

NEW MEMBERS



It's always nice to welcome new faces and friends into the Lions Organization. Please join me in welcoming these new members into the District and make it a point to say hello when you meet them.

Naya Cain, Hampton Phoebus, 17 March
Brianna Caret, EVMS, 2 May
James Colchao, EVMS, 2 May
Mark Gates, Lancaster, 10 May
Kathleen Loya, Little Creek, 10 May
Mark Foushee, Kempsville, 12 May
Carla Purvis, Cape Charles, 18 May
Glenn Purvis, Cape Charles, 18 May
Harold Rowson, KWCCF, 26 May
Laura Waldren, KWCCF, 26 May
Scott Waldren, KWCCF, 26 May
Joseph Stephens, Windsor, 30 May

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GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

Fellow Lions,

Well the end is near and with it a start of a new era with Lion Tucker. This has been a long year, but we can not rest on our laurels and need to continue to work for a better life for those in need. Now, the rest of the story.

Honoring those that came before us. I just returned from a Memorial Day Service and it causes a reflection on our Lions. One of the tough things is saying goodbye to those closest to us. May was hard for me with four great servants of our community passing into the Lions Pride beyond the stars. Denbigh lost two great lions in PCC Joe Brown who was a calming presence in the District and Lion Jim Adams who was a hard working member of the EGRC, Middlesex lost a Charter Member, and Poquoson lost a dear friend and Patriot. There have been many more, actually 26 during the Lions year and these included personal friends, Charter members, and some of our hardest working Lions. Hopefully June will be a quiet month.

State Convention. The MD24 State Convention in Roanoke was informative and a little fun. Here are the highlights from my perspective. LCI 3rd Vice President. PID Wayne Davis received overwhelming endorsement from MD 24 (254-11-1) for the position of LCI 3rd Vice President. His campaign will take place over the next year and the voting will take place at the 2017 International Convention in Chicago. The PTCV will be selling pins to raise funds for his campaign and other fund raisers will be planned. **Election results.** We have a new slate of immediate officers in the district being led by DGe Tucker Casanova (58-1-1), 1VDGe Beth Stevens (60-0-0) and 2VDGe Jeff Gaddis (57-2-1). Please join me in wishing them the best of luck in the new year. **Redistricting Proposal.** There was a lot of confusion in balloting of the proposed redistricting. It was announced that the vote failed to achieve a 2/3rd favorable vote (154-110-2), but it appears that only a majority vote was required. Three Districts voted not to approve the plan to merge into three districts, 24-B (14-17-0), 24-D (1-58-1), and 24-F (7-14-0). We are awaiting word from LCI Legal. If the vote stands as announced we can expect a new Council of Governors to start a new redistricting plan. 2019 and 2020 State Convention. District 24-D has been officially awarded the State Convention for both 2019 and 2020. This will be a less expensive option for the state with less expensive room rates, meal rates and no parking fees. **Membership Awards.** Two of our clubs were awarded membership awards for their work during the year. Tappahannock Lions Club was recognized for adding 15 new members and chartering a new club, King William County Children First Lions Club. James City Lions Club was also recognized for adding 17 new members during the year. Honorable mentions went to Northumberland County (9 new members), Windsor (9 new members), Southside (7 new members), Cape Charles (6 new members), and VB Town Center Blind (6 new members).

Membership. Speaking of membership, the District currently stands at 1,473 members, which is an increase of 34 from the beginning of the year. The clubs have done a wonderful job of not only bringing in new members, but retaining those that we have. There is no magic wand or formula for membership, but individual hard work and a dedication to keep things light & relevant. Thank you to all those that have done so much.

Membership Awards. April marked the one year anniversary of the Centennial Membership program. Sponsors of new members added in April 2015 should be receiving an award after the new member reaches 1 year and a day in Lions.

Centennial of Service. We are so close to meeting our COS goals of all clubs reporting at least two COS Projects. A total of 48 clubs have reported completing at least two projects and five have reported at least one. Less than a month remains and we are so close. Donations of \$2 per club member is all it takes to complete some projects and the simple act of collecting eyeglasses or non-perishable food covers other projects. Virtually every club does eye screening, pays for an eye exam, or purchases eyeglasses for those less fortunate. Please finish off those projects and report them to LCI. We are so close and yet so far.

I hope to see many of you at the final District meeting where we will celebrate the year and pass the gavel to the new officers of the District. Please support DGe Tucker in the coming year, schedule his official visit early, and assist him in meeting his service, membership, and personal goals during his year.

The Bull is almost gone. Yours in Lionism, DG Ray





Tucker Casanova 1st Vice District Governor

Hello Lions!

Wow! What a few months it's been. This is an exciting time for not just me coming in as your new District Governor, but for our District itself and LIONS as a whole. I'm sure DG Ray will go into more detail regarding the redistricting as most of us left Roanoke with more questions than answers. .. Time will tell what

path we will take as a Multiple District. I shared with you all many times how I felt about the proposal and that hasn't changed, but you should know, whatever the eventual outcome, I will do everything in my power to support our district regardless of its shape or size.

That said, now is the time for optimism! This was a growth year for 24-D! We've been more active in the past 12 months than I've seen in quite some time. More visual too! We have a lot of irons in the fire and projects in the works and believe it or not people want to know! I recently made friends with a great guy, you may know him, his name is Andre Senior. He's an anchor for WVEC 13 News. If you're watching ABC between 4:30 and 7 you've seen him at the desk. We got to talking about work, and he was fascinated by what the LIONS have done for the people we serve, particularly the SPOT program and Lions Medical Eye Bank. He told me to let him know if we have a project or event coming up and if he can, he'd recommend it be covered by the news. So, if you have something coming up let me know and I'll pass it along to Andre.

A few more things before I go:

Calendar- I'm including the next few months of my calendar in this issue. These will include the names of some cities... As many of you know one of my most important jobs at the LMEB is to educate the staff at the hospitals all over the district. If you see your city in bold on my calendar I'll be there that day. If I'm in your neck of the woods and your club is meeting and you'd like my Official Visit to take place I'll move Heaven and Earth to make it work. The way the nurse's shifts operate allows me a little wiggle room as they are too busy the hour before and after change of shift... a little logistics on our part and we may be able to parlay that loophole into a meeting! Since the oncoming staff is there until 7 AM I have plenty of time to get back and give them the attention they deserve as well. Speaking of my Calendar...

First District Meeting- **Sunday August 7**th. I apologize if that seems late to most of you but it just couldn't be helped... Between availability of the room, my being out of the state a few of those weekends and RAM; this was the best option. It will be in the **Brickhouse Auditorium** in **Sentara Norfolk General Hospital**, **Second Floor of the Raleigh Building**, immediately opposite the Raleigh Garage where I am arranging parking. Lion Ray and I are setting up to make this one of the shortest First District meetings in memory. Hopefully, that will make up for the delay.

I'm going to wrap this up as it's pushing 3 AM on Wednesday morning, despite how excited I am I should try to get some sleep. This is a BIG year for us and I'm going to need my rest. Before I hit the hay I wanted to conclude by saying I can't tell you how much I am looking forward to this year and living this wonderful opportunity you've given me to the fullest. Just know, I am ALWAYS available. If you EVER need ANY-THING please contact me right away;)

It's an exciting time to be a LION and I am honored I get to spend it with you as District Governor.

Yours in Lionism Yours in Family, Lion Tucker Casanova DGe District 24-D



Beth Stevens 2nd Vice District Governor

Strive to Thrive

We did it! June marks the end of another Lions' year. Now is the time to evaluate where your club stands - did your club just survive or did your club thrive? Numerous clubs were extremely successful this year conducting meaningful service projects, mentoring others to increase their leadership skills and growing the club's membership. All the thriving clubs have one thing in common: they planned for success. Club leaders set tangible goals; communicating objectives clearly to the entire membership. The membership believed in the plans so much that they actively took steps to achieve the goals together. Congratulations to all the clubs who achieved their dreams this year. Newly elected officers should strive to thrive in 2016 – 2017 by hosting club planning retreats in June. Conducting the Club Quality Initiative (Club Excellence Process or CEP) is a fun, interactive process that brings members together to look at what your club is today and what it will be tomorrow. It gives you the tools to strengthen service, improve club effectiveness and enhance your membership experience. There are two versions of the program: CEP Lite or CEP Pro. If you have experienced Lion facilitators within your club, CEP Lite is designed for you. If your members would prefer to have an outside facilitator conduct the process, CEP Pro is the way to go. Our District GLT, Lion Chet, GMT, Lion Mack, or I would be happy to help your club with the planning process. Just contact me if you'd like us to schedule a CEP Pro workshop this summer. To learn more about improving both your club and the community check out Club Excellence Process for more information and program materials.

On a personal note, I was thrilled to be elected your 1st Vice District Governor during our State Convention. I sincerely appreciate everyone's belief in my ability to serve the Lions of District 24D. Thanks to PCC Lion Stan Furman and Lion Mary Durbin for making wonderful nominating speeches. A special heartfelt thanks to my husband, Lion Mack and all the wonderful members of the Town Center –Blind Lions Club for their ongoing support of my leadership journey. I wouldn't be able to walk this path without all of you at my side. Together, We Serve.

Lions of Virginia, District 24-D Governor's Achievement Contest

2015



2016

May 2018	June 2015 Members	Apr Members	May Gains	May Losses	May Members	May Points	TOTAL POINTS	
REGION I								
		Region I - ZO	NE A					
Gloucester * @	19	15	0	0	15	0	15003	
King William County Children First @	0	22	3	0	25	1100	2250	
Lancaster County	37	35	1	0	36	3325	44698	
Mathews	59	59	0	0	59	250	29469	
Middlesex County	39	36	0	-1	35	4975	40559	
Northumberland County * @	23	32	0	0	32	0	4900	
Tappahannock	50	39	0	0	39	6045	81998	
TOTAL ZONE A	227	238	4	-1	241			

Region I - ZONE B							
James City	51	66	0	0	66	3833	46168
New Kent County	26	32	0	0	32	4200	18850
Poquoson	51	47	0	-3	44	3406	32528
Williamsburg Host	71	69	0	0	69	5167	50159
York @	34	34	0	0	34	50	25597
TOTAL ZONE B	233	248	0	-3	245		

	Region I - ZONE C						
Hampton Mercury	14	14	0	0	14	838	23299
Hampton Northampton *	20	19	0	0	19	2160	33681
Hampton Phoebus @	25	24	1	0	25	400	9497
Newport News Denbigh	28	33	0	4	29	3100	40332
Newport News Host	17	19	0	0	19	600	12677
NN Oyster Point Mariner	20	19	0	0	19	2457	15923
Newport News Warwick * @	22	22	0	0	22	0	26748
TOTAL ZONE C	146	150	1	-4	147		
TOTAL REGION I	606	636	5	-8	633		

	REGION II						
		Region I - ZO	NE D				
Deep Creek @ "	15	15	0	0	15	0	32270
Great Bridge	21	21	0	0	21	1449	38878
Chesapeake Host	16	17	0	0	17	3847	46527
Southside	38	41	0	0	41	1175	42830
Western Branch	19	19	0	0	19	6135	59363
Churchland	40	37	0	0	37	3025	43304
Cradock	17	19	0	0	19	1776	29928
Portsmouth C F *	14	11	0	-1	10	50	450
Portsmouth Host	24	21	0	0	21	3507	29386
TOTAL ZONE D	204	201	0	-1	200		

May 2018	June 2015	May	May	May	May	YTD
	Members	Members	Gains	Losses	Members	Gains
DISTRICT 24-D	1440	1470	12	-11	1471	31

^{*} No MMR for May

May 2018	June 2015 Members	Apr Members	May Gains	May Losses	May Members	May Points	TOTAL POINTS
		Region III - Z	ONEE				
EVMS @	10	1	2	0	3	750	8650
Norfolk Host @	36	37	0	0	37	50	5525
Norfolk Little Creek	19	17	1	0	18	2280	21850
Norfolk Middle Town * @	11	11	0	0	11	0	1145
Norfolk Norview	14	12	0	0	12	1580	20614
Norfolk Ocean View	24	23	0	0	23	2710	58574
Norfolk State University * @	3	2	0	0	2	0	450
Norfolk Wards Corner * @	22	20	0	0	20	0	8575
TOTAL ZONE E	139	123	3	0	126		

	Region III - ZONE F						
Boykins @	oykins @ 30 31 0 0 31 50 900						
Franklin * @	16	20	0	0	20	0	3550
Smithfield	27	28	0	0	28	2615	34270
Suffolk @	22	22	0	0	22	50	1150
Surry County	18	18	0	0	18	1690	5910
Windsor	19	27	1	-2	26	2062	38947
TOTAL ZONE F	132	146	1	-2	145		
TOTAL REGION II	475	470	4	-3	471		

	REGION III						
	F	Region III - Z	ONE G				
Oceana Lynn Golden @	17	15	0	0	15	50	2575
VB Central * @	27	25	0	0	25	0	2495
VB Host	15	15	0	0	15	381	14451
VB Oceanside	18	19	0	0	19	2801	54218
VB Princess Anne	17	17	0	0	17	1878	49566
VB Thalla	38	37	0	0	37	4075	67593
TOTAL ZONE G	132	128	0	0	128		

Region III - ZONE H							
VB Aragona-Pembroke @	15	19	0	0	19	50	13486
VB Bayside	37	36	0	0	36	1193	28883
VB Kempsville @	39	39	1	0	40	50	15187
VB Town Center Blind	70	71	0	0	71	5278	43060
VB Woodstock @	18	20	0	0	20	750	20240
TOTAL ZONE H	179	185	1	0	186		

Region III - ZONE I							
Cape Charles	15	19	2	0	21	3275	35974
Central Shores * @	19	18	0	0	18	0	1550
North Accomack CF * @	6	8	0	0	8	0	11380
Onancock * @	00	6	0	0	6	0	850
TOTAL ZONE I	48	51	2	0	53		
TOTAL REGION III	359	364	3	0	367		

[@] No Achievment Report for May

Governor's Calendar

2016 DG Ray's Calendar

JUNE

- 2 Poquoson Club Meeting
- 3-6 Family function, San Antonio, TX
- 6 Little Creek 60th Charter Celebration (Conflict)
- 7 Family function, local
- 8 Final District Meeting, Smithfield
- 9 Gloucester new member & Officer Installation
- 10 Warwick 67th Charter Night (Arbors)
- 13 Family function, local
- 13 Churchland 50th Charter Celebration
- 16 Poquoson Installation Night
- 16 Phoebus Installation Night (Conflict)
- 23-26 Family function, Syracuse, NY
- 24-28 LCI International Convention Japan (will not attend)

28 Lion Tucker is DG

2016 DG Tucker's Calendar

JUNE Little Creek 60th Charter Celebration 6 8 Final District Meeting, Smithfield Center 9 Work, Chesapeake Work, Chesapeake, Va Beach (Town 11 Center/Independence), Norfolk (VA Beach Blvd/Kempsvile) 11 Work, Williamsburg, Newport News, Hampton 12 Churchland Lions Club Charter Night 13 16-30 DGe Training/LCI International Convention -Japan

AUGUST

7 First Cabinet Meeting

SEPTEMBER

- 9-10 24-D Fall Conference, Chesapeake
- 15-17 USA Canada Forum
- 23-24 24-E/F Fall Conference, Roanoke

JULY

- 1 LCI International Convention Japan
- 11 Smithfield Official Visit
- 12 Work, Williamsburg, Gloucester
- 14 Work, Newport News, Eastern Shore
- 15-17 Family Function, Indiana
- 20 Oyster Point Tour of LMEB
- 22 Youth Exchange Lunch, Sandbridge
- Shelter
- 22-24 Wise County RAM
- 25 Work, Gloucester
- 25 Youth Exchange Tour of LMEB
- 27-31 Family Function. Indiana

OCTOBER

28-30 24-A Fall Conference

NOVEMBER

- 4-6 24-B Fall Conference, Fredericksburg
- 11-12 24-C Fall Conference, Shenandoah University
- 11-12 MD24 Pin Swap



Please keep the following Lions and their families in your prayers. Each will be missed in their own special way as they join the Lions Pride beyond the sunset:

Charles Bristow Jr, Middlesex (Charter Member), 54 years
PDG Joe Brown, Newport News Denbigh, 48 years
Jim Adams, Denbigh, 25 years
William Emerick, Poquoson. 10 years

DG Ray





Centennial of Service 2015 to 2016

May 2016 Update

52 Clubs of District 24D have reported completing the following number of categories:

AREAS	CLUBS
All 4	41
3	5
2	1
1	5
0	5

AREA	CLUBS
Vision	50
Youth	45
Hunger	45
Environment	46

LEGACY	CLUBS
I	3
Ш	2
III	0

82% of our clubs have completed at least two (2) categories.

information as of 31 May 2016

Final District Meeting

8 June 2016

June 1st was the registration date for the final District Meeting.
Only 21 Clubs have indicated they will attend, but I know there are more clubs out there.
We actually need at least 29 clubs represented to have a majority.

Please re-evaluate your schedule and try to attend. Flyer is attached in this edition of Knights Vision

6	Arac	jona-P	emb	roke

- 1 Bayside
- .. Boykins
- 3 Cape Charles
- .. Central Shore
- 1 Chesapeake Host
- 2 Churchland
- .. Craddock
- .. Deep Creek
- 2 Denbigh
- .. EVMS
- .. Franklin
- 2 Gloucester
- .. Great Bridge
- .. H-Mercury
- .. H-Phoebus
- 5 James City
- .. Kempsville
- .. KWCCF
- ====
- 22

- .. Lancaster
- 2 Little Creek
- .. Mathews
- .. Middlesex County
- .. New Kent County
- 1 NN Host
- .. Norfolk Host
- .. Norfolk Middle Town
- .. NSU
- .. NACF
- 4 Northampton
- .. Northumberland
- .. Norview
- .. Ocean View
- 4 OLG
- .. Onancock
- .. OPM
- 4 Poquoson
- .. PCF
- ====
- 15

- .. Portsmouth Host
- 3 Princess Anne
- 1 Smithfield
- .. Southside
- .. Suffolk
- .. Surry
- 2 Tappahannock
- 10 Thalia
- .. VB Central
- .. VB Host
- .. VB Oceanside
- .. VB TC Blind
- .. Wards Corner
- 2 Warwick
- .. Western Branch
- 9 Williamsburg Host
- 13 Windsor
- .. Woodstock
- 6 York

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45

TOTAL 82



SAVE THE DATE

Saturday October 8, 2016 11:00 – 2:00

Mark your calendar to attend the **7**th **Annual Bid 'N Buy Auction** on Saturday, October 8, 2016. Bidder registration begins at 10:30 AM; silent auction 11:00 AM and live auction 12:45 PM. Set your GPS for: Oak Grove United Methodist Church 472 N. Battlefield Blvd., Chesapeake. All proceeds benefit the Lions Charity Foundation of District 24D.

2016 24D DISTRICT MEETING

GOVERNOR RAY'S LAST HURRAH!!



か Food!

か Music!

🙀 AWARDS!



WHEN: JUNE 8, 2016 SOCIAL HOUR AT 6:00 PM DINNER AT 7:00

WHERE: SMITHFIELD CENTER 220 NORTH CHURCH ST. SMITHFIELD, VA

HOSTED BY SMITHFIELD LIONS.



GREAT MUSIC PROVIDED BY THE TOP HATS QUARTET.

DINNER BY BUBBA & FRANKS AND THE SMITHFIELD LIONS,
PLUS SOME GREAT RAFFLE PRIZES, A 50/50 DRAWING,
"THE YEAR IN PICTURES" ON THE BIG SCREEN AND THE
COMPANY OF A BUNCH OF GREAT LIONS.

SO COME SAY FAREWELL TO DG RAY AND WELCOME IN THE NEW DG AND CABINET.

Cost: \$15 IN ADVANCE- COST WILL BE \$20 "AT THE DOOR"

Make CHECKS PAYABLE TO SMITHFIELD LIONS

PLEASE SEND YOUR REGISTRATION BY WEDNESDAY, 1 JUNE TO:

LION TERRY CASTONGUAY

9029 RIVER CRESCENT, SUFFOLK, VA 23433



24D 2016 DISTRICT MEETING REGISTRATION		
WHAT CLUB?		
How Many?	TOTAL COST	
Names of Those Coming		
 		

Send to Lion Terry Castonguay, 9029 River Crescent, Suffolk, VA 23433 by 1 June Checks payable to Smithfield Lions

Questions? Contact Lion Sol Sherfey at 535-4776, or by email at solsherfey@msn.com

Quarterly Foundation Meetings

All dates are for planning purposes only

Lions Charity Foundation of District 24-D (LCF):

POC: lionpatk@cox.net

3rd Monday of 1st month of Quarter, 7:00pm Meeting

18 July 2016

17 October 2016

16 January 2017

17 April 2017

Lions Eyeglass Recycling Center of Eastern Virginia (EGRC):

POC: lionpatk@cox.net

3rd Wednesday of 1st month of Quarter, 6:30pm Meeting

20 July 2016

19 October 2016

18 January 2017

19 April 2017

Lions Mobile Sight and Hearing Unit of District 24-D (LMSHU):

POC: nanlouranm@verizon.net

3rd Thursday of 2nd month of Quarter, 7:00pm Meeting

18 August 2016

17 November 2016

16 February 2017

18 May 2017



Charter Days

Thanks to the following clubs for their continued service to their communities and to the District:

<u>CHARTERED</u>	YEAR	CLUB
11 June 2002	14 th	Virginia Beach TC - Blind
12 June 2009	7 th	Norfolk Middletown
30 June 1984	32 nd	North Accomack Children First

LIONSMEDICALEYEBANK



37th ANNUAL DINNER

Wednesday, August 17, 2016



Norfolk Yacht & Country Club 7001 Hampton Blvd, Norfolk, VA

Members Meeting at 5:00 pm followed by Board Meeting Social Hour at 6:00 p.m. (Cash Bar) Dinner at 7:00 p.m.

\$35.00 per person/\$350.00 per table*

(*Clubs with fewer than 10 will be asked to share a table. If your club knows of another club with whom you'd like to make up a table of 10, please include that info with your reservation so that can be accommodated)

Mail reservation & check to: Lions Medical Eye Bank, 600 Gresham Dr, Norfolk, VA 23507 <u>OR</u> call (757)388-2748 by <u>August 5</u>

Dinner Selections: Chateau Briand or Seafood Medley

LIONS MEDICAL EYE BANK

37th ANNUAL DINNER - WEDS, AUGUST 17, 2016

Individual Registration (\$35.00 per person)	Club Registration (\$350.00 per table of 10)
Name:	Club Name:
Phone:	Contact person:
Name:	Phone:
Phone:	
Total # of Chateau Briand meals:	Total # of Seafood Medley meals:

Mail reservation with check made out to Lions Medical Eye Bank, 600 Gresham Drive, Norfolk 23507 by AUGUST 5, 2016

LIONS OF VIRGINIA 2017 PRESTIGE PIN ORDER FORM

Name	
Address	
(Please Type or Cle	early Print all Address Data)
E-Mail Address	estions about your order - we will NOT share this with anyone)
Prestige Pins Ordered @ \$2.50 each \$	_
I would like to have my pins mailed and have used the to determine postal and packaging charges:	the following fees table
1 - 3 pins \$2.75 4 - pins \$3.05 5 pins \$3.65 6 p Over 12 pins, you must consult with your loca	
PLEASE NOTE: If you are asking that your pins I cannot mail pins to an address that we cannot read reading the data, the pins will be held until you con	d. If we have a problem in
If you would like insurance on your order, you wis appropriate fee rates from your local postal facilitin your check. The Lions of Virginia or the PTC delivery of your order. If your order is lost in del cannot assume responsibility.	rill need to obtain the ity, and include that V cannot guarantee you
Please hold my pins until the 2017 LOV State Conv	Virginia Lions
If you anticipate having someone else pick up you please print that person's name on the above line	
I will pick up my pins at the Annual PTCV Pin Swap	Make Checks Payable to "PTCV"
Winchester or will make other arrangements.	AMOUNT FOR PINS \$
	POSTAGE \$
SEND ALL ORDERS TO: PCC BILL SMITH 3643 OSBORNE DRIVE WARRENTON VA 2018	
	TOTAL AMOUNT \$
	FOR PTCV OFFICE USE ONLY
	Check # Dated
DEADLINE FOR ORDERING: 25 JU (All late orders will be returned to s	

ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Rev. John M. Eidam, Rector rector@stpeters-norfolk.org

224 S. Military Highway Norfolk, Virginia 23502 Phone: (757)466-9392 Fax: (757)466-9414

April 14, 2016

Dear Lion's Club Members,

This is a very belated thank you to your organization for holding your *Sight Preservation*, *Awareness*, *and Action* event at our Day School this past November. We were pleased to be able to offer this invaluable service to our Day School community.

You should know that through your efforts, several of our children who were referred for additional examinations did need glasses and are now experiencing much improved vision. For one little girl in particular, her improved vision has been life changing. No one was aware of just how severe her vision problems were, and since receiving prescription glasses, this once very quiet and shy child has blossomed into a happy and very outgoing little girl who now "sees" her world in a new and exciting way. This is due to your organization's dedication to children and their well- being.

Let me say that I was also impressed with the professional manner in which your organization's members conducted themselves. They were most cooperative and considerate of our Day School staff and the children. It is my sincere hope that you will choose to hold similar events at our Day School in the future.

Thank you again for your time and talents given to our children. We are most grateful.

Sincerely,

The Rev. John M. Eidam

St. Peter's Day School Director

"Celebrating and Proclaiming our Life in Jesus Christ!"

THANK YOU TO OUR 2015-2016 KV PATRONS!

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All Lions of District 24D are encouraged to submit material for publication. The cut off date is the 20th of the month prior to the issue. Copies are posted on the District website, District24d.com, between the 1st and the 5th. Donations help defray costs and make this publication possible. If you would like to make a donation, you can become a KV Patrol at the level level you choose, place your business card or an advertisement. Contact the Knight's Vision Editor for more information.