



# OH 1 Lions



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## ***WE'RE NOT GOING TO REINVENT THE WHEEL.....WE JUST WANT TO ADD A LITTLE FRESH AIR TO THE TIRE.***

I'm sure that every year the new District Governor has many ideas and high hopes for this to be the best year yet. I confess, I was thinking just that my first time in 1992-93. By mid year I realized it wasn't going to happen. As the years went by I've learned that each year minor changes and improvements work the best. It's so important that the three District officers work together to improve the District's operation and slowly introduce new programs.



This year and the last half of last year we all were just trying to survive as a club and still help our communities. Now, in July, as our new year begins we were hoping that the virus situation was improving and, with restrictions, we can start meeting in person again. Not so. Restrictions are once again stepping up. There is constant change and we need to go with the flow. (As a side note; my seven Council of Governors have not get been able to meet together in person. Thank goodness for zoom and texting.)

The first of July we were all installed as DG through zoom. Now it's time to concentrate on our individual district and start visiting. Some areas in the state

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have had low numbers of the virus but by mid July Ohio's numbers started to rise. Several counties in OH1 are on a red level, the worst it can be. Lion Sue and I were to attend a club's annual picnic. A few days before the event the county pulled their permit and closed up the park. I am at a high risk with my health so it's a real gamble to attend when I am unsure of the social distancing.

This has been a really frustrating beginning for the new governors and vice governors. I was ready to hit the ground running but have hit many roadblocks. I planned to work on three main areas: Retention, to help clubs keep members who have lost interest and leave; Compliance (filing 990 & OAG), to help all of our clubs understand the importance of filing on time and that it is mandatory with the IRS and Ohio Attorney General, but not Lions International; and finally, help the District discover new leadership as Zone Chairs, Committee Chairs and future 1VDG, 2VDG and District Governors. There are many qualified Lions out there. We just need to help them realize that their leadership skills are needed.

We will all learn to adjust to our new ever changing situations together. We can undertake these challenges as well as any others that come up. Think about it! Isn't it a nicer ride on tires with the proper amount of air?

Have a smooth ride in 2020-21 Lions year and better one in years to come.

We Serve,

DG John Davis

### ***A SHORT INTRODUCTION BY PDG BILL KELLER***



Lions of District OH1,

I am PDG Bill Keller and I have been appointed to be your District Administrator. The purpose of my role as District Administrator is to assist the club secretary in their reporting to MyLCI and MyLion.

I will have an article on reporting in the next newsletter until then if there is anything, I can do to help you in your reporting, please contact me at [wkeller2@columbus.rr.com](mailto:wkeller2@columbus.rr.com) or phone me after 4:00 PM at 567-674-9093.



## **COMMUNICATIONS FROM IVDG REBECCA DENT**

Three Meadows Park in Perrysburg is a nice clean park with lots of neat grassy area and shady trees. Ducks swim and people fish in a lovely pond and there is shelter from the sun with plenty of social distancing room in the pavilion. Last Saturday I enjoyed savory pulled pork and plenty of ice cream desert there with the Perrysburg Lions Club. I had the honor of installing the Club's officers after lunch. I know that as many clubs as are able will be holding similar events this summer. I'd like to take this opportunity to extend a big "Thank You!" to all this year's club officers.

We all joined Lions Club to be of service to others and to the community. We need to be organized to make sure our efforts are as effective as they can be. That is why we have meetings and why we have officers to make sure those meetings move steadily toward turning service ideas into actions. Lions club is a great place to develop your leadership skills! Many recent training events had to be moved from face to face venues to podcasts, Zoom, and other online venues. Whether or not you club officers out there have had a chance yet to attend training, you can add LCI's e-books for club officers to your summer reading list. Here are some links that will download PDF format files which, in turn, contain many links to valuable information.

### **[pdf] [Club Secretary e-Book](#)**

This tool walks the club secretary through the fiscal year providing calendar for tasks as well as tools and resources to fulfill their roles and responsibilities.

### **[pdf] [Club Treasurer e-Book](#)**

This tool walks the club treasurer through the fiscal year providing calendar for tasks as well as tools and resources to fulfill their roles and responsibilities.

### **[pdf] [Club President/Club First Vice President e-Book](#)**

This tool walks the club first vice president through two-years: both serving as vice president and preparing and serving as club president.

Summer is a great time to check your social media and web posts to make sure they reflect your club's goals and celebrate your club's service. It is also a great time to renew your connections with your local community leaders, businesses, law enforcement, and news media so that your club can plan events to serve the most pressing needs. Of course, it is also a great time to check on each and every member of your local club to be sure every Lion feels the club's kindness. Ideas abound on [www.lionsclubs.org](http://www.lionsclubs.org), [www.ohiolions.org](http://www.ohiolions.org), and [www.ohiolionsoh1.org](http://www.ohiolionsoh1.org) that you can use to enhance your local service!

Yours in Lionism,

Lion Rebecca IVDG



**WELCOME, 2VDG DAVE STOCKUM!**

Greetings OH1,

After an enjoyable year as Zone Chair in Zone F, mostly the good folks of Hardin County with a few great cooks in Hancock County thrown in, I "volunteered" to fill the void for 2nd Vice District Governor in our sub-district and was duly elected at the special Cabinet meeting on July 8. DG John Davis has asked me to be Zone Chair for Zone D, and I am looking forward to getting to explore Van Wert and Mercer Counties and meet the Lions serving their communities.



I came up to OH1 from OH7, in which I served as District Governor, two years ago and joined the McComb Lions Club. I am also the Executive Director of the Ohio Lions Pediatric Cancer Foundation, which is in its second year of existence. Childhood Cancer is the newest plank of Lions Clubs International Service, and MD13, the Ohio Lions, is one of the leaders in embracing the search for cures and better protocols for treatment of pediatric cancers so I will be seeking your support for this type of service when I get the chance to meet you at your club meetings and your projects. You can learn a little more about us at our website, [olpcf.com](http://olpcf.com).

I know we will be feeling our way through this year, but if we remember why we have chosen to be part of the world's largest charitable service organization, we will find ways to fulfill the motto of LCI, "We Serve." Looking forward to a great year!

2VDG Dave Stockum



This summer the Pioneer Area Lions presented \$500 scholarships to Montpelier Senior Allison Altaffer & North Central Senior Taylor Fenicle.

## **DISTRICT IS OH1 GOVERNOR'S CABINET AWARD**

The District Governor has added a new award just for members of the District Cabinet. The Governor's Cabinet Award is open to all cabinet members and is broken down to six categories. This award is to recognize members who fulfilled their duties in the best interest of OH1 and Lions in general. This award is self-evaluating and graded by you the cabinet member. Those who feel they accomplished their duties should sign and turn in this form. Those who do will receive a special designed lapel pin dated for this year. Requirement form can also be found on the OH1 website. Remember "We Serve"  
(Please see form on page 12)

## **CABINET CLUB REPRESENTATIVE**

This is to encourage clubs to become more aware of the duties and happenings within the District. The District Governor is offering each club in good standing a chance to appoint a Lion to serve as Cabinet Club Representative. Those clubs will appoint a representative and report the name to the District Secretary. The District Secretary will then add each rep to the email list so they will receive all reports and cabinet agendas this year. Each Lion Representative would have voting rights. They need to attend all OH1 Cabinet meetings throughout the year. The Club Rep would report and update their club on events and pertinent information. All OH1 Lion members can be informed, active members. This year's Cabinet meetings may be in person or virtual. Cabinet notices will be sent in advance.

## **AN UPCOMING EVENT SOON!**

In spite of the pandemic, the Lions of Ohio are still serving. A community project was started last spring, but was never able to take off. So, we are going to try this again. The week of October 4-10, 2020, will be called "*Fall into Service with Lions*". Clubs in all 7 Districts are asked to participate. The goal is 60% of the clubs participate throughout the State. Can OH1 match or beat that? I think so!

During the month of August all clubs, Zone Chairs, Committee Chairs and District Officers will receive additional information along with project ideas. Clubs wanting to participate will sign a "*Letter of Commitment*". Clubs will then work with Zone Chairs and other District Officers to help them come up with the best individual service project. Projects can be a few hours during the week, a few hours over several nights or a project that lasts all day. Your club knows your members' talents. No project is too small or too big.

The GAT Committee, made up of the District GMT, GLT and GST will help each club to reach their goals. Again, more information will be coming soon! If anyone has any questions once you receive the information; please feel free to contact the OH1 District Governor or any District Officer.

This state wide project can only succeed if your club participates. We can't think of a better way to start our second century of service.

## **PEACE POSTER CONTEST 2020-2021**

### **"PEACE THROUGH SERVICE"**



From District OH1 Youth Chair, Lion Darlene Roll (E-mail: youth@ohiolions.org):

Peace Poster Contest 2020-2021 is now open. Kits can be ordered through Club Supplies.

The 2020-2021 Theme is "Peace Through Service".

Lions have provided an important reminder to the world that, through service, we can give and receive so much—joy, kindness, hope and PEACE. This year, young people have the opportunity to express their visions of peace through the lens of service.

Students ages 11, 12 or 13 as of November 15 are eligible to participate in the International Peace Poster Contest. Entries not meeting the following deadlines will be disqualified.

- **January 15:** Kits go on sale from the Club Supplies Sales Department at International Headquarters.
- **October 1:** Deadline to purchase kits from the Club Supplies Sales Department at International Headquarters.
- **November 15:** Postmark deadline for a club to send one winning poster (per contest sponsored) to the district governor.
- **December 1:** Postmark deadline for a district governor to send one winning district poster to multiple district council chairperson.

Please consider sponsoring a Peace Poster Contest in Your Local Schools. If you have any questions, please contact PCC Darlene Roll. Thank you!

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It is with great sadness that the Forum Executive Committee has decided to cancel the 2020 USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum in Louisville, Kentucky. As we said earlier in the year, the safety of our attendees is our number one concern. We had hoped for a significant flattening of the curve on cases of COVID-19 throughout our geographical area but that has not been the trend. Travel between the United States and Canada has also been a concern.

**The Forum will offer a choice of a full refund or a rollover of your registration fees to the 2021 Forum. You must make that choice in writing by emailing our Registrar at [registrar@lionsforum.org](mailto:registrar@lionsforum.org) or by mailing your choice request to PO Box 723, Rapid City, SD 57709-0723. Please do not call the Forum office to request a refund or transfer of funds to 2021.**

Our goal for the USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum has always been to provide a rich learning experience and a social environment where we see our old friends and make new ones. This 44th Annual Forum promised to be one of the best as the City of Louisville has so much to share with us.

We extend our sincere appreciation to the City of Louisville and to the Kentucky Lions for inviting us. We hope to be back soon.





### 'Clean sweep' from Lions to area businesses

The Kenton Lions Club is presenting a Lions Club broom to Kenton area businesses affected by COVID-19 to help give the business a "clean sweep." Members pictured with brooms are (from left) Terry Burgbacher, Bill Keller, Dave Sturgeon and Daryl Flowers. The club says to join together and sweep away these last few months of hardship and reopen with a new broom.

Times photo



The Holgate Lions Club held a successful Chicken BBQ on July 19th selling out before noon. Through chicken sales and their "keep the change" idea, the fundraiser raised a gross profit of over \$3,000 for the club to put towards service projects. Excellent job, Holgate Lions!

The McComb Lions kicked off the new year by holding an outdoor meeting complying with CDC restrictions. It was good to see everyone again! We discussed the success of our 4th of July chicken drive through BBQ. We profited \$826. Earlier in the summer we beautified a planter in the downtown area and continue to water the Tickseed plants. Raffle tickets are being sold and drawings for cash prizes begin in October. Finally, we have been invited by the Rotary Club to help with a community project. We will be cleaning tombstones in the cemetery on July 28 at 5:30 in the evening.

We will be assisting with the district 5K STEPS walk on October 3rd at 3 PM which is being held at the McComb Village park.

We celebrated the District Service and Humanitarian Awards. We also received the third place Governor's Award. Finally, we are proud to endorse our Lion member, Dave Stockum for 2nd Vice District Governor for the year 2020-2021.

We are looking forward to navigating through this unusual year safely and to continue with as many activities as possible.

For additional pictures, videos, and OH1 Lions updates during the month, be sure to check out **Ohio Lions 13 OH1** on Facebook!

Deadline for the September Newsletter is August 25, 2020.

Submit your newsletter items to Newsletter Editor Jessica Reichley at [newsletter@ohiolionsoh1.org](mailto:newsletter@ohiolionsoh1.org) or [jreichley@gmail.com](mailto:jreichley@gmail.com)



The Sight Center  
of northwest ohio

### ***LOW VISION CLINIC OPENS IN DEFIANCE***

*The Sight Center of Northwest Ohio Announces New Local Service for Sight Impaired*

**DEFIANCE, JULY 21, 2020** - A new monthly low vision satellite clinic has been established in Defiance by The Sight Center of Northwest Ohio, making it easier for people who are sight-impaired to begin the process of vision rehabilitation.

The Sight Center will operate the new clinic by appointment only at ProMedica Physicians Defiance Regional Ophthalmology beginning on July 21, serving people in and around Defiance County.

While nearly all of The Sight Center's vision rehabilitation services can be provided in a person's own home, the typical first step is a clinical low vision evaluation, which is conducted in a professional eyecare setting.

Low vision evaluations will be performed by Dr. Alexzandra Rudinoff, one of The Sight Center's Low Vision Optometrists.

In addition to clinical low vision evaluations, The Sight Center will also provide functional low vision evaluations, case management services and resource information to clients in the new clinic.

Other vision rehabilitation services, such as white cane training, daily living adaptations, home safety enhancements and assistive technology training, can all take place in a person's own home or workplace.

Both the American Academy of Ophthalmology and the American Optometric Association recommend vision rehabilitation early in the process of vision loss when people still have some usable vision.

According to a recent study by Prevent Blindness, over 7,000 people in Defiance and adjacent counties live with uncorrectable vision loss, representing nearly 6% of the local population.

"We serve quite a few clients each year from the Defiance area" said Stacey Butts, The Sight Center's Executive Director, adding, "We're thrilled to open a local clinic for others in the area who live with permanent vision loss."



## ABOUT THE SIGHT CENTER

The Sight Center and its mission are unique in all of Northwest Ohio. No other organization in the region exists to empower independence and enrich the lives of people who are blind or visually impaired.

Founded in 1923 as the non-profit Toledo Society for the Blind, the agency has grown to serve an 18-county region in Northwest Ohio as well as parts of Southeast Michigan and Central Ohio.

Motivated by this mission and inspired by a 97-year legacy, The Sight Center offers a unique blend of programs and services that can help people of all ages work, learn, play and live independently with permanent vision loss.

The Sight Center performs three major roles in service to people who are blind or visually impaired. For many, we empower independence by providing individualized rehabilitation services that teach lifelong skills. The agency enriches the lives of several thousand more annually who stay connected to relevant information, seek caregiver advice or who find low-vision solutions in The Shop, the area's only low-vision store. Finally, The Sight Center of Northwest Ohio impacts countless more lives by continuing to be a strong voice, a trusted partner and a respected leader on all issues affecting people who are blind or visually impaired.

With certified and credentialed staff, national accreditation, and nearly a century of blindness and low vision expertise, The Sight Center stands alone as the only comprehensive low vision resource center in the entire region.

For more information visit [www.SightCenterNWO.org](http://www.SightCenterNWO.org) or call (419) 720-3937.

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The Findlay Lions Club collected over 190 pairs of eyeglasses from drop-off boxes in their community and donated them to VOSH in Pandora.



The first Cabinet meeting of the 2020-2021 Lions year will be held on Saturday, August 15th at 9a.m. via Zoom. RSVP to CS/PDG Sheryl Burnette at [smg.osufan@gmail.com](mailto:smg.osufan@gmail.com), NO LATER than Monday, August 10, 2020, if you plan on attending the meeting. Further instructions and directions will be sent out for the Zoom meeting prior to August 15th.

## COME CELEBRATE THE 100<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF OHIO LIONS and REGONIZE THE 2019-2020 COUNCIL OF GOVERNORS

Due to the world pandemic the 2020 Ohio Lions State Convention had to be canceled but on Saturday, September 5, 2020, the Ohio Lions will have a one-day celebration at the Marriott Northwest, Dublin.

8:00a.m. - 2:00p.m.

Registration

9:00p.m. – 9:30p.m.

Opening Business Session

9:30a.m. - 10:00a.m.

Memorial Service

Honoring our fellow Lions that  
have passed this Past Year as  
well as recognizing;

1VIP Haynes Townsend

PIP Wayne A. Madden

Ohio's First Lady  
Lion Betty Coffey



12 noon - 2:00p.m.

Multiple District 13 Awards  
Luncheon and Ohio Lions PDG  
Association, Inc. Recognition

8:00a.m. - 4:00p.m.

Vendor Displays

Pin Traders

Blue Frog Clothing Sale

SERVICE PROJECTS:  
Rise Against Hunger

Hygiene kits  
Check the website for  
Items needed

5:00p.m. - 8:00p.m.

2019-2020  
Council of Governors  
Grand Banquet

Guest Speaker

International Awards

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Live and Silent Auctions

REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS AUGUST 29,  
2020.

REGISTRATION COSTS: \$70.00  
(INCLUDES 2 MEALS AND ALL ACTIVITIES)

NO REFUNDS AFTER AUGUST 30<sup>TH</sup>. \*\*\*\*\*

\*\*\*\*IF THIS EVENT IS CANCELLED DUE TO AN  
EXECUTIVE ORDER FROM THE STATE OF OHIO  
REGISTRATION FEES WIL BE  
REFUNDED\*\*\*\*\*

GO TO [WWW.OHIOLIONS.ORG](http://WWW.OHIOLIONS.ORG) TO USE YOUR  
CREDIT CARD!!

We welcome our  
Guest Speaker  
PID Stephen Glass  
and Lion Cindy from  
the great state of West  
Virginia!!

## Multiple District 13 Ohio Lions 100<sup>th</sup> Celebration Registration Form

September 5, 2020  
Columbus Marriott Northwest  
5605 Blazer Parkway, Dublin, OH 43017

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#### Celebration Schedule:

8:00am - 2:00pm Registration  
9:00am - 9:30am Opening Business Session  
9:30am - 10:00am Memorial Service  
12noon - 2:30pm Awards Luncheon & PDG Recognition  
8:00am - 4:00pm Vendor, Display, Pin Traders, Blue Frog Clothing Sale, Silent Auction  
2:30pm - 4:00pm Service Projects, PDG Fall Meeting  
5:00pm - 8:00pm 2019-2020 Council of Governors Grand Banquet, International Awards,  
Live Auction

*We welcome our Guest Speaker PID Stephen Glass and PDG Cindy from the great state of West Virginia!!*

#### HOTEL RESERVATION

Hotel reservations are available at the Columbus Marriott NW can be made directly through the hotel at the following number: 614-791-1000. Daily rate: \$119.00+tax. Please mention Ohio Lions to receive this rate. Reservations received after August 15, 2020 will be provided on a space available basis at prevailing rates. The State Office will not accept hotel reservations or room deposits.

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The 2020 State Convention pin will be given to each registered attendee.

\*You do not have to have PayPal account to use your credit card.

**District 13 OH1 Governor's Cabinet Award**

Open to all Dist 13 OH1 Cabinet Members  
Send to District 13 OH1 Governor John Davis

The Governor's Cabinet Award is open to all cabinet members and broken down to six categories. This award is to recognize members who fulfilled their duties for the best interest of OH1 and Lions in general. This award is self-evaluating and graded by you the cabinet member. **Time frame for the award is July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021**

**District Cabinet Officers**

- \_\_\_ Attend the four cabinet meetings during the 2020-21 Lions year.
- \_\_\_ Turn in your cabinet reports on time.
- \_\_\_ Wears red jacket/red vest/red shirt at the November and February cabinet meeting.
- \_\_\_ Will attend three out of the first eight-zone meetings.
- \_\_\_ Will submit at least six news articles to the District Newsletter based on their position.
- \_\_\_ Will be available to install new members in the District
- \_\_\_ Will help work at a club project that's not your club.

**District Zone Chairs**

- \_\_\_ Attend the four cabinet meetings during the 2020-21 Lions year.
- \_\_\_ Turn in your cabinet reports on time.
- \_\_\_ Wears red jacket/red vest/red shirt at the November and February cabinet meeting.
- \_\_\_ Hold two Zone meeting in his/her zone and an optional joint Zone meeting at the end of the year.
- \_\_\_ Hold Zone meetings that is most convenient for all clubs.
- \_\_\_ Will submit at least two news articles to the District Newsletter.
- \_\_\_ Will be available to install new members in your zone.
- \_\_\_ Will help work at a club project that's not yours in your zone.

**District Committee Chairs**

- \_\_\_ Attend the four cabinet meetings during the 2020-21 Lions year.
- \_\_\_ Turn in your cabinet reports on time.
- \_\_\_ Wears red jacket/red vest/red shirt at the November and February cabinet meeting.
- \_\_\_ Will submit at least two news articles to the District Newsletter.
- \_\_\_ Will be available to be the program at a Zone meeting.
- \_\_\_ Will be available to be the program at any Club meeting.
- \_\_\_ Will visit at least two clubs and talk about your committee.

**State Committee Chairs**

- \_\_\_ Attend the four cabinet meetings during the 2020-21 Lions year.
- \_\_\_ Turn in your cabinet reports on time.
- \_\_\_ Wears red jacket/red vest/red shirt at the November and February cabinet meeting.
- \_\_\_ Attend State Committee meetings when held.
- \_\_\_ Will submit at least two news articles to the District Newsletter.
- \_\_\_ Will be available to be the program at a Zone meeting.
- \_\_\_ Will be available to be the program at any Club meeting.
- \_\_\_ Will visit at least two clubs and talk about your committee.

**Foundation Committee Chairs**

- \_\_\_ Attend the four cabinet meetings during the 2020-21 Lions year.
- \_\_\_ Turn in your cabinet reports on time.
- \_\_\_ Wears red jacket/red vest/red shirt at the November and February cabinet meeting.
- \_\_\_ Attend Foundation Committee meetings when held.
- \_\_\_ Will submit at least two news articles to the District Newsletter.
- \_\_\_ Will be available to be the program at a Zone meeting.
- \_\_\_ Will be available to be the program at any Club meeting.
- \_\_\_ Will have a display featuring your Foundation

**PDG Non-Chairs and Cabinet Club Representative**

- \_\_\_ Attend the four cabinet meetings during the 2020-21 Lions year.
- \_\_\_ Wears red jacket/red vest/red shirt at the November and February cabinet meeting.
- \_\_\_ Will give a report to your club after cabinet meeting
- \_\_\_ Will visit a neighboring club with two fellow Lions.
- \_\_\_ Will attend all Zone meetings in your zone.
- \_\_\_ Will help work at a neighboring club project.

I, Lion \_\_\_\_\_ feel I have served my District and Lions Clubs International to the best of my ability and would be proud to wear the 2020-21 Governor's Cabinet Award.

Lion \_\_\_\_\_ , Date \_\_\_\_\_



**"WE SERVE" 2020-2021**

"Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much."  
~Hellen Keller

As a local Lions club and an individual Lion, you do good things and make a difference. I do not want to diminish the importance of your work and want to praise you for your efforts and accomplishments during 2019-2020 Lions Year.

However, if we work as a team, a common vision with a plan-of-action, have the resources, and leadership; we can make a difference beyond your imagination. With all the great accomplishments of the Ohio Lions over the past 100 years has no comparison to what is possible. A VISION (some may say purpose): What if the number of Lions Clubs in OHIO was doubled, or if the membership in your club twice as many as you have today, or if each of your current members were more activity involved? The sky is the limit!

"Unless commitment is made, there are only promises and hopes; but not plan." ~ Peter F. Drucker.

It starts with a single act. COMMITMENT! What does your community need? What can you visualize that with additional members and unlimited resources can your club do? With additional accomplishments what effect will it have on you and your members everyday lives?

In past decades and generations, the majority of LIONS have been satisfied with maintaining the "status quo"--doing some things while not looking bad. With our country in such a controversy on racism and a review of who we are and what we can do, creates an atmosphere where we can review ourselves and set a new direction toward "WE SERVE".

A journey starts with a single step, will you commit as a Lion to make this Lions Year better than previous years in service? Whether you write, e-mail, or text one or more of your leaders that are committed to helping Grow Lionism; join a team by contacting: checking your District Directory you can find your Membership Chair, Club President, Zone Chair, District GMT Coordinator's contact data. Or the MD13-GMT Chair PDG Charles R. Newland, can be contacted at: U.S. Mail: 12900 Barger Rd. Leesburg, Ohio 45135; e-mail: cnjnewland@yahoo.com, cell: (937) 763-7595 or home: (937) 780-6204.

Lead with Vision, Finish Strong,

Lion Charlie



## Northwest Lions Eye Care Foundation, Inc.

### **CHANGE: Foundation Meeting**

**Thursday Aug. 13, 2020**

**IS NOW A ZOOM MEETING!**

Click this link to join Zoom Meeting: **TIME 7PM**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83581718723?pwd=UTlzOFR3NWkyZzNZdFkvRzc3L1g4Zz09>

**(This link includes the Passcode)**

**If the link does not work for you**, join meeting by following these steps.

1. go to [www.zoom.us](http://www.zoom.us)
2. click on "join a meeting"
3. add in the **meeting ID: 835 8171 8723** and the **passcode: 101617**

4. host will let you into the zoom meeting.

**Or, if you are using a Zoom app**, just enter this information: **Meeting ID: 835 8171 8723**

**Passcode: 101617**

**If you are using a land line**, you can find your local dial in number at: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83581718723>

**Reservations by Fri. Aug. 7th to**  
**Bob Segna [rjsegna5@gmail.com](mailto:rjsegna5@gmail.com) or Dan**  
**Ritter [dan\\_ritter@frontier.com](mailto:dan_ritter@frontier.com) or**  
**Darlene Roll [dro111998@gmail.com](mailto:dro111998@gmail.com)**

## ***DISTRICT OH-1 LEADERSHIP***

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### **Second Vice District Governor**

Dave Stockum  
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