

SPRINGFIELD LIONS CLUB

Lions' Lines

June 26, 2018



KING'S KORNER

WOW, that was a fast year. My year as President of our Lions Club is almost over. My thanks to all the Lions who attended meetings and or participated in our many projects. I am especially appreciative for the support and efforts of the Board. Without an energetic and committed Board, our club could not function. We could not feed the hungry; help the blind and visually impaired; take blind children to the zoo; help our blind friends go to camp or support the many worthy organizations we engage.

We do have our challenges. We are embarking on a series of changes that we hope will address the challenges especially club membership. Change is not easy; however, we have a proud history to protect. A club history that is the envy of our colleagues in other clubs. We have produced many local, regional and national leaders in the world of Lions. We have accomplished a tremendous amount of good. Many of the things we do or organizations we support are dependent on us. Dependent on us to continue to get the needy glasses, to organize a trip to camp, to feed the needy or to organize a parade.

The plan to address our challenges will be presented to you late this summer. In turn we will challenge our committees to refocus our budgets to support the plan.

In closing it was my honor and privilege to be your President. I learned a lot about Lionism and got to know many of you better. Saying that I am now more sure than ever that being a Lion is indeed a passion of mine.

King Lion Joe

NEXT DINNER MEETING

June 26th, 6:30 PM*

Anthony's Ristorante

Drexeline Shopping Center
4990 State Rd., Drexel Hill, PA

Cost \$25

Dress Code Business Casual

NEW OFFICER INSTALLATION NIGHT

Join us for a night to honor our new officers!

*Please be there By 6:15 to facilitate the menu selection and food preparation process

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



Don't forget your cancelled stamps and empty prescription bottles!



LIONS' CALENDAR

Jun 21	Breakfast mtg, 8:30 AM Country Squire Diner
Jun 26	Dinner Mtg at Anthony's, 6:30PM. Installation Night
Jun 25, 26, 27 or 28	Outback fund raiser at Concord Outback, \$20 per ticket, details to follow
Jul 4	Independence Day celebration – see article
Jul 14	Escort campers to Beacon Lodge – see article

LIONS CALENDAR CONTINUED

Jul 17	Board meeting & picnic at PID Jim Cavallaro's house, 6PM
Jul 24	Escort campers home from Beacon Lodge
Aug 7	Springfield Night Out at the Springfield Country Club, 6 - 9PM
Aug 9	Rose Tree Park – US Army Band and Field chorus – Lions collect used eyeglasses
Aug 28	August Board meeting followed by dinner at Anthony's, 5PM

LIONS ALL STATE BAND

Our PA Lions All State Band members, Nick Pavlovitch and Gryffin Romm performed at the Lions State Convention at State College in mid-May and will be leaving June 24th for the Lions International Convention in Las Vegas. They will return to Springfield July 5th.

JULY 4TH CELEBRATION



Help is needed for our Independence Day celebration. We need your help in collecting donations from residents for the event. The brochures are ready. Please contact Frank Udicious if you need them (610-328-9075).

Second, on July 4th there are three areas where your help is needed: First – we need participation in the parade. This is our event and we should have a large presence in the parade. Second – help is need at the high school to organize the parade. And third – help is needed at Memorial Park. Realizing that these are widely spaced venues and no one can participate in all three, please contact Fred Huenerfauth (610-328- 9951) to find out where your help is needed the most. Thank you!

LOTTERY CALENDARS



The largest fund raiser for our club is the Lions Calendar drive. We need your help with this major fund raiser. Please call Jim Cavallaro at 610-604- 4551 or 610-405-2677 and Pick up a supply now and keep on selling, selling, selling!!

A letter from Lion Jim is attached to this LL with a request for business owners to advertise in the calendar. Please pass this on to business owners and promote their signing-up!

OUTBACK FUNDRAISER

Our Club is taking advantage of a fundraising opportunity at the Concordville Outback on Monday thru Thursday June 25, 26, 27 and 28. Tickets are good each day from 11am to 9:30pm and cost the usual \$20 each. There are six entrees to select from: 12oz Prime Rib, 6oz Filet, 9oz Sirloin, 10oz Ribeye, 10oz Salmon or No Rules Pasta. The meals include applicable sides and a non-alcoholic beverage. Our club Charitable Fund will earn \$10 per ticket. We know that one of the nights is Installation Night,

but sell tickets to your neighbors and friends, and bring your family one of the other nights. The restaurant is in the Concordville Shopping Center at Rt 1 and Evergreen Dr, a short distance from the Concordville Inn. Jim Harrington has the tickets – give him a call at 610-558-3118 or 484-410-4118 and he will get them to you.

BEACON LODGE TRIPS



Chair Jerry McCabe says things are arranged for our annual trip in July to escort campers to Beacon Lodge on Saturday, July 14th. We will car pool from the SCC at 7AM to the Overbrook School for the Blind. The return trip is Tuesday, July 24th. We will car pool from the SCC at 7:30 AM to Overbrook. We need more Lions' help on both trips. Please call Jerry and volunteer for this service project (610-543- 8481).

LIONS EYE BANK OF DELAWARE VALLEY

August 10, 2018

Gift of Sight Charity Golf Outing

Woodcrest Country Club
300 East Evesham Rd., Cherry Hill, NJ 08003

Call 215-563-1679 for more information
www.lebdv.org



LIONS' LINES

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

PRESIDENT: Joseph Saunders, FIRST VP: Dave Krauter, SECOND VP: Tom Citro, THIRD VP: Walt Young
SECRETARY: Frank Udicious, TREASURER: William Lavery, LION TAMER: Frank Udicious, TAIL TWISTER: Alex Massey



LIONS CLUB OF SPRINGFIELD CHARITABLE FOUNDATION, INC.

**POST OFFICE BOX 220
SPRINGFIELD, PENNSYLVANIA 19064-0220**

Dear Springfield Business owner:

The Lions Club of Springfield through our Charitable Foundation have been working to help those in need throughout the Springfield/Morton communities and worldwide with our work and attention to many different areas of need.

While we're most noted for working with the Blind and visually impaired and Hearing Communities of the world, we have worked with many other causes. We have been there with supplies and financial aid to help those that have suffered from natural disasters, i.e.: Tsunami in Japan, hurricane support for both Katrina and Sandy and Hatti, the tornadoes in the Midwest and the earthquake in Nepal and world disasters.

We are a group of over 1.4 million members who located in over 210 countries and geographical areas throughout the world, with our mission "WE SERVE"

We are currently preparing our annual calendars that raise funds to support those missions I mentioned above. We are seeking your support again this year by asking you to place an advertisement in our calendar for the 2018 year. Your advertisement will help us provide aid to those in need throughout our local communities and worldwide.

The cost of the advertisement is \$100.00 for the year and your company name will appear four times throughout the year. The ad should be camera ready or the size of a business card. See the attached form for the specifics including the mailing address.

The Springfield Lions Club Charitable Foundation qualifies under the Internal Revenue Service code as a 501 c (3) tax exempt organization. This will provide your company with a business deduction for federal tax purposes.

We look forward to your support for this project.
Our deadline is August 2, 2017.

Sincerely yours in a World of Service,

The Lions Club of Springfield
James A. Cavallaro
Chair, Calendar Drive

Serving the Springfield Community since 1948

LIONS CLUB OF SPRINGFIELD CHARITABLE FOUNDATION, INC.

POST OFFICE BOX 220
SPRINGFIELD, PENNSYLVANIA 19064-0220

Advertisement for Springfield Lions Charitable Foundation Annual Calendar

Date _____

Deadline 8/2/2018

Name of Advertiser _____

Address: _____

Copy Provided _____

Business Card _____

Fee: \$100.00 per ad for four months (once every three months)

The Lions Club of Springfield Charitable Foundation is a 501c(3) entity.

The funds from the sale of our calendars and advertisements will be used to support the following types of Charitable beneficiaries:

Leader Dogs for the Blind
Center for the Blind and Visually Impaired
Overbrook school for the Blind
Pennsylvania Eye Research
District 14-A Charitable Fdn.
Pennsylvania Hearing Research Fdn.
Beacon Lodge (Camp for the Blind)



Delaware County Girl Scouts
Springfield Boy Scouts
Springfield Fire CO.
Springfield Ambulance
St. Lucy's Day School
Lions Clubs Intr. Fdn.
And many more

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