



# District 13 OH6 Newsletter



August 2016

**Taking Off!**

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### *Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Tipple!*

PDG Rick Tipple (Rio Grande Lions Club) and Lion Ollie Paxton (Gallipolis Lions Club) tied the knot on July 29.



Lions Rick and Ollie are well known to the former members of District 13J. We wish them all the best!

**Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it's the only thing that ever has.**



Please note the correct way to designate our new district: 13 OH6



**Gary DeFayette**

**District Governor**

**District 13 OH6**

**Taking Off!**



Last month, I wrote about the Official beginning of my term as District Governor and our new district. I also mentioned that Lions Clubs International will be observing its 100th year anniversary. This is our opportunity to recall the long and strong history of Lions service to mankind. We have a tradition that makes us proud to be Lions. It is up to us to ensure that Lions Clubs International continues for future generations, by building a stronger organization now! I have stated before how so few members have done so much! If we all dedicate ourselves now, our new district won't just survive but it will grow and get us off on solid footing for the future. International President Bob Corlew's metaphor of "New Mountains to Climb" implies that this activity has challenges. Challenges that we can conquer given good planning, determination and teamwork. When closely considered there is a large difference between why mountain climbers climb mountains and what Lions are doing as a service organization. I believe mountain climbers climb to conquer what is difficult and dangerous for their own sense of self accomplishment, pride and fame. Lions work to serve others without any expectation of self-reward other than the knowledge they helped someone less fortunate than themselves. There are plenty of challenges facing us with so many demands for our time and energy but by having a strong desire to make a difference we always find a way to contribute our service. Lions are volunteers and as such are not required to follow orders like employees or military servicemen so we are free to do as much or as little as we want. As I said earlier, most of what gets accomplished most often is because of the few who did a lot. We are constantly being asked to recruit new members so we have more hands to do more and this is certainly true but when we all work together we can get even more accomplished with the members we already have. Lions come with many differences in their ability to contribute due to age, health and time. I can only request we do what we can when we can. I believe now is a good time to thank all the Lions for serving as we have contributed a lot in our individual Lions clubs and as a district. I want to ask you to help me make history by increasing our volunteer hours of service, retaining members and adding members this year in record amounts. It is also so important that our Lions clubs and district get the recognition we deserve by properly and accurately reporting the Monthly Membership Reports and the Monthly Activity Reports to MyLCI.

We are continuing this year to participate in the Centennial Service Challenge. At present there are 59% of the Lions Clubs worldwide participating. The four areas of the Centennial Service Challenge are: Engaging our youth, Protecting the environment, Sharing the vision and Relieving the hunger. This past year we have determined that most of our Lions clubs were doing activities that qualify for the awards but unfortunately due to lack of or incorrect reporting procedures to MyLCI many clubs didn't get credit for the activities they had worked. I would like to encourage our club secretaries to complete their monthly reports correctly and on time. Training is always available for anyone needing instructions about using MyLCI. Also, please update your club officers and members in MyLCI if you haven't already completed this requirement for our new year.

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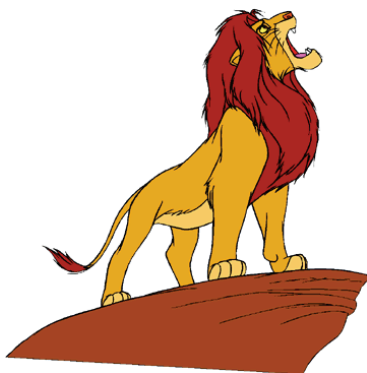
## 1VDG John Bond

Conventions are over, mini cabinet meeting completed, so now is the time to get down to what we do as Lions: community service projects, some fundraising, and meetings. With our District being as big as it is, I will be meeting more of you at Zone meetings or club events than club visitations. Carol and I are looking forward to meeting those Lions that we have not already had the pleasure of meeting.

Also I am looking forward to working with and supporting our District Governor Gary in his coming year. Already I am starting to feel comfortable as a 13-OH6 Lion and am thinking by the end of DG Gary's term we will all be interacting as a single district. This allows us to bring all our Clubs' individual talents and desire to make our little corner of life a bit better than it was yesterday into the mix.

With a combination of new community service projects and raising of needed funds, it also creates a need to increase membership to achieve your club's goals. So take a chance to partner with your community to develop a legacy project. Take a chance and ask someone to join your club to help with this project. Take a chance that you and your club can achieve this goal, and you will find that this is not a chance but a fact! If need be your zone and/or our district will lend a hand.

Let's have a great year growing and fun doing it.



Yours in lionism  
Lion John Bond

## 2VDG Denise Campbell



Hello to the "new 13 OH6",

I am your new 2nd VDG!! I haven't met many of you so let me introduce myself. I belong to the Waynesville club and joined in 2006. Initially, I was the only woman in the club but now there are several, yeah!!! I am currently the club President and this is my 3rd go around at this position. I was the first female club President in 2010-11. I am a Waynesville high school graduate and just retired in 2015 from being the Waynesville school district school nurse for 18 years.

In the position as school nurse, I learned to contact the Waynesville Lions club any time I had a student in need of "free eye exam and glasses". I contacted them so often that I offered to work at their Sauerkraut Festival and the rest is history. Ironically, I received a scholarship from this Lions club my senior year and so did my 2 sons!!

I currently live in Trenton, Ohio with my husband Lion Craig Campbell. I am the Zone 3 Chairman for the second year and both Waynesville and Trenton are in this zone, along with 6 other great ones!! I so love serving with these people!!

I look forward to meeting you at your zone meetings. Hopefully, I can attend all of them between now and November. At those meetings, I look forward to learning what other clubs do in their communities!! So many creative ideas that I love to share with other clubs!!

My topic for my 1st Zone meeting is on "White Cane Safety Day". Did you know that in 1930 Lion George A. Bonham, President of the Peoria Lions Club (Illinois) introduced the idea of using the white cane with a red band as a means of assisting the blind in independent mobility? And that in 1964 the U.S. Congress approved a resolution authorizing the President of the U.S. to annually issue a proclamation designating October 15th as "National White Cane Safety Day"?? This is so cool!! Our Lions catalog sells these white canes and stickers so maybe your club can sponsor an event and raise awareness of this "Lions Holiday"!!!!

It's Gr-r-r-reat to be a LION!!! ( as IPDG Jack Morris used to say)

Denise Campbell

## Zone Information and Meetings

### **Zone 1 Meeting 6:30 P.M. August 15, 2016**

St. John United Church of Christ  
201 West Market St. Germantown, Oh. 45327  
Contact : Randy Klotz (937) 855-2005  
[morpheus@fairpoint.net](mailto:morpheus@fairpoint.net)  
Meal info. Pizza being provided by host club

### **Zone 2 Meeting Moved to September**

Clubs don't meet in August

Contact : David Howard (937) 681-9095  
[dh133@aol.com](mailto:dh133@aol.com)  
Meal info.

### **Zone 3 Meeting 6:30 P.M. August 22, 2016**

Monroe United Methodist Church  
206 East Ave. Monroe, Ohio 45050  
Contact : Denise Campbell (937) 728-6265  
[dritchmond73@twc.com](mailto:dritchmond73@twc.com)  
Meal info. \$12.00 per person

### **Zone 4 Meeting Moved to September**

Clubs don't meet in August

Contact : Larry Redemeier (513) 295-4113  
[larryredemeier@gmail.com](mailto:larryredemeier@gmail.com)  
Meal info.

### **Zone 5 Meeting 6:30 P.M. August 30, 2016**

T.J. Chumps 1100 E. Dayton Yellow Springs Rd.  
Fairborn, Oh. 45324  
Contact : Beth Cauley (937) 238-9119  
[ecauley@woh.rr.com](mailto:ecauley@woh.rr.com)  
Meal info. Order off menu

### **Zone 6 Meeting 6:30 P.M. August 25, 2016**

New Holland United Methodist Church  
105 West Front Street (U.S. Route 22)  
Contact : Marty Mace (740) 986-6502  
[martyrmace@yahoo.com](mailto:martyrmace@yahoo.com)  
Meal info. \$8.00 per person Sandwichs,salad,  
Homemade pies, etc.and drinks provided.

### **Zone7 Meeting 6:00 P.M. August 23, 2016**

Old Y Restaurant US Highway. 62  
Winchester, Oh. 45697  
Contact : Dee Wright (937) 763-1930  
[sdwright60@gmail.com](mailto:sdwright60@gmail.com)  
Meal info. \$10.00 per person Choice of chicken  
noddles or Y fish, vegs potatoes,dessert

### **Zone 8 Meeting 6:30 P.M. August 17, 2016**

La Rossa's Restaurant  
114 Glover Drive Mt. Orab, Oh.  
Contact : Donald Pursley (937) 238-4933  
[jd pursley1@gmail.com](mailto:jd pursley1@gmail.com)  
Meal info. Order off menu

### **Zone 9 Meeting 6:30 P.M. August 29, 2016**

Waverly Lions Club House  
156 Victory Dr. Waverly. Oh. 45690  
Contact : David Crawford (740) 947-8937  
[pd Crawford01@yahoo.com](mailto:pd Crawford01@yahoo.com)  
Meal info. \$10 .00 per person Staff prepared

Lions of Ohio:

**A great opportunity to live out our motto, "WE SERVE" has come your way.**

From January 20-27, 2017, a group of Lions from Ohio in conjunction with the Clayland Lions and Imagine Missions will be making a trip to Des Piños, Haiti. While there, we will visit the Loyal Oaks Community Chapel Orphanage; spend time with the children; get to know these wonderful young men and women; work on some service projects or one large project in the community and/or at the orphanage; and with some luck, we will be able to meet up with the Lions Club in Cabaret, Haiti.

This opportunity is being offered to the first 16 individuals to commit by paying an initial \$200 deposit by August 1, 2016. Yes, for those of you wondering, spouses are welcome, and no they don't have to be Lions members.

While on this trip, lodging as well as three meals a day will be provided. We will be within walking distance from the orphanage and get to experience not only another culture, but learn of the daily life challenges which face the Northern Hemisphere's most impoverished country.

As a team, our goal will be to complete one large project. A list has been established based upon the needs of the orphanage and there are several project opportunities that can be done to help the community as well. Together, we can look over and discuss possible projects based on available funds from your own clubs, personal donations, and fundraising.

Currently, roundtrip Airfare is approximately \$800 per person with room and board costing \$40 per day or \$280 for the seven day trip. (Please keep in mind, based on booking times our price with the airlines may change.)



**FOR MORE INFORMATION:**

Contact Lion Nathan Douglas, Clayland Lions Club.

Email: [nathan@claylandlions.org](mailto:nathan@claylandlions.org)

Phone or Text: 330-243-0851.

To learn more about Imagine Missions, visit [ImagineMissions.org](http://ImagineMissions.org)

**"Alone we can do so little, together we can do so much." –Helen Keller**

## Peace Poster



**LIONS INTERNATIONAL**  
**peace poster**  
**CONTEST**





**YOUTH** Young people – ages 11, 12 and 13 years old – are encouraged to express their visions of peace through art in the Lions International Peace Poster Contest. Lions clubs around the world proudly sponsor the contest in local schools and youth groups.

**ART** Participants use a variety of mediums, including charcoal, crayon, pencil and paint, to express a different theme about peace each year. The works vary greatly and reflect the young artists' life experiences and culture.

**GLOBAL** Judges from the art, media, youth development and humanitarian communities select 24 international finalists representing the more than 350,000 children who participate annually. Posters are shared globally via the Internet, social media, news outlets and traveling exhibits.

[www.lionsclubs.org](http://www.lionsclubs.org)

You can order kits from the Club Supplies Sales Department at International Headquarters from January 15 to October 1. To order a kit, call Club Supplies Sales at (630) 571-5466 or 1-800-710-7822 (U.S., Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands and Canada only). To order online, go to [Club Supplies](#) (Item Search: Peace Poster Kit).

Our district chairperson is Lion Marty Mace, [martymace@yahoo.com](mailto:martymace@yahoo.com)

# *Ohio Lions RLLI\* 2016 is coming!*

*September 30, October 1 & 2  
@Deer Creek Lodge*

**\*Regional Lions Leadership Institute**

A weekend for our Ohio Lions to focus on the importance of "Leadership" within their clubs and districts.

(More details will follow.)

Please "*talk-up*" this special training within your newsletters/bulletins, zone meetings, upcoming conventions, and general emails. Check the Ohio Lions GLT web site for more specifics to promote this special training.

Yours In Lions Service,  
Ohio Lions MD 13  
GLT (Global Leadership Team)  
State Executive Committee

Dignity. Harmony. Humanity.

Levels I, II, III





**Leadership**  
for **Service**

**15-17 SEP 2016**

**40<sup>th</sup> USA-Canada Lions Leadership Forum**

Plan Ahead – and head West to Omaha Nebraska for the 40<sup>th</sup> Leadership Forum. This year’s forum will provide the exceptional training sessions to enhance your knowledge of our Lions organization and leadership skills. There are over 50 sessions offered for club officer positions and ideas for enriching your club’s fundraising, projects and relationships.

This year will see an added feature for EVERY lion to be involved with a hands-on service project as Saturday afternoon session will provide you the opportunity to get involved with and actually serve in a VISION – HUNGER – YOUTH – ENVIRONMENT project.

There will be a STRIDES walk which takes place on Thursday



**Attendees are encouraged to sign up to participate /  
Service.....Leadership.....it's What Lions Do**

Brochures will be available during the upcoming ZONE meetings. SIGN-UP on line for the forum and payment can be made on line. Price goes up after 1-June. GO TO: [www.lionsforum.org](http://www.lionsforum.org) -- use for registration/ pay on-line or download the form and mail in with check.

**FUTURE FORUMS:** Portland OR 2017 COLUMBUS OH 2018

District 13-J Lions – enhance your knowledge of Lions programs and Service by attending the USA/Canada Forum. Also available on line is the LIONS UNIVERSITY for year round learning. Go to [www.lionsuniversity.org](http://www.lionsuniversity.org) and sign up to learn at your own pace.

**BACHELOR PROGRAM:**

Core classes focusing on building and maintaining strong Lions Clubs

**MASTERS PROGRAM:**

District Leadership requires special skills. The Masters program provides courses on District management. From Zone Chairs to District Governors, if you have a job on the District level, this is the place to improve your skills.

**NOW STARTING:**

**DOCTORATE PROGRAM:**

A personal training experience for those few Lions that have the ability and desire to be quality trainers of their fellow Lions. This intensive program focuses on presenter and adult learning skills. Participants must complete a major project that includes peer review of a self-developed training session.

**40th ANNUAL USA/CANADA LIONS LEADERSHIP FORUM**

**Omaha, Nebraska**

**Thursday, September 15, 2016 - Saturday, September 17, 2016**

**We will again offer a Strides Walk on Thursday afternoon to benefit the American and Canadian Diabetes Associations**

**Registrant A**

SUB-DISTRICT       LION    LIONESS    LEO    NON-MEMBER

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Initial Nickname (Titles will not be included)

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Number/PO Box City State/Prov Zip/PC

Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence Mobile Please print clearly

This is my First Time Attending a Forum I was invited to the Forum by \_\_\_\_\_  
(name of mentor must be listed to receive credit for your attendance)

\_\_\_\_ Forums attended Highest Office Held \_\_\_\_\_  Past  Present

**Please check all that apply:**

Special Meals:  Diabetic  Vegetarian  Hindu Vegetarian \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please specify needs and include any allergies. It may not be possible to accommodate all special meal requests)

Hearing Challenged  Visually Challenged  Physically Challenged Specific needs \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please let us know how we can help with your specific challenge, i.e.: hearing device, Braille, signer, wheelchair access...?)

I am a Pin Trader  I will need a table for pin trading \_\_\_\_\_ Number of tables needed  
(Pin trading tables will be available at \$15 each)

I would like to participate in the Strides walk on Thursday afternoon, September 15, 2016. T-shirt size \_\_\_\_\_  
(Cost of \$25 per person includes sack lunch and t-shirt)

**Registrant B**

SUB-DISTRICT       LION    LIONESS    LEO    NON-MEMBER

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Initial Nickname (Titles will not be included)

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Number/PO Box City State/Prov Zip/PC

Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_  
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Club Happenings

**Welcome to all new Lions!**

We are proud to have you join the world's largest humanitarian organization.  
Ask your sponsor how you can get involved in a service project.



Chillicothe Evening Lions: New Lion Beth Hensley and  
Lion Mike Hathaway



**Chillicothe Evening Lions**

Lion George Davis (left) presented Lion Richard Cox (center) and PDG Norman Cupps (right) plaques honoring them as Dick Bryan Fellows

**Chillicothe Evening Lions donated blood.**

Shown: Lion Mike Hathaway



Chillicothe Evening Lions worked one day at  
Kamp Dovetail

Club Happenings

Community Legacy Project

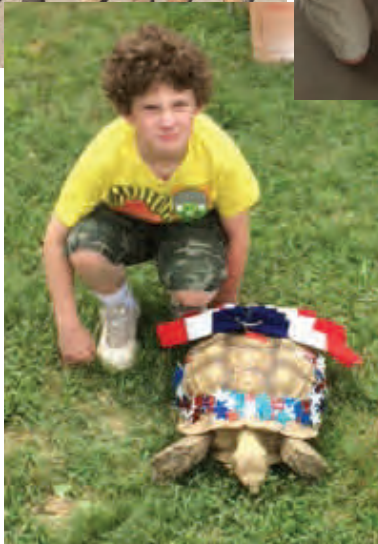
The Beavercreek Lions Club donated a beautiful bench for the Owen's Place Tree House Village. Pictured here are Lions Karyle McMannama (left) and Mary Steele(right). This is yet another example of a community effort to bring the Owen's Place dream alive in Victory Park in Beavercreek, Ohio.



**RIPLEY LIONS CLUB HOSTS ANNUAL  
FOURTH OF JULY FESTIVAL**

The Ripley Lions Club hosted their 2016 Fourth of July Festival celebration held at the Ripley Lions Club Park from June 30<sup>th</sup> through July 2<sup>nd</sup>. The Festival was a big success providing contests for children and adults, a 6 legged fun run, musical entertainment, good food, a car show, and several raffles with dozens of great prizes. There were many competitions throughout the festival including a Chili Cook-off, two fishing tournaments, a decorated bike contest, a frog jumping contest, a turtle race, a pie and cake judging contest, a well-attended "Cruise In" on Front Street, a Baby Show, a Pet Show, and finally a fund raising duck race on the Ohio River. The festival concluded with the annual fireworks display on Saturday evening. The Ripley Lions Club wants to thank all of the local businesses, organizations, and community members who assisted in their gracious donations to make the fireworks and festival possible this year.

Pictured: fishing contest winners, most patriotic pet, best in show pet



Fundraisers



## USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum 2018 Host Committee

The Ohio Lions will be hosting the 2018 USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum at the Columbus Convention Center September 20 – 23, 2018. To help cover expenses of advertising and hosting the 2018 Forum, the MD-13 Host Committee has issued a pin.

The 1.5" by 2.0" pin shows downtown Columbus at night along the Scioto River. We are selling the pin for a very reasonable price at:

1 pin for \$3  
2 pin for \$5



Each District has a District Coordinator selling the pins. The District Coordinators who are selling the pins are:

- |       |                           |
|-------|---------------------------|
| OH1   | Lion PDG Bill Keller      |
| OH2   | Lion PDG Francis Hensel   |
| OH3   | Lion PDG Rob Murry        |
| OH4   | Lion 1VDG Wayne Christen  |
| OH5   | Lion Jackie Christensen   |
| OH6   | Lion Lydia Houser         |
| OH7   | Lion PDG Bill Schultz     |
| MD-13 | Lion PDG Bill Christensen |

Outside your District, pins will also be sold at the Omaha Forum, Ohio Winter Retreat at Deer Creek State Park, and the MD13 Convention at Kalahari Resorts in Sandusky, OH.

Lion PDG Bill Christensen  
Treasurer / Fundraiser Chairperson  
MD-13 Host Committee

### Southern Ohio Veterans Home golf outing

August 27, 2016

Whiteoak Golf Course Sardinia Ohio

Registration is at 11:00 am with shotgun start at 1:00pm.

cost \$75.00 per golfer or \$300.00 per team.

Hole sponsors are \$75.00.

For more information please contact Ohio Veterans home in Georgetown, Ohio.

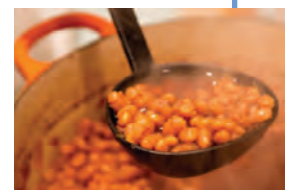
PDG Sherry Bingamon

### Jamestown Bean Festival

We are having our Annual Bean Festival Sept 16 & 17. This year we are joining with the Village to celebrate the Centennial.

4 kinds of beans  
& Cornbread

September 16 & 17



Downtown Jamestown

Links and Information

**WE NEED YOU!**

Please let Lion Eleanor know of any special club anniversaries for future newsletter editions!

Please consider writing an article or providing hints.



**Useful Links**

[www.lionsclubs.org](http://www.lionsclubs.org)

[www.lions100.org](http://www.lions100.org)

[www.ohiolions.org](http://www.ohiolions.org)

<http://district13oh6.org/>

[District directory](#)

[Blue Frog Promotions \(uniforms and shirts\)](#)

[Lions Clubs store](#)

**WANTED!**

Do you ever wonder why the same clubs are always included in the newsletter?

The secret is.... They send an article or photo!

Please send action photos with captions, stories, ideas, service project information, and fundraiser information to the newsletter editor.

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