



District 11-E1 Newsletter

New Members

113

From the Governor

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Fellow Lions

Our year is moving fast, we're already through the first month and doing an outstanding job of "Serving" our Communities and building our membership!

If you look up you will see we are at 113 and counting down from our district goal of 124 for the year! We are on our way to meeting my DREAM!

Your clubs new District Roster Book was given to you Zone Chair at our recent cabinet meeting and should be in your hands very soon along with a few other things you will need in the days ahead.

By the time this newsletter is published I will have attended our first COG Council of Governors meeting for the year and have had the chance to check in with the other District Governors on how things are going in their districts and how they are serving the needs of their clubs.

Growth...Membership is foremost on all our minds, new Lions bring in new ideas, new energy, new life to our clubs and with that a new momentum towards helping our communities.

We are reaching out into several new areas this year. Our partnership with the Library of Michigan and their Michigan Reads Program helping our kids discover new adventures found in books! This program goes hand in hand with the Lions Reading Action Program. Be sure to come to our Fall Conference to learn even more about the partnership.

We are starting a Families and Women initiative so see what Lions around the world can do to help families and women of our communities lead a better life. More on this next month keep up your good work! **Go Lions!**

DG Lion Tim Anderson
District 11E1
New Member Countdown: 113
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"Follow Your Dreams"



Tim Anderson



“Unsung Heroes”

Over the past few years when I've traveled around our District visiting clubs I kept noticing the same thing again and again, there always seems to be at least one Lion working hard in the kitchen or helping to setup or taking money (for legitimate reasons of course) at the door always there but working in the background.

These everyday Lions always impress me, they may not have any thought of becoming a club officer, but yet they show up at the meetings, step forward again and again when someone is needed to work or help. They do whatever is asked or needed to “Serve” their club and community.

As Governor I want to take a moment and recognize one of these “Unsung Heroes” at each club in our District. I know a lot of Clubs have more than one of these dedicated Lions but for this year I plan on doing my best to find the one that really stands out! Like I said I have noticed and I have been taking down names for some time now, I also have friends at most of the clubs and I have asked their opinions on just who from their clubs is the type of Lion I am looking for.

So each month after a well-deserved pat on the back a handshake and a “Thank You” from their District Governor I plan on listing these special Lions in this newsletter letting everyone in our District know these “Unsung Heroes” are appreciated for all their hard work!



At their July meeting **Lion Nancy Simmons** of the Traverse City Club was called up front recognized and now knows she is appreciated by her club, her district and her Governor! Lion Nancy was presented with a certificate of appreciation with matching pin a pat on the back, a handshake and a "Thank You" for all she does from her District Governor! Great Job Lion Nancy, Traverse City Lion Clubs "Unsung Hero"!

District 11-E1



At their July meeting **Lion Chuck Miller** from the Edmore Lions Club was surprised when he was called up front and received the "Unsung Hero" award, in front of his club and his family which the club snuck in just to see him honored Lion Chuck was met with a standing ovation from his club in recognition of all his years of unselfish service and dedication to his community.

After a pat on the back and handshake from the District Governor Lion Chuck was presented with a pin and certificate and most importantly a "Thank You" for all he does. The club plans on having the certificate framed so Lion Chuck can proudly and properly display it in his home. Congratulations Lion Chuck Miller, the Edmore Lion Clubs "Unsung Hero"!



At their July Picnic meeting **Lion Mike Holdship** from the Cadillac Lions Club was asked to stand at which time he was approached with his hand outreached, District Governor Tim Anderson (this is DG Tim's home club) in front of his fellow club members and spouses Lion Mike was recognized and thanked for all he does for his Lions Club and his community. At this time he was to his surprised presented with the "Unsung Hero" award and pin, a "Thank You" and a pat on the back not to mention a round of applause from his fellow Cadillac Lions. It was my pleasure to honor my fellow Cadillac Lion Mike Holdship as the Cadillac Lion Clubs "Unsung Hero"!

1st Vice District Governor

Fellow Lions,

I have just returned from an outstanding International Lions Convention in Hamburg, Germany. It was estimated that approximately 22,000 Lions, Leos, Lioness, spouses, children and guests were in attendance. We had the largest number of registered Lions since 2007. It was amazing to participate in a parade with over 5,000 Lions bonding in solidarity. Literacy was one of the cornerstones of the convention with former First Lady Laura Bush as one of keynote speakers on the subject. The Lions International Board has voted to continue the literacy program for ten more years. The RAP (Reader Action Program) is one of DG Tim's goals for this year. Our Fall Conference at the Harrison Lions Club on Saturday, September 7, will highlight this program.

Membership or rather the opportunity to continue to serve our communities in the future is always important. One of our new International President's goals is to not only increase membership but to increase the number of women in Lions from 24% to 30 % in the next year. "Follow Your Dream" and it can be done! Your District officers, Zone chairs, and District 11 E1 Area Chairs are here to assist your club. Take advantage of these resources.

Lion Pete Conarty, 1st VDG



Pete Conarty

CALENDAR 2013-2014

Council of Governors Meeting

August 2nd-3rd 2013

First Vice District Governors visit Leader Dog

August 10th 2013 Leader Dog

Michigan Eye Bank Event

August 16th-17th 2013 Mid-Summer Celebration

IPDG Bill Simpson's Appreciation Dinner

August 24th 2013 @ Falcon Head Golf Course, Big Rapids

District Wide PR Campaign Launch

September 1st 2013

Fall Conference (Saturday) September 7th 2013 @ The Harrison Lion's Den, Harrison

Michigan Reads

September 9th all over the state

USA/Canada Forum

September 19th- 21st 2013
Overland, Kansas

Lions Week in Michigan

October 6th-12th 2013

District 11E1 Cabinet Meeting

October 12th 2013 (Saturday)
@ Big Boy
1310 S. Mitchell St, Cadillac MI



2013-2014 Roster Books

Your clubs copies of our District Roster Books have been given to your Zone Chairs and should be in your hands very soon. If you or your club would like extra copies we are offering them on sale for \$3 apiece while supplies last!

Please contact DG Tim to get your extra copy today!



2nd Vice District Governor



Mike Howard

I would like to inform our members that International President Barry Palmer would like all clubs use the Club Excellence Process to help clubs reach their full potential. We will be having a CEP Pro [which features a trained facilitator to help your members through the program] & a CEP Lite [this program is designed to allow your clubs use a member of your club to lead the process] The CEP Lite program will be available in October.

International President Barry would also like our clubs to come up with a dream for each club this year. As DG Tim and the VDG's travel around we will be asking about your clubs dream.

I would also inform DG Tim that the Harrison Lions has started towards his goal of new members by inducting 3 new members to our club on 7/17/13.

I will be traveling to our clubs as soon as my Doctor releases me to travel.

2nd VDG Mike Howard

WE NEED TO WORK TOGETHER AS LIONS OF OLD AND NOT OLD LIONS RESTORE THE LIONS 'ROAR'

“ROAR” “ROAR” “ROAR”



From: PDG Richard Perrin

Optimism is the faith that leads to achievement. Nothing can be done without hope and confidence." ~ Helen Keller



Club Aniversaries August

LAKE ANN LIONS

Chartered
08/30/1982
31 YEARS

STANWOOD LIONS

Chartered
08/30/1966
47 YEARS



DISTRICT 11E1 ROARS

Arcadia Lions



Arcadia Daze Chicken BBQ Chicken Cooking Crew at Arcadia Daze.

The biggest weekend of the summer for us is Arcadia Daze, which is our town's summer celebration/festival weekend. Despite some rain the club's annual Chicken BBQ was a huge success!

This year we ordered 453 chicken ½'s and we sold 453 chicken ½'s so you couldn't ask for better than that. We have such a great group of men and women who know their job and really do GREAT WORK. Good Job Arcadia Lions!

Baldwin Lions



DG Tim Anderson, Lion Sue Jones, & PDG Laura Johnson

Recently the Baldwin Lions held a summer cookout at PDG's Laura & Harry Johnson's home. Lion Harry prepared his famous Sausage & Vegetable Backyard Boil, now you know the food is good when the cooking utensils are normally kept in the barn!

District Governor Tim Anderson along with his wife 1st Lady Lion Christina and their daughter Lion Cub Rachael were guests as well as Lions PDG Lynn & Jane Mast. Besides the GREAT food and the company of fellow Lions the Baldwin club had the chance to grow with the addition of a new member.

Lion Sue Jones was inducted by our District Governor while her sponsor PDG Laura stood by her side. Welcome to our club Lion Sue and please feel free to share the joy that being a Lion can give you with all your friends! We're proud to have you in our club!



Big Rapids Lions

PDG Lion Jim Chipman of the Big Rapids Lions Club was awarded the S.A. Dodge Distinguished Service Award at the MD 11 Annual Convention held in Shipshewana, IN on Saturday, May 18, 2013.

PDG Chipman has served Lions for 40 years. He is a founding member of the Lions of Michigan Service Foundation. He is a Melvin Jones Fellow, a John Noel Fellow and a Ken Lautzenheiser Fellow. He was recently inducted into the Lions of Michigan Hall of Fame. He has received numerous awards in recognition of his Lions service, including the 100% District Governor Award and the International President's Certificate of Appreciation.

The S.A. Dodge Distinguished Service Award is the highest Michigan honor a Lion can achieve. Two are awarded each year. It's named after the 37th Lions International President S. A. Dodge who served as International President from 1953-1954.

The S. A. Dodge award honors those Michigan Lions who have demonstrated an:

- * Outstanding contribution toward promoting Michigan at the International level.
- * Outstanding Lionistic achievement at the Multiple District level.
- * Outstanding record on a MD 11 service committee and contributed significantly toward the success of that committee.
- * Outstanding administrative contribution at the Multiple District level.
- * Outstanding humanitarian achievement--not necessarily directly related to Lionism.



Congratulations to Lion Jim on receiving this distinguished award.

Cadillac Lions

Cadillac Lions Hold Forth of July Fundraiser

The Cadillac Lions turned out in force to help with Cadillac's Annual Independence Day Celebration. The members manned two separate booths, both selling cotton candy, water and soft drinks to those attending raising \$680 dollars. It is not all about the money we have FUN, it gives us as a club a chance to build camaraderie and see many friends and make new friends in the community and build support for Lionism.

The Freedom Festival is geared to be a family event and in that spirit we price our cotton candy and soft drinks appropriately at \$1.00 each. Families look forward to the festival and seeing the Lions Club tent selling cotton candy at affordable prices and having fun. Several of our Lions workers are former school employees and it is especially fun to see former students from 15-30 years ago and their children enjoying buying cotton candy from the Lions.

The event included numerous activities for young and old during the afternoon of July 6th and a large crowd for the evening fireworks. Gary Williams, club co-chairman for the fundraiser, said member participation was very gratifying and we are pleased with the way it turned out and PROUD to serve our community!



Lions Harry Engels, Chuck & Kay Skully

Carson City Lions



Our Annual Community Recognition Night which was held in March. We honor our Citizen of the Year selection and the other nominees, the Top Academic Seniors and our Edward Herald Memorial Scholarship winners. It is attended by approximately 120 people each year. This year was the 20th Annual Event.

"Did You Know"

In What Year Was
District 11E1
Formed?

Cedar/Maple City Lions



On Monday June 24, 2013, PDG Richard Daniel (Empire Lions), inducted the Cedar/Maple City Lions Club new officers and also presented our awards. Our Lion of the year was Lion Glenn Noonan (Charter Member). The other photo is our King Lion Lee Winfrey, coming back for another year.

Welcome New Lions!

HONOR

Lion George Marcerio

HARRISON

Lion Nancy A. Blakemore
Lion Nathan A. Blakemore
Lion Joseph Horaszewski

MANISTEE

Lion Mitch J Modrznski
Lion Craig J. Kent

MESICK

Lion Timothy C. Lachapell
Lion Kim M. Fretter

MIDLAND

Lion Michael J. Hays

SHERIDAN

Shirley Hollenbeck
Brooke Hollenbeck

From District 11E1 To Our Newest Members

WELCOME!



11-E1 Fall Conference & Parade of Checks

September 7th, 2013

417 Fairlane, Harrison Lions Club

Featuring - "Michigan Reads"

Karren Reish - From the Library of Michigan

We have scheduled speakers from our District and State Projects to come and fill us in on the coming year. We will be holding a "Parade of Checks" for each of the projects at the end of their brief presentations. (NOTE: Your clubs full donation or just a token donation of say \$10 per project may be given at this time)

Please mail the registration form to:

2nd VDG Michael Howard 941 Peasley Blvd., Harrison MI 48625
If you have any questions please call 1-989-539-6788



Proposed Schedule

- 10:00 AM - 10:05 AM "Governors Opening Remarks"
- 10:05 AM - 11:45 AM Project Presentations
- 11:45 AM - 12:05 PM Karren Reish "Michigan Reads"
- 12:05 PM - 1:00 PM Lunch & Social Hour - Brief overview of new Governors agenda
- 1:05 PM - 2:00 PM Project Presentations & Parade of Checks

GREAT FOOD – 50/50 DRAWING

Dress will be casual

Registration Form 11-E1 Fall Conference 2013 (Parade of Checks)

Club _____ Names of Attendees _____



Cost is \$5.00 per attendee which includes lunch

Total: \$ _____

Contact Phone Number _____ Email _____

Mail to: 2nd VDG Michael Howard, 941 Peasley Blvd., Harrison, MI 48625 by August 31st 2013.
Or Lion Kay Brandt 7133 Cranberry Lake Rd., Harrison MI 48625 by August 31st 2013



FALL CONFERENCE

THIS IS AN UPDATE ON THE SPEAKERS THAT WILL BE SPEAKING FOR THE DISTRICT COMMITTEES:

Bear Lake

Camp T

Eye Bank

Michigan Foundation/Project KidSight

Leader Dog

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News Letter

Lions Quest

John Monahan

Larry Alman

Lynn Mast

Ron Gibson & Bob Thompson

Pam Blizzard & Ron Sharp

Jerry Brandt

Debbie Kreitner

Harry Johnson

I would like to see as many clubs attend our “FALL DISTRICT CONFERENCE”. I am sure that you will enjoy yourself.

KARREN REISH head of the “Michigan Reads” Program will be our main Speaker. She will be giving us an update on how the Library of Michigan is partnering with the Lions and Michigan to help bring the gift of literacy to our children. Two programs one goal helping our children discover the adventure of reading!

The Lions building will be opening at 9:00am, to serve coffee and doughnuts to the early arrivals.

2 VDG Michael Howard



Lions R.A.P. Reading Action Program

Honor Lions

Honor Lions are having a great summer. We have had a successful Rummage sale, had a great 4th of July. We held our kayak raffle, and want to announce the winners Jack Reiner of Beulah won the Kayak, Carol Dombroski won the \$100.00 second prize and Steve Pries won the third prize of \$50.00.

We have now started selling Raffle tickets for our Fall Rifle raffle. First prize is a Savage Axis model 243 with scope and case. 2nd prize is a Mossberg 22 model 702, and 3rd prize is \$100.00. The raffle will be held on Nov.14th, 2013 at Jodi's Tangled Antler on co. Rd. 669 and US31, so be sure to contact a member for your tickets.

We will also be taking part in The Northwest Michigan Fair with Empire, Frankfort, Lake Ann, Cedar-Maple City, Northport, and Traverse City Clubs to do our first zone project. We will be holding a KidSight Screening and Donor Registry sign up on August 7th, for Kids Day at the Fair. We look forward to working with all the clubs in our zone to have a fun successful day.

We will be holding a Pancake Breakfast for the Coho Festival on August 24th, at the Homestead Twp. hall from 7am till 12 pm. Come to Honor and make a day of it! There will be a carnival, craft show parade concert, fireworks, bake sale and food vendors after Breakfast.

We are pleased we just added a new member to our roster, we welcome George Massero. He's hard working and brings new fresh ideas to share.

A Dream is only a Dream when your eyes are closed once you open your eyes
and see your Dream is still there then you've made it a reality!

FOLLOW YOUR DREAM!



Mesick Lions

Mesick Lions Club Summer Reading Program

The Mesick Lions partnered with the Mesick Public Library and sponsored a Summer Reading Program for area children Pre-K through 6th grades. This was a six week program and we meet once a week in the Mesick Library for story hour, a related activity and a snack. Each child was given a punch card with a goal of them reading 12 books in the 6 weeks. Each meeting they attended, they received 1 punch and every time they read a book, an adult was to punch the card. At the end of the program, all children were invited to an Ice Cream Party which was hosted by our club.

Mesick Lions Club Blood Drive

On July 10, our club sponsored a blood drive through the Michigan Blood Center. June, July and August are the "dry" months for blood collection and the Center set a goal of 20-25 pints of blood for us. Lion Shiela Ferrel worked very hard putting up advertising and making phone calls to inform possible donors and schedule appointments. At the end of the day, our drive registered 29 donors and collected 22 pints of blood. Due to the success of the drive, the Blood Center has asked us to sponsor a blood drive in Mesick every other month. We are very excited to be partnered with such an important organization.

Mesick Lions Club Farmer's-Flea Market

On June 15, our club started a Farmer's - Flea Market in the Mesick Lions Veteran's Memorial Park. We are looking for farmers, crafters and flea market vendors to sell their wares every Saturday through the month of September. Not only to make a little money for the club, but also to offer community members a place to sell their products and a place for locals and visitors to our area to visit with each other.

"Did You Know"

It Was In 1976 That MD 11
Was Divided Into 10 Sub
Districts And 11E1 Was
Formed.

Michigan Lions Pin Trading Club
are hosting a
Lions Pin Traders Seminar

Buy/sell
And trade pins

When: **September 28th, 2013 8am-5pm**

Where: **White Cloud Lions Club House**
29 N. Charles (M37)
White Cloud, MI

Cost: **\$10 for lunch, table and bag of 10 pins**

Mail Check (MILPTC) and name to:

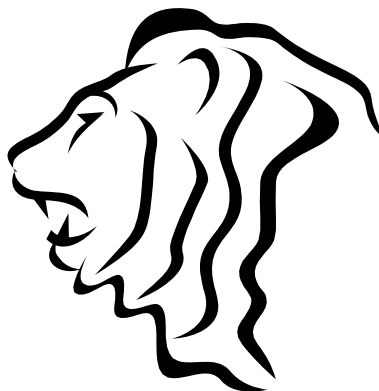
President Peggy Walls

13500 215th Ave Big Rapids, MI 49307

For information, call Peggy

231 796-2861 or Mail Check (MILPTC) and name to:

Congratulations to PDG Jim Walls for being elected
Director of LITPC



Midland Lions

**MISSION OF MERCY (MOM) DENTAL CLINIC JUNE 6 – 9, 2013
MIDLAND LIONS CLUB SERVICE PROJECT**



The Michigan Dental Association Mission of Mercy (MOM) Dental Clinic took place the first weekend of June at SVSU Ryder Center and between 16 and 20 Midland Lions participated as volunteers. This was a great service project for our club and some members volunteered multiple days. This was the first time for Michigan to have a MOM Dental Clinic and the 27th state to do so. It was open to all in need on a first come first serve basis. People started arriving the night before and waited through the night to receive care. One individual even rode his bike for hours to get to the Ryder Center for treatment. By the end of the weekend, 1,300 people were helped (164 people returned the second day to complete their treatment). The average cost per patient was around \$700.00. A wide range of procedures were offered: 1,210 X-rays; 1,606 cleanings; 1,175 fillings; 53 root canals; 107 dentures/bridges and 1,342 extractions/oral surgery. Total dollars spent in patient care was \$903,384.95! Thanks to all the Lions and spouses who pitched in.

Check out YouTube MOM video at www.smilemichigan.com/foundation/MissionofMercy.aspx

WELCOME 2013/2014 MIDLAND LIONS CLUB BOARD



Pictured - Membership Chair Rick Fraser, Board Director Jeff Lauer, Lion Tamer Al Ducham, Board Director Robert Paris, Tail Twister Steve Jenkins, Past President Ron Sharp, Treasurer Doug Ward, President Karl leuter, Secretary Carl VanderWoude and Vice President Jim Warheit. Not pictured - Board Directors Mark Freed and Tony Sauve. Right picture - Changing of the Guard.



Clubs Coming Together To “SERVE”

July was an outstanding month for **Fremont Lions Club and White Cloud Lions Club**

These two very special Lions Clubs worked together on two very different projects that protect children in the Fremont Community in July.

First of all, **Lions Bill & Jackie Koch** and **Fran & Hailey Lensky** headed up a Project KidSight Screening. They were assisted by **Lions Laurene Homsher, Ron Pardonnet, and Leo Kendra Alt**. Thirty-seven (37) children were screened which resulted in three (3) children receiving referrals to an Eye Specialist for further evaluation. Outstanding work KidSight Team!

The Second Project was to serve as Parade Wranglers for the Fremont Parade. The Wranglers make sure the children are kept safe all along the parade route. Protecting them from the traveling floats, trucks & cars plus making sure the thrown candy and gifts do not lure the children in the path of any of the parade units. The Wrangler Team included **Lions Laurene & Caryn Homsher, Ron & Kay Pardonnet, Darl Purdy, Steve Asmond, Max Gardenour, Don Heaven, Fran Lensky, Janalee & Lester McClure, Leo Kendra Alt** and several other Fremont Lions too.

Hats off to these two clubs for working together on projects that *made a difference* for the children in the Fremont Community.

White Cloud Lions

The White Cloud Lions held a benefit dinner and silent auctions at the White Cloud Lion's Den for a victim of a fire. The White Cloud Lions donated the hall, time and work to make this benefit a success. The Ritter Family suffered a total loss in a fire in May.

The family has had a lot of bad luck. The worst is a total loss without insurance. The White Cloud Lions hosted a Chicken and Dumpling dinner. We ran out of food at around 200 people. Then the area with it generous donations supported a great auction that netted over \$2,300.00 for the family.

ROAR - WHITE CLOUD LIONS - ROAR. Loving Individuals Offering Needed Services.

Have you checked out our District Website lately?

New pages - Updated content - Give us a look!

<http://www.millions11e1.org/>



Please join the Lions of District 11-E1
As we celebrate our year of service with
Immediate Past District Governor
Bill Simpson

An Appreciation Dinner
Hosted by the Big Rapids Lions Club

August 24, 2013
6:00 p.m. social, 6:30 p.m. dinner

Falconhead Golf Course
231-796-2614
13120 Northland Drive, Big Rapids, Michigan 49307

Meal cost \$22.50 (cash bar available)

Reservation Deadline: August 19, 2013

Name _____ Club _____

Address _____

Phone _____ e-mail _____

Number attending _____ @ \$22.50 each Total enclosed: _____

Please make your check payable to the Big Rapids Lions Club and send it to

Lion Jim Chipman
Big Rapids Lions Club
21240 Poplar Road
Paris, Michigan 49338

Lions of Michigan District 11-E1

Lions of Michigan All State Band



LMASB once again, had a fruitful, successful, enjoyable and a truly musical experience on their trip to the Lions International Convention in Hamburg. Following 6 days of rehearsal over a period of 6 months which included a 3 day band camp at Adrian College the band and its instructional staff began the journey to Berlin.

Though the weather was a challenge with regard to rain and heat during band camp, Berlin started out with gorgeous weather that followed us throughout the tour. Our first evening in Berlin we met with the current District Governor of Berlin as well as the immediate Past District Governor, they were accompanied by four area Leo's who all joined us for our first meal in Berlin.

The table was prepared and the tone for the rest of the trip was set by that opening gathering with the faces of Lions in Germany. From the moment we played the first notes of our first concert we knew that Germany was going to be a very special venue with regard to audiences. Germans love music and will stop, listen, and enjoy good performances when and wherever they occur.

The students and staff were very appreciative of the audiences and performed with emotion and excellence in response to their presence. Our concerts at the residence for the blind and residence for the elderly were truly emotional experiences. To see the students visit with the residents following the presentations was precious beyond words.

Attendance at the parade was well above average and our kids rose to the occasion playing a program that had broad appeal to the audience members that lined the route. "We Serve" with their gifts and talents of music were evident throughout the tour the message of Lionism was proclaimed and witnessed daily throughout the tour.

We are very proud of these students; what they gave, how hard they worked, the personal performance perfection that they presented, and certainly last but not least, how well they individually and collectively represented themselves, their families, schools and communities. Toronto: Here we come!



To see the Band in action and check out the Parade in Hamburg!

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nEa9Nuciqv0&feature=share>

Click Here

District 11-E1

11-E1 District-Club Shirt

SHIRTS ARE NAVY BLUE

WOMENS (W)		MENS (M)	
Size	Price	Size	Price
S	\$22.98	S	\$22.98
M	\$22.98	M	\$22.98
L	\$22.98	L	\$22.98
XL	\$23.98	XL	\$23.98
2XL	\$24.98	2XL	\$24.98
3XL	\$25.98	3XL	\$25.98
4XL	\$26.98	4XL	\$26.98
5XL	\$27.98	5XL	\$27.98



RIGHT SIDE					
NAME	CLUB NAME	W/M	Size	Qty	Price

Please send completed order form and payment made out to District 11-E1 to:



Lion Pam Schroeder
 4629 Crescent Beach Rd.
 Onekama, MI 49675

(231) 889-4870
 dgibbons4870@charter.net



Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser for District 11E1



WHERE: WHITE CLOUD LIONS DEN
294 N. Charles, White Cloud, 49349

WHEN: Saturday, SEPTEMBER 28, 2013
Dinner served from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m.

COST: Adults \$8.00 Child under 10 \$3.00

ALL YOU CAN EAT but only **one** dessert!

Why not come to the Mini Pin Swap at the White Cloud Lion's Den during the day then stay over for the District 11E1 Fundraiser for dinner!

We have an auctioneer. **Bring something to auction off for the District!** Lions and Families only please!

We have several sheets of different District's Pins for the auction.

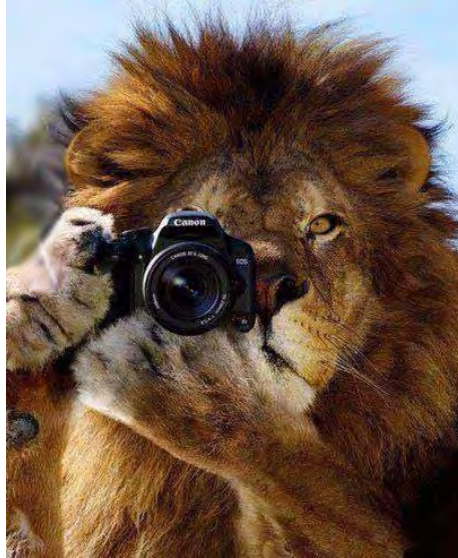
Our goal is to help the District to help offset the need of any possible near future dues increase. If everyone attends a Region District Fundraiser this year, not only will we have a **lot of fun**, we can help build up our District again.

QUESTIONS? Call **Lions Mary Allen** 231-689-0944, **Bill Koch** 231-652-1164, or **Janalee McClure** 231-689-1321 from the **White Cloud Lions Club** 231-689-6410, or **Lions Jim & Peggy Walls** 231-796-2861 from the **Stanwood Lions Club**.

Approved by Governor Tim Anderson.

Region 3 - District - Fundraiser

ATTENTION SHUTTER BUGS!



Lions Environmental Photo Contest

The Lions Environmental Photo Contest provides a way for Lions to portray, through an original photo, their pride and commitment to improving, protecting and preserving the environment. Every Lion from a club in good standing can enter a photograph of his or her immediate surroundings into the club-level Lions Environmental Photo Contest.

Entry Guidelines

This year's Lions Environmental Photo Contest includes the following five categories:

- Animal life
- Plant life
- Urban or natural landscape
- Weather phenomenon
- **Special theme:** A dream for a healthy environment
 - Seeing the beauty and value of our natural environment for today and tomorrow

The contest begins at the club level and winning photographs will advance to the district, multiple district, and international competitions. Lions can submit only one photograph of their environment. If the submitted photograph meets all of the criteria, it will be displayed at the Lions international convention where registered attendees will vote for their favorite in each category, as well as their overall favorite photograph. The six photos will appear [on the Contest Winners page](#) and the Lions photographers will receive an award.

- [Photo Contest Rules](#)
 - [Multiple District Entry Form](#)
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Greetings from Hamburg!



Lions of 11E1 Enjoy Michigan Night Together!



Council of Governor 2013-2014

District 11-E1

TURN OLD LIONS PINS 2 CA\$H (FUNDRAISER)

The Lions Pin Traders of Michigan would like to salute the members of the Stanwood Lions Club and the White Cloud Lions Club for their donation of Lions pins that were auctioned off at the recent Pin Swap. All money raised from the sale of the pins at auction was then donated to the Lions of Michigan Foundation.

The LPTM would like to extend this offer to all other Lions and clubs, this is an excellent way to pass on your old Lions Pins, clean out that closet or empty that box and put them to good use by donating the proceeds of the sale to help our District raise money (Makes a **GREAT** District Fundraiser) to keep costs down and to help offset the need of any possible future dues increase.

Members of the Pin Traders Club will be going to swaps in varying parts of the country throughout the year and would be willing to take your pins to auction donating **ALL** the proceeds back to the District. Any questions, please contact Lion Peggy Walls at 231-796-2861 or another member of the Pin Trader club.

Your Pins can be given to DG Tim Anderson or one of the other VDG's when they do their official visit to your club, they can also be brought to a Zone Meeting or arrangements can be made to have the nearest Pin Trader pick them up.

Also, the pin trading seminar and event in September at the White Cloud Lions Club house would be a good place to come bring your pins, few or many, and see what pin trading is about. Table and meal for \$10.

UPDATES – CHANGES – CORRECTIONS

Please make the necessary changes in your roster book

Big Rapids Lions

The Big Rapids Lions Club is now meeting at the Falcon Head Golf Course, 13120 Northland Drive, Big Rapids, and MI. We meet at 6:30PM on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month.

Greenville Lions

(Address Correction)

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