



# *Karl's Nail Points*

*Candle of Tradition - Lantern of Change - Light of Service*



Hope everyone had a great holiday and is looking forward to the New Year, I know I am. I can't wait to start bringing in new Lions, forming new clubs and making 22-D stronger. We started off this year like gang busters- up by ten on September 30 but it has been all downhill since then. We are minus 19 at the end of December and I know of one club which is losing four this month. Last year we did great, had good retention and brought in lots of new Lions. I am challenging all Lions before the end of the year to ask at least one new person to join us in service to others. I know we can turn this around- we must turn it around. Think about it- when was the last time you brought in a new Lion? If you are a leader, let's lead and show our clubs how it's done. We are the ones who can make this happen and it starts with me. I'll let you know next month who my new Lion is.



So, that's the bad news but we have lots of positives, our Beacon of Hope burns bright. You are serving and making this world a better place to live. When I visit the clubs, read the activities reports and your club Bulletins, it just blows me away that we do so much! Let's celebrate what we do, and share this great thing called Lionism with others.

In December I attended all three parties for the Visually Impaired, all three totally different but so much alike as we all honor our guests and it was a great start to the Christmas season. As Governor, I had the honor on January 9<sup>th</sup> to install 28 new Leos and their officers for Cape Henlopen High School sponsored by all the clubs in region Three, Zone One. Job well done by all, especially the new Leos! What a great group, I wish them well and as I told them I hope that I installed a future District Governor, as they are our future. All five clubs working together should be a lesson in co-operation for what is best for Lionism.

As we move forward into the coming months, our task is simple- keep asking our friends and families to join us.

Please think about Emmitsburg in February! I would like to share with you a thought on Emmitsburg: it is not just for those Lions who are thinking about moving up, it is for all Lions. It is a weekend of fellowship and fun and just showing us ways we can shine our light of service. This is from Lions who shared their thoughts with me and it just hit the nail on the head! Remember- the district pays half.

Help! I need your help with the convention in Salisbury in May. Each district is responsible for different jobs at the Convention. I need these numbers of Lions to volunteer for the following jobs: Decorations 2, Golf 1, Merchandise 3, Resolutions 1, Rules 1, Sergeant at Arms 4, Song Leader 1, Tail Twister 3, Ticket Sales 2, & Elections Chair 1. Please let me know ASAP what job you would like. Please don't make me sit here one night calling all you great Lions. Also when FVDG Mike asks you to serve next year, please be ready to show Mike the support you have given me- it is overwhelming!

As we move into this second half of this Lions year, let's all rededicate ourselves to being a Beacon of Hope. Thank you for what you do every day as Lions.

*YIL, DG Karl*

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## News Around the Clubs in our District

### Camden-Wyoming Lions

On December 30th, ten club members and their families prepared and served dinner at Dover's Interfaith Mission. This was our first time doing this and plan to make it a regular activity. See picture below.



L-R: Cynthia Hotchkiss, Lion Pete Analore, Lion Hank Webb, Lion George Mayer

February 26<sup>th</sup> – OYSTER DINNER TIME! Our 53<sup>rd</sup> Reily Brown Scholarship fundraiser! Tickets are \$17 in advance, \$19 at the door. At the CR High School cafeteria. **See our ad on page 5.**

### Capitol City Lions

On December 17<sup>th</sup> our club rang the bell for the Salvation Army and collected over \$388.

At our Christmas Party Meeting, we provided toys for Toys-For-Tots, rather than have any type of gift exchange. Each member was asked to bring a toy instead.

Seven Lions from our club attended the Melvin Jones Breakfast at the Sheraton under snowy conditions on January 8<sup>th</sup>.

Our Lions provided PDG Jack Brinckmeyer, Delaware Lions Sight Team Chairman, with 3000 pairs of used eye-glasses and sunglasses collected from the 30 recycle eye-glasses boxes we currently have out in the community.

### Claymont Lions

Our club sold over 1,060 Christmas trees and 45 wreaths in December and we made over \$20,000 with 54 Lions and 32 community volunteers donating a total of 1312 volunteer hours.

Since September our Lions have completed 208 Eye-Screenings with 18 being referred for further evaluation.

Our next fundraiser, Pancake Breakfast, will be on February 12<sup>th</sup> at the Brandywine Hundred Fire Company Hall in Bellefonte. **See our ad on page 6.**

### Dover Lions

During our December Club Meeting, 1st Vice District Governor Mike Hlavac inducted Lion Renee Thompson into our club. 1st VDG Mike also presented a Crystal Membership Growth Award to Immediate Past President Gary Stumpf for the Club's membership increase last year. 1st VDG Mike also

presented a 10 Member Key to Secretary Ralph Schieferstein for sponsoring 10 new Lions since he became a Lion.

### Glasgow Lions

On December 4<sup>th</sup> our club had an information table at the People's Plaza Christmas Event.

### Fenwick Lions

On December 15<sup>th</sup> our club delivered 61 canned hams to the Pyle Center for "Delivery of Meals" to the home bound. Some of our Lions attended the "Thank-you Dinner" at the Pyle Center for all the volunteers. See picture below.



L-R: Lions Kay & Dave Crum (Chair), Lion Muriel Mooney, Lion Jean & Lion Joe Diehl.

### Rehoboth Beach Lions

Our raffle drawing for the scooter was won by a gentleman from Reading, Pennsylvania, who bought his winning ticket at the Sea Witch parade.

On December 23<sup>rd</sup> some of our Lions presented Christmas gifts to the mother of three children in Rehoboth Beach.

On December 5<sup>th</sup> Barba Merriwether, wife of Lion Richard passed away.

Our club has made over \$300 for each day at Poker at the Beach on December 4<sup>th</sup> and January 1<sup>st</sup>. February 5<sup>th</sup> will be our next session.

February 6<sup>th</sup>, our club will be serving hot cocoa on the boardwalk for the Polar Bear Plunge. There will be a party after the plunge at the Drift Inn – all are invited.

### Milford Lions

Our annual spaghetti dinner will be on March 12<sup>th</sup> from 4PM to 7PM. The proceeds benefit our Youth and Education Fund. Contact Lion Gail Watkins-Berry for advanced ticket purchase. **See our ad on page 6.**

### *Laurel Lions*

On December 3<sup>rd</sup> our pre-school vision screening was held at Dunbar Elementary School and we screened 86 children. See picture below.



*L-R: KL David Harc, Lions Jim Littleton, Leigh Clark, Fred & Pat Disharoon & Joan Orr-Best.*

Our club also participated in the Laurel Christmas Parade. See picture below.



*L-R: Lion Jim Littleton, Lion Jeff Dolby, KL David Haro, Lion Patty Littleton & Lion Ron Scott.*

### *Dewey Beach Lions*

Delaware Governor Jack Markell visited our club on Thursday, January 6th. See picture below.



*L-R, First VP Chris Wilson, Governor Markell and King Lion Chris Moody.*

Our Club along with four other clubs (Lewes, Midway, Milton & Rehoboth Beach) in Region 3, Zone 1 sponsored a NEW Leos Club on January 9th. **See page 8 for article and pictures.**

### *Lord Baltimore Lions*

Our Global Service Campaign "Relieving the Hunger" has been a huge success. Food contributions from the December

1st Club meeting and Senior Christmas Banquet amounted to 184 items. The food was delivered to the Pyle Center on December 13th along with ten \$10 gift cards for Food Lion Stores that were donated by our club. Our total of items delivered to the Pyle Center for November and December was 317 items plus the gift cards.

On December 6<sup>th</sup> some of our Lions went to the Stockley Center to hold a Christmas Party for 8 women and 12 men. Santa Clause (Lion Bob Davis) delivered a stereo system, perfume and cologne gift sets. Chairman Lion Tom Roth along with his elves, Lion Jack Bauer and Lion Bobby Jones, provided pie, cup cakes, soda and ice cream for all the staff and residents. See pictures below.



*L- R: Lion Tom Roth, Santa Clause & Lion Bobby Jones.*



On December 15<sup>th</sup> we completed a 52 foot wheel chair ramp. This was the 32nd project this year which includes: 21 ramps, several wheel chair porch lifts, portable ramps and repairs to ramps (not built by us!). This reported by Lion Pat Murray, Chairman.

### *Midway Lions*

On January 11<sup>th</sup>, Lions: Fran Rehl, Carolyn White, Marcela Rios, and Fernando Rios pre-screened children at the Kids Cottage. A total of 25 children were screened, all of the 25 children passed the test. See pictures below.



*Lion Fran Rehl is pre-screening one of the children with our digital Sure Sight camera.*



### *Milton Lions*

PCC Grant Curtis spoke on membership and development at our last meeting in December 2010. The meeting was highlighted with the induction of a new member, Delores Springer sponsored by her husband Lion Ed Springer.

**Membership** – PDG Mike Mock is continuing to hold meetings at the Milton Library each 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday from 6:30-7:30pm to give out information on Lionism. The meeting for the Georgetown Branch Club will be on January 20<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm at the Easter Seals Building in Georgetown .

At our Christmas Party in December, each Lion brought in 10 food items and the club purchased \$25 gift cards to buy meat. The boxes were delivered the next morning to the Casa San Francisco Food Pantry. See picture below.



*L-R: Lion Ed Springer, Lion Doris Mock, KL Jim Coverdale & PDG Mike Mock.*

**Pre-School Vision Screening** – Our club has screened 154 children at Eagle Nest school, H.O. Brittingham, Kristen’s Daycare, Sunshine Preschool & Milton Elementary and only 20 were referred for further examination by an eye care professional. Lion Deanna Duby is our key tester with help from other Lions: Doris Mock, Ed Springer, Delores Springer, Camille Betts, Carla Preston and Chair Judy Priest. See pictures below.



*Lion Deanna Duby is pre-screen one of the children.*

### **Clayton Lions**

Our Club will be having a Winter Pancake Day fundraiser on Saturday, February 12th at the Brandywine Hundred Fire Hall on Brandywine Boulevard in Bellefonte. Meals will be served from 7:30 A.M. until 12:30 P. M. Tickets are \$5 per adult and \$3 for children under 10 yrs of age. Meals include pancakes, bacon or sausage, juice, milk and coffee. Extra helpings of pancake are free; extra meat and juice can be purchased. Eggs will be provided for those wanting them, at extra cost.

### **Frederica Spring Creek Lions**

Our club donated \$25 to the Town of Frederica to help with candy for the town Christmas Party.

**Adopt-a-Family** -- Our club collected \$700 to spend on two families for Christmas. Several members also donated bagged gifts. The families were thrilled with their gifts.

### **New Castle Hundred Lions**

On December 18<sup>th</sup> two dozen of our Lions, their families and friends delivered 36 Christmas food baskets to needy families for the holidays.

### **Brookside Lions**

Our club made over \$5700 on our Christmas Tree Sale during December and the monies will be used to help other projects in 2011.

At our January club meeting, Randy Cassidy was inducted into our club. Congratulation to Lion Randy Cassidy!

### **Pike Creek Valley Lions**

Lion John Farr received his 100% Secretary award from PDG Lee Bird on January 3, 2011. Congratulation !!



### **Middletown Lions**

We have inducted four new members since the beginning of the Lions year but sadly have lost two dear long time members, Lion Betty Gove and Lion Leon Van Horn.

In December seven Lions rang the bell for the Salvation Army Kettle Drive, we adopted seniors from the MOT Senior Center providing wish list gifts and food gift cards, and had a wonderful Christmas party at KL Becky's home.



## Message from 2VDG Ken Chew

The MERL team has been active so far this Lion's year. My involvement began when 1VDG, Mike Hlavac, and I attended the MD 22 MERL Team meeting held in Beltsville, MD on August 21, 2010. The all day session featured an overview of each of the parts of MERL (membership, extension, retention, and leadership) and we also got a chance to meet with our counterparts from the other districts. Part of my team, Lion Jim Coverdale who is the district retention chair, was also there.

The next leadership opportunity came when my wife, Lion Marie Chew, and I attended the USA/Canada Forum in Milwaukee in September. The one workshop that I found most useful was Lions Quest workshop held the day before the opening of the Forum. I was an educator for 45 years and I am eager to find out more about this youth educational program. I will be attending a teaching training workshop in Baltimore in January (originally scheduled for October). I hope to report more information about Lions Quest at future Cabinet meetings.

On the retention side of my MERL team, I have been passing out the "exit" forms to each club secretary as I go with Governor Karl Gude on his official visits. The official name for the "exit" form is "Guide to Conducting an Effective Former Member Satisfaction Survey." This "exit" form can be a valuable tool when a club drops a member. It can help the club focus on why the member left and how the club can do a better job in keeping its members. Also this form can help the district know why members leave a club and track them to see if they might join another club.

On the leadership side of MERL, PDG Mike Mock has given several leadership presentations at the club level and is scheduling several at the zone or region levels. Unfortunately, Camp Merrick was cancelled due to a lack of lions attending from the Multiple. Chairman, PDG John Lawrence, has promised to re work this leadership experience and do it next fall. The next leadership opportunity will come with the Multiple District Leadership School in Emmitsburg, MD in February. We need to encourage as many Lion leaders from our district to attend as we can.

YIL,  
2VDG Ken Chew



### OYSTER DINNER TIME!!

Think February 26th - It's OYSTER DINNER TIME!! The Camden-Wyoming 53rd Reily Brown Scholarship Dinner will be serving their famous OYSTER DINNERS! At the CR High School Cafeteria. It's time to get your potential customers lined up. Take that list from last year and add ten new customers. Tickets are \$17 in advance, \$19 at the door. Menu includes fried oysters, turkey salad, sweet potatoes, turkey dumplings, green beans, drinks and ice cream (all you can eat of everything) Bring your large groups - we can seat them in one area.

*Camden-Wyoming Lions*



LORD BALTIMORE LIONS CHARITIES, INC.

## Seasonal Fruit Sale

**NOVEMBER 2010 THRU MARCH 2011**

*Premium Oranges, Grapefruit and Tangerines delivered directly to us from the groves of CJ Citrus for your enjoyment throughout the fruit season.*

Order by Sunday	Pick up Saturday	*Pink Grapefruit Available All Season		2/5 BU \$18.00 4/5 BU \$26.00
2-6-11	2-12-11	Temples	2/5 BU. \$18 4/5 BU. \$27	Tangerines 1/5 BU. \$12 2/5 BU. \$20
3-6-11	3-12-11	*Temples	2/5 BU. \$18	Tangerines 1/5 BU. \$12 2/5 BU. \$20

Mixed box 1/2 grapefruit 1/2 oranges 2/5 bu. \$18 w/honeybells \$21 \*Temples, Valencias \*as available

To place your order call the Lions Club voice mail at 539-0619. Please follow the instructions on the voice mail, or Email us at [stein@udel.edu](mailto:stein@udel.edu) Questions or to place an order call 539-7037 or 537-5175

Pick up between 9 am and 2 pm at Pine Tree Campground on Cedar Neck Road, Ocean View or between 9 am and 11 am at Civic Center in Millsboro, or between 12 and 2 pm at the Kmart parking lot Rt. 1 in Rehoboth.

*Thank you for your continued support!*

The letter below was written by Dr. Jeffrey P. Hilovsky, O.D. of SUSSEX EYE CENTER and sent to Lion Doris Mock and the Milton Lions Club for all Lions to read.

January 7, 2011

Milton Lions Club  
c/o Doris Mock  
28487 Broadkill Rd.  
Milton, DE 19968

Dear Doris,

Please allow this letter to congratulate the members of your vision screening team. I saw a young 5 year old student who was screened by your Lions Club. During the evaluation, I discovered that she has bilaterally reduced vision (Refractive Amblyopia) from extreme astigmatism in both eyes. Although her best visual acuity is not nearly what I hope it could be now, I am sure that because of your program's early intervention, she will eventually achieve 20/20 vision in both eyes. Please understand that, if undetected, she was in danger of permanent visual acuity reduction because of the large amount of astigmatism in both eyes. This effort underscores the value of the vision screening. I am quite confident that as this young lady grows into her teens and begins to drive and compete for jobs in the workplace, she will be able to do so successfully because her refractive Amblyopia was discovered by your efforts.

Thank you again for your good work and keep up the good job.

Yours in Lionism,

Jeffrey P. Hilovsky, O.D. ( Lord Baltimore Lions Member)

### Diabetes Corner:

#### Where can I find people to talk to about living with diabetes? My family doesn't seem to get it.

Some hospitals offer educational programs and support groups for people who have diabetes. You could ask a family member to join you at a class or meeting, if you think that would be helpful. In some areas, the American Diabetes Association sponsors similar activities. Dial 1-800-DIABETES (342- 2383) and ask them what they offer and where programs are held. Your health care provider may also be able to put you in touch with other people who have diabetes.

You might also try the Internet for a "virtual" support group. The ADA website, <http://www.diabetes.org>, is a good place to start. Be aware that what other people say on the Internet ranges from brilliant to bunk, so be sure to check out anything you see online with someone you trust before giving it a shot yourself.

### Pancake Breakfast

Saturday, February 12

7:00am - 12:30pm

Brandywine Hundred Fire Company

Bellefonte, DE

Adults \$5.00

Children under Ten \$3.00

All the Pancakes you can eat  
Sausage/Bacon, Juice and Coffee

CLAYMONT LIONS



Saturday March 12, 2011

Milford High School

Time: 4-7 PM

Adults: \$9 - Children: \$4

Contact: King Lion Jodie Sleva at  
302 632-0033

Proceeds Benefit Youth & Education Fund  
Visitation credits will be provided to Lions  
from other clubs.

Milford Lions Club



## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### District 22-D EVENTS

Third Cabinet Meeting	1/25/11 Tues
Polar Bear Plunge	2/4/11 Fri
District 22-A Social	2/5/11 Sat
Leadership (Emmitsburg, MD)	2/18-2/20 Fri-Sun
DLF Breakfast	3/5/11 Sat
Mid-Winter Social 22-D	3/12/11 Sat
District 22-B Social	3/19/11 Sat
Delaware State Lions Day	<b>March 2011</b>
Bowling Tournament	3/27/11 Sun
Leader Dog North	3/28/11
South	3/29/11
DLF Walk	4/2/11
LVRV Vision Days	<b>April 2011</b>
Fourth Cabinet Meeting	4/10/11 Sun
District 22-C Social	4/16/11 Sat
District Leadership School	5/5/11 Thu
Multiple 22 Convention	5/12-5/11 Thu-Sun
Washington DC Parade	5/30/11 Mon
Blue-Gold Game	6/18/11 Sat
LCI Convention - Seattle	7/4-7/8 Mon- Fri

### CABINET MEETINGS

January 25, 2011	Dover Sheraton
April 10, 2011	Dover Sheraton

### MULTIPLE DISTRICT SOCIALS

District 22-A	2- 5-11 Hunt Valley, MD
District 22-B	3-19-11 Salisbury, MD
District 22-C	4-16-11 TBD

### DG Karl Visitation Schedule for 2011

<b>January</b>	<b>February</b>
19 <sup>th</sup> Capitol City	1 <sup>st</sup> Glasgow
20 <sup>th</sup> Dewey Beach	7 <sup>th</sup> Midway
27 <sup>th</sup> Laurel	9 <sup>th</sup> Rehoboth Beach
	24 <sup>th</sup> Milford
	<b>March</b>
	16 <sup>th</sup> Lord Baltimore

### DG Plunge February 4<sup>th</sup> 2011

At the Second Cabinet meeting I passed around a sign up sheet for the plunge in February. Can you please bring your pledges with you to the next cabinet meeting. The sheet will be there if you have forgotten your pledge. I thank you all for your support of this worthwhile endeavor. Anyone who has not pledged will be welcome to do so then. The ocean temperature is falling fast so I should turn to about this color blue!! I will be plunging with the staff of the Special Olympics. As DG John 22-A has his social that weekend, I will do my best to get back to watch the rest of our Lions who Plunge freeze their fur off.

**SEE YOU AT THE BEACH.**  
DG Karl



Burr, burr bur....

### *From the Editor's Desk*

For those Lions wishing to submit material for publication; the deadline for **acceptance is at 5:00 pm on the 15th of the Month** Late submissions will be carried forward to the next month News Bulletin.

We Serve!!  
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## New LEO Club Chartered

A new LEO club was formed on January 9<sup>th</sup> at the Dewey Beach Lions Club house. Five clubs in Region 3, Zone 1, Dewey Beach, Lewes, Midway, Milton, and Rehoboth Beach are supporting this club which will be located at Cape Henlopen High School. This special meeting was attended by many Lions, parents and guests along with the new Leos. Also in attendance were DG Karl Gude, PDGs, Region Chairs, Zone Chairs, King Lions, and the District Bulletin Chair. Food and conversation was provided for the new Leos.

DG Karl Gude inducted all 28 Leos, and then installed four members as Officers for the club: President Samantha Hurley, Vice President Lindsay Hynes, Secretary Meg Bartley, and Treasurer Emily Farrell. Their advisors are: Lion Mike Connors from Milton Lions Club and Lion Haywood Stocks from Dewey Beach Lions Club, both are teachers at Cape Henlopen High School. See pictures below.

*Reported by DBE Lion Jay Wheeler  
Pictures were taken by PDG Bob Daniels*



*L-R : Lion Mike Connors, Treasurer Emily Farrell, Secretary Meg Bartley, DG Karl Gude, President Samantha Hurley, Vice President Lindsay Hynes & Lion Haywood Stocks.*

Lion Mike and Lion Haywood holding the Certification of Organization from Lions Clubs International to be placed at Cape Henlopen High School.

**District 22-D Lions Club  
District Bowling Tournament**

**Club Presidents**

I would like to invite all Lions, Lioness, Leos and guests to attend our annual 22-D District Bowling Tournament. Here are the particulars:

Date: **Sunday March 27<sup>th</sup>, , 2011**

Place: Milford Bowling Lanes

Time: **Registration at 12:15pm.**  
**Bowling begins at 1:00pm.**



Cost: \$10.00 per bowler (4 bowlers per team)

Note: Only teams comprised of all Club members will be contenders for trophies.

**50/50 Drawings and Door Prizes**

Please RSVP to Lion Jim Littleton by March 18<sup>th</sup>, 2010  
Please submit attached reservation form with registration fee  
Make checks payable to District 22D.

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Submit to: Lion Jim Littleton  
34630 St, George Road  
Delmar, De. 19940

Phone: (302)-875-1153  
Cell: (302)-430-9812

List names of team members below	Name of Club
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

**Sam's club**  
**Open house for Lions of Delaware**

**There will be an open house for Lions of Delaware on February 11 - 13, 2011.**

All Lions that sign up for membership (\$40.00 per year) will receive a \$10.00 gift card. There will be a big sign in the store welcoming Lions. You must tell the person at the sign up desk you are a Lion to get the gift card. Address: 1572 N. DuPont Hwy., Dover, De. 199901. Phone 302-678-4223. For more information call 302-653-9770 or email: [lionbobd123@verizon.net](mailto:lionbobd123@verizon.net)

*YIL, PDG Bob Daniels*



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December 2010

**TO ALL CLUB PRESIDENTS:**

It is that time of the year again to think about a Lion who would make a good candidate for the District 22-D Lion of the Year.

The candidate could be from your club or a Lion in District 22-D who in the **LAST eighteen (18) months** has been an outstanding Lion. Enclosed you will find a Nomination Form to use. Feel free to add as many pages as you need to describe this Lion. The Form contains guidelines and rules to use so you will know who is eligible. Please send in your candidate(s) name by whatever way your club decides. All names must be received by First Vice District Governor Mike Hlavac by April 1, 2011.

Thank you!  
 FVDG Mike

Please send your completed Nomination Form and choice to FVDG Mike at:

FVDG Michael R. Hlavac  
 P.O. Box 5665  
 Wilmington, DE 19808

Any questions, please feel free to call me at: 302-598-3534

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**District 22-D**  
**Lion of the Year**  
**2010-2011**

Lions:

**A. PURPOSE:**

1. To provide recognition to the Lion in District 22-D who most distinguishes him or her self as an active and contributing member of both their Club and the District during the last eighteen (18) months of this Lion's Year.

**B. NOMINATIONS:**

1. The name and qualifications of the nominee should be submitted to the Board of Directors of the nominee's Home Club and, if it is approved, forwarded to the First Vice District Governor. If the nomination is made by someone other than a club, it shall be forwarded directly to the First Vice District Governor. Regardless of the source, each nomination must meet all the other criteria to be eligible for inclusion in the judging.
2. Each entry must be postmarked on or before **April 1<sup>st</sup>** of the year of the Multiple District 22 Convention (this year April 1, 2011).
3. The Region Chairperson should encourage each Local Club to nominate a worthy Lion in order that there is at least one (1) nominee submitted from each region.

**C. ELIGIBILITY:**

The Candidate must meet the following basic qualifications:

1. Must be a member in good standing of the Lions Clubs in good standing in District 22-D according to Lions Clubs International and must have been a member of a Local Club in District 22-D for at least twelve (12) months.
2. Must be current in the Club obligations of attendance, dues, and committee assignments.
3. Must not be the Council Chairperson, the District Governor, the 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice District Governor, the Immediate Past District Governor, or a 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice District Governor Candidate.
4. Must not have previously received the District 22-D Lion of the Year award.

Send completed application to:

FVDG Michael R. Hlavac  
 P.O. Box 5665  
 Wilmington, DE 19808





**DISTRICT 22-D  
LION OF THE YEAR  
NOMINATION FORM  
2010-2011**



<b>Nominee:</b>	<b>Name:</b>	
	<b>Address</b>	
	<b>City, State, Zip</b>	
	<b>Phone:</b>	
	<b>E-mail address</b>	
	<b>Club Name:</b>	
	<b>Years a Lion</b>	
	<b>Year with current Club:</b>	

**Cite Examples of Service to Lionism:**

**Cite Examples of Community Service:**

<b>Nominated by:</b>	<b>Name:</b>	
	<b>Address</b>	
	<b>City, State, Zip</b>	
	<b>Phone:</b>	
	<b>E-mail address</b>	
	<b>Club Name:</b>	

Use as many sheets as necessary – must be legible (printed or typed)  
 Please Return Nomination by **April 1<sup>st</sup>** to: FVDG Michael R. Hlavac  
 Question call or e-mail P.O. Box 5665  
 Wilmington, DE 19808  
 Phone - 302-598-3534  
[mikehlavac-tax@msn.com](mailto:mikehlavac-tax@msn.com)

**LEARN THE COMPONENTS OF LEADING — MAKE YOUR CLUB PROUD**

**ATTEND THE LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE AT EMMITSBURG**

District 22D is willing to pay half of the Registration Fee for each attendee. Many clubs are subsidizing their members **WHO ATTEND**. Our clubs will reap the benefits of members who become skilled leaders. Please read the flyer in the newsletter (page 13). Your attendance will show your club and district how much you care to develop your Leadership Skills. Have a great learning week-end while being taught by the best. Here is the info.

**MULTIPLE DISTRICT 22 LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE**

February 18– 20, 2011  
 National Emergency Training Center Emmitsburg, Maryland  
 Two sections being offered  
 The Basic Institute is a prerequisite for the Advanced Institute  
**BASIC and ADVANCED**

**INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS**

Ask your club or district for a partial sponsorship.

**HOW DO I SIGN UP?**

Contact your District Leadership Chair, PDG Mike Mock 302-684-8833 or  
 PCC John Lawrence, 410-725-0150, [ions@johnlawrence.name](mailto:ions@johnlawrence.name) or  
 PCC Rowe Haywood, 410-272-8835, [rhaywood1@comcast.net](mailto:rhaywood1@comcast.net)

*PDG Mike Mock (leadership chair)*



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Public Speaking 101  
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Goal Setting  
Communication Skills  
And More



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Myers-Briggs Type Indicator  
Conflict Resolution  
Volunteer Leadership  
And More

## WHY SHOULD I ATTEND?

- To make your clubs more effective in serving your community
- To learn about your strengths and weaknesses
- To become a more effective leader
- To improve your public speaking and communication skills
- To learn more about Lionism and its role in your community
- To develop interpersonal skills
- To develop new friendships from throughout the Multiple District
- To get new ideas in service projects and fund raising in your Clubs



- All in a beautiful campus setting
- Private room with bath
- Great food
- Time for fun and fellowship
- Meet old Lions friends and make new ones
- Accomplished instructors
- Come away inspired

## WHAT WILL IT COST?

The tuition is \$160.00. This includes two nights lodging, six meals, and all instructional materials. Ask your club or district for a partial sponsorship.

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

Nick Name (if any) that you prefer \_\_\_\_\_ Years in Lionism \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (    ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Registering for Basic Institute \_\_\_\_\_ Advanced Institute \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Lions Club \_\_\_\_\_ District: \_\_\_\_\_

Highest Office/Position held within local Lions Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Highest Office/Position held at District Level: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Registration Fee is \$160.00, and must accompany this **REGISTRATION FORM**. Please make check payable to: MD22 Lions Leadership Institute.
2. Registration Fee and Form must be sent before February 7, 2011 to:  
PCC John Lawrence, Institute Co-Coordinator  
507 High St.  
Chestertown, MD 21620
3. All participants **must** arrive and sign-in between 12:00 - 4:00 pm on February 18, 2011. Activities will begin promptly at 4:00 pm, February 18th.
4. For participants' planning purposes, additional information will be mailed to all participants the last week of January, 2011.

**SPECIAL NEEDS:**

\_\_\_\_ Diabetic Diet    \_\_\_\_ Vegetarian    \_\_\_\_ Hearing Challenged

\_\_\_\_ Visually Challenged    \_\_\_\_ Wheelchair Access

\_\_\_\_ Other (please explain) \_\_\_\_\_

If you need additional information, please contact co-coordinators:  
PCC Rowe Haywood at (410) 272-8835, [rhaywood1@comcast.net](mailto:rhaywood1@comcast.net)  
or PCC John Lawrence at (410) 725-0150, [lions@johnlawrence.name](mailto:lions@johnlawrence.name)

## 22-D Melvin Jones Breakfast Saturday January 8, 2011

The attendance by 130 "Hardy" Lions representing 24 clubs from all areas in the District, despite the somewhat inclement weather, was outstanding! That represented about 70 % of those that had committed to the event.

The presentation by Lion Linda Lauria was excellent. It showed how LCIF is working here in Delaware and the commitment of the Delaware Association for the Blind to offer the best possible program with the resources available. PDG Ted Reiver asked for a club or group to fund a commemorative plaque for the grant as required. Zone 1 Region 1 will handle that need.

The 50/50 winners were Lion Tom Ramsay from Claymont and Lion Helen Friend from Wilmington Manor. With a generous donation back, the 50/50 raised \$210 for LCIF.

Presentation of Melvin Jones Fellowships to Lion Joan Bestpitch & Lion Clarence Blendt of the Clayton Lions Club were made by CC Ralph Schieferstein and FVDG Mike Hlavac filling in for District Governor Karl who was not able to attend due to a family emergency (all is well).

Many thanks to those who helped by jumping in at last minute to make the event a success, despite the uncooperative Delaware weather.

*Yours in Lionism,  
IPDG Lee*



**DLF Delaware Lions Foundation**  
*P. O. Box 393 Camden, Delaware 19934*

January 13, 2011

Dear Lion, Lioness, and Leo Presidents and Secretaries:

The Directors of your Delaware Lions Foundation are proud to announce that the **13<sup>th</sup> Annual Delaware Lions Foundation Breakfast will be held Saturday, March 5, 2011 at the Dover Sheraton Hotel beginning at 9:30am.** We will once again celebrate the success of your growing Foundation and honor the memory of two distinguished Lions. Past International Directors Ralph N. Helm and James A. McCarty. Both leaders loved this organization and provided outstanding guidance in its formative years. Our program will once again feature individuals explaining the positive impact the Lions Clubs and your Foundation have had on their quality of life. This is always a very heartwarming and enjoyable experience and you don't want to miss it.

You do not have to be a Ralph Helm Fellow or a Jim McCarty Fellow to enjoy the fellowship and delicious buffet breakfast. This breakfast is open to all who want to attend. Plan to have your Club represented.

If your club would like to present a Ralph Helm Fellowship or a Jim McCarty Fellowship at the breakfast please notify our Secretary, B.J. Ryder.

**Clubs are also encouraged to present annual donations at this event.**

To summarize:

**13<sup>th</sup> Annual Delaware Lions Foundation Fellows Breakfast**

**Saturday, March 5, 2011 – 9:30am**

**Dover Sheraton Hotel**

**Cost: \$17**

**R.S.V.P. DEADLINE is FEBRUARY 26, 2010**

**If you have any questions, call PDG Don at 302-798-3407 or CS BJ at 302-284-9377**

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Please detach and send this form with payment to:

PDG Don LeCates  
19 Cameo Road  
Claymont, DE 19703

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

Names of Attendees: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

(attach list if needed)

\_\_\_\_\_ Lions, Lionesses, Leos or Guests attending @\$17 each \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to Delaware Lions Foundation.

Please add in the memo section "DLF Fellows Breakfast".

"Delaware Lions make a difference... One life at a time"

**"WE SERVE"**



**DISTRICT 22D  
MID-WINTER SOCIAL  
SATURDAY – MARCH 12, 2011**



**TO: CLUB PRESIDENTS AND SECRETARIES**

Your Club members and guests are invited to honor and socialize with District Governor Karl and First Lady Anne for a great, casual, enjoyable evening on Saturday, March 12, 2011, at our District's Annual Mid-Winter Social at the Felton Fire Hall in Felton, DE.

The menu will be fried oysters, chicken salad, cole slaw, dumplings, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, rolls and butter, with ice cream and cookie for dessert, plus coffee, hot tea and iced tea.

The cost is \$23.00 per person. Cash bar at 5:30 pm and dinner at 6:00 pm.

The entertainment is **“Just Kidding Around Entertainment” with DJ Mike Warren.**

Theme for the evening: **“Dress Your Decade”** That's right; the audience is part of the entertainment. This is your chance to relive those “Glory Days” that Bruce Springsteen sings about! So are you a “jitterbugger from the 40's? a rock n' roller from the 50's, a Sonny and Cher duo from the 60's, a John Travolta wannabe from the 70's? a big hair, heavy metal groupie from the 80's, a hip hopper from 90's? or a rapper from the first decade of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century? Got the idea now? Let's have fun!!

As in the past, I am asking each Club to bring one to two gifts for our door prizes. There will also be a 50/50.

Encourage your members to attend this fun-filled event. The economy is bad; times are tough. We all need an event like this to forget for just a few hours and have a blast! If you have any questions, please call me at 302-875-5051 or email me at [jjshwed@verizon.net](mailto:jjshwed@verizon.net).

Yours in Lionism,

PDG John J. Shwed  
Social Chairperson

**RESERVATION FORM – PLEASE RETURN BY DEADLINE OF FEBRUARY 22, 2011.**

Complete, detach and return to PDG John J. Shwed, 105 Lake Drive, Laurel, DE 19956

Checks payable to **District 22D** - Tickets will be picked up at the door.

Club Name \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

Check enclosed for number attending \_\_\_\_\_ at \$23.00 each = \_\_\_\_\_

List name of attendees below: (Use reverse side if needed)

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DG Karl Gude  
District 22-D  
31822 Hole in the Woods Rd.

