



BLOWING THE WHISTLE FOR LIONISM



STRENGTHEN THE PRIDE



Cheryl's Message

*What we have done for ourselves alone dies
with us;
what we have done for others and the world
remains and is immortal.*

– Albert Pike

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As I sit back, I wonder where the time went. The clock continues to tick away and the end of my time as District Governor is quickly coming to an end. But before that happens, I still have many special things to do: installing new officers, inducting new members, conventions, Charter Nights, Special Olympics and the Blue/Gold Game. So you see, there is still plenty left to do – just as there is for all of you as Lions, Lioness and Leos. Keep up the good work and keep up the energy in serving your community.

Congratulations to the Millsboro Lions Club for 75 years of service. It was a great evening of fellowship and a milestone of memories.

We still need to continue to grow in membership. Share the feeling that you get from being a Lion with others - give someone else the opportunity to help others as well. I am encouraged by the number of new members that were brought in this year. And even though we are still down in membership, it is great to see new faces and to hear new, fresh ideas. Let's make sure we keep them involved! Continue to grow your club - don't just ASK 1 – ASK 2!

The district presented a new program this year – a District Orientation session. Many thanks to all who attended - 51 Lions and 2 Lioness ranging from 'not yet a Lion' to those with over 20 years' experience. This will be held again next year, so if you have any thoughts as to what topics you would like to know more about, please let me know.

We've all heard about the huge earthquake in Nepal. Lions Clubs International immediately sent \$100,000 in aid to the area - just another reason why we need to make sure we send our donations to LCIF. In order to assure that you are given proper credit, it is essential that any donations being submitted must be done prior to June 15th to allow it to be recorded for this Lions year.

Don't forget to sign up to help with the Opening Eyes program on Saturday, June 13 at the University of Delaware from 9 till 2. Guaranteed to put a smile on your face as you help provide free eye assessments, prescription eyewear, sunglasses and sports goggles to people with intellectual disabilities. Contact PCT Ann Reiver (Talleville-Naamans Lions Club) if you can help.

We Serve – Because We Care!

Cheryl Jones, District Governor



From Our Vice District Governors

Cruise To Service

Hello Fellow Lions,

I have been busy this month completing the roster book with cabinet officers and committee chairs for this coming year. I would like to thank the Lions that have stepped up to serve. I think you will see that the district has an awesome team prepared.

Next is the convention in Dover. I hope District D has registered enough Lions to do our part in filling up Dover Downs. The Council of Governors' and the Convention Committee have really worked hard to make it a great convention. The convention committee would also like your help in buying raffle tickets. The money collected helps pay for the convention. Don't forget on Thursday, the most important thing, is to be in Ballroom A by 11 AM for the election of officers for 2015 – 2016.

We still have six weeks to the end of the year. Some District 22-D events that are coming up are Memorial Day Parade in Washington DC, Blue Gold football game, and District 22D Club Officers Training School on June 6, at Delaware State University in the Bank of America Building. Also, consider attending the LCI Convention in Honolulu, Hawaii June 26 - 30 and the USA/Canada Forum in Grand Rapids, Michigan September 17 - 19.

As always, we need to address the issue of membership. In order to keep our district in good standing, we need to keep asking that important question, would you like to be a Lion?

Thanks for letting me serve this great organization.

Yours in Lionism,

James R. Coverdale

1st Vice District Governor



The Power of Service to Others



May is a great month for me and my Lions Family. I want to begin by acknowledging our DG Cheryl for a very informative orientation April 25, 2015. The event was well attended. The attendee's ranged from very new Lions to very experienced Lions. DG Cheryl and PDG Bob presented material that addressed everyone. From the acronyms

used in Lionism, job descriptions for district and club positions to an extensive list of resources and web sites. There was a good exchange between the leaders and those in attendance. Those who had interest in district leadership roles were encouraged to talk with current persons in leadership to find out more about what is involved. It was a meeting that showed the promise of becoming an annual event. Beginning May 18th Multiple District 22 Convention will begin at Dover Downs in Dover Delaware. I encourage all who can attend to make arrangements to do so. There will be opportunities to meet our International President, Joe Preston. There will be educational seminars covering a wide range of topics. Also, there will be luncheons and dinners to give members of our multiple the chance to meet and exchange ideas. The convention culminates with the election of District officers for each district in our Multiple.

As we get back to our clubs and district we need to make plans to attend the District 22D club officer's training school, June 6, 2015 at the Bank of America Building on the Delaware State University campus. Communication has been sent to each club.

Judging from all the club newsletters that I have read there is a lot of activity going on in our district. Stay active and get out in your service area. Let people know who we Lions are and what we are doing to serve the community.

REMEMBER TO ASK ONE. MEMBERSHIP HAS TO BE ON OUR MINDS EVERYDAY.

SVDG Glenn



We Serve

DISTRICT EVENTS 2014-2015

District 22-D Events

MD 22 Convention – Dover, Delaware	5/18 thru 5/21/15
Memorial Day Parade – Washington, DC	5/25/15
DLF Board Meeting.....	5/27//15
District 22-D Leadership School	6/6/15
Special Olympics Games	June 12-13, 2015
Blue/Gold Football Game	6/20/15
LCI Convention – Honolulu, Hawaii.....	6/26 thru 6/30/15

Last Visitation With DG Cheryl



DG Visitation to DSU Campus Club
April 22



22 D MEMBERSHIP STATS

June 2014	1299
Added	75
Dropped	<u>106</u>

April 2015 1268

Lions' 22-D Tailgate Party!!!!

Please join the Laurel Lions Club and the rest of the District 22-D Lions at the Annual Blue /Gold All –Star Football Game. Come by and say hello to our **District Governor, Cheryl Jones.**

Place: University of Delaware Football Stadium parking lot. (toward the north end)

Date: June 20, 2015 (Saturday)

Time: 2:00 pm - till.

Menu: Grilled Hamburgers and Hotdogs, Chips, Sodas and Water.
There will be a big canopy tent and a cook trailer.

Please be sure to bring your own chairs.

A big thanks goes to the **Newcastle Hundred and Brookside**

Lions Clubs for providing the canopy and cook trailer.

This event will be the last event of this Lions Year. Come by to say hello to DG Cheryl and other Lions of District 22-D.

For more information contact KL Barry Munoz of the Laurel Lions Club at 302-875-7408



22D WELCOMES NEW MEMBERS

Lion Russell Daudelin - Bridgeville Lions Club - Sponsor: Lion Eddy Parker
 Lion Salome Cooper - DSU Campus Lions Club - Sponsor: Lion Courtney McClure
 Lion Donald Layton - Dewey Beach Lions Club - Sponsor: Lion Lisa Kniceley
 Lion Dawn Stewart - Dewey Beach Lions Club - Sponsor: Lion Lisa Kniceley
 Lion Justin Schaub - Fenwick Island Lions Club - Sponsor: Lion Calvin Hook
 Lion Kathy Fox - Millsboro Lions Club - Sponsor: IPDG Mary Lee Phillips
 Lion Karen Palmer - Millsboro Lions Club - Sponsor: IPDG Mary Lee Phillips

Get Recognized on the Centennial Service Ticker

LCI will feature your club on the LCI home page when you report your qualifying Centennial service projects through MyLCI's Service Activity Report. Each week, we'll update the Centennial Service Ticker with the name and district of reporting clubs, along with an icon identifying the service performed:



Youth



Hunger



Vision



Environment



Earn a Centennial Banner Patch

Your club can earn a Centennial Banner Patch with a special gemstone design each year you support our Global Service Action campaigns to impact Youth, Vision, Hunger and the Environment.

See more at: <http://lions100.lionsclubs.org/EN/programs/centennial-service-challenge/index.php#sthash.I8KhliDD.dpuf>

JUNE

June 1: Helen Keller Day

June 5: World Environment Day

June 15: Deadline for submission of pre-certified delegate forms for voting at International Convention

June 26-30: 98th Lions International Convention (Honolulu, Hawaii, USA)

June 30: Close of Period 2 for the Lions Pride Awards

Obituaries

Lion Jerry L. Keller, Sr. – Capitol City Lions Club—passed away April 2015

He became a lion in 2011 and served 4 years.

Lion Robert Webster – Delmar Lions Club—passed away April 2015

He became a lion in 1966 and served 49 years.

Lion Viola Bridges – Midway Lions Club—passed away April 2015

She became a lion in 2000 and served 15 years.

PCT Paul Sheridan – Laurel Lions Club—passed away May 9, 2015

He became a lion in 1974 and served for 41 years.



District Orientation

District wide Orientation, presented by DG Cheryl and PDG Bob Jones, was held on April 25th at the Del Vets Bldg. in Dover. 53 people were in attendance, including 1 non-lion. The majority were lions with a few years of service, but there were also some 'new' lions in the group. There was much positive feedback regarding the presentation and PLANS ARE IN THE WORKS to offer this again next year.





Everyone was listening closely to the presenters!

These pictures are before the Program started.



Pictures courtesy of Bob Jones

DLF WALK



April 26th was a beautiful day for the 12th Annual DLF Walk for Sight. DLF collected around \$14,000 that day. Thank you to all who participated in any way.

Special thanks to Lions Delores and Ed Springer for their many hours in preparing this event.



Pictures courtesy of Bob Jones





DISTRICT 22-D
The International Association of Lions Clubs
2014-2015
"Blowing the Whistle for Lionism"



District 22D Club Officer Training School
June 6, 2015

Fellow Lions,

The 22D Annual Club Officer/Lion Training will be held at Delaware State University in the Bank of America Building. It is located at 1200 N. DuPont Hwy, Dover, DE and is just south of the old Sheraton building off of RT 13 (see map at end). The training will be presented in the same format as last year. There will be a morning and afternoon session with a variety of topics presented so different classes can be attended. Our current schedule is shown below. **RSVPs for lunch needed by May 28, 2015.**

Schedule of Events			
9:00 - 10	10 - 12	12 - 1	1 - 3
Registration	Region & Zone Chairs Part 1	Lunch & Messages	Region & Zone Chairs Part 2
	Presidents, VPs, Directors		Parliamentary Procedures
	Club Secretaries (Basic)		Club Secretaries (Advanced)
	Club Treasurers		Alphabet Soup
	Tailtwisters/Lion Tamers		Membership/Retention

The anticipated audience for each class is listed below. Any Lion/Lioness/Leo interested in the topic is welcome to attend any session!!

Class Title	Suggested Attendees
1-Region and Zone Chairs	2015-16 Region & Zone Chairs & Others Interested in the Position
2-Presidents, VPs, & Directors	Club Presidents, VPs, Directors & Others
3-Club Secretaries (Basic)	New Club Secretaries & Secretaries wanting to brush up on the basics
4-Club Secretaries (Advanced)	Returning Secretaries who want more training on the District Forms and on MyLCI & attendees of the Basic session.
5-Treasurers	Club Treasurers & Others
6-Membership/Retention	Membership Chairs & Others
7-Parliamentary Procedure	Presidents, VPs, Directors, & Others
8-Lions' Alphabet Soup	For those who would like to learn more about these organizations - DLF, DLST, LCI, LCIF, LEBDV, LVRF, & LYF?
9-Tailtwister/Lion Tamer	A topic of interest for Tailtwisters & Lion Tamers

Lunch will be available between the sessions for a cost of \$12. It will consist of sandwiches, chips, fruit and beverages. Please fill out the attached registration sheet for those planning on attending. **RSVP for lunch by May 28, 2015**

You do not need to purchase lunch to attend any class. You may attend the morning or afternoon session by themselves or together without purchasing the lunch.

Yours in Lionism,

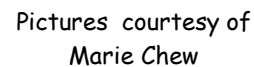
Bryant "Tee" Bell

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Felton, DE 19943



Where in the world are these LIONS???

Anyone want to guess??

Club Happenings



Milton Lions

We Screened 65 children at 4 sights. 57 passed and 7 were referred. The Spot Pedia Vision was sent-back to the factory and the clubs in the zone have been asked to split the cost for the repairs of the machine.

We spent about \$1500 on new parts for our train and the wheels are about ready to be put back on the engine and train car.

Horseshoe Crab Festival will be held on May 23rd at Milton memorial Park. We will run the train, and sell Lemonade, Funnel cakes and Car Chances .

Shown here is 1st Vice District Governor, Jim Coverdale helping to prepare for the Milton Lions Spaghetti Dinner held March 28th. Behind Jim is Lion Marshall Reynolds going for more salad fixings. This year was the 6th Annual Spaghetti Dinner held at the Milton Fire Hall.



Lord Baltimore Lioness

MAY 5 - Lioness Fashion Show @ DEN -Bear Trap Dunes was SOLD OUT

On April 16th we had Emma Rider Speak about WaterStep @ South Coastal Library We collected shoes at that time.



Wilmington Manor Lions

Lions Barbara and Winnie Spence brought us our annual look at Special Olympics on May 7th.. The athlete speaker they brought was inspiring.

At our April club board meeting we had a first report from our special committee to look into needs to which we might respond. We are moving along in our commitment to service.

Newark Lions

On April 14, we went to the Newark Christian Child Care and screened 31 students. Four students need a full eye exam . April 15th found us at the preschool at the YMCA on Kirkwood Highway. We were able to screen 26 students on that date and none of them were referred . The Brookside Club very graciously permits us to use their equipment and that is very much appreciated.

We served approximately 110 guests at our Pancake Breakfast on April 25th. We took in a total of \$850.00 and after expenses realized a profit of \$468.25. We also had a table at the flea market and the Club had a profit of \$142.30. Thanks to all who helped, our funds were increased by a total of \$610.55, that day.

Club Happenings



Harrington Lions

We will be working the **Greenwood Bar B Q on June 12**. The shifts will be from 7a-11 and 11-1. Cooks in the back need to be there at 6 AM

Harrington Lions Club will hold a Car Show on August 22, 2015 from 8A-2P at the Harrington Moose Lodge. Refreshments and trophies too.

Lord Baltimore Lions

On April 15th, three Lord Baltimore Lions headed by Lion Mary Richer and with assistance from Lions Janet and Jack Bauer provided a treat for thirty straight "A" students from John M. Clayton Elementary School for this marking period. They were provided with all the fixings to make their own ice cream sundaes.



For 2015, the Lord Baltimore Lions Club will again award three one-year scholarships of \$1500 each to graduating seniors of Indian River High School toward their freshman year of college.



Camden-Wyoming Lions

We are confirmed for another year of ushering at the Dover NASCAR races, the contract is signed. The race date is Sunday May 31st. We need lots of volunteers.

Our club has a new site on the web, and we'd like to give a special "Thank You" to Lion Billy Pippin for getting it up and running. The link to our new site is: www.eclubhouse.org/sites/camdenwyoming - check it out!

Leos Help Out Once Again - in addition to our club members, the Leos also volunteered at the Strawberry Festival at Fifer Orchards. As always, we greatly appreciate their generous support and assistance.

Claymont Lions

Claymont Lions new sign was installed in mid April.

We will have a final accounting of our May White Cane days in June.

Reminder: Claymont Lions are asked to bring a food item to the first meeting of the month for the Claymont Community Center Food Closet.



Club Happenings



Laurel Lions

We have collected Children's Book Donations from Laurel Lions to bring to the convention for the Worldwide Week of Service Project .

NASCAR Race Sign Ups are set for May 19, 2015 6 -7 p.m. at Clubhouse. Our club Charter Night is June 6th at the Laurel Fire Hall - 5:30 Social, 6:30 Dinner.

We recently had as guest Speakers; Lion Barbara Spence & David Hall from Special Olympics, and Laurel School District's new superintendent, Shawn Larrimore.

In April we had great success with Vision Days at Seaford Wal Mart. We collected money for Wilmer Eye Institute and got to meet special people too.

Dover Lions

White Cane at Safeway on Friday and Saturday, June 5th and 6th, from 8 A.M. to 6 P.M. each day. White cane has raised \$2900 so far this year.

Close to \$2400 worth of tickets for the Crab Feast Fundraiser have already been sold. Keep up the good work!

While working the Salvation Army Soup Kitchen we helped to feed 54 people a meal of ham, macaroni and cheese, cornbread, tea and brownies.

We decided to cancel May meeting, due to MD Convention. All are encouraged to attend the convention at Dover Downs instead.

Capitol City Lions

The Capitol City Lions had two members attend the Low Vision Research Foundation breakfast on 11 April and one member attended the 4th Cabinet Meeting the following day.

Two members attended the Zone Meeting on 23 April and four attended the District Orientation Session on 25 April.

We also had two lions and one guest attend the Delaware Lions Foundation Walk For Sight on 26 April.

We collected over 44 pounds of food for the pantry, 173 pairs of used eyeglasses for recycling, 47 pairs of sunglasses and helped one individual by providing \$54.00 to help with an eye examination and glasses during April.

We also made a visitation to the Newark Lions Club and completed 18 visitations, and are planning a few more. Another 4 hours were spent mentoring a school child during the month.

Millsboro Lions

Our Variety Show was held on MAY 9. Thank you to all who attended and participated in every way.

Club Happenings



Midway Lions

CONGRATULATIONS to our own Lion Tom Coco who was recently presented a proclamation by Speaker of the Delaware House, Pete Schwarzkopf, that recognized Lion Tom's 90th birthday. Here's to many more!!!

WALK FOR SIGHT was done by five of our members---Lions Mary Jo DeVries, Mary DeVries, Fernando and Marcela Rios and Harry White.

Don't forget to bring in food the first meeting in the month for Casa San Francisco.



Lewes Lions



Six club members participated in the Flower Power sale. The club made \$230 dollars on the sale.

We turned in another 155 pair of glasses.

Chicken BBQs have been scheduled at the Rotarian Pavilion on Savannah Road for June 27th and August 22nd.

Pictured on left are Past BBQ Hawkers Lions Lloyd and Ginny.


Frederica Spring Creek Lions

We did our first road cleanup for Adopt a Highway on April 22, Earth Day. We collected 6 bags of trash on Lexington Mill Road. Lions Ron, Ruth, Sue G., Bonnie & Sheila worked this time.

We also did White Cane on April 24 at Felton Royal Farms. We collected \$252, even tho the day was cold and we only did a few hours.

We held our annual "I Love to Read" contest at LF East and the winner from each class received a book of their choice from the Book Fair and a Blue Ribbon.

Our annual **Blue/Gold Picnic** will be held at Killens Pond on June 11th. We are hoping for SUNSHINE this year.

Remember we are holding a  on July 13th. You sign up on-line and here is the website: [HTTP://www.paintnite.com/pages/events/view/delaware/878762](http://www.paintnite.com/pages/events/view/delaware/878762) Please sign up to join us for a fun time!



Club Happenings



Dewey Beach Lions

Dewey Beach Lions recently made a donation to the Dewey Beach Patrol, so members may continue programs like Junior Lifeguards and buy state of the art live saving equipment. Pictured on the right are Lion T.J. Redefier and Capt. Todd Frichtman.



The Grand Forum IN GRAND RAPIDS

Join Us!



September 17-19, 2015

"Have YOU registered for the Forum? Don't miss out!"

For information, please contact Cheri Bragg @

cheripfbragg@yahoo.com

For details & registration, visit: www.lionsforum.org




Special Olympics

Healthy Athletes
Opening Eyes

Mark Your Calendars !!

Special Olympics
Opening Eyes
Saturday, June 13
9am-2pm
University of Delaware
Volunteers needed.
Call Ann Reiver for information.
302-762-6970



**Special Olympics
Delaware**

Special Olympics
Opening Ceremony
Friday, June 12
12:30-2:30pm
University of Delaware
Bob Carpenter Center
Come see the Parade of
Athletes !
Featuring DG Cheryl escorting
one of the teams !

Healthy Athletes Volunteer Registration

From your computer, smart phone or tablet: Go to <https://2015delawaresummerngames.my-trs.com/>

2. Click on the purple "Register Today" box.
3. Follow the instructions on the website on how to proceed and when prompted enter the access code: **healthyathletes15**
4. Push the "select" button once you enter your access code and follow the directions. Any problems email jbuzby@udel.edu.

If you do sign up online, please send me a message at aereiver@aol.com so I know how many volunteers we will have. Thank you.

LIONS MULTIPLE DISTRICT 22 CONVENTION

COME ONE!!! COME ALL!!! Everyone is welcome-Lions, Leos, Lioness and guests.

The Lions Multiple District 22 (DE, MD, DC Lions) Convention in Dover, DE at Dover Downs on May 18-21, 2015. Register early. There is no cost to register-only cost is to eat meals. If you register very late you can still attend everything, except the meals. Join the fun; enjoy the fellowship; learn at the seminars; attend the memorial service; buy from the vendors and see who gets the awards.

Call PCC John Lawrence at 410-725-0150 or email: lions@johnlawrence.name to make a reservation.

Following are the counts per district for the MD Convention registrations so far.

A - 36

B - 66

C - 103

D - 143

W - 133

Other - 4

Total - 485



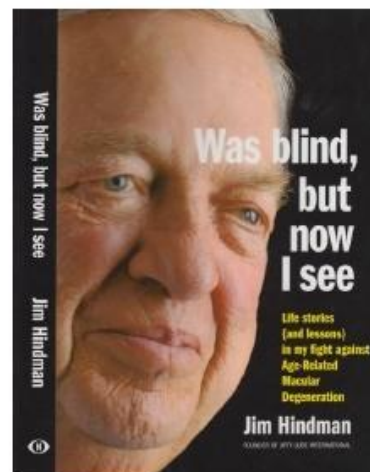
Multiple District 22 Convention May 18-21, 2015



Lion Jim Hindman of the Roaring Run Lions Club will be at our MD22 Convention Tuesday and Wednesday and will speak at the LVR/LVRNET seminar Wednesday morning.

His compelling story is captured in his book "Was blind, but now I see" which will be on sale at the LVR/LVRNET table throughout the convention. It chronicles his life as a youth living in poverty to a multi-millionaire by age 35, entrepreneur and founder of Jiffy Lube while in his forties, but nothing compared to the anguish and despair of being diagnosed with macular degeneration at age 57.

Come to the convention to meet International President Joe Preston, Lion Jim, all your Lions friends. Make new friends and enjoy the festivities throughout the week.





Spring is here! It is the perfect time to clear some clutter by donating old Lions Club Pins to the Eye Bank. Proceeds from donated pins directly benefit the Eye Bank's Endowment Fund. Pins donated to Lions Eye Bank of Delaware Valley are tax deductible.

PDG Jim Minnich, Eye Bank Trustee and Co-Chairman of the Endowment Fund sells donated pins across the country with Lions International Trading Pin Club (LITPC). He also works with the Eye Bank to sell pins on eBay.

"Many times, collections are kept in boxes and closets for years. Here's an opportunity to put those pins to good use", says Lion Jim Minnich.

"The Endowment Fund ensures the growth of the organization's operations and protects its ability to continue serving the future needs of the community."

Please contact the Eye Bank to donate your pins today. Call the Eye Bank at 215-563-1679 or email info@lebdv.org.



Thank you for helping your Eye Bank keep the miracle of sight a reality for generations to come.

17th Annual Dave Joyner Memorial

GOLF TOURNAMENT

To Benefit the Eyesight Program

SPONSORED BY

CAMDEN-WYOMING DE LIONS CLUB FOUNDATION INC.

When: Saturday, June 13th at 1:00p.m. (Shotgun Start)

Where: Maple Dale Country Club, Dover, DE

Cost: \$75.00 per player / \$300 per foursome
Refreshments, Light Lunch and Dinner will be served.

We encourage all level players for a day of fun!

4-HOLE-IN-ONE PRIZES
One of which is a 2015 Chevy Sonic!
Prizes to Top Teams, Putting contest, Trophy for the top ALL LIONS Team, and Door Prizes for all players!

For more information or to sign up please contact either:
George Mayer (302) 284-8304 or (302) 241-4405 or Bill Pippin (302) 284-8984 or (302) 270-9487




Calling all Lions!

Would you like to be a part of our Lions tradition and participate in the National Memorial Day Parade?

May 25, 2015

Washington DC at the National Mall

How can you and your club participate?

- Volunteer to carry your clubs banner
- Ask veterans in your club to participate
- Recruit your Leos to participate
- Invite prospective members to attend
- Publicize in your local newspaper
- Take pictures for your Club and friends
- Help collect eyeglasses along the parade route



Be a part of this memorable event!

For more information contact

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PDG Ed "Woody" Woodard, District 24-A

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PDG Sandi Halterman, District 22-C

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(T-shirt orders, Registration)



Public Relations

Blowing the Whistle for 22D



24A SUNDAY NEWS JOURNAL DELAWAREONLINE.COM SUNDAY, APRIL 26, 2015

Newark Lions Club honors 2014 Officer of the Year

ROBIN BROWN
THE NEWS JOURNAL

Cpl. Adam Mease, the Newark High School Resource Officer, has been honored as by the Newark Lions Club as its 2014 Officer of the Year.

The award presented recognizes Mease for numerous accomplishments, both in the school and in the community, said Cpl. James Spadola, public information officer for the Newark Police Department.

Mease became a certified Drug Recognition Expert after attending an intensive multi-week training program, using those skills to make five driving-under-the-influence arrests while working in an extra-duty capacity outside the high school, Spadola said.

He also shared what he



NEWARK POLICE DEPARTMENT
Newark police Cpl. Adam Mease is shown with Nancy Moore of the Newark Lions Club. Mease was recognized as the Officer of the Year for 2014 for his accomplishments as Newark High School's resource officer and in the community.

learned in active shooter, school safety and threat training during in-service training at the school.

Mease also is credited with revitalizing the

Newark Explorers program that engages youngsters interested in law enforcement careers and was part of an officers' team that spearheaded a popular new edition of police trading cards, Spadola said.

Mease previously was honored for his work on the trading card project, with much of his time spent on it after-hours, by the Delaware League of Local Governments.

He also initiated new crime prevention measures at the school, including registering serial numbers of cell phones and other valuables to help if they are lost or stolen, and posted signs to remind students to lock cars and keep valuables out of view, Spadola said.

Earlier, Mease was named Officer of the Quarter for the first quarter of 2014 for his handling of two incidents at the school.

The first was Jan. 17, when police received a report of a fight in front of the school.

Mease quickly determined the incident was a robbery, developed witness information and used school surveillance to get images of the suspect, distributing them and confirming the suspect's identity within an hour, Spadola said. He gave that information to detectives, who quickly obtained an arrest warrant, he added.

The second incident was Feb. 3, when school administrators notified Mease they found an 18-year-old student with marijuana, Spadola said. The student was found with 46 grams of marijuana packaged for sale in 45 small plastic vials and seven small bags, he said.

As a result of Mease's investigation, they also found a loaded .45 caliber handgun and large quantity of cash, Spadola said, and "the student was arrested and a large quantity of illegal narcotics and a loaded, stolen handgun were removed from the school."

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Community

Monday, May 11, 2015

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Submitted photo

Lions donate to Camp Lenape

The Lions of District 22-D Region 2 Zone 2 selected United Cerebral Palsy's Camp Lenape for a Zone 2 Project for 2014-15. The Lion Clubs of Region 2 Zone 2 gave \$1,000 donation toward a new bathhouse for the campers at Camp Lenape located on Midstate Road in Felton. Zone 2 Lions are members of Camden/Wyoming, Frederica Spring Creek, Harrington, Milford, and Murderkill Lion Clubs. From left is Region 2 Chairperson Charles Taylor, Carma Carpenter, M.S.W.-Kent/Sussex Director United Cerebral Palsy of Delaware Inc., and Zone 2 Chairperson Cathy Draper.

Region 2 Zone 2
Project for
2014-15



We're on the Web !
www.golions22d.org

**Almost completed
the Alphabet !**



Just imagine if every
 Lion, **1.35 million**, asked
 one person to join their
 club.....

From the Desk of the Editor/Publisher

Please send me your newsletters, pictures, announcements and articles for publication in the District News Bulletin by the **15th** of each month, **before 10AM**. Late submissions will be carried forward to the next months edition.

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The ABC's of Lionism

W - is for **We Serve: (Because We Care)** The motivating force behind what all Lions do.

X- is for **eXtra**: Anything worth doing is worth doing well; encourage eXtra efforts from all your team members..

Multiple District 22

Convention

Dover, DE !

May 18-21

