



The Lion's Pride

July 2021

Our District 20 E2 Motto:

To empower volunteers to serve their communities, meet humanitarian needs, encourage peace and promote international understanding through Lions Clubs.

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From the District Governor's Desk

Hello Lions, new Lions, and Leos,

Welcome to our new Lion's year, 2021-2022. First of all, I would like to thank you for the honor of becoming your District Governor. It has been quite a journey so far, with taking all my classes on line and experiencing virtual class rooms for the first time. We were able to attend the DGE seminar in Binghamton. We had a great time and it gave us an opportunity to

meet the 1VDG's from across the district in person and get to know the team for this upcoming year.

I am looking forward to all of the upcoming club visits, making new friends as well as seeing many familiar faces and getting reacquainted with friends along the way.

Those of us who could attend the state convention in Syracuse, I dare say, had a wonderful time and I hope those of you who attended virtually enjoyed it as well. The hospitality tables were a great success and reflected each district's theme. Our theme was for the "Finger Lakes Region" with bottles of wine from local wineries, lighted bottles (for effect), apples, fruits and vegetables. Ed Cordes made 2 really nice posters, one presented Walt, Russ and myself and the other a very unique photo of the Finger Lakes from outer space which he very neatly outlined the lakes in red. We had many offers to buy our wine but we are saving them for the hospitality room at our fall conference in November in Geneva with the hope of seeing you all there.

This past week we had the privilege of attending the 1st virtual International convention. IP Doug Alexander, after receiving his oath of office, then delivered the governor's oath of office to us and we had the ribbon ceremony. Even if we couldn't be there in person, it was a very special moment.

I would like to take this moment to thank you, DG Deb, for all your help and to congratulate you on the excellent job you have done for the district during the pandemic. You kept our district stable and growing. awesome job! 3 cheers for you: hip hip hurrah x 3.

With this new Lions' year will come some changes but by working together as a team, we can accomplish many things, including the goals I have set for our district.

Just a reminder, our first cabinet is scheduled for August 28 and will be in Campbell, NY. (location TBA) - and here is something to think about: "Although the world is full of suffering, it is full also of the overcoming of it." Who said it?

Sincerely in Lionism,

DG Kathy Spear

SHOWING UP



Greetings Lions,

The two years that I have had the great honor of serving as your international president have been some of the most memorable and meaningful of my life. It's inevitable that one goes into this role with a set of expectations about how it will be, but I can surely say that my tenure in this role was nothing like I expected and far exceeded all my expectations.

While I never anticipated I would serve two full terms as your international president, the past sixteen months have been different than we all imagined.

This year has changed me. And I know it's changed you, too. We head into the 2021-2022 Lion year as new Lions, ready to take on anything. Because we have shown that we can take on anything. I have been amazed every day by the ingenuity and dedication I see from Lions. But even more, I've been astonished at how your kindness has always shone so brightly.

My experiences as your president have shown me that I, too, have so much still to learn about life. And I learned those lessons from you. From you, I learned what perseverance really looks like. From you, I learned what kindness really means. And from you I learned what service truly is – it's giving even when you have nothing. It's finding something in yourself to be of service to another no matter how hard your own life is. Because no matter how hard our circumstances, Lions know there is always someone whose circumstances are more dire. There is always someone who needs us. And you, Lions, have shown me what it means to show up, truly, when everything is at stake.

I am humbled, as ever, to have served as your president. I thank you profusely for the honor.

Sincerely,

Dr. Jung-Yul Choi

Jung-Yul Choi

Immediate Past International President, Lions Clubs International

Lions International Calendar of Events

September 9-11, 2021

USA/Canada Forum
Des Moines, Iowa



24-28 juin 2022

Convention internationale, Montréal

(June 24-28, 2022 International Convention, Montréal)

**Congratulations to our
new Lions International
President**

**From MD 20 and the
Brooklyn Bedford-
Stuyvesant Lions Club**



Doug Alexander!!



LCI Convention 2022 information

Due to the ongoing challenges presented by the coronavirus (COVID-19), the board of directors has voted to relocate the 2022 Lions International Convention from New Delhi, India to Montréal, Quebec, Canada.

The ongoing travel and health advisories, and the size and complexity of our convention, led to this difficult decision. The board of directors also agreed to host a future convention in the beautiful city of New Delhi in a mutually-agreed upon year.

Unfortunately, this is not the first time COVID-19 has required our organization to make adjustments for the health and safety of our Lions, staff, vendors and local communities. In 2020, the board of directors voted to cancel the Singapore convention due to the government of Singapore restricting entry to the country. In January 2021, the 103rd Lions Clubs International Convention was transformed from an in-person event in Montréal, Canada to the organization's first virtual convention in response to the ongoing global pandemic.

We would like to recognize our Lions in India who are such an important part of our Lion family. They have been dealing with a very challenging moment in their country, like so many others around the world. We know that Lions are working there to safely serve their communities, and everywhere we serve. While COVID-19 has forced us to change the way we live, work and serve, we will continue to meet this challenge together. |

We will be working to move ahead with planning our 2022 international convention in Montréal, which will take place from June 24-28, 2022. As plans come together, we will be sure to communicate them to the Lions of the world.

I thank you all for your perseverance through these unprecedented times.

Regards,

Dr. Jung-Yul Choi
Immediate Past International President



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quired), please contact any of the above.

MD-20 Lions Calendar of Events

August 14th, 2021

Lions Camp Badger Golf Tournament, Wellsville, NY

October 2021

Lions Leadership Institute Binghamton, NY

May 2022

MD-20 Convention, Niagara Falls, NY

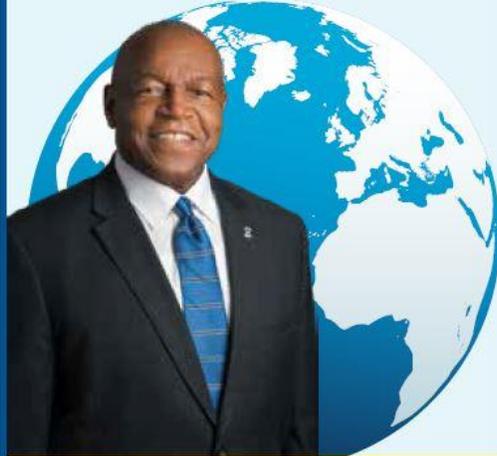
Finger Lakes Region Lions Hearing Foundation

Check out the Face-
book page at:

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We Serve.



Support The Candidacy Of
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Montreal 2021

Commemorative Pins



Gold



Silver



Bronze

Actual Size 1 3/4" x 1 1/4"

For More Information Contact PCC Gloria Askew
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Polos & Sweatshirts



For More Information Contact Lion Ormond Brathwaite
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Commemorative Pins

- Gold - \$ 100⁰⁰
- Silver - \$ 50⁰⁰
- Bronze - \$ 25⁰⁰
- Set of all 3 pins - \$ 150⁰⁰

Polos & Sweatshirts

- Short Sleeve Polo - \$ 40⁰⁰
- Long Sleeve Polo - \$ 45⁰⁰
- Sweatshirt - \$ 45⁰⁰

Quantity	Shirt Sizes and/or Pin Choice	Price Each	Amount
Shirt Sizes - S,M,L,XL,2XL,3XL Commemorative Pin Choices - Set of all Three, Gold, Silver, Bronze			Total Due
Ship To - Name:			
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Phone:		Email:	

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Mail Payments to: PDG Ozzie Torres, 465 Lorimer Street, Brooklyn, NY 11206

Also Available Online - www.DouglasXAlexander.org

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We Serve



Brandel-Murphy Youth Foundation Cruise Page 1 of 2



Canada-New England Cruise Tour

NYC to Newport, Boston, Bar Harbor, St. John & Halifax

Book Now for the October 15-22, 2022 Sailing!



Cruise with us upon the spectacular new Enchanted Princess!

Lions and friends are invited to sail from NYC to great fall foliage destinations in the Northeast U.S.A. and Southeast Canada. Treat yourself to this unique Seven-Night Getaway Cruise, while benefiting our mission to support Lions projects to improve the lives of children in New York State and Bermuda.

All-Inclusive Early Bird Cruise fares are the TOTAL per stateroom or suite, for two guests, inclusive of port charges and taxes. Special INCLUDED Benefits are Premium Beverage Package for 2 and WiFi for 2, Pre-Paid Gratuities and a \$100 On-Board Credit.

Interior Stateroom: \$3,075 • Oceanview Stateroom \$3,550

• Balcony Stateroom: \$4,025 • Mini-Suite: \$5,150 •

• Vista Suite \$7,550 • Premium Suite: \$7,850 •

• Penthouse Suite: \$8,250 • Owner's Suite: \$10,050 •

First Deposit will secure your booking. Second Deposit is due before November 30, 2021. Each Deposit is Equal to \$500 for a Stateroom or Mini-Suite or \$1,000 for a Larger Suite. Deposits are Refundable Until 11/30/21. Final Payment is Due Before May 30, 2022.



Please Make Your Check Payable to "Brandel-Murphy Youth Foundation" Contributions may be Tax Deductible to the Extent Permitted by Law.

Please consult your tax advisors.

Any Federal tax advice contained herein, is not intended, or written to be used, and cannot be used, for the purpose of (i) avoiding penalties under the Internal Revenue Code or (ii) promoting, marketing, or recommending to another party any transaction or matter addressed herein.

Princess Cruises asks that our special fares please not be shared with the general public. Please help us to protect hard working travel agents by keeping our group pricing private amongst Lions, our friends, and family.



Special Message from Al Brandel & Maureen Murphy:
"We need your support now to meet the needs of children reaching out for our help. Please join us on this cruise for fun, fellowship, and in the spirit of Lionism."

\$500 OF EACH CRUISE FARE BENEFITS THE BRANDEL-MURPHY YOUTH FOUNDATION, INC.

Brandel-Murphy Youth Foundation Cruise Page 2 of 2



Canada-New England Cruise Tour

NYC to Newport, Boston, Bar Harbor, St. John & Halifax

October 15-22, 2022 Enchanted Princess Sailing!



Please Print

First Guest Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Lions Club: _____ District: _____

First Deposit Paid: \$ _____ Check No.: _____ Date: _____

Second Guest Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Lions Club: _____ District: _____

First Deposit Paid: \$ _____ Check No.: _____ Date: _____

Each Deposit (for two) Totals \$500 for a Stateroom or Mini-Suite or \$1,000 for a Larger Suite.

First Deposit will secure your booking. Second Deposit is due before November 30, 2021.

Deposits are Refundable Until 11/30/21. Final Payment is Due Before May 30, 2022.

All deposits received will be acknowledged via email. Should you not receive a prompt acknowledgement, please advise Foundation Treasurer Terri Oster at: terrio63@hotmail.com.

All-Inclusive Cruise fares are the TOTAL per stateroom or suite, for two guests, inclusive of Port Charges, Taxes, Premium Beverage Package for 2, Wi-Fi for 2, Pre-Paid Gratuities, and a \$100 On-Board Credit.

Please Check Box: Interior Stateroom: \$3,075 Oceanview Stateroom \$3,550

Balcony Stateroom: \$4,025 Mini-Suite: \$5,150 Vista Suite \$7,550

Premium Suite: \$7,850 Penthouse Suite: \$8,250 Owner's Suite: \$10,050

Please describe any special needs or requests on the reverse side.

For more information, please email to: wecare@brandelmurphyfoundation.org

Please send this form together with your first deposit, payable to "Brandel-Murphy Youth Foundation, Inc." to Terri Oster, Treasurer, 139 Broadway, West Hempstead NY 11552.

District 20 E2 Calendar of Events:

August 14, 2021----- PCC Art Peck's Celebration of Life, 4-6 PM
Watkins Glen International

August 28, 2021 ----- First Cabinet Meeting, Campbell NY
information to follow soon

September 19, 2021 ---- 20-E2 Testimonial; Geneva, NY

November 5-7, 2021 --- District 20-E2 2021 Fall Conference, Geneva NY

Training Events

August 2021 ----- Guiding Lions Training - for 1st time Guiding Lions
Date Time and Location TBD

September 2021----- ZC/RC Training
Date Time and Location TBD

Future Events

November 4-6, 2022..... District 20-E2 2022 Fall Conference, Geneva NY



Save the date!!

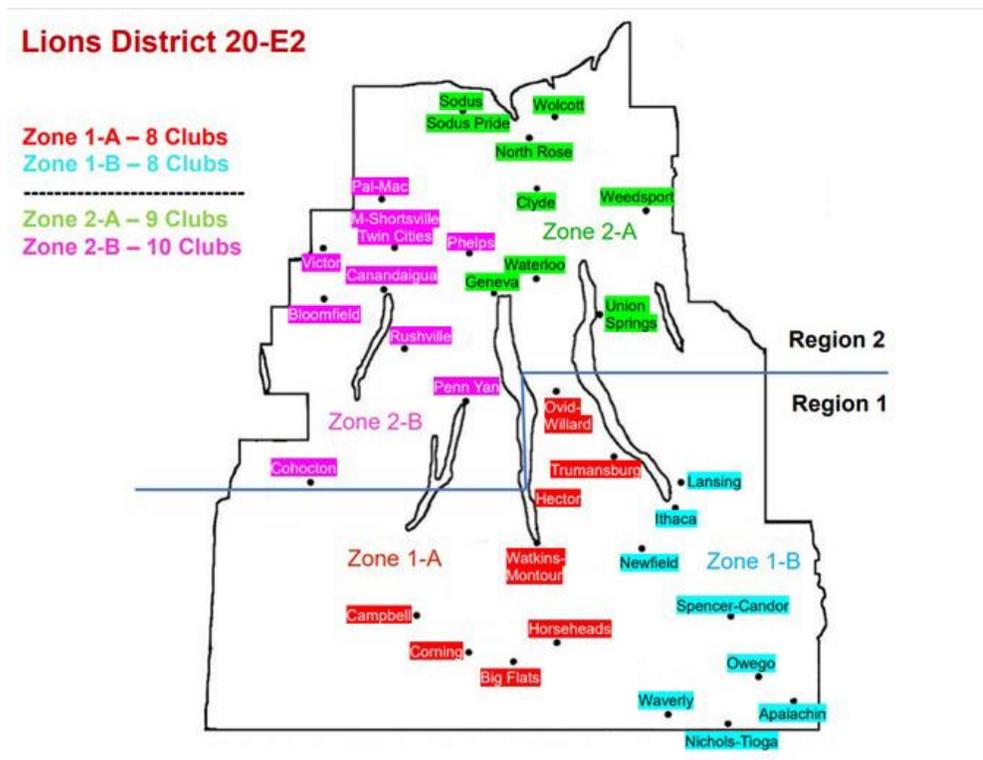
20 E -2 DG Deb Bush's Testimonial

Will be held on September 19,2021

More information will be sent out when closer.

New District 20 E2 Organization

Region and Zone Map



Who are our Region and Zone Chairs

- ▶ Region 1 (Zones 1-A and 1-B)
- ▶ Region Chair- Nancy Bragg (Corning)
- ▶ Zone 1-A- Mark Swinnerton (Hector Area)
- ▶ Zone 1-B- Lisa Barber (Spencer-Candor)
- ▶ Region 2 (Zones 2-A and 2-B)
- ▶ Region Chair- Vacent
- ▶ Zone 2-A- George Nudd (Geneva)
- ▶ Zone 2-B- Jo Ann Twist (Campbell)

(Images from slide presentation by PDG Jake Brown)

Lionesses Becoming Lions (page 1 of 3)

Message from Immediate Past District Governor Deb

Lioness clubs were formed in 1975 for women 18 years and older to be able to serve their communities, at this point Lions Clubs were all men members.



Going into the 2020-21 Lions year we had four Lioness clubs left in the 20 E2 district - Corning Lioness, Horseheads Lioness, Newfield Lioness, and Sodus Lioness. Cohocton Lioness and Wolcott Lioness had disbanded last Lion's year.

We were told in 2018 by LCI that by June 30, 2021, the Lioness had to decide to either charter their own club or become members of an existing Lions Club.

- Some of the Lioness members of Corning Lioness Club joined the Corning Lions Club.
- Lioness of the Horseheads Lioness Club joined the Horseheads Lions Club.
- Lioness of the Newfield Lioness Club joined the Newfield Lions Club.
- The Sodus Lioness chartered their own Lions club which is now called Sodus Pride Lioness Lions Club.

It was not easy for the Lioness to make their decisions. The most prevailing thing was they were proud of their Lioness history and being a Lioness.

I want to say I am proud of all these ladies for all their years of service.

- Corning Lioness chartered 3/1/1983.
- Horseheads Lioness chartered -12/9/1978.
- Newfield Lioness chartered -11/1/1980.
- Sodus Lioness chartered-4/1/1992.
- Cohocton Lioness chartered -9/12/1979.
- Wolcott Lioness chartered- 4/1/1976.

This totals 236 years of service, what a great history.

I ask that you join me in welcoming our new Lions from the Lioness club and our new Lions club.

Please make them feel welcome and a part of our district.

Big thank you for all your Lioness service.

IPDG Deb Bush

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(Pictures on the next 2 pages provided by Lion IPDG Deb Bush and Lion PCC Gary Boisseau)

Lionesses Becoming Lions (page 2 of 3)

New Horseheads Lions (from Horseheads Lioness Club)



Newfield Lioness that joined the Newfield Club



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Lionesses Becoming Lions (page 3 of 3)

Sodus Pride Lioness Lions Charter Celebration



The Charter Celebration was held on Saturday, June 12, 2021 at Forman Park in Pultneyville, New York



Sodus Pride Lioness Lions Club President Lion Darcy Davidson receiving an International President's Certificate of Appreciation from Lion PID Dr Ed Cordes.



Lion PCC Gary Stealing the New Gavel



Region 3 Summer Kickoff Cookout June 8, 2021 at Yawger Brook Campgrounds (Clyde, North Rose, Sodus, Wolcott, Sodus Pride Lioness, Geneva, Ovid-Willard, Union Springs, Waterloo, Weedsport)

The following Lions received awards

1. Union Springs Club Appreciation Award - Jill Rafferty...continued help with chicken BBQ's
2. Meritorious Service Award - Lion Ronda Dixon, club treasurer, chicken BBQ's
3. Union Springs Lion of the Year - Lion Deb Lewis - for work with Finger Lakes Lions Hearing Foundation
4. George Ferron - recognized for 38 years of being a Lion, longest in US Club
5. Robert Uplinger Award - Lion Russ Ebbets presented by DG Deb Bush
6. Melvin Jones Award - Warren Albrecht - continuing service to US Lions Club presented by PID Ed Cordes

New members were inducted into the Union Springs Lions Club

1. Melody Samara..... Sponsor Lion Ed Chadwick
2. Bob Shea.....Sponsor Lion Andy Rindfleisch
3. Mike Boise..... Sponsor Lion Eric Rosenkrans
4. Lion Jeremy Garlock (not present) Returning Member / Sponsor Lion Bill Boyd



Workparty at ALERT Building at Camp Badger

Lions worked at the ALERT building at Camp Badger on June 18th to prepare for improvements. 20 E2 Lions in the work party were ZC Lisa Barber, DG Deb Bush, PDG Harold Bush, Steve Chermak and David Westervelt. Lions from other districts were - Rick Brisee, Paul Burnett, and David Hubman,

*(Picture provided by
Lion PDG Harold Bush)*



Celebration of Life for PCC Lion Art Peck

Art's Celebration of Life is set for August 14th at Watkins Glen International in the Jack Daniels Club. I think 4-6 is a good time frame. When the track stops race activity, there will be a parade lap for anyone who would like to drive a personally owned vehicle around the track in Art's memory. As many of you know, Art's primary activity in recent years has been to either lead groups around the track such as car clubs or give as many people as he could a ride around the track in a pace car. He loved to tell people as much as he could about the track.

He grew up in Watkins Glen and was a spectator at the races that went through the village in the late 40's and early 50's. The 60's and 70's found us crewing for different people in the northeast US as well as helping a friend in Florida while we lived in Georgia. The 80's brought us back to this area and we again crewed, but added volunteering for the track in different capacities. In 2000, he went to Texas and worked for a company that did marketing for some TransAm teams. Finally, landing back in New York and in the Watkins Glen area, we started volunteering again. He had verbalized wanting to still be able to drive at the track when he was 75. He did it!! The whole season!! His last event was the weekend of Oct. 26th, 2019.

It is fitting that we celebrate his life at the one place he truly enjoyed being. The Central New York Porsche Club, that we belonged to, planted a tree in his memory near the Jack Daniels Club. I truly appreciate all that the people at Watkins Glen International are doing for us in Art's memory by having this celebration at the track.



Location: theglen.com
[2790 County Route 16, Watkins Glen, NY 14891](http://2790CountyRoute16.com)

Lions Roar for Vets

Lions Roar for Veterans update

June 9, 2021



Thank you to all clubs who have donated to this Veterans program again this year. It is because of your donations and deliveries of groceries that we have been able to provide the Veterans at Cadence Square some great meals for a treat!

On question I often get is: What is Cadence Square?

From their web page...

[Cadence Square Housing for Veterans](#)

Description:

The Military Veteran specific subsidized apartment complex located at the Canandaigua VA Medical Center is owned and managed by FLACRA. All 17 Independent Living Units are designated for Military Veterans and their Families. We have 13 Single Units, 3 Double Bedroom Units, and 1 Three-Bedroom Unit. Management provides excellent resources for the residents. A few of these resources include transportation to the grocery store and referrals for service providers including FLACRA care management. Residents have easy access to their medical provider at the Canandaigua VA. We currently have a long-term wait list. If you would like to learn more about the Cadence Square Community or request an application, please reply at your earliest convenience.

Provider: Finger Lakes Area Counseling/Recovery

Areas Served: Ontario County

The following clubs have made generous donations to this program so far this Lions Fiscal Year:

Rushville delivered a BBQ meal on March 25

Victor delivered a pulled pork meal on May 25

Victor is planning to deliver a BBQ meal on July 20

Canandaigua delivered a meal of Jambalaya using funding from M-S Lions

Financial donations have been generously provided by Bloomfield, Cabinet Meeting raffle, and Phelps. These funds are being used by Canandaigua Lions to purchase and deliver meals (next one is scheduled for June14).

Lion Rod Dutton

Project Chairman

rldutton@aol.com

Eye Glass Collection updates as of June 10, 2021

Fellow District Lions:

Eye Glass Reclamation (EGR) Updates:

1-The District EGR Program is alive and well, continue to contact Lion Dr Geoff Hallstead about making deliveries @ pres.lion.geoff@gmail.com, or his cell phone @ 585-729-4533.

2-District EGR Chairman Lion Dr. Geoff Hallstead has moved 3600 pounds (gross weight, including glass) metal framed glasses to the recycling center. We are expecting that in August we will be issuing payment checks to participating Lions Clubs.

3- On the Lions International web site I found a Certificate of Appreciation that Canandaigua is customizing, printing and delivering to each of the locations where our collection boxes are located. At the same time we are verifying the point-of-contact name on the back of box and picking up any collected eyeglasses. The iad405 attachment can be customized by any club who wishes to use it and implement this program.

Attached (**to the email sending this newsletter**) are two documents. The **iad405** is the blank form, and **Walmart Sample** is a completed form.

Thanks to PCC Gary for using his knowledge of technology with Adobe Pro to edit the LCI form so you can type in the info and print it out to make nice looking certificates. The grey boxes and red borders on the text boxes on the original LCI page will not print out.

Lion Rod

Canandaigua Lions Club

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Pictures from the installation of our new District Governor Kathy and her "Ribbon Pulling" on June 29th.



District Officer Training, Montour Falls New York, June 19, 2021





Why report service

How do clubs and districts individually benefit from reporting service?

- » Reporting service helps transfer knowledge and best practices to your club's future leaders. Club officers can review past service activity reports, learn from the successes of the club's previous activities and better plan for their future activities.
- » Reporting service is a matter of local pride. Reporting puts your club on the map as leaders in your local community, and it's an important way to share success with other clubs in your district and around the world.
- » A high percentage of clubs reporting service is a sign of a healthy district.
- » Reporting service allows you to become eligible for service awards.

How do clubs and districts collectively benefit from reporting service?

- » Reporting shines a light on how and where local clubs are making a difference. This elevates the profile of Lions Clubs International as a global service club organization.
- » Service reports provide tangible evidence of our global engagement and impact to prospective partners of Lions Clubs International. These relationships strengthen the organization and yield benefits at the local level.
- » People want to participate in real, visible change. Service reporting allows clubs to continually engage communities, tell stories more effectively and ultimately grow their member base.

How does reporting service benefit the people we serve?

- » Service data helps everyone understand the needs of communities around the world and how our Lions and Leos are serving those needs.
- » Because service activities are scalable, one small service project can become the next global initiative of the organization. But Lions Clubs International is not aware of such projects unless they are reported.
- » Service data enables Lions Clubs International to identify best practices that can be shared globally.
- » Measurement leads to insight. Setting higher goals each year mobilizes the organization toward growth.
- » Service reports show how Lions and Leos around the world are using funds from Lions Clubs International Foundation grants to serve their communities. This visibility encourages Lions and Leos to think creatively about their own projects and apply for LCIF grants themselves.

Additional benefits

- » Reporting is the final step in completing a service project. If it's not reported, it's not done!
- » Reporting service is a lot like voting. You may think your report doesn't make a big difference, but the only way we'll be successful is if everyone does their small part.
- » Reporting is considered service in itself. The time clubs and districts spend reporting their service are considered volunteer hours, and can be reported in MyLion.

For More Information, Please Visit [Here](#)





Acts of service by District 20 E2 clubs that are in MyLion for the Lions Year, 2020-2021, as of June 27th



If anybody is having issues with the new Lion Account, feel free to contact PCC Lion Gary Boisseau for help by email at LionGaryB@gmail.com or by phone at (585) 781-4637

District 20 E2

July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2021

81,035

People Served

715

Service Activities Completed

12,987

Volunteer Hours

\$118,067

Funds Donated(USD)

\$102,577

Funds Raised(USD)

Club	People Served	Number of Activities	Total Volunteer Hours	Funds Donated USD	Funds Raised USD
APALACHIN	18,981	20	619	\$12,275	\$12,825
BIG FLATS	551	16	249	\$2,500	\$1,256
BLOOMFIELD	3,200	20	225	\$0	\$2,000
CAMPBELL	1,065	3	15	\$250	\$0
CANANDAIGUA	1,978	18	286	\$300	\$0
CLYDE	170	8	29	\$1,775	\$0
COHOCTON	0	0	0	\$0	\$0
CORNING	2,241	114	3,044	\$5,725	\$1,759
GENEVA	0	0	0	\$0	\$0
HECTOR AREA	0	0	0	\$0	\$0
HORSEHEADS	0	0	0	\$0	\$0
ITHACA	5,060	18	531	\$3,500	\$2,526
LANSING	0	1	0	\$0	\$1,426
MANCHESTER-SHORTSVILLE	2,961	43	469	\$2,115	\$500
NEWFIELD	20	13	8	\$2,810	\$0
NORTH ROSE	216	29	25	\$9,531	\$1,025
OVID WILLARD	1,658	30	1,251	\$10,698	\$10,855
OWEGO	618	21	291	\$1,301	\$1,194
PALMYRA-MACEDON PAL-MAC	8,604	59	1,337	\$11,445	\$3,391
PENN YAN	6,914	71	1,121	\$19,082	\$23,510
PHELPS	1,577	47	735	\$6,910	\$6,742
RUSHVILLE	2,427	16	131	\$12,144	\$0
SODUS	588	7	71	\$0	\$0
SODUS PRIDE LIONESS	3,000	1	14	\$0	\$0
SPENCER & CANDOR	7,667	68	1,280	\$600	\$26,025
TIOGA-NICHOLS	837	24	372	\$890	\$675
TRUMANSBURG	415	6	112	\$150	\$850
TWIN CITIES	0	0	0	\$0	\$0
UNION SPRINGS	0	0	0	\$0	\$0
VICTOR	220	4	162	\$0	\$896
WATERLOO	2,545	15	7	\$6,025	\$0
WATKINS GLEN-MONTOUR FALLS	7,053	27	573	\$3,536	\$5,122
WAVERLY	469	14	30	\$4,255	\$0
WEEDSPORT	0	2	0	\$250	\$0
WOLCOTT	0	0	0	\$0	\$0
District 20 E2 Total	81,035	715	12,987	\$118,067	\$102,577



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Dear Lion,

My term as chairperson of LCIF is coming to an end. After two years in this role, I have so many wonderful memories to reflect on, from visiting LCIF-supported Lion projects before the pandemic, to witnessing Lions' creative online fundraising strategies, to participating in LCIF's Foundation Fridays webinar series. Together, we have accomplished so much. I look forward to continuing to watch LCIF succeed and will always be here for support. Thank you for the endless inspiration and motivation you give to me, Lions. I am grateful for having been on this journey with you.

In friendship,

Gudrun Yngvadottir, Chairperson
Lions Clubs International Foundation



LIONS CAMP BADGER Operated by the Empire State Special Needs Experience, Inc.

CAMP CORNER

2021 Virtual Camp/Badger Boxes:

The Board of Directors of Lions Camp Badger made the difficult decision not to hold in-person camp in 2021. Covid-19 issues remain challenging and the safety of our campers and staff come first. In lieu of in-person sessions, Lions Camp Badger is excited to offer campers our Virtual Summer sessions. Campers will be provided with fun camp activities and social time with friends from the comfort of their homes. Activities are designed for individuals ages 9+ who have special needs.

Each campers will receive 3 "Badger Boxes" in the mail filled with camp activities, camp merchandise and instructions how to follow along online. There will be social events on ZOOM, pre-recorded activities, instruction in arts & crafts, athletics, photography, nature, cooking, science, music, and virtual field trips. Special online LIVE events include campfires and singing, magician David Black, movie night, pajama party and a talent show. There is also a virtual live "Flame the Band" concert scheduled for Thursday, August 4th at 7pm.

2021 LCB Golf Classic:

Come join us for a wonderful day of camaraderie and relaxation for a worthy cause. The **Lions Camp Badger Golf Classic** is scheduled for **Saturday, August 14** at the **Wellsville Country Club**. Registration is open at 11:30 am, Shotgun start at 1:00 pm. Your day of golf includes: golf cart, lunch on the course, steak dinner, cash bar, raffles and door prizes. Come play as an individual, with a friend, or as a foursome. There are also lots of opportunities to become a sponsor or donate gifts and prizes. Find more information and our registration form on our website: www.LionsCB.org.

2021 Super Raffle:

If you haven't already purchased some raffle tickets, there's still time! Tickets cost \$50. There will be 10 winners of \$1,000 each. The drawing will be held on Labor Day weekend. Tickets may be purchased right up until the drawing. Please be as generous as you can!

2021 Lions volunteer work days:

We could use a hand catching up on some projects if you have the time and skills to offer. Come as a club or as an individual. We have scheduled three separate work days on **July 17th, August 28th, and September 25th**.

The projects range from simple to more skill needed. Projects include: painting, gardening, cleaning, organizing, minor plumbing, electrical, brush & trail clearing, tin roof installation, entryway roofs, renovations to bathrooms, demolition of an old cabin, etc.

If you'd like to lend a hand on one of those dates, please contact John Horvath, Facilities Manager, with the date you'd prefer and what your job preference/skillset is. 607-589-4800 or lcbfacilitymgr@gmail.com

Most tools will be provided, but feel free to bring your own. Monetary donations or supplies are gratefully accepted. Please do bring a bag lunch, we will provide drinks.

LIONS CAMP BADGER

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

July 17, August 28, Sept 25

Come lend a hand ~ Projects for all abilities!
From painting, gardening, cleaning, organizing, to minor plumbing, electrical, brush & trail clearing, and construction (renovate bathroom in cabins, install tin roofs, add porch roofs, disassemble old cabin)

Call or email John Horvath to sign-up:
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Let him know which date and what kind of job you prefer. Bring a Bagged lunch.
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SATURDAY, AUGUST 14, 2021

WELLSVILLE COUNTRY CLUB

The Wellsville Country Club is a beautiful 18-Hole Golf Course with a newly renovated event facility. Nestled in the foothills of the Appalachian Mountains, along the beautiful Genesee River and blocks from the historic Village of Wellsville.



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**ALL ARE INVITED! JOIN WITH FRIENDS AND FELLOW LIONS IN
HELPING LIONS CAMP BADGER BUILD A BRIGHTER FUTURE**

Apalachin Lions

The Apalachin Lions wrapped up the Lions year with a successful Installation of Officers Dinner at Donoli's Restaurant. Since most of the 2020-2021 meetings were cancelled or held on-line, the officers and board members volunteered to serve another term. The only change will be that the Secretary is now Lion Jake Brown.

One of the highlights of the dinner was the announcement of Lion of the Year. This year's award went to Lion Bob Jensen. Lion Bob has held almost every office in the Apalachin Lions, along with many District offices, including District Governor. In addition to his unselfish service to Lions, he was honored this year for his work on fund raising and planning for a new Lions storage building in one of the local parks. This space will be used to store items used for our various projects. We have Special Olympics items, Broom Sales Inventory, 5K running event supplies, medical equipment to loan out, etc. Bob applied for and received a matching grant from the NYS & Bermuda Lions Foundation, a Community Foundation grant, and has applied for another grant which will be announced soon. Without these grants, we would not be able to proceed on erecting a new building. It will replace our very old structure that is on Apalachin Firemen's Field Day property which is currently up for sale. Congratulations, Lion Bob. This award was well deserved by one of the Apalachin Lions most dedicated servants.



Lion Naomi Rupright presents Lion Bob Jensen with Lion of the Year Award.

The Apalachin Lions would like to invite you to participate in a Doug's Fish Fry event to be held on July 16th in the parking lot of Visions Federal Credit Union on Route 434 in Apalachin, beginning at 11AM and ending at 6PM. The credit union is at the bottom of Tioga Terrace, next to Jeff Kies Car Lot.

Bloomfield Lions

BLC closed out the spring session with our steak roast at the Holfield Rod and Gun Club in Bloomfield on June 16. There were 40 in attendance including members and guests. Lion Dave Brien and Bloomfield friend Jim Rayburn were the grill masters and did an excellent job, Thanks to Club member spouses Jeanne Brien, Judy Francis and Barb Jauch for providing Buffet Items and lion Dorothy Markum for providing dessert. Following dinner BLC President ken Mathis spoke of the many projects and accomplishments our club performed and those members who took leadership roles during this trying year under Covid. Lion Ken also presented several service pins to members for years of service.

BLC thanks Holfield Rod and Gun for use of their facility and Carolyn Walters for Bartending.

Closing out our spring session BLC presented two Bloomfield Central School Graduates with \$500 Scholarships. The Bloomfield Central School Class of 2021 recipients of Lions Club scholarships are Johanna M. Ford and Ryan O. Pare. The scholarships are awarded to graduates going on to further education at an accredited institution of higher education. These were presented on Friday June 25 at BCS commencement held outdoors in the school stadium.

BLC extends best wishes to all our High School Graduates on the next leg of their life journey.

BLC Board Members unanimously voted to donate \$100 to Freedom Guide Dogs in Cassville NY in memory of BLC member Lion Gerry Erdle.

BLC President Ken Mathis will be leading our club for another year when we reconvene in September. BLC thanks Lion Ken for his tireless efforts in leading our club and his efforts with the Bloomfield Leos.

BLC also thanks First VP Lion Michael Donohoe for his efforts on promoting Lionism, Diabetes Awareness and our club on several social media platforms.

Submitted by Lion Bob Jauch

Big Flats Lions

It was so good to gather in a park, club members with their families for the first time this year, to enjoy a simple meal and fellowship.

During this time two of our members were recognized with the International President's Certificate of Appreciation, the 4th highest award in Lionism.

Not being able to celebrate our 50 years of Lionism last year, pictured are Lion Don Williams who was recognized as our only still active charter member and current 1st Vice President. Dr. Merrill Lynn was recognized for his 50 years of Lionism this year. He has been our club historian until recently and was very active in our community. Congratulations to them both!

Summer activities coming up are a chicken BBQ in July and one in September.

Our club is also partnering with our Historical Society to provide lunches for pilots and their families the week of July 11th - 17th for the Invitational Soaring Plane Meet at the museum on Harris Hill.



Corning Lions

Message from Lion Anastasia:

Past Presidents Night

For those of you that were able to come last night it was wonderful to see so many of you. Thank you to all that helped make this event possible. We wouldn't have a club without you.

For those that were unable, we missed you.

Past President Wes came out and it was so nice to meet him, maybe we can convince him to start to socialize with us some more this year.

We had both of our scholarship students show up Anna and Adam. We had them tell a little about themselves and what their next stages are going to be. We wish them well.

Rich took the gavel and is ready to go. He reminded us all of the food pick up for the Salvation Army at Wegmans for Mondays and Wednesday. If you can help let Rich know. I was able to sign up for July 5th.

Lion Andy showed up too. it is so nice to see him. Plenty of spots on the cemetery that need cutting. If we all sign up for one there won't be many repeats. Now that kids baseball is over with I have a little more time. 😊

Lion Donna is still looking for a few good drivers for IMSA and NSCAR - if you aren't able to drive you might know someone/s that are willing to work 8 hours to get a free ticket. Think about it.

I know I forgot things and last but not least we have the membership picnic coming up August 15 at Ed and Gail's the day after Arts remembrance ceremony at WGI. Hope to see many if not all of you there.

And Lion Connie Yonkers got a Melvin Jones last night. So well deserved.

Lion Anastasia Castilone

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Shuttle Cart Transportation at Watkins Glen International the last weekend in June for the IMSA Race (*Sahlen's 6 Hours of the Glen*)



Manchester-Shortsville Lions

Nancy Patz received her 10 year pin at dish to pass picnic. We welcomed DG elect Kathy Spear and Jo Ann Twist



Owego Lions

At our installation dinner on the 24th, the Owego Lions Club presented a Robert J Uplinger award to Sister Mary O'Brien, executive director of Tioga County Rural Ministry. This is a prestigious award from Lions International given for humanitarian services. She was quite surprised but so very deserving! Pictured with her is our District Governor elect, Kathy Spear & our club outgoing president Donna Metcalf



(Picture provided by Lion Eve Kretsch / PCC Gary Boisseau)

North Rose Lions

The North Rose Lions completed a successful cash Raffle Draw on June 5th with \$2,040 in profit from our sales, winners are named in the picture.



On June 8th, Lion John Hewes attended the Region 3 BBQ held at the Yawger Brook Campgrounds in Auburn, it was so good to see our friends in the District and enjoy some delicious prepared food.



A college soccer teammate of Lion John Hewes at Ithaca College, Warren Albrecht, from the Union Springs Lions Club, was awarded a Melvin Jones Award and he is pictured with his wife, Mary Ann and PID Dr. Ed Cordes, also pictured with Lion John and Lion Warren are Sodus Lions, Jim Miller and Bill Lesniak who join in the festivities. Lion Russ Ebets was awarded a Robert Uplinger Award and it was announced that \$1,800 had been donated so far to the Junior Olympics.

On June 9th we had a special visit from 1st VD Governor, Lion Kathy Spear and Lion Jo Ann Twist from the Campbell Lion Club. It was an exciting night to hear the words of Lion Kathy and also be able to award the Skippers Landing Restaurant the prestigious RUA for their outstanding service to our Club and the Community. Lion Joe Van Cura presented the award to Lisa Dean, co-owner, pictured with Lion President Bernie Taft and our distinguished guests.



Ovid-Willard Lions

Ovid-Willard Lions, Partners in Service, and helpers set up for large yard sale fundraiser on June 10th



Ovid-Willard Lions Ready for Highway pick up 6/26

Ovid-Willard Lions highway pick up. 8 bags full.

(Pictures provided by Lions IPDG Deb Bush and PDG Harold Bush)



Pal-Mac Lions

The Pal-Mac Lions Club meets in an historic newspaper building that had served the communities for over 120 years.

The Environmental Chair, Lion Bill Bush says, "Many thanks to the crew that turned out this morning for our second highway cleanup!!! Sara Bush, Bill Bush, Don Dantz, Tom Hall, Ray Marr, Sandy McMenamin, Dave Pinkney, Becke Tomkiewicz.



The very active Palmyra – Macedon Lions club has been holding events for fundraising, service, and donating. Although, the weather has been unbelievably hot, we don't let that get in the way of our service work. Last weekend, June 12th from 9 a.m. to about 12 noon, 7 Pal-Mac Lions joined for a quick coffee and breakfast on Route 31 preparing for the 2-mile highway clean-up between Palmyra's Aqueduct Park and Macedon's O'Neil Road. Whether it's the first clean-up of the spring or the last clean-up of the year, there is never a time when papers, straws, car parts, and garbage bags are not collected in the 300 lb. range.

Family Promise has been at the top of our list and we are very interested in helping those without homes. Children, Episcopal Food Pantry and the Catholic Food Pantry are also very important to us.



Penn Yan Lions

Due to covid-19 pandemic our annual charter night awards scheduled for October 2020 had to be postponed.

At the June 14 meeting the 2019-20 Charter Awards were chaired by PDG and PP Larry Strickland, and several past presidents on the committee presented awards.

Lion of the Year – Romulus French, our lone life member and charter member who joined in 1969. Ironically this honor is the only award of many he never received for over 50 years of Lionism.

Merit Award – Kevin. Bailey (not present) and Carlie Chilson

Pride Award – Judy Jones and Jan Corning

Outstanding Service – Janyce Fonte

LEO Advisor – Mark Moon (Not present)

Community Service – Friends of the Outlet Trail with Phillip Rahr, President and Steve Stork VP accepting.

Spirit Award – Jim Christiansen

Past President Award/Gavel – Brenda Dueck

Presidents Appreciation Award – Ron miller

Service to Club Award – Roger Dell Allen

Distinguish Service Award – Larry Strickland

Robert J. Uplinger "We Serve" Awards presented by PP and club secretary Ron Spike

Leigh MacKerchar (a Progressive award) as public service as PY Mayor and as a Lion for community covid guidance.

Douglas Paddock for public service as Chair of Yates Co Legislature and as a Lion for community covid guidance.

William Turner for his dedicated community volunteerism for many years at the Once again Shoppe and as an active Lion.

Picture 1 is of Lion Rom French receiving the "Lion of the Year Award". Rom has been a Lion since 1969 when the club was chartered. His contributions to the Penn Yan Lions Club over 52 years has set a bar that continues to inspire all of us.

Picture 2 is Lion Larry Strickland giving the "Community Award" to Phil Rahr and Steve Stork honoring the work continually being done to improve the Outlet Trail. The Penn Yan Club has been a key contributor over the years.

Picture 3 is of the many dedicated Lions members that received various awards for the contributions they have given to the club, even during these very trying times we experienced this past year.



Phelps Lions

Phelps Lions sold plenty of brooms at our Broom Sale on June 5th. We raised \$387 to help us with our activities that serve our community.



Rushville Lions

Rushville Charter Dinner & Installation of Officers



Spencer-Candor Lions

The Spencer-Candor Lions held their End of the Year Picnic, at Moyer Park, in Candor this month. Lion Gail Turner was voted Lion of the Year, from our members, for all of her service. Her husband, Lion Bob Turner, was presented with the Jim Dormady Award for his years of service. Finally, Lion Rose Ryant has spent many years supporting seniors and their families, especially during the Covid Pandemic. She always serves at the Ti-Li Luncheon and is co-chair for our committee, to support our club, during Spencer Picnic. Lion Rose received the Robert J Uplinger Award. Congratulations to all recipients on receiving their awards. DG Deb Bush and PDG Harold Bush attended the picnic. DG Deb installed our new Officers for 2021-2022. Thank you DG Deb Bush and PDG Harold Bush for attending our picnic and supporting our club.

Extremely grateful to the members of our club for supporting me as president for the past three years. That's what Lions do is serve and support other Lions and their club.

Our Spencer-Candor Lions Community Garden and Share Stand is doing very well. Vegetables are starting to produce. Members served this month baking desserts for the Open Hearts Dinner. We are looking forward to walking in the Candor July 4 Parade on July 3 and selling brooms while handing out Lions Pamphlets. We have requested that the students from the National Honor Society of Candor join us at this event. We are selling brooms and handing out pamphlets each week at the Spencer Farmers Market and Candor Farmers Market.

I would like to close with a quote that our incoming DG Lion Kathy Spear said to me at our recent training. The Lions are a team, and we serve as a team. Serving others, supporting each Lion and club, to the best of our ability. Welcome Summer and enjoy your July!

From Lion ZC Lisa Barber



Trumansburg Lions

T-Burg Lions Current Events and Plan for Future Events

The Trumansburg Lions Club members purchased storage shed and have it located where they can use it as a permanent place to store the supplies and equipment they use for chicken barbeques and other fund-raising events. The members view this as significant action.

On June 26th will hold a chicken barbeque. Members are planning two more barbeques for this summer. Our events have been supported by local businesses. Brownies Farm and Garden stand has provided the location to hold this and previous barbeques. The Trumansburg ShurSave has supplied the needed marinated chicken halves that people love.



Watkins-Montour Lions

The Watkins-Montour Lions Club held its first in person meeting since the pandemic began and oh, what a night it was! Held at the Seneca Harbor Station on the outside patio overlooking the lake, members were in high spirits as we first enjoyed beverages and conversation before dinner and business. Gorgeous baskets, donated by board members for the raffle fundraiser, lined a table with local wines, coffees, chocolates, and such. Wait staff bustled about delivering delicious food and tourists burst into applause as the club sang God Bless America and recited the Pledge of Allegiance. A feeling of optimism and kinship crackled throughout the evening and the Club felt so honored by the presence of PID Lion Dr. Ed Cordes, PID Lion Gail Cordes, Sylvia Waite, and 1st Vice District Governor Kathy Spear.

Lion President Kate LaMoreaux and Secretary Linda LoPresti were presented with the International Presidential Certificate of Appreciation for their outstanding efforts in keeping our club engaged and active throughout the pandemic. Their leadership, good will, humor, and vision kept us all going and we were all buoyed by their creativity, communication, and facilitation.

Lion Tammy Waite was presented with her second Robert J Uplinger Award for her significant service. Truly, Lion Tammy is devoted to our community. Her gigantic heart is coupled with a steady work ethic, can-do determination, and remarkable skill. She is a treasure.

Lion Ed Clute was recognized for FIFTY years as a Lion! You may know Lion Ed for his gifted piano playing and a lifetime devoted to music and entertaining.

PID Lion Dr. Ed Cordes inducted our newest members, Don and Tracy Neumire. Already, Lion Don and Lion Tracy have participated in service activities and it is clear that their energy and kind personalities will enhance our club!

New Officers were inducted and Lion Kate LaMoreaux has now passed the presidential reigns to Lion Tom McGarry. It's sure to be another great year of service and community!

President Kate LaMoreaux with Tammy Waite, recipient of the Robert Uplinger Award



Dinner on the patio

Newest Lions Tracy and Don Neumire inducted by PID Dr. Ed Cordes



Secretary Lynda LoPresti and President Kate LaMoreaux after receiving International Presidential Certificates of Appreciation

Lion Tammy Waite

