

Lions!! Roar!! We are on the right track. We are meeting again and still innovating. Last Saturday, 24 April 2021, we had our District Convention and election. VDG Bill Bradfield was elected as District Governor and IPDG Jackie Glazier was elected 1<sup>st</sup> Vice District Governor. We still need a 2<sup>nd</sup> VDG. We had several Lions receive recognition for outstanding efforts in Lionism. Lion Peggy Frank the Charles Weir Award, Lion Jim Patterson the Lautenheiser Award, Lions Shelia Ferrel and John Paro the Mike Howard Award. Certificates of Appreciation, signed by International President Choi, were presented to Lions Barry Anderson and Penny McGlaughin. All District Lions deserve recognition for your service through this most difficult time. Thanks to all of you.

Our next major event will be 14 August 2021 at the Shack on Robinson Lake. It will be my appreciation dinner. It will be outdoors and under a pavilion. Please contact Jackie Millais for reservations at 231-834-8955.

I will be visiting several clubs in the next few weeks. My wife and I enjoy the clubs and you the Lions are always a pleasure to talk too. We always learn and are always impressed by all the wonderful Lions. I know we will all be glad as things improve. Because of you and your ideas, our service continued throughout these most difficult times.

Thank You for being YOU!!! LIONS-Loving Individuals Offering Needed Service.



PDG BILL SIMPSON PRESENTED DISTRICT 11 E1 LOUIS BRAILLE AWARD

The District Louis Braille Award was created in 2010 by DG Wayne Kreitner and his son, Lion Michael. The award was created to honor a Lion who has made outstanding contributions to our District with their hard work and dedication of service. The award was presented to PDG



Bill Simpson at the District Convention in Harrison on April 24. Lion Bill was District 11 E1 Governor in 2012-13. He was the District's representative to Eversight, the Lions of Michigan Service Foundation trustee, Chairs the District's Constitution and By Laws Committee, was the Chair of the State's International Convention Committee, and coordinated the Michigan delegate's activities at four International Conventions.

Congratulations to PDG Bill Simpson!

#### First Vice District Governor Bill Bradfield



Hello Lions of District 11E1. I would like to thank you for your confidence by electing me as your next District Governor. My thanks also go to outgoing District Governor Bill Koch for doing such a great job in the last year under the constraints of the COVID-19 pandemic. The following list is my upcoming term goals:

Complete the Defense Against Diabetes (DAD) Grant
Finish my LCI Training for increasing membership (Hopefully adding 100 new members to the District.)
Develop a fundraising reference guide using fundraisers from all of our clubs that can be shared District wide.
Work in harmony with all Officers, Clubs, Districts, Members, LCI, and LCIF-"*Together We Do It Better*"

- •Take advantage of all training programs made available by LCI and LCIF.
- •Develop Grant Proposals for all grants that are available through LCIF and appoint individual Lions who are experienced in each subject to administer whatever grants we receive.
- •Committee appointments are currently in progress.
- Promote the Lions of District 11E1 in all of the communities we represent.
- •Correspond and visit each club in the District during my tenure.
- •Attend all events as possible
- •Make sure that our clubs receive proper credit for completed projects in their communities
- •Always, carefully listen to the concerns of each member in the District.
- •Support all fundraisers, District, and State Projects to help make them successful
- •We have another Diabetes Management class starting June 15. Please contact me if interested at 231-222-5143 or <u>hoxeyvillain@hotmail.com</u>

We started out in 1917 as the "Knights of the Blind" and over a hundred years we have become the "Knights of those in Need". We have learned from our fore fathers how to implement our motto—"We Serve". In closing, I would like to say thanks to all the Lions of District 11E1 for giving me the opportunity to serve as your 2<sup>nd</sup> VDG, your 1<sup>st</sup> VDG, and to all the Governors before me that were so generous with the wealth of information they shared. I promise you, as your incoming Governor, to work as diligently as possible to uphold and improve our sterling reputation. In Lionism, Bill Bradfield (DG Elect)

#### District 11E1 Convention, 24 April 2021

It was great to be together for a one day convention. I would like to THANK Harrison Lions for being our host. PDG Pete Conarty did a great job on the program, THANK YOU. PDG AI and Ann Roeseler were big winners, they won both 50 - 50 drawings, totaling \$167, which they donated to the Lions of Michigan Foundation. A BIG Thank You to them. DG Bill Koch put together an informative and fun day. It was a great day Governor, THANK YOU.

Hope everyone had a great time and the food was great, as always. Thank you again Harrison Lions. Convention Chair, PDG Pam Schroeder

#### A Few Pictures From Our District Convention



Midland Lions Pete Conarty and Cheryl Wade, with Selene, signing in with PDG Pam Schroeder. DG Bill Koch at the table with Lion Peggy Frank, Cabinet Secretary, and Lion Diane Fleming, Cabinet Treasurer, getting ready for meeting.





District Chaplain Jerry Brandt leading the group in our annual n Memoriam-Memorial Service. Dr. Gerry White (Cedar Maple City Lions) Sandy Galgoci (Coleman Lions) Karla Roebuck (Chippewa Lake/Mecosta Lions) Sue Andres (Harrison Lions) John Urka (Kaleva Lions) Roy McNeill (Midland Lions) Gerald Meister, Ron Joslyn, Lynn Edmondson, and Mary Lynn Burchard (Onekama Lions) Perry Scanell, Bill Richards, Wayne Gustman, and Wendy Strong (White Cloud Lions) PDG Larry Morlock (Evart Lions)

#### MAY 2021 DISTRICT 11 E1 LION OF THE MONTH-JAMES HODGES



Lion Jim Hodges is a 44 year Charter Member of the Vestaburg Lions Club. The club was chartered on January 8, 1977. Jim has had perfect attendance at club meetings for 44 years. He has been the club's treasurer and has been club president since 2010. Under Lion Jim's presidency the club does an Easter Egg Hunt for the children of Vestaburg, a Christmas Party, White Cane, and their biggest fundraiser is a Food Wagon. For many years, the club's Food Wagon worked the Vestaburg football games. They now primarily service the Pioneer Auction Services out of Alma at their auction sites. The sites include the Montcalm, Isabella County area.

Jim was a teacher at the Vestaburg High School for 47 years. He taught math, robotics, and physics. He is also a licensed contractor and builds pole barns, decks, garages, and remodels homes. His contact with the Vestaburg schools went beyond the classroom as Jim did the basketball score books for the middle and high school basketball teams for 58 years and ran the clock for football games for 57 years. For his years of service, Jim was inducted into the Michigan Honorary Basketball Association. Jim and his wife Marie have been married for 55 years and have two daughters and six grandchildren. His hobbies are reading, traveling, and going out to eat. CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR MAY LION OF THE MONTH - JAMES HODGES. District 11 E1 GLT Pete Conarty

#### FIND THE RIGHT PATH

Our greatest strength as Lions is the skills, experiences, and ideas that our club members bring to our organization. Our Lions serve with pride, dignity, and a passion to help others. In order to harness this power, we need officers who are willing to listen, work as a team, and willing to make changes to better our clubs and enhance our service to our communities. It is time to elect new club officers for 2021-22. We need officers who can put us back on our feet and lead us forward. We need officers who are not afraid to spend the energy to give our clubs a new perspective. The status quo was good. We did the same thing every year. Times have changed! Even big corporations are finding new ways to conduct business. It is time for Lions to do the same. It is time to meet, eat, and think about: 1) Are we doing enough, 2) Do we need to change anything to better fit our member's skills and abilities, 3) Is there an opportunity to help our community members in other ways, and 4) How can we encourage people of our community to become members? **Elect strong officers and be sure that your community knows who the Lions are!!** District 11 E1 GLT Pete Conarty

## CLUB NEWS

#### Harrison Lions

Harrison Lions are taking onion orders, with deliver in May. Proceeds go to the Harrison Library. A new library is in the works! This is our fourth year selling onions and we sold more than last year. We finished our lottery and the lucky winner was Ron Trzeciak. The profit, after expenses, was \$465. Harrison Lions are doing a Spring raffle with the drawing in June. Twelve gift cards will be given away. There will be a drawing for gift cards for our local businesses as a way of saying thank you. Bingo is going well, 2 nights a week, on Tuesday and Thursday.

We have given out a scholarship of \$500 to a high school student for college. We are making plans and sharing ideas for the summer.



Harrison Lioness Club has disbanded and some of the ladies have joined the Lions. DG Bill Koch inducted new Lion Members, Dan Brown (sponsored by Cindy Sharp), Cindy Sharp (sponsored by Lion Kay Brandt), and Heidi Stover (sponsored by Lion Barb Sovey). It was at the April 22<sup>nd</sup> meeting.

WELCOME NEW LION MEMBERS!!!

#### **Edmore Lions**



Edmore Lions participated in road side clean up on 1.5 miles of M-46 near Edmore on 4/22. ←

Edmore Lions sponsored Easter Egg hunt on 4/3 in Curtis Park in Edmore.  $\rightarrow$ 



#### **Colman Lions**

Coleman Lions participated in the City Scavenger Hunt on April 3 by handing out candy and clues to children when they arrived at the Lions Hall. The clue indicated where they needed to go next! About 85 children participated. The three Lions working the event had a good time! We also loaned some games to the Girl Scouts for use at the park before and after the hunt.

On April 17, five Coleman Lions and six friends of Lions worked on US 10 to clean up trash. In the three hours, 49 bags of trash were collected from the 2 mile stretch of highway which includes the M-18 ramps. Last year we were unable to do a clean-up due to the coronavirus which explains the 10 or more bags of trash this year!

#### White Cloud Lions

White Cloud Lions are happy to be having our monthly fish fries again with safety being a top priority. We have been meeting regularly and have added members. May 14th is our next fish fry.

#### **Central Montcalm Lions**



The Central Montcalm Lions have had a busy month. We were fortunate to be able to make a donation to **IM Kids 3rd Meal**. This organization provides meals to children at six local schools so that they have something to eat in the evening. We also chose our 2020 Citizen of the Year and our 2021 Scholarship winner, which is presented to a graduate at Central Montcalm High School. We are in the planning stages of our golf fundraiser, which will be held on June 18<sup>th</sup> in Greenville. Go Lions!!!

#### Fremont Lions



Here is an upcoming event for Fremont. Our first pancake breakfast in over a year! The 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Fly In Pancake Breakfast is Saturday, May 29 at Fremont Airport.

Cost: \$8 Adults/kids under 5 Free

Helicopter and Airplane rides starting at \$35 Adults/\$25 kids under 10 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

0800-1100-Breakfast served by the Fremont Lions Club at the new EAA 578 Hanger 0900-Newaygo VFW Flag Raising Ceremony with Missing Man Formation Fly By 0930-RC Air Planes Flying Demonstration

1000-Fremont Pilots Perform Short Take Off and Landing Competition

1100-Warbird Formation Fly Bys

0900-1300-Airplane and Helicopter Rides at EAA Hanger

- Award Winning Pancake Breakfast
- Airplane and Helicopter Rides
- RC Airplane Demos
- RC Truck Course
- Antique Cars, Tractors, Motorcycles
- Homebuilt Airplanes
- Short Take-off and Landing (STOL) Demonstrations
- Warbirds Flying Formation and a Tribute to our Veterans!

This is a Fun Family Event and a Great Fundraiser for EAA 578 and the Fremont Lions Club!! https://www.facebook.com/FremontLions/?notif\_id=1563919443585012&notif\_t=page\_admin

#### Kaleva Lions

The Kaleva Lions are meeting the first Monday of the month at 6:29 p.m. Pasties are made every Thursday. All are welcome to come see us.

#### **Stanwood Lions**

Stanwood Lions Club has made a commitment to serve on Saturdays at the Morley Community Center Sales. We started on April 24<sup>th</sup> and will be there every Saturday though September. All proceeds will benefit club projects. Come on out and see us!



#### Hart Lions

Hart Lions still inactive, gathering spot is still closed to the public, possibly opening in June. Hoping to have some updates for you next month, trying to figure safe meeting/activity schedule. Many members returning from Florida.

#### Luther Lions

We shared a small celebration at the end of March with one of our founding members Lion Don Robbins. It was his 100th birthday and we also shared a corn beef dinner with our members. DG Bill Koch attended and gave Lion Don accolades and certificates of appreciation. Lion Don was in his usual talkative self and gave a lot of history behind the founding of the Luther Lions Club. He thoroughly enjoyed it as well as our club.





#### Weidman Lions



Weidman Lions Club cleaned up a stretch of Weidman Road between Weidman and Beal City on April 24, 2021. Left to right: Lions Al Marshall, Butch Glass, Tom Girvin, Bob Thompson and his granddaughter, Joslynn Stailey, Doug Middlesworth, and Bernie Baldwin. The old timers of the Weidman Lions Club are looking for young members to take over this project.

## Service Stories

Each Lion and every club is changing lives in ways both great and small. Service is a personal journey that impacts the people serving and the people we serve. We make an effort to post club service stories under the District Club Happenings section of the <u>Lion Pride</u>. Has your story been shared? Contact your District 11E1 Editors, *Mike and Tina Hoy*, <u>hoym@charter.net</u> or 989-832-8354. **Please submit materials for June Newsletter by May 21.** 

#### FREE Space to put your Club's News! Please contact us to be included in the next issue of the District 11E1 Newsletter.

#### **Mesick Lions**

Come to Mesick and enjoy the Mesick Lions Mushroom Festival ~ May 7 - 9th!



#### Get a printable 2021 Schedule/Map "Here"

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ay 6	11 am-?	MASONIC LODGE PASTIE SALE	#5
24	9 am - 6 pm	FLEA MARKET Sponsored by The Mesick Lions Club Details	#1
May	11 am - ?	MASONIC LODGE PASTIE SALE	#5
7	1 pm - 10 pm	CARNIVAL (Special - Family Day) Sponsored by The Mesick Lions Club	#1
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	6 pm	PING-PONG BALL DROP Sponsored by <u>The Mesick Lions Club</u> NEW LOCATION Floyd M. Jewet Elementary School Playground	#4
	6:30 - 8:30 pm	FRIDAY NIGHT STREET FAIR (NEW LOCATION)	#4b
the start	8 am	CO-ED SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT (Cont.) Sponsored by Mesick Lions Club	#13
	9 am - 6 pm	FLEA MARKET Sponsored by Mesick Lions Club Details	#1
May 8	10 am	MONEY HUNT	#12
	10 am- 4 pn	1 MESICK MUSEUM OPEN HOUSE (Every Saturday May thru September)	#19
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- A	10 am - 3 pr	nMESICK UNITED METHODIST CHURCH SOUP SAMPLER	#23
	10 am - 11:30 am	BLOOD PRESSURE/SUGAR TEST Sponsored by Mesick Rescue Squad	#16
	11 am-?	MASONIC LODGE PASTIE SALE	#5
	11 am - 10 pm	CARNIVAL Sponsored by Mesick Lions Club	#1
	12 Noon	MUSHROOM CONTEST ENDS Noon	#6/ #7
	12 Noon	MMF GRAND PARADE Grand Marshall: 2021 Mesick Volleyball Team. Theme: "Bringing Back the Fun In 2021"" <u>Details Sponsored by The Mesick Lions Club</u>	#10
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	After parad	e JOHN COOK FAMILY CONCERT AT BIBLE BELIEVER'S HISTORIC BAPTIST CHURCH (New Event)	#22
	1 pm	MUD BOGG DRIVERS REGISTAR FROM 10-NOON, SPECTATOR GATE OPENS AT 1 PM (NEW AND IMPROVED) CONTACT JAMES REICHA (231) 409-2551	#14
	4 pm	CORN HOLE TOURNAMENT (Sign-up 3 pm 231-709-5975) Sponsored by Ellens Corners	#2
	7:30 pm	MESICK MUSHROOM 5K "GLOW IN THE DARK" Details	#15
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#### **Midland Lions**

**Midland Lions Community Project (Accessibility Improved at Emerson Park)** City of Midland in the process of pouring the walkway to the Lions Emerson Pavilion, April 13, 2021.



City of Midland has completed the walkway at Emerson Park and the pads to support 2 benches. Updated photos taken on April 30. Lions Mike and Cowboy tested out the new walkway. It was a success! Another Lions First!



Midland Lions approved the expense for the walkway and 1 bench at a meeting in March. The bench will be in memory of Lion Andy Watson.



The Midland Lions 1<sup>st</sup> fundraiser of the year will be White Cane on May 20 and 21. We have resumed in person meetings indoors and soon will have some outdoor meetings when the weather improves.

## Announcing A District 11E1 Contest!!!!

### "Name The District 11E1 Newsletter"

We are looking for a name to give our newsletter and want to enlist the help of all Lions in the District. Please put on your creative thinking caps and submit an idea. One entry per Lion and deadline for submission is June 30. Send your idea to your newsletter editors, Mike & Tina Hoy, at <u>hoym@charter.net</u> or 989-832-8354. Judges will be Lions Mike & Tina Hoy, DG Bill Koch, 1<sup>st</sup> VDG Bill Bradfield (DG Elect), and VDG Elect Jackie Glazier.

The winning entry will win a prize and all Lions who submit an entry will be put into a drawing for a prize. Stay tuned for more details in the next newsletter. *We want your input for a fresh look for our District Newsletter!!!* 

## District Projects

#### **Used Hearing Aid Donations**

Remember we accept used hearing aids of any age or condition. All used hearing aids are recycled with one of the hearing aid manufactures. Lions of Michigan Foundation is given credits to be used towards the purchase of new hearing aids. Most Clubs collect hearing aids with their glasses. If you have hearing aids for recycling give them to our Foundation Reps. Lions Pete or Pam, your zone chairs, or Lion Peggy Frank at 616 217-6840 for pick-up.

#### EYEGLASS MISSION TRIP UPDATE

I will be introducing a proposal to make the District 11E1 Eyeglass Mission trip a District Project. It will be presented at the Convention. Aside from that, we are looking into a location for this next year's trip. Many exciting things to think about!!

Harry Johnson, PDG



Leader Dogs for the Blind has promised to prioritize the health and safety of their clients, volunteers, staff, and dogs. With this in mind they have made the following updates:

Guide dog and O & M training will be offered only in home environments at this time. The April (21-09) class has been cancelled. The O & M class scheduled to come has been postponed. They plan to conduct seven guide dog deliveries over the coming weeks.

Summer Experience Camp will be fully virtual again this year. Teens 14 - 17 years old in the U.S. and Canada will explore mobility options like guide dog

travel, building leadership skills, and developing relationships with peers. Virtual summer Experience Camp will take place June 21-25.

This year Leader Dogs has been operating on a reduced client to instructor ratio of 2 - 1. They have made the decision to maintain a reduced 3 - 1 ratio moving forward into the next fiscal year, 2021 - 2022 compared to their traditional 4 -1 model. In order to make this change all classes will be 3 weeks. Each team is being made smaller allowing each team to train a smaller number of dogs and a smaller number of clients. They will still serve the same number of clients annually but will do so with smaller classes that occur more frequently.



#### My Shadow-Cowboy–Update

Cowboy and I go to the gym 3 days a week. He picks up my cane, gives me his leash, and carries my water bottle for me. He is learning to alert me with a nudge on my leg when someone calls out my name. Cowboy now attends Lions meetings and even paid fines for getting his name and

picture in the local newspaper! Training is nearly done; only one more session is planned. I will need to learn about the "intruder alert".



After this Cowboy and I will be on our own for 30 days to practice before the "final test" which will be videotaped. This is the final



step before certification as a team! We are scheduled to do a PAWS presentation for the Coleman Lions on May 3. Please contact us (<u>hoym@charter.net</u> or 989-832-8354) if you want to schedule a presentation for your club meeting. Lions Mike, Cowboy (& Tina) Hoy, *PAWS* District 11E1 Project Co-Chairs

## Lions of Michigan Foundation Dr. Robert Mathog Lions Hearing Centers



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Lions Clubs are well known throughout the world for the services we provide to help people with hearing and vision loss. Nearly a century ago, Helen Keller challenged Lions Clubs to be "Knights of the Blind," and she declared that "the problems of deafness are deeper and more complex, if not more important, than those of blindness. Deafness is a much worse misfortune, for it means the loss of the most vital stimulus — the sound of the voice that brings language, sets thoughts astir and keeps us in the intellectual company of man."

kbook Fundraiser

Our new Lions Hearing Centers Cookbook was developed to create awareness for the treatment of hearing loss and to provide funding for our Michigan Lions Affordable Hearing Aid and Hearing Screening Programs, which offer affordable hearing care options for Michigan residents.

With your help, we can continue to change the lives of thousands of Michigan residents who need and depend on the Lions Clubs of Michigan and our partners, sponsors and friends for the treatment of the their hearing loss. As a Public Charity, all contributions to the Lions of Michigan Foundation are tax deductible to the full extent allowed by law. We appreciate your support!

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## 35th ANNUAL Sight & Hearing Sweepstakes **A GUARANTEED Fundraiser**

GREAT PRIZES 1st-\$5,000 - 2nd-\$2,500 - 3rd-\$2,000 4th- \$1,500 - 5th-\$1,000 - 6th-\$500 7th-\$400 - 8th-\$300 - 9th-\$200 - 10th-\$100 SELLER INCENTIVES

1st-\$750 - 2nd-\$500 - 3rd-\$250 - 4th-\$100

DRAWINGS TICKET SELLERS DRAWING May 1, 2021 Lions of Michigan State Office Lansing, Michigan

FINAL DRAWING May 22, 2021 MD 11 Convention - Holland, MI

EASY MONEY 30-99 Tickets Sold = \$3.50 Per Ticket For Club 100 - 249 Tickets Sold = \$5.00 Per Ticket For Club 250+ Tickets = \$5.50 Per Ticket For Club

The PRICE is RIGHT \$10.00 Per Ticket

Attention-Attention-Attention

Do you have a friend or relative who has everything?

What better gift could you give than one that helps those in need? For a gift of \$10, you can buy a Sight & Hearing Sweepstakes ticket for a friend or family member, providing them with a chance to win several cash prizes, including the grand prize of \$5,000.

Upon receipt of your gift, we will mail a sweepstakes ticket stub and sweepstakes information to your honoree with a card acknowledging your gift.



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# Lions of Michigan HALL OF FAME

The Lions of Michigan Foundation officially opened the **LIONS OF MICHIGAN HALL OF FAME** on July 25, 2009 to begin celebrating the rich history that Michigan Lions have at all levels of our association - local, state, district and international. The goal of the Hall of Fame is to keep alive the memory of our great leaders and to document their service so that Lions in the present and future can share a sense of the service that our great state has given to our association. Nominations for the Hall of Fame must be submitted to the Lions of Michigan State Office no later than March 1 of each year.

The 2021 Lions of Michigan Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony, the 12th Annual, will be held on August 7, 2021 at 6:00 PM at the Comfort Inn and Suites located at 2424 South Mission - Mt. Pleasant, Michigan. Lodging is \$99.00 plus tax per night for a standard guest room. Lodging reservations can be made by contacting the Lions of Michigan State Office at 517-887-6640 - info@Imsf.net or by calling the Comfort Inn at 989-772-4000 and requesting the Lions of Michigan Foundation group rate.

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DEADLINE: Monday, July 12, 2021

## The 2021 MD 11 Lions Convention is Virtual!

**RESERVE YOUR SPOT FOR JUNE 12, 2021** 



#### 101 YEARS: HOW OUR PAST HAS SHAPED OUR FUTURE

Join us for a Virtual MD 11 Lions Convention as we highlight Service, Hunger, Environment and History with a special message from LCI President Choi.

Conventions may look a little different this year, but the need to celebrate our success has not changed. Journey with us as we tour the Hunger for Christ Foodbank freezer, purchased through an LCIF Grant in the amount of \$75,000.00.

In honor of President Choi, a tree planting ceremony will take place at Paws With a Cause, recognizing his leadership and passion for the environment.

Registrations details will be sent soon and will be here as well. Reserve your spot for June 12, 2021!

Once you have registered, you will be able to have full access to the Convention Webinar after it airs, on the Lions YouTube Channel.



LCI has designated May as STRENGTHEN MEMBERSHIP MONTH.

May is also Military Appreciation Month: May 15<sup>th</sup> is Armed Forces Day May 31<sup>th</sup> is Memorial Day