

# SPRINGFIELD LIONS CLUB

# Lions' Lines



**July 21, 2015**

## KING'S KORNER



My fellow Lions as I take-up the Presidency this year we must all come to the realization that our Club as it has been in the past has entered a new era.

### The very survival of the Springfield Lions Club is at Risk

I have spoken on several occasions at board meetings, Installation night and at our recent BBQ about the need to infuse new and energetic members into our club to mediate this RISK.

With that as a major challenge to myself and to you we need to grow our club that we have all grown so proud of during our tenure.

We have designed a plan and will implement it with each member participating. We as a club tried this 12 years ago and it produced 17 new members! Yes it did, there are still 5 of them currently on our roles.

Attached to this email you will find what we are calling the WHEEL form. We are asking each member to come forward with just the names, addresses and phone numbers of persons you think would be candidates for our club. You should speak with them and just let them know they will be getting an invitation to an informational dinner meeting to take place on October 27, 2015. We will be explaining our clubs goals, purposes and mission. Please do not limit your contacts to just the three on the form add more.

With your input we can hope to reach a plus 15 members into the Springfield Lions Club.

It's our club so let's keep it Strong!

In a World of Service

*Jim Cavallaro*

## LIONS' CALENDAR

- Jul 18** Beacon Lodge trip – trip up
- Jul 28** Beacon Lodge trip – return trip
- Jul 21** Dinner meeting, SCC 6:30PM, Kim Graham, CBVI. NOTE date change.
- Aug 4** Springfield Night Out, Springfield Country Club
- Aug 6** Rose Tree Park concert. Lions collect eye glasses. See article in this issue.
- Aug 11** Board meeting, 7 PM St. Matthews. NOTE date change. NO regular dinner meeting.
- Aug 20** Breakfast meeting. See article
- Aug 25** Dinner meeting, 6:30 PM, SCC District Governor's Night & visit by Media Lions
- Aug 30** Banner Night, Eddington Fire House, Bensalem
- Sep 1** Board meeting, St. Matthews, 7PM

## NEXT DINNER MEETING

**July 21st, 6:30 PM**  
**Springfield Country Club**

**Dress Code**  
**Business Casual**

**Speaker: Kim Graham**



IMPORTANT! NOTIFY FRANK UDICIOUS IF YOU ARE  
ATTENDING EITHER BY EMAIL (mludicious@verizon.net)  
OR PHONE (610-328-9075)

## BREAKFAST MEETING

The breakfast meeting will be at the Country Squire Diner, Rt. 320 and West Chester Pike, Broomall from 8AM to 9AM on August 20th. Contact Tom Citro (610-328-9886) if attending.

## RECENT EVENTS



Lions Kathy Lawless and Bill Lavery presented the 2015 Volunteer Memorial Wall Exemplary Volunteer honorees for the Lions on July 4<sup>th</sup>. Carol Conklin, Linda Walton and Virginia Conklin represented Lion Charles Conklin and Jerry McCabe represented himself. Congratulations!!

## BEACON LODGE TRIP

Chair Jerry McCabe says things are all arranged for our annual trip in July to take campers to and from Beacon Lodge Camp. Meet at 7AM on Saturday, July 28<sup>th</sup> for trip to camp – we will car pool to Overbrook. Contact Jerry McCabe (610-543-8481) for more information.

## SPRINGFIELD NIGHT OUT

Springfield Night Out, which is part of the National Night Out is held at the Springfield Country Club parking lot on Tuesday August 4th and is a widely attended event. The event, designed to support crime prevention, includes live music, food and drinks, raffle prizes police and fire apparatus on display, children's activities and many organizations, including ourselves, present. It is a splendid opportunity for the Lions to present themselves to the community and provide information to residents

that might have an interest in our activities. Please contact Dick Wilson (610-565-3272) for more information and to let him now you are coming. Wear your Lions vest. It starts at 5:30PM and ends about 9PM.

## ROSE TREE PARK

Your club is sponsoring "The Volunteers" at Rose Tree Park on August 6th, beginning at 7:30 PM. Since its inception in 1981, The Soldier - Musicians of The Volunteers tell the story of the United States Army through rock, pop, country, and patriotic music. A hit with all ages, they perform more than 100 shows each year, and have performed for millions of listeners in all 50 states, Puerto Rico, Canada, Mexico, Kuwait, and Iraq.

We will also be collecting used eyeglasses and will need volunteers to be at the entrances to Rose Tree Park to collect them. Contact Ed Rocco at 610-543-2201. You should be at the park by 6:30 PM.

## LIONS' COMMITTEE INFO

The Comedy, Song & Fun promotes fellowship at dinner meetings through the use of songs and other methods. The Comedy, Song & Fun Committee is chaired by Jerry McCabe. The committee is under the charge of 3<sup>rd</sup> VP Dave Krauter. Members for 2014-2015 are Jim Harrington, Joe Helwig, Mark Godshalk and Tony Zagame.

## LIONS' LINES

Remember, past *Lions Lines* are available on our web site, [www.springfieldlionsclub.org](http://www.springfieldlionsclub.org). Please send all material for the *Lions' Lines* to Walt Young. Email is preferred (wtcayoung@verizon.net). Material must be received no later than the Wednesday before the dinner meeting and may be edited for space and content.



# ***Prospective Membership and Recruiting Wheel***

The 8 primary sources of Lions Club  
Prospective members

## **Prospective Lions Information Meeting scheduled for October 27, 2015.**

List the names of PROSPECTS who should be invited  
below. Return this form to Ed Rocco by our meeting on  
9/29/2015.

Lion Member \_\_\_\_\_



Name \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

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Have you spoken to this prospective member about the Springfield Lions and Lionism?

Yes No

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

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Have you spoken to this prospective member about the Springfield Lions and Lionism?

Yes No

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

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Have you spoken to this prospective member about the Springfield Lions and Lionism?

Yes No