

KEITH'S

22-DELAWARE



BRIEFS

OCTOBER 2006

KEITH L. THOMPSON, District Governor

ED SHORT, Bulletin Editor



Dear Lions, Lioness, and Leos:

Is your Club suffering from the Same Old Same Old Blues? How about Shifting the Paradigm from the Blues to Purple and Gold? Is your Club instituting new or improved Community Service Activities, Fund Raisers, Meeting Changes or Public Relations Images in you local community? Is your Club considering a new Fund Raiser project to assist LCIF in raising funds for Campaign Sight First II? These are all suggestions on how your Club can get out of the Same Old Same Old Blues and Shift that Paradigm.

While on our official visitations we are seeing the Power of the Shift. Clubs are excited about making changes and generating a Club Renewal Feeling. Lions are becoming more and more proud of showing their colors out in the community and letting everyone know that We are the Lions and Hear us ROAR!

Speaking of Shifting and Roaring, I am counting on the Lions of 22-D to supply between 300 and 400 registrants for the 2007 MD 22 Convention to be held at Dover Downs Hotel and Convention Center. While we will be attending the Convention, NASCAR may be conducting test runs of the Car of Tomorrow at the Monster Mile. So watch for the hotel package information to come out in December as only 150 rooms are blocked for the Dover Downs Hotel. Room rates will \$125.00 per night plus tax. So don't be like we usually do and wait until the last minute. Get those registrations in early, otherwise you may be shut out of the Headquarters Hotel.

I had the pleasure of representing the District in a new joint project with the Bank of America (formerly MBNA). The Bank of America installed 50 Eyeglass Collection Boxes at their campus just north of Newark. They conducted the collection over a fifteen-day period and collected more than 160 pair of eyeglasses. It was a nice start to a project that I would like see expanded to encompass all of their facilities in the Wilmington area as well.

When we travel on our official visitations we try to inspire the Lions of District 22-D and answer many of their questions. One question that none of our group knew the answer was the availability of alternative forms of the Lion magazine. We have since learned from Lions International that the Lion magazine is available in Braille and also on audiotape, by request, free of charge. A large print version is not available yet, but we seem to have hit a home run on this request. Working with International Director Joe Gaffigan we may see a large print version of the Lion magazine become a reality.

There are a couple of fast approaching deadlines. The first is the submission of the Peace Posters from your Clubs to the Cabinet by mid November. The second is the submission of the Family Dues application form to Lions International by November 30.

Finally, in our official visitations we have heard discussions regarding fundraisers in a "perceived service area" of another Club or Sub-District. It is only common courtesy to seek permission of the King Lion and or District Governor of the "service area" that your Club desires to conduct a Community Service project or fundraising activity. As in life and in any relationship, good communication now, will solve many problems down the road.

Keep Shifting

Keith

WARNING!! WARNING!! WARNING!!

...THIS BULLETIN COULD BE HAZARDOUS TO YOUR HEALTH...YOU HAVE NOW BEEN WARNED...
THIS LABEL IS REQUIRED AND APPROVED BY THE FDA, NRA, NEA, AAA, USDA AND ANYONE NOT RUNNING FOR POLITICAL OFFICE

KEITH'S BRIEFS CONTAINS SUBLIMINAL MESSAGES

If you are adverse to good food, comradery, fun, karaoke, lion dancing, then this bulletin may be hazardous to your health

As a form of advertising, Bulletin Editor Ed, due to his deranged mental state at times (actually most of the time), is using the unscrupulous and controversial method of subliminal messages to tempt Lions, Lioness and Leos to attend the District Governor's Ball (hereafter referred to as the DG Ball) to be held on Saturday, December 2 at the Dover Sheraton. (Dover DE.....not England) If we were to have over 1600 Lions, Lioness, Leos, spouses, friends and guests attend...how impressive would that be to District Governor Keith. (think: DG Ball)

Get your reservations in for a good time – see more info on another page
RESERVATION DEADLINE: NOVEMBER 22.

22-D HAPPENINS'

WILL YOU BE NEXT ON THE LIONS SPY CAM ?



Bridgeville

Sold food at Apple Scapple

Brookside

Sent 200 sun glasses to Africa. Supported Glasgow YMCA by purchasing brick.

Camden-Wyoming

Preparing for annual Christmas Party for Blind (Dec. 7). Have completed 10 visitations.

Claymont

Raised over \$3,000 with the Fall White Cane three day activity... 44 Lions participated. Christmas tree sales start Dec. 2 and annual Fall Pancake Day on Nov. 18 (see Ad) Phase II of the Bellevue State Park playground project will be installed in Spring of 2007. Actively conducting vision screening.

Delmar

Held a successful Day in the Park activity. Had participants in the Walk for Sight. King Lion was named Delmar's *Citizen of the Year*.

Dover

Assisted with Coastal Cleanup Day on Pickering Beach. Presented official banner to new Capital City Lions. 3 Lions attended the USA/Canadian Forum. Preparing for Chicken Fry on Nov 3 & 4 (see ad). Tickets available for Hunt Family Fiddlers event (see ad). Had info booth at Dover Air Base open house. Assisted with cooking for Special Olympics event at Dover Downs.

Dover Lioness

Sold a total of 180 car raffle tickets

Fenwick Island

Had 66 Lions & guests attend annual club picnic. Held successful Longaberger Basket Bingo fundraiser. Participated in annual Fenwick Island beach cleanup. 8 Lions and 10 Leos completed the project in spite of bad weather. Preparing for Spaghetti Dinner fundraiser. (see Ad) Announced Fall schedule of 14 sites for eye screening.

Frederica Spring Creek

Final preparations for the annual Beef & Dumplings dinner on Nov. 18 (see Ad). Sold 1971 car raffle tickets. (Think: will Cher visit??)

Glasgow

Completed a successful Friendly's Family Night. Completed highway cleanup and had representation at the monster mile *Walk For Sight*. (Think: a lion dance)

Laurel

Participated in LVRFB annual golf tournament. About 25 laurel lions ushered at Dover Downs. Vision Days scheduled. Annual Journey for Sight scheduled at Trap Pond. (see ad)

Lewes

Participated in Coast Day as well as the Apple Scapple. (think: are senior moments allowed?)

Lord Baltimore

Preparing for annual citrus fruit sales. Helped at a local school with traffic control on first day of school. (think: where is Dover anyway??)

Middletown

Lion Shirley Gundrum received the Knights of the Blind Pyramid Award. Installed 3 new members. Pig Roast raised \$750 for the Delaware National Guard and Reserve Emergency Assistance Fund.

Midway



Used trailer to sell Kettle Korn at Coast Day in Lewes. New

members inducted.

Milford

Completed another successful car raffle project. Held peace poster contest through the Boys and Girls Club. (think: will sonny show?)

Milton

Inducted a new member. Helped park cars at Coast Day in Lewes. Sold funnel cakes and lemonade at Apple Scapple in Bridgeville. Have fundraiser scheduled for Roadhouse Steak House (see ad). Preparing for upcoming Smorgasbord (see ad). Representation at



zone meeting,

USA/Canadian Forum, charter night for Capital City Lions and Walk for Sight.

Newark

Held a successful Newark Community Days. Vision days scheduled. Spaghetti Dinner scheduled for Oct 27 (see ad). New entertainment book is now available. Just completed Yankee Candle sale.

Pike Creek

Completed highway cleanup. Raised \$800 at Pike Creek Valley Day. Made about \$400 on computer raffle project. Working on hospital equipment location. Participated in Manor Park activity. (think: who is guest speaker?)

Rehoboth Beach

Recently celebrated their 60th anniversary. Participated in annual Walk for Sight.



Participated at Coast Day and the Beebe Hospital cookout. Selling bags of pecans. Final preparation for Pancake Day Nov. 11 (see ad).

Wilmington Gateway

Sold car raffle tickets at Brandywine Arts Festival. Recently sent a shipment of supplies to Kenya. Still selling basket of cheer tickets..137 already sold. Collected \$411 on a White Cane Day. Preparing for Old Fashioned Lions Breakfast - Nov 11 (see ad).

Wilmington Manor

Assisted with purchase of 2 hearing aides, an eye exam and two wheel chairs as well as assisted a needy family in community.

DIETER'S PARADISE

THE MONTHS OF OCTOBER THROUGH NEXT SEPTEMBER HAVE BEEN DESIGNATED AS NO CALORIE FOOD MONTHS FOR LIONS. THEREFORE ALL LION FOOD ACTIVITIES HAVE NO CALORIES (think: good cooked chicken)

ROADHOUSE FUNDRAISER

Monday, OCT. 23 (all Day)

ROADHOUSE STEAK JOINT
RT. 1, Midway Shopping Center, Rehoboth

Club will receive 10 % of all sales
(with exception of alcohol)

MILTON LIONS

ANNUAL HALLOWEEN PARADE

Wed., OCTOBER 25
Downtown Selbyville

SELBYVILLE-INDIAN RIVER LIONS

SPAGHETTI DINNER

Saturday, November 4

2 pm to 7 pm

Fenwick Crab House (Coastal Hwy)

Adults: \$8 (\$9 at door)
Children \$5 (6-12)

FENWICK ISLAND LIONS

SPAGHETTI DINNER

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27

4 pm - 7 pm

NEWARK SENIOR CENTER

Adults: \$6
Children: \$4

MENU: Salad, Spaghetti w/meatballs
Italian Bread, Desserts plus Coffee & Tea
TAKE OUTS AVAILABLE
NEWARK LIONS

CHICKEN FRY

FRIDAY & SATURDAY
NOVEMBER 3 & 4

11 am to 7 pm

Price: \$6 in advance or \$7 at door
Menu: 1/2 chicken, french fries, baked beans,
roll

Take outs only ... no dining facilities on site
Anyone attending DLF Auction Saturday: stop for lunch or dinner

RODNEY VILLAGE SHOPPING CENTER
DOVER LIONS

41st Annual SMORGASBORD

Saturday, October 28

3 pm - 7:30 pm

H.O. Brittingham Elementary School
Mulberry St., Milton

Adults: \$13
Children under 12: \$5

Take Outs Available

Crab Imperial, Ham, Turkey Salad

MILTON LIONS

DISTRICT BOWLING TOURNAMENT

Sunday, MARCH 4, 2007

Milford Bowling Lanes
Details to Follow

JOURNEY FOR SIGHT

Fundraising Opportunity

Sunday, NOV 5

Trap Pond State Park, Laurel

Registration: 12 pm
Walk/run begins: 1 pm

50% rebate on all funds collected by your organization

In case of inclement weather the event will be held at Laurel H.S. Walk as an individual or participate as a team of 5 or more

Contact: Lion Joy Spicer: 302-875-7419 (home) 302-542-1832 (cell) or at SprDr3954@aol.com

LAUREL LIONS

CLAYTON LIONS 60TH ANNIVERSARY

FRIDAY NOV. 17

DINNER: 7 PM

Dancing till Midnight

Dover Downs Hotel
Ballroom C

\$35 per person

RSVP by October 30

For info contact Lion Angela Lucas at
or see District Web site at www.Lions22D.org

OLD FASHIONED BREAKFAST

SATURDAY, NOV. 11

POLICE ATHLETIC LEAGUE OF WILMINGTON
37TH & Market Street

8 am -12 NOON

\$7

Menu: Pancakes, bacon, sausage, potatoes, eggs, etc.

GATEWAY LIONS

PANCAKE DAY

Saturday, Nov 18

Brandywine Hundred Fire Company
(PENNY HILL)

7:30 am - 12:30 pm

Adults: \$5
Children: \$3

Pancakes, bacon or sausage, beverage
Eggs available for added cost

CLAYMONT LIONS

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Saturday, NOV. 11

8 AM - 11:30 AM

REHOBOTH BEACH FIRE DEPT.

ADULTS: \$5
CHILDREN UNDER 12: \$3.50

PANCAKES, SAUSAGE, SCRAPPLE, BEVERAGES

REHOBOTH BEACH LIONS

BEEF & DUMPLINGS DINNER

Saturday, Nov. 18

Trinity United Methodist Church
Front Street, Frederica

3 pm – 6 pm

Adults & Take Outs: \$10
Children 4-10 \$4
Ages 3 and under free

FREDERICA SPRING CREEK LIONS
Come for a visitation credit



HUNT FAMILY FIDDLERS RETURNING

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27, 2007

7 PM

DOVER SCHWARTZ CENTER

\$25 PER SEAT

Send checks payable to Dover Lions Club to
PDG Ralph Schieferstein, 77 Valery drive
Felton, DE 19943

Credit card sales - \$27 by calling 302-678-5152

Check them out on www.huntfamilyfiddlers.com
DOVER LIONS

INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION 2007 CHICAGO, ILLINOIS JULY 2 THRU JULY 6

Plan Ahead

All venues will be held in one location. Information will be in THE LION magazine as well as on the international web site at www.Lionsclubs.org...go to events and click on convention. Housing will be *Fairmont Chicago*. Bus transportation is being looked into. Register on line.

A MD convention pin has been ordered and will soon be available

There will be an info table at the Governors ball including registration forms, trip brochure and CD's of Boston

(Think: On Dec. 2 we can shout: Live from Dover ...It's Saturday Night)

Bulletin Editor Ed's Paradigms

After 4 months we are adhering to the idea of a "shift of the paradigm". We are making some changes in the way we are handling *Keith's Briefs*. Beginning this month we will e-mail to those on the e-mail list only a brief summary of the bulletin contents with a link to the complete *Keith's Briefs*. at www.lions22d.org. Lion Dick Waughtal is converting the bulletin into a smaller file than I am able to produce with my MacIntosh. Hopefully this will assist those few people who have complained of taking more time than they want to download, as well as those persons with older technology. And on that note: If you are having problems downloading due to older technology or some other reason, most libraries in the state and even the college libraries have computers available to the public with the capabilities of allowing you to download the bulletin to read or print. Also, some clubs are making copies available to their general membership or to those officers with outdated computer technology or who have no computer or web access. **Club Presidents: please let your general membership know they can read *Keith's Briefs* on the district web site at www.lions22d.org. If you do not have a computer take advantage of our public libraries.**

While I am on my soap box: on another note, Even though we are currently mailing about 60 hard copies, each month I continue to get one or two returned by the post office. Some of you have heard the term "going postal" !! My computer (I have to blame it) has made a couple address spelling typos on mailing labels, usually of one letter....but the post office is often taking weeks to return them as incorrect addresses, if they return them at all (or maybe they actually deliver them if the mood strikes them). In most return cases I am finding the address is incorrect in the "green roster book" and no one has notified me, Lion Lee, CS Cheryl or anyone else, thus we all keep using the wrong address until the post office decides to return it. I.e. things such as the correct zip codes with wrong cities and visa versa or people have moved. A prime reason to provide the green roster book is to provide a communications vehicle among the Lions in 22D. But, you need to keep us informed if there are errors or changes. If you are a club officer and are listed in the roster book, please check it for accuracy and let us know if there is an error or has been a change that has not been listed as a correction in *Keith's Briefs*. An error may explain why you are not getting all your lion information. (think: can anyone yodel?) (how do you yodel in karaoke??)

22-DELAWARE WEB SITE

WWW.LIONS22D.ORG

Lion Dick Waughtal, our district web master, has developed an extremely comprehensive web site devoted to 22D Lions information and other information for the good of lionism. This site is continually being updated as well as new features added. This site provides a wealth of information for every lion and non lion in the world who wants to know about 22D lionism. On this page is a synopsis of most items available on the web site. In addition to the links listed below, there is a link to the Lion News Network (LNN) and the Lions Quarterly (LQ) and lions video programs. Keep in mind that both LCI and 22D will be increasing the use of the internet technology in the months and years ahead. If you do not have internet access consider using our county libraries.

SIDE BAR MENU

Membership

Monthly 22D report
District/club statistics report
LCI "How to become a Lions"
New Family Membership plan

Club Meetings

A list of all 22D clubs, meeting days and time

Club Notices

A place to advertise your club, fundraisers, etc (this is your page)

Cabinet Meetings

Archived cabinet minutes

22D Images

Photos from around the district

Club Contests

Rules and regulations on district contests
(also found in green roster book)

Region

Region meeting minutes when available

Zone Meetings

Zone Meeting minutes when available

Multiple District 22

Constitution and By-Laws

In Memory

Dedicated to those 22D District Governors and International Director's who have been called to their eternal rest

Donations

Addresses and contact information for
Delaware Lions Foundation
Lions Vision Research Foundation
Lions Eye Bank of Delaware valley

Protocol

Review of good lion protocol procedures

Archives

2005-2006 Administrative Year

For the Good of Lionism .. hit blue button

Includes those with * under Lions link plus National Federation of Blind

TOP BAR MENU

About Lionism

District 22D
Lions Clubs International
Multiple District

Officers

DG Cabinet
Cabinet Meetings
Cabinet Committees
Regions and Zones

Keith's Briefs

2006-2007 Archived *Keith's Briefs*
2004-2006 Archived *DE-Tails*

District Notices

DG remarks

22D Headline News

District Calendar
DG club visitations
Roster Book changes

Forms

Lions clubs membership application
100% club administrative contest
2006-2007 monthly club service/activities
Lions club license plate application (DE)
Walk for Sight forms

Clubs (a link to 22D clubs with web sites)

Delaware Lions clubs
Lioness clubs
Leo clubs

Lion links (& for the good of lionism *)

22D lion links
Lions Clubs International *
Lions Delaware Lions Foundation *
Leader Dog for Blind *
Lions Eye Bank of Delaware Valley *
Lions Vision Research Foundation *
USA/Canadian Forum *
Official State of Delaware site
LCI yellow pages business directory
MD 22 (other 22 Districts) *

Lions Clubs International

Calendar



DISTRICT 22-D
The International Association of Lions Clubs
2006-2007



We're going to have a party!!!! (think DG Ball)

For: DG Keith Thompson and First Lady PCC Debbie

When: Saturday, December 2, 2006

Where: Dover Sheraton Hotel

Time: Social Hour with Cash Bar.....5:00 PM – 6:15 PM
 Dinner with address by ID Joe Gaffigan6:30 PM – 9:00 PM
 DJ Bob Snyder w/Dancing and Karaoke9:00 PM – Midnight

Meal Selections: Prime Rib and Chicken Marsala, at a cost of \$35.00 per person

RSVP to: PDG Ted and CT Ann Reiver, 1207 Norbee Drive, Wilmington, DE 19803 by
 November 22, 2006

Breakfast: Sunday morning, December 3, 2006, at 8 AM at a cost of \$12/person.
 The Council of Governors' meeting will begin at 9AM following breakfast.

Room Accommodations: Available at the Sheraton Dover Hotel. Cost will be \$89 plus 8% tax. Call 302-678-8500 for reservations; please specify that you are a Lion attending the 22D Governor's Ball. This quoted rate will be available until November 12, 2006.

Let's give DG Keith and First Lady PCC Debbie a big **Thank You** for the work he is doing in 22D. It should be an evening of fun, fellowship and good food.

All clubs have received letters and if you have further questions, please contact me at 302-284-9377 or LionBRyder@comcast.net. Hope to see you all there.

PCS BJ Ryder
 Governor's Ball Chairperson

(think: has anyone seen DG Keith "cut a rug")

OH GREAT ROSTER BOOK CHANGES
August changes were previously published.

Additional Changes as of 9-19-06

- Pg. 3 Murray Ryan, mdLionRyan@comcast.net
Pg. 10 R2 Zone 2 Chuck Sapp, 201 N. Layton Ave., Wyoming, DE 19934 302-697-3330 crsapp@comcast.net
Pg. 37 Fred Hotchkiss, fredhotchkiss@comcast.net
Pg. 39 Larry Gicker, 1765 Red Lion Road
Pg. 40 John McDonnell, dmclavfw@yahoo.com
Pg. 44 John Short, 302-398-8096
Pg. 47 Gerrit VanBurk 302-227-6731
Pg. 53 Talleyville-Naamans, Dinner meeting 1st Monday of month Only
Pg. 53 Alan McClements, Smyrna, DE
Pg. 54 Harold Wilbur 654-0939
Stanley Lawruk tkakestan@aol.com
Pg. 55 Cathy Parker, 30293 Seaford Rd.
Pg. 57 Lion Many Slody...delete Address

Additional Changes as of 10-19-06

- Pg. 12 Karl Gude, 31822 Hole in the Woods Rd., Ocean View DE 19970
Pg. 18 Jim Littleton, littletonj7@peoplepc.com
Pg. 36 Bridgeville, St. Mary's Parish House, Bridgeville
Pg. 38 Eli Ramos 302-249-5073
Pg. 46 Thomas Engel, Lewes, DE 19958
Pg. 65 VI Visitations: based on March 31, 2006 International Membership (as listed in roster book)

DRUM ROLL PLEASE !!!!

CAR RAFFLE RESULTS

The winners were drawn on October 14, 2006 at the Apple Scrapple in Bridgeville. It is reported that Bulletin Editor Ed, who left the event early, waited by the phone till 3 am for a call that he had won But, then cried for about 12 hours when he realized he was not going to get the call.....boo hoo. He said he has ticket stubs he will sell for \$1 each to someone wanting a souvenir they could be used as Christmas stocking stuffers

1st prize: 2006 Dodge Charger SXT, Ticket #065004

Lisa Bortz, Hagerstown, MD

Ticket purchased from the Sharpsburg Lions, 22-W, she is a member of the club

2nd Prize - \$5,000, Ticket # 038120

Walter Little, McLean, VA

Ticket purchased from Rehoboth Lions, 22D, he is a summer member of that club

3rd Prize -- \$3,000, Ticket # 054419

Nancy Flanagan, Odenton, MD

Ticket purchased from East Anne Arundel Lions, 22-A

4th Prize - \$2,000. Ticket # 036376

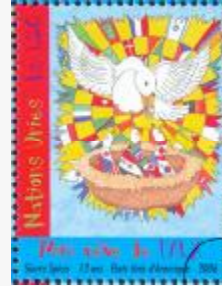
Suzanne Leavelle, Lewes, DE

Ticket purchased from Midway Lions 22-D (John Eaton)

BRIDGEVILLE LIONS MEETING LOCATION
EFFECTIVE NOV. 2 -- 7 PM

ST. MARY'S PARISH HOUSE
101 N. WILLIAM ST.,
BRIDGEVILLE, DE

LEO SIERRA SPICER A WINNER



Leo Sierra Spicer's peace poster was recently selected by the United Nations for one of six postage stamps to commemorate the 2006 "International Day of Peace". Her poster was selected from 24 merit finalists out of 350,000 worldwide entries. You can view the selections and order stamps at www.unstamps.un.org or search under United Nations postal Administration. See entire press release on our web site at www.lions22D.org, under "headline news".

THE LION MAGAZINE

AVAILABLE IN BRAILLE OR AUDIO TAPE

Lions Clubs International has recently informed the district that braille or audio tape versions of the Lions magazine are available.

King Lions are requested to check with their membership to see if anyone would benefit from having the magazine in one of these forms.

To avoid duplication of requests, the request should go through the King Lion of each club. To receive a Braille or Audio tape version of the magazine contact: Dane.Lajoye@lionsclubs.org.
(think: do you know how to do hokey pokey?)

Think: does the District Governor prefer chicken or prime rib ???

REMEMBER: TO PUT YOUR BUBBLE GUM ON THE BEDPOST OVERNIGHT

2007 WINTER CRUISE

MARCH 3 – MARCH 10

The Royal Caribbean --The Legend of the Seas

Visit: Grand Cayman, Costa Maya, Belize City & Cozumel

Sponsored by the Lions Eye Bank of Delaware Valley

Go to their web site www.lebdv.org for more specific info or to their web site through www.lions22d.org.

LIONS CABINET POSITION VACANT

CHAIRPERSON
YOUTH OUTREACH/LEO LIAISON/QUEST

If you know of someone who might be willing to assume the responsibilities for the above position contact DG Keith

Annual Eye Bank Calendar Raffle

Drawings are from Jan. 1 to June 30

Cash Prizes awarded daily

Cost; Tickets are \$35 EACH WITH CLUB KEEPING

\$5. Tickets have been sent to all King Lions.

Contact Althea Fogel at 1-800-743-6667 if you did not get yours or need more.

SHADOWING DG KEITH

SHADOWING DG KEITH

NOVEMBER

1	LORD BALTIMORE
2	WILMINGTON GATEWAY
4	CAPITAL CITY
6	PIKE CREEK VALLEY
8	DELAWARE CITY
9	LAUREL
27	NEW CASTLE HUNDRED
28	SMYRNA

DEADLINE

FOR NEXT KEITH'S BRIEFS

5 PM

NOVEMBER 20

LION ED SHORT
140 CANN ROAD
NEWARK, DE 19702
302-834-0310

E-MAIL: LIONEDD@AOL.COM

HAVE YOU SEEN THESE LITTLE ALUMINUM TABS ??



Lion Al O'Neill has been collecting these little can tabs for years, turning in 9 or 10 five gallon buckets full each year. However, either Lions are not drinking as much or have just not turned in their collection as yet. He has received a lot fewer tabs to date. Contact lion Al at Rhobo47@aol.com or at 834-4091 to arrange for a collection time. The tabs are turned in to the Ronald McDonald House that in turn cashes them in to help with their funding. (think: anyone for the chicken dance ?) (what about the people who ordered steak?)

DO YOU HAVE ANY ITEMS FOR AFRICA ?

Lion Al O'Neill is putting together another trailer load of non perishable items to go to Africa. If interested in making a donation give Lion Al a call at 834-4091 or on e-mail at Rhobo47@aol.com.

(think: what are you suppose to remember on Dec. 2).

CLUB SECRETARY REMINDER

THE CERTIFICATION DEADLINE FOR THE NEW FAMILY DUES IS UPON US....November 30.

CHECK INTERNATIONAL WEB SITE FOR CERTIFICATION FORMS.

NEW DUES STRUCTURE STARTS JAN. 1 FOR THOSE QUALIFIED & CERTIFIED LIONS.

THE FAMILY CIRCUS



"Daddy, what does lion meat taste like?"

LIONS TRIVIA

From Lions history

Our founder, Melvin Jones, was born at Fort Thomas, Arizona on January 13, 1879. His father was a captain in the United States Army, commanding a troop of scouts under General Nelson Miles, the famed Indian fighter. His mother bore and nurtured her infant son under the constant threat of Indian raids.

Fort Thomas was an outpost, a short forty miles from the Apache stronghold. Only three years before Melvin's birth a band of Sioux Indians surrounded and massacred General Custer's band of scouts in Montana. Now, in Arizona, the Apaches were making their last stand against the white man's encroachment.

Melvin's boyhood memories were a mixture of horses, blue-clad troopers, bugles, war cries, wagon trains, settlers and dust. Melvin's father was transferred north when Melvin was a lad of seven.

DISTRICT WEB SITE

WWW.LIONS22D.ORG

RETURNED

THE BROOKSIDE AND GLASGOW LIONS HAVE NOW RETURNED TO THE GLASS KITCHEN FOR MEETINGS AFTER AN EXTENSIVE RENOVATION. VISITATIONS ARE WELCOME.

WANTED !! LION SECRETS !!

Take advantage of Keith's Briefs to publicize your Lions fundraisers. Some of those listed this month were gleaned from Club bulletins and e-mails to club officers to obtain complete information. Also, your activities can be publicized on the district web site by contacting web master, Lion Dick Waughtal at walktall@comcast.net. (think: what color outfit will the first lady wear on Dec. 2 ??)

DID YOU KNOW ??

The shortest distance between any Lion, Lioness or Leo Club in Delaware to the Governor's Ball in Dover IS a straight line...hope to see you all there.....a little Geometry humor.

LIONS WALK MONSTER MILE

167 persons walked the monster mile with about \$7000 made for the Lions Foundation. Auction on Nov. 4 at St. Andrews Church in Dover 12 – 3 pm. Donations to Lion Karl Gude by October 25.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT

CHECK WITH LION KARL GUDE FOR ANY QUESTIONS ON THE NEW FAMILY PROGRAM STILL NEEDS ABOUT A THIRD OF CLUB MEMBERSHIP REPORTS. PAPERWORK FOR NEXT BILLING CYCLE NEEDS TO BE TO INTERNATIONAL BY NOV. 30. FULL MEMBERSHIP REPORT AT WWW.LIONS22D.ORG.