



OH-1 LIONS

April 2019

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Thoughts from Governor Dean Carruthers



We still have 4 months of this Lion Year District OH 1 has been doing great with membership but can always do better so District OH 1 has been doing great with membership but can always do better I am asking that clubs continue to recruit new members and work to retain those members that might be slipping away, IE not attending meetings. If you need assistance, please contact me or PDG Dan Ritter our District Membership Chairperson

We elected 1VDG Don Wiechart as District Governor, I am encouraging you to contact DGe Don if you are interested in assisting him this coming year on his cabinet. There are many opportunities to serve the Clubs, Zones and District.

If I have not made my official visit to your club, I am asking the President, Secretary or program chairperson to contact me, so we can schedule a date & time for my visit to your club. I can be contacted by email bigb31353@gmail.com or my cell phone at 567-525-2582.

Please add me to your newsletter & email lists. My contact information: email me at bigb31353@gmail.com or call my cell **567-525-2582** anytime between 8:00 A.M. – 11:30 P.M. **“WE SERVE”**

Yours in Lionism

DG Dean



The Ohio State Lions convention is May 17-19. Check out the [Ohio State Lions Convention Website](http://www.ohiostatelions.org) Embassy Suites phone number to reserve a room for the State Convention is: 614-790-9000.

Governor Dean Presenting Ted Verhoff of Fort Jennings Lions with District Lion of the Year Award at Zone D and E Meeting in Bluffton





Communications from DGE

Don Wiechart

I hope everyone is enjoying the warmer sunny weather. I know I'm enjoying it. Our district convention was first this year and the other district have had or two more will have their convention in upcoming weeks. I find it enjoyable to attend district conventions so not only do I want to invite you to our convention next year in Van Wert on April 3 and 4, may I also suggest that you may want to consider attending other district conventions as well. You can see how we may do things the same but also may see how we do things different and both ways may be appropriate and the best way for that district.

Upcoming events: I hope to see many of you at the upcoming officers training seminars on the morning of April 27 in Holgate and May 25th in Kenton in the morning as well. You should be or should have already received information from PDG Nick. If you haven't please let us know and we will forward that information to you as we look forward to seeing many of you there.

It's always great to visit my fellow lions at your club meetings, events or zone meetings. It's also great to honor or see fellow Lions at our meetings and events just as it was at the zone meeting in Bluffton where Ted Verhoff of the Fort Jennings Lions was honored as District Lion of the year. Great work Ted and Great work Fort Jennings Lions.

In closing, spring is here but I know and you know we still have some work to be done until our Lion year is complete on June 30. Let's get here done! Let's complete our remaining events and let's contact and sign up a few new members.

All the best in Lionism,

DGE Don Wiechart

Club Anniversaries for April & May

Happy Anniversary **HUNTSVILLE INDIAN LAKE** Lions! Charter Date 4/27/1970 ~ Happy Anniversary **MC COMB** Lions! Charter Date 4/28/1949 ~ Happy Anniversary **MENDON** Lions! Charter Date 4/12/1957 ~ Happy Anniversary **RUSHSYLVANIA** Lions! Charter Date 4/29/1985 ~ Happy Anniversary **VENEDOCIA** Lions! Charter Date 4/10/1961

Happy Anniversary **BELLEFONTAINE** Lions! Charter Date 5/26/1947 ~ Happy Anniversary **GROVER HILL** Lions! Charter Date 5/25/1948 ~ Happy Anniversary **WAPAKONETA** Lions! Charter Date 5/23/1950



Thoughts From VDGE Ashley Schmunk

Greetings Fellow Lions,

Conventions are fun but some of the best times we can have as Lions come from simple community service projects. In case you didn't guess, my picture this month was taken at the end of our first highway clean up of the season.

Events like community dinners, food drives, clean-up or recycling events can help local families and show the community that Lions care. These events can introduce Lions to new potential members, so they deserve the same advertising and reporting as big fundraisers.

The new MyLion can help and here are two links to some good information about it: [MyLion™ Leader Toolkit](#) and [MyLion™ The new Lions Clubs mobile app. Changing the world just got easier.](#)

In the picture with me and Nick is Lion Mark Eddings who is our local Parade Chairman. We had a nice float in Wauseon's Christmas Parade and will have one in the Homecoming Parade this summer. These family oriented events are another good way to advertise Lions Clubs to the community.

The Ohio Lions State Convention in May will offer an opportunity to help a new club, the Mansfield United Lions club

with a service project to help the Domestic Violence Shelter in their community. Toiletry and other items are being collected by the Global Service Team.

Yours in Lionism,

VDGE Ashley

Upcoming Meetings & District Wide Activities

Agenda and RSVP forms for Club Officer Training May 25th in Kenton are included at the end of this newsletter.

Next Cabinet Meeting is Sunday, May 5th at 3pm at Henry's in Ottawa, OH..

Charter Night for McComb Lions Club is Tuesday, May 7th at 6:30pm.

Next NWOLECF meeting is May 22, 2019, 6:30pm, Portage U.M. Church.

This year's State Convention is May 17-19, 2019. Dublin, OH at the Embassy Suites, registration form www.ohiolions.org.

The next International Convention is July 5-9, 2019, in Milan, Italy.



OHIO LIONS DONATION DRIVE

Bring toilet paper, deodorant,
new pillows, new towels, new wash
cloths, hair products and other
toiletry items to the

**OHIO LIONS STATE CONVENTION
MAY 17-19, DUBLIN**

*Let's help out the newly chartered
MANSFIELD UNITED LIONS CLUB with a
statewide service project for a Domestic
Violence Shelter in District OH-2*

Drop off all donated items at the Global Service Team
table in the lobby area beginning Friday afternoon.

State Band Committee — Proposal up for vote at the State Convention to eliminate the State Band Committee

As you are probably aware, there is a proposal up for vote at the state convention to eliminate the State Band Committee. I would encourage you to vote against this proposal. One of the reasons given is that the "current practices of the Band Committee can be overseen by various other committees". While this may be technically true, the Band Committee is revitalizing itself and we feel that we are best suited to perform these duties. Moving these duties to another state committee will just add to their burden. The Band Committee has spent time this year evaluating what has been the existing model for parade representation and have come up with a new model that we feel will be successful.

Under the current model, students throughout the state make up the band. There have been difficulties with the model over the last several years:

- Lack of interest by students to participate and/or band directors

- Usually poor instrumentation due to the small size, which does not represent Ohio Lions in a positive manner

- Fund raising to participate in the band is up to the individual participant and the local Lions Club

- Hiring of a band director that is willing to work during the summer for stipend allotted

- Band Committee is responsible for securing rehearsal/activities facilities, student activities, and housing during band camp

- Students may have to travel several hours to rehearse

- Band Committee is responsible for all travel arrangements, including transportation, meals, hotel, liability insurance, chaperones, uniforms, music, etc

The proposed model is to set up an audition process to select an Ohio high school band to represent Ohio Lions at international conventions. After marching in the parade, the Band Committee will donate a predetermined amount to the high school band. There are many positives to this model:

- Band Committee fund raising activities will be focused towards raising a set, stable amount.

- Travel expenses for the selected band will be the responsibility of the high school band, as well as expenses for housing, meals, uniforms, liability insurance, and chaperones. Ohio Lions involvement would be limited to the parade day.

- Rehearsals and preparation would be responsibility of the selected band.

- Since the band selected comes from an audition process, the quality of the band representing Ohio Lions should be first class.

- Clubs can still support the Ohio Lions Band either at the state level, or if their local high school band is selected, may support and promote them in their fund-raising activities.

- Band directors may show more interest due to the donated amount. Most high school bands take trips once every 4 years and are looking for opportunities such as this. It is to their advantage to be the selected band and know they will be earning a set amount for their band program. (This is currently a common practice for high school bands.)

The Band Committee feels that this new proposal is a positive move and show that we can evolve with current practices to best represent Ohio Lions during the International Convention. There is still work to be done in setting up the audition process, getting communication to high school bands, and a number of smaller items. Please vote to keep the State Band Committee.

Thank you, Anne Deutschman, OH1 Band Committee Representative

Ohio Lions State Convention



[ByLaws Proposal-1 Band Committee](#)



[ByLaws Proposal-2 Compliance Committee](#)



[ByLaws Proposal-3 Financial Oversight Committee](#)



[State Convention Flyer](#)



[State Convention Registration Form](#)



[State Convention Delegate Form](#)



[State Convention Booklet Ad Form](#)



Ohio Lions State Convention

May 17-19, 2019

Embassy Suites

5100 Upper Metro Place

Dublin, OH 43017

(614) 790-9000

embassysuites3.hilton.com

Ohio Lions State Convention Registration

Northwest Ohio Lions Eye Care Foundation Officer Elections for 2019-2020

Fellow Lions,

In May the NWOLECF will be electing new officers and 2 Board of Directors, the Board of Directors will be elected to a 2 year term.

Positions up for election are:

- President
- V President
- Secretary
- Treasurer
- 2 – Board of Director (to serve a 2 year term).

If any Lion is interested in running for any of the mentioned officer positions please let Cabinet Secretary, PDG Sheryl Burnette, know of your interest.

Your current officers for the NWOLECF are:

- President** – PCC Darlene Roll (she has noted that she would continue in this position if no other Lion runs)
- V President** – Lion Ellie Niejadlik (she has noted that she would continue in this position if no other Lion runs)
- Secretary** – Lion Bob Segna (he has noted that he would continue in this position if no other Lion runs)
- Treasurer** – PDG Dan Ritter (he was just elected mid-term and would continue in this position if no other Lion runs)
- 1 year Board of Director** – Lion Doug Troutner (he has 1 more year left to his 2 year term, no vote needed)
- 1 year Board of Director** – Lion Arliss Plaughter (he has 1 more year left to his 2 year term, no vote needed)

Needed to fill:

- 1 – 2 year Board of Director** – need to vote a Lion into this position.
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Outgoing Board of Directors is:

- PDG Micheal Gibbs (he has noted that he would continue in this position if no other Lion runs)
- Lion Joanne Moats (she has noted that she would continue in this position if no other Lion runs)
- PDG Jack Preston has expressed interest on serving on the Board of Directors and will be running for this position.

Again, if any Lion would like to run for any of the officer positions listed above please let me know.

CS PDG Sheryl Burnette; email smg.osufan@gmail.com. Or call 567-454-9739.

Thank You for your Service.



**Northwest Lions Eye Care
Foundation, Inc.**

***All 13 OH1 Lions are members of this
foundation. Come to this meeting and see
what YOUR Foundation is all about!***

**IMPORTANT: Foundation Meeting
Wed. May 22, 2019**

**Christ United Methodist Church
301 W. Main St.
Portage, Ohio**

**Time: 6:30pm Meal: \$10
Reservations by Wed. May 15th to
Lion Bob Segna 419-308-1906 or
rjsegna@frontier.com**

- New Cases, finalize old
- Election of 2019-20 Officers
- Purchase of new CCTVs discussion
- Policy Manual updates

LCIF News

In a recent email, District 41 LCIF Coordinator PDG Bruce Jellison writes:

The Lion Clubs International Foundation (LCIF) Campaign 100 Leadership Team Members have informed me of the seriousness of the flooding in the mid-west. The mid-west (especially Nebraska) is experiencing unprecedented flooding. Lives have been lost and thousands are homeless and have lost everything. You can be assured your foundation, LCIF will be sending thousands of dollars to Lions in this area to help with the recovery.

Disasters are now happening back to back, PLEASE help your LCIF help those in distress by making a donation now. If you have not made a donation to your LCIF this year, this is the time to do it. All donations are tax deductible and may count towards naming a Melvin Jones Fellow and toward your Campaign 100 pledge. A donation of only \$100 goes a long way. (one time or only \$10 a month). It's easy, go onto lcif.org/donate or see your club LCIF Coordinator.

The Lions and the people need your help now. Looking forward to seeing your name in my next month's LCIF report.

"Some people live an entire lifetime wondering if they made a difference in the world. Lions don't face that problem."

More information about LCIF's Disaster Relief Program can be found in the March 22nd article, "Your Foundation Is a Beacon of Hope," (<https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/blog/your-foundation-is-a-beacon-of-hope>) which says in part:

In the past few weeks, several of our constitutional areas have experienced devastating tragedy. Catastrophic floods are overwhelming the central United States and parts of Mozambique, Malawi, and Zimbabwe.

In the US, hundreds of levees were breached and entire towns have been destroyed. The land and the farmers whose livelihood depends on it are devastated. In Nebraska alone, livestock and crops losses are expected to reach \$1 billion. It will likely take years to recover from this disaster.

In the days immediately following the disaster, LCIF awarded five Emergency grants totaling US\$50,000. The gravity of the situation has become more apparent, and your foundation has responded with another US\$50,000 Major Catastrophe grant for all affected regions.

In Mozambique, Malawi, and Zimbabwe, thousands of people are missing in the wake of Cyclone Idai. The death toll cannot even be estimated right now. Residents of these countries are in dire need of food, water, medical supplies, shelter and sanitation.

To assist local Lions in their relief efforts, LCIF initially awarded two US\$10,000 Emergency grants. As the devastating effects of this disaster have become more apparent, your Foundation has responded again with a US\$50,000 Major Catastrophe grant for the affected countries.

We are only able to offer ... assistance because of your generous support.

Thank you all, please don't hesitate to reach out if you need anything from me. Would like to encourage all our clubs in district 13 OH-1 to consider their donation to LCIF if they have not already sent a donation in. The flooding in the mid-west if the latest disaster here in the states and need all the assistance that Lions can provide.

PDG Barbara Plaugher, District 13 OH-1 LCIF Coordinator

You can donate today at: <https://donations.lcif.org/disaster/EN/donation-page.php>

In 100 years, LCI has proven that Lions united in service can transform the lives of millions. With the help of every Lion in every club, Lions Clubs International Foundation will be poised to expand their global causes and serve more than 200 million people each year by 2021. Your personal financial support of the foundations Campaign 100: Empowering Service is critical to meeting this goal.



Service, Fundraising, and Social Events

Vision & Hearing Activities

PERRYSBURG SUNRISE March 30th, Two bags and a box of eyeglasses were picked up from two locations. March 28th 2 boxes and 3 bags of eyeglasses were picked up from 3 locations.

KENTON On March 28th, a Lion collected 40 eyeglasses from Dr. Warrner's office., and on March 25th a Lion collected 250 eyeglasses from Goodwill in Kenton

ADA March 27th Purchased Glasses for local resident

FINDLAY March 25th One eye case was reviewed, Application Incomplete. No action taken. 9 Pairs of Reading Glasses were dispensed during the month of March.

SYLVANIA SUNRISE March 14th 630 eyeglasses were picked up this month.

PERRYSBURG SUNRISE March 7th Eyeglasses were picked up from 4 locations and a large bag was left on our porch. They were sorted to determine usable or damaged. Damaged glasses and unneeded cases are donated to VOSH to be sold for the value of the materials and the funds used for missions. Usable glasses are sorted and will be used for our annual Alabama vision mission to Mexico. Altogether, 4 boxes of eyeglass cases and 1 box of glasses were donated and delivered to VOSH. Also, PDG Craig stayed and packed glasses with part of the mission team for the Aug/Sep VOSH Mission trip to Romania.

MC COMB March 7th Club member assisted with packing eyeglasses in Pandora, Ohio to be shipped to Romania for VOSH (Volunteer Optometric Services to Humanity) mission trip this upcoming September.

RIVERDALE COMMUNITY March 5th We have collected 86 pairs of glasses in the past month or two. We continue to have donation boxes in each of our 3 communities.

PORTAGE March 3rd We have collected 670 eyeglasses the last 3 months. They are boxed and ready for donation to VOSH.

ARCHBOLD We heard from a member who helped with an eye care program through their professional optometrist group. It was held in Delaware Ohio and she is looking into the possibilities of bringing the program to FultonCounty/ Northwest Ohio.

Hunger Relief

PERRYSBURG March 17th 3 bags of food were donated to the Food Pantry at Maumee United Methodist Church, then on March 24th 2 bags of food were donated to the pantry, and finally on March 31st, 9 bags of food and home products were donated.

PERRYSBURG SUNRISE Provided Soup Kitchen assistance on March 6th and again on March 20th. On each date two members at two separate locations prepared and served food at local soup kitchens

WAUSEON March 28th Our Lions Club provided the meal for our Community's weekly "Community Meal". Our Club prepared the meal and served 96 meals to those in our community. We were also in charge of cleanup. This weekly "Community Meal" is held at a local church that allows different organizations to host and prepare the meal as a community outreach for those in need of a meal.

CRIDERSVILLE Fundraising Event March 14th we have a spaghetti dinner to raise funds for our club with 1/2 of sales going to the local food pantry

PERRYSBURG SUNRISE Humane Society Hunger Relief March 25th 9 bags of dog food were donated.

WAUSEON Wauseon Elementary School Project reported on March 19th Our club bought food items for the Wauseon Elementary School backpack project. This project helps provide food for students to take home during the week and weekend so that these students have food to eat. These students would otherwise may go without food due to their home situations.

Environment

PERRYSBURG SUNRISE Cleaned up trails for the environment on March 22nd and March 27th on each date 2 bags of cans and bottles were picked up while walking and metal detecting.

BLUFFTON March 14th 26 large ink cartridges and 59 small cartridges sent for recycling

Community

PIONEER March 11th \$150.00 was donated to Montpelier Cub Scout Pack 25

PORTAGE March 9th the Portage Lions club now publishes the monthly Village newsletter, the Nitty Gritty. This is a joint venture with the Village Council, Christ United Methodist Church and the Portage Lions Club. All groups and organizations within the Village are encouraged to submit articles. The primary function of the newsletter is to keep the Village residents informed of news and events happening in the Village.

OTTOVILLE March 5th Ottoville Lions club donated \$250 to the local Ottoville, Ohio Library toward the purchase of New Children's Books for the Library. They also made a donation to the Ottoville High School after Prom(Post Prom) to help with gift cards/gifts for students attending prom, and to the Ottoville Mother's Club Annual 5K event to help the Ottoville Local Schools Community .

SPENCERVILLE Lions Cheer Club March 7th The club sent cards to the two Cheer Club recipient at Roselawn Manor. This month of March 2019 was Betty Place

HOLGATE Lions had 5 non-Lion volunteer hours reported on March 4th They also sponsored an ad in the Crescent News for the Masonic Lodge pancake and sausage breakfast March 23rd to benefit Diabetic Youth Camp. Finally they reported 2 signs posted on the Community Sign Board since last meeting.

Fundraising & Donations

PERRYSBURG SUNRISE March 4th At our meeting we went over our annual donations budget and wrote checks for: LCIF \$400, Intl. Relations \$100, Lions Youth \$150, NWOLECF \$250, OLERF \$200, OLF \$150, Pilot Dogs \$250, Assistance Dogs of America \$250, The Sight Center of NW Ohio \$100, and Diabetes \$200. We discussed ways to better help those who use the Cherry Street Mission and need eyecare assistance. We are contacting the director to get their thoughts. Also, we plan to create a letter for all of the local schools to make it clear that we are here for eyeglass assistance to those in-need. We aren't getting very many requests from schools, so we think they are unaware of us and how we will help. We had a motion to create a new parade/booth banner. Deb Miller has volunteered to create it. We ordered a 10½" Lions patch from the LCI Store for the center of it.

PORTAGE McDonald's Benefit Night Fundraising Event March 1st A couple times a year we host a benefit night at the South Main Street McDonald's restaurant in Bowling Green. For the scheduled 3 hour period we earn at least 10% of all the sales, both inside and drive-through. We are also allowed to post a notice that we will be collecting used eyeglasses during the event.. The actual event was held on Feb 28, but we are not notified of funds raised until later. We had excellent night.

BLUFFTON \$200 Donation to LCIF Campaign 100 March 1st to recognize PCC David Gauch as charter night speaker

KENTON Reported Lions Roar practice for Fundraising Event. On March 27th at the Kenton Elks club & March 30th at the Kenton Middle School 21 members of the Kenton Lions club showed up at 6:30 pm to to help build side stages, and practice for the upcoming "Lions Roar" the weekend of April of 6th & 7th.



NORTH BALTIMORE Baked Steak dinner Fundraising Event March 16th The North Baltimore Lions Club sponsored their annual Baked Steak Dinner. Approximately 450 dinners were served. (Pics on left)

RIVERDALE COMMUNITY Annual pancake and sausage brunch March 17th We held our annual pancake and sausage brunch on March 17th at Riverdale School. We had over 170 people in attendance. We continue to do well with this fundraiser and continue to expand and upgrade it each year.

ARCHBOLD Club held a Pancake and Sausage Breakfast.



Community

PIONEER March 30th birthday gifts were taken to 3 Evergreen Nursing Home residents, and on March 25th a \$60.00 a stud was purchased for future Habitat for Humanity home

PORTAGE March 25th Donated to HOBY, an Ohio West Leadership Seminar for youth to help develop leadership skills

Community

HOLGATE Person Centered Services donation March 18th Donated \$25.00 to PCS as a thank you for stuffing our Easter Egg hunt eggs. Reported a Disaster Fund Donation March 18th Donation to area woman after a house fire. Also, six signs posted to the Community Sign Board since last meeting announcing community events. Ice Cream Day at Van-Crest was March 23th Served ice cream to residents and family members

DESHLER March 11th donated \$150.00 to sponsor a T-Ball team for this summer's activities

WAUSEON Dick Bryan Award Presentation March 11th Our club, Wauseon Lions, along with Fayette Lions Club presented an "Ohio Lions Eye Research Foundation - W. R. "Dick Bryan Award" to the Fayette School Board, for the schools participation in both the schools participation of the "Foundation Basketball Game" last November, in which the Lions Clubs raised funds for Juvenile Diabetes.

ARCHBOLD We are starting our hard copy calendar program. We also are hosting a community calendar at archbold-community-calendar. Check it out and like it on our [Archbold Lions Facebook Page](#).

Meetings & District-Wide Activities

PERRYSBURG SUNRISE March 31st Secretary made monthly online reports, coordinated with members by telephone and email, deposited club income, and made a written record of two meetings. Treasurer wrote checks for annual donations and created treasurer's reports. Club calling committee called members before meetings and a special call-out to vote on future meeting location.

COLDWATER met on March 27, 2019. There were 11 members present. This meeting was our road trip tour to New Bremen to tour Kinninger Welding. We were toured by CEO Kevin Thobe and his staff. We observed their state of the art laser cutting, water jet, CNC and welding operations. Also observed powder coating in process and saw the upholstery trim shop as well. Great tour and informative.

BLUFFTON Dr. Jane Woods, president of the Bluffton University spoke at the Bluffton Lion's March 19th club meeting. Woods spoke on her Vision for the Future of Bluffton University emphasizing various areas that are currently exceptional. These areas are in the department of Nutrition; Teacher Education, Athletics; and Student Engagement. (Pic on Left)

SYLVANIA SUNRISE March 13th First meeting of the month. Discussion was held about the upcoming Beeping Easter egg hunt. Also several of our members will having their own business booth at the Sylvania Expo and will be placing eye glass collection boxes at these booth.



At the March 26th meeting of Bryan Lions Club, Matt Keck was inducted as a new member. Picture from left Matt Keck new member, Ben Murray sponsor, and PDG John Moats (Pic below on Left) and 2VDGE Rebecca had Dent had a wonderful dinner at Pioneer Lions Club and was honored to present the Club with several award patches. (Pic below on Right)



Meetings & District-Wide Activities

PERRYSBURG SUNRISE Perrysburg Lions meeting March 18th At our meeting we discussed holding a children's eye screening at Toledo Christian School. The principal is interested and seeking more info. We hope to accomplish this endeavor in August. Dr Bob recited some history of NWOLECF. Our guest (and prospective member) discussed a new group in greater Toledo which will help blind and visually impaired people led by Pastor Kevin Perrine. Thank you notes from Pilot Dogs and NWOLECF mentioning our donations were read to members.

SPENCERVILLE Bi Monthly Meeting March 12th Our club met twice in March on the 12th and 26th at The Little Kozy Restaurant in Spencerville. 5 Members met at the first meeting and 6 at the 2nd. Club business was transacted and discussed which included: Cheer Club cards, communications of events at other clubs in the zone, district events and some international events and issues. Fellowship was enjoyed as well. Members reminded on Club health screening on April 27 at St. Patrick's.

MC COMB At the Club Meeting March 12th our club had a membership night with a potential of of gaining three new members.

DESHLER held our 62nd charter night celebration on March 11th with 22 in attendance, District Governor Dean Caruthers and 1st Vice District Governor Don Wiechart and three other PDG were in attendance. District Governor Dean presented eleven members with 100% attendance pins and one 25 year old Monarch award.

HOLGATE On March 11th Four Holgate Lions and three members of MC COMB attended the Deshler Charter Night.

PORTAGE Charter Night was March 11th. 5 members **PERRYSBURG SUNRISE** and 4 members of **NORTH BALTIMORE** attended Portage Lions Charter Night to celebrate with them.

PERRYSBURG SUNRISE Lion Paul Nutter's funeral March 8th 2 members attended Lion Paul Nutter's funeral in Lima, OH

ARCHBOLD We have a kids night schedule for our 2nd meeting in April.

COLDWATER Lions met on Feb 27, 2019 at McSober's. There were 6 members in attendance. The Club did not meet on March 13 due to the Boys basketball tournament game that evening. Our guest for the evening was our District Zone Chairman Lion Jack Preston from the Wapak Lions club. ZC Jack gave us an update on happenings within the district and gave dates and locations for events to occur this spring. He also connected us with Josh Huber who has an interest in becoming a member of the Club.

Lion Jack made a presentation to Coldwater Lion Mike Bruns as Zone G Lion of the Year who was humbly honored to be recognized, and could not have done this without the satisfactory efforts made by his fellow Coldwater Lions.

MyLCI Recorded March Meetings

PAULDING, & BELLEFONTAINE on March 28th and **COLDWATER, & VAN BUREN** on March 27th,

WEST MANSFIELD, UPPER SCIOTO VALLEY, WAPAKONETA, COLUMBUS GROVE, BRYAN, SWANTON, & ST. MARYS on March 26th and **HUNTSVILLE INDIAN LAKE, SCOTT, VENEDOCIA, VAN WERT, & ROCKFORD** on March 25th

RUSHSVLVANIA, & CONTINENTAL on March 21st and **WAYNESFIELD, NAPOLEON, LIMA HOST, FORT JENNINGS** on March 20th

WEST UNITY, CRIDERSVILLE, & MIDDLE POINT on March 18th and **ARCHBOLD, DEFIANCE, KALIDA, CELINA,** March 19th

OTTAWA, & ARCADIA on March 13th **FAYETTE** on March 12th **DELTA-LIBERTY, & CONVOY Club** on March 11th

TOLEDO HOST March 7th **ARLINGTON,** and **WILLSHIRE** March 5th

WEST LIBERTY, MENDON, GLANDORF, and GROVER HILL on March 4th



2019 Club Officer Training



“Getting Back to the Basics”

The 2019 – 2020 Club Officer Training will be held at Kenton Middle School in Kenton, Ohio on May 25, 2019. Kenton Middle School address is 300 Oriental St. Kenton, OH. The training will be from 8:00 am to 11:00 am. Training will be for all Club Presidents, Vice Presidents, Secretaries, Treasurers, Membership Chairs, and LCIF Club Coordinators. Zone Chair training for those incoming Zone Chairs and anyone interested in becoming a Zone Chair will occur at this time as well.

Agenda

- 8:00 – 8:30: Registration & Social Time
- 8:30 – 9:00: Welcome & Opening Remarks
- 9:00 – 9:45: Club Officer Training
- 10:00 – 10:45:
- Club Presidents/ Vice Presidents
 - Club Secretaries
 - Club Treasurers
 - Club Membership Chairs
 - LCIF Club Coordinator
 - Zone Chairs
- 10:45 – 11:00: Meet Your 2019 – 2020 District Governor

Clubs must register with PDG Nick Schmunk, GLT Coordinator, no later than May 11, 2019. Please email the registration form to PDG Nick at njs_schmunk@hotmail.com. Please put Club Officer Training in the Subject line.

_____ Lions Club Zone _____
(Club Name)

Club President _____

Club Secretary _____

Club Treasurer _____

Membership Chair _____

LCIF Club Coordinator _____



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_____ Lions Club Zone _____
(Club Name)

Club President _____

Club Secretary _____

Club Treasurer _____

Membership Chair _____

LCIF Club Coordinator _____

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