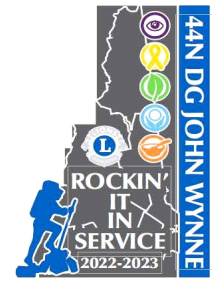


the ROAR *your monthly District 44N newsletter*

JUNE 2023 / VOLUME 28 / ISSUE 12



Dear Lions.

Please join me in welcoming the following new Lions to the District: Bradley J. Camley, Kimberly McPherson, Brenda Foley & Shelly D. Meeks of the Pride branch club of the Andover Lions; Monica Rowe Canaan Lions; Cheryl & Melvin Thomas Patty of the Chesterfield Lions; Lee Kriester of the Henniker Lions; Scott Lawrence of the Milford Lions; Bernard Wesoja of the New London Lions; Amber Bissonnette, Katelyn Dubreuil, Harley Dubreuil & Mitch Dubreuil of the Whitefield Lions.

The district has also set aside \$5,000.00 to reimburse new membership fees payable either to the club or new member (whoever paid the fees) retro-active to July 1, 2022. Also included in this \$5,000.00 is a reimbursement of expenses up to \$300.00 for recruiting/orientation of new members.

As of May 27, 2023, there is approximately \$1,000.00 available in this fund in a conversation with the incoming District Governor Toni Olden she will continue with this program until the fund is completely expended.

I would like to remind all clubs that Lions Youth Services has a grant program that will refund expenses up to \$500.00 per event two events per Lion's year up to a maximum \$1,000.00 per Lion's Year for youth activities.

Future in Sight (formally The New Hampshire Association of the Blind) has started a program called "LIFT" and is seeking volunteers across the State of New Hampshire to drive Future in Sight clients to their appointments. This is ideal for a Lions club to participate in as the blind are our priority. Please contact PCC Scott Wilson scotwils@comcast.net

My travels in May started on May 2nd with a visit to the Milford Lions club to socialize at their Cinco de Mayo celebration where clubs in Zone 2 come Together to celebrate all their hard work during the year.

I attended the 44H Spring Convention on May 5-7 at the Grand Hotel in N Conway, NH where I finally met

ID Ernesto "TJ" Tijerina who missed the 44N Spring Convention last year. A good time was had by all the attendees. On May 12-14, I attended the 44N Spring Convention at the Town & Country Inn & Resort in Gorham, NH. ID Jeff Gans was our special guest bringing insight as to what is going on at LCI. A good time was had by all. On May 18, I travelled to the New London Lions where I had the honor to induct Bernard Wesoja into the Lions & I was served a terrific meal. On May 25, I travelled to the Henniker Brewery to attend the Henniker Lions club meeting where I had the privilege of presenting two Presidential Certificates to Jessica Gorham, one from last year and one from this year both certificates are well deserved to her. The Henniker club added 10 new members last year and twelve new members this year.

As my term comes to an end, I will make myself available to help any club catch up on their taxes and if so desired, apply to partner with a casino.

I hope we can all join the Manchester Lions as we celebrate 100 years of Lions in New Hampshire.

All the best to incoming District Governor Toni and her leadership team!

Keep Rockin' It In Service"

John Wynne, 44N District Governor



Lion Harry Armstrong of the Canaan Lions receives Presidential Medal from International Director Jeffrey "Jeff" Gans during the 44N Spring Convention



I'd like to thank the members of District 44N for placing your confidence in me.

As you know, we will be celebrating 100 years of service in NH in 2023. Congratulations to the Manchester and Nashua Lions clubs! We can look back with pride on all of our accomplishments, but as we look to the future, we must contemplate the changes we can make to thrive in a digital, fast-paced world. We need to ask ourselves what changes, big or small, will keep us relevant in our communities.

As a District, leadership must make the changes that will meet the needs of our members and clubs. I believe that service is the key. Our service will bring in new members and new members will bring new ideas and new leaders.

Now is the time to review our projects and ask ourselves: Are they still relevant? Do they need tweaking? Can we think bigger? John D Rockefeller said, "Don't be afraid to give up the good to go for the great.". Let's strive to make our service greater in 2023-2024!

One small change the District will be making is to rezone. This is being done to make our zones more even in size and area. The leadership team will be looking for your input as to what other changes we can make, big or small.

I look forward to working alongside Mike, Pam and all of you in celebrating 100 years of service. Let's party!!

Yours in Lionism,
FVDG Toni Olden

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ID John Youney recognizing PDG Sue Lindberg at NELC for her leadership training with GAT



Please join us for a dinner and celebration of

100th Anniversary of Lionism in New Hampshire

with the

Manchester Lions Club

Chartered on June 15, 1923

**RSVP
by June 8th!**



Saturday, June 24, 2023 at 5:00 PM
Puritan Backroom Conference Center
245 Hooksett Road, Manchester

Guest Speaker

PID Mark Lyon

Sponsorship Levels

\$750 Platinum – Full Page Program Ad (5.5in by 8.5in)

\$500 Gold – 1/2 Page Program Ad (5.5in by 4.25in)

\$250 Silver – 1/4 Page Program Ad (2.75in by 4.25in)

\$100 Bronze – Name on Sponsor Listing

General Ticket - \$40

Please make check payable to "Manchester Lions" and mail it to 895 Belmont Street, Manchester, NH 03104

For more information, please contact Gene at (603) 289-6860 or LionGeneMartin@gmail.com

All proceeds go toward the Manchester Lions Club Charity Account

International Convention in Boston and Marching in the International Parade of Nations on Saturday, July 8, 2023?

Here's what you will need to March in the Parade:

- 1. You must be a Registered Delegate** for the Convention and have a Badge. No Walk-Ons!
- 2. All Lions marching must wear the following (No deviations allowed!!)**
- 3. Lions Baseball Style Hat:** This hat has a vented back to help you stay cool! **Cost \$12.00.** It is available from the Lions Store at: [Stitches NH.com](http://StitchesNH.com)

Please click on this link below to order your hat:

<https://http-stitchesnh-com.printavo.com/merch/lion-s-club-2022-spring-store>

(You will need to hold down the Ctrl key and also click the left button on your mouse to get to the website. Credit cards are accepted on the website)

- 4. New Gray Lions Polo Style Jersey:** PDG Al Goldstein has an order form. Please order the Jersey directly through PDG Al. Men's and Women's sizes available. Payable by check to Al Goldstein.
- 5. Khaki Pants:** You will need to wear sand-colored (**not white**) Khakis Long Pants. **No shorts or skorts or skirts!**
- 6. Shoes:** White Sneakers or White Shoes. **No Sandals.** I recommend good White Sneakers as you'll be on your feet for 4 hours!

Please adhere to the Uniform Guidelines if you are planning on marching in the parade. We want all to be in the same Marching Uniform, so there will be no deviations as to what to wear for this convention.

Any questions, please contact me at: jkasper@nedelta.com or 603-548-0286

Thanks, Joe Kasper,
Uniform Chair

Are you ready for the LCICON Boston Parade on Saturday, July 8, 2023? Do you have your shirt, hat and white shoes ready to go? Now, you just need the right color of Pants? Our Uniform Czar, Joe Kasper, advises that we wear sand colored khakis as depicted below. Remember, NH Lions want to look unified! Let's do the best we can to wear the Lions Uniform of the Granite State.

We'll be congregating with New England as #94 with CT, ME, NH, RI and VT in that order in the Green assembly area @ 9:15am. MA will be holding up the rear in the Blue assembly area.



Estimates of more than 8,000 Paraders will be marching down Boylston Street. Quite a sight to see!

Thank you for letting me serve as your Multiple District 44 Chair this past year. As Spock would say, it's been fascinating! Live long and prosper my fellow Lions. And, always serve with kindness. - MCC Bob Gustafson



MD 44 PARADE SHIRT ORDER FORM

DEADLINE: JUNE 5, 2023

MEN'S _____ Quantity _____ SIZE _____
LADIES _____ Quantity _____ SIZE _____

ALL SHIRTS ARE \$16.00 EACH

SIZES AVAILABLE:
SMALL, MEDIUM, LARGE, XL, XXL, AND XXXL

Send order form and payment to:

Al Goldstein
35 Main St
Atkinson, NH 03811



New England Lions Council (NELC)

*"Serving the Needs of the Districts
of New England"*

2023 LIONS INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION

Boston, Massachusetts-USA

Monday, July 10

New England Delegation's

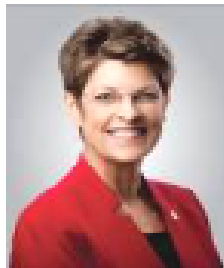
BREAKFAST GATHERING - 7AM

Doors Open at 6:45 AM

Omni Hotel (HQ) - Marquis Room

Keynote/Guest: 1st VP Patti Hill & Lion Gregory Holmes

Guests Hosted By: Lion ID John & Karol Youney (Maine)



Breakfast/Registration: \$50.00

Plated Breakfast to Include:

- Freshly Squeezed Orange Juice;
- *Boulangerie's* Pastry Assortment w/ Creamery Butter & Fruit Preserves;
- Ham & Egg French Toast w/ Gruyere Cheese, Candied Quinoa and Maple Syrup; and
- Fresh Brewed Regular and Decaffeinated *Stance* Coffee & *Nami* Tea Selection.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

DIST/MD: ____ / ____ TITLE/POSITION: ____ / ____

CLUB: _____ CLUB POSITION: _____

PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

Make *Check* Payable to:

NELC

Mail *Check/Form* to:

PDG Al Goldstein, Treasurer

35 Main Street

Atkinson, NH 03811

OR

Venmo Payment to:

AL-Goldstein-2

(Not Case Sensitive)

& Send Imaged/Scanned *Form* to: algoldstein@comcast.net

(Use #1, not "L")

Registration Deadline: July 1

Questions, Late Registrations or Special Dietary Needs to: PCC Hilary Kumnick, President

Cell/Text: 860-638-7869 or: hkumnick@aol.com



From the Campaign Trail of MD44
Endorsed Candidate for
International Director
PCC Steve Middlemiss



June is here and the Boston Convention is literally around the corner. (37 days). It will be an honor to represent NH, as well as the United States, on the International Board. I thank you all so much for placing your trust and support in our efforts to be the next International Director from NH. Our Middlemiss for International Director Team is still hard at work putting together the final touches for our campaign at the Boston convention.

As I mentioned last month there is still work to be done and your help would be greatly appreciated. We are looking for volunteers to help us at the Boston Convention. This includes handing out brochures etc. in the convention hall, placing brochures at the numerous breakfasts that we will be attending, as well as holding posters during the parade either marching or on the sidelines. These are but a few options of how you can help. If you are willing to spend a few

hours volunteering it would help our goal become a reality. Please contact our Campaign Manager PDG Gary at deputy.g.rodgers@gmail.com and sign up. I am thankful for any help you can provide us.

We look forward to seeing you all in Boston. What an amazing city to hold a convention, and it's right in our backyard. See you all soon.

Yours in Lionism,

PCC Steve Middlemiss
 Candidate for International Director



Left to right; Lion LeeAnn Middlemiss, PCC Steve Middlemiss and DG Randy Tompkins enjoying Friday night's entertainment at the 44N Spring Convention in Gorham's Town & Country Inn and Resort



**48th
Annual VT- NH
Lions All-Stars**

*A package was sent or was given out
at the convention for
Lions Twin State Soccer*

**You will Find In This Package:
Calendar Raffle Tickets to Purchase
Admission Tickets to Purchase
An Ad & Sponsor Request**

*Check the Player Rosters to see if a
Player is from your Area!!!*

**Please Help Support
Lions Twin State Soccer!!**

**LTSSA
PO Box 1013
Londonderry, NH 03053**



*New England Lions Council
Serving the Needs of the Districts of New England*

**PCC Hilary Kumnick, Council President
Phone/Text: 860-638-7869
Email: hkumnick@aol.com**

PDG Al Goldstein, Council Treasurer
35 Main Street
Atkinson, NH 03811
Phone: 603-913-1281

Email: a1goldstein@comcast.net
(Note: It's a #1 not an "L" in the Email Address)

INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP

RE: New England Lions Council
Individual Membership

2022 - 2023 NELC DUES: \$10.00

**Membership coverage is from
July 1, 2022 to June 30, 2023**

Name: _____
District/MD _____
District MD Position(s): _____
Mailing Address: _____
City/State/Zip: _____
Best Phone: _____
Email: _____

Renewal _____ New NELC Member? _____
Amount _____ Cash/Check _____

Please send **Form** to Lion Al Goldstein, PDG
at the above address with a check to NELC

Or...you can now pay via Venmo: @a1-Goldstein-2



Nashua Lions Club Golf Tournament at Over Look Golf Club Sponsorship opportunities

Presenting sponsor: \$5,000 (one available)

- Signage on carts
 - signage at registration
 - 8 golfers included
 - prominent logo placement on tournament banner
 - logo on welcome signage
 - table top signage with logo
 - individual social media post recognition
 - Social media and press recognition
- champion sponsor \$2,500 (3 available)**
- four golfers included
 - 4 tee signs
 - logo on event banner
 - social media and press recognition
- Beverage Cart sponsor \$1,500 (one available)**
- four golfers included
 - signage on Beverage cart
 - logo on event banner
 - social media and press recognition
- Green sponsor \$1000 (4 available)**
- Two golfers included
 - Two tee signs
 - Company name listed on event banner
- Tee sponsor \$300 (9 available)**
- two tee signs with logo or sponsor name
- Golfers only**
- \$150 per golfer/ \$600 foursome

NASHUA LIONS GOLF TOURNAMENT

AT OVERLOOK GOLF CLUB
MONDAY JUNE 19, 2023

COMPANY: _____

CONTACT: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

YES, WE WANT TO SUPPORT THE NASHUA LIONS GOLF TOURNAMENT AT THE FOLLOWING LEVEL

PRESENTING SPONSOR

GREEN SPONSOR

CHAMPION SPONSOR

TEE SPONSOR

BEVERAGE CART SPONSOR

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO THE NASHUA LIONS CLUB
PO BOX 3361 NASHUA, NH 03061

FOR GOLFER INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT MIKE FRANCOEUR AT MNSPORTS1@YAHOO.COM



NASHUA LIONS CLUB TAX ID#85-3163459





Presented by
The Keene Lions Foundation, Inc./Keene Lions Club

Official DUCK PAPERS

Please complete this application, PLEASE PRINT:

Adult Purchaser: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

(Phone number only used to notify winners of prizes)

Number of yellow ducks at \$5.00 per duck: _____

OR FIVE yellow ducks for \$20.00: _____

Number of purple ducks at \$100 per duck: _____

For a grand total of \$

Mail this form along with your check or money order (no cash please!!!!) payable to Keene Lions Foundation, Inc., P.O. Box 62, Keene, NH 03431. Or drop them off at Duck Central (any Savings Bank of Walpole location).

Sold by: _____

Location: _____

NOTE: The Keene Lions Club does not sell or provide your name, addresses or phone numbers to any other companies or organizations.

Top Yellow Duck prize is \$5,000 cash; top Purple Duck prize is \$3,000 cash!

The Keene Lions Foundation is a 501(c)(3) Corporation

OFFICIAL RULES & REGULATIONS OF THE GREAT ASHUELLOT RIVER DUCK RACE

1. A maximum of 10,000 ducks will be entered in the Race.
2. Once 10,000 ducks have been assigned through the registration process, any and all other entries will be declared invalid and registration fees will be returned.
3. Ducks will be launched into the Ashuelot River at approximately 10:00 AM on SATURDAY, JUNE 24, 2023. The race course will be established by the Race Officials.
4. All ducks entered will be provided by the Race Officials and shall remain the property of the Race Officials.
5. Each duck will be assigned a number by the Race Officials and the entire listing of duck assignments shall be available on request at the finish line from the Race Officials. You must present your name, and telephone number (as they appear on your sponsorship registration form) in order to check your duck number assignments.
6. No duplicate prizes shall be assigned to an individual duck number.
7. The entry form must be completed, mailed to PO Box 62, Keene, NH 03431, or delivered to Duck Central (any Savings Bank of Walpole location), OR purchased online at keeneions.com. Entries and payment must be received by 4:00 PM, JUNE 23, 2023 in order to be eligible to win a prize.
8. Winners will be announced at the finish line at approximately 11:00 AM on the day of the Race.
9. No cash equivalent prizes will be provided in lieu of designated prizes.
10. By entering, entrants release The Keene Lions Foundation, Inc./Keene Lions Club their members, agents, employees, event sponsors and other related entities from any liability with respect to prizes.
11. By entering, winners consent to the promotional use of their names and likenesses without further compensation.
12. Chances of winning depend on the total number of qualified entries.
13. This event is subject to all federal, state and local laws and regulations and is void where prohibited by law. All applicable taxes are the sole responsibility of the prize winner.
14. The conduct of the Race and the determination of prize winners is the responsibility of The Keene Lions Foundation, Inc./Keene Lions Club
15. The Great Ashuelot River Duck Race and its logo are trademarks of The Keene Lions Club and no other person or entity is authorized to copy or otherwise use them without the express written consent from The Keene Lions Club.
16. A copy of these rules and regulations is available from The Keene Lions Club at PO Box 62, Keene, NH 03431.
17. You need not be present to win. Prize winners will be notified by phone.
18. There will be a maximum of 150 "Purple Ducks" entered into the Race. The sponsor(s) of the first "purple duck" number drawn shall receive \$3,000. Purple ducks are \$100 each and may be purchased using this form.
19. No duplication of prizes between "Yellow Ducks" and "Purple Ducks."
20. The Keene Lions Club, at its sole discretion, reserves the right to change the date and time of the Race due to conditions beyond its control such as flooding or other reasons.
21. One "Early Bird" winner will be selected at random on MAY 9, 2023 from all entries received by The Keene Lions Club by 5:00 pm on MAY 5, 2023. The "Early Bird" prize winner will remain eligible to win prizes on race day.

This Duck Race and the sponsorship of each duck constitutes a raffle under New Hampshire State Statutes. City of Keene Raffle Permit Number: RF-2023-009. All prizes will be awarded.

See Reverse Side for Payment



Presented by
The Keene Lions Foundation, Inc./Keene Lions Club



SATURDAY, JUNE 24, 2023

Duck release at 10:00 AM, rain or shine

Entry deadline:

5:00 PM Friday, June 24, 2023!

You need not be present to win.

Proceeds to benefit Lions Club charities.

Scan with your smart phone camera for more info or to enter!



EARLY BIRD DRAWING

Enter by MAY 5th

WIN

\$500 CASH!!!

EARLY BIRD drawing, Tuesday MAY 9, 2023

Sponsored by

SCOTT HUSSEY PHOTOGRAPHY

City of Keene Raffle Permit #RF-2023-009

Prizes & Sponsors

Our sponsors are committed to serving the community

Top Duck Prize

\$5,000 Cash!

Co-sponsored by:



2ND PLACE—\$1,000 Gift Certificate:



3RD PLACE—\$500 Cash:



4TH PLACE—\$500 Cash:



5TH PLACE—\$500 Cash:



Early Bird Drawing—\$500 Cash:



DUCK RACE • JUNE 24, 2023
Duck Drop at the Winchester Street Bridge
SORRY, NO SPECTATORS WILL BE ALLOWED AT THE BRIDGE

10:00 AM Duck Drop

Winners Announced LIVE
at the KEENE STATE COLLEGE Athletic Fields at
the conclusion of the Duck Race
(approximately 11:00 AM)



Ask any Keene Lion about the Purple Duck!
Only 150 being sold, \$100 each, get yours NOW!

and you could WIN

\$3,000

Our Purple Duck Sponsors:



Presented by
The Keene Lions Club/Keene Lions Foundation, Inc.



Official DUCK PAPERS

Completely fill out the reverse side of this form.

Please include \$5 for each duck you wish to sponsor; or \$20 for 5 ducks.

Return it with your payment to Duck Central (any Savings Bank of Walpole location), any Keene Lions Club member, or mail it to:

The Keene Lions Club,
P.O. Box 62, Keene, NH 03431



City of Keene Raffle Permit #RF-2023-009
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Merrimack Lions Club

is proud to announce the

21st Annual Lions Charity Golf Tournament

“Frank DiChiara Charity Classic”

Monday, July 24, 2023

Stonebridge Country Club

Goffstown, NH

\$135 Donation includes: Green Fees, Cart, Gift Bag, Several Contests, Prizes, Snacks & Banquet BBQ .

NEW SCORING FORMAT: Every team has a chance to win! Score high – score low, every team can win some dough!!!

Pre-registration is required by July 14th.

Proceeds to benefit youth programs and other local charities.

Sponsorships Available, Donations Welcome!

For more information contact:

Alan Hoyer, 424-7897

or alanh@cecent.com

or

Phil Przybyszewski, 424-3311

or philpreski@gmail.com



LIONS CAMP PRIDE CRAFT FAIR

Saturday, August 5, 2023
9 am - 3 pm

Lions Camp Pride, 154 Lions Camp Pride Way, New Durham, NH 03855



**Craft Fair & Vendor Market Place -
\$40.00 per 10x10 Space (Indoors and Out)
Bring Your Own Table
Food Truck
Raffle**

**Contact: Al Goldstein 603-913-1281, a1goldstein@comcast.net
Marilyn Vaccaro 603-204-7251, jvac1408@comcast.net**



GAT Team Monthly Zoom
Membership/Leadership/Service
June 7th at 7pm

This month we will discuss
Kitchen Sink!!

Roundtable Discussion
Bring your Questions and try to Stump
The GAT Team!

Join Zoom Meeting:

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83832863958?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83832863958?pwd=T21hVFNRaTAwc2MzY3oxb3MvQWNuUT09)
[pwd=T21hVFNRaTAwc2MzY3oxb3MvQWNuUT09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83832863958?pwd=T21hVFNRaTAwc2MzY3oxb3MvQWNuUT09)

Meeting ID: **838 3286 3958**

Passcode: **838700**

Dial by your location

+1 646 558 8656 US (New York)

+1 646 931 3860 US Meeting ID: 838 3286
3958

Passcode: 838700

Find your local number: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83832863958>



LEADERSHIP

*How was your year...
What will next year look like?*

As a Lion Leader, now is the time to reflect. If you are an outgoing leader, look back over this year and reflect on your accomplishments. What went well? What could have gone better? Now is the time to think about this. Can you use what you learned to help the next Lion leader? Take what you have learned to be a mentor to the upcoming leaders. As a leader, one of our legacies is to make the new leaders better than we were!

If you are stepping into a leadership role in the new Lion's year, now is the time to set goals and think about how you want the year to look. What do you want to accomplish? Make sure that you put it in writing and share it with your club. You will need their buy-in to realize these goals. Remember, as a Lion leader, you are the head cheerleader not the boss.

So let's quickly look back at District 44N this year. We had Zone Chairs who attended the training, there were six Lions who attended the Regional Lions Leadership Institute, we had a Lion attend Faculty Development Institute, 50 Lions attended the Club Officer Training and we have a full slate of District Leaders. I would say that this has been a successful year in terms of leadership in our district.

So what about next year? Hopefully we can surpass what we did this year! That is the goal: Do better every year.

Thank you all for the support and friendship you have shown this year. I look forward to seeing many of you at upcoming training events. Remember to help those who take on those leadership positions.

Lion Sue Lindberg
District 44N GLT



**Monthly Membership Report from
April 26, 2023 through May 30, 2023**



<u>District Membership</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<u>YTD for 2022-2023 Year</u>
Opening Balance	1050	1031
Added Members	13	127
Dropped Members	6	101
Closing Balance	1057	1057
Net Gain/Loss	7	26
TOTAL WORLDWIDE	1,400,877	

<u>Club Name</u>	<u>New Member Name</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
Canaan	Monica Rowe	Kami Hammond
Canaan	Ellen Zaika	Robert Holmes
Chesterfield	Cheryl Patty	Pamela Prentiss
Chesterfield	Melvin Thomas Patty	Cheryl Patty
Henniker	Lee Kriester	Michael French
Milford	Scott Lawrence	Peter Petrigno
New London	Bernard Wesoja	Cedric March
Whitefield	Amber Bissonnette	Denise Bissonnette
Whitefield	Harley Dubreuil	Tammy Dubreuil
Whitefield	Katelyn Dubreuil	Tammy Dubreuil
Whitefield	Mitch "Eric" Dubreuil	

**REMEMBER – SUBMIT THOSE NEW MEMBER
GRANT FORMS FOR NEW MEMBER
FEE REIMBURSEMENT**

**The District is offering a NEW MEMBER Grant and a New Member
Recruitment Reimbursement for the clubs in 44N**

Make sure to submit your new member grant paperwork to me for reimbursements.

As always, your leadership team is here and willing to help – **JUST ASK.**

GMT Christine Greenwood-Smart
cgreenwood@walpolebank.com

District 44N Grant Application New Member Fees



*Before Payment is made for New Member Fees. Name (s) must appear on
"LCI" District 44N New Members Reported Report*

Contact Information _____

Phone# _____

Club _____

Requester's Name _____

E-mail Address _____

Signature: _____

(President, Secretary, Treasurer or Membership Chair)

New Member's Name:	Amount
_____	\$35.00

Check Made Payable to: _____

Address check to be sent to: _____

Please e-mail this form to PCC Christine Greenwood-Smart:

cgreenwood@walpolebank.com

Approved _____

Christine Greenwood-Smart

Approved by District Leadership (Date) _____



Melvin Jones Installments as of May 26, 2023

Please use up these balances if you are considering honoring someone with a Melvin Jones Fellowship.

Club	Total	Club	Individuals
Amherst	\$20,834.04	\$16,708.04	\$ 4,126.00
Andover	2,440.00	980.00	1,460.00
Antrim	2,050.00	1,700.00	350.00
Bedford	4,322.31	2,402.31	1,920.00
Bristol	330.00	150.00	180.00
Brookline	5,859.00	5,536.00	323.00
Canaan	3,985.14	1,879.92	2,105.22
Chesterfield	2,218.46	2,055.00	163.46
Cohase	2,803.00	1,708.00	1,095.00
Concord	6,315.52	1,117.00	5,198.52
Enfield	702.00	157.00	545.00
Franklin	563.00	453.00	110.00
Gap Mtn	2,370.00	2,150.00	220.00
Goffstown	4,512.00	3,217.00	1,295.00
Pemi Baker	929.64	929.64	0.00
Granite Virtual	100.00	100.00	0.00
Hanover	7,579.00	7,429.00	150.00
Henniker	500.00	250.00	250.00
Hillsboro	10,799.00	8,589.00	2,210.00
Hinsdale	1,308.00	1,308.00	0.00
Hooksett	780.00	380.00	400.00
Hopkinton	1,570.00	250.00	1,320.00
Jaffrey	1,500.00	1,500.00	0.00
Keene	2,949.25	1,309.25	1,640.00
Lancaster	635.00	635.00	0.00
Lebanon	3,296.00	1,176.00	2,120.00
Lisbon	917.00	917.00	0.00
Littleton	10,100.00	10,080.00	20.00
Manchester	990.00	720.00	270.00
Merrimack	2,191.00	2,121.00	70.00
Milford	3,647.76	13.75	3,634.01
Monadnock	2,815.00	2,700.00	115.00
New London	307.00	307.00	-
Newport	772.00	722.00	50.00
Orford	1,278.00	1,133.00	145.00
Peterborough	1,475.00	1,450.00	25.00
Pinardville	350.00	350.00	.00
Souhegan	646.71	419.21	227.50
Whitefield	1,620.00	1,620.00	0.00
Wilton	3,850.00	3,500.00	350.00
Winchester	625.00	400.00	225.00
District 44N	607.00	607.00	0.00
TOTAL	\$123,091.83	90,779.12	32,312.71



**LIONS SIGHT & HEARING FOUNDATION
OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, INC.**

GRANITE STATE FELLOW (GSF)

Give recognition to someone in the community who helps and supports your club, or a member in your club that goes above and beyond.

Some clubs have money in their account with Sight & Hearing. Consider using those funds to individuals or entities for their support, and honor them with a GSF award.

The Award comes with a beautiful plaque, a lapel pin and a letter honoring the recipient.

By making a donation of \$500 to LSHF, you are not only giving recognition, you are aiding a NH Citizen in need of our services.

Services include, hearing aids, eyecare and cataract surgery.

Donations go directly into the LSHF Endowment. Clubs may donate to LSHF in \$100.00 increments.

Donations may be banked for up to 5 years, by putting a designation on the donation memo.

Applications Online

[nhlions.org\(Sight & Hearing, Granite State Fellow](http://nhlions.org(Sight & Hearing, Granite State Fellow)

or from Chairman PCC Roger LaTulippe at 603-566-9409

email: dgroger@comcast.net



From LCIF Chairperson Douglas X. Alexander

Greetings, Lions and Leos!

The generosity of Lions and Leos, through individual and club support, makes it possible for LCIF to magnify hope around the world – especially in times of crisis. Recently, a tornado hit southeastern sections of the USA, leveling communities in Mississippi. Lions responded immediately. As humanitarians, our organization grieves for those impacted by natural disasters like this one, but we pair our grief with action. We funded a US\$50,000 Major Catastrophe grant and a \$10,000 Emergency grant to empower Lions in District 30-M, Mississippi to help their communities recover. Additionally, Lions have continued to serve the needs of Ukrainian refugees one year after the war began. When disasters strike, Lions are there, serving for as long as necessary. I encourage everyone to consider donating to **LCIF’s Disaster Relief Fund** to ensure Lions can always be there to support those impacted by disasters. Thank you to those who have already donated to the foundation. As humanitarian needs continue to increase around the world, your donations to LCIF help make so much of our service possible.



**Lions Clubs International
FOUNDATION**

[**MAKE A DONATION**](#)

With LCIF Support, Lions Always Answer

LCIF is the only foundation to empower the compassionate service of Lions across the globe. With 100% of donations benefiting grants and programs,

your continued support of LCIF magnifies hope for a world in need.

Thank You Donors!

Your continued support of LCIF inspires others to give and enables our global foundation to award life-changing grants. With 100% of donations benefiting grants and programs, every donation to LCIF brings hope to a world in need.



LCIF Game Challenge

Congratulations to Lion Paul Dalton of the Lebanon Upper Valley Lions. Paul is the winner of the LCIF Game Challenge \$100.00 Gift Card. Thank you Paul for your donations and playing along with the game.

I wish to thank all of you for your donations and your participation in this game challenge. I hope you had fun and learnt a bit about Lions and LCIF.

Your donation makes a difference. Support Lions Clubs International Foundation today.

Thank you for your LCIF support!





THE DOGSIGHT PROJECT



A Program of the
New Hampshire Lions

Multiple District 44 –
Health Services of New Hampshire

A BIG Thank You, MD44 Lions

The Lions of New Hampshire have shown their understanding of just how important independence is to individuals who are blind with their support of the DogSight Project. This year MD44 has donated \$19,000 to Fidelco for the breeding, training, and placing their wonderful and talented German Shepherd Guide Dogs. With costs rising everywhere, it is no surprise that the process takes \$65,000. The benefit to the blind handler is priceless. As one of these, I thank you all so very much for your generosity!

There’s still time to contribute to the 2022-2023 campaign. Checks should be made out to **LSHF** with **DSP** on the memo line. Please send checks to: The DogSight Project, c/o Linda Piekarski, 15 Edgewood Ave, Keene, NH 03431.

Thank you for your support!!

Linda Piekarski
Chair, the DogSight Project
lpiekarski@ne.rr.com



Raised for Fidelco in 2022-2023: \$19,001

LIONS SIGHT & HEARING FOUNDATION OF NH



*Comments from Lions Sight & Hearing Foundation
President PCC Steve Middlemiss*

We reviewed one new case at our last meeting which was approved for \$1,400.00. Year to date LSHF has helped 29 individuals for a cost of \$33,121.00. **Once again clubs, please let your communities know that LSHF is here to help them with their sight and hearing needs.** Thank you to the Lions of MD44 for supporting LSHF and allowing us to help those in need in our communities.

Presidents, please consider honoring one of your members for their work in your club this year by awarding them a **Granite State Fellow**. A GSF is also a great way to recognize an organization that has contributed to your success this year. With Officer Installations, Club Year End events coming up quickly time is growing short to place your orders. Please contact PCC Roger LaTulippe to place your order at dgroger@comcast.net

If you are unsure if you have the \$500 cost banked with LSHF please contact our Treasurer PCC Fred Plett at mccplett@gmail.com

Our next year’s officers and directors have been elected. Incoming President PDG Marie Hall is ready to take over the reins and the rest of the board is well prepared to help her accomplish the goals of LSHF.

I wish to thank all of the board members for their hard work this past year. It was a great year and I know we accomplished so much. The ability to help those in need is what makes us Lions.

As I hopefully move forward in my next role within the Lions organization I will still be available to help LSHF in any way I can.

Please remember that every lion of MD44 is a member of Lion Sight and Hearing Foundation and are always welcome to our monthly meetings held the third Thursday of each month at the Airport Diner at 6:30 pm.

Yours in Lionism
PCC Steve Middlemiss
President LS&HF



LIONS YOUTH SERVICES
PO Box 156
Atkinson, NH 03811

~ GRANT APPLICATION ~
All Applications Must Be Mailed

- 1. Contact Info: _____
- 2. Phone # _____
- 3. Club _____ District _____
- 4. Requester's Name _____
- 5. Mailing Address: _____
- 6. E-Mail Address: _____ *Club President Signature*

7. **Project Details:** _____

8. **Project Budget:** _____ 9. **Requested Amount:** _____

10. **How many youth would be effected by this grant?** _____

(Evidence of impact)

Grant Request Summary: All requests made must be made through Lions in 44H and/or 44N in the State of New Hampshire for \$500.00 with no more than 2 within a Lion's Year. (Jul-Jun) and they must be for different projects.

Project Title; Start and End Date _____

Today's Date: _____

Board Approved _____ *Board Denied* _____



Lions Youth Services

Peace Poster Contest - Displayed to the right is the grand prize winner and one merit winner from the 2022-2023 “We Are All Connected” Lions International Contest. You can go online to see all the winners.

“Dare to Dream” - 2023-2024 is this year’s theme. To a young person, a dream isn’t just a wish, hope or desire — it’s a path, a goal, an ambition. But achieving that dream takes hard work. So this year, we’re asking young people to show how they’ll turn their dream of a peaceful world into reality.

If your club has yet to order a kit, please do so by contacting Rhonda Wynne by email with the name of your club, how many kits you want and where the kit should be sent. rwynnemilford@comcast.net Cost is \$12.00, check payable to **Lions Youth Services**, memo note Peace Poster Kit and mailed to **PO Box 156, Atkinson, NH 03811.**

Grant Applications - applications are still available, check this newsletter for the application form.

Lions Night at the Fisher Cats - the date will be Saturday, August 26. Price is \$20 for game ticket, baseball cap, hot dog, drink and chips. More ticket information to follow.

Terri Lynn Fundraiser - we wish to thank you for your continued support with this fundraiser. Please see this newsletter for the latest flyer. Hurry and get your order in time for Father’s Day, Sunday, June 18 or for those graduation parties!

Next Scheduled Meeting - all are welcome to join us at the Manchester Airport Diner, 6:30 pm on the second Thursday of each month. The next meeting to be held will be Thursday, June 8, 2023.

Hope to See You There!



2022-23 Grand Prize Winner
Emma Andreea Paveliuc
13 years old



2022-23 Merit Award Winner
Lily Wysochanski
12 years old
New York, USA



Peace Poster 2023-2024 Contest Kit

“Dare to Dream” - Each kit contains all the materials needed to sponsor the contest in a school or youth group, including complete rules, promotional material and recognition certificates for participants.



ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Community Solar for half the price of professionally installed systems

Many people are concerned about the climate but feel overwhelmed and helpless in the face of such an enormous problem. **The District 44N Environmental Committee** is here for you! Each month we will focus on one action or activity Lions can take as individuals or as groups to help slow global warming and keep our environment clean and livable.

One great way to do this is by learning to installing solar panels ourselves and then helping our neighbors do the same.

Solar has many advantages. Let's start with the environmental impact of solar. Solar panels generate electricity using sunlight, which means that they produce no greenhouse gas emissions. This will reduce our carbon footprint and help preserve our planet for future generations. There are also great financial benefits to solar. It significantly reduces or eliminates monthly energy bills. And in NH we can sell excess electricity back to the grid, further reducing our energy costs. Solar panels increase the worth of our homes and homebuyers and commercial property renters seek out properties that are equipped with solar panels. Finally, installing solar panels is a great way to become more energy independent. By generating our own electricity, we are no longer beholden to outside forces for our power supply. In conclusion, installing solar panels is a smart choice for those who are looking to reduce their impact on the environment, save money, increase their property value, and become more energy independent.

However, the upfront cost of professionally installed solar is prohibitive for many homeowners. **HAREI** (Hillsboro Area Renewable Energy Initiative) <https://www.harei.org/> has a solution to this problem: They are a group of volunteers who train and guide

homeowners to install their own solar panels, usually for less than half the cost of professionally installed systems. This neighbor helping neighbor group has already installed over 65 solar systems in Hillsboro County.

And while this group is active in Hillsboro County, there is nothing like it in Merrimac County. We are writing to you today to invite Lions to help form such a group to serve Merrimac County. With help from HAREI we can form MAREI where you will learn how to install solar panels on your own property and help your neighbors do the same.

Everyone should have access to clean and affordable energy, and we are confident that our group can make a significant impact in achieving this goal. We welcome anyone who is interested in learning more about solar panel installation, regardless of experience or skill level.

If you would like to learn more or attend an introductory Zoom meeting with HAREI please contact Sarah Keniston at skenistonlicsw@gmail.com

If we have 4 or 5 people interested in this project they have offered to make a breakout room to discuss duplicating their model in Merrimac County.

I am so proud to have served District 44N as the GST for the past 4 years. Thank you to the work and service activities the clubs have done and continue to do. Our clubs are doing such marvelous things.

Please remember though to enter everything into the Portal when you do something. We have to toot our own horns in order to get notoriety and the monies Lions Clubs International gets by showing what Lions around the world do!

As I close out this year, thank you to the 77.5% of clubs reporting. I was hoping that the 22.5% not reporting would step up by this time but unfortunately that didn't happen. Thirty one of our clubs have reported service activities this year! As of this writing, we have served 220,630 people. We have completed 1,025 service activities. We have volunteered 24,357 hours, donated \$264,064 and raised \$268,357. The year is not over yet! As the new portal comes online, I will be available to help anyone who may need the assistance.

Congratulations to the Keene club who have reported 102 service activities! They are followed closely by Chesterfield with 88, Hillsboro with 84, Monadnock with 75, Brookline with 71, Peterborough with 63, Bedford with 55, Canaan with 54, Gap Mountain with 53. These were the highest numbers of activities reported. The other clubs are still doing fantastic work! Let's keep up the great work during DGE Toni's year this next year as we celebrate 100 years of Lions in New Hampshire!!!

~ Pam Prentiss, GST



Pediatric Cancer

May is National Cancer Research month. Cancer is the number one cause of death by disease among children. Everyday, 43 kids in the US are expected to be diagnosed with cancer. Approximately one in 285 children in the U.S. will be diagnosed with cancer before their twentieth birthday. More than 95% of childhood cancer survivors experience significant health-related issues by the age of 45 because of current treatment options. Only 4% of the billions of dollars the government spends annually on cancer research is directed towards treating childhood cancer.

The pediatric hematology/oncology team at Dartmouth Cancer Center and Dartmouth Health Children's provides comprehensive, multi-disciplinary care and support for children diagnosed with cancer and blood disorders and their families.

Children that are followed by the pediatric hematology/oncology team are seen by a core team of three oncologists, six members of the nursing staff, a dietician, a dedicated child life specialist, and a social worker. This team is supported by a range of pediatric specialists from Dartmouth Health Children's and Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center in many areas including radiology, pathology, surgery, neurosurgery, neurology, urology, and radiation-oncology.

Surgery and inpatient hospital admissions are primarily provided at Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center in Lebanon, NH. Chemotherapy is administered in both Lebanon and at Dartmouth Cancer Center Manchester in Manchester, NH.

~ submitted by Pamela Prentiss



May 12, 2023 Friday Night at the Town & Country Inn & Resort





49TH ANNUAL DISTRICT 44N SPRING CABINET MEETING MAY 13, 2023



Above: Lion John Bayliss receiving a Presidential Award by ID Jeff Gans during the Saturday Cabinet Meeting. Looking on PID Ed Lecius, DG John Wynne and PID Ed Farrington

Below: Lion Larry Robinson also receiving a Presidential Award. Many thanks for their kindness, commitment, and service.



Saturday afternoon PCC Steve Middlemiss, and PDG Henry McKee presented a Faculty Development Institute (FDI) Pin to PDG Sue Lindberg



SATURDAY NIGHT BANQUET—

*Top left; incoming District 44N officers SVDG Pam Prentiss, DGE Toni Olden, FVDG Mike Leahey
Bottom left; DGE Toni Olden presenting plaque to DG John Wynne*

*Top right; DGE Toni Olden/PDG Henry McKee
Middle right; FVDG Mike Leahey, SVDG Pam Prentiss
Bottom right; ID Jeffrey “Jeff” Gans*

*Photos from the May 20, 2023 Senior Luncheon hosted by
the Merrimack Lions & Lioness*



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AMHERST LIONS

Our Lions club assisted with the Amherst Garden Club’s Annual Plant Sale by driving our vehicles to pick up potted plants from their “Plant Central” to the location of the plant sale, Wilkins Elementary School on Friday, 5/5.

We did our annual spring clean-up at the bridge. We also filled the planters with spring flowers as well as wooden ones and set up the irrigation system to get water from the stream. Thank you, Ken Jones, Bruce Manchester, Bill Howard, Don Tower, Fred Prifty, John Swanson, Reed & Shirley Flowers and Steve Boczenowski! We will be putting out the summer annuals after Memorial Day.

We had a great Member Fun Night, “Pub Night” at Martha’s Exchange Reed & Shirley Flowers, Steve Boczenowski, Charlie Pyle, Bruce Ribolini, Dick Stout, Charlie Vars, Joan Ferguson and Shirley F. The food was great and a lovely place to share conversations.



Our annual installation dinner and last meeting of the Lion Year 2022-2023 will be held 6/28 at Messiah Lutheran Church.



CHESTERFIELD LIONS

The Chesterfield club had a grand time at Spring Convention! We had 7 first timers attend and they had a wonderful time!

We are looking forward to meeting our Scholarship winners at our last meeting of the year.

We had a very interesting slide show from King Lion Jacques from her trip to El Salvador with Interact. It is amazing to see how people in different countries live and how grateful they are for the help our students and others can bring to them by building houses etc.

We are working hard on the Annual Golf Tournament which will be held July 11. This is our biggest fundraiser and activity of the year and all hands are on deck to help out.



Chesterfield Lions at 44N Spring Convention

ENFIELD-MASCOMA LIONESSE LIONS

Installation of officers for 2023-24 Lions year will take place at our end-of-the-year get together at the Baited Hook Restaurant on Mascoma Lake June 8.

As part of the Adopt-a-Highway Program, several Lioness will be completing the spring roadside clean-up the first week of June.

The scholarship committee has chosen two deserving students from Mascoma Valley Regional High School who have shown an initiative in community service. All four schools in the community received a case of K-cups as part of Teacher Appreciation Week from the club.

MILFORD LIONS

We held our annual “Cinco de Mayo” meeting on May 2 where 50 plus Lions from Zone 2 as well as PDG’s Henry McKee and Alan Ricard joined in the fun! During the meeting, Lion Elaine Farrington presented two Melvin Jones Fellowships, one to Lion Tricia Shea and one to Lion Beth SanMartino. Congratulations to both, well deserved!

We welcomed Scott Lawrence in as a new member.

Our fifth Trex Bench is on order while we are still collecting and perhaps by September and October we will have enough for a sixth and seventh Bench.

Resumed our community service in providing a Spaghetti Supper at the SHARE Hall. Number attended is climbing a bit since the changes that were made during Covid.

Preparing to present Scholarships to high school seniors on June 6.

The club’s Awards/installation night is scheduled for our June 20th meeting.



Lion Tricia Shea receiving a Melvin Jones from Lion Elaine Farrington



Lion Beth SanMartino receiving a Melvin Jones



BEDFORD LIONS

Continuing a tradition that began in 1971, the Bedford Lions Club awarded scholarships to three deserving high school seniors on Tuesday, May 9 at Murphy’s Taproom. Ernie Henrichon and Tony Juliano, co-chairs of the Bedford Lions club scholarship committee, presented checks for \$2,500 each to Sophia Rousseau, Cole Diehl and Dylan Vilela. The students attend Bedford High School and plan to use the awards to further their education. BHS Principal Bob Jozokos attended the ceremony and shared each student’s accomplishments, listing not only academic and athletic achievements, but also how the students have excelled through community service and work experience. Bedford Lions Memorial Scholarships are given to applicants who reside in Bedford, and the judging is based on financial need, extracurricular activities, scholastic record, and academic promise.



Dylan Vilela, Sophia Rousseau and Cole Diehl, 2023 winners of the Bedford Lions Memorial Scholarships, are flanked by Jeanne Bellemore (L), President, and Ernie Henrichon (R), Treasurer & scholarship committee co-chair

Bedford Lion Sophie Cutler delivered 135 cards of appreciation to residents at the NH Veterans Home in Tilton for May 20, Armed Forces Day. The cards were handwritten by Lions Jeanne & Ray Bellemore, Margie Henrichon, Claire & Mike Sills, Lori Wiley, Tony Juliano and Sophie Cutler.



Sophie Cutler delivers cards for veterans to the Tilton Veterans Home on Armed Forces Day

Bedford Lion Sophie Cutler volunteered at Future in Sight's 20th annual Walk for Sight on May 20, serving as a crosswalk guard in downtown Concord. Six BLC members enjoyed a visitation at the Amherst Lions Club dinner meeting on May 10.

BLC approved donations in support of the following organizations: American Cancer Society for their Relay for Life event in Bedford, Bedford Library Foundation, NH Food Bank, Bedford Senior Program, and the Bedford School’s Destination Imagination program.



Sophie Cutler volunteered as crossing guard for the Future in Sight Walk for Sight in Concord NH

HENNIKER LIONS

Spring has arrived and that means time to roll up our sleeves and get busy digging! This year, our local 5th and 6th grade students are working with our club to help formulate a plan to hydrate our community garden. We are very excited about their enthusiasm to join us in this very important community project! May also included the annual roadside clean up. Many bags were collected. Thank you to all who braved the bugs to keep our town beautiful.

Lastly, we had the honor of recognizing fellow club member, Marti Capuco, with the Melvin Jones Fellowship Award. Long time club member and fellow recipient, Dave Currier, presented the award held at the Colby Hill Inn.

HILLSBORO LIONS

Scholarship Committee reviewed 31 scholarship applications. Of the 31 applicants, 15 will receive scholarships totaling \$15,000. Scholarships will be presented to students at the annual Awards Night at Hillsboro-Deering High School on Tuesday June 6.

Collected 140 pairs of eyeglasses, 23 pairs of sunglasses, and 13 pounds of aluminum pull tabs.

Donated \$200.00 to “End 68 Hours of Hunger “as payment for May and June.

Donated \$100 to Nashua Lions Club for their 100th Anniversary Celebration

Donated \$50 to New Hampshire Brain Injury Foundation.

PCC Don Ager and PMCST Meg Ager attended the North Carolina Lions Pin Swap.





BROOKLINE LIONS

Last night at our Lions meeting we put together 25 duffle bags for the Nashua Children's Home. This is an activity we have done for the past several years. When children are taken out of their homes and brought to the Nashua Children's Home, they usually only have a few minutes to gather a few things to take with them. Terri McGrew has done a very nice job of shopping for items for the duffle bags. She brought the bags to the Nashua Children's Home today.



The speaker at our May dinner meeting was Rob Roy McGregor, executive director for Listen Community Services. The club presented him with a check for \$500. Several club members and one friend cleaned the road side of North Mason Road on Earth Day. Several bags of trash were collected. Planning has begun for the 4th of July Parade. DG John Wynne will be joining us on June 1st to induct our new officers for next year.

MEREDITH LIONS

The ducks are awake and in training for the big race on the Fourth of July. That's right, tickets are now on sale through the Meredith Lions club. Tickets are still

\$5.00 for one or \$20.00 for 5. Mail your check to PO Box 1357, Meredith, NH 03253 or check us out on Facebook or www.e-clubhouse.org/sites/meredith

The race takes place at Hesky Park at 4 pm rain or shine. Benefits include scholarships for Inter-Lakes seniors, the food pantry, summer camp sponsorships, eyeglasses and hearing aids. The club is looking for help with the course. If you don't mind going into the lake on a hot summer day join us at the footbridge on the Fourth. Duck wranglers are needed for just after the race. Must be over 18 to help. Contact Lion Marie at keylion03@gmail to volunteer.



LEBANON UPPER VALLEY LIONS

The Upper-Valley Lions super shopper used \$61 in coupons to purchase products for Listen.

The speaker at our May dinner meeting was Rob Roy McGregor, executive director for Listen Community Services. The club presented him with a check for \$500.



PETERBOROUGH LIONS

The Peterborough Lions heard a presentation from Jessica Hipp, marketing director of Blind InSites LLC, who discussed how their WayAround technology provides a custom description for everyday items using smart tags and a phone app. She provided sample WayTags to club members and demonstrated how the tags are programmed and then read using the app.



Speaker Jessica Hipp introduced by Lion Ron Crowe

select a recipient with a strong history of community service. Lion Arlene MacArthur represented the Lions club in the annual Monadnock Walk for Hunger to benefit local food pantries and programs. Donations were made to End 68 Hours of Hunger ConVal and the Peterborough Food Pantry.



Lion Arlene MacArthur with Sharon Smith from End 68 Hours of Hunger ConVal

We started selling tickets for our annual Lucky Duck Race on Election Day, and have had a great response so far. Race Day is July 8, with the ducks going in the river in Putnam Park.



Lion Sharon Monahan selling Lucky Duck Race tickets

CANAAN LIONS MX - MAY 21, 2023



The town Public Works Department is assisting the club placing our Trex benches in downtown parks. Our scholarship committee reviewed applications to

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The question asked, "how many does it take to fit a flat tire"? Answer, some of the best and kindest. Many thanks for the help, so much appreciated!



DGE Toni Olden presenting DG Randy Tompkins with a Lions "Red Jacket"

LIONS YOUTH SERVICES
2nd Thursday of the month—6:30 pm

SIGHT & HEARING Foundation
Third Thursday of the month—6:30 pm

LIONS MD44 HEALTH SERVICES OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
Meetings via Zoom
Email: md44healthservices@gmail.com

LTSSA TWIN STATE SOCCER
Meetings via Zoom
Email: ltssavtnh@gmail.com

UPCOMING EVENTS



Sunday, June 18, 2023

Nashua Lions Golf Tournament
June 19, 2023

Manchester Lions 100th Anniversary
Puritan Backroom
June 24, 2023

Keene Duck Race
June 24, 2023

July 7-11
104th LCI Convention
Boston, MA

Merrimack Golf Tournament
July 24, 2023

Lions Camp Pride Craft Fair
August 5, 2023

Nashua 100th Anniversary
September 30, 2023

(See Flyers for Details on Events)



the NASHUA LIONS
100th ANNIVERSARY
CELEBRATION!

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

NASHUA COUNTRY CLUB

GUEST SPEAKER
IPIP/LCIF CHAIR BRIAN SHEEHAN