



# Lions Connections

May 2025

District 11E1 Newsletter

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## District Dispatches

Reports from District Officers

### Your District Needs You: Step into Leadership and Make a Difference!

As Lions, we are united by our shared commitment to service—but behind every successful service project, every thriving club, and every growing district is a team of dedicated leaders who make it all possible.

Right now, **our district has several key leadership positions open**, and we are inviting **motivated, service-minded Lions** to consider stepping up to serve in a greater capacity.

### Open Positions Include:

- **1st and 2nd Vice District Governor**
  - **Cabinet Secretary**
  - **Cabinet Treasurer**
  - **Global Action Team (GAT) Roles:**
    - **Global Leadership Team (GLT) Coordinator**
    - **Global Membership Team (GMT) Coordinator**
    - **Global Extension Team (GET) Coordinator**
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## Why You Should Consider Serving

- ☑ **Amplify Your Impact** – District leaders support clubs, create district-wide initiatives, and shape the future of Lionism in our region.
- ☑ **Develop Leadership Skills** – Gain experience in public speaking, team building, strategic planning, and conflict resolution—skills that benefit both your Lions service and your career.
- ☑ **Expand Your Network** – Work alongside fellow leaders from across the district and beyond, forming lasting connections and mentorships.
- ☑ **Inspire Others** – Your leadership sets the tone and inspires new Lions to engage and grow.

## Let's Talk!

If you've ever considered leadership—or if someone has ever told you that you'd make a great leader—**now is the time to explore these opportunities.** Training and mentorship will be provided, and no one leads alone.

Please reach out to **PCC Jeff Schafer (812) 325-3130** or **IPDG Jim Patterson (231) 250-0925** to learn more or express your interest.

**The future of our district depends on Lions like you.** Step forward, lead with heart, and help us continue our mission to serve.





# Club Officer Training

## *Programs planned during the training:*

Awards Available (District, State, International)

Projects (District, State)

Dues & Financial Responsibilities

MyLion & Accessing Lionsclub.org

Officer Training (President/VP, Secretary, Treasurer, etc.)



## Upcoming Dates & Locations

June 7                  Saturday 9-11am, 1<sup>st</sup> Congregational Church (126 E Cass St., Greenville)

June 28                Saturday 9-11am, Isabella Commission on Aging (2200 S Lincoln Rd., Mt. Pleasant)

**Note:** Only need to attend one event.

If you have any questions or to RSVP contact PCC Jeff Schafer, [jeff.schafer1@comcast.net](mailto:jeff.schafer1@comcast.net) or call/text 812-325-3130.



## District Float Storage Needed

The District Float is approximately 10' X 18', it has a 2 1/4" ball. All we ask is that the Float be stored indoors, covered with a tarp, which the district provides. If a club is interested in storing the float, they also get free usage of it as well. Otherwise, there is a \$20 rental fee, which covers maintenance. If a club would like to utilize it for an event, they may call Laura Johnson at (231) 250-0537.

## **Lions Bear Lake Camp May Newsletter**

### **Steve Glazier Lions Bear Lake Camp District Chairperson**

Hi Fellow Lions:

It was great to see everyone at the District Conference in Clare and at the District Cabinet Meeting held the same weekend.

Just a quick run through of upcoming events at Bear Lake Camp and fundraisers that help support the ever-popular Kids Summer Camp. Summer sessions are available for children who are blind and visually impaired, deaf and hard of hearing, those with juvenile arthritis and a special camp for siblings of children with cancer.

**Golf Outing** June 9, 2025, at the Metamora Golf and Country Club.

**Camp General Public Open House** July 12, 2024 Open for tours 2:00 to 5:00 pm

**Visually Impaired and Blind Youth Camp** July 13 – 19, 2025 Provides outdoor activities like climbing the rock tower, kayaking and many other outdoor activities.

**Deaf And Hard of Hearing Camp** July 20 – 26, 2025 Offers an environment with many outdoor adventures and activities plus team-building and leadership development opportunities.

The month of July concludes with Providing a Better Journey (PBJ), which supports foster youth through confidence-building activities and connections.

Just a reminder if you know of a child eligible for “visually impaired or deaf and hard of hearing camp” this summer made affordable by Michigan Lions or any of the other available activities on the website ([lionsbearlakecamp.org](http://lionsbearlakecamp.org)) their parents can register directly online, contact their local Lions Club, Bear Lake Camp directly or myself for further assistance or questions. Cost for the visually impaired or deaf and hard of hearing camp week is only \$40 which is often paid by the referring Lions Club.

**Clay Shoot—New Event** in 2025. Bear Lake is excited to introduce a new clay shoot fundraiser on September 6, 2025, at the Fenton Lake Sportsman’s Club. This event will be a fun way to engage supporters while raising funds for the camp. More details will be shared as the event approaches.

**Bear Lake Ultra Marathon** October 4, 2025. Last year they had 114 participants and raised nearly \$10,000. Volunteers and participants are always needed.

**Note: Lions of Michigan Bear Lake Open House Weekend**, If you can only make one event at Lions Bear Lake Camp this year, “This Is It!!!!” EXCLUSIVE FOR ALL LIONS THROUGH OUT OUR STATE this event will likely be in September 2025, but the date has not yet been confirmed. Camp Executive Director Tracy Tribley has again offered **free meals and lodging** on Friday Night to be provided for all attendees from our district due to

distance. What an affordable great weekend to experience all this camp has to offer. Indoor Activities, Zip Lining, 50 Foot Rock Wall Climb, Dock Fishing, Archery, Challenge Course experience, camp tours, campfire with smores, comradery with fellow lions and so much more..... I must put in an additional mention of FIVE STAR MEALS prepared by Food Director Chrissy Andre.

Let's try to beat our district attendance last year by promoting this to our clubs. Last year Gov. Tom Mac Naughton and PDG Jim Patterson were able to attend with several of us from our District 11E1.

#### AN ADDITIONAL SAMPLING OF RECENT AND UPCOMING EVENTFUL HAPPENINGS AT THE CAMP.

- In April, Lapeer County Search Rescue returned for two additional training weekends.
- Also on April 9th, Lions Bear Lake Camp hosted a day program in partnership with Behavioral Consultants, designed for children with autism. This initiative provided tailored activities to support social engagement, sensory needs, and outdoor exploration in a welcoming environment.
- Cameo Quilting Guild enjoyed a four-day retreat, while the Anchor Bay Quilting Guild, a long-standing partner, also hosted their 10-day session at the camp.
- April also marked the start of the Camp Zip Line Course & Tower Training for staff, with programs continuing into May to certify facilitators, ensure safety protocols are followed, and prepare staff to guide campers through these confidence-building activities.
- In May, Lions Bear Lake Camp will host another autism-focused day program in partnership with Behavioral Consultants. Plans are underway to explore the possibility of overnight camps later in the summer to further expand this partnership.
- Lapeer Rocks returns for another overnight team-building and educational camp for kids from the Lapeer School District.
- At the end of the month, the Camp Cherith Reunion Group will return for their third year. This group of professional women, who grew up as counselors at Camp Cherith, reconnects with camp life and contributes through meaningful volunteer work.

These rentals, training sessions, and partnerships ensure Lions Bear Lake Camp remains a valuable resource for the community year-round while generating essential revenue to support its mission.

Lions Bear Lake Camp's main reason for existence and largest and longest program of the year BEAR LAKE SUMMER KIDS CAMP starts in June. I can't emphasize enough the overwhelming interest from kids who want to attend this camp which speaks highly of the quality of the programs offered and the excellence of the staff which I can personally vouch for. I know I've excitedly reported this previously in the District Newsletter but here it is again for those that may have missed it. Two years ago, Bear Lake Summer Camp hosted 785 kids over 8 weeks. Last year they hosted almost 1100 kids over 8 weeks. This year Summer Camp will be expanded to a projected attendance of "1500" kids over 11 weeks. I believe those numbers speak volumes for themselves.

In conclusion Lions Bear Lake Camp is a State Project, and we need all Michigan Lions and Lion Clubs to support this “AWESOME” camp. There is not any camp like this in the state with all the programs it provides for the kids in Michigan. So, when your Club does its budget for Lions 2026 Year starting this July 2025, please put some money or additional money aside for this SPECIAL CAMP.

Thank You  
Steve Glazier



Steve Glazier received the Karla Roebuck Award at Convention

*Lions Bear Lake Camp*   
**GOLF CLASSIC**

Shotgun starts at 10:00am  
Dinner at 3:00pm

**June 9th, 2025**

Tickets \$125 per golfer  
\$500 per foursome  
Dinner Only \$40  
BEARLAKECAMP.ORG  
UNDER THE EVENTS TAB

Metamora Golf & Country Club  
1600 Club Drive  
Metamora, MI 48455

Use of Driving Range 18 Holes of Golf  
with Cart  
Course Contests  
Buffet-Style Awards Dinner  
Door Prizes & Raffles





## Louis Braille Award at the District Convention



### IDPG Jim Patterson receiving his Louis Braille Award

The Louis Braille Award is one of District 11-E1's prestigious awards given to a Lion from our District at the annual convention who shines in their service to humanity during the past year. It was begun by PDG Wayne Kreitner and his son Michael, from the Greenville Lions Club. What is unique about the award is the last three recipients choose this year's recipient.

The award is a gorgeous plaque as well as a collector's item, the Louis Braille Silver Dollar, minted in 2009. This one-year-only silver dollar coin celebrates the 200th anniversary of Louis Braille's birth in 1809. Sightless since an accident at age 4, Braille developed a system of raised dots so that sight-impaired people could read when he was only 15 years old. This coin is the first U.S. coin with readable braille (dots on reverse spell "braille" in abbreviated form). The reverse side depicts a blind child reading.

The award honors a Lion who, through their efforts, has made outstanding contributions to our district with their hard work and dedication of service, while exhibiting Lion values of Integrity, Accountability, Teamwork and Excellence.

This year's recipient is passionate about service to others, and especially passionate about ways the Lions of Michigan Service Foundation can benefit people in need in our district. Whether it is grants for home fire victims, Kid's Sight opportunities to screen youngsters or collecting used eyeglasses this Lion is a service champion, and very good communicator by letting us all know about service opportunities we should be involved in.

The recipient of the Louis Braille Award is IPDG Jim Patterson from the Fremont Lions Club who has gone above and beyond expectations, living out our Lions' mission to serve.

## Convention Service Projects

Lions successfully completed two service projects at the District 11E1 convention April 25-26. On Friday evening many gathered to make toys for pets using old t-shirts, colorful socks, corks and feathers! Strips cut from shirts were braided together into long ropes for dogs. Socks were stuffed, cut and turned into octopuses, some with catnip added! Larger pieces of fabric from shirts were wrapped and tied around empty water bottles to make noisy chew toys. And feathers were poked into holes in corks and glued in for fun cat toys. The toys were divided between seven gift bags, which Lions offered to deliver to animal shelters around our district.

On Saturday, Lions once again came together to fill kids backpacks with items donated by district Lions. Our Clubs and individual members generously brought so many they didn't all fit in the backpacks donated by Mt Pleasant Lions! Luckily Luther Lions sent small bags that held the rest! Some donated items were meant *to help kids with cancer* be more comfortable – soft socks, hats and scarves, lip balm, lotion, and other things were to entertain and provide some fun at camp this summer. We had books, coloring and activity books, crayons, stress toys, friendship bracelets, Beanie Babies, stickers, suckers, etc.

Thank you to all Lions and Clubs that helped us be able to give 30 bags to kids with cancer! At the convention luncheon these bags were presented to Lisa Keck Kujawa founder of Golden Key Camp. The camp is on hold as Lisa looks for a new site, but all the kids on her waiting list are headed to Camp Quality this summer.







## Elections

At the District Convention the Nominations and Elections Committee consisting of Dave Hamelund, Big Rapids Lions Club, PDG Pam Schroeder, Onkama Lions Club and myself, Steve Adsmond, Fremont Lions Club counted ballots for the election of Lions of Michigan Foundation Trustee candidate PDG Jackie Glazier. She won by a landslide.

Unfortunately, there were no candidates for District Governor, 1st Vice District Governor, and 2nd Vice District Governor.

The procedure for filling these positions now falls to District 11-E1's past District Governors, Past Council Chairs, and District Governor Tom MacNaughton. This group will be convened by Immediate Past District Governor Jim Patterson, Fremont Lions Club.

Stay Tuned and read your newsletter for updates on our District 11-E1 Leadership Team.



## **Make a Lasting Impact**

### **Supporting the Lions of Michigan Service Foundation Today and Tomorrow**

As Lions, we live by the motto “We Serve.” Every eyeglass collected, every child screened, every community supported is a testament to our dedication to changing lives for the better. But is there another powerful way to ensure your service continues to make an impact far into the future?

The Lions of Michigan Service Foundation exists to support the humanitarian work of Lions across Michigan. The Foundation is the only one that clubs in Michigan can apply to directly to help the needy.

Through your club’s generous donations, the foundation provides vital resources for sight and hearing programs, medical assistance, disaster relief, youth services, and more.

But to keep that mission strong and thriving, we need the continued support of individuals Lions like you.

### **Consider a Gift that Lasts: Planned Giving**

One of the most meaningful ways you can support the Foundation is through planned giving—a gift made through your will or estate plan. Including the Lions of Michigan Service Foundation in your will is a powerful way to create a legacy of service. Whether it’s a specific dollar amount, a percentage of your estate, or a life insurance policy, your gift will help future generations of Lions continue to serve those in need.

Planned giving is not only impactful, it’s simple. And it allows you to provide for your loved ones while also supporting the causes you care about most. If you’ve already included the Foundation in your estate plans, we thank you and encourage you to let us know so we can recognize your generosity.

### **Help Us Serve Today: Make a Cash Donation**

While planned giving secures our future, individual cash donations help us serve today. Every dollar given supports critical services throughout Michigan—vision and hearing screenings, medical care assistance, and emergency support for those in crisis.

Your donation, no matter the size, goes directly to work—changing lives and strengthening communities. And because the Lions of Michigan Service Foundation is a 501(c)(3), your gift is tax-deductible to the extent allowed by law. In addition, you can earn a Lautzenheiser Fellowship, Helen Keller Fellowship or a Noel Fellowship for yourself or to recognize some other deserving Lion.

## How to Give

**Planned Giving:** To learn more about how to include the Foundation in your will or estate plans, visit our website at <https://www.lmsf.net/index.php/donate> or call Executive Director Lion Chad McCann at (517) 887-6640.

**Cash Donations:** This can be a one-time donation or a reoccurring gift. Give online at <https://www.lmsf.net/index.php/donate> or mail a check payable to the Lions of Michigan Service Foundation to 5730 Executive Drive, Lansing, Michigan 48911.

Or scan the QR code to donate.



DONATE

## Together, We Build a Stronger Tomorrow

When you give to the Lions of Michigan Service Foundation, you're not just making a donation – you're making a difference. You're ensuring that the spirit of service that caused you to become a Lion lives on, today and for generations to come.

Let's continue to serve—together.

## **Summary of the 3rd Quarter Board of Trustees Meeting Lions of Michigan Service Foundation**

### **Raffle Ticket Sales**

As of May 3, total sales state-wide equals about \$111,000.00, which is down from last year at this point.

The ticket seller's drawing was held. Wells Lions Club won the 1<sup>st</sup> prize (\$1,000), Dennis Emery of Ravenna won the 2<sup>nd</sup> prize (\$500), Troop 77 BSA of DeWitt won the 3<sup>rd</sup> prize (\$250) and the Bark River Lions won the 4<sup>th</sup> prize (\$100). Keep selling those tickets – drawing isn't until May 17.

### **Club Donations to the Foundation**

As of the end of the third quarter, clubs in the state have donated \$125,287.29.

In 11-E1, 23 clubs have donated a total of \$14,970. This is up from last year when our district donated \$12,171 for the entire year. This year's donations account for nearly 12% of the total club donations. This is great news!

### **Grants and Assistance**

As of the end of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter, the foundation has awarded \$97,362.09 in grants and assistance state-wide. In addition, every district has received at least one grant for hearing aids and eyeglass assistance.

In 2023-24 clubs in our district received a total of \$20,254 in grants and assistance. So far this fiscal year, the district has received \$6,995 in direct grants and assistance, 10 hearing aid grants, 7 eyeglass grants.

### **Emergency Assistance Grants Changes**

At this quarterly meeting, the Board of Directors approved the following changes to the wording of the grant categories. These changes become effective July 1, 2025.

#### Emergency Disaster Relief Grant

The Grants and Assistance Committee may award an Emergency Disaster Relief Grant, not exceeding \$1,000, to a Lions Club or Lions District for a property loss incident involving a single family. All grants for single-family incidents must be matched with a contribution from the Lions Club or Lions District equaling, at least, 10% of the grant award from the foundation.

The Grants and Assistance Committee may award an Emergency Disaster Relief Grant of \$1,000 per family, up to a maximum of \$5,000, to a Lions District for a property loss incident involving multiple families.

A Lions Club or Lions District may apply for an Emergency Disaster Relief Grant by making an application to the Lions of Michigan Service Foundation. The required application will be based on the number of families affected by the incident.

Within 30 days of receipt of the emergency funds, the applicant Lions Club or District shall make a report detailing how grant funds were expended. Any portion of the grant that is not utilized for the purpose(s) outlined in the application must be returned in a timely manner.

#### [Emergency Individual Assistance Grant – Medical Procedures/Equipment](#)

A sponsoring Lions Club or Lions District (with the authorization of a Foundation Trustee) or a Foundation Trustee on behalf of his/her District may apply for emergency assistance for an individual with a diagnosed medical need. Application will be reviewed by the Grants & Assistance Committee and may be approved for up to \$2,000 within budget limitations. Assistance applications will be prioritized based on the current medical and financial need of the applicant, and applications for procedures or equipment to correct or improve vision or hearing loss will receive funding priority.

#### [Emergency Individual Assistance Program – Military Family and Veteran's Relief](#)

A sponsoring Lions Club or Lions District (with the authorization of a Foundation Trustee) or a Foundation Trustee on behalf of his/her District may apply for emergency assistance for a current military member, military veteran or his/her surviving spouse with an emergency financial need. Applications will be reviewed by the Grants & Assistance Committee and may be approved for up to \$2,000 within **budget limitations.**

#### **[Lion Robert Mathog Hearing Scholarships](#)**

Only three applicants for the four annual \$1,000.00 scholarships: Anna Baker of Lewiston, Rachel Chomas of Okemos, and McKenzie Kallin of Davison

#### **[Kidsight Screenings](#)**

At the end of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter, there have been a total of 30,659 children screened with 3,376 referrals state-wide.

In our district, 10 clubs in 11-E1 have screened 621 children with 46 referrals. Midland Lions accounted for one-third of the total.

Overall, the foundation is in good shape and working towards finishing up another great year.





**LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL  
PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS FOR UNITED STATES CLUBS**

**I. Online Payment Options**

Club Treasurers can visit the **Lion Portal** on the Lions International website. After logging onto the **Lion Portal**, choose **My Club**, **Club Statements** and select either 'Pay with PayPal' or 'Pay Now.'

**II. CHECK PAYMENTS, VIA MAIL:**

You may pay the balance of your account with a US dollar draft drawn on a United States bank or branch. Please mail your check directly to the Association's Lockbox:

**THE INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF LIONS CLUBS  
35842 EAGLE WAY  
CHICAGO, IL 60678-1358**

Please allow a sufficient amount of time for the check to be received and processed to your account. Please include the top portion of your statement with your check or write the complete club name and club number on the front of your check. If we cannot identify a payment, there will be a delay in posting the payment to the correct account.

NOTE: Please do not mail your checks to Oak Brook.

**III. Please contact the Accounts Receivable & Club Account Services Department with any questions.**

E-mail: [accountsreceivable@lionsclubs.org](mailto:accountsreceivable@lionsclubs.org)

Phone: 1-630-203-3810

Fax: 1-630-571-1683

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

**IV. Correspondence only** should be sent to the address below:

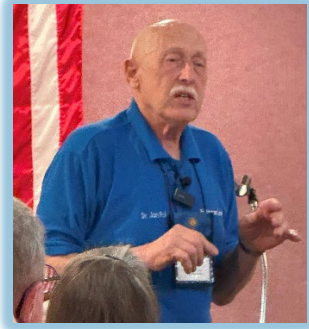
Lions Club International  
300 W. 22<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Oak Brook, IL 60523

**\*\*Please note: Donations by check** intended for **Lions Clubs International Foundation** should be mailed to: Lions Clubs International Foundation, Department 4547, Carol Stream, IL 60122-4547 USA.

For LCIF donation options please visit [lionsclub.s.org/wavstogive](http://lionsclub.s.org/wavstogive) or make an online donation at [lionsclubs.org/donate](http://lionsclubs.org/donate)

**Lions Club International (LCI) will no longer send out statements as of July 15, 2025. Club Officers (Presidents, Secretaries and Treasurers) will have access to statements through their Lions Portal moving forward.**

## Scenes from Convention









## Youth Camps & Exchange (YCE) SUMMER PROGRAM 2025



### Dates to Remember:

Application deadlines:

Outgoing participants: **March 30, 2025**

Host Family: **June 30, 2025**

Incoming Youth Exchange participants:

Arrival date: **July 26, 2025**

Departure date: **August 16, 2025**

D-Bar-A Scout Ranch

Camp dates: **August 3-9, 2025**



## Become a Host Family

### Bring a new culture into your home!

Multiple District 11 is looking for families in the community who can open their hearts and homes for the month of summer 2025 to host a Youth Exchange Ambassador. These young adults are part of Lions International Youth Camps & Exchange program, bringing young adults from various parts of the world to the United States during the summer program July 26 – August 16, 2025.

Host families need not be Lion members, nor must they have children at home. You would be responsible for their room and board. Visiting young adults comes with spending money, and additional activities will be at your discretion.

If you are interested in becoming a Host Family, please contact:

Your District chair or State Chair Lion Elvie Marfil at 818-800-1060, email [epmarfil5@gmail.com](mailto:epmarfil5@gmail.com).

Facebook page: Youth Camps & Exchange - Michigan, USA

Link: [Lions of Michigan Youth Camps & Exchange](https://lionsofmi.com/index.php/youth-exchange) (<https://lionsofmi.com/index.php/youth-exchange>)

## Your help is needed!

## Club Chronicles

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### Coleman



Like most clubs in District 11E-1 Coleman Lions Club does an annual White Cane collection of money to be used for local and statewide vision programs. I am always amazed how many people recognize our brand and are willing to donate without question. It is impossible to predict who will donate. I collect at a gas station, some people with fancy high priced vehicles will not put in a dime, while others in cars or trucks held together with duct tape and bailing wire give generously. I am particularly touched by parents who give their children money to put in the collection can, teaching them a valuable lesson in the importance of giving. The contact with, and support of the members of our community is a real shot in the arm. The Lions in our club who do the collections are energized by the experience. *Al Roeseler - President of the Coleman Lions Club*

Coleman Lions is a long-time team supporter and sponsor of Coleman Youth Athletic Association summer baseball and softball. We became interested in helping CYAA improve their indoor practice facility more than a year ago when a few Lions visited the pole barn style building for a tour. We were shown the south wall which had a gap along the bottom, originally meant to drain melting ice since it was built to be an ice-skating rink. The openings were covered by astroturf and weren't readily visible, but cold air was still able to get in, not to mention insects and mice! It was decided then to write a grant to LCIF to seal the bottom of the south wall.

When Coleman Lions received word that the grant money was approved, project manager Lion Chuck Dinsmore called a meeting to plan the project, including making a list of materials to purchase. From there everything went very quickly. April 7<sup>th</sup> was construction day. Using 2x12 boards, foam insulation, Liquid Nails and pea stones to help seal the outside wall, the project was done!



Enough scrap materials were left to do patching and sealing on the north wall on a second workday five days later. Over the span of 10 days nine Coleman Lions and two friends put in a total of 84 hours to complete the project!



## Empire

At the recent District Convention in Clare, the Empire Lions Club was recognized for their work in researching unmarked graves at the local cemetery and providing markers for over 100 graves. The club was presented with the Kindness Matters Service Award in recognition of their tremendous contribution to their community. Tom Haiderer and Dianne Hammersmith accepted the award from Ann Roeseler on behalf of the Empire Lions.



## Luther

Luther Lions hosted a Mother's Day Pancake Breakfast and Feeding America Food Truck in early May. All Lions are invited to join them for their monthly Bingo night on May 17<sup>th</sup> and for their Memorial Day Weekend Parade on the 24<sup>th</sup> of May.



Have some club news to share of your own? Want to showcase some of your club's achievements? Send your club news and photos to District 11E1 Newsletter Editor, Paula Rigling, Arcadia Lions at [District11E1Newsletter@gmail.com](mailto:District11E1Newsletter@gmail.com).

**Please send your articles by the 7<sup>th</sup> of each month.**



# Greenville Lions Club

## Kreitner Memorial Golf Classic

"In memory of Lions passed"



**Title Sponsor:**



**DATE:** June 14th, 2025  
**TIME:** Registration at 8:00 am. Shotgun start at 9:00 am.  
**PLACE:** Candlestone Golf & Resort  
8100 Storey Road  
Belding, MI 498309

**ENTRY FEE:** \$75 per golfer (\$300 per team)

**Entry Fee Includes:**

Green Fees - 18 Holes  
Cart  
Catered Lunch  
Each Player will receive a "Goodie Bag"

**Contests:**

Hole-in-one  
Longest Drive  
Closest to the pin  
Longest putt  
& many more.....

**Format:**

Tournament will be played in 4-person scramble format.  
Individuals are encouraged to sign-up and will be placed  
on a team.



**Premier Sponsors:**



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Funeral Home, Inc.



Please return the bottom section with your team entry fee.

**ENTRY FORM:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please make check payable to "Greenville Lions Club"  
Send entry form and payment to: PO Box 721 Greenville, MI. 48838 For  
more information, call 616.255.5031



**Calling all District #11E1 Lions!**

Come show your Lions Spirit  
with

**Cedar-Maple City Lions Club**

We'd like you to join us on

August 23, 2025

for the

**Cedar Polka Festival Parade**

and

**Afterglow Lions Club Celebration**

**Details:**

Line up at 11:15am Parade starts at 12noon

Line up location Solon Township Hall 9191 S Kasson St; Cedar, Mi 49621

Short ride or walk in Parade to our Cedar Firehouse

to meet and greet our neighboring **Lions in #11E1**

Food and Games at Firehouse

Then, if you wish,

**Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore** and beach right down the road  
If you've never seen it, it's just a stone throw down the road and well worth it.

Please let us know if you can come join us.

*Looking for a Lions Club member that plays accordion*

All Lions welcome!

Thank you,

**Heather Dourron**

**248-644-1963**

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