



WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

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It's always nice to welcome new faces and friends into the Lions Organization. Please join me in welcoming these 11 new members into the District and make it a point to say hello when you meet them.

- Dominica Davenport, Central Shore
- Shevon Kellam, Central Shore
- Michael Amos, Great Bridge
- Edward Senter, Great Bridge
- Mary Ann Hurley, James City
- Sarah Forbes, Denbigh
- Alice Diane Reed, Denbigh
- Ellen Turman, Thalia
- Cathy Richards, Windsor
- Betty Lou Newman, York
- Fritz Newman, York

Governor's Message

The DG's message to the district will return next month, in the meantime he hopes to see you all at the winter social.

Yours in Lionism,
District Governor Tucker Casanova





Beth Stevens **1st Vice District Governor**

Growing as a Leader

There's a myriad of personal development opportunities through the Lions at all levels of the organization. Even as 1st Vice District Governor my learning experiences continue as I prepare to become your District Governor. I'd

like to share my journey with you. The 2016 – 2017 1st Vice District Governor training program is comprised of four components: Independent Guided Learning, GMT/GLT Area Training, Multiple District Training, and the 2017 District Governors-Elect Seminar.

- The Independent Guided Learning consisted of three online courses including assessments (quizzes) entered in the Lions Learning Center. The three topics covered were Selecting Your Team, Goal Setting and Action Planning, and Setting goals for Your District Governor Term. The Goal Setting course is based on creating SMART Goals to accomplish tasks. This class was very informative. If you aren't familiar with SMART Goals the course will be taught at Leadership Training Day on April 15, 2017. This training is open to all Lions.
- The GLT/GMT Area training was held in Morgantown, WV in January. Thirty-two future District Governors from Pennsylvania, Ohio, West Virginia and Virginia gathered to discuss district goals and action plans in the areas of leadership and membership. Constitutional Area 1-B, GLT, PDG Fred Breyer and GMT, PID Cindy Gregg facilitated the training sessions. The four courses included: The Power of We, Change Leadership in Action, LCI Forward, and Transforming Vision into Reality. LCI requires each district to submit goals in the areas of membership and leadership. The process is extensive and requires approval at many levels. It was impressed upon us that 2017 – 2018 District Governors will carry the responsibility of promoting and assisting with the implementation of LCI Forward within the district. This doesn't just apply to me; incoming club officers will also be impacted and must help lead their clubs into our second century of service. A course at Leadership Training Day will provide you with this vital information.
- The next training will be on the Multiple District level in March. These courses will focus on District Administration, Lions Clubs International Foundation, and other items specific to Virginia. The MD, GLT, Richard Chaffin and the current District Governors will serve as trainers. I'm looking forward to learning and serving with my counterparts around Virginia.
- The District Governor-Elect Seminar will be held in June prior to the International Convention in Chicago, IL. Our incoming International President, Dr. Naresh Aggarwal has set the agenda for this seminar. I'm confident this will be an action packed training to set the stage for the coming years. My assigned DG-Elect group is already communicating with one another to share information. We are a diverse group with Lions from 16 American states and the additional countries of England, Republic of Ireland, Iceland, Turkey, Malaysia, and Thailand. I'm looking forward to this future opportunity. I'm sure it will be an experience of a lifetime.

Our formal leadership development classes and Leadership Institutes aren't as high profile as our community service projects. Let's make it a point to let all our members know about the fantastic learning opportunities available to all our members. I'll continue to share what I learn with you in the future. Together, we can learn and grow as we continue to strive for excellence in everything we do.

Governor's Calendar

FEBRUARY

- 9 Gloucester OV
- 13 James City 19th Charter Night
- 14 Princess Anne OV
- 16 Norview OV
- 16 LMSHU Meeting (Angelo's)
- 17 Wards Corner 70th Charter Night
- 18 2 pm Cabinet Meeting
6 pm Governor's Winter Social
- 19 Zone A Bland
- 21 Surry County OV (DG)
- 21 VB Central OV (2VDG)
- Tbd Zone F Meeting (Windsor)
- 23 NN Denbigh OV
- 23 Boykins 70th Charter Night
- 25 Norfolk Host 95th Charter Night
- 28 Ocean-Lynnhaven Golden OV
- 28 Great Bridge 60th Charter Night

MARCH

- 2 Hampton-Phoebus OV/70th Charter Night
- 3-5 COG (Roanoke)
- 7 VB Woodstock OV
- 8 DG Conflict
- 9 VB Kempsville OV
- 14 Mathews OV
- 14 Region 1 Meeting (Mathews)
- 15 Region 2 Meeting (Craddock/
Deep Creek)
- Tbd Region 3 Meeting (unknown)
- 16 Norview 60th Charter Night
- 21 KWCCF OV
- 24 Northampton Charter Night
- 28 Middletown/Norfolk State OV

APRIL

- 1 Hearing Foundation Meeting
- 5 Eyebank Tour (Thalia)
- 6 Poquoson OV
- 7-9 PDG Conference (Williamsburg)
- 8 LOV Foundation Meeting (Williamsburg)
- 11 Middlesex 55th Charter Night
- 12 DG Conflict
- 13 Warwick OV
- 15 District Leadership Training (Oak Grove UMC)
- 17 Charity Foundation Meeting (Angelo's)
- 17 Tappahannock 75th Charter Night
- 19 EGRC Meeting
- 22 Journey for Sight
- 25 Great Bridge OV
- 28 District Bland
- 28-30 Diabetes Camp
- 30 Vision Walk

MAY

- 10 DG Conflict
- 13 Zone & Region Chair Training (1VDG)
- 16 Suffolk OV
- 16 Zone A Meeting (Tappahannock)
- 18 LMSHU Meeting (Angelo's)
- 25-28 MD24 State Convention (Roanoke)

JUNE

- 7 **Final District Meeting**
- 20 Western Branch 25th Charter Night



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



2016

2017

January 2017	June 2016 Members	Dec Members	Jan Gains	Jan Losses	Jan Members	Jan Points	TOTAL POINTS
REGION I							
Region I - ZONE A							
Gloucester	17	14	0	0	14	No Report	500
King William County CF	22	16	NO MMR SUBMITTED		16	No Report	950
Lancaster County	34	36	0	0	36	3420	30149
Mathews	59	55	0	0	55	1700	19363
Middlesex County	36	36	0	-2	34	No Report	22800
Northumberland County	32	31	0	0	31	No Report	900
Tappahannock	39	37	0	-1	36	3650	41877
TOTAL ZONE A	239	225	0	-3	222		

Region I - ZONE B							
James City	63	68	1	0	69	3532	49458
New Kent County	29	30	0	0	30	1350	8300
Poquoson	45	43	0	0	43	695	17357
Williamsburg Host	68	64	0	-2	62	3235	45583
York	34	33	2	0	35	No Report	16129
TOTAL ZONE B	239	238	3	-2	239		

Region I - ZONE C							
Hampton Mercury	14	13	0	0	13	6155	16368
Hampton Northampton	19	17	0	-3	14	735	20683
Hampton Phoebus	25	24	0	0	24	No Report	700
Newport News Denbigh	28	28	2	0	30	5828	22174
Newport News Host	20	21	0	0	21	No Report	11765
NN Oyster Point Mariner	19	19	0	0	19	1540	8432
Newport News Warwick	22	23	0	-1	22	2796	16122
TOTAL ZONE C	147	145	2	-4	143		
TOTAL REGION I	625	608	5	-9	604		

REGION II							
Region I - ZONE D							
Deep Creek	13	10	NO MMR SUBMITTED		10	No Report	850
Great Bridge	20	19	2	0	21	4593	30693
Chesapeake Host	17	15	0	0	15	1250	21091
Southside	41	40	0	0	40	No Report	750
Western Branch	19	16	0	0	16	2740	35440
Churchland	37	33	0	0	33	2940	23055
Cradock	19	18	0	0	18	979	17799
Portsmouth C F	10	10	0	-1	9	No Report	50
Portsmouth Host	21	18	0	0	18	425	13239
TOTAL ZONE D	197	179	2	-1	180		

January 2017	June 2016 Members	Dec Members	Jan Gains	Jan Losses	Jan Members	YTD Net Gain
DISTRICT 24-D	1443	1394	11	-13	1392	-51

January 2017	June 2016 Members	Dec Members	Jan Gains	Jan Losses	Jan Members	Jan Points	TOTAL POINTS
Region III - ZONE E							
EVMS	3	3	0	0	3	No Report	50
Norfolk Host	37	39	0	0	39	No Report	900
Norfolk Little Creek	18	18	0	-1	17	2350	28774
Norfolk Middle Town	11	11	NO MMR SUBMITTED		11	No Report	250
Norfolk Norview	12	12	0	0	12	1950	13408
Norfolk Ocean View	23	23	0	0	23	2027	43327
Norfolk State University	2	2	NO MMR SUBMITTED		2	No Report	0
Norfolk Wards Corner	20	20	0	0	20	No Report	50
TOTAL ZONE E	126	128	0	-1	127		

Region III - ZONE F							
Boykins	28	26	0	0	26	No Report	2075
Franklin	20	16	0	0	16	No Report	-650
Smithfield	28	29	0	0	29	3205	28784
Suffolk	21	21	0	0	21	No Report	750
Surry County	18	18	0	-1	17	830	1930
Windsor	26	25	1	0	26	1820	12140
TOTAL ZONE F	141	135	1	-1	135		
TOTAL REGION II	464	442	3	-3	442		

REGION III							
Region III - ZONE G							
Oceana Lynn Golden	15	15	0	0	15	No Report	600
VB Central	25	26	NO MMR SUBMITTED		26	No Report	600
VB Host	15	15	NO MMR SUBMITTED		15	726	7642
VB Oceanside	19	19	0	0	19	2385	22347
VB Princess Anne	16	16	0	0	16	5040	23279
VB Thalia	34	36	1	0	37	2152	33403
TOTAL ZONE G	124	127	1	0	128		

Region III - ZONE H							
VB Aragona-Pembroke	19	17	0	0	17	1625	17022
VB Bayside	35	34	0	-1	33	No Report	10965
VB Kempsville	41	39	0	0	39	No Report	4559
VB Town Center Blind	64	54	0	0	54	3960	17449
VB Woodstock	20	19	0	0	19	1161	10147
TOTAL ZONE H	179	163	0	-1	162		

Region III - ZONE I							
Cape Charles	22	24	NO MMR SUBMITTED		24	No Report	24870
Central Shores	16	16	2	0	18	No Report	6307
North Accomack CF	8	8	NO MMR SUBMITTED		8	No Report	0
Onancock	6	6	NO MMR SUBMITTED		6	No Report	500
TOTAL ZONE I	52	54	2	0	56		
TOTAL REGION III	355	344	3	-1	346		

2017 Governors Social

February 18, 2017

6:30 p.m.



Crowne Plaza @ Hampton-Marina
700 Settler's Landing
Hampton, VA 23669

Dinner Cost: \$38.00

Cash Bar

Hotel Information

Room Rate: \$85.00 Online Reservation Code: GSR

Click on check availability [Governor's Social](#)

RSVP no later than Jan 28, 2017

Hotel Phone: 1-866-375-6054 if you have any questions.

Hospitality Room and Entertainment after Dinner

Meal Information

Choice of either: **Salmon with Garlic & Dill Butter** or **Beef Tips with Cabernet Demi - Herb Roasted Potatoes – Green Beans with Red Onion and Bacon – Rolls/Butter, Coffee or Tea and Chocolate Cake for desert**

RSVP w/PDG Donnie Johnson no later than Feb 10, 2017

Please make checks payable to: **Aragona Pembroke Lions Club**

Send payment and meal selections to

..PDG Lion Donnie Johnson,

..904 Whitbeck Court

..Virginia Beach, VA 23464

Giving the gift of Lions Membership

by Lion Mack Stevens including
Excerpts from How to get more "buy-in" from others... by Oisín Grogan

The definition of the word Closing is to bring a deal to a (successful) conclusion. It is the goal of every recruiter but needs to be the goal of every Lions member as well. Club Membership is an example of an open system. Compare it to an inner tube with a hole in it. With the ability to come and go as members, the system will always lose members due to health, the economy and life changes. So, it is vital to induct and activate new members every year in order to maintain the twenty members necessary to start a Lions Club.

We can usually convince people to come to a Lions meeting but most of our members are not closers. In fact many of our members are not completely closed themselves.

It's all about expectations

If you don't think your kids will go to bed...they won't!

To get your colleagues to help you on any project there's an element of "closing".

To convince someone to join the Lions Clubs you need to believe that joining will really benefit the person you are inviting. In fact, you should believe it so much that you almost, cannot let them pass on the opportunity. Members can drastically increase their persuasiveness, with "buy-in" from the prospect. Clubs need to offer activities that prospects are interested in and causes which they are passionate about.

*To "close" others on any idea, you must have: **Conviction, belief & clarity in what you are communicating.***

A key point of failure: **Doubts and uncertainty in what you are communicating** so the vital question is

Are you closed?

When people startup a company they usually do really well because people just "know" what you are saying is the right thing to do. They just "buy". But over time... a few losses, a few bad deals, a few refunds, a few upsets...it makes it easy to lose confidence.

You have uncertainties around: price, value, why they should join?

Why do members have to be closed?

It is a fundamental of recruitment that uncertainties in the member will be picked up by the prospect. Obviously this works exactly the same in most everything - leadership roles, relationships, Lions and so on.

Close the closer

Make sure you are closed on your own activities and services! You may think you are, but it can always be polished up to a much higher level of certainty.

What do you do about it?

You must get these doubts and uncertainties cleared up. Sit down with the club and discuss activities and services.

In this process one can start to see the actual value of what you are offering. In essence, close the closer! Do it and see...members will come faster, you'll stop getting asked questions that are hard to answer.

You can also do this by yourself: Prior to a meeting or prospect call, run through every possible question which may come up. Work out an answer or way to handle each. Then go and make the call or sit in the meeting. You'll find they go much smoother. Run through every uncertainty and make it a certainty before you have the meeting.

And...DON'T BE SURPRISED IF NONE OF IT COMES UP! As was said earlier--your certainty or uncertainty will be transmitted to the other person you are communicating with.

Your club recruitment team

The same applies to your club members. Review their current prospects and work over what they are interested in. Review prospects that were lost previously and discuss why. Close your members on why they are an active member and the services your club provides. Be ready to offer ways they can involve prospective new members.

Your leadership team

You can do exactly the same with the club officers on all club matters. They also need to be clear, certain and confident when dealing with club members and prospective new members. A strong team atmosphere encourages officers to want to serve again in a higher office.

A Team Message

Remember growing up, when Mom and Dad would have to talk something over before giving you an answer?

If members believe "It's too expensive" or "takes a lot of my time" arguments will come up. Find out why they think it's too expensive. Show them the value, where their dues go and the work we do. In short, close them!

You can't sincerely promote what you don't believe in.

If you're not having fun why would others think they would

Our core concepts are youth, hunger, environment, vision and you should have at least one project in each area

Club members should be able to give specific examples of what they do in the community.

So, here are some questions all members should be able to easily answer:

Why should someone join the Lions

What does a person get out of being a Lion

How much time does it take

How much does it cost to be a Lion

Is Lions Fun?

What does a Lions club do?

In closing, everyone in your club needs to have good answers to the questions prospects ask. If you know that a certain answer keeps people from becoming a Lion, maybe consider an alternative method to the way things have always done.

So, at your next club meeting take some time to answer these questions together. It will be well worth the time and should pay off in the long run.

It is with a heavy heart I ask you to please keep the following Lions and their families in your prayers. As we remember the friends we have lost, try to find solace in the fact that through their Lionism they have touched countless lives and the world is a better place for it. If you know of a Lion that was lost and not honored here, please accept my apologies and contact the Knight's Vision Editor, they will be memorialized in the next issue.



Hobart Speegle, Warwick, 60 years
Kathleen Loya, Little Creek, 1 year
Joyce Baker, Surry County, 15 years
Arthur Creamer, Tappahannock, 42 years
Ronnie Piland, Williamsburg Host, 12 years

Yours in Lionism
DC Tucker



Norfolk Homeless Connect

On January 25th the Sight and Hearing Van was in Scope for screening the eyes of the Norfolk Homeless. A special thanks goes to the following clubs for their support. Little Creek provided the driver for the van and 5 other Lions, Norfolk Host had 3 Lions there, Oceanview (2), Warwick (2), Thalia (2), Oceanside (2), and Chesapeake Host (3). Delta Gamma Sorority worked the inside of the van and had 5 members there. The City of Norfolk provided a good lunch for all the volunteers, about 400. The city registered 300 homeless. A special thanks goes to the 24-D Charity foundation for providing vouchers for eye exams and glasses.

Working together we can do great things. "We Serve"

On the 26th the van was at the UMC on 19th Street to screen the Virginia Beach Homeless. A special thanks goes to Little Creek which provided the van driver. Four other clubs took part, OceanaLynn-haven- Golden, Town Center Blind, Oceanside, and Bayside. A special thanks to the 24-D Charity Foundation for providing vouchers for the eye exams and glasses for 16 homeless.

"We Serve"

Lion Nancy Cranford

Lions Charity Foundation of District 24D

The Lions Charity Foundation of District 24D (LCF 24D) held their quarterly meeting on January 16, 2017. We'd like to share with you the community services provided through the support of Lions Clubs and LCF 24D grants approved at this meeting.

1. The Little Creek Lions Club requested \$5,000 to support the Norfolk Homeless Connect scheduled for January 25, 2017 at the Norfolk Scope. Lions from various clubs will volunteer on the Sight and Hearing Van to screen attendees. The funds will be used to provide vouchers given to participants identified for follow-up care by eye professionals and in need of eyeglasses.
2. The Cape Charles Lions Club requested a \$10,000 grant on behalf of the Barrier Island Center to continue support of "My First Field Trip" program.
3. The James City Lions Club Requested a \$2,000 matching funds grant to support the diabetes education and patient management program at Angels of Mercy Clinic providing care to the uninsured in the greater Williamsburg area.
4. The Warrick Lions Club requested \$1,600 to assist members of the Boy Scouts of America Explorer Post 140 to pay annual dues. Boy Scout Explorer Post 140 is the largest special needs scouting unit for adult men and women with intellectual disabilities in the United States.
5. The James City and Williamsburg Host Lions Clubs requested \$5,000 to finance scholarships for clients with pre-diabetes who financially qualify to attend educational classes and training at the YMCA.

In addition, six clubs applied for support providing eleven hearing aids to the financially disadvantaged within their respective service areas. The foundation supported our mission of offering indigent eye care by providing one patient with an Ocular Prosthesis and referring one patient for cataract surgery to EVMS Lions Center for Sight. Year-round the Charity Foundation distributes grants to assist Lions Clubs to provide charitable, scientific, literary, or educational endeavors in Southeastern Virginia communities. Visit our website at www.LCF24D.org to learn more about the Lions Charity Foundation of District 24D.



VISION WALK 2017

Calling all Lions in District 24D!

BRING ALL FRIENDS AND FAMILY!

The 6th Annual Hampton Roads VisionWalk

Come be part of the Pride of 24D

Sunday, April 30, 2017

31st Street Park on the Boardwalk!

Let's show 24A - HOW IT'S DONE



DON'T BE THIS GUY

call chairman Mack Stevens 757-621-9074
to get your club involved





Kempsville Lions Club

Dear Fellow Lions,

The Kempsville Lions Club will hold their Twenty-seventh annual Charity Golf Tournament and third annual 24D Governor's Cup championship on Friday, April 21, 2017 at Heron Ridge Golf Course in Virginia Beach. We invite Lions clubs, businesses and individuals to join us in community service by becoming a participant or sponsor of our tournament. Team Woodstock took the Governor's trophy last year and has vowed to become our only two- time champion. Which club is up to the challenge of taking the trophy?

Lion's teams can qualify to win the Governor's Cup by having a minimum of one Lion registered and playing on their team. A Governor's Cup trophy will be awarded to the Lion's team with the lowest score and there is an addition prize given to individual members of the winning team. Only Lion's teams can win the Governor's Cup trophy but all participating teams are eligible to win the overall championship.

This golf tournament is one of the ways we raise funds to meet our commitment of helping others within our community. All funds raised by the tournament go back to the community.

Please support our annual charity golf tournament by considering sponsoring the tournament at one of the levels listed or entering a team. Advertising space in the tournament program and hole sponsorships are also available. All information on these opportunities to help our community is attached.

Your participation will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Lion Kirk Baldwin
2017 Tournament Chairman



Kempsville Lions Club Golf Tournament & District Governor's Cup 2017 Sponsorships



GOLD SPONSOR - \$590

INCLUDES:

- One Four-Person Team
- Gold Sponsorship Sign placed on a Tee Box
- Sponsorship Posted on Kempsville Lions Club Website for One Year
- Full-Page Ad in Golf Tournament Program

SILVER SPONSOR - \$540

INCLUDES:

- One Four-Person Team
- Silver Sponsorship Sign placed on a Tee Box
- Half-Page Ad in Golf Tournament Program

BRONZE SPONSOR - \$440

INCLUDES:

- One Four-Person Team
- Half-Page Ad in Golf Tournament Program

HOLE SPONSOR - \$100

INCLUDES: - Sponsorship Sign placed on a Tee Box - Business Card Ad in Program

MULLIGANS: (2 Per Player) Two for \$10.00 # _____ (include in check)

50/50 SPLIT / PRIZE TICKETS: One for \$5.00; Three for \$10.00; Six for \$15.00 # _____

(include in check)

Order Mulligans and 50/50 Split / Prize tickets now and include payment in check.

CHECK-IN-TIME NO LATER THAN 12:00 Noon APRIL 21, 2017

Please return completed entry form as soon as possible, but **no later than April 13, 2017** to:

Lion Donald Burson, Address: 5116 Hemlock Ave., Virginia Beach, VA 23464-2802,

PH# 495-5536 Email: donaldburson@cox.net

Player #1 _____ Lion? Y___N___ Email: _____

Address _____ Home Phone# _____

Player #2 _____ Lion? Y___N___ Email: _____

Address _____ Home Phone# _____

Player #3 _____ Lion? Y___N___ Email: _____

Address _____ Home Phone# _____

Player #4 _____ Lion? Y___N___ Email: _____

Address _____ Home Phone# _____

Sponsorship Level _____ Sponsor Name _____

Address: _____

Make Checks payable to: Kempsville Lions Club

Diabetes Family Camp, 28, 29 & 30 April, 2017



HOWDY PARDNER

Join us for an action packed weekend at the Triple R Ranch in Chesapeake, Virginia. This special retreat is for young people with diabetes, who are between the ages of 6 and 18 and their families (including parents, siblings and/or grandparents). Because this is a family weekend, one adult from each family must attend with the child.

The goals of the weekend are to learn more about diabetes self-care management and to share experiences with other families.

LOTS OF ACTIVITIES PLANNED

Everyone will participate in activities such as horseback riding, archery, canoeing, leather crafts and more.



Parents and kids will love meeting new friends and learning about diabetes together. Parents should plan to attend the "Parents Only" coffee/support groups on Saturday & Sunday mornings at 7am.



WHEN IS IT... WHAT'S THE COST?

The Lions Diabetes Family Camp at Triple R Ranch will be held the weekend of April 28, 29 & 30, 2017 at Triple R Ranch in Chesapeake, Virginia.

During the day campers will participate in activities with their cabin mates. At night, campers will sleep in heated cabins on bunk beds. Sleeping quarters are separated into male and female areas, each cabin has an adult chaperone. (Parents bringing children of the opposite sex, will be housed in separate cabins). Please do not bring TV/VCR/CD players. Board games are welcome.



The cost is \$150 per person for the first 2 family members. Please see registration form for additional family members. Meals are included.

A limited number of scholarships are provided by the Lions of District 24D, based on financial need.





LOTS OF FOLKS HELPING OUT

This weekend is sponsored by
the LIONS of District 24D.



The LIONS are
committed to helping
those with diabetes.

We Serve To register, return
the attached form with your
check and we will send you the
camper packet. Please register
by Friday, April 7, 2017.

So, round everyone up
and head out to
Tripe R Ranch
for a fun-filled weekend.

Need Directions?



See Ya There!

Log onto:
www.triplerranch.org
or call
(757) 421-4177

REGISTRATION FORM

Deadline: APRIL 7, 2017

Child Name: _____

Age _____ Male Female

Type 1 Type 2

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Endocrinologist _____

Food or other Allergies: _____

Parent/
Guardian _____

Phone #1 _____

Phone #2 _____

Is this your child's first time at this camp?

Yes No

T-shirt Size: Adult _____ Child _____

Prices: 1 @ \$150 2 @ \$300

3 @ \$420 4 @ \$550

Registration Fee \$20 (Even if requesting scholarship)

Find enclosed check for: \$ _____

Make Check Payable to: **Lions District 24D**

Additional Family Members Attending:

Name _____

Relation _____

Male Female Age _____

Diabetic: Yes No

T-shirt Size: Adult _____ Child _____

Name _____

Relation _____

Male Female Age _____

Diabetic: Yes No

T-shirt Size: Adult _____ Child _____



Lions Club International Centennial Convention

June 30 to July 4, 2017

STEP # 1

Complete the online LCI Centennial Convention [Registration and Hotel Registration Form](#) (or complete and mail the form found on www.lionsofvirginia.org) VA Delegation Hotel is Hyatt Regency Chicago

Note: Hotel stay is from June 29 (arrival) to July 5 (departure).

STEP # 2

Complete the BUS Transportation Form. Total payment for bus trip is \$260. Deposit \$60 guarantees you a seat; Final payment due by May 25, 2017.



**TRANSPORTATION OPTION: BUS
LIONS OF VIRGINIA -- ROAD TRIP TO CHICAGO -- CELEBRATE
100 YEARS of Humanitarian SERVICE**

What a great year to be a LION! In June 2017, Lions will celebrate 100 years of Service at the Lions Clubs International CENTENNIAL Convention in Chicago. Arrangements have been made with Martz Bus Company to transport the Virginia Lions to Chicago for the Centennial Celebration. Each District will have pick-up locations and times. Each bus is a deluxe coach with power outlets, restroom, DVD player and Wi-Fi. Food and beverages may be taken on the bus but no glass, is allowed. Each bus can accommodate 55 passengers. Bus Driver gratuity is not included in the price for the bus nor the hotel for the bus driver. The bus transportation cost is \$260 and it includes a tour of Chicago before we ride back to Virginia. Timeline below is ONLY if you ride the Bus.

Timeline for bus trip:

June 29 -- Pick-up Lions at designated locations and drive to Chicago; Arrive June 29.

June 30 to July 4 — LCI Centennial Convention in Chicago.

July 5--- Board your Martz bus for Tour of Chicago and then ride home to Virginia; arrive July 6.

Questions: VDG Sally Kenavan at sallykenavan1108@gmail.com



From Pins to Parades, the
100th Lions International Centennial Convention
is not one you want to miss!

Location: Chicago, Illinois

Convention Venues: [McCormick Place Convention Center](#)
[Hilton Chicago](#)

Dates: Friday, June 30 to Tuesday, July 4, 2017

Registration Fee:

Lions: Registration Fee through January 13, 2017: \$130
From January 14 through March 31, 2017: \$180
April 1, 2017 through onsite registration: \$200

Leos: Omega Leo (18 years and over): \$60
Alpha Leo (17 years and under): \$10

Registration Process (includes Convention, Hotel, Luncheon, Banquet):

1. [Online](#) (have your Lions member number and Visa, Mastercard or Discover information available)
2. Paper Registration (see page **XX**) (Check, Visa, Mastercard, Discover or Bank Transfer)

Hotel (for VA Lions): [Hyatt Regency Chicago](#)
151 East Wacker Drive
Chicago, Illinois, USA, 60601
\$156/double rate + 17.4% tax
(click Convention above for other hotels/rates)
Note: Hotel reservations are made through the registration process!

Getting There: Virginia Lions Bus Trip (see page **XX**) (or by personally-arranged air travel)

Keep Informed: [Convention mobile app](#) for iPhones and Androids

Convention questions? Email registration@lionsclubs.org

DIRECTORY CORRECTIONS - Feb

-Page 25 – **Change** in meeting location

Newport News Host **CLUB # 9290**
Chartered January 6, 1933 – Sponsored by Norfolk Host
Angelo's Steakhouse, 755 J. Clyde Morris Blvd.
Newport News 1st Monday 6:30 pm



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Oceana-Lynnhaven-Golden **CLUB # 9298**
Chartered February 14, 1947 – Sponsored by Ocean View
Sunrise Café, 1369 N. Great Neck, Rd
Virginia Beach 4th Tuesday – 11:00 a.m.

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