

DISTRICT 14-L NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER 2025



A MESSAGE FROM DISTRICT GOVERNOR DAVE FLURIE

Greetings fellow Lions in 14-L,

It's been an honor and pleasure visiting with 24 of our 35 clubs so far to meet Lions I haven't met before and to get reacquainted with the Lions I know.

I see this as a journey together sharing stories and motivating each individual Lion to think about your role in the club and how you can continue to make a difference serving your neighbors and community. One way to strengthen your club is to consider becoming a club officer where you can develop and exercise your leadership skills. Not only do we Lead to Serve but we should Serve to Lead.

My trips in November will take me to Orbisonia, Stone Creek Valley, and the Newry Lions clubs. I look forward to each visit not only seeing what our clubs are doing but offering assistance and resources to those clubs in need.

We originally set a location and date for a district Fall Rally but had to cancel this event due to competing interests. We are planning another rally after the New Year and will notify clubs when the location and date are set.

-Continued on page 2

Upcoming Events

Nov. 9th - Cabinet Meeting @ Orbisonia Lions

Jan 3-11 - Hunger Service Event

Feb. 8th - Cabinet Meeting @ TBD

March 6-8 - RLLI Training in Harrisburg

April 11th - District Convention @ Juniata Valley HS

May 15-17th - State Convention - Indiana, PA

LIONS INTERNATIONAL WEEK OF SERVICE

Hunger

Join the district and Lions from around the world in this years second "Week of Service". It runs from January 3-11th. We ask all clubs between Dec.27-Jan.18 to make a food or monitary donation to a locally. Whether it is a local food bank or a "Blessings Box" outside your church, we want to hear about it!



DISTRICT GOVERNOR MESSAGE CONTINUED

Our 2nd district cabinet meeting is right around the corner this coming Sunday, November 9th at Orbisonia Lions Club. Lunch will be provided by the Orbisonia Lions at 12:30pm at a cost of \$5 per person. The meeting will begin at 1:00pm. I highly encourage club member participation, especially club presidents, secretaries and treasurers to understand how we do business at the district level and of course some great Lions fellowship.

More district training is on the way open to all clubs. We are planning a Lions portal training event before the end of the year. Our district team is currently contacting clubs to determine which clubs would prefer in-person training and which would prefer connecting via a Zoom call. A central location is planned for the in-person meeting, and the location and date will be sent to all clubs shortly. Subjects covered during this training include basic LCI portal navigation; club officer training sessions offered on the portal and service reporting. Prior to the training session, we are asking clubs to send us any questions they have concerning the use of the LCI portal and club officer learning sessions offered on the portal. Having those questions before the event will help us focus our training on areas most needed.

As I mentioned in my last newsletter message, the Lakemont Lions have added 10 new members. I am in possession of the "membership blitz" plan used by the Lakemont membership chairperson and will freely send a thumb drive with the PowerPoint and correspondence out to all interested clubs. With Lakemont's success, I am encouraging all our clubs to look at this plan and tailor it to your club needs. The event could be an ice cream or pizza Social at your Lions building, local firehall or church.

I would like club presidents to identify a couple of their respective members they feel would benefit from attending the Regional Lions Leadership Institute (RLLI) taking place in March 2026 at the PA Lions State office in Harrisburg. Both VDG Hunter and I attended this excellent training event that motivated and prepared us to seek our current positions. The district will cover the cost for the club members that attend. Registration forms for this event can be mailed to the clubs.

Finally, our next "Weeks of Service" event is in January. The theme of the January event is Hunger. I want to encourage all the clubs in our district to participate. We are planning a district-wide food drive with donations going to your local food banks. In lieu of a food donation, money donations are certainly acceptable.

Club Strength is Lions Strength
Come Serve with Us

Yours in Lionism,
DG Dave Flurie



**774 Lions in
District 14-L**

DISTRICT GOVERNOR VISITATION SCHEDULE

Stone Creek Valley Lions – Monday, November 10th
Newry Lions – Thursday, November 13th
Bedford Lions – Tuesday, December 2nd
Fort Shirley - December 11th
Robertsdale, Saltillo, & Saxton - TBD

WELCOME NEW LIONS

Everett
Jordan Teeters
McVeytown
Christopher Burke
Milroy
Kelley Fultz



DISTRICT OUTREACH DUES!

The district outreach invoices were sent out with the last newsletter to all club secretaries. The first half of the year is \$10 per member according to your July 1st member count.

The second half of the year invoices will be sent out beginning of January. \$10 a member per your January 1st member count.

PORTAL TRAINING!!

We will be holding 2 trainings via Zoom on **November 16th and November 19th** at 7PM. It will also be streamed LIVE on our Facebook page as well. We will cover the basics of logging on, reporting service, how to add/drop/transfer members, and look at valuable reports as well. Both will set up the same that way we hope you can make one. **We encourage all Presidents, Secretaries, Treasurers, and Club Admins** to join us, along with any Lion who would like more information or help walking through the site. After each session we will have a Q&A to walk through any other questions you may have. We will send out an email closer to time with the Zoom link, but we encourage you to also please email **info@palions14L.org** to register and also pass on any questions so we can have answers prepared! We look forward to "seeing" you there!

LEAD TO SERVE - SERVE TO LEAD

Dear Lion,

"We serve" is more than just a motto. It's a way of life for Lions. In addition to all of the great local causes we support, we are known for our commitment to global causes such as hunger, vision, the environment, and newer initiatives like mental health and well-being.

Now is the time to plan our service for the year, and there is no better place to start than with a Lions global cause. And be sure to invite friends, associates and family to serve with you so they can see how powerful, fulfilling and fun service truly is.

Once they start appreciating the satisfaction of serving others, you can ask them to join the pride of Lions. When we have more Lions serving, we can change more lives than ever before; that is the essence of **MISSION 1.5**.

I look forward to seeing your global projects and the impact they have on the people we serve!
Together in service,

Together we serve,
A.P. Singh
International President



Cause	Fraction
LCIF General	\$1.25
LCIF Global Causes (Env/Diabetes/Hunger)	\$0.75
Lions of PA Foundation	\$0.65
PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp	\$2.15
PA Sight Conservation and Eye Research	\$0.65
PA Lions Hearing Research Foundation	\$0.65
Northeast PA Lions Service Foundation	\$1.00
Western PA Lions Hearing Foundation	\$0.30
Leader Dog for the Blind	\$0.75
PA Lions for Guide Dogs	\$0.15
Disaster Fund	\$1.10
Pediatric Cancer/ Four Diamonds	\$0.75
Youth Outreach	\$0.75
Convention Fund	\$1.75
Leadership & Membership Development	\$1.15
District Newsletter	\$0.70
Admin	\$3.00
First Vice DG Expenses	\$1.00
Second Vice DG Expenses	\$0.50
District Camera Fund	\$0.50
PA Care for Kids	\$0.50
Total Contribution per Member	\$20.00

AROUND THE DISTRICT

Breezewood - Volunteered at a half marathon doing registration, prizes, and snacks.

Burnham - Hosted a community dinner, donated to the Burnham Bulldogs team,, donated to the local Salvation Army, held a hoagie fundraiser, and held a safe night for youths of Burnham.

Chief Logan - Sold french fries,

Lakemont - Installed 9 new members, sorted eyeglasses, removed gum ball machines from businesses, worked on our Membership Blitz, White Cane Days, helped a person in need by power washing their driveway, picked up charcoal for our next chicken barbecue

Orbisonia - Donated funds for Shade Gaps new banner! Also donated to 5 community members for medial expenses.

McVeytown - Hosted their town Halloween parade.

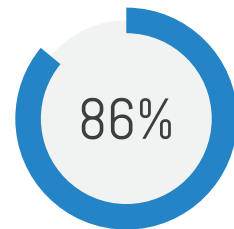
Stone Creek Valley - Hosted their monthly Hootenanny to benefit 4 year old Abbygail Sholly.

Woodcock Valley - Hosted their DG visit with Huntingdon and Juniata Valley clubs in attendance.

INFORMATION!!

Check out our website, palions14l.org, where we are updating it as information comes in! You can always email us at info@palions14l.org also!

CLUBS IN THE DISTRICT REPORTING SERVICE!



Recognizing individual generosity at LCIF, we deeply value the incredible generosity of our individual donors.

To honor your commitment and support, we are thrilled to introduce the Presidential LCIF Supporter program. This initiative aims to recognize and celebrate individuals who have contributed with heart and soul, making a significant impact on our mission.

By participating in the annual program, you become an integral part of our honored supporters. Melvin Jones Fellowship (MJF) credits will be earned based on the one-time donation amount you provide. Your generosity not only earns you well-deserved recognition but also helps us make a lasting difference in the lives of those in need.

All Donors:

Bronze Pin - US\$50 to US\$99.99

Silver Pin - US\$100 to US\$199.99

Gold Pin - US\$200 and above

Leo Members Only:

Leo-Presidential LCIF Supporter - Minimum donation of US\$20