  
920-892-4680  
[sgroene@excel.net](mailto:sgroene@excel.net)

VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR  
**Edward Filemyr**  
W5545 Hwy A  
Adell, WI 53001

CABINET SECRETARY-  
TREASURER  
**Gary Colton**  
N5180 State Rd. 175  
Fond du Lac, WI 54937

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## Lions, Lioness and Leos of District 27-B1

Hello Everyone:

To all the Presidents and Secretaries that get my newsletter, please pass on to the Lions that are Delegates and Alternates to vote **YES** on the resolution for the Wisconsin Lions Foundation to request donations for the expansion and update of the cafeteria with bathrooms. This is just a formality so we can receive the money from an anonymous donor for the full cost of the construction. Thank God for that donor and for people with big hearts.

There is still time to make reservations for the State Convention on May 17-18 so you can vote on the other resolutions put forth. This is the right as a Lion or a Delegate to vote on what you want in your MD Laws. Hope to see a lot of you at the Convention.

The US/Canadian Leadership Forum will be held in Fort Worth, Texas on September 19-21, 2002. I will have some brochures and cost information available for anyone who wants it. I will have these with me when I visit Clubs, Cabinet Meetings and at the State Convention. This Forum is a very interesting and rewarding experience. I will keep you posted on things as they develop.

God Bless,

DG Orville Kittel  
District 27-B1



### From Lioness Brenda

Here it is SPRING, however, it doesn't know it yet. But it is SPRING. I have been watching a flock of robins feeding in my back yard, what a welcome sight. I also saw some sand-hill cranes, but not in my back yard.

Good job Lioness, we whipped out 80 lbs. of clothing to the Slatina orphanage in Romania. Let's continue to be on the lookout for those rummage sales that will be starting to happen, so we can help more children. This is also the time for those pre-kindergarten screenings that we are so good at doing. Keep up the good job, doesn't it make you feel good knowing that you are able to help someone like that?

Your club should have your new slate of officers and planning on attending the Officers Training at the Moraine Park Technical College in Fond du Lac on April 13. This is planned to be a good interaction day for all of us. I am looking forward to seeing you there.

Have you made your reservations for the State Convention yet? It will be taking place in LaCrosse and looks like it will be a good convention to be a part of.

Yours in Lionism,  
Lioness Brenda

April Calendar:

- 7 Wild Rose Pizza Makers
- 8 Wild Rose Lioness with Governor Orville Kittel
- 11 River Falls
- 13 AM-Officers Training-Moraine Park - Fond du Lac
- 13 PM-Friends wedding -busy weekend
- 18 Pastor/Parish Council
- 20 Random Lake 50th Anniversary

New Members

- David Bayer
- Brenda Heinz
- Sharon McArthur
- James Clark
- Scott Wolfe
- Leonard Koltis
- Rich Stoker
- Bob Van Abel
- Jackson Barron
- John Barron
- Rollande Delifer-King
- Anthony King
- Kathleen Priebe
- Stevan Harvestine Sr.
- Michael Spinnato
- Kelly Lee Clark
- Ronald Niemela
- Tammy Angel
- David Fredericks
- Charles Dammeir
- Lawrence Lambries
- William Seager

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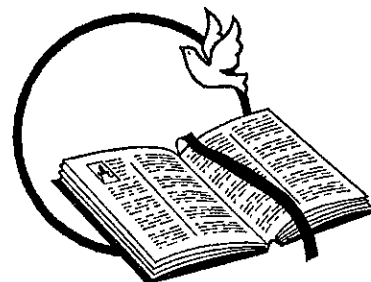
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- Montello Lions
- Poy Sippi Lions
- Sheboygan Evening Lions
- Sheboygan Evening Lions
- Sheerwood Lions
- St. Nazians Lions
- Two Rivers Lions
- Winnebago East Shore Lions

## Deceased Members

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Club

- Edgar Suernnicht Cascade Lions
- James Seiler Reedsville Lions
- Andrew Joneth Packkwaukee Lions
- Chet Schroeder Plainfield Lions



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Thank You  
Orv Kittel

### **PORTAGE LIONS CLUB**

**To:** Neighboring Lions Clubs of: Harrisville, Sauk-Prairie, Baraboo, Pardeeville, Wisconsin Dells, Tomah Lioness, Columbus, Markesan, Lake Wisconsin, Arlington, Portage, and other concerned persons.

**Subject:** Photoscreener picture reading training. (Presidents, please advise your membership & anyone else concerned.

A photoscreening picture reading session is scheduled for April 27th, 2002 at Portage. Location is at St. Mary's School cafeteria. Address is 300 W. Conant St. This is behind St. Mary's Church which is on Highway 33 west in Portage.

The training session will be conducted by Wisconsin Prevent Blindness, Mary Kijewski.

This session is the start to qualify you as a Certified PhotoScreener Picture Reader.

Those who want to be recertified as readers

may attend also. Mary said, she'd have extra pictures for you to read on site. You may stay or leave after you complete your reading.

The only cost to you will be the noon lunch. We will order a Sub sandwich and drink. Coffee and doughnuts will be available before the session. The session will begin at 9:00 a.m. and run till about 2:30 p.m. Materials needed, only a pen and your name tag.

Please notify me of the number coming by April 20th. My phone number is 608-742-3588. This does not need to be firm, just a good estimate.

Sincerely,

Emil M. Mravik,  
Portage Lions Club  
Sight Committee Chairperson

Attn: Lions

### **Wayside Morrison lions Booyah Dinner**

Sunday, May 19, beginning at 11:00 a.m.  
at the Evergreen in Morrison  
Hamburgers and Desserts  
will also be available

## OFFICER & CLUB TRAINING EVENT DISTRICT 27 B-1

**April 13, 2002**

**Time:** Registration 8:00 - 9:00 With Coffee & Bakery

**Place:** Moraine Park Technical College,  
235 National Avenue (at Johnson St. Hwy 23 East) Lot "O"  
Fond du Lac, WI

9:00 a.m. General Session

Welcome, Salute Flag, Lions Song..... Orville Kittel, District Governor

9:10 Wisconsin Lions Foundation..... WLF Director, Dave Wood

9:25 What is ELM?..... Ed Filemyr DGE

9:35 Peace Poster Contest..... Karen Koch, Chr

9:45 Protocol..... Bill Wessing, 02-03 Cab Sec

10:00 BREAK

10:15 Mission to Mexico..... Myra & Herb Schneider PDG

10:35 Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF)..... Clayton Sengbush PDG

10:55 BREAK

11:05-12:00 BREAKOUT/WORKSHOP SESSIONS

1. Presidents & Vice Presidents ..... Orv Kittel DG

2. Lioness ..... Brenda Arellano, Affiliate President

3. Secretary, Treasurer, Info Tech..... Tom Clausen PDG

4. Membership Chr/committees ..... Harvey McBroom, Chr

5. Regional & Zone Chrs..... Tom Koch PDG

6. Lions ORIENTATION ..... Deloran Peterson PDG

REGISTER NOW (Club)

How Many?

Send to: Ed Filemyr, DGE, W5545 Hwy A, Adell, WI 53001 • Tel/Fax: 920-994-9824



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**CAMP FOR CHILDREN WITH DIABETES**

Wi Lions and the American Diabetes Association presents Camp Lakota (the diabetes camp season) Brochures for camp will be mailed the first week in March. The brochures will be MAILED FIRST CLASS to previous campers and the children on the American Diabetes Association waiting list. ALL BROCHURES WILL BE MAILED AT THE SAME TIME. NO BROCHURES HAVE BEEN MAILED OR SENT TO ANY FAMILY. There is a \$50.00 registration fee for all campers. THE REST OF THE CAMPER FEE IS GENEROUSLY PAID BY THE WISCONSIN FOUNDATION.

To be placed on the mailing list, please call or e-mail: Nancy Tarantion, Program Director  
American Diabetes Association • (414) 778-5500 x 6531 • (888) 342-2383 x 6531  
www.ntarantino@diabetes.org

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INVITE YOU TO JOIN THEM IN CELEBRATING THE CLUBS  
50TH ANNIVERSARY*

SATURDAY, APRIL 20, 2002  
FIVE PILLARS SUPPER CLUB - LOWER LEVEL  
(TWO BLOCKS EAST OF HWY 57 & HWY K)

**RANDOM LAKE, WISCONSIN**

REGISTRATION AND COCKTAILS 4:00 P.M.  
SEATING AND WELCOME 5:15 P.M.  
DINNER 5:30 P.M.

GUEST SPEAKER: DR. RICHARD TYLER PAST INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR  
PRICE: \$20.00 PER PERSON  
COME AND ENJOY AN EVENING OF FINE DINING, AN ENTERTAINING PROGRAM,  
CAMARADEREE AND LIVE MUSIC!!

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R.S.V.P. - by April 8, 2002

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of people attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

R.S.V.P. to: Random Lake Lions Club  
P.O. Box 345  
Random Lake, WI 53075



# INSIDE WLF


April 2002



## DATE FOR 2002 LIONS DAY SET:

July 21<sup>st</sup> will be the day for the **Lions Day** Celebrated Lions Day at Lions Camp. Your official host is the Wisconsin Lions Foundation Directors and Past Directors. Lions Day was called Presidents Day before it was opened up to all Lions, Lioness, and Leo Members, their friends, and families. Many special events are in the planning stages, however the always favorites include seeing what is new at Lions Camp and the world famous Chicken Dinners. Deadline for registration is July 12, 2002. Send in your registration and check and your tickets will be sent to you so you don't have to wait in line.

## 5<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL BIRCH-STURM MEMORIAL GOLF OUTING:

 All Golfers and Duffers are invited to participate in this event. It is not limited to Birch-Sturm Fellows. Saturday July 20<sup>th</sup> at the Glacier Wood Golf Club in Iola, we will be hosting foursomes of golfers from around the State. After golf, you will all be treated to a cookout at Lions Camp. There will be lots of contests, prizes, food, fun, and a whole lot of socializing. Prizes and hole sponsors are needed. Watch for details, but plan now to participate or at least provide a prize or hole sponsorship. We need your help to make this event successful.

## ARTS AND CRAFTS SHOW AT LIONS CAMP ON LIONS DAY:

There will be an Arts and Crafts Show held in conjunction with Lions Day. If you are an Artist or Crafter, or know someone who is, and would enjoy the opportunity to show off your work, contact Lioness Sharon Eberhardt at (414) 742-3944. The Show is scheduled to begin at 9:00 AM and is just one more reason to visit Lions Camp on Lions Day. There is also a Best Chef Cook Out Contest. Again, contact Lioness Sharon for details.



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## WLF STATE CONVENTION WORKSHOPS:



Friday at the State Convention, May 17<sup>th</sup> in La Crosse, WLF will offer the following seminars:

**Children's Vision Screening** – 2:00 – 2:50 PM - learn how you can help detect vision problems in young children.

**Eddie Eyeglasses** – 3:00 – 3:50 PM - learn how this fictional character can help teach young students the importance of recycling no longer needed glasses.

**Hearing Programs** – 4:00 – 4:50 PM – learn how you and your Club can help people with hearing loss.

**Diabetes Education** – 4:00 – 4:50 PM – learn what you can do for people who are afflicted with this dreaded disease.

These seminars are offered by your Wisconsin Lions Foundation, allowing you to better serve your community.

## COMMUNITY DIABETES EDUCATION PROJECT – A NATURAL FOR YOUR CLUB AND COMMUNITY:



Diabetes is growing at near epidemic proportions and Lions Clubs International has made diabetes awareness a major focus project. WLF recently mailed to WLF Program Associates or Club Secretaries complete details on ways to make this a local project benefiting your Club and Community. Please do something now with this very important project. If you need more information or need help, contact your WLF Director or Traci at the Foundation Office, toll-free 877-463-6953.

## PEOPLE IN THIRD WORLD COUNTRIES NEED OUR GLASSES:

Please make sure your Club is actively collecting used eyeglasses. The Eyeglass Recycling Center needs them.





# District Governor Orv's Calendar

## April

- 6 Special Olympics - Oshkosh
- 8 Wild Rose Lioness
- 9 Larsen-Winchester Lioness
- 10 Appleton Noon Lionesses
- 13 Officers Training
- 16 Maribel Lions Club
- 20 Random Lake Lions, 50th Anniversary
- 22 Packwaukee Lions
- 23 Michicot Lions
- 28 4th District Cabinet Meeting Elkhart Lake

## May

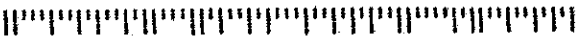
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# NEWS

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TREASURER  
**Gary Colton**  
N5180 State Rd. 175  
Fond du Lac, WI 54937

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## Lions, Lioness and Leos of District 27-B1

Hello Everyone:

Things really got hectic this last month. With my visitations, Special Olympics, Officers' Training and the Cabinet Meeting it took a lot of time. But, seeing the results of the different activities, it was well worth it. There are inserts for more details of these in the inside of the newsletter. I want to thank all the Clubs that got new members because we are in the plus in our District Membership. Thank you to the Extension and Membership Chairman who went out in the District and did a good job having meetings and giving the attendees of the meeting the tools and ideas to get new members. All the Lions, Lionesses and Leo's have done a great job of promoting new members and Lionism in our District. We still have a little more time before June 30, to get some more new members and by doing so, we can make this a great year. I have enjoyed being with all of the Clubs during my visitations. Just being with you, talking to you, hearing your thoughts and ideas, listening to what you want from Lions and what you hope will change in the future has been a great experience. I hope that when I came to visit your Club I gave you the messages from International and did a good job in answering your questions. Just remember, where ever you go and what you see in a lot of cases, Lions have helped in that community whether they have a club or not. As you all know, Lions reach out beyond Club's cities or towns. Please know that we help the needy no matter where they live. Our motto, **WE SERVE** is something that has no boundaries, no limitations and we do it with a big smile. Helping people is what we do and bettering our community is our first thought.

See you all at our State Convention in La Crosse on May 17-18. You can vote on a very important resolution!

God Bless,

DG Orville Kittel  
District 27-B1



## From Lioness Brenda

The spring flowers are starting to bloom, the birds are back and signing their different songs, the grass is greening up and asking for attention. It makes me think of gathering with our friends and renewing our commitments in our communities. Great job in your local Easter Egg Hunts. Remembering the fun the children (young and old) had in looking for the special egg or any egg was fun. Spring is here and Van Dyne is having the Playground equipment installed within a week.

We had twenty-six members at our annual Officers Training session at Fond du Lac. We learned a number of things. Our next event is the State Convention in La Crosse. Are you registered? Are you ready for renewing friendships and making new friends? I am. I hope to see you there.

Our spring Banquet is scheduled for June 9, you will be receiving your invitations in the not so distant future. Please plan on attending as this is our installation of the new Lioness President and Board of Directors, so you can get to know your District Officers.

Yours in Lionism  
District Affiliate President Brenda

## Welcome New Members!

### New Members

Michael Gordee  
Charles Garnier  
Karen Marx  
Larry Koffman  
J.P. Campion  
Darryl Ast  
Dale Ast  
Peggy Zickert  
Anthony Mischo  
Jeffrey Donovan  
Brittney Bonnett  
Margaret Post  
August Gmach  
Grace Jones  
Scott Ramminger  
Greg Charney  
Mark Triemstra  
Loretta Corning  
Michael Corning  
Joseph Cockerel  
Wayne Jurgens  
Dr. James Nass  
James Wieser  
John Kregel  
Erk Jensen  
Roger Hintz  
Melvyn Schneider  
Charles Mc Coy  
Vern Propson

### Club

Appleton Noon Lions  
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Campbellsport Lions  
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Coloma Lions  
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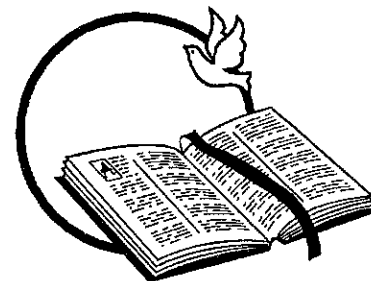
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### Deceased

Edward Riggs

### Club

Green Lake Lions



### LION'S FOOD STAND FOR SALE

16' x 24', with counters, painted Lions colors, excellent condition. Located in Appleton. Best offer-we'll make a deal! Contact Lion Byron Wendt, Grand Chute Lions, 305 W. Capitol Dr., Appleton, WI 54911 • Phone: 920-739-5048 • e-mail: bwendt1@athenet.net

## LIONS EYE BANK OF WISCONSIN *Annual Meeting*

The annual Meeting of the Lions Eye Bank of Wisconsin, Inc. will be held on Saturday June 15, 2002 in Madison, Wisconsin at the Holiday Inn (3841 East Washington Avenue). Lions and Lioness members, interested members of the general public, surgeons, and other health professionals are all encouraged to attend.

- 10am - Noon Open House and tours of the eye bank  
2302 International Lane, Suite 200  
Madison, WI • Phone: 608-233-2354
- 2:00 p.m. Annual Meeting - Holiday Inn  
3841 East Washington Avenue  
Introductions - President Don Johnson  
Review of Operations - Executive Director Mark Larson  
Financial Statement and Budget - Treasurer Joe Desch  
Medical Director Report - Dr. Neal P. Barney  
Bylaw Amendments  
Election of Directors  
New Business
- 3:30 p.m. New Board of Directors Meeting  
Election of Officers  
Meeting schedule

*Please confirm your attendance by calling the eye bank toll-free at 877-233-2354.  
Map on Reverse side of Sheet!!*



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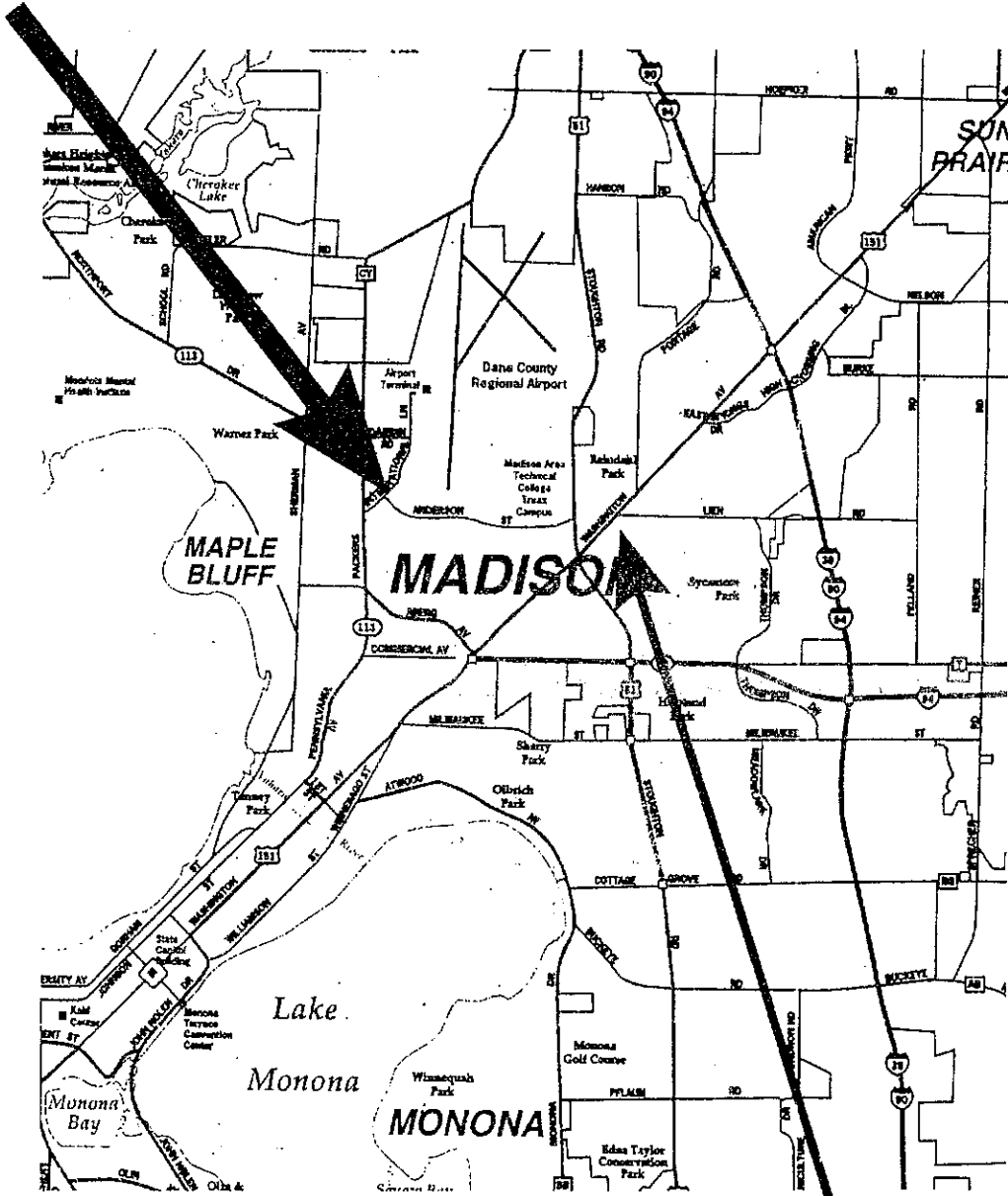
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**Holiday Inn**  
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**Madison Wisconsin**

## OFFICERS TRAINING UPDATE

The officers training was a big succes, the total of attendees was 97. There was hot coffee, soda and rolls for everyone at 8:00 a.m. There was six program speakers and at 11:05 a.m. we went into our breakout for different classes. There were 27 Lionesses and 70 Lions. Twenty three were for Presidents and Vice Presidents. Twenty for Secretaries and Treasurer. Seven for Region and Zone Chairmen. There were about ten each for Membership and Lion Orientation.

Nex year see if we can get all the Officers and Region and Zone Chairmen to the Training. It is for the good of your club and for Lions to have a well informed officer or Chairmen working for you. I know that we had another important program going on at Camp Rosholt and that was camp work day. We had a good turn out at the officers training. Thanks to all that attended and we hope you all got something ou of the training. Good luck to all you new officers on your coming year.

Thank You  
Orv Kittel

## A BIG THANK YOU FOR A JOB WELL DONE

I would like to thank the Lions, Lionesses, Leos and friends that signed up and helped in the Oshkosh Special Olympics. Enclosed are the names of those who gave up their time to make this a big success. Again without your help a lot of participants would not have gotten glasses, which they needed. You all did a great job!

Orville Kittel DG	429 Eaton St. Green Lake, WI 54941	7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.	XL
Edward Filemyr VDG	W5545 Hwy A Adell, WI 53001	7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.	XL
Sara Filemyr Lion	W5545 Hwy A Adell, WI 53001	7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.	L
Delorian Peterson PDG	151 S. East St. Box 2 Elkhart Lake WI 53020	7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.	XL
Shirley Peterson Lion	151 S. East St. Box 2 Elkhart Lake WI 53020	7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.	XXL
Brittney Bonnett	103 Wilson St. Rosendale, WI 54974	7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.	M
Eric Wachdorf	N4606 Town Rd. Waupun, WI	7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.	XL
Alicia Reinl	P.O. Box 665 Elkhart, WI 53020	7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.	L
Jim Zamzow	P.O. Box 188 Berlin, WI 54923	7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.	XL
Susan Van Egeren	P.O. Box 188 Berlin, WI 54923	9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.	M
Anthony King	321 N. Lakeview Ave. Endeavor, WI 53930	12:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.	XXXL
Rollande Delifer-King	321 N. Lakeview Ave. Endeavor, WI 53930	12:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.	L
Daughter of Kings	321 N. Lakeview Ave. Endeavor, WI 53930	12:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.	M
Yvonne Schumocker	4459 S. Hwy 45 Oshkosh, WI 54902	8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	L
Cindy Kremmel	1828 E. Line Elm Rd. Oshkosh, WI 54902	8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	L
Katie Heller	796B South Marr St. Fond du Lac, WI 54935	8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	XXL
Orv Heller	796B South Marr St. Fond du Lac, WI 54935	8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	XL
Bonnie Hughes	W7474 Cty N Van Dyne, WI 54979	8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	L
Elmer Kass	204 Spring St. Sheboygan Falls, WI 53085	7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.	L
Shirley Kass	204 Spring St. Sheboygan Falls, WI 53085	7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.	L
Sandra Kass	204 Spring St. Sheboygan Falls, WI 53085	7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.	XL
Ken Wallander	1309 N. Cty J Cayto, WI 54230	7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.	XXL
Rebecca Schwoeer	6407 Cty. Tr. J. Valdars, WI 54245	7:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	XL
Wayne Manning	134 W. Huron St. Berlin, WI 54923	7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.	L
Bill Gee	Oshkosh, WI 54901	7:30 a.m. -	XL
Jeff Pommerening	934 Monroe St. Oshkosh, WI 54901	7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.	XXL





# INSIDE WLF

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## MEMORIAL/HONORARIUMS AVAILABLE:



Memorial/Honorarium Packets are available from the Foundation Office and they are Free. What a wonderful way to remember a loved one or a friend by giving a lasting Memorial to the Wisconsin Lions Foundation, Inc. in their name. You can Honor someone, a club, or event in the same way with an Honorarium. The proceeds from Memorials and Honorariums go directly into the Foundation's Endowment Fund. Interest from this Fund continues to grow and give back to the Foundation and its programs.

## CANDY FOR CAMP:

This year's Candy for Camp is to be used to inform the public of the work we do at Lions Camp. We are proposing that Clubs run their Candy for Camp during the month of September. However, please schedule your Candy for Camp when it works best for your Club and community. Think about community events . . . when will everybody be in town, and where will the majority of them be hanging out? Does a Friday Night Football Homecoming make sense? Candy for Camp is not about selling candy . . . **It's about giving away candy, accepting donations, giving away a brochure that tells what we do at Lions Camp, and talking about Lionism, all at the same time. Remember, we are doing this for the Children!**

**2002**  
*Candy for Camp*

## ANNUAL MEETING NOTICE:

The Annual Meeting of the Wisconsin Lions Foundation, Inc. and the Parade of Checks will take place at the State Convention as listed below:

**Saturday May 18, 2002**

**1:30 PM**

**Ballroom on Second Level of South Exhibition Hall**

**La Crosse Center**

**La Crosse, WI**



## WLF PROGRAM ASSOCIATE WORKSHOP:

Program Associates are invited to attend a workshop held at Lions Camp on June 22, 2002. Please mark this date now and watch for more information to follow in the mail. For more details or to register, call the Foundation Office, toll-free, at 877-463-6953. We hope you can come and spend the day with us.

## LIONS DAY AT LIONS CAMP:

Make plans now to attend you see what Lions Camp course, includes spouses.

**Lions Day**

at Lions Camp in Rosholt. This is our showoff day to let is all about. Lions Day is open to any member and, of

**Mark your calendars for July 21, 2002.** Chicken Dinner is served from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM. Cost is \$7.00 per adult and \$4.00 for children 13 and under. Please come and join us for a great day. Lions Day includes an Art and Craft Show, a Best Chef Cook Off Competition, and many activities for the whole family.

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## REGISTRATION MUST BE BY JULY 12 TO GUARANTEE CHICKEN DINNERS:

To register, simply call the Foundation Office, toll-free, at 877-463-6953. If you register and pay before July 12, 2002, we will even send your tickets to you so when you arrive; you don't have to stand in line for them. Watch for more information to follow, but make your plans now to attend.



## PUBLIC RELATIONS—WHAT, WHY, HOW?

**WHAT:** Public Relations is the art of building a positive image of YOUR Lion's club. The International Association of Lions Clubs is promoting Lionism through major media centers worldwide. However, ensuring positive public awareness is still the work of Lions at the local level.

**WHY:** Good Public Relations on the local level can bring support for our activities and strengthen our membership growth. People may be impressed with how Lions worldwide are responding to human needs, but they want to know specifically what the local Lions Club is doing for **their** community; how Lions are improving the quality of *their* lives.

**HOW:** All Lions are important to their club's public image. Our actions and demeanor must reflect our commitment to the ideals of Lionism, in our everyday lives, as well as during special projects and events. We must be knowledgeable about Lionism and use this knowledge to show others that it is "Great To Be A Lion." Lion's International has a wealth of information available to help clubs explain "who Lions are and what they do."

Sharing our accomplishments with others is also an important part of Public Relations. We can keep our fellow Lions informed through a club newsletter, the District Governor's newsletter and web site ([www.fdl.uwd.edu/27-b1](http://www.fdl.uwd.edu/27-b1)), the WISCONSIN magazine, and the INTERNATIONAL LIONS magazine. The public can be made aware of Lion events through news releases to area newspapers, radio and television public service announcements, informational material placed in public places (include your newsletter), and by simply spreading the word to co-workers and friends.

When preparing a news release for the local papers, ask, "Would a non-Lion be interested in this?" For articles to be newsworthy they should be about timely activities that enhance your local community, involve the general public, perform a public service, or involve local personnel. Type the release double-spaced on one or two pages; keep paragraphs and sentences short and concise. Be sure to include a contact name and phone number in the upper right-hand corner.

A picture can make your news release more effective. It must, however, be taken with thought, creative composition and care. Simplicity is the key to good photos. Get action into your picture. A photo of someone using the equipment you purchased, or being served by your project, is far more effective than somebody presenting a check or shaking hands. Give your picture Lion identification (wear Lion vest or cap; have your banner in the background).

Newspaper articles should be submitted directly to the Editor of your local paper(s). Articles for the WISCONSIN or The LION may be sent directly to them or be submitted through your District PR Chairman, Cora Lawson, N5747 Metovale Rd. Brandon, 53919. Your District PR Chairman is also available to present information on Public Relations at Zone or Club meetings (920) 346-5501; e-mail: [coraml@centurytel.net](mailto:coraml@centurytel.net)

### ATTENTION LIONS of 27-B1

A big WELCOME to the new to be LIONS Club of BRANDON. On the 18th of April at their third meeting they had the twenty members to form a Lions Club. The Club plans to have their CHARTER NIGHT on June 23, 2002. The place will be forth coming. A big thank you to PDG Robert Showers, IPDG Steve Groene and Zone Chairman Gary Bilke for their time and effort to make this a reality.

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## Lions, Lioness and Leos of District 27-B1

Hi Everyone:

Here we are in June and soon you will have a new District Governor. I want to thank all of the Members of my Cabinet and Clubs of the District for the help and support you have given me this last year. My wife and I have enjoyed meeting with you all, but after she got sick and couldn't travel with me I had to do it alone. It was a pleasure hearing your ideas and what you thought should be done in the District and in Lionism. We have come a long way, but still have a long way to go. We can accomplish a lot by working together. We have to work together on a project that our Club has voted on even if we don't like it. We also have to show our support for it and do all in our power as Lions to make it work.

Remember we as a family of Brothers and Sisters in our Clubs, District, State, Country and the World. We are the biggest service organization in the world doing a tremendous amount of good in our Communities, Districts, States and the World. Our motto is "We Serve", and to do this we should remember **ALONE WE CAN DO SO LITTLE BUT TOGETHER WE CAN DO SO MUCH!**

So I will say so long and "GOD BLESS ALL OF YOU FOR YOUR HELP". I LOVE YOU ALL.

DG Orville Kittel  
District 27-B1



### *From Lioness Brenda*

Here it is June. The month for lots of things happening. High School graduations, confirmations, weddings - our Spring Banquet. The Van Dyne Lioness have been very busy with the planning of this event. I am really looking forward to seeing some of you that I haven't seen since I have visited your club, to renew our new friendships. It sounds lik it will be a good time for all.

Well, the State Convention is over until next year. There were a number of good seminars, speakers and good times. I met more interesting people, went to a few interesting places, and even tried an entre called "Gator Fingers". Yes it tasted like chewy chicken.

This is the last month I will be submitting anything for Governor Orv's newsletter. Boy, did the last year go by fast. I got to see most of our district in a different light and it was good. I hope that I was able to help you especially in "Diabetes Awareness".

Until I see you again don't foret "We Serve You".

Lioness Brenda

## Welcome New Members!

### New Members

Harold Schiferl  
Susan Van Egeren  
Chary Serwe  
Allen Hafeman  
Margaret Johnson  
Eileen Messner  
Gerald Messner  
Steven Uebel  
Carl Merola  
Mark Bourland  
Robert Bock  
Lee Johnson  
Lary Wagner  
Catherin Mays  
Robert Plahmer  
Dennis Paiser  
Ronald Baldock  
Leon Schneider  
Joseph Thome  
Ronald Kiesow  
James Murphy

### Club

Appleton Noon Lions  
Berlin Lions  
Campbellsport Lions  
Campbellsport Lions  
Eden Lions  
Endeavor Lions  
Endeavor Lions  
Fairwater Lions  
Hancock Lions  
Larson/Wichester Lions  
Markesan Lions  
Neshkoro Lions  
Newton Lions  
Oxford Lions  
Plymouth Lions  
Plymouth Lions  
Plymouth Lions  
St. Peter Lions  
St. Peter Lions  
Town of Menasha Lions  
Wild Rose Lions

## Deceased Members

### Deceased

Robert Fisher

### Club

Neshkoro Lions



June 2002

# INSIDE WLF



## WLF NEEDS YOUR CLUB'S WLF PROGRAM ASSOCIATE:

Be sure and appoint your Club's WLF Program Associate as soon as possible. The WLF Program Associate is your Club's direct link to the Foundation. You can report your appointment to the Foundation Office by calling toll-free 877-463-6953 (INFO-WLF). The responsibilities of the WLF Program Associate are to serve as the contact person between the Foundation and the local Club membership, and to dispense all Foundation correspondence to the proper Club chairpersons or to the Club membership, as a whole. **WLF provides a special name badge for each WLF Program Associate.** Please ensure your Club appoints a member to this very important position.

## 5<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL BIRCH-STURM MEMORIAL GOLF OUTING:



A busy weekend is planned for July 20 & 21. Saturday, at the Glacier Wood Golf Club in Iola, we will be hosting foursomes of golfers from around the State. New this year . . . there will be two different flights, one beginning at 7:15 AM and the second beginning at 12:30 PM. Lunch and the evening cookout are included in this year's price. Before or after your golf, we are offering **EXTENSIVE** tours of Lions Camp. There will be lots of contests, prizes, food, fun, and a whole lot of socializing, all for the extremely **low price of \$75.00 per golfer.** Details are being mailed to every Club, or you can call the Office, toll-free, at (877) 463-6953. Prizes so far include a new car, \$5,000 cash, a Sony camcorder, and two tickets to fly anywhere in the continental United States. If you are a golfer, come join us. We need more prizes, so call and see what your Club can do. Remember, you do not need to be a Birch-Sturm Fellow to participate.

## LIONS DAY AT CAMP:

Make your plans now to attend day to let you see what Lions

## Lions Day

at Lions Camp in Rosholt. This is our showoff Camp is all about. Lions Day is open to any member and, of course, includes spouses. **Mark your calendars now for July 21, 2002.** Chicken Dinner is served from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM. Cost is \$7.00 per adult and \$4.00 for children 13 and under. There will be an Arts and Crafts Show held in conjunction with Lions Day. If you are an Artist or Crafter, or know someone who is, and would enjoy the opportunity to show off your work, contact **Lioness Sharon Eberhardt @ 414-571-7161.** The Arts and Crafts Show is scheduled to begin at 9:00 AM and is just one more reason to visit Lions Camp on Lions Day. New this year is a Best Chef Cook Off Competition. If you have a special recipe for grilling beef and enjoy competition, contact Lioness Sharon.



**Deadline for guaranteeing your Chicken Dinners is Friday July 12, 2002**

### REGISTRATION FORM

Please make \_\_\_\_\_ reservations for Lions Day.

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_ Club Name \_\_\_\_\_

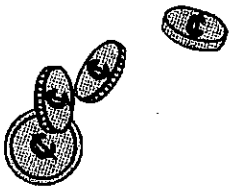
# of Adult Tickets \_\_\_\_\_ # of Tickets for Children \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Enclosed is my check for \$\_\_\_\_\_. Send check to Wisconsin Lions Foundation, 3834 County Rd. A, Rosholt 54473. If you have questions, please call 877-463-6953, toll-free.

**IF WE RECEIVE YOUR REGISTRATION FORM AND CHECK BEFORE JULY 12, WE WILL SEND YOUR TICKETS TO YOU SO WHEN YOU ARRIVE, YOU WON'T HAVE TO STAND**



## “DON'T FORGET YOUR CHANGE!”



I first remember hearing this phrase when I was a kid after my father dug into his pocket to give me a dollar. I was then well on my way to making my first purchase. I don't quite remember what my purchase was going to be, but it was undoubtedly, a soda, some ice cream, or a candy bar. Back in the old days the items mentioned didn't cost more than a dollar and therefore, my father used the phrase “DON'T FORGET YOUR CHANGE!”. As you read on, the word **CHANGE** will take on one of Mr. Webster's different meanings.

**CHANGE** is a password for human survival. Without **change**, life becomes stale, predictable, and lacking in surprises. We tend to think of **CHANGE** in terms of outside forces that can offer variety in our lives - a **change** in jobs or houses. Surely you have heard someone remark, You know, everything is different, but nothing has changed!” Right! Many people are still discovering that alterations in outside factors such as employment settings or living locations do not always guarantee the **change** they wanted. Consider the people who have difficulty keeping their jobs, perhaps because of an attitude problem. A switch in cities by itself will make a difference, but not necessarily a **change**.

Real **change** does not occur by switching to a different environment. It comes from within. For things around us to **change**, we need to **change**. In order for things to get better for us, we need to get better. In order for things to get better for us, we need to get better. We're the ones who need to become different, not our surroundings so “DON'T FORGET YOUR CHANGE!”

I would like to thank those of you who have gone out and sponsored a new member this year. I commend you for approaching someone and asking if they would like to be a Lion. I feel this is the best compliment that you could ever give someone. District 9x9 averages twelve new members a month, which figures to 144 a year. This figure doesn't sound too bad! It is the drops on the bottom line of the membership form, where our new member gain evaporates each month. Our poor retention is causing us to have more former Lions out there than we have Lions. It is a known fact that if our clubs are not growing, we need to assume that they are dying. I therefore recommend that you “DON'T FORGET YOUR CHANGE!”

I have a vision of what new members go through after joining a Lions club. That is they get on our Lion train right behind the engine, and then they start walking the length of the train going through one car after another. Oh, there are plenty of seats on the train, but they fail to sit down. They don't see, hear or feel anything they want to be associated with. When they reach the end of the train they jump off and become a former Lion.

Let's say the first car was overloaded with lengthy boring meetings. Maybe the second car was full of club politics and cliques, and the third car was loaded with the lack of involvement for new members. These are three of the biggest reasons why our new members drop. And you know what! They are controlled by each one of us in our individual clubs. With **HELP** being the key word, this is where we need to **change**.

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E very  
L ion  
P articipate

If you haven't yet recruited new Lions or done your part to implement new ideas in your club, **CHANGE** is the only thing holding you back. **DON'T FORGET YOUR CHANGE!** You still have time to actively recruit new Lions or do your part to ease our retention problem, if you **DON'T FORGET YOUR CHANGE!**

Whether we turn this membership problem around or not depends on just two letters of the alphabet: **U** and **I**. As Garth Brooks says, aren't we really just “Two of a Kind - Working on a Full House.”

Do yourself and the less fortunate people of the world a favor and “DON'T FORGET YOUR CHANGE!”

# Requirements for 100% Treasurer's Award

1. Must have kept accurate records and presented reports of the club's financial condition to the club in a timely fashion.
2. Must have paid the semi-annual state and district dues by October 1 and April 1.
3. Must have paid all International dues within 30 days of receipt of billing.
4. There must be no club indebtedness owed to Lions International or the district which would make club delegates ineligible to vote at either the district, state or international conventions.
5. The treasurer must have attended with the district officer training seminar in April 2000 or attended the district convention last October in Manitowoc.
6. The club treasurer must be recommended for this award by the president with final approval by the district governor.
7. Any of the above criteria may be waived by the district governor is he is advised of conditions which exist beyond the control of the treasurer.
8. Application for this award must be submitted to the district governor, from the club president, no later than 30 days following the close of the International Convention in Indianapolis, which is July 6th.

If your secretary did not qualify for the 100% Secretary Award, but your treasurer did, send this form to:

Orville Kittel  
429 Eaton St.  
Green Lake, WI 54941

Otherwise complete both and send to your Zone Chairman.

I certify that Treasurer \_\_\_\_\_ of  
 the \_\_\_\_\_ Lions Club complied with  
 the above requirements and is entitled to this award.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Club President

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Approval - District Governor

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



# Requirements for 100% Secretary's Award

1. All membership reports must be mailed in sufficient time in order to reach Lions International by the 10th of the following month.
2. All district/state and international dues and all club supply billing be given to the treasurer for payment.
3. There must be no club indebtedness owed to Lions International or the district which would make club delegates ineligible to vote at either the district, state or international conventions.
4. The PU-101 form must be properly filled out showing the newly elected president, secretary and treasurer and must be completed as required and submitted no later than April 30 to Lions International and the District Governor.
5. All delegate forms and cards must be completed and submitted to the State Office by May 1 for the state convention.
6. The secretary must have attended at least two zone meetings.
7. The secretary must have attended either the district officer training seminar in April 2001 or attended the district convention last October in Manitowoc.
8. The club secretary must be recommended for this award by the president and the zone chairman with the final approval by the district governor.
9. Any of the above criteria may be waived by the district governor if he is advised of conditions which exist beyond the control of the secretary.
10. All membership reports must be mailed in sufficient time in order to reach Lions International by the 10th of the following month.

I certify that Secretary \_\_\_\_\_ of

the \_\_\_\_\_ Lions Club complied with

the above requirements and is entitled to this award.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Club President

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Zone Chairman

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Approval - District Governor

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Send to: Orville Kittel  
492 Eaton St.  
Green Lake, WI 54941

**ATTENTION ALL  
PRESIDENTS,  
SECRETARIES AND  
TREASURERS!**

I need your help on a very important matter. Presidents please check to make sure that all the M reports are sent in and that there are none missing. Also make sure that the Treasurer has paid, all bills sent out by the district and by Lions International. Secretaries **PLEASE** send your M reports for the Month of June when they come due to me, so I can get my reports into International.

**THANKS FOR YOUR HELP!**

**2002 Election Results in La Cross**

2004 Bowling City	Menomonie
2004 Curling City	Holmen
2005 Convention City	Abbey Resort - Fontana Lake Geneva

**Resolutions**

*Resolution #1*

Resolution 1A, Resolution 1B, or Neither  
Neither Won

*Resolution #2*

Authorizing the Dining Hall to be modified  
Passed

*Resolution #3*

To remove state rules committee  
Passed



Immediate Past International President Dr. Jean Behar of Lions Clubs International presented IPDG Steve Groene from the Plymouth Lions Club with the Lions International Leadership Award at the Wisconsin Lions State Convention at La Cross while Past International Director Ron Duffy looks on.

# District Governor Orv's Calendar

## June

- 5 Fond du Lac Evening - New Officers
- 9 Lionesses Spring Banquet
- 24 Larsen - Winchester - New Officers
- 25 Appleton Evening - New Officers
- 26 Howards Grove
- 30 Brandon Lions - Charter Night

## July

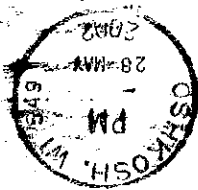
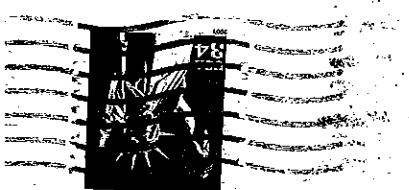
- 5-13 International Convention Osaka, Japan

## August

- 18 Van Dyne - Small Town Days



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