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by January 15, 2008*

International President  
2007-2008



Mahendra Amarasuriya

The International Association of Lions Clubs  
300 W. 22nd Street  
Oak Brook, IL 60523-8843

## DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S CALENDAR

JANUARY 2008						
SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
GLAUCOMA AWARENESS MONTH		1 NEW YEAR'S DAY	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9 7:00 PM Liverpool	10 6:30 PM Marysville Lions/ Lioness	11	12
◀ LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL WEEK ▶						
13 MELVIN JONES BIRTHDAY	14 MLK BIRTHDAY	15 NEWS ARTICLES DUE	16	17 6:30 PM Millerstown	18	19
				◀ EXTENSION WORKSHOP ▶		
20	21 6:30 PM Oberlin	22 6:30 PM Lawnton- Oakleigh	23	24	25	26
27	28 6:30 PM Millersburg	29	30	31		

FEBRUARY 2008						
SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
					1 State Council Meeting – Plains	2 GROUNDHOG DAY
3 State Council Meeting Plains	4	5	6	7	8	9
10 14-T Cabinet Meeting Chambersburg	11 6:30 PM West Hanover	12 6:30 PM Fayette	13	14 6:30 PM Penbrook VALENTINE'S DAY	15 NEWS ARTICLES DUE	16
17	18 7:00 PM Shermans Dale PRESIDENTS' DAY	19 6:15 PM Hershey	20 6:30 PM Rye Twp.	21	22	23
24	25 6:30 PM Penn Gardens	26 6:30 PM East Hanover	27	28 6:15 PM Middletown	29	

MARCH 2008						
SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
EYE DONOR AWARENESS MONTH						1
2	3 6:30 PM Susquehanna Township	4	5	6	7	8
9 DAYLIGHT SAVINGS BEGINS	10 6:30 PM Steelton	11 6:30 PM Chambers Hill	12	13 6:30 PM Blain	14 30TH ANNUAL LIONS DAY AT UNITED NATIONS	15 NEWS ARTICLES DUE
16	17 ST. PATRICK'S DAY	18 6:30 PM Sand Hill	19	20 7:00 PM Landisburg	21	22
23 EASTER	24 6:15 PM Hummelstown	25	26	27 6:30 PM Paxtang	28	29
30	31					

## DISTRICT GOVERNOR FRANK'S MESSAGE

Frank A. Wedig, District Governor 14-T  
2524 Boas Street • Harrisburg, PA 17103-2061  
E-Mail: [fawedig@aol.com](mailto:fawedig@aol.com)

January 2008

Fellow Lions, Lionesses and Leos,

The beginning of the year is a wonderful time as it causes us to start anew in planning for the rebirth of all things. We envision the growth of our families, the prospects of continued success in our careers and a new faith in our way of life. As Lions we continue to work together ensuring our ability to be of service to others.

Many opportunities will present themselves to District 14T during 2008. We have been very successful during the first half of this Lions year on many fronts, especially regarding membership and retention. Our numbers reinforce our belief of an increase in membership. This will be the first increase for our district in ten years.

This month, our district, will host a long-awaited Extension Workshop. Lions Clubs International will provide the leadership and training of our MERL Team and other interested Lions. The result will be at least one new Lions Club.

We have much to be proud of and thankful for as a member of our individual Lions, Lioness or Leo Clubs. Our history is great, our current service relevant and our hopes and dreams for the continuation of our "WE SERVE" movement is very determined. Let us build tomorrow together.

Thank you for your service to others and remember "SEEING IS BELIEVING."

Sincerely,



Frank



## LIONESS NEWS

LIONESS MARGIE STOFFER, LIONESS NEWS EDITOR



We Serve, Too

Happy New Year to everyone. Gosh where did 2007 creep away so quickly? We hope this new year will find us all doing a little more to “**Help Those Less Fortunate**” as we begin the second half of the 2007-2008 Lion/Lioness year.

**BUCHANAN LIONESS:** They continue to add members to their club with new member **Janel Shatzer sponsored by Louise Stouffer and Linda Richardson by Judi Kelsey.** They had a successful “**Brown**

**Bag Bingo,**” put luminaries in the cemetery with the help of the Cub Scouts. Attended the Mercersburg Lions Christmas party and enjoyed their own Christmas party. They are looking forward to their many projects in the new year and will start making plans for their Dog Show/Strawberry Fest.

**GREENCASTLE-ANTRIM LIONESS:** They too continue to be very active in their community. Their project for December was “**Giving A Family Christmas.**” A family could not afford to get gifts for their two little girls and they bought gifts for them rather than exchange among themselves. They continue to have Bingo monthly at Heritage Hills. They also contributed \$1,000 to the Playground, \$1,000 to the Fire Company and a Christmas donation to their faithful waitress. They continue to be busy with their volunteering in the community.

**LOWER PAXTON LIONESS:** Their project for December was taking Slippers to the patients at a local nursing home and helping a needy family. With the new year, the candy making will begin for Easter so they will be a busy group. They are also in high gear for the Fashion Show which will be held in March. They had a slightly lower sales of wreaths this year but appreciated those who purchased them. Their members continue to volunteer in many different places with a total of 268 hours for the month. They lost another of their Charter Members with the death of **Lioness Dottie Reichert.**

**MARYSVILLE LIONESS:** They are busy as usual helping with the Lions/Lioness Christmas Party, the Marysville Food Bank Project. They had another successful “**Hoss’s Day,**” had their Christmas Party and attended the Lions Christmas Party. They are now in the process of getting ready for one of their big projects which is “**Gifts From The Heart**” in February, they give approximately 50 food baskets to needy families in Marysville. They also lost one of their faithful members, **Lioness Betty McQuaid.**

**WAYNESBORO LIONESS:** They also are a busy group of Lioness. They also put luminaries in the cemetery, served hot chocolate to everyone at the Christmas Tree lighting and their December project was providing children’s underwear, sweatshirts and socks to the Welfare Association. They attended the Lions Christmas Party and held their own. They will be starting a new fundraiser by selling coupons to a local grocery store for Subs/Hoagies. They continue to collect used eye glasses, pet coupons, magazines and provide birthday cards and gifts to the residents of South Mountain.

Thought for the month: “*Happiness is not a destination, it is a method of life*” – Burton Hills

**DON'T FORGET TO SHARE THIS NEWSLETTER WITH YOUR FELLOW MEMBERS!**

## 3RD 2007-2008 DISTRICT 14-T CABINET MEETING

FOUR POINTS SHERATON, CHAMBERSBURG, PA  
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2008

12:30 PM – 1:00 PM Past District Governor’s Meeting .....Falling Waters Room, East  
12:30 PM – 1:00 PM District Governor’s Meeting with  
Club Presidents & Secretaries .....Falling Waters Room, West  
1:00 PM – 2:00 PM Lioness Meeting .....Falling Waters Room, East  
1:00 PM – 2:00 PM District 14-T Executive Session .....Falling Waters Room, East  
2:00 PM – 4:00 PM District 14-T Cabinet Meeting .....Falling Waters Room, East

**Since there is no meal involved, reservations are not necessary.  
We look forward to seeing all Lions, Lioness, and Leos at the meetings!**

## CHANGES IN TAX LAWS WILL AFFECT ALL LIONS CLUBS

VDG JOAN SLEESMAN

It’s short, easy and electronic – and it’s the law! It’s the new E-Postcard. Don’t lose your tax exempt status; be sure to file your e-Postcard. **NO CLUB IS EXEMPT FROM FILING.**

### Who has to file?

If you are a small tax-exempt organization that normally has annual gross receipts of \$25,000 or less and does not have to file Form 990 or 990-EZ, you must file the e-Postcard (also known as 990-N).

### When do you have to file?

You must file by the 15th day of the fifth month after the close of our tax year. Lions Clubs operate on a fiscal year, July 1 to June 30, and the e-Postcard will be due by November 15, 2008.

### What information does your club need to provide on the e-Postcard?

- your club’s name.
- any other names your club uses.
- your club’s mailing address.
- a Web address if one exists.
- your club’s employer identification number (EIN).
- organization’s annual tax period.
- name and address of the principal officer and
- a statement confirming the organization’s annual gross receipts are normally \$25,000 or less.

### What happens if you don’t file?

You risk losing your tax-exempt status! Any Lions Club that fails to meet its annual reporting requirement for three consecutive years automatically loses its tax-exempt status under the law. You can be taxed for any and all income received during the three years you did not report.

### Why is the IRS calling it an e-Postcard?

Because it’s as simple as sending a postcard and it’s electronic.

### Need more information?

Go to [www.irs.gov/eo](http://www.irs.gov/eo) for complete details. You can sign up for a free newsletter to receive up-to-date information posted on the charity pages.

## ARE YOU READY FOR A GOOD TIME?

PDG JAN ADAMS, CONVENTION CHAIR

Committee: Lions Bill Knerr, Chuck Frank, Tom Hoffmaster, Joann Williams  
IPDG Pete Van Zandt, PCC Terry Musselman

No, we're not talking about football – it's the District 14-T Convention April 11-13, 2008!

Good fun, good fellowship, good learning experiences, good speakers and an escape from reality into the "World of Pirates" at Saturday night's Rally/Banquet.

We are honored to have the **Honorable Ed Marsico Jr.**, Dauphin Co. District Attorney, as our keynote speaker Saturday morning. Whether you start the weekend with the Golf outing Friday, Leo Appreciation event Friday evening or Saturday's many activities, you are sure to hit the convention road running!

We are pleased to announce a first time ever, **Club President's Appreciation, complete with a full breakfast – breakfast is complimentary to Lion/Lioness/Leo Presidents**, Sunday morning (others encouraged to attend at the reasonable cost of only \$8.00). Another meaningful Necrology service Sunday morning and at your request, we brought back a Lioness session on Saturday morning. A new, refreshing spin has been put into our seminars by having a new variety of Lions as presenters. The cost for the Rally dinner (\$23.00) and sleeping room (\$83.00) is the same as last year – no increase and there is no charge for the Vice District Governor luncheon on Saturday. Voting takes place Sunday morning for the 2008-09 District Governor and Region III Convention representative. Each Club will be receiving a complete Convention packet the end of January. Be sure to look over the various flyers, registration form and information and share it with all club members. See why this is going to be an exciting Convention weekend! (Please see registration form in this newsletter).

**Please note Deadlines:** Sleeping room: **March 11, 2008** (make reservations direct with Comfort Suites, Carlisle 717-960-1000). Registration forms: **March 30, 2008**.

## EXTENSION TRAINING WORKSHOP

PDG BILL "TUT" TUTTLE, EXTENSION CHAIR

Starting a New Lions Club or 'Extension' as mentioned at the November Cabinet Meeting and in the December District Newsletter, is not a one-person job. District Governor Frank has set a goal of two new clubs in this District. As mentioned in last month's District Newsletter all the ingredients are there; we just need your help identifying them. To help us with this "identification process," District Governor Frank has invited the Extension Trainers from LCI to put on a 3-day Workshop in January at the State Office. The dates are January 17, 18, and 19, and LCI is putting on this workshop at no cost to us just to help us get started. **This 'workshop program' is a proven success that has produced new clubs where it has been tried.**

District Governor Frank would like your support; we have everything to gain and nothing to lose, so let's give it a try. We are inviting all who are interested in learning more, or have any contacts or ideas on starting a new club. Please get your reservations in early to Extension Chair, PDG Bill Tuttle, at 561-8185 phone / [jnbttuttle@cs.com](mailto:jnbttuttle@cs.com) email, or you can contact me if you have any questions.

## REG. III CONVENTION COMMITTEE POSITION AVAILABLE

PDG JAN ADAMS, CONVENTION CHAIR

Any Lion interested in the 4-year term of Region III Representative on the Convention Committee (July 1, 2008-June 2111), will need to send a letter of intent to District Governor Frank and Convention Chairperson PDG Jan Adams. The letter would need to be received prior to the February 10 Cabinet meeting. To date, one Lion has submitted a letter, however more than one Lion's name can be placed on the ballot for voting at the April 2008 District 14-T Convention.

## THE RESULTS ARE IN!

VDG JOAN SLEESMAN

Our thanks go to the following clubs for their participation in the District 14-T Peace Poster Contest:

- Chambersburg Evening Lions Club
- Greencastle Lions Club
- Greene Township Lions Club
- Hummelstown Lions Club
- Lower Paxton Township Lioness Club
- Path Valley Lions Club
- Upper Dauphin Area Lions Club.

Judging was furnished by members of the Harrisburg Art Association on November 17. Winners selected were:

- **1st Place, Devon Reigle**, age 13, from Linglestown Middle School, sponsored by the Lower Paxton Township Lioness Club.
- **2nd Place, Soo-Hyun Lee**, age 11, from Chambersburg Area Middle School, sponsored by the Greene Township Lions Club.
- **3rd Place, Morgan Burdge**, age 12, from Fannette-Metal School District, sponsored by the Path Valley Lions Club.

Devon's poster was entered into the Multiple District 14 judging and received an honorable mention. All clubs will have their entries returned to them at the February Cabinet Meeting in Chambersburg. It would be really great if all three of our District winners, Devon, Soo-Hyun and Morgan, could also attend and receive their prizes.

Thanks again to those clubs who took the time and effort to participate.



*Harrisburg Art Association judges seated (l-r) Carrie Wissler-Thomas with 3rd place winner, Brook Lauer with 2nd place winner, Terrie Hosey with 1st place winner, standing is VDG Joan Slesman. (photo submitted by Lion John Petrina)*

**DON'T FORGET TO SHARE YOUR CLUB'S NEWS!**

## UPDATE ON THE TRI-COUNTY ASSOCIATION FOR THE BLIND

### PDG SARAH CLARK, CHAIR

I hope all of you have had a great holiday season. Now it's time to get to work again! I am taking this opportunity to ask that you keep the date of April 18, 2008 free for the **Annual Visions of Monte Carlo** event. The event will be held at the Holiday Inn East, 4751 Lindle Rd., Harrisburg, PA, beginning at 6:00 PM. When you arrive you will be treated to:

Roasted Turkey Breast Carving Station with Rolls and accompaniments  
Mashed Potato Bar (served in margarita glasses with your choice of accompaniments)  
Veggies/Dip, Cheese & Cracker Station, and Fruit

During the evening you will have

Italian Meatballs, Coconut Shrimp, and Chicken Skewers (served butler style)


The Dessert of the evening will be a Chocolate Fondue Fountain with Sliced Fruits, Strawberries, Pound Cake, and Pretzel Rods.

Cash Bar (free soda)

You will enjoy gaming like Black Jack, roulette, craps, poker, and five slots. While this is all fun, you can win play money for prizes at the end of the evening.

You will find a silent auction going on for real money; and as part of our fundraiser, a short live auction will start at 6:45 PM and include such things as, travel, hotels and personal chef experiences.

It is an evening of fun and also an opportunity for you to network with people who work and believe in helping the visually impaired. This is an excellent opportunity to reward a Lion/Lioness in your club for what they do by sending that President, Secretary or another individual who has earned a "Thank you." The tickets are only \$50 and you can get them by sending a check to Tri-County Association for the Blind, Memo: Monte Carlo Event. TCAB will send the ticket(s) to you and then you can reward that deserving individual(s) by presenting it at a club meeting. This is a great way to "Thank a Lion/Lioness" and also a way to help one of your District Projects, Tri-County Association for the Blind.

I hope to see your club represented at the event. Let's see how many clubs we can get and please remember that District 14-T Lions/  Lioness are a sponsor of this event.

## DG FRANK WEDIG SHOWS APPRECIATION



*On December 3, 2007 DG Frank Wedig presented a Document of Appreciation to the Penbrook Borough Council for all the support councils have given the Penbrook Lions Club over the past 60 plus years..*

## 2008 DIABETES BOWLATHON

### LION KATHY FOUSE, BOWLATHON CHAIR

March is just around the corner – now is the time to start getting your teams organized and start collecting those donations or pledges for our annual Diabetes Bowlathon.

Help our Region Coordinators make this year's bowlathon a huge success – whether you bowl, raise money in another manner, or simply make a Club donation – let's make this year a 100% participation year!

And don't forget to remind those making donations that all money raised stays right here – in our own District – to be used toward Diabetes education and research. Someday it may be the money we raise that eliminates blindness caused by Diabetic Retinopathy!

If you have any questions, please contact me at [lionkathy14-T@comcast.net](mailto:lionkathy14-T@comcast.net) or 717-695-0943 or contact your Region Coordinator. Region Bowlathons scheduled to date:

#### Region I – Lion Mary Ann Sukley

717-350-0746

To Be Announced

#### Region III – Lion George Mullen

717-582-2564

To Be Announced

#### Region II – Lion Salli Miller

717-695-0490

March 1, 2008, 12:30 PM, \$10.00

ABC East, Harrisburg

#### Region IV – Lion Jim Davis

717-762-7673

March 15, 2008, 1:00 PM

Sunshine Lanes, Rouzerville

## COMMUNITY SERVICE HIGHLIGHTS

**Greencastle-Antrim Lioness** – in lieu of a gift exchange, they helped a needy family.

**Ickesburg Lions** – donated to the Children's Fund for holiday gifts for foster children in Perry County.

**Marysville Lions and Lioness** – hosted a Christmas Party for the children of their community, providing gifts and refreshments.

**Penbrook Lions** – in lieu of a gift exchange, they purchased gifts for the residents of a local nursing home.

**Upper Dauphin Lions** – provided gifts for needy students from UDA Elementary and Middle Schools.

*Share your Club's Community Service Highlights!*

## THANK YOU!

### VDG JOAN SLEESMAN

My deepest thanks to those members of District 14-T who attended the November Cabinet Meeting and accepted my nomination to be District Governor in 2008-2009. I will be contacting some members of the district to help form the "team" our Incoming International President Al Brandel is going to manage. 1st International VP Brandel, who is from Melville, New York, is a huge fan of the New York Mets baseball team and he is stressing "team" players for all Lions Clubs.

**NOTE FROM YOUR EDITOR:** The list of websites will return. Please send me your current web address – and don't forget to keep those websites up-to-date with all your valuable information!

## 14-T DISTRICT DIRECTORY CORRECTIONS/CHANGES

Page 76 (E-MAIL CHANGE)  
**Cave Joan (Lioness)**  
 joancave@embarqmail.com

### NEW MEMBERS

The members of District 14-T are pleased to welcome:

CLUB	NEW MEMBER	SPONSOR
Buchanan Lioness	Lioness Janet Shatzer	Lioness Louise Stouffer
	Lioness Linda Richardson	Lioness Judi Kelsey
Landisburg Lions	Lion Janet Wagner	Lion Phyllis Lyons
	Lion Dietrich Gilbert	PDG Samuel Wagner
	Lion Cathy Gilbert	Lion Mary Wagner
Marysville Lions	Lion Shirley Messinger	Lion George Askins
Middle Paxton Lions	Lion Julie Seeds	Lion James Fisher
Penbrook Lions	Lion Joe Hile	Lion Walter Hafer Jr.
	Lion Kathleen Kelly	Lion Mary Hafer

### WITH SYMPATHY

Our prayers and deepest sympathy to the families and friends of:

Lower Paxton Lioness	Lioness Dottie Reichert
Marysville Lioness	Lioness Betty McQuaid
Paxtang Lions	Lion Wayne Riddle
Penbrook Lions	Lion Donald Straw Sr.

### IMPORTANT DATES

*(Also see inside front cover for District Governor's Calendar)*

#### INTERNATIONAL:

June 23-27, 2008 .....International Convention, Bangkok, Thailand

#### STATE:

February 1-3, 2008 .....State Council Mtg., Woodlands Inn, Plains

May 15-18, 2008 .....State Convention, Holiday Inn Meadowlands, Washington

#### DISTRICT:

January 17, 18, 19, 2008.....Extension Workshop, State Office Building

February 10, 2008 .....3rd Cabinet Meeting, Four Points Sheraton, Chambersburg

\*April 11-13, 2008.....District Convention, Comfort Suites, Carlisle

\*April 13, 2008 .....4th Cabinet Meeting, Comfort Suites, Carlisle

#### ZONE:

February 12, 2008 .....Region III - Zone B, Lions Den, McAlisterville

February 13, 2008 .....Region II - Zones A&B, Old Country Buffet

February 19, 2008 .....\*\* Region III - Zone A, Marysville Lions Club

February 20, 2008 .....\*\* Region IV - Zone B, Family Traditions Lighthouse Restaurant

February 21, 2008 .....Region I - Zones A&B, Oberlin Lions Building

February 25, 2008 .....Region IV - Zone A, Antrim House

May 22, 2008 .....Region I - Zones A&B, Location TBA

May (TBA), 2008 .....Region IV - Zone B, Lurgan Township Building

\* NOTE CHANGE

\*\* NOTE UPDATE – contact your Zone Chair for more details

Visit us at: [www.palions14t.pa.net](http://www.palions14t.pa.net)

## UPCOMING CLUB EVENTS

**EVERY WEDNESDAY NIGHT – Steelton Lions** – Bingo, 310 S. Front St., Steelton; 7:00 PM, offering Early Bird Blackout Bonanza at 6:00 PM, old fashion hardcards and chips with paper specials; contact Lion Dick Shroy at 717-939-5775

**EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT – Upper Dauphin Lions** – Bingo, Elizabethville Borough Building, N. Market Street, Elizabethville; doors open at 5:00 PM, Early Bird at 6:50 PM; to volunteer contact Lion Grace at 717-362-3816

**EVERY MONTH – Oberlin Lions** – Sub orders due 1st Thursday of each month, delivery the following Thursday (except July and August); contact Lion Dick at 717-939-6559

**EVERY MONTH – Marysville Lioness** – Sub orders due 2nd Wednesday of each month, delivery the following Wednesday; contact Lioness Patti at 717-957-3296

**JANUARY 1, 2008 – Penbrook Lions** – Serving a FREE Pork and Sauerkraut Dinner to borough residents and guests, Penbrook Community Building; 11:30 AM-2:30 PM; to volunteer contact PDG Sarah Clark at 717-234-0275

**JANUARY 1, 2008 – Richfield Lions** – Annual Sauerkraut Dinner, County Line Restaurant on Rt. 35 outside Richfield; 11:00 AM-2:00 PM

**JANUARY 5-MARCH 28, 2008 – Shermans Dale Lions** – Block Shoot, Shermans Dale Lions Club Park, Dark Hollow Rd.; Saturdays 6:00 PM; \$1.25 per shot in meat rounds, \$3.00 per shot in bonus round; \$25.00 for 4 shots in all 5 rounds; contact Lion Lester (Kip) Anderson at park phone 717-582-7390

**FEBRUARY 16, 2008 – Paxtang Lions** – Annual Pancake Breakfast, Paxtang Borough Building Gym; 6:30 AM-1:00 PM; 11 yrs and up-\$5.00, 6-10 yrs.-\$3.00, 5 yrs. and under-free; contact PDG Dave Colestock at 717-564-0567

**MARCH 22, 2008 – Penbrook Lions** – Annual Easter Egg Hunt; 10:00 AM; Penbrook Community Park, contact Lion Nancy Dimeler at 717-238-0678

**APRIL 5, 2008 – Penbrook Lions** – Old Fashion Roast Beef Dinner, Community Building; 4:00-7:00 PM; 12 yrs. and up-\$8.00; 5-11 yrs.-\$5.00, 4 yrs. and under-free; includes dessert; contact PDG Sarah Clark at 717-234-0275



*We Are Seeking Recruits!*

### AHOY MATEY

Join Capt. Frank as  
 "We-Dig For Buried Treasure"  
 in the Port of Carlisle  
 on April 12, 2008

*There will be fellowship, food and fun for everyone.  
 Pirate attire is encouraged.  
 "X" marks the spot ... shovels provided!*



## BOWLATHONS

#### REGION I:

TBA

#### REGION II:

March 1, 2008, 12:30 PM, \$10  
 ABC East, Harrisburg

#### REGION III:

TBA

#### REGION IV:

March 15, 2008, 1:00 PM  
 Sunshine Lanes, Rouzerville

**DON'T FORGET TO SHARE YOUR CLUB'S EVENTS**



# 18th ANNUAL DISTRICT 14-T CONVENTION

Comfort Suites Carlisle

10 South Hanover Street • Carlisle, PA 17013

717-960-1000

April 11-12-13, 2008



## OFFICIAL REGISTRATION FORM

(PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT LEGIBLY)

Each Lion, Lioness, Leo and Guest must have a separate Registration Form, even if voting is the only attendance activity. (Reproduce this form as needed.)

CHECK ONE →  PDG  Lion  Lioness  Leo  Advisor  Guest

CLUB	AMOUNT SUBMITTED		
	<input type="checkbox"/> DINNER	<input type="checkbox"/> LIONESS BREAKFAST	<input type="checkbox"/> PRESIDENT'S BREAKFAST \$
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	TELEPHONE NUMBER	
STREET	CITY	ZIP CODE	

PLEASE CHECK BOXES OF INTEREST • SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR EVENT/SEMINAR DESCRIPTIONS

ACTIVITIES FOR FRIDAY, APRIL 11	LOCATION	TIME	COST
<input type="checkbox"/> PDG Memorial Golf Tournament		8:00 am shotgun	Enclosed Form
<input type="checkbox"/> (1) Leo Appreciation Evening (Leos, Prospective Leos, Leo Advisors and Committee members)	Dickinson/Thorpe	7:00 pm-10:00 pm	Details TBA
ACTIVITIES FOR SATURDAY, APRIL 12			
REGISTRATION/CERTIFICATION	Lower Level Lobby	7:30 am-10:00 am	
<input type="checkbox"/> (2) Lioness Session (Breakfast) (see flyer)	Wilson	8:00 am- 9:00 am	\$6.00
<input type="checkbox"/> (3) I'm Thinking About Being a District Governor	Library	8:30 am- 9:30 am	
<input type="checkbox"/> (4) President & Secretary Seminar	Dickinson	8:30 am- 9:30 am	
<input type="checkbox"/> (5) Practical Technology for Lions Clubs	Dickinson	9:30 am-10:30 am	
<input type="checkbox"/> (6) Keynote Speaker – Honorable Edward M. Marsico Jr. Dauphin County District Attorney	Dickinson/Thorpe	10:45 am-11:45 am	
<input type="checkbox"/> VDG's Luncheon (N/C but Ticket required)	Gas Grill	12:15 pm- 1:15 pm	
<input type="checkbox"/> (7) Enhancing the Lions Image	Dickinson	1:15 pm- 2:15 pm	
<input type="checkbox"/> (8) Orientation – New and Refresher	Dickinson	2:30 pm- 3:30 pm	
<input type="checkbox"/> (9) Plotting a Course to New Service Projects	Dickinson	3:30 pm- 4:30 pm	
<input type="checkbox"/> Caucus	Wilson	4:30 pm- 4:45 pm	
<input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality-Reception	Lower Level Lobby	5:30 pm- 6:30 pm	Cash Bar
<input type="checkbox"/> Rally Celebration Banquet	Heritage Ballroom	Buffet 6:30 pm	\$23.00 pp
ACTIVITIES FOR SUNDAY, APRIL 13			
REGISTRATION/CERTIFICATION	Lower Level Lobby	7:30 am- 9:15 am	
<input type="checkbox"/> Voting	Thorpe/Blaine	8:00 am- 9:30 am	Delegates Only
<input type="checkbox"/> Club President's Appreciation Breakfast (see flyer)	Dickinson	8:00 am- 9:00 am	\$8.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Necrology Service	Blain/Wilson	9:30 am-10:30 am	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cabinet Meeting	Blain/Wilson	10:45 am	

### NOTE:

Registration Forms are due **on or before March 30, 2008**. Please send forms and checks to:  
Lion Bill Knerr, Convention Treasurer, 868 Buttermilk Court, Harrisburg, PA 17111

Make checks payable to: **District 14-T Convention**.

Rally Banquet \$23.00, Lioness Breakfast \$6.00,

Club President's Breakfast \$8.00 (There is NO charge for Club Presidents).

# EVENT/SEMINAR TOPICS DESCRIPTIONS

## (1) LEO APPRECIATION EVENING

FRIDAY, 7:00 pm-10:00 pm

Chairperson: Lion/Lioness Patti Copp – An evening of fun and fellowship has been planned for all Leo members and prospective Leo members. Music and Karaoke by M 'n' M Connection and pizza and beverages will be provided. All District Leo Advisors are encouraged to attend and show support for the District Leos and the service they give.

## (2) LIONESSE SESSION

SATURDAY, 8:00 am-9:30 am

Coordinated by Lioness Becky Neidigh and Lioness Chairperson Lion/Lioness Joann Williams – Start the day sharing information and ideas while enjoying a continental breakfast consisting of: assortment of muffins, danish, breads, chilled orange juice, coffee and tea. Cost \$6.00 (see flyer, prepayment required)

## (3) I'M THINKING ABOUT BEING A DISTRICT GOVERNOR

SATURDAY, 8:30 am-9:30 am

Presenter: IPDG Pete VanZandt – Good leadership is always needed when volunteer organizations serve others. Before you set a goal to be a leader at the district level, there are various things that you must review and consider before making such a commitment. This seminar will discuss those things that you should consider and provide answers to your questions about being a District Governor. Partners in service are encouraged to attend.

## (4) PRESIDENT & SECRETARY SEMINAR

SATURDAY, 8:30 am-9:30 am

Presenters: Presidents' portion: Lions Curtis (Jim) Eles and Beth Knouse – This session is loaded with helpful information such as: Motivating Members to be Active; How to Conduct Board and General meetings; Activities as President and Pre-President; Development of Your Replacement and Roles of Vice Presidents.

Presenter: Secretaries' Portion: Lion Jim Davis – This Seminar will be a review of **Secretary Responsibilities**. It will cover reports and will include minute taking. It will benefit new secretaries and will include a question and answer (we hope) segment. Long-term secretaries will be given an opportunity to share methods and experiences. Comments and stories will be welcomed.

## (5) PRACTICAL TECHNOLOGY FOR LIONS CLUBS

SATURDAY, 9:30 am-10:30 pm

Presenter: Lion John Mallonee – In today's age, Lions Clubs continue to evolve and change. **Technology** can be a helpful factor in managing the business of a club, and a little know-how with computers can go a long way. This session will discuss several practical ways to use technology to expand the "reach" of your club, communicate, support club activities and events, and promote your club and Lionism. Come see how Lion John, as a Club secretary and webmaster, uses technologies from desktop publishing to website management on a regular basis. The discussion is designed to inform and to demystify and to give you a forum for answering some of your questions.

## (6) KEYNOTE SPEAKER – The Honorable Edward M. Marsico Jr.

SATURDAY, 10:45-11:45 pm

We are pleased to have Ed Marsico, District Attorney of Dauphin County, as our keynote speaker. With Mr. Marsico's extensive background of service to the community and expertise in his profession, it is certain his message will be of interest to all Lions and Lionesses. Mr. Marsico joined the Dauphin County District Attorney's Office in 1988 and as an assistant District Attorney handled approximately 100 jury trials and hundreds of appearances in non-jury proceedings. He conducted many homicide and drug prosecutions, including supervision of the Dauphin County Drug Task Force. Mr. Marsico was elected to his third term as District Attorney in November 2007. As District Attorney, he has instituted an investigative grand jury to assist police in solving specific crimes and he has aggressively prosecuted gun violence crimes in Dauphin County. This will be an informative and interesting session – one you won't want to miss!

## (7) ENHANCING THE LIONS IMAGE

SATURDAY, 1:15-2:15 pm

Presenter: PCC Terry Musselman – What image are we, as Lions, presenting to ourselves, our community and the world? Is it accurate and up-to-date? Does it need revitalized? Does it involve FUN? Will it not only help us to survive – but also to grow and thrive? Let's find out where we are and also where we need to be going.

## (8) ORIENTATION – NEW AND REFRESHER

SATURDAY, 2:30-3:30 pm

Presenter: Lion Steve Benedict – This informative session will be of benefit to new Lions/Lioness members as well as seasoned members. Lion Steve served several terms as a member of the MD 14 MERL team and in this session will cover, "Things you should know about Lionism, Brief History of Lions Clubs International, How to open the door to new Lions, How we conduct our meetings, Duties of your officers and Basic Lions Protocol." There will be an open discussion period at the end, so all questions and concerns are answered.

## (9) PLOTTING A COURSE TO NEW SERVICE PROJECTS

SATURDAY, 3:30-4:30 pm

Presenter: Lion/Lioness Joann Williams – This interactive session will provide tools and information to help your Club develop and increase service to your community. Community Assessment forms will be explained step by step as well as exploring resources on Lions International website.

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**CLUB PRESIDENTS APPRECIATION** – District Governor Frank Wedig and the Convention Committee have planned a breakfast in acknowledgement of the commitment and dedication to Lionism given by Club Presidents. This breakfast is offered without cost to every District 14-T Lion, Lioness or Leo Club President. Others are encouraged to attend at the nominal cost of \$8.00 per person. The menu includes: scrambled eggs, bacon, breakfast potatoes, fresh fruit, orange juice, coffee, tea. A registration form **must** be submitted by all attending, **including the Club Presidents**.