

District 22-C Lions Info

District Governor Rich Barb

Silver Hill Lions Club

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REMINDERS

Feb. 13 DG VISITS Monocacy Lions Club

Feb. 16 DG VISITS Midtown Lions Club

Feb.16 **Colesville Lions Club Blood Drive**

Feb. 16 **La Plata Charter Night**

Feb. 17-19 Lions Leadership Institute @ Emmitsburg

Fellow Lions

With our Multiple District convention fast approaching (**May 9-12, 2012 in Salisbury**), this great **District 22-C** does not yet have an announced candidate for the office of **Second Vice District Governor**. This is somewhat surprising to me, based on my knowledge of the great number of true leaders that 22-C is lucky to have. Let's look at the required qualifications, pursuant to our Lions Clubs International Bylaws, Article IX, section 6 (c): A candidate for the office of Second Vice District Governor shall:

- (1) Be an active member in good standing of his or her club
- (2) Secure the endorsement of his or her club
- (3) Have **served or will have served at the time he/she takes office as second vice district governor:**

(a) As President of the club for a full term or major portion thereof, and as a member of the club board of directors for no less than two additional years; and

(b) As zone chairperson or region chairperson or cabinet secretary and/or treasurer for a full term or major portion thereof,

(c) With none of the above being accomplished concurrently.

Now, more than ever, our communities need us. Now, more than ever, we need leaders to step forward to lead our great district. I am asking you to reflect on the foregoing. If you have any questions or think you might be interested, talk to DG Rich, or First VDG Don, or Second VDG Dee, or to any of our past district governors, or to me. Call me on my cell phone. It is with me 24/7: [240-460-9328](tel:240-460-9328). Join the great leadership team next year of DG Don, 1VDG Dee, and Immediate PDG Rich. Keep the energy and legacy flowing. I challenge you, because you are part of one of the truly greatest Lions Districts in all the world.

PID Joe Gaffigan

FYI

An awful lot of clubs have enough unnamed **MJF funds** to their credit that they sure could name some Melvin Jones Fellowships and Progressive Melvin Jones Fellowships.

PID Joe (See Attachment for District 22C Club Donations)

Lions - Attached is a copy of the Convention Registration Booklet with some corrections that were recently noted. Please get your registrations in ASAP. Changes are as follows:

- **Address of the Civic Center is on the bottom of the ticket sheet.**
- **Added "Headquarters Hotel"**
- **Corrected event days**

Fundraiser for First Vice District Governor Don Beeson

Come on out and join us for an afternoon of fun and support for First Vice District Governor Don Beeson in his campaign for District Governor in 2012-13. There will be light refreshments, cash bar (beer and wine), socializing, and some good old-fashioned bingo games with prizes.

When: Sunday, March 18, 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM

Where: Laurel Volunteer Fire Department, corner of Van Dusen Road and Cherry Lane.

Cost: \$20 per person with reservations by March 10, otherwise \$25. Pay in advance or at the door. One free bingo card with admission, additional cards will be on sale. Individual campaign contributions also welcome.

Send reservations to 1stVDG Don Beeson at 4435 Morningwood Drive, Olney, MD

20832 . Email donbeeson@verizon.net, Home [301-774-5448](tel:301-774-5448), Mobile [301-529-3880](tel:301-529-3880).

Directions: From the Beltway, north on I-95 to MD 198 East exit. East on 198 to Van Dusen (1st traffic light), right on Van Dusen to Laurel VFD on the right just past Cherry Lane. From west of Laurel: MD 198 through Burtonsville towards Laurel to Van Dusen. From east of Laurel: MD 198 through Laurel to Van Dusen. From south of Laurel: U.S. 1 north to Cherry Lane, left to Van Dusen.

Don B

Damascus Lions Club

Damascus Lions Spring Pancake, Sausage and Scrambled Egg Breakfast

Saturday, March 17, 2012 7 am to 11 am

Damascus U. M. Church Dining Room, Lower Level

Adults \$8.00 Children 4 -8 \$3.00 and Children under 4 Free

Benefit the Damascus Youth Activities

Lions:

Please be advised that the **Washington Host Lions Club** will no longer be meeting for lunch at the Capitol Skyline Hotel. The hotel has closed its lunch-time business. Our club is currently in the process of finding a new meeting place. Potential visitors are requested to first notify King Lion Sheila Callahan at [\(202\) 462-7775](tel:202-462-7775) or callsheila@yahoo.com or Lion Ron Stepien at [\(202\) 483-3362](tel:202-483-3362) or ronaldstepien@msn.com before making a visit.

Lion Ronald E. Stepien
Secretary, Washington Host

Special Olympics Charter Night

March 30, 2012

You are invited to our **10 Year Anniversary Charter Night** celebration! . If you have any questions, please let me know Kathleen Palermo kpalermo@specialolympics.org

(See Attachment)(Charter Night-Invite2)

Dear Lions,

This year the USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum will be held in the beautiful city of Tampa Bay, Florida from September 13 through the 15th. This will be the 30th Annual Forum. If you have been to the Forum before, you know what a wonderful experience it is,

if you have never been to one, this will be your opportunity to learn everything you have ever wanted to know about Lionism. There will be total of 72 seminars for one to choose from plus the opportunity to hear some great professional speakers. You will be entertained, inspired and educated with their messages. The Forum theme this year is "Leadership in the World of Service">

Attached you will find the Forum registration letter. I have additional brochures available that provides more in depth information about this year's Forum and it also has a registration form. Please let me know if you need further information regarding this great event.

PCC Ken Watson Phone: [410 535-3290](tel:4105353290)

e-mail: kenwatson@chesapeake.net

Brandywine Blood Drive dates to remember

April 5 **Brandywine Lions Club** Blood Drive, Baden VFD 2:30 – 7 pm #298

Lion Bill Teslik [301 888-1666](tel:3018881666) or [301 782-7900](tel:3017827900)

June 7 **Brandywine Lions Club** Blood Drive, Baden VFD 2:30 – 7 pm #298

Lion Bill Teslik [301 888-1666](tel:3018881666) or [301 782-7900](tel:3017827900)

LIONS 22C PICTURES

To get to the pictures, go to Website: www.ritzpix.com

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FEBRUARY

Feb. 13 DG VISITS **Monocacy Lions Club** at PB Dye Golf

Course 7:30 pm

9526 Doctor Perry Road, Ijamsville, Md.21754

Contact PDG Gary Burdette glburd54@comcast.net

Feb. 16 DG VISITS **Midtown Lions Club** at Kingston

Arbor Restaurant contact:

Janice Vieira vieiraj@jdosinternational.com

Feb. 16 **Colesville Lions Club Blood Drive** @ Spencerville
Free Methodist Church 3pm to 7 pm

Feb. 16 **La Plata Charter Night** **RSVP** Carolyn Rogers
Cdrogers3@verizon.net # 295 for info

Feb. 17-19 Lions Leadership Institute @ Emmitsburg
PDG Bill Thomas billysbarn@gmail.com
240 558- 3341 #286

Feb. 21 **Palisades Georgetown Lions Club** Pancake
Dinner & Bake Sale # 297 Info [202 966-4418](tel:2029664418)

Feb. 22 DG VISITS Riverdale Lions Club Riverdale Park Town Hall
Stephanie Brandon msbrandon@aol.com

Feb. 25 **Olney Lions Club "36 Annual Pancake and Sausage Day"**
info # 295
8 am to 2 pm Adults \$7 / 6-12 \$3 under 6 free
Free Glaucoma / Vision testing
Steve Bready [301 598-8585](tel:3015988585)

Feb. 28 DG VISITS Potomac Lions Club Potomac Community Center
11315 Falls Road, Potomac, Md. Details TBA Later

Please send any announcements, notices, club events, email additions or changes to:
Betty Moore Parker
22-C Email Coordinator
lionsnewsletter@gmail.com

Links: Lions International <http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/index.shtml>
District 22-C <http://www.lionsdistrict22c.org/>