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TRAINING and MORE at the STATE CONVENTION

This year's State Convention will be packed with lots of Lions Training and interesting Seminars. The biggest change is that we will be holding the Club Officer Training at the State Convention this year, and not in various locations around the state.

Club Officer Training will be held on Saturday morning, May 17th. These session will be aimed at officers who are NEW to their office. (Others may attend if they so desire.)

1. Club CEO and VP Preparation (Presidents and VPs)
2. Club Scribe Preparation (NEW Secretaries)
3. Club Money People Preparation (NEW Treasurers)
4. Learn How to be the Baddest & Most Feared Club Member (Tail Twisters)
5. Club Keepers and Helpers Preparation (Lion Tamers and Directors)
6. Club Membership Committee Preparation

And of course we will have other sessions for those of you who will not be attending an officer training session

1. Round Table Discussion for all Members with the Visiting International Director
2. Learn More About Your State Projects and other MD wide Projects
3. How One Man's Vision Changed the World
4. Where's the Money AND a Crash Course in Protocol
5. Discover Your Real Club and Make it Work in Your Community
6. Turning Conflict into Opportunity
7. Don't Go Down with the Ship (5 Easy Steps to Membership Growth)
8. See SPOT Run, Run SPOT Run -an Introduction to the SPOT Instrument

And finally for the last session of the day "A NECESSARY EVIL" (the Soiled Doves of Our Past) by historian Bill Harrison.

The final session agenda will be published in the May Canyon State Lion. BUT don't wait until then to register for the convention. See the registration form in this April issue of the CSL. (Page 2)

LIONS SIGHT & HEARING FOUNDATION

As we approach the end of the third quarter of our fiscal year the Sight & Hearing Foundation has been very busy. The need for eye surgeries and hearing aids has been very heavy.

So far this year we have had 45 applications for eye surgeries. We had to decline 7, we have 4 approved waiting for doctor scheduling, and 34 completed. We have gotten great response from the doctors who perform these surgeries, with some doings without any charges. Without these wonderful physicians we would not be able to provide nearly as many surgeries as we are doing. Our staff, Med and Joan, are doing a great job coordinating both with our patients and the doctors.

The hearing aid portion of our mission is doing just as well. To date with have received 101 applications. We have 10 pending, 6 assigned, and 51 completed. The balance are cases that did not qualify for various reasons. Thanks to Zounds, who continue to be a tremendous partner, we are able to provide state of the art digital hearing aids at Zounds cost. Since the program started with Zounds, approximately 2 years ago, Zounds have provided over \$800,000 dollars (MSRP) worth of hearing aids to our clients. FANTASTIC. Also, remember that any time a Lion or a "Friend" of a Lion buys a hearing aid from Zounds they provide matching product to our foundation.

The third portion of our mission is recycling. The operation of our Lions Eyeglass Recycling Center (LERC) supports the eyeglass recycling function. We continue as a collection facility receiving close to 45,000 glasses to date. Almost half of the glasses received come from District 21 Lions. THANK YOU. We do the initial sorting and sent close to 23,000 glasses to ALERT for their effort as a distribution facility. Thanks to the great effort of our volunteers who do this sorting. The balance of the glasses were sent to a recycler in California for processing.

We are also doing hearing aid recycling. So far this year we have received almost 1100 hearing aids. These hearing aids are sorted and those that can't be used for refurbishment are utilized for parts. Thanks to Lion Edward Maznio and his staff for their efforts in directing this effort.

As you can tell by the above numbers we have been very busy this year. We continue to need your support in dollars, board members, volunteers, and recycling products. Come join us in support of our mission.

Thanks for all of your help and support this year.

Al Boeck

Board President



New Members – New Ideas!

This year's State Convention is being designed specifically to interest new Lions and Lions who have never been to State Convention. Recognizing that many Lions do not attend conventions because "they're for the 'big shots' and old-timers", your convention committee has put together programs with newer Lions in mind that still offer value to the "old heads".

FRIDAY AFTERNOON

All Lions are invited to the Council of Governors' meeting, held immediately after the Convention opening session. Friday evening will feature (back by popular demand) hors d'oeuvres and a social hour around the pool, with a special area for newer Lions to meet each other and share experiences.

The usual no-charge hospitality rooms will open about 7:00, with a special newer member hospitality room where you can become better acquainted with your district officers and learn their secrets.

SATURDAY

On Saturday, May 17, there will be 6 officer training classes for newly elected club officers (and Lions who'd like to learn more about what officers do before becoming one) that will be useful in making your clubs run more smoothly next year.

In addition, there will be 7 seminars with subjects from "New and Old Member Roundtable With the Visiting I D", to "Turning Conflict Into Opportunity" to "How One Man's Vision Changed the World", and more.

Capping the afternoon will be a light hearted look at a side of frontier Arizona life not well known, "A Necessary Evil". Plan on getting some insights into the lives of the "soiled doves" of our past.

At lunch Saturday, International Director Stacey Jones will bring his personal message to Arizona, as well as awarding Lions International Presidential and Leadership Awards to deserving Lions.

Saturday evening, the "Pirates of the Salt River" gather for dinner and entertainment provided by an Old Salt with a wicked sense of humor. Pirate costumery optional, but laughs and good times are not.

Hospitality rooms open again after dinner.

SUNDAY MORNING

Each district will hold an awards breakfast recognizing significant achievements in all three districts.

Then there will be voting for the Boards of Directors of all four state projects (Camp Tatiyee, Lions Sight & Hearing, Lions Foundation of Arizona and the Melvin Jones Memorial), and closing remarks from I D Stacey.

You'll be out before noon!

PCC Carl Johannesen,
Convention Chair



Arizona Lions Vision Center is Proud to Participate in Arizona Gives Day, 2014

Arizona Lions Vision Center is one of the nearly 1,000 nonprofit organizations who will be participating in Arizona Gives Day, an online fundraising initiative, scheduled to take place on Wednesday, April 9, 2014. Presented by FirstBank, Arizona Gives Day will bring together Arizonans from across the state to raise awareness and financial support for a variety of nonprofit organizations. Arizonans will be encouraged to help make a difference by investing in the nonprofit of their choice.

"We have the opportunity, with the help of all of you, our Arizona Lions, to reach out to thousands of Arizonans for financial support all in a single day," said Executive Director, Lion Jeannette Russell. "Simply go to our Arizona Lions Vision Center Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Arizona-Lions-Vision-Center/230332007159832> and like us to spread the word to all your family, friends, neighbors and acquaintances. Then ask each of them to do the same. We will do the rest to help all of Arizona become better acquainted with who we are and what we do. We will show them how they can help thousands of children succeed in school and adults continue to be productive contributing members for their families and communities."

This program is the second of its kind being sponsored by the Founding Partners, Alliance of Arizona Nonprofits and Arizona Grantmakers Forum. Supporting the effort with major media coverage is television stations, channels 3, 8, and 12, along with the additional outreach partners of The Arizona Republic and azcentral.com. Some of the other media supporters are clearchannel, Kiss FM, 99.9 KEZ, Fox 110 AM, 95.5, KNIX, and 550 KFYI.

"The inaugural event in 2013 was a big success and proved the commitment Arizonans have in supporting nonprofits throughout the state. We are excited to participate in the 2014 Arizona Gives Day which will help further showcase the important work we are doing towards proactive vision care in our communities," said Richard O. Brown, President of the Arizona Lions Vision Center Board.

Please help us all fulfill our motto "We Serve". From midnight on April 9 and continuing until 11:59 p.m., encourage supporters of the Arizona Lions Vision Center to go online to www.Azgives.org and select the Arizona Lions Vision Center to receive their charitable contribution. All online donations during this day will go directly to support vision care for the families of the working poor and destitute of our state.





**91st Annual Multiple District 21 Convention
MESA HILTON EAST
Mesa, Arizona
May 16, 17, & 18, 2014**



**REGISTRATION FORM
MUST BE REGISTERED TO ATTEND ALL EVENTS**

NAME: _____ SPOUSE: _____
(Use one form for each Lion) (Non Lion, if attending)

ADDRESS: _____ PHONE: _____
ZIP _____ New Lion/First-Time Attendee?

DISTRICT: (Circle ONE) 21A 21B 21C

CLUB: _____ OFFICE: _____

Registration Fee	(Before May 1st, 2014)	_____ @	\$ 30.00	\$ _____
Friday Evening Pool Side Entertainment		_____ @	No Chg	\$ _____
Saturday International Luncheon w/ID		_____ @	\$ 33.00	\$ _____
Saturday Evening Piratefest Dinner		_____ @	\$ 50.00	\$ _____
Sunday Awards Breakfast		_____ @	\$ 30.00	\$ _____

TOTAL \$ _____

Registration Fee	(After May 1st, 2014)	_____ @	\$ 35.00	\$ _____
Friday Evening Pool Side Entertainment		_____ @	No Chg	\$ _____
Saturday International Luncheon w/ID		_____ @	\$ 38.00	\$ _____
Saturday Evening Piratefest Dinner		_____ @	\$ 55.00	\$ _____
Sunday Awards Breakfast		_____ @	\$ 35.00	\$ _____

TOTAL \$ _____

DIETARY NEEDS: _____

Make checks PAYABLE to: MD21 Lions Conference

REMIT TO: PCC Carl Johannesen
1413 Leisure World
Mesa, AZ 85257
480-924-0737

TO RESERVE A HOSPITALITY ROOM (\$90.00 plus tax PER NIGHT)
CONTACT: PCC Carl Johannesen or e-mail: Lioncarljo@aol.com

FOR ROOM RESERVATIONS (\$80.00 Standard plus tax - \$90 Deluxe plus tax – rates guaranteed through April 30, 2014)
CALL: Mesa Hilton @ 480-833-5555 or 1-800-544-5866

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**MD21 Convention
May 16th – 18th 2014
Mesa Hilton Hotel
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Make Check Payable to: MD21 Lions Convention

Please Join Us For Our
 17th Annual
Arizona Lions Day
 At Chase Field

Benefitting Lions Camp Tatiyee

Arizona Diamondbacks vs. The Cincinnati Reds



Tickets are Only \$45 each!

Sunday, June 1, 2014

Game Starts at 1:10 PM

Gates Open at 11:30 AM



Seating is in Section 222 Diamond Level,

Featuring All-You-Can-Eat Hotdogs, Chips, Popcorn, Peanuts, & Soft Drinks!

This is an afternoon game so those from outside the valley can return home at a reasonable time

Help! We have 30 "Challenged Campers" who are in need of sponsors!

To order tickets or sponsor a camper please send your check to:

Lions Camp Tatiyee
 Lion Bob Roth, Treasurer
 19513 N 89th Dr.
 Peoria, AZ 85382

*Please make checks payable to Lions Camp Tatiyee
 Cut off date: May 23, 2014*



Annual Fund Raiser for the Arizona Lions Vision Center

All proceeds to help fund a
new Medical Eye Unit.

Sunday, April 6, 2014, 4:00
P.M. \$100.00 per person
or \$175.00 per couple.

Raffle will be held for 2
\$100.00 FOGO DE CHAO
gift cards

We look forward to dining
with you at FOGO DE
CHAO.

Seating limited. RSVP to
Lion Anita Johnson at
623 256-6309 or
anitalfa@cox.net

Make checks payable to:
Arizona Lions Vision Center



wishlist

LIONS CAMP TATIYEE WISH LIST 2014

Kitchen

- * New open flame grill
- * New griddle
- * Commercial tile for 10 by 10 (not white)
- * Tin tiles for backsplash

General

- * Steel bars
- * Pool
- * Automated vacuum

Laundry

- * Fitted sheets for twin mattresses
- * Shower curtains regular size/heavy duty

Recreation Supplies/sports equipment/pool toys

- * non-latex balls of all kinds/sizes
- * blow up pool toys and games

Arts and Crafts Supplies

- * colored paper/48 inch rolls of colored paper
- * glue by gallons
- * paint by gallons
- * Karaoke and Dance CD's
- * glow sticks or bracelets etc... for dances
- * DVD's and Video's
- * costumes
- * wigs

Tools

- * Air compressor-air hose reel
- * Battery charger
- * Random Orbital Sander
- * Hand held belt sander
- * Pry bars
- * Jigsaw
- * Nail gun
- * Paint brushes
- * Levels
- * Worm drive skilsaw
- * Corded sawzall

BIG SPONSOR WISHLIST

- * Tractor with harrow, front end loader,
and back hoe.
- * Floor buffer (Electric)
- * NEW Shuttle Bus with lift
- * Single wide or portable in good shape

VOLUNTEER WISHLIST

- * Someone with a tractor or backhoe
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Call Jessica at 928-358-2059

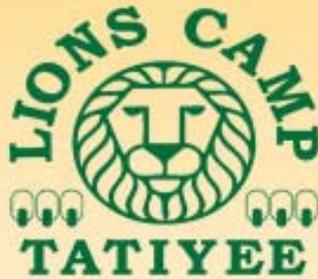
DONATION WISHLIST to AUCTION/RAFFLE

- Hotel/airline vouchers
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- Restaurant gift certificates
- Cultural Events/Passes

YOU'RE INVITED!

APRIL 12, 2014

4:00PM TO 8:00PM



JOIN US FOR:

- * Great BBQ
- * DJ & Dancing
- * Fun & Games
- * Silent Auction
- * Raffle for
CASH Prizes

Admission is just **\$20** for a family of up to four!

Lions: Bring a potential new member and get in for half price!

Join Your Friends From
Lions Camp Tatiyee
For A Fabulous
LUAU & DANCE night at
Big Surf Waterpark!

The first 200 people to show up at Big Surf will receive a FREE ticket to the Arizona D-backs game on April 27th!!!

See the NEW Lions Camp Tatiyee T-Shirts & Hats, Meet the Arizona Lions, party with your friends from camp & get excited about this summer!

All proceeds to benefit Lions Camp Tatiyee!!

Please RSVP to Pam Swanson at director@arizonalionscamp.org



District Governor 21A Column

Submitted by DG Robin Daviet, DG March Newsletter



Hello Multiple District 21 Lions,

Lions World Lunch Relay takes place on April 4th - "Host your Lions Lunch on April 4th and join me in wishing my wife, Anne, a happy 70th birthday!" – International President Barry Palmer

If Friday, April 4, is when your club is hosting your Lions World Relay Lunch, be sure to get on Facebook and share pictures taken at your lunch, during your lunch. Follow the special Facebook announcements from LCI's historic ongoing 24 hour coverage of this event as it happens. If your club decided a Saturday or evening worked better for you, still be sure you post your photos when your event takes place. Most importantly be sure your Lions Club has a very special membership celebration gathering sometime this April. Show the world what fabulous things the Lions of Multiple District 21 can do when we work together as a team. This is our chance to join hands with Lions worldwide. Let the world "HEAR US ROAR!"

We still have 3 months left in this Lions year. What is left for you to do? You tell me.

Has your club completed all the service projects you planned for this year? Does your community still have members who require the services you provide? Did you raise enough money to help all those in your area receive the assistance they were desperately seeking? If you fell short of resources, did you partner with others in your community to help fill in the gaps you experienced? Did you go out and find additional helping hands by recruiting new members and establishing new liaisons in your area to continue your efforts for this year and next? Do you have enough resources, i.e. manpower, finances, a large pool of personal talents to accomplish all you are planning for this next coming Lions year? If the answer is no to any of these questions, you still have work to do.

Our job now is to show everyone what we can do in just a quarter of a Lions year. There are hundreds in our communities who still need help. Get those Lions "paws" and minds working on solutions. Help our Lions Club Teams work together to accomplish the goals each of us set at the beginning of this year that still have yet to be achieved. Make the dreams all our Lions members expressed as this year began, a reality for all, to benefit all. This is not the end of the year we are looking at, but the beginning of a lifetime of fulfilling service for ourselves, our clubs, our districts, our multiple district, Lions Clubs International and the millions of lives we will ultimately impact together for the betterment of everyone worldwide.

Spring is the season when the world around us shows us in a profusion of natural beauty and color the incredible annual rebirth that God provides all of mankind. We too, as Lions, get this opportunity to also reinvent, renew, reenergize ourselves and once again bring light, a rainbow of color and joy, to all the dark places where those we serve have been forced to dwell. Let us all rejuvenate our spirits and heighten our resolve to "Follow Our Dream."

Hugs,

21-A District Governor, Lion Robin Daviet



NEW CLUB CHARTERS

Submitted by Barbara W Shine

The Glendale Bellair Lions Club is proud to announce that our branch club formerly known as the Glendale Arrowhead Business Lions Club has officially been recognized by LCI as the Phoenix West Business Lions Club as of March 3, 2014. The members are mostly business owners and represent many different professions who are dedicated to giving back to their communities. Their meetings combine a nice mix of networking and Lions business. They have already done several community service projects when they adopted two needy families from a middle school, providing gift cards, food, toys and new shoes to the students. At Christmas, they also volunteered to put up decorations, trees, and packages for various people who needed assistance.

The new club members encourage other Lions to join them as they celebrate their Charter Night on Saturday, April 26, 2014 at Fast Eddie's Diner, 17017 N. 33rd Ave, Phoenix, AZ 85053. The dinner begins at 6:00 PM with the celebration to follow!



The Glendale Evening-Longhaven Lions club did eye screening at the Arrowhead Health Fair. Lion Elenore (standing) with a client and Lion George talking to another client.

CONGRATULATION TO PAUL YOPPS!

21A First Vice District Governor Elect Paul Yopps has successfully completed the Advanced Leadership Institute in Oak Brook, IL. Throughout the training Paul contributed to a steady exchange of ideas and challenges. We look forward to his applying these additional leadership skills in the following year as 1st Vice District Governor. If you see Paul, congratulate him on successful completion of this Leadership Institute!

Submitted, PDG Ann Roberts
21A GLT Coordinator

DISTRICT #4 COUNTY SUPERVISOR HICKMAN JOINS THE WICKENBURG LIONS IN AGUILA

Annually the Wickenburg Lions Club sponsors the Arizona Lions Vision Center mobile eye unit to Aguila. Supervisor Hickman joined the Wickenburg Lions Club to see what the Lions club does there and to visit the people of Aguila. Dr. Steve Mortenson, an ophthalmologist from Prescott, tested the eyes of Aguila residents. Thirty-nine people needed new prescription glasses. Jeannette Russell, Executive Director of the Lions Vision Center and licensed optician, fitted patients with new frames. Patients will receive their new glasses in about a week to ten days.

Pictured are: Executive Director of the Lions Vision Center Jeannette Russell, Maricopa County Supervisor Clint Hickman, President Wickenburg Lions Club Pete Wingert and Director Wickenburg Lions Club Andy Doom.



District Governor 21B Column



By DG Sally Hanson

We Serve ...
We Soar ...

Well, here we are with three quarters of our Lions year behind us. And where are we? We are healthy and growing! As of the end of February we are up 53 members, with another 10 new members brought into the fold as of March 16, the day I am writing this. How has this happened? Well, the Mesa Leisure World Lions Club has brought in an unbelievable 32 new or transferred members since July 1, 2013. And four other clubs increased membership by 5 or more new members.

A total of 21 clubs have increased membership in 2013 – 2014, and that is wonderful news. We are only 17 members short of bringing 21-B back to 1350 members strong – and we still have three months to get there! I know we can do it!

That's the good news! The sad news is that we lost one club this year, the San Manuel-Oracle Lions Club, chartered back in 1963, with 3 out of 12 members transferring to San Pedro Valley. And we have 10 clubs that have lost membership this year. Add to that another 9 clubs that have had zero growth and you can see that what seems to be working for some is not working – or not being utilized by all of our clubs.

The DG team has been out to every club this year – many more than once. We have talked about ways to increase membership with easy to use membership plans like "Just Ask" and "Re-Connect". Has your club tried these programs? Did you pay attention to them? It never hurts to try something new! If enough of your members give it a try, you, too, will have a growing club.

And, it's always the growing clubs that attend the conventions and get new ideas from the seminars and Lions friends they meet and visit with at the conventions. Was your club at the Leadership and Membership Rally in January with First International Vice President Joe Preston and Past International President Jim Erwin? Great ideas were shared there. Too bad you missed it. Are you coming to the District Convention April 4-5 in Mesa? To the State Convention May 16-18, also in Mesa? If not, you will be missing more great ideas offered in the seminars and training, and shared by the other Lions of our district and beyond.

In addition, this year's Officer Training is being held for all at the state convention because it is centrally located in the state, in Mesa. All of your officers should be there. Just because you pass down officer information from one year to another within the club does not mean your officers are learning new things – things that change from year to year. You are missing out on an opportunity to update your club to make it attractive to new members. How about your Membership Chair, shouldn't he or she be there to learn how to do their job with new ideas and opportunities? Is your Tail Twister's routine old and boring? We'll have new ideas at the training for them. The Tail Twister's job is to help make the club meetings FUN! And, are some of your projects getting old and stale? Are they still in keeping with your community's needs? Yes, we will have ways to find new or more service projects and actual projects that you can add to make your club relevant to your neighbors. While these training sessions will cover the basics and more – and the computer training for Secretaries and Treasurers will be held at a later date, this day of training cannot help but make you a better officer – at any level.

There are three months left! Now is the time to take advantage of the upcoming conventions, with many new ideas to grow membership – for all our clubs. Now is the time to learn how to keep your club healthy!

And, again, congratulations to all 21 clubs that have increased membership this year. You are helping to guarantee the future success of your clubs!

Hoping to see you all at the Arizona Golf Resort, April 4-5, in Mesa and then again in Mesa at the Mesa Hilton, May 16-18!

Reading is Rewarding for Marana Lion

Paula Singervalt of Marana Host Lions Club likes to read - especially to the kindergarten students at Estes Elementary School.

"There is no more rewarding thing I can do during these tough times for schools than come in and make sure some one is reading books to the children," Paula explains.

Lion Paula has been volunteering in the classroom two to three hours a day several days per week all year as part of Marana Host Lions Reading/Literacy project. Other Marana Lions reading projects include vision screening in schools to identify students needing professional vision care, support of the Lions Vision Center to make sure Marana children can get the glasses they need to see well enough to read, and purchase of award winning books for the Marana School libraries.



Lion Paula Singervalt reads with Adelaide Bradshaw and Aubrianna Gray at Estes Elementary in Marana

Tucson Lion Named MHC Healthcare Veteran of the Year

Lion Su-Lin Trepanitis, retired Army Sergeant Major, was honored by MHC Healthcare as their Veteran of the Year at their annual Big Band Bash in January.

Trepanitis, a resident of Marana, enlisted in the Army during the Vietnam era and served six years of active duty, followed by seventeen years in the Army Reserve. She served in the medical field with duty at Army medical centers in San Antonio, Denver, San Francisco and Honolulu. As a reservist she also served with the 349th General Hospital during Desert Storm. Her final assignment was with the Office of the Surgeon General.

Following her military service, Trepanitis returned to college and earned a degree in nursing. She retired from the Southern Arizona VA Health Care System after 26 years of federal service.

Today, Trepanitis continues to serve and use her military and medical experience. She travels as a nurse and guardian with Honor Flight, which pays tribute to WWII veterans with trips to Washington D.C.

She also is a key volunteer with Lions in Arizona and serves as advisor to the new Marana Host Lions Club, liaison to Lions Vision Centers at MHC Healthcare and the main Tucson Foodbank, and is chairman of the Lions Tucson area team to assist school nurses by providing free vision screening for school children. She has been named Lion of the Year by her home club - Tucson Downtown - and honored as a Melvin Jones Fellow. She has received an International Presidential Leadership Medal for her tireless work on behalf of those who need vision help and serves this year as District Vision Chairperson.

Trepanitis explains that her experience in the military helped to guide her choices after retirement, saying "Military service prepared me well for serving others. I have been able to transfer many skills learned in the military into my service with the Lions. I am grateful for this honor and appreciate the opportunities I have to help others."

MHC Healthcare is a nonprofit health organization with 15 locations throughout Pima County. The new Lions Vision Center is located at the MHC Healthcare flagship building in Marana.

Additional information

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Pictured: Tucson Downtown Lion Su-Lin Trepanitis



Hit the Trail to Mesa for the 21-B Convention

It's time for me to roundup my Lion doggies and hit the trail to Mesa for the District 21-B Convention April 4 & 5. We've jam packed the corral with two non-stop days of district business, officer elections, seminars and FUN. We'll circle the wagons at the beautiful Arizona Golf Resort. This facility has lovely rooms and grounds, so many amenities, you might want to come early or stay over to enjoy golf, the pool and spa, and great food at Annabell's Restaurant. And, of course, all our trail hands from Districts A & C are more than welcome to join us for sharing and fun! Just bring your western gear and a desire to kick up your heels!

The Trail Boss, International Director Judy Hankom and her husband, Lion Ron, will be joining us for the entire weekend.

Judy Hankom, from Hampton, Iowa, USA, was elected to serve a two-year term as a director of The International Association of Lions Clubs at the association's 95th International Convention, held in Busan, Korea June 22-26, 2012.

Director Hankom is a retired assistant business manager for the Hampton-Dumont Community School District.

A member of the Hampton Lions Club since 2001, she has held many offices within the association, including club president, zone chair, district governor, council chair, district and multiple district women's membership chair, and district extension chair. She has also served as chair of the First Lions Women's Symposium in Iowa, Great Plains Lions Leadership Institute faculty member, Club Excellence Process facilitator, Campaign SightFirst II Group coordinator, Iowa KidSight screening volunteer and Special Olympics Opening Eyes volunteer.

In recognition of her service to the association, she has received numerous awards including the club Lion of the Year, Iowa Lions Foundation Warren Coleman Honorary Award, International President's Award, International President's Leadership Medal and five International President's Certificates of Appreciation. She is also a Melvin Jones Fellow.

In addition to her Lions activities, Director Hankom is active in numerous professional and community organizations, including former chair of the Trinity Lutheran parish board and past president of the Hampton Public Library board.

Director Hankom and her husband, Ron, also a Lion and Melvin Jones Fellow, have three children and two grandchildren.

Be sure to check out the agenda and news on the seminars in this issue of the Canyon State Lion. You will also find a registration form so cut it out, fill it out, send it in and call the hotel for your hugely discounted room rates. Resort standard rooms are \$89, huge deluxe suite rooms are \$99 and one bedroom casitas are \$109. There is something for everyone!



ID Judy Hankom

Besides the Fun, There are Other Reasons to Come to the Convention

These seminars are the opportunity to not just sit and listen. They are designed around your participation and ideas. So, bring your ideas to Mesa and help your fellow Lions make some new ideas work for them – and their clubs!

Rounding Up Ways for Your Club to Participate in the Reading Action Program – Lions Marie Bracki and Muriel Stevens, Cultural & Community Affairs Co-Chairs

R....reading and literacy activities to spice up your 2014-2015 year

A....attend this fast paced presentation to get ideas for your individual members or whole club activity to engage in the initiative from Lions Clubs International

P....planning your program for next year can be made easier by incorporating some of these unique ideas

Finding the Hidden Gold in Our Clubs – 2nd VDG Barbara Daily

Survey your members to ensure you are doing viable projects and service. Let's survey our club now and while we're at it; let's assess our community to ensure we are meeting the needs of our local community. Come find out how easy it is to do for your club!

Round Up Those New Members – How to Hook 'em and Hold 'em – 1st VDG Larry Palmer

Come and learn how to Lasso new members and keep them in your corral.

Make Your Influence Positive – PDG Bob Stagger

A session all about creating happy fulfilled Lions! A very interactive brainstorming session for all. Come and let's do this together – let's find out what makes our members happy. What keeps you a Lion?!!!

Social Media/How to Get the Youngins in your Club – 21-B Leos to Lions

Learn skills in Skype, You Tube and Facebook NOW and then chat it up with our Leo to Lions from 21-B and learn how YOU can bring 'em into YOUR club!

Recipe for Creating Specialty Clubs Around Signature Projects – ID Judy Hankom and IPDG Karen Sell

A chance to share some time with your International Director Judy Hankom, a member of the LCI Membership Committee, and Immediate Past District Governor Karen Sell, 21-B Membership Chair, on some interesting ways to attract new members to your club and start branch clubs that are dedicated to special interest groups in your community. The sky is the limit and this seminar will help you get there.



**District 21B Convention
April 4 – 5. 2014
REGISTRATION FORM**



REGISTRATION FORM – ALL LIONS & GUESTS MUST BE REGISTERED TO ATTEND ALL EVENTS

NAME: _____ SPOUSE: _____

(Use one form for each Lion/Lioness)

(Non Lion, if attending)

ADDRESS/CITY/ZIP: _____

Email: _____ PHONE: _____

CLUB: _____ OFFICE: _____

Registration Fee	(Before March 10, 2014)	_____	@	\$ 20.00	\$ _____
	(Leo Registration is NO CHARGE)	_____		No Charge	
Friday "Western Roundup Dinner"		_____	@	\$ 30.00	\$ _____
	Dance to the music of Debbie's Double Eagle Band				
Saturday Melvin Jones Fellows Breakfast		_____	@	\$ 20.00	\$ _____
	Everyone is welcome!				
Saturday International Luncheon		_____	@	\$ 20.00	\$ _____
				TOTAL	\$ _____

Registration Fee	(After March 10, 2014)	_____	@	\$ 25.00	\$ _____
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Friday "Western Roundup Dinner"		_____	@	\$ 35.00	\$ _____
	Dance to the music of Debbie's Double Eagle Band				
Saturday Melvin Jones Fellows Breakfast		_____	@	\$ 23.00	\$ _____
	Everyone is welcome!				
Saturday International Luncheon		_____	@	\$ 23.00	\$ _____
				TOTAL	\$ _____

DIETARY NEEDS: _____

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District 21-B Convention & Cabinet Meeting Agenda



April 4th & 5th, 2014

Arizona Golf Resort, Mesa AZ

	WHERE	WHAT
Friday, April 4th, 2014		
Noon to 5:00 pm	Registration & Certification	Foyer – Convention Center
1:30 pm to 2:00 pm	21B Convention - Opening	Fairway 6&7
2:00 pm to 2:15 pm	Break	
2:15 pm to 3:15 pm	Rounding Up Ways for Your Club to Participate in the Reading Action Program Lions Marie Bracki and Muriel Stevens	Fairway 5-A
2:15 pm to 3:15 pm	Finding the Hidden Gold in Your Club! 2nd VDG Barbara Daily	Fairway 5-B
3:15 pm to 3:30 pm	Break	
3:30 pm to 4:30 pm	Round Up Those New Members – How to Hook 'em and Hold 'em! 1st VDG Larry Palmer	Fairway 5-A
3:30 pm to 4:30 pm	Make Your Influence Positive! PDG Bob Stagger	Fairway 5-B
4:30 pm	Convention Adjournment for the Day	Foyer – Convention Center
5:00 pm to 6:00 pm	Get Your Boots on and Let's Get Our Happy On! (cash bar)	
6:00 pm to 8:30 pm	Best in the West Banquet/Dance/Fun (western wear)	Fairway 6&7
8:30 pm to 10:30 pm	Hospitality Rooms Open!!!!	
Saturday, April 5th, 2014		
7:00 am to 11:30 am	Registration & Delegate Certification Open	Foyer
7:00 am to 8:30 am	Melvin Jones Fellows Breakfast (All Lions Welcome!)	Pavilion
9:00 am to 9:30 am	Reconvene 21-B Convention (Don't forget the Parade of Banners - bring yours!)	Fairway 6&7
9:30 am to 9:35 am	Break	
9:35 am to 11:00 am	Open District 21-B 3rd Cabinet Meeting	Fairway 6&7
11:00 am to 11:10 am	Close Cabinet Meeting and break	
11:10 am to 11:30 am	Reconvene Convention for Nominations for: 2nd VDG, 1st VDG, DG	Fairway 6&7
11:30 am to Noon	Voting	Board Room
Noon to 2 pm	Luncheon – ID Judy Hankom, Keynote Speaker	Fairway 6&7
2 pm to 2:15 pm	Break	
2:15 pm to 3:20 pm	Social Media/Getting the Youngins' in Your Club 21-B Leos to Lions	Fairway 6
3:20 pm to 3:30 pm	Break	
3:30 pm to 4:30 pm	Recipe for Creating Specialty Clubs around Signature Projects ID Judy Hankom and IPDG Karen Sell	Fairway 7
4:30 pm to 5 pm	Election Results and Celebration	Fairway 6
5 pm	Close Convention	

TRAVEL SAFE – See you at STATE CONVENTION in May

District Governor 21C Column

Submitted by DG Marc C. Paquette, DG April Newsletter

We are down to the home stretch for this Lions Year. It is time to start planning for the change over in our club and District administration. First and foremost, I want to thank everyone in the District for all that has been accomplished so far this year. We have made great strides in membership; we are at a plus 40 for the year. We asked 44 more Lions to join this year versus the same time last year; this is an increase of 39.7%; we retained 64 more Lions this year versus last year this is an increase of 61.4%. This is because of all the hard work everyone in the District has done.

We are starting a new club in the Scottsdale McDowell Mountain Ranch area. Many thanks go out to Lion Ron Shelton for his tremendous work in organizing this effort. Thank you, Lion Ron. Many of us are looking forward to the Charter Dinner and welcoming the newest Lions to Lions Club International.

When I started out the year the cabinet members and the Zone Chairs discussed getting 43 Club Excellence awards for our clubs. There are currently 12 clubs who qualify for this prestigious award at this point in time. If you want to know if your club qualifies and if not what needs to be done to qualify shoot me an email. I will let you know what can be done. We have 3 months left to accomplish this so do not wait until the last minute.

All year long we talked about membership. All clubs during my visits expressed that they wanted to grow, bring in younger members, have more members to help with our service projects, fund raisers and to promote our clubs. All you have to do is JUST ASK.

These two simple words JUST ASK, if you do not ask, then the answer is always no, but if you Just ASK you may get some yeses. Have all Lions in the District asked one non-Lion to check out their club, to find out more about Lions? There are people out there who want to help and the only way we can find them is to JUST ASK. Go to LCI website to download the JUST ASK Program. Contact GMT Richard "O" for suggestions and help on how to grow. Sign up for the CEP program, learn the resources available and tried and true methods to being the excellent club I know that you can be.

I want to thank our visiting ID, Stephen Glass and his wife, Lion Cindy Glass, for attending our 21C convention. You will hear more about this in the May newsletter.

There have been changes in leaders to our District Governor's Contest this month. Congratulations to the Overgaard Ponderosa Lions Club and Prescott Evening Lions Club they are now tied for 1st place with 10 points; the Scottsdale Pride of Scottsdale and Phoenix Barangay Lions, Chino Valley Noon timers clubs are tied for 2nd place with 8 points; Mesa Dream Catchers and Prescott Sunrise are tied for 3rd place with 7 Points. Contact me through email if you want help getting your points up and how I am conducting the contest so that it is fair to all clubs whether large or small.

Club points, Bradshaw MTN -1, Camelback MTN 6, Camp Verde -14, Chino Valley 3, Clarkdale Jerome 4, Concho Valley 1, Cottonwood -15, Flagstaff -13, Flagstaff Sunrise -1 Grand Canyon -4, Holbrook 2, Mesa East 2, Mesa Host 1, Mesa Thunderbird -2, Paradise Valley Evening -13, Payson 4, Phoenix Biltmore -9, Phoenix Breakfast -17, Phoenix Paradise Village -4, Phoenix Phil Am -4, Phoenix Social -7, Phoenix Valley of the Sun 0, Pinetop 3, Prescott Noon 0, Prescott Valley Early Bird -3, Prescott Valley Midday 2, Scottsdale -1, Scottsdale Kachina 0, Scottsdale Pinnacle Peak -4, Sedona Oak Creak 0, Show Low 1, Snowflake Taylor 1, Springerville -1, Tempe -6, Williams -6, Note that there are a lot of negative numbers up there; the biggest reason for these are not filing reports with LCI anyone with a -4 or lower is because of several months of not filing MMR's or activity reports. If you file your reports it creates a big swing. For example Flagstaff could go from a -13 to a plus 4 in one month if they file their MMR's and activity report. Lion Sandy Phillips and I will help you file timely if you want to ask. We are here to help.





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We qualify as a charitable organization under the working poor tax credit. This is not in competition with the school tax credit. You can do both. How does it work?

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Lions Camp Tatiyee is a non--profit, non sectarian charitable organization (501(c)(3)

Go to www.arizonalionscamp.org or complete this form and mail to: Lions Camp Tatiyee PO Box 6910 Mesa, AZ 85216

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Phone: (_____) _____

Amount of donation: \$ _____

Make check payable to Lions Camp Tatiyee

Looking for a new club program ?

The Arizona Pin Traders can come to your club meeting and give you a fun and interesting meeting.

Some of the topics:

Club pins, state pins, pins around the world,

How do I order a pin?

I have boxes and what do I do with them?

Let us tell you about our pin recycling program and how your old pins can make money for state projects.

What to expect at international conventions on the pin trading floor.

Where do I get the Arizona state pins?

We have the answers and we can even set up a pin trade for your meeting.

Contact your pin trading committee members:

- Tony McLain 602-361-1340
- Sherman McCutcheon 480-917-0818
- PCC Phil Castrovinci 480-437-1141



Tick-Tock, Tick-Tock

By PDG Fred Garmeson

So far the Lions of Arizona have done a good job of raising funds for the October International Board of Directors' meeting in Scottsdale. To date they have raised about \$6000 of the \$10,000 needed. But, the clock is ticking. We only have seven months to raise the additional \$4000. When we started, October, 2014 was a long way away. Now it is upon us. If you have fundraisers in progress or are planning one, please let me know. I'll sleep better. You can contact me at garmesonfaz@aol.com.

Make checks payable to MD International Campaign and mail them to: Lions Clubs of Arizona, 6250 S. Sunbird Blvd. Chandler, AZ 85249

Lion Camp Tatiyee Work Weekends 2014

This is your formal and informal invitation to come on up to camp and help us get ready for our 56th season! On our work weekends, we will feed you and house you; you only need to bring your sleeping bag or bedding for a twin size bed. This is a chance to work together with Lions from all over the state to get the camp ready for campers. Our site manager, Luke and his wife, Jessica, our event coordinator, are looking forward to hosting this weekend. Please call or e-mail Jessica at rentals@arizonalionscamp.org or at 928-358-2059 to let them know how many to plan for.

Our work weekend is May 9th to the 11th. We have some carpentry, paint, and general cleaning to do and the nights are reserved for some good old socializing. We also have 6 places to plug in your RV's. So please reserve a spot.

Our Annual Open House will be on June 7th from 11 to 4. We will have tours, a barbeque lunch, music, raffles, auction items and time to get to know your camp. If you are recruiting new members and need something to show them about what Lionism is, bring them to camp!

DON'T FORGET To Register Your 2014-15 Officers for State Convention

Club officer training will take place on Saturday, May 17, 2014, at the MD21 State Convention at the Mesa Hilton. Make sure that you get the NEW 2014-15 Club Officers registered for the Convention and their training. Each of the sessions offered will deal with the BASICS of holding that respective office. There will NOT be any computer training at these officer training sessions.

These new officers could also be the voting delegates for your club at the Convention. The Convention will be a good introduction to those officers who have not been before to see the workings of the MD and to see how, as an officer, they fit in.

Clubs should consider paying the registration fee for their officers, it's the least a club can do for a person who is willing to sacrifice for the club. These new officers can bring home new information for their club as the club works to provide service in its community.

Presidents, Vice Presidents, Secretaries, Treasurers and Tail Twisters will be trained Saturday morning. The Membership chairs, Lion Tamers and Directors will be trained Saturday afternoon.

During the time that the Club Officers are being trained there will be other workshops for general attendee Lions.



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Tax credits providing an easy way to help you help us

Here's How:

1. **DONATE** up to \$400 for couples filing jointly, \$200 for individuals no later than December 31, 2014. (Tax Year 2014)
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Thank you for your help.

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2014 Club Officer Training Has Changed

A big change is in the wind for the annual Club Officer Training. The general officer training is being moved to the MD State Convention in May. This will allow clubs a little more time to elect their officers and get them ready to attend both the officer training and the State Convention. All officers will be trained at this time. By including the officer training in the State convention, this means one less meeting for the officers to attend and thus a reduction in time and travel.

We are looking to train newly elected officers and those who really feel that they need a refresher course on the BASICS of holding a specific officer position. We will offer six workshops: 1) Presidents and VPs; 2) Secretaries; 3) Treasurers; 4) Membership Chairs; 5) Tail Twisters; and 6) Lion Tamers and Directors. No computer training will be part of any of these training sessions.

We are also looking at special computer training for Secretaries and Treasurers. This training will be relegated to Secretaries for MyLCI training in membership reports and activity reports and a separate training for Treasurers on the use of QuickBooks for keeping your club's records. These training sessions will be offered at one of the community colleges in the Phoenix area and will be a one-time event only.

Since the Presidents, Vice Presidents, Secretaries and Treasurer are the major officers of their clubs they should also be attending the State Convention and District Conventions to make sure that they know about changes that are happening in Lions in Arizona. It is suggested that each club pay the registration fees of the officers attending these conventions.

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Calendar of Events

2014

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Apr 4 – 6	21-B Convention, AZ Golf Resort	Mesa	PDG Ron Rosinke 480-357-2654
Apr 10	Prescott Noon Lioness , "Tip-A-Lioness" Golden Corral Restaurant 5 to 8 pm	Prescott	
Apr 12	Big Surf Reunion		
Apr 12	Parker Lions Club 75th Anniversary	Parker	Bill Risen 928-669-8620
May 2	Harry Moore Golf Tournament	Phoenix	
May 2	Prescott Noon Lioness, Tickets \$30 "April Showers Bring May Flowers" Luncheon and Fashion Show	Prescott Resort	Judy W. 928-778-1038 Judy Reza 928-442-1031
May 3	Pride of the Lions Charity Golf Tournament	Phoenix	Howard Arntz (602) 943-5793
May 4	Tucson Breakfast Lions Club, Drive Fore & quot; Sight Golf Classic Del Lago Golf Club	Vail	Dom 520-323-2522 Pete 520-747-5957
May 9 – 11	Lions Camp Tatiyee, Sprint Work Weekend	Lakeside	Jess 928-358-2059 rentals@arizonalionscamp.org
May 16 – 18	MD-21 Convention, Mesa Hilton	Mesa	PCC Carl Johannesen 480-924-0737
Jun 1	Lions Camp Tatiyee, Arizona Lions Day at Chase Ball Park	Phoenix	Bob Roth (See flyer on page 5)
Jun 7	Lions Camp Tatiyee, Open House	Lakeside	
Jun 27	Torreon Golf Tournament	White Mountains	



Lions Camp Tatiyee Save the Date May 9-11, 2014 Work Weekend

Please join us for this Spring Work Weekend which will enable us to prepare the Camp for our fabulous campers! We will have various jobs such as raking, painting, gardening, cleaning etc. We will provide meals, bunks, and a fun team environment. Come experience your AZ Camp, we promise it will be worth it! Please call ahead to reserve your spot with Jess at 928.358.2059 or rentals@arizonalionscamp.org.

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