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President's Message:

Dear Fellow Lions,

Happy Valentines' Day, My Dear Lion Hearts.

Just a handful of remarks this month, First: - February's meeting will be very special for two reasons. Past Cabinet Secretary Cheryl Jones, a candidate for Vice District Governor will visit us. Second, our speaker for the February meeting will be Dover's Mayor Carleton Carey. Let's all be there!



Second remark:: - Lion Tee Bell favored the board meeting with his presence. Lion Tee, it was great having you back! I'm also glad to report that Lion Norm is improving after his surgery. (He'll gladly show you his belly scar!)

Third: - We had a call from Roderick. He said he is doing well and he wanted us to share his good wishes with everyone.

Fourth: - Dover And Capital City Lions have been busy conducting pre-school vision screening. We are approaching the 300 mark. — 300 children screened— the team has been busy.

Fifth: - I need to mention 3 special up-coming events: the Camden Wyoming feast on February 28th; the mid-winter social in March; and Lions Service Day. Dover Lions have contacted Kent County Community School and plan to share a brief good-time with the children. All Lions are welcome to participate in the fun.

Lions, remember to bring your member-ships with you to the next meeting and have your port holes punched if you have discussed Lionism with someone other than a Lion.

Finally, Lions please remember that Lion Norm needs to have a head count for our dinner meeting. Unless you have notified him already, he needs to hear from you by the evening of Wednesday, Feb. 11th.

Meanwhile have a Happy Valentines' Day.

Web Page Address: www.doverlionsclub.org

Yours in Lionism,
Rosemarie Milne

Important Dates:

<p><u>February</u></p> <p>14 Happy Valentine's Day 16 Regular Meeting, Dover Sheraton, 6:30 P.M. 28 Camden-Wyoming Lions Scholarship Dinner</p>	<p><u>March</u></p> <p>01 Bowling Tournament 02 Board Meeting 6:30 P.M. 07 DLF Breakfast 14 Mid-Winter Social 22-D 16 Regular Meeting, Dover Sheraton, 6:30 P.M. 17 St. Patrick's Day 20 First Day of Spring 21 Delaware State Lions Day 21 District 22-B Social 30 Leader Dog North 31 Leader Dog South</p>
<p><u>Upcoming Dates:</u></p> <p>4/19 Fourth Cabinet Meeting 4/25 District 22-C Social 5/7 District Leadership School</p>	

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

<p><u>February</u></p> <p>20 Donald Witmer 23 Patricia Webb 28 Rosemarie Milne 28 Richard Ware</p>	<p><u>March</u></p> <p>15 Sandra Cosden 17 Harry Fillman 26 Carlton Hutchins</p>
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Latimer Lion:



Latimer Lion - Other than George Washington and Abraham Lincoln, which former presidents were born in the month of February. Find your answer elsewhere in this issue of Dover's Pride?

Program Schedule for February - June Meetings

- February - Lion Cheryl Jones campaign visit
- Visitation by the Mayor of Dover, Carlton Carey
- March - Lion Lloyd Schmitz and his dog, Zane
- April - What Lionism means to me - All Lions participating
- May - Talent Night - (tentative)
- June - Installation of officers

February 28 Camden-Wyoming Lions, Scholarship Dinner, 3 P.M. – 7 P.M.; \$16 Advance, \$18 at Door - Caesar Rodney High School. See Lion Dick Holland for tickets

PRE- SCHOOL VISION SCREENING:

Lion Rennie, the pre-school vision screening coordinator for Dover Lions Club, reports that pre-school vision screening has been completed at 10 schools and day-care centers. There are more to go. Many thanks to the Dover Lions: Gary Stumpf, K.L. Rosemarie Milne, PDG Norm Quible, Frank Jones, Jennifer Marengo, Aundria Hicks. Many thanks also to Capital City Lions: Maxine and Wayne Powers who have been busy screening with us. A full report will be ready in March.

Visitations

Return your visitation slips to the chairman. The visitation chairman is PDG and club secretary Ralph Schieferstein.

Diabetes Corner:

Why do I have to drink 6-8 glasses of water a day?

Water is vital to every process and system in your body. It keeps you healthy. When blood glucoses run high, you're at risk of getting dehydrated because your body tries to flush out the extra glucose in your blood through urination. The flushed-out fluids need to be replaced. If they're not, you get sick. Be sure to drink water throughout the day. Why not get a measuring cup and check the amount of water that your favorite drinking glass or water bottle will hold? You can make this the week you add more water to your routine. Coffee and tea with caffeine and carbonated sodas are diuretics and can remove water from your system. Drinking plain water is the best way to get the fluid you need.



Club News and Notes:

JANUARY REGULAR MEETING

King Lion Rosemarie Milne called the meeting to order on Martin Luther King day at 6:32 PM at the Dover Sheraton Inn. There were 13 of 41 Members present. We also had 4 visitors from the Lord Baltimore Lions Club supporting Lion Karl Gude for VDG.

The traditional opening was held.

- The 1st Verse of America
- The Pledge of Allegiance
- The Lions Song
- The Lions Toast
- The Invocation

King Lion Rosemarie welcomed all guests and each was introduced.

The meal of salad, beef tips over rice and green beans was served. Desert was carrot cake or fruit cup.

After dinner, Lion Rennie introduced Lion Karl Gude from the Lord Baltimore Lions Club, one of the candidates for VDG this year. Lion Rennie had been Lion Karl's teacher in kindergarten and Treasurer Norm and Lion Karl's father had been in the same Lions Club and been good friends. Lion Karl gave a brief presentation about why he wants to serve as VDG and as DG. He has received so much from being a Lion and he wants to give back to the organization.

Lion Rennie then gave a demonstration of the new vision screening device and gave those in attendance a chance to use the device and see how it works.

Secretary Ralph reminded those in attendance about the following upcoming events:

- MD 22 Convention
- District Bowling Tournament

Discussion was held about needing assistance with the hospital equipment and needing someone to collect used eyeglasses from our drop boxes.

Lion Ralph won the 50/50

There being nothing further to present, King Lion Rosemarie adjourned the meeting at 8:08 PM.

The next Board of Directors meeting will be on February 2nd 2009 at the home of Lions Norm and Rennie Quible.

The next regular meeting of the Dover Lions Club will be Monday February 16th 2009 at the Dover Sheraton Inn. Our guest of honor will be Dover Mayor Carleton Carey. In addition, Lion Cheryl Jones from the Laurel Lions Club will be presenting her campaign for VDG.

Respectfully submitted,
RCS – Club Secretary

FEBRUARY BOARD MEETING

King Lion Rosemarie Milne called the meeting to order at 6:50 PM at the home of Lion Norman and Rennie Quible. There were 8 Board Members present representing a Quorum and one other Lion.

Treasurer Norm was in the hospital but had prepared his reporting advance. It was presented by Secretary Ralph.

A motion was made to table the approval of the treasurer's report until the next Board Meeting to allow Treasurer Norm to explain one entry that was questioned. It was seconded and carried as submitted.

Secretary Ralph reported on the following upcoming events:

- DLF Breakfast – need to know by next meeting
- District Bowling Tournament – last notice
- Midwinter Social – need to know by next meeting
- USA/Canada Forum

The floor was then opened for comments, reports, and questions.

State Lions Day was brought up and discussed. The Board decided that we should contact the Kent Community School in an attempt to set up a project again. Lion Gary was appointed to chair the event with Lions Rennie and KL Rose assisting. Lions Dick Holland and Lyle Dabson will also be contacted for assistance.

Lion Rennie Quible reviewed her schedule for eye screening and reported that 261 children have been screened to date.

King Lion Rose reported that we have received the Blue Gold All Star Tickets. She gave them to Secretary Ralph to hold.

The club nominating committee was discussed and several suggestions were made. The Board decided to implement as practice using the last 3 club presidents as the members of the nominating committee. In the event one of the 3 was not active or unwilling to serve, the next most recent club president will be asked.

King Lion Rose adjourned the meeting at 8:15 PM.

The next regular meeting of the Dover Lions Club will be Monday February 16th at the Dover Sheraton Inn.

The next Board of Directors meeting will be on March 2nd at a location to be announced.

Respectfully submitted,
RCS – Club Secretary

LYMAN LION: Lyman Lion tells us that when Ronald Reagan was governor of California, he welcomed Lions in San Francisco for the 57th International Convention. He said, "The scope of your many activities is an impressive demonstration of what active and concerned citizens can accomplish by working together."



Answers to Latimer Lion's question:

1. Ronald Reagan was born February 6, 1911
2. Wm Henry Harrison was born February 9th 1773
3. Our own King Lion Rosemarie was born February 28, XXXX

District Governor's Message:

Lions of District 22-D,

Time really goes by when you are having fun. My time as District Governor is more than half over –seven months to be exact.

I attended a membership meeting at the Milford Lions Club to bring in new members into their club. ZC David Clendaniel was the MC that night. ZC David and the members of the club did an outstanding job informing eight prospective new members how the club and their clubs committees work. Also, IPDG Bob Jones and PCS Cheryl Jones presented a Power Point program on membership which showed everyone how LCI, the District and clubs work together to help those in need. I learned something at the meeting. Lion John Mitchell talked about a new crosswalk signal on Elkton and Apple Roads in Newark, Delaware. This device helps someone with poor eyesight to cross the road safely. On January 11 at 10 a.m., I was at the intersection. I pushed the button to cross the road and the device told me to WAIT, WAIT. When the light changed, I could hear a constant sound which indicated that it was safe to cross the road. It took about five to six minutes to cross all 4 corners. There are two of these devices in the state.

Lions Worldwide Induction Day is April 25, 2009. Lions please give me some feedback on this day. LCI has a special Certificate that can be given to all new Lions who are inducted on that day. Their sponsor will also get a special Certificate. I would like to perform a District 22D induction ceremony in Dover on the Capital steps, weather permitting. The only restriction I have is that I have to leave by 12 noon due to the District 22C Social. Again please let me know by March 1st if your club would like to participate. It may take two or three weeks to get the Certificates.

March is a very busy month for the district. March 7 – DLF Breakfast, March 14 – Mid – Winter Social, March 21 – Delaware State Lions Day, March 21 – District 22B Social and March 30 & 31 Leader Dog.

I asked PDG Mike Mock to research the history of Pre School Eye Screening and how it started in the district. Please see page 12. PDG Mike Mock – thank you for doing your homework. This is a job well done.

A survey to determine ways to improve the Multiple District 22 Convention was developed and approved by the Council of Governors. CS Don Erhart sent the survey to all King Lions. Please complete the survey and send it to PDG Joe Wood in District 22B as indicated in the information provided.

Also, we are in need of volunteers to help at the Multiple District Convention May 17-20 in Dover. There are several positions that are available. If you are interested, please contact me.

Until next time,

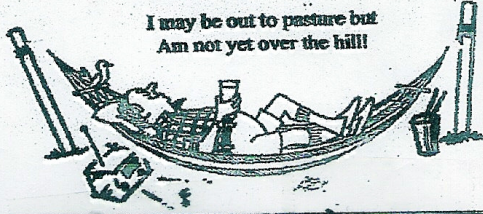
Bob Daniels District Governor

In Lasting Memory of
All Deceased Lions
They Served!

Lion Gary Stumpf

Compliments of P.D.G. Norman E. Quible

I may be out to pasture but
Am not yet over the hill!



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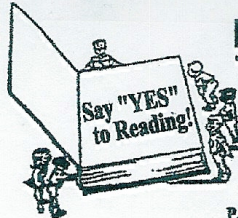
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