



LINEBORO-MANCHESTER LIONS CLUB

February 2010

“District 22W Lions - Always Doing the Right Thing- Leading Through Service”

Thinking of You!

Lion Patsy Howard had a recent fall that required stitches. She is recovering at home and is doing well. Lion Andy & Margaret DeMario, Sr.'s one year old great-grandson is in Johns Hopkins hospital with heart problems that will require surgery. Lion Steve Swam will be undergoing surgery for a pinched nerve in his neck. Lion Anna Welsh had successful surgery where they removed several lymph nodes for biopsy. Please keep Lions Anna and Carl in your prayers while Anna undergoes treatment. Mrs. Julia Wagner is in rehab in Long View Nursing Home room 208. Her son Elwin says she is improving and would like visits. Please keep all our Lions and their family and friends who are ill in your prayers. We wish all a quick return to good health.

Club Calendar of Events!

February 3 Regular Meeting at NCSC - Brigitte Miller "Halley's Wish"
February 10 Board Meeting at NCSC – 7:00 PM
February 17 Dinner Meeting at Lineboro VFD - Jen Burdette "Carroll County Cancer Programs"
March 3 Regular Meeting at NCSC – Tammy Black "Access Carroll" – 7:00 PM
March 10 Board Meeting at NCSC – 7:00 PM
March 17 St. Patrick's Day Buffet Dinner Meeting at Lineboro VFD – 7:00 PM
March 27 Club's Annual Bull & Oyster Roast at Manchester Fireman's Activity Building

The Pres Says.....

When we go about our work as Lion's we sometimes need a little inspiration to keep us going. When we need a boost in the inspiration department I would suggest that we take a lesson from some of our fellow Lion's and their families that are "walking the walk." We have all seen the news lately on the great achievements of Catlin on the basketball court. That kind of drive and inspiration comes from a lot more than athletic ability, it comes from an environment of hard work and dedication that is set for her by her entire family. It seems like when there is hard work to be done in our club, one of them is always there. The same thing holds true for our current group of Melvin Jones award winners, many of our long-time dedicated Lions and our members that have a passion for at least one of our projects. Where would we be without the leadership and dedication of them all? It is about time to start getting the pool ready, nominate new officers, help those in need, award our scholarships, have a huge Bull & Oyster Roast and put together a successful White Cane Days drive. This is going to take a lot of hard work and dedication from us all. As we face this work ahead let's all remember that we have members and their families who are tireless in their dedication and we need to look to them as our inspiration to make this a great year. ***President Charlie***

“Tough times never last, but tough people do.” ~Robert H. Schuller, American minister
Did you know.....

Lions Fran and Joe’s daughter Caitlin was feathered on Fox’s Sports Unlimited as Prep Player of the Week. To view the segment go to www.foxbaltimore.com and click ‘Sports’ and then ‘Prep Player’ and then click on 1/26/10. A great interview! Congratulations Caitlin!

President Charlie presented a ***President’s Membership Excellence Award*** from Lions International to IPP Larry Burbank for his recruiting efforts while President of the club. Congratulations to Lion Larry.

The Election Committee reports that the following members have stepped up to be officers for the **2010-2011** Lions Club Year:

President – Fran Bach
1st Vice President – Joe Bach
2nd Vice President – Larry Burbank
Secretary – Christy Pope
Treasurer – Andy DeMario
Lion Tamer – George Riley
Tail Twister – Open
Director – 1 Year – Bill Fisher
Director - 1 Year – Chuck Miller
Director – 2 Year – Steve Swam
Director – 2 Year – Cindy Mullikin
Membership – Carl Welsh
Newsletter Editor – Carol Hoover
Immediate Past President – Charlie Evans

WHAT’S BEEN HAPPENING

There were 11 members present at the **January 6th** meeting held at the North Carroll Senior Center in Greenmount. Ms. Lauren Hickey, Community Relations Officer with ‘Right at Home’ in home care and assistance made an excellent presentation. She discussed several services they provide to help keep seniors at home to live independently, live securely and to live joyfully. They provide many Companionship and Personal Care Services. They can run errands, do laundry, prepare meals, medication reminders, etc. They are available 24 hours a day. Their strategy is to get to know each client and create a specialized care plan based on individual needs. They have offices in Frederick and Westminster and can be reached at (410) 871-9804.

Lion Carol mentioned that our club Peace Poster winners are on display at the North Carroll Public Library.

President Charlie appointed a nominating committee for the 2010-2011 club slate of officers. IPP Lion Larry will chair the committee along with Past Presidents Cindy and Carol. If you would like to hold an office next year, please contact one of the committee members.

Lion Steve mentioned that there has been a request to provide a stair covering at the NESAP building in Hampstead. After some discussion, Lion Andy made a motion that the club donate up to \$500 for materials if necessary. With a second from Lion Steve the motion was passed.

Lion Steve mentioned that Lion Joe Bach and Mr. Cloyd Leedy met to go over what needs to be done for the NESAP Project. Lion Brian said he would also help with the project. Lion Cindy mentioned that the scholarship information has been delivered to NCHS. The club will sponsor two club scholarships and the Catherine Mullikin Memorial scholarship again this year. The club's two scholarships will transfer to the new MVHS next year when they have their first graduating class.

Lion Chuck passed around a plaque from the Kirkridge Church Boy Scout unit thanking us for our donations to them over the last few years. Lion Larry said he would hang it at the pool for all to see.

From the January Board Meeting.....

There were 8 Board Members present at the *January 13th* meeting held at the North Carroll Senior and Community Center in Greenmount.

The Freedom District Lions Club has asked our club members to participate in a raffle for Lion Allen Cobb who has an inoperable brain tumor. Lion Andy suggested, and Lion Larry made a motion that the club purchases 10 tickets at \$5 each and if the club wins have a raffle for just club members. Top prize is a \$1,000 VISA Gift Card. After a second by Lion Chuck the motion was approved.

Lion Larry reported that he has installed an Indoor/Outdoor Thermometer in the chemical room basement at the pool to better keep track of the temperature. He also mentioned that Lion Don has installed insulation over the basement door which should help to keep the room warm.

Lion Carol reported that the club had no entries for the American Heritage Essay Contest this year. Lion Carol recommended that the club consider an adult category as suggested by LCI for next year. The board members present all agreed.

Lion Christy mentioned that the committee co-chairs for holding a fund raiser with the Manchester VFD will be herself and Lion Micki. Anyone with suggestions or who would like to help should see Lions Christy or Micki.

Lion Chuck recommended that the club purchase two new lightweight wheelchairs. A motion was made by Lion Andy, with a second by Lion Carol that Lion Chuck purchase two new wheelchairs.

Lion Steve made a motion that the club donates \$25 to MCC-Special Olympics Maryland to help sponsor Lion Joe and his daughter Caitlin in the Polar Bear Plunge. There was a second by Lion Chuck and the motion was approved.

Lion Andy made a motion that the club donates \$50 to the Hailey's Wish Foundation when Mrs. Brigitte Miller makes her presentation at the February 3rd meeting. There was a second by Lion Christy and the motion was approved.

Energy: Element of vitality kids always have in excess until asked to do something by their parents.

The *January 20th* meeting was held at the Lineboro Fireman's Hall in Lineboro. There were 17 club members present. There was an excellent presentation by Lion George Butler who discussed his personal battle with Diabetes and how the Lions provide education and funds to combat the disease. Lion George is a Past District Diabetes Chairman and he and his daughter both are Type I diabetics.

Type I, also known as Juvenile Diabetes, is a life-long commitment. Daily doses of insulin and testing are the norm. Type II diabetes usually strikes at middle age and can usually be controlled with medication, exercise and diet. Diabetes is the 7th leading cause of death. Lion George asked that Lions support the District Kiss-A-Pig Contest and also Camp Merrick – both are important to the district and to our communities. Lion George offered to test the blood sugar of several members and explained his insulin pump and sensor. He asked everyone to please educate yourself and call him if you have questions or concerns.

Lion Cindy said she will be picking up the Scholarship forms at NCHS in the near future for the committee to make their selections. Lion Cindy also made a motion that the Catherine Mullikin Memorial Scholarship be raised to \$1,500 - \$1000 from the club and \$500 from Catherine's Cause. After a second by Lion Ron, the motion was passed.

Lion Larry mentioned that the Manchester Activities Building has been reserved for March 27th and that Willow Tree Press will be printing and donating the tickets.

Lion George reported that he took the aluminum cans for recycling and received \$48 for them. He also has 227 pairs of eye glasses that will be turned in at the District Meeting.

All Visitation slips must be turned in to Lion Chair Andy DeMario as they are completed.

President Charlie's club goals for 2009-2010:

1. Build our club with new members.
2. Increase community awareness of our club and its mission.
3. To search for solutions to ease the work in opening the pool every year.
4. To allow our members more opportunities to exercise their time and talents without feeling overwhelmed or under appreciated.
5. Run efficient and meaningful meetings
6. To make myself a better Lion

WHAT'S NEXT



Lion Larry reminds everyone that we will have Brigitte Miller from "Halley's Wish Foundation" as the guest speaker at the **February 3rd** meeting at the North Carroll Senior Center. She will be discussing what the foundation does and how we can help.

The next Board Meeting will be held **February 10th** at the North Carroll Senior Center.

The next Dinner Meeting will be held **February 17th** at the Lineboro VFD where Ms. Jen Burdette will be discussing Carroll County Cancer Programs and the many free programs and services they offer here in Carroll County for cancer patients and their caregivers.

REMINDERS

Zone Chairman, Lion Steve would like to remind everyone that the next Region IV Zone II meeting will be held on **February 9th** and will be hosted by the Hampstead Lions Club starting at 6:59 PM.

Volunteering not only helps others, it can be good for your health too. Research shows that “volunteer therapy” can improve your mood, strengthen your body, and lessen stress. And this works even for people who are themselves coping with a serious illness.

We have enough youth. How about a Fountain of “Smart”?



Happy Birthday!

02 Groundhog Day
14 Stan “Don” Pennington
12 Abraham Lincoln
22 George Washington
(Pretty good company, Don!)



*I'm getting so old that all my friends in heaven will think
I didn't make it*

A little Humor!

Joe and Sam went to a diner that looked like it had seen better days. As they slid into the booth, Sam wiped some crumbs off the seat, then took a napkin and wiped off ketchup stains on the table.

The waitress came over and asked them if they wanted to see menus.

“No, thanks,” said Joe. “I’ll just have a cup of black coffee.”

“I’ll have the same,” said Sam. “And can you please make sure the cup is clean?”

The waitress shot him a nasty look. And then she turned and marched off into the kitchen. Two minutes later, she was back with their order. "Two cups of coffee," she announced sternly. "Which of you wanted the clean cup?"

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A guy stuck his head into a barbershop and asked, "How long before I can get a Haircut?" The barber looked around the shop full of customers and said, "About 2 hours." The guy left.

A few days later, the same guy stuck his head in the door and asked, "How long before I can a haircut?"

The barber looked around the shop and said, "About 3 hours." The guy left.

A week later, the same guy stuck his head in the shop and asked, "How long before I can get a haircut?"

The barber looked around the shop and said, "About an hour and a half." The guy left.

The barber turned to his friend and asked him to do a favor. "Follow that guy and see where he goes. He keeps asking how long he has to wait for a haircut, but then he doesn't ever come back."

A little later, the friend returns to the shop, laughing hysterically.

The barber asked, "So, where does the guy go when he leaves?"

The friend looked up, wiping the tears from his eyes, and said, "Your house."



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I Love You

Spanish
Te Amo

French
Je T'aime

German
Ich Liebe Dich

Japanese
Ai Shite Imasu

Thai
Phom rak khun

Italian
Ti amo

Chinese
Wo Ai Ni

Swedish
Jag Alskar

Alabama
Arkansas
Kansas
Oklahoma
Texas
North Carolina
South Carolina
Georgia
Tennessee
Idaho
Missouri
Mississippi
Montana
Louisiana
Virginia
West Virginia

**Kentucky
parts of Florida**

Nice Butt , Get in the truck!

For the Good of Lionism!

LCIF is working non-stop with Lions of that area to support "**Lions Hope for Haiti.**"

Lions Hope for Haiti has mobilized more than US\$650,000, to date. Lions around the world are responding generously and quickly to the LCIF designated fund for this disaster. Donations are continuing to pour in from individuals, clubs and districts, and I thank all of you who have already pledged your support. Like other previous disasters, LCIF is not only committed to meeting the immediate needs of the people, but will be working through the Lions in the region to provide relief for years to come. After other relief organizations have moved out of the area, Lions will still be on the ground, overseeing long-term reconstruction projects. Similar to previous disasters, Lions will be discussing the possibility of rebuilding homes and hospitals, redeveloping the eye care delivery system, providing human resource support, and assisting the disabled, including those disabled as a result of this disaster. If you haven't already done so, I ask you to consider [making a donation to LCIF](#) to support this disaster. You can donate in confidence to LCIF, as 100 percent of every donation will go directly to Haiti relief, as administrative costs are paid by interest earned on investments. LCIF just recently received a four-star rating from Charity Navigator, the highest rating possible from the independent charity evaluator. In 2007 LCIF was named the #1 non-governmental organization with which to partner, a title our Foundation still holds today.

The needs are great, but we can make a positive impact on the people of Haiti for years to come. Together We Serve, Al Brandel, Chairperson, Lions Clubs International Foundation

For the most up-to-date information about LCIF's ongoing relief efforts in Haiti,
please visit www.lcif.org.

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DG Robert would like each Region to hold an auction of items at their Leader Dog Banquet to raise additional funds for Leader Dog. Please ask each of your clubs to furnish at least one item (it doesn't have to be LION related) for this auction. Please notify 1st VDG Richard Liebno of the items that will be brought to the banquet so that room is available to display them.

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PCC Clare Newcomer is campaigning for International Director and asked District 22W for 100% support at the MD 22 Convention and also requested support at the International Convention. This year's Convention will be held in the "Land Down Under" - **Sydney, Australia. The dates are Monday, June 28 to Friday, July 2, 2010.**

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The Terra Rubra Lions Club will be holding a Shrimp and Ham Dinner fund raising event for PCC Clare's campaign on **March 20, 2010.**

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Any member of a Club in the District seeking the Office of Second Vice District Governor shall file his or her intention to run, in writing, with the Nominating Committee at least thirty

days prior to the day of its report to the Convention. Please submit all Nominations and Resolutions to me, PDG Roger Moore, Nominations Committee Chairman, 20775 Beaver Creek Road, Boonsboro, MD 21713.



Happy Valentine's Day!



- February 9** Region IV Zone II Meeting hosted by the Hampstead Lions Club
- February** Greater Charles 5th Charter Night
- February 19-21** Multiple District 22 Leadership Training – Emmitsburg, MD
- February 22** Zone I Meeting – Harney Lions – annual oyster & turkey dinner
- February 27** New member Orientation at Yellow Springs Lions Building
- February 27** Westminster Club's Steamed Shrimp and Chicken Feed
- March 6** New member Orientation at Mt. Airy Lions Club
- March 13** Silver Run-Union Mills Club's Scholarship Basket Bingo
- March 21** Freedom District Lioness's 3rd Annual Chocolate-fest
- March 22** Taylorsville-Winfield Lions Club's 56th Charter Night
- April 11** 4th District 22-W Cabinet Meeting – New Windsor VFD
- April 22** Region IV Leader Dog Banquet – Deer Park Lions Club
- May 18-22** MD 22 Convention - Delaware
- June 28-July 2** Lions International Convention - Sydney, Australia
- September 23-25** USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum 2010 Milwaukee, Wisconsin:

Lineboro-Manchester 2009-2010 Committees.....

American Heritage Essay Contest – **Carol Hoover**, Chuck Miller, Steve Swam
Birthday Calendars – **Andy DeMario**
Brooms- **George Riley**
Cans for the Community- **George Riley**, Larry Burbank, Steve Swam
Catherine A. Mullikin Walk/Run – **Joe Bach**, Cindy Mullikin, Fran Bach
Charter Night- **Andy & Margaret DeMario**, Cindy Mullikin, Larry Burbank
Christmas Baskets/Flowers- **Chuck Miller**
Christmas Party – **Fran Bach, Cindy Mullikin**, Larry Burbank, Andy DeMario
Citizenship Service Award – **Steve Swam**, Christy Pope, Joe Bach
Club Picnic- **Andy DeMario**, George Riley, Carl Welsh
Communications & Publicity- **Christy Pope**, Carol Hoover, Larry Burbank
Constitution & By Laws- **Carl & Anna Welsh**
Conventions- **Andy DeMario**, Carl Welsh, George Riley
Crab Feast- **Joe & Fran Bach, Larry Burbank**, Andy DeMario
Delaware Car Raffle- **Micki Baylor, Larry Burbank**, Chuck Miller
Diabetes Awareness- **Carl Welsh**, Brian Dick
Dinner Arrangements- **Andy & Margaret DeMario**, Larry Burbank
Disaster Response Coordinator – **Larry Burbank**
Eye Glass Collections- **George Riley**, Andy DeMario
Eye Screening-**Larry Burbank**, Chuck Miller
Yard Sale - **Larry Burbank**, George Riley, Chuck Miller, Steve Swam
Finance Committee- **Wayne Miller**, Andy DeMario, Steve Swam
Fundraiser Study Committee- **Andy DeMario**
Flowers & Fruit Baskets- **Chuck Miller**
Health & Welfare- **Anna Welsh, Margaret DeMario**
Hospital Equipment – Chuck Miller, Andy DeMario, George Riley, Steve Swam
Lions Saving Kids Sight – **Mark Terry**, Larry Burbank
Manchester Carnival Table-**Chuck Miller**, Larry Burbank, Andy DeMario
Manchester Day – **George Riley, Andy DeMario**
Manchester School Story Night-Milk & Cookies-**George Riley**, Chuck Miller, Larry Burbank
Manchester Firemen’s Parade-**Larry Burbank**, George Riley, Chuck Miller, Wayne Miller
Meeting Program/Speakers- **Larry Burbank**
Membership – **Cindy Mullikin**, Andy DeMario
Mt. Airy Carnival Hi-Striker- **George Riley**, Don Pennington, Steve Swam
Needy Families- **Joe & Fran Bach, Chuck Miller**
Oyster & Bull Roast -**Larry Burbank**, Andy DeMario, Joe Bach
Peace Poster Contest- **Carol Hoover**, Chuck Miller, Carl Welsh, Anna Welsh
Policy & Procedure Manual Committee-**Carol Hoover**, Steve Swam, Andy DeMario
Renaissance Festival-**Steve Swam**, Joe Bach
Retention & Leadership Development – **Andy DeMario**
Scholarships-**Cindy Mullikin**, Chuck Miller, Wayne Miller, Steve Swam, Fran Bach
Steering Committee- **Larry Burbank**, Joe Bach, Andy DeMario, Carl Welsh, Paul Pope, George Riley
Swimming Pool-**Joe & Fran Bach**, Larry Burbank, Cindy Mullikin, Wayne Miller, Christy Pope,
Paul Pope, Don Pennington, Steve Swam, Carl Welsh, Bill Fisher
Swim Team Liaison- **Nancy Perry, Richard Perry**, Mark Terry
Technology - **Scott Stone**, Carol Hoover, Andy DeMario, Carl Welsh
Visitations – **Andy DeMario**, Steve Swam
W.Va. Project- **Carol Hoover**, Andy DeMario
White Cane-**Charlie Evans**, Larry Burbank, Chuck Miller

Lineboro-Manchester Lions Club Officers for 2009-2010

President	Charles Evans	<u>Club Meetings: 7:00 PM</u>
Immediate Past President	Lawrence Burbank	First Wednesday – North Carroll
1 st Vice President	Fran Bach	Community & Senior Center
2 nd Vice President	Lawrence Burbank	2328 Hanover Pike, Hampstead
Secretary	Stephen Swam	
Treasurer	Andrew DeMario, Sr.	Third Wednesday - Lineboro
Lion Tamer	George Riley	Volunteer Fire Dept. Hall
Tail Twister	Micki Baylor	Main Street, Lineboro
Director – 1 Year	Charles I. Miller	
Director – 1 Year	Joseph Bach	Chartered October 11, 1945
Director – 2 Year	Carol Hoover	
Director – 2 Year	Christy Pope	Lions Motto: “We Serve”
Membership Chairman	Cynthia Mullikin	

Home Club of Past District Governors
William V. Lauterbach, Jr. 1966 – 1967 (deceased)
Harry R. Lippy 1970 – 1971 (deceased)
Andrew J. DeMario, Sr. 1991 – 1992
Carl H. Welsh, Sr. 2003 - 2004

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