District 13 OH6 Newsletter

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From the Editor:

A brand-new year with DG Ben, 1VDG Tony, and now, 2VDG Dave. A great crew who is ready to get the year going!
Let me know if you'd like me to visit your club to talk about starting a LEO Club. Had many visits this past year. Would love to get more Leo Clubs started, especially now that this district is the only one in the MD to have a District Leo Board.
I also collect pill bottles for the district and bring them to Matthew 25.

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DG Ben Dunn

Welcome to a new Lions year. Thank you for electing me & giving me this opportunity to serve you & our District. I look forward to the many great accomplishments District 6 will achieve with your dedicated service. I hope everyone is enjoying their summer. Summer is the County Fair, Amusement park & family vacation time. Time to spend relaxing with our children and grandchildren. Many Lions clubs are preparing for the upcoming festival season. I wish everyone success in their fund-raising activities.

Lions must grow. We are tying Service to membership this year. Mission 1.5 goal is to increase service thru increasing membership. Our new slogan is More Lions, More Service. I encourage everyone to help increase membership. Please advise me or any cabinet member of any ideas of potential new clubs or branches, collaborative service work with other groups, Service / Membership drives will help Lions grow. Remember what service project touched your heart & made you want to serve? We all want to improve our communities. So, ask friends, neighbors, coworkers to attend a service project with you. Lions' growth is everyone's responsibility.

Our District is going to continue the "Fall into Service" initiative. We are encouraging every club to conduct at least one service project & report it in the Lion's portal in the fall. This year LCI & our Service initiatives are Vision Oct. 8 – 18, Youth February 13 – 21 & Environment May 29 – June 6. Club Excellent Awards are requiring service projects from these 3 initiatives plus one additional service project. Your service project can be as simple as a food drive for a charity or collection of funds / donation to a charity. Regardless of the size of your club or project, we all are Lions because we SERVE. I encourage you to work together and help each other with fund raising & service projects. We must continue supporting each other in serving our communities & fellow human beings. I promise you will gain more friends.

Together we will strengthen our communities through our compassion & commitment to Service. Please be kind. You never know what someone is going through. You want to leave a positive mark on others' lives.

If you or your club need any assistance, please feel free to ask me or a District cabinet member for help. Communication & connection is our goal. I am looking forward to meeting you and your club as I start club visits this month. Thank you for making your club, District 6 & Lions such a great Service organization.

Be Kind & Catch Service;
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1VDG Tony Winner

Message from Your 1st Vice District Governor

Dear Lions,

Welcome to the beginning of a new Lions year! I am honored and excited to now serve as your 1st Vice District Governor. Thank you for your continued support and confidence as we move forward together.

As we begin this new year, I look forward to visiting clubs throughout the district, reconnecting with familiar faces, meeting new Lions, and seeing all the amazing work being done in our communities. Every club has its own unique strengths, traditions, and service projects, and I am excited to learn from each of you.

This year presents us with a wonderful opportunity to grow, strengthen our clubs, and continue making a positive impact in the lives of those we serve. I truly believe that by working together, sharing ideas, and supporting one another, we can accomplish great things.

I encourage each club to continue reporting their service through MyLion so we can showcase the incredible difference Lions are making throughout our district. Every project, every fundraiser, and every act of kindness tells the story of Lionism in action.

I am looking forward to a productive and exciting year ahead and to seeing what we can accomplish together. Thank you for all you do, and I hope to visit each of your clubs in the coming months.

In Lionism,

Tony Winner
1st Vice District Governor

2VDG Dave Bond

Message from Your 2nd Vice District Governor

Dear Lions,

It was an honor to attend our district convention and be elected 2VDG. A special thank-you to Lion Josh for his demonstration in support of my election. I would also like to thank the Leo Club for their help and support during the convention.

I look forward to getting to know more of my fellow Lions. Please feel free to call on me for help at any time, and I will do my best to assist.

Membership should always be one of our top priorities as we grow in service. Coming from a small club, I know how important membership is and understand the need to strengthen it.

The three causes closest to my heart are:

- **Pediatric cancer**
- **Sight**
- **Providing food for those in need**

Live and love

service,

David Bond
2nd Vice District Governor

STEPS WALK & RUN



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24TH

5k Run begins at 10AM

1k Walk begins at 10:15AM

Ohio Lions for Pediatric Cancer Research

Registration: $25 per person (includes t-shirt)

WHERE:

EASTWOOD METRO PARK
1385 Harshman Road
Dayton, Ohio 45431

91,250 children lose their lives to cancer every year.

1/285 U.S children diagnosed with cancer by age 20.

#1 killer from disease in children 15 years old and younger.

REGISTRATION OPTIONS:

REGISTER VIA MAIL AND SEND TO:

13–OH6 Lions
1579 Longbow Lane
West Carrollton, OH 45449

Please make checks ($25) out to 13–OH6 Lions

Please put "STEPS" on the memo line

REGISTER ONLINE:
Steps13OH6.org

Registration can be done day of the event please arrive at 9AM

DONATE IN MEMORY OR HONOR OF A LOVED ONE

$25 receives a sign at the event



All Funds go to the Oncology Research Centers at Ohio Children's Hospitals

AWARDS

- **5K Run:** Awards Given
- **1k Fun Walk:** Finisher's Certificate
- **Best Costume:** Dress up in your favorite costume or style to win!

SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE STARTING AT $100.
EMAIL CAROL AT JOHNBOND937@GMAIL.COM FOR INFORMATION

USA/Canada Forum

The USA/Canada Leadership Forum final planning is in full force preparing for Memphis, Tennessee. Those attending can enjoy attending the seminars and getting to meet new Lions/Leos and get reacquainted with Lions/Leos they already know.

Hurry to register for the forum:

September 3-5, 2026 Memphis, Tennessee – It's going to be a great time! Registration is $385 until July 31 then it's $400.

To register and keep informed on what is happening with the forum, you can go to their website at: https://lionsforum.org/

The forum is the largest and best Lions Club Leadership training event in the world. There will be over 90 seminar training sessions provided related to developing quality Lions Clubs and thousands of Lions Leaders sharing their experiences, the USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum is for you! The topics for 2026 will be more interesting and it is going to be another fun, interesting and entertaining Forum. The best part is you choose what seminars you want to attend. Get registered now for an experience that you will be so happy you made!!!

If you have any questions that I can help with, just let me know. I will be there and have already registered!!

Yours in Lionism,
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WEEKS OF SERVICE
THREE WEEKS.
THREE POWERFUL CAUSES.
2026-2027
LIONS SERVE. COMMUNITIES THRIVE. TOGETHER, WE CAN CHANGE THE WORLD!
VISION
OCTOBER 8-18, 2026
Opening eyes. Changing lives.
Promote eye health and support sight-saving initiatives in your community and around the world.
YOUTH
FEBRUARY 13-21, 2027
Empower today. Lead tomorrow.
Invest in our youth through service, mentorship, and programs that build brighter futures.
LEAD
INSPIRE
SERVE
ENVIRONMENT
MAY 29-JUNE 6, 2027
Protect today. Preserve tomorrow.
Take action to care for our planet through sustainability, conservation, and clean community initiatives.

LCIF Report

LCIF—LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION REPORT
By PDG Elaine Newberry
District 13 OH-6 Co-Coordinator

Welcome Lions, Leos, and Clubs to a new Lions year. I would like to give a wrap up of last year's donations as of June 22th, 2026 LCIF's report. Our OH-6 District donated $22,632.00 from 31 Lions Clubs, 1 Leo Club, and several individual Lions. Thank you for your support! There were a couple of clubs that made a donation this past year that had not donated before or at least not in the past few years. Most of the other clubs make an annual donation to LCIF, and we are so grateful. The past few years, LCIF has asked that individual Lions make donations to LCIF as this is our Foundation. Remember that Club and Individual donations accumulate for future Melvin Jones Fellows. Several Melvin Jones Fellows and Progressive Melvin Jones Fellows were given out this past year in our District. Congratulations to all the Clubs and Individuals who received Melvin Jones Fellows.

For more than 100 years, Lions have made a difference in the lives of people in need around the world by serving through kindness. LCIF proudly empowers our compassionate service through grants and programs that enable us to serve even more people in our communities.

Since 1968, LCIF has awarded more than 20,000 grants totaling nearly US$1.3 billion to support and expand our service across the globe. These grants make it possible for Lions and Leos worldwide to take on bigger projects, help more people, and truly change the world through each and every service project. Your donation to LCIF will help ensure the foundation can continue supporting us as we fulfill our humanitarian mission of improving health and well-being, strengthening communities and supporting those in need.

As you begin a new Lions year, I ask all Clubs, Officers, and Individual Lions to budget for LCIF. Any amount is appreciated. No amount is too small. Many give because of disasters, knowing that LCIF is there to help in all cases. Individuals can donate on line, or as I tell you at all the Cabinet meetings, I am happy to send in the donation in your name for you. Checks made payable to LCIF, can be mailed to me at 1460 Gath South Road, Sardinia, OH 45171.

Thank you! I hope to hear from more clubs this year!

PDG Elaine Newberry
District 13 OH-6 LCIF Co-Coordinator

OHIO LIONS EYE RESEARCH FOUNDATION (OLERF)
(News from PCC Lydia Houser, OLERF Executive Director)

OLERF provides funds to accomplish vision research by Ohio researchers. This article discusses Cataracts and the importance of understanding what Cataracts are.

What is a cataract? A cataract is a cloudy area in the clear lens inside the eye. The lens helps focus light so you can see clearly. When it becomes cloudy, vision may look blurry, dim, hazy, or like you are looking through a foggy window. Cataracts usually do not cause pain, redness, or tearing.

Common Signs: Blurry, cloudy, or dim vision; Colors look faded or yellow; Trouble seeing at night; Glare or halos around lights; Needing brighter light to read; Frequent changes in glasses prescription

Who is at Risk? Cataracts are very common as people get older. More than half of Americans age 80 or older either have cataracts or have had cataract surgery. Cataracts can happen in one or both eyes, but they do not spread from one eye to the other.
Risk factors include aging, diabetes, smoking, long-term steroid use, too much ultraviolet sunlight exposure, eye injury or inflammation, certain eye diseases, and family history.

Why do Cataracts form? Most cataracts form because of normal aging changes in the eye. Over time, proteins in the lens can clump together and make the lens cloudy. Cataracts may also form after eye injury, illness, certain medicines, or too much ultraviolet light exposure.

Types of Cataracts: Age-related: the most common type. **Congenital:** present at birth. **Traumatic:** caused by an eye injury. **Secondary:** related to medicines, eye disease, infection, diabetes, or other health problems.

How cataracts affect vision. Your eye works like a camera. It needs a clear lens to focus light on the retina at the back of the eye. When a cataract clouds the lens, light does not reach the retina clearly, so the brain receives a blurry or dim image.

When to call your eye doctor. Make an appointment if your vision becomes blurry, cloudy, dim, less colorful, or if glare and night driving become harder. Only an eye doctor can tell whether cataracts or another eye problem is causing your symptoms. Your eye doctor will ask about your health, eye history, and symptoms. Tests may include a vision test, eye pressure check, slit-lamp exam, dilated eye exam, and glare test.

The Ohio Lions Eye Research Foundation (OLERF) is a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt status organization. OLERF is committed to finding treatments and cures for blinding retinal diseases such as Cataracts. There is much more work to be done in the fight against blindness, and we cannot do it without you. Now is the time to renew/continue your dedication to ending blindness and vision loss.

Each District in Ohio has an OLERF member. Contact them for more information, to speak at a club meeting, district meeting, etc., or to donate. OLERF is proud of the research being accomplished and looks forward to continuing to be a leader for Ohio in eye research. Go to: OLERF.org for more information on our foundation.

Tony Winner
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22 July 2025





Dear Lions Club Members of MD13 OH6,

I hope this message finds you well and energized for another year of meaningful service. I'm reaching out to ask for your support for a project that is changing lives in the most direct way possible—by giving people the gift of **mobility**.

For several years, I've been working with **PET/Mobility Worldwide**, a nonprofit that builds and distributes rugged, hand-cranked mobility carts to individuals in developing countries who have lost the use of their legs due to disease, injury, or birth defects. These carts offer people a way to regain their independence and dignity.

My specific part in this mission is building the **handles** for these mobility carts and **shipping them to Columbia, Missouri**, where they are assembled and sent overseas. This effort costs approximately **$5,000 per year** to cover materials and shipping. Currently, the PET account has only **$700**—far short of what's needed to keep this project going strong.

That's why I'm asking you and your fellow Lions to consider including this effort in your **club's budget** for the year. Every contribution—large or small—makes a real difference. If several clubs pitch in, we can fully fund another year of this life-changing work.

Please take a moment to discuss this with your club, and if you have any questions or would like me to speak at one of your meetings, I'd be more than happy to do so.

Thank you for your time, your compassion, and your continued dedication to service.

Yours in service,
Tony Winner

Recycle Inkjet Cartridges- Empower Mobility !



Inkjet cartridges

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Mobility Carts

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Representative
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MD13 AWARDS available throughout the State

- **Ohio Lions Foundation** - https://www.ohiolionsfoundation.org/home.htm
  - **J.W. Brantner Award –** $1,000 donation. Plaque awarded to anyone you designate.
  - **Jim Coffey Fellowship –** $750 donation to support grants providing young people with life skills education and service learning opportunities. Fellowships awarded to anyone you designate.
  - **Betty Coffey Fellowship** - $500 donation to support grants providing young people with life skills education and service learning opportunities. Fellowships awarded to anyone you designate.
- **Ohio Lions Eye Research Foundation (OLERF)** - https://ohiolionseyeresearch.org/l/index.php/lions-resources
  - **Leadership Award** - $500-$999 donation. (Can be done over a consecutive 2-year period). Plaque & Lapel pin for club president (or other designee) OR OLERF shirt and lapel pin for club president (or other designee)
  - **Visionary Award** - $1,000-$2,499 donation. (Can be done over a consecutive 4-year period). Plaque & Lapel pin for club president (or other designee) OR OLERF shirt and lapel pin for club president (or other designee)
  - **Founder's Award** - $2,500 + (Can be done over a consecutive 4-year period). Plaque & Lapel pin for club president (or other designee) OR OLERF shirt and lapel pin for club president (or other designee)
  - **W.R. Bryan Fellow** - $500 donation. Plaque and pin awarded. (Can be done over a consecutive 2-year period). Plaque & Lapel pin for club president (or other designee) OR OLERF shirt and lapel pin for club president (or other designee)
  - **Neiderhauser Fellow** - $500 donation to support macular degeneration research. Plaque and pin awarded to club designee.
- **Central Ohio Lions Eye Bank (COLEB) – Contact GLT Jackie Miller for Application (pdgjackie@gmail.com) or see application on your flash drive**
  - **Helen Keller Sight Saver Award** - $1,000 (can be done over a consecutive 4-year period at $250 each year or a lump sum). Plaque and pin awarded to designee.
- **Ohio Lions Pediatric Cancer Foundation (OLPCF)** - https://sites.google.com/view/ohiolionspediatriccancer/journey-of-hope?authuser=0
  - **Journey of Hope Award** - $500 donation for children's cancer research. (Can be cumulative). Award received to club.

Melvin Jones Fellowships

The MJF program was establish in 1973 to honor our founder Melvin Jones. This recognizes donations of $1,000 to Lions Clubs International Foundation. New MJF's receive a pin, commemorative plaque, and a letter from the LCIF Chairperson. If the donor chooses, they may use their donation credit to recognize another person.

Progressive Melvin Jones Fellowships (donations in addition of the initial $1,000), provides opportunities to advance in the fellowship program. Donors receive a unique PMJF pin that corresponds to their level of giving. If the donor chooses, they may use their donation credit to recognize another person.

LCIF can globally help improve health and well-being, strengthen communities and support those in need through humanitarian services and grants. Donors receive credit when directing their donations to **Empowering Service Fund:** All the causes the foundations supports; and **Disaster Relief:** Specifically reserved for disaster relief.

- **Can be named in honor or in memory of an individual**
- **Can be made in minimum installments of $100 over a 5-year period**
- **Clubs OR Individuals can make donations to this fund**

Many Districts, not just those in other countries have benefitted from LCIF Grants from these funds! You are required to match grants at 25-50% of the total grant desired, depending on the type of grant.

Districts **OH5, OH6** and **OH7** have benefited from tornado relief efforts with grants from LCIF. Helping those effected from tornadoes with care packages consisting of food, gift/gas cards and other clean up efforts based on grant specifics.

During the tragedy in **Palestine, OH** LCIF grants helped those efforts as well with the same type of grant specifics.

Also, **Districts** get monies back based on how much clubs and individuals donate for **community impact grants** by District. These grants don't require any matching funds and are available for local humanitarian activities based on grant specifics.

See Guide to LCIF Grant Opportunities on Flash Drive and in binder or consult your LCIF Coordinator for more information!

District/State/International Calendar

July 2-7, 2026	**International Convention, Hong Kong, China**
Aug 8, 2026	**1st Cabinet Meeting, Chillicothe, OH**
Sep 3-5, 2026	**USA Canada Lions Leadership Forum, Memphis, TN**
Oct 24, 2026	**STEPS, Eastwood Metro Park, Riverside, OH**
Nov 14, 2026	**2nd Cabinet Meeting, Carlisle, OH**
Feb 20, 2027	**3rd Cabinet Meeting, LEBWCO, Dayton, OH**
Feb 27, 2027 (TBD)	**State Leo Convention, TBD, OH**
Apr 19, 2027	**4th Cabinet Meeting, Zoom**
Apr 23-24, 2027	**District OH6 Convention, Blue Ash, OH**



Top: District Officers Training **Bottom: State Lions Office Workday**

Zone Meetings

Region 1 (Zones 1-4): Chair: PCC Lydia Houser

Zone 1: Camden, Eaton-Lewisburg, Germantown, Oxford, Preble Shawnee Leos, West Alexandria

Chair: Lion Gary Soper
9260 Greenbush Rd
Somerville, OH 45064
765-220-1765
gary@sistermaide.com

Next Meeting
TBD

Zone 2: Beavercreek, Bellbrook, Dayton, Fairborn, Fairborn Leos, Mad River, Miamisburg, Miami Valley, Northmont, Northmont Leos, Stebbins Leos, Vandalia, West Carrollton

Chair: Leo-Lion Robert Borger
60C Beam Dr
Franklin, OH 45005
937-856-6945
rborger6@gmail.com

Next Meeting
8/27/26 18:00
Chiapas Mexican Grill
2733 W Alex Bell Rd
Moraine, OH 45459

Zone 3: Carlisle, Lebanon, Lebanon Leos, Madison, Mason, Monroe, Springboro, Waynesville, Waynesville Leos

Chair: Lion Mary Bookman
1873 S Waynesville Rd
Lebanon, OH 45036
513-850-6816
mbookman82@gmail.com

Next Meeting
TBD

Zone 4: Cincinnati Host, Cincinnati Western Hills, Goshen, Goshen Leos, Northeastern, Northeastern Leos, Ross

Chair: Lion Mark Phillips
6126 Misty Creek Dr
Loveland, OH 45140
513-833-3596
phillips_markw@yahoo.com

Next Meeting
TBD

Zone 2: Send reservation to Chair by 8/20/26, dinner ordering at 17:30

Region 2 (Zones 5-8): Chair: Joy Cox

Zone 5: Good Hope, Jamestown, Jeffersonville, New Holland, Port William, Washington C.H., Wilmington
Chair: Lion Jerry Spahr — **Next Meeting**
10001 West Lancaster Rd — **TBD**
Jeffersonville, OH 43128
740-606-9734
jdspahrfarms@gmail.com

Zone 6: Greenfield, Leesburg, Liberty Township, Lynchburg, Martinsville, Mowrystown, New Vienna, Paint Valley
Chair: Lion Bea Fryman — **Next Meeting**
2641 St Rt 321 — **TBD**
Sardinia, OH 45171
937-515-8633
thefrymans1969@gmail.com

Zone 7: Manchester, Mount Orab, Peebles, Ripley, Ripley Leos, Seaman, West Union
Lion Cynthia Rader — **Next Meeting**
89 Church St — **TBD**
Peebles, OH 45660
937-205-3005
cyndirader@hotmail.com

Zone 8: Beaver, Chillicothe Evening, Piketon, Waverly, Waverly Leos
Chair: Lion TBD — **Next Meeting**
TBD

FUNDRAISERS



Contact PDG Ric Houser to purchase ($5.00)



Cincinnati Host Annual Putt-Putt Tournament

Lunch Sponsor ($700) - This sponsor level will receive a yard sign, their logo on our event banner, opportunity to bring promotional materials, and they will be thanked by name in event follow-up emails. 2 twosomes included ($100 value).

Eagle Sponsor ($250) - Sponsors at this tier will have their logo(s) on a Friends of the Lions banner, thanking them for their help. They will be thanked by name in event follow-up emails. They will also receive one twosome entry ($50 value).

Birdie Sponsor ($100) - Sponsors at this tier will have their logo(s) on a Friends of the Lions banner and the banner at the "closest to the target" challenge, thanking them for their help.

Hole Sponsor ($50) - Sponsors who donate a minimum of $50 will be made "sponsors" of one of the holes during the event. Signage will be provided at each hole displaying the sponsors.



Cincinnati Host selling raffle tickets for $2.00 each, or 3/$5.00


The Lions Club 4th Annual
Putt-Putt for a Cause
Putt-Putt Scramble
LIONS
INTERNATIONAL
Shotgun start @ 11:30
-Lunch provided
-Prizes for 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place, closest to pin on driving range, & hole in ones
Register / Sponsor Here:
$20 per 2-man team
Saturday, 8/1 @ 11:00AM-3:00PM
Benefitting the Cincinnati Children's Department of Ophthalmology
The Acres - 9941 Reading Rd, Cincinnati, OH 45241


JAMESTOWN LIONS CLUB
EST. 1946
LIONS INTERNATIONAL
ANNUAL
FALL
Festival
SEPTEMBER
18 & 19TH, 2026
DOWNTOWN JAMESTOWN
FOOD & DRINKS
LIVE MUSIC
VENDORS & SHOPPING
AUCTIONS & EVEFLES
FUN FOR EVERYONE!
LIVE MUSIC FEATURING:
LEDFOOT
REAL COUNTRY MUSIC
Supporting Our Community & Making a Difference

Carlisle

Holding a flower sale, click the link to order HERE.

Chillicothe Evening

Upcoming projects include Yard Sale, Project in the Park, Spaghetti Dinner, Paint Party (6/11), 50/50 Raffle, and 4th of July Flags. No booth at Ross Co Fair this year.



Cincinnati Host

Annual putt-putt tourney coming up. Sponsorships available in fundraising section.

Fairborn Leo

New officers went to the Dragons game on 6/28. Will be on the Lions 4th of July parade truck passing out candy. Christmas in Action project on 8/1. Sweet Corn Festival third full weekend in Aug.



Fairborn

President Robert, members Ann and Ellen, receiving the Community Civic Award from the DAR chapter of Fairborn to the Fairborn Lions Club for 2025-26.



4th of July parade with a Lions truck decorated. Christmas in Action project on 8/1. Sweet Corn Festival fundraiser third full weekend in Aug.

Germantown

Center Street Market Apr through Aug, 9-1, last Saturday's.

Goshen

Flags for Heroes sponsorship program going on from 7/1-8.

Jamestown

Fall Festival on 8/18-19, flier in fundraiser section.

Lebanon

Collecting plastic for bench and collecting eyeglasses. Installed officers, IDc Lydia did the honors.



Liberty

Volunteering at Kamp Dovetail.



Miami Valley

Next Basket Raffle event will be 9/18 from 6-9pm.

Monroe

Hosting Monroe's, Light Up the Sky 4th of July Celebration, food trucks, live music, games, beer garden, hot air balloon rides, and fireworks.

Mount Orab

Collecting eyeglasses. Volunteering at the local food pantry.

Mowrystown

Park cleanup on 6/13. Collecting eyeglasses. Collecting pill bottles to recycle.



New Holland

Collecting eye glasses and pill bottles.

Northmont

Presented a $1500 scholarship to a senior. Collecting eyeglasses.

Port William

Bowling fundraiser on 6/20.

Vandalia

Garage sale on 6/17-20/2026.

Washington CH

Helped unload supply trucks on the 1st and 3rd Friday for the local food pantry.
Collecting plastic for a NexTrex bench.

West Union

4th of July picnic at the Methodist Church, 203 E Mulberry St, after the parade, providing lunch.

Wilmington

Recycling plastic for a Trex bench. Collecting pill bottles. Collecting can tabs to benefit RMHC. 2 $1000 scholarships given out to seniors.

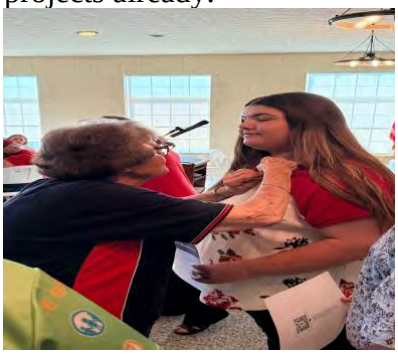


Served lunch to campers at Kamp Dovetail and its' volunteers.



Wilmington Leo

Celebrated their charter (3/13) on 6/23 and have done many projects already.



Leo Corner

- **Make sure you have updated your rosters and have added your Leo officers for the 2026-27 fiscal year. Hold your club elections in the April/May timeframe so that you may be able to add them before the July 1st fiscal year hits.**
- **OH6 District Leo Chair Robert Borger would love to come talk to your club as a guest, please reach out to him at 937-856-6945 or at rborger6@gmail.com. He is also available to help you and your club with anything you may need including recruiting help, fundraising, and service activity ideas.**
- Leo Club Advisor webpage
- Leo Club Advisor Training

Service Reporting Form for Leo Clubs
https://forms.gle/TyoareM9tHq54MCh6

Leo and Leo-Lion Cabinet and Council Liaison Positions

The Leo or Leo-Lion cabinet and council liaisons are one-year non-voting appointed positions developed to incorporate young leaders and strengthen Lions districts and multiple districts. These optional positions were approved during the April 2021 International Board of Directors meeting. For Leos and Leo-Lions it is an opportunity to further their leadership skills, use their experience to improve the Leo Club Program, and represent the diverse views of young people in our organization. For Lions leaders, it is an opportunity to incorporate younger voices and perspectives at district and multiple district levels and build stronger Leo and Lion connections. These roles may function much like the Leo-Lion liaisons that are appointed to the international board of directors. The ideal candidates are respected young people who have demonstrated strong leadership skills and are current active Leos or members of the Leo-Lion membership program.
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Fairborn Leo-Lion Isabelle Dill 2026-27
Waynesville Leo President Ashlyn Callahan 2025-26





2026 State Leo pins will be available soon!
Contact Leo Lion Robert Borger to order.
This is the 7th in the collection.
2020 – white (SOLD OUT)
2021 – red (Available) $1.00
2022 – blue (Available) $1.00
2023 – burgundy (SOLD OUT)
2024 – teal (Available) $1.00
2025 – CUSTOM (Available) $1.00
2026 – CUSTOM (Available) -- $2.00

Exciting news from LCI! The "new" CUB program has been announced. This is a piece from their brochure & the CUB Guide: found under "CUB Program" on the LCI website.
This special program is designed for kids ages 12 and younger to teach them the joy of volunteering and help them develop a lifelong dedication to helping those in need. **Cubs *don't need to be related to a Lions member* to participate** — they just need to be ready to help and have fun.
Cubs are children aged 12 of age or younger who are interested in service and show commitment to a given Lions club. A Cub club can be formed when five or more Cubs are working together with a Lions club. A Cub club may be held responsible for certain tasks at a Lions-planned event or may even plan their own events and hold their own fundraisers. If a Cub club forms, a Lion member should be designated as the contact to the Cubs and reported in MyLCI.
Please contact youth@ohiolions.org if you have any questions. (Please note - we are still working through the Guide and brochure, too!)



Necrology Report

District 13 OH6 Ohio Lions

Club Name: _____

Please complete the information requested on this form as soon as possible for any member who passes away between the 2025 and the 2026 District Conventions. At the District 13 OH6 Convention in 2026 we will honor the deceased Lions and Lioness members at the Necrology Service.

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Date Joined Lions (Lioness): _____

Date Deceased: _____

Club Offices Held: _____

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District Offices Held: _____

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Major Areas of Service in Lionism: _____

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Please include a photo to be used for the services

Please submit copies of this form and photo (will be returned if requested) to one of the following:

CST/PDG Jay Carey	DG Rachelle Powers	1VDG Ben Dunn
635 Albin Avenue	2908 Oak Grove Rd	1325 Cross Creek Dr
Washington CH, OH 43160	Lynchburg, OH 45142	Loveland, OH 45140
buckeyejcarey@outlook.com	rmpowers18@hotmail.com	brdunn1284@gmail.com

May also CC District Chaplain PCC Don Robinette at md13cc@gmail.com

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Resources

Lions Club International Website	www.lionsclubs.org
Multiple District Website	www.ohiolions.org
District Website	www.district13oh6.org
Online District Directory	Click here
Blue Frog Promotions	bluefrogpromo.com
Lions Club International Store	SHOP
District Facebook Page	**Southwest Ohio Lions 13 OH6**
District Twitter "X" Page	@OhioLions13OH6

LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL

Please send your monthly club service projects/fundraisers by the 24th of each month!
Leo-Lion Robert Borger
rborger6@gmail.com or youthoh6@ohiolions.org
(937) 856-6945



