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Governor's Message

Lions,
 There is going to be a lot of 'real talk' in this article, so I want to start by saying I am not targeting any one Lion or club, and any criticism within is intended to be constructive. I always try to find the bright spot when I address my Lions, but there isn't time for that right now and maybe some hard truth is what we need. That said, do you know what the most repeated miscommunication is these days? It's when someone makes a point in a way expressly to avoid singling out or offending a specific party and people to whom it doesn't apply assume they are being accused of something and shut down with out understanding the significance. The conversation then gets hijacked by, "That's not me!" and "I'm not like that!" until the original message is diluted or lost. You see it all the time online and in real life. Please remember that as you read this.

First. We are under attack.

This is not paranoia or a conspiracy theory, it is the truth. This past week legislation that would have prevented us from screening in schools reached the State Senate and would have passed if not for the sharp eyes of a Lion who works for one of the delegates' office. House Bill 1408 would have removed all charitable organizations that did not meet a very narrow list of qualifications as defined by the writers of the bill from ANY public school screening. They would then step in and do the screenings we do for free at about \$5 a child. I cannot mention them by name here as our newsletter is going online

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and if their legal department Googles their name this article will come up. I'll spare the fire and brimstone for now, but I have no doubt that this was designed specifically to remove the Lions so they could move in and benefit.

"But Tucker, I've heard of them, They do good work and are a non-profit!" Our relationship with this group is long and complicated. Far too detailed to get into here. I'm glad they do good work and they should continue as long as they stop treating us as a competitor that needs to be taken out. As for their charity status, "Non-Profit" is not the same as "No Profit". There was money to be made with us out of the picture so they tried to make it happen... Any position they take now as great 'compromisers' or 'negotiators' is false. It was the work of Lions state wide that forced them to negotiate and change the bill to one that would allow schools to continue what they are doing, use the Lions, or seek their services. Even then their rep had to get his digs in, claiming in front of the general assembly their program is more 'robust' than ours... But hey, no hard feelings, right? The bill in its current form can be seen here:

<https://lis.virginia.gov/cgi-bin/legp604.exe?171+ful+HB1408S1>

It is my strong recommendation that if your club is donating to this group or other companies that charge for screenings, you should do some research and consider donating instead to the district expressly to offset the costs of the series of background checks, fingerprinting, and Tuberculosis testing our screening volunteers will have to undergo these next few years as the schools become more stringent in their criteria. I should tell you this is NOT Foundation Fighting Blindness, a completely different organization all together that funds research into various blindness causing diseases. Particularly the 'orphan diseases' that don't get the same attention as others. The Foundation does great work and I look forward to supporting them at the Vision Walk this April 30th.

Through the hard work, diligence and unity of Lions from all over the state we were able to repel this attack, but now for the real talk I mentioned earlier... This is hard for me to say, but it's the truth.

The true challenge we are facing as an organization is much more dangerous than a company trying to profit from what we gladly do for free, we are facing **Apathy**. I've seen it grow since I first joined and I'm sure you have too, it's affecting how we operate. Almost any problem Lionism faces today has its roots in this apathy.

House Bill 1408, Redistricting, Membership, clubs not doing their reports or paying their dues and even this past weekend's lowest ever turn out at the Governors Social. It's all the same thing.

If we were as strong an organization as we should be, other non-profits wouldn't have dared pull this stunt with bill 1408.....If our membership was what it needs to be, we wouldn't be dealing with the specter of merging.

Why am I getting calls from social workers telling me that the very people we are here to serve are leaving messages for Lions asking for help, and not hearing back? When I call and email those clubs telling them if *they* need help they can reach out to the Zone, Region, Charity Foundation or even me, why am I not getting any reply?

Attendance at the Fall Conference and Winter Social (changed from "ball" just so more people will come) was so low it will have a detrimental affect on how we are able to negotiate with hotels for our functions for years to come.

These are all very telling but none as much as the fact that we don't have a single nominee for 2nd Vice District Governor. (As I edit this I've heard this may change soon, but it's still late in coming.)

If you want another example take a look at the Achievement Report, it should be just a few pages ahead. All that red ink? Apathy.

Is this the future of our district, to just fade away? I and many other Lions are fighting at great cost to ourselves to keep our identity strong by resisting the merger... To keep us District 24-D. We fuel our determination with the will and the fire of our Lions... when we find that in short supply how are we supposed to fight? Is that even what you want?

You need to answer that yourselves. Our future depends on your answer.

That said, and I am genuinely sorry it had to be said, my feelings for my Lions have not changed one bit. I am so proud of each and every one of you and the amazing things we have accomplished, but we have lost something and we need to find it quickly. I stared at these pages for more than a week wondering if publishing it is the right thing and I've decided that even though it will genuinely hurt my heart when I hit 'send', it must be done.

We can fight rogue non profits, we can fight a merger, but not when we are fighting ourselves...

Yours in Lionism,
Lion Tucker Casanova, District Governor, 24-D

PS Next month I hope to send you all a much more positive message.



Beth Stevens
1st Vice District Governor

Worldwide Week of Service

Our 2016 – 2017 fourth Worldwide Week of Service will focus on protecting the environment. A healthy planet starts with healthy communities. This April 17 - 23, join Lions and Leos around the world for a special worldwide week of service dedicated to protecting our planet and the environment in our community. This international event is a great opportunity to serve and engage our communities during the Centennial Service Challenge, which has already impacted the lives of more than 130 million people. Host a service project to clean up a park or beach, recycle eyeglasses, or plant a tree. No matter how your club chooses to serve, be sure to join us for this Centennial service event! There are still 19 clubs in the district that need to complete an environmental project to achieve a Centennial Service Challenge banner patch. If your club needs assistance, contact GMT Service Reporting Specialist, Lion Scott Durbin at sbdurbin@cox.net. Let's plan a project today. Congratulations to the 28 clubs that have already completed service projects in the areas of youth, vision, hunger relief and environment to obtain the four diamond banner patch. Way to go, Lions of Southeastern Virginia... keep up the wonderful service projects.



Jeff Gaddis 2nd Vice District Governor

Here we are March. It is time to get your officers elected for the next year. The district had a big win last month in Richmond with HB 1408, this bill would have been a disaster for the district and Lion's of 24D. Region meetings are this month, I hope to see as many of you as I can. Clubs need to support their region, a lot of good information comes out in the meetings. Redistricting is still out there. I am hoping that we will find out something this month. Clubs should keep going with normal activities. Clubs have been asking questions and I am trying to answer them as I get the information. I don't know what District 24B 2VDG is doing, I have not been able to get a hold of him. I am still going forward so the district will be ready for anything. Clubs are getting smaller but still keep going. Keep up the good work and we will be fine. Up coming events for the district are Vision Walk and Journey for Sight. We need as many Lions that we can get. Everyone needs to support these events.

Yours in Lions

Jeff Gaddis
2nd Vice District Governor
24D



WISE VIRGINIA RAM

WANTED workers for the 24-D Sight and Hearing van at Wise VA, RAM. July 21-23, 2017.

Please notify Lion Nancy Cranford if you can go.
757-481-0208 nanlouram@verizon.net

Governor's Calendar

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
- 18 New Kent County 35th Charter Night
- 21 KWCCF OV
- 22 Oceana-Lynnhaven Golden OV
- 24 Northampton Charter Night
- 26 NACF OV
- 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

- 9 VB Princess Anne OV
- 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

February 2017	June 2016 Members	Jan Members	Feb Gains	Feb Losses	Feb Members	Feb Points	TOTAL POINTS
REGION I							
Region I - ZONE A							
Gloucester	17	14	2	0	16	No Report	1300
King William County CF	22	16	NO MMR SUBMITTED		16	No Report	950
Lancaster County	34	36	0	0	36	1725	31874
Mathews	59	55	1	0	56	No Report	19763
Middlesex County	36	34	0	0	34	4682	27482
Northumberland County	32	31	0	0	31	No Report	950
Tappahannock	39	36	1	0	37	400	42277
TOTAL ZONE A	239	222	4	0	226		

Region I - ZONE B							
James City	63	69	3	0	72	3929	53387
New Kent County	29	30	0	0	30	925	9225
Poquoson	45	43	0	0	43	1775	19132
Williamsburg Host	68	62	0	0	62	7920	53505
York	34	35	0	0	35	No Report	16179
TOTAL ZONE B	239	239	3	0	242		

Region I - ZONE C							
Hampton Mercury	14	13	0	0	13	1018	17386
Hampton Northampton	19	14	0	0	14	3002	23685
Hampton Phoebus	25	24	NO MMR SUBMITTED		24	No Report	700
Newport News Denbigh	28	30	0	0	30	2645	24819
Newport News Host	20	21	NO MMR SUBMITTED		21	No Report	11765
NN Oyster Point Mariner	19	19	0	-2	17	640	9072
Newport News Warwick	22	22	0	0	22	2261	18383
TOTAL ZONE C	147	143	0	-2	141		
TOTAL REGION I	625	604	7	-2	609		

REGION II							
Region I - ZONE D							
Deep Creek	13	10	NO MMR SUBMITTED		10	No Report	850
Great Bridge	20	21	0	-2	19	2188	32881
Chesapeake Host	17	15	NO MMR SUBMITTED		15	No Report	21091
Southside	41	40	0	0	40	No Report	800
Western Branch	19	16	0	0	16	5435	40875
Churchland	37	33	0	0	33	2175	25230
Cradock	19	18	NO MMR SUBMITTED		18	1239	19038
Portsmouth C F	10	9	NO MMR SUBMITTED		9	No Report	50
Portsmouth Host	21	18	0	-1	17	1535	14774
TOTAL ZONE D	197	180	0	-3	177		

January 2017	June 2016 Members	Jan Members	Feb Gains	Feb Losses	Feb Members	YTD Net Gain
DISTRICT 24-D	1443	1391	11	-7	1395	-48

February 2017	June 2016 Members	Jan Members	Feb Gains	Feb Losses	Feb Members	Feb Points	TOTAL POINTS
Region III - ZONE E							
EVMS	3	3	NO MMR SUBMITTED		3	No Report	50
Norfolk Host	37	39	NO MMR SUBMITTED		39	No Report	900
Norfolk Little Creek	18	17	0	0	17	No Report	28824
Norfolk Middle Town	11	11	NO MMR SUBMITTED		11	No Report	250
Norfolk Norview	12	12	0	0	12	1600	15008
Norfolk Ocean View	23	23	0	0	23	3050	48377
Norfolk State University	2	2	NO MMR SUBMITTED		2	No Report	0
Norfolk Wards Corner	20	19	NO MMR SUBMITTED		19	No Report	100
TOTAL ZONE E	126	126	0	0	126		

Region III - ZONE F							
Boykins	28	26	0	0	26	No Report	2125
Franklin	20	16	NO MMR SUBMITTED		16	No Report	-650
Smithfield	28	29	1	-2	28	3805	32589
Suffolk	21	21	0	0	21	No Report	800
Surry County	18	17	0	0	17	275	4250
Windsor	26	26	0	0	26	505	12645
TOTAL ZONE F	141	135	1	-2	134		
TOTAL REGION II	464	441	1	-5	437		

REGION III							
Region III - ZONE G							
Oceana Lynn Golden	15	15	NO MMR SUBMITTED		15	No Report	600
VB Central	25	26	NO MMR SUBMITTED		26	No Report	650
VB Host	15	15	0	0	15	1250	8892
VB Oceanside	19	19	0	0	19	7320	29667
VB Princess Anne	16	16	0	0	16	5570	36956
VB Thalia	34	37	0	0	37	3568	37331
TOTAL ZONE G	124	128	0	0	128		

Region III - ZONE H							
VB Aragona-Pembroke	19	17	0	0	17	6489	23511
VB Bayside	35	33	1	0	34	2132	14547
VB Kempsville	41	39	NO MMR SUBMITTED		39	No Report	4559
VB Town Center Blind	64	54	2	0	56	4800	22249
VB Woodstock	20	19	0	0	19	1017	11164
TOTAL ZONE H	179	162	3	0	165		

Region III - ZONE I							
Cape Charles	22	24	NO MMR SUBMITTED		24	1765	27610
Central Shores	16	18	0	0	18	No Report	18396
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	56	0	0	56		
TOTAL REGION III	355	346	3	0	349		

WE



SERVE

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

It's always nice to welcome new faces and friends into the Lions Organization. Please join me in welcoming these 10 new members into the District and make it a point to say hello when you meet them.



Alicia Beech, Gloucester
Sheri Lovett, Gloucester
Antonio Albanese, James City
Ruth Bott, James City
Patricia Ralabate, James City
William Sadler, Matthews
Shelley Bush-Jones, Tappahannock
Antonio Gregory, Bayside
Albert Meadows, Town Center Blind
Franklin Nixon, Town Center Blind



BID 'N BUY AUCTION - SAVE THE DATE!

Please mark your calendar for the Bid 'N Buy Auction on November 4, 2017. This year the event will be held at the Hampton Baptist Church located at 40 Kings Way in Hampton, VA. That's right, we're moving to the peninsula for this spectacular charity auction. The Lions Charity Foundation of District 24D is calling on all Lions to support our annual fundraiser in a variety of ways. We need your help soliciting donations, selling raffle tickets, and attending the auction. If you would like to join the planning committee, please contact PCC Lion Stan Furman at lcf24d@district24d.com.

Mathews Lions Club



Gloucester Lions Club

Lions of Virginia District 24-D

Region 1 Meeting

Tuesday March 14th, 2017

Piankatank Ruritan Building 7138 Buckley Hall

Road (Route 198)

Hudgins, Virginia 23076

6:00 p.m. Social / cash bar 7:00 p.m. Dinner / Meeting

Meal Cost : \$20,00

Menu: Fried Oysters, Ham, Chicken, Shrimp Salad, Green Beans and Potatoes, Hot apple Rings, Dinner Rolls, and Various Desserts

R.S.V.P. NO LATER THAN: FRIDAY MARCH 4TH,2017

Call or Contact Lion Gerald Jones: (804) 725-3278 or C: (804) 694-7567

Mail Reservations and Checks to:

Mathews Lions Club

P.O. Box 281

Mathews, VA 23109

Please provide

Club/Individual (s)/Names(s) _____

Number Attending _____ Amount Enclosed: _____

Contact Telephone # _____



24D Region II Meeting

Sponsored by: Cradock & Deep Creek Lions Club

Date: March 15, 2017

Place: Lake Drumond Masonic Lodge, 509 North George Washington Hwy. exit 296 off Interstate 264.

Social at 6:00 pm

Dinner at 7:00 pm, menu - BBQ Pork or BBQ Chicken

Deadline for early registration is March 8th, \$14 per person.

Pay at the door will be \$16.00 per person.

There will be a 50-50 raffle and door prizes.

Send reservations & payment to Cradock Lions Club,
Lion Tilly Hewitt, 40 Chatham Rd., Portsmouth, Va 23702; (757)
487-1986

Lion Bob Mills (757) 397-8302



Region 2 Bland Contest



The District 24D Region 2 Bland Contest will be held on March 11, 2017 at 1 PM at the Norfolk State University Campus, 700 Park Avenue, Norfolk, Virginia. The Bland Contest will be held in the Arts Building. The room will be open at noon.

The best way to get there is to enter gate One and park in the lot. The building is directly across from the parking lot. We welcome any Lions to attend. It will probably take 2-2.5 hours for the event.



DISTRICT 24D LEADERSHIP TRAINING

April 15, 2017

Dear Lions, Lioness and Leos,

The District 24D Lions Leadership Training is scheduled for Saturday April 15, 2017 at the Oak Grove United Methodist Church located at 472 North Battlefield Blvd., Chesapeake, VA 23320.

All Lions members are invited to attend for a fun and exciting educational experience. We especially encourage club officers and new members to participate in this event. We will be sharing new information to help you make plans for a successful Lions Year. Our instructors will provide answers to all of your questions and concerns.

There is no cost to individual Lions to attend the Leadership Training event. Please encourage all interested Lions to attend.

Agenda:

8:30am - Coffee, Juice and Snacks

9:00am – Welcome

9:10am – 10:20am

Session I

- Presidents Training Session
- Secretaries Training Session
- Lions Orientation Session
- Developing Smart Goals Session

10:30am – 11:45am

Session II

- My LCI
- What's New in 2018
- Treasurer Training
- Writing Your Membership Plan

11:45am-12:00noon – Vice District Governor Beth Steven's Message

12:15 -12:30 – World Wide Induction Ceremony

Note: Contributions to the District 24D Leadership Program are welcomed. Checks should be sent to the District Treasurer and earmarked for Leadership. Thank you in advance for your donation.

GLT PCC Chet Kramer

lioncpkramer@verizon.net or (757) 681-3018

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.

Roy Wilder, Tappahannock, 43 years

Yours in Lionism
DC Tucker



Tappahannock Lions Club



IPDG Ray Yannello presenting PID Hauser Weiler, President of the Tappahannock Lions Club with a First Place certificate for winning the overall 24-D Achievement Contest with a total of 88,023 points.



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

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



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



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