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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

Dear Fellow Lions,

Yes, spring has sprung —along with rainy days. I know that we are supposed to have April showers but, I think it is a little ridiculous when we need to contemplate building an ark!

You Lions who attended the March meeting will agree with me that Lion Lloyd, Kat, and Vance provided us with a memorable program.



We had treats for Vance but Lloyd requested that he not get them until he got home. He explained that a guide dog should not be given food at a dinner because soon he will expect it.

Last month, I mentioned that Dover Lions were scheduled to "celebrate Lions Day" at Kent County School. We went. It was extremely successful. We followed the principal's suggestions. The children were brought in the conference room by classes.

They were entertained with a story and given boxed cookies and drinks to take with them back to their classroom. The teachers and children seemed to appreciate the day. Watch for a "publication" which shows Dover Lions in action.

Lions, please attend the April meeting and be prepared. We're going to be talking and sharing Lionism. You are the speakers. Your topic will be either: My greatest experience in Lionism or Why I became a Lion. Who will speak? Well, we'll just wait and see how that is decided. Let's make the evening informative and fun.

Remember, that, at the April meeting, we vote for Dover Lions Club officers. This is one more reason that we need all Lions in attendance.

At the board meeting, fundraising suggestions were tossed around. Lions, please, I know all of us have good ideas. Now, I request that you write them down and give them, at the meeting, to PDG Ralph, our fundraising chairman.

Register now for convention, if you haven't already. Let's have a good showing.

Web Page Address: [www.doverlionsclub.org](http://www.doverlionsclub.org)

Yours in Lionism,

Rosemarie Milne

## IMPORTANT DATES:

### APRIL

19 Fourth Cabinet Meeting  
20 Regular Meeting, , 6:30 P.M.  
25 District 22-C Social

### MAY

04 Board Meeting, Quible's House  
07 District Leadership School  
17 MD 22 Convention, Dover, Delaware  
18 Regular Meeting, Dover Sheraton,  
18 MD 22 Convention, Dover, Delaware  
19 MD 22 Convention, Dover, Delaware  
20 MD 22 Convention, Dover, Delaware

## UPCOMING DATES:

6/15 Dover Lions Installation Night      6/20 Blue-Gold Game  
July 6 - 10 International Convention

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

### April

05 Richard Bonnell  
09 Evan Hensley

### May

24 Robert J. Hicks Jr.

## CLUB ROSTER UPDATES:

Please update your copy of the club roster with the following information.

### NEW ADDRESS:

Howard Schweitzer  
Delaware Veterans Home  
100 Delaware Veterans Blvd  
Milford, DE 19963  
His personnel tel. is 302-424-8757.

**New email address for Rennie Quible** is [renniedover@verzion.net](mailto:renniedover@verzion.net)

**New email address for Norman Quible** is [quibledover@verzion.net](mailto:quibledover@verzion.net)

### Latimer Lion:



#### Lion Latimer shares a good news - bad news story.

Ralph and Edna were patients and friends in a mental hospital. One day, as they walked along beside the hospital's swimming pool, Ralph suddenly jumped in at the deep end.

Ralph couldn't swim. He sank to the bottom. Edna promptly jumped in to save her friend. She swam to the bottom and, with difficulty, pulled him to the surface.

Folks who heard the splashes hurried to the pool side and helped Ralph and Edna out of the pool.

When the head director heard of the incident, she was pleased. She decided that Edna had become mentally stable so she began preparing the orders for Edna's discharge.

She went to tell Edna of her upcoming discharge and to share other news.

"Edna, she said, "I have good news and bad news for you. We are so proud of you. The good news is that your discharge papers are in the works as we speak. But the bad news is that right after his rescue, poor Ralph hanged himself in his bathroom with his bathrobe cord."

Edna raised her eyebrows and said, "Oh, Ralph didn't hang himself. I put him up there to dry. Now, how soon can I go home?"

## PROGRAM SCHEDULE FOR FEBRUARY - JUNE MEETINGS

- April - What Lionism means to me - All Lions participating
- May - Talent Night - (tentative)
- June - Installation of officers

### **DIABETES CORNER:**

I am allergic to sulfa antibiotics such as Bactrim. Am I more likely to be allergic to any of the medications used to treat diabetes?



It's possible that people with allergies to sulfonamide-type medications, such as sulfa antibiotics or thiazide diuretics (water pills); develop allergies when using sulfonylurea medications, such as glyburide. Although cases of cross-reactivity (actually developing an allergy from a sulfonylurea) are rare, if you have a severe allergic reaction (hives, breathing problems, or severe rash), it would be better for you to use a different medication than a sulfonylurea, if you can use one that is as effective. Talk to your doctor to weigh the benefits and risks.

### **RECIPE FROM THE ADA WEB SITE ON MARCH 27, 2009:**

#### **Cranberry Spritzer**

This is a refreshing carbonated drink combining cranberry juice, orange juice and lemonade with lemon-lime soda. Make it in a punch bowl and garnish the top with thinly sliced lemons and/or oranges.

Number of Servings: 12      Serving Size: 1 Cup

<b>Ingredients</b>	<b>Measure</b>	<b>Nutrition Information Amount per serving</b>	
water	3 cup	Calories	89
cranberry juice	2 cups	Calories From Fat	0
orange juice concentrate, thawed	6 oz	Total Fat	0 g
lemonade concentrate, thawed	6 oz	Saturated Fat	0 g
Equal? for Recipes or 12 packets Equal? sweetener	1/2 cup	Cholesterol	0 mg
diet lemon-lime soda, chilled	1 1/2 liter	Sodium	22 mg
lemon cut into slices	1 small	Total Carbohydrate	22 g
		Dietary Fiber	0 g
		Sugars	0 g
		Protein	1 g

#### **Preparation Instructions**

1. Combine water, cranberry juice, orange juice and lemonade concentrates. Stir in Equal? Until dissolved.
2. Chill 1 to 2 hours. Stir in soda just before serving. Garnish each glass with a lemon or orange slice, if desired.

## PRE-SCHOOL VISION SCREENING TEAM LUNCHESES TOGETHER.

Dover and Capitol City Lions who comprised the screening team reminisced at lunch on March 31<sup>st</sup> at Family Restaurant. Capitol City Lions Club was represented by Lions Maxine and Wayne Powers. Dover Lions Club was represented by: KL Rosemarie Milne, PDG Norm Quible, and Lions: Gary Stumpf, Aundria Hicks, Frank Jones, and Rennie Quible. Unfortunately, Lion Jennifer Marango, our other team mate, couldn't be with us. We missed her.

The Lions decided unanimously that the project was extremely worthwhile and that screening will be done again next year. Everyone voiced their hopes that more Lions will become involved.

## CLUB NEWS AND NOTES:

### MARCH REGULAR MEETING

King Lion Rosemarie Milne called the meeting to order at 6:33 PM at the Dover Sheraton Inn. There were 20 of 41 Members present. We also had 3 visitors from the Milton Lions Club and 3 members of the Lewes Lions Club including our speaker Lloyd Schmidt and his Leader Dog Zane

The traditional opening was held.

- The 1<sup>st</sup> Verse of America was led by Lion Dave Milne
- The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Lion Gary Stumpf
- The Lions Song was led by Lion Rennie Quible
- The Lions Toast was led by Lion Ralph Schieferstein
- The Invocation was given by Treasurer Norm Quible

King Lion Rosemarie welcomed all guests and each was introduced.

The meal of salad, pecan chicken with rice and vegetable medley was served. Desert was peanut butter cake.

After dinner, Lion Rennie introduced our guest speaker, Lion Lloyd Schmidt from the Lewes Lions Club. Lion Lloyd was accompanied by his Leader Dog Zane and his wife Kat. Lion Lloyd told us about some of his experiences with his dogs (he is on his 4<sup>th</sup> dog). He explained the process of obtaining a dog and some of the training required. He shared some anecdotes from his life coping with his blindness and how having a Leader Dog has made a huge difference in his life. Lion Lloyd thanked all the Lions for supporting Leader Dogs and affording him the opportunity to have them.

Lion Rennie gave an update on our Vision Screening program. 717 students were screened in 18 schools by the Dover Lions, the Capitol City Lions, and the Dover Lioness. This is a huge increase from last year. Lion Rennie hopes that even more are screened next year.

Lion Gary reported that State Lions Day will be observed by the Dover Lions Club on Thursday March 19<sup>th</sup> at the Kent Orthopedic School in Dover. This year the program will be different in that we will meet with more students but fewer at a time. Anyone who wishes to help was asked to contact Lion Gary.

Lion Pat Webb gave a report from the Nominations Committee that was made up of Lion Pat, Lion Lyle Dabson, and Lion Rich Bonnell. A copy of her report is attached to these minutes. In addition to the list of officers and directors, her committee recommended that the Club vote to add Past District Governors who are Club members to the Board of Directors in order to make the best use of their experience and knowledge and still give other members an opportunity to serve on the Board. There were no additional nominations from the floor and the nominations were closed.

Lion Dick Holland won the 50/50 in the amount of \$27.00

There being nothing further to present, King Lion Rosemarie adjourned the meeting at 8:35 PM.

Because the March 2<sup>nd</sup> Board Meeting was cancelled due to a snow storm, a short Board Meeting was held after the regular meeting was adjourned.

**The next Board of Directors meeting will be on April 6<sup>th</sup> 2009 at the home of Lions Norm and Rennie Quible.**

**The next regular meeting of the Dover Lions Club will be Monday April 20<sup>th</sup> 2009 at the Dover Sheraton Inn. This will be our Election Meeting. Be sure to attend for this important meeting.**

<b>2009 – 2010 Dover Lions Club Officer Nominees</b>	
<b>Office</b>	<b>Lion</b>
<b>President</b>	<b>Gary Stumpf</b>
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Vice President</b>	<b>Rennie Quible</b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President</b>	<b>Aundria Hicks</b>
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Vice President</b>	<b>Lyle Dabson</b>
<b>Secretary</b>	<b>Ralph Schieferstein</b>
<b>Treasurer</b>	<b>Bruce Marvel</b>
<b>Tail Twister</b>	<b>Jennifer Marango</b>
<b>Lion Tamer</b>	<b>Rosemarie Milne</b>
<b>1 yr Director</b>	<b>Frank Jones</b>
<b>1 yr Director</b>	<b>Pat Webb</b>
<b>2 yr Director</b>	<b>Don Kirk</b>
<b>2 yr Director</b>	<b>Harry Fillman</b>
<b>Immediate Past Pres.</b>	<b>Rosemarie Milne</b>
<b>Membership Chair</b>	<b>Rich Bonnell</b> (according to historical rotation)
<i>Only If approved by the Club Members</i>	
<b>Permanent Director</b>	<b>PDG Norm Quible</b>
<b>Permanent Director</b>	<b>PDG Ralph Schieferstein</b>

### March 20<sup>th</sup> Board of Directors Meeting

King Lion Rosemarie Milne called the meeting to order at 8:45 PM after the regular March Membership meeting.

Secretary Ralph raised the following items:

- Multiple District Convention Delegates – KL Rosemarie was named as delegate by virtue of her office. The other 3 delegates will be drawn by lot from a list of those members attending the convention. The following Lions volunteered to be Alternates: Bill and Shirley Daisey, Tee Bell, and Frank Jones
- Leader Dog Dinner – approval to raise our donation by \$70 over last year's amount in order to qualify for a special patch and pins for all members in recognition of Leader Dog's 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.
- Inviting Capitol City, the Dover Lioness and Frederica Spring Creek to join us for our installation of officers.

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

Lion Dick still has an electric wheelchair that he wants to get rid of. He asked the Board's permission to dispose of it as soon as possible. Lion Dick also reported that he has collected 183 pairs of used glasses and transferred them to PDG Jack Brinckmeyer.

Lion Norm Quible made a motion to reimburse Lion Rennie for the \$5,000 she advanced for the purchase of the Vision Screening Device now that all funds have been received from the other clubs and from DLF. The motion was passed unanimously.

King Lion Rose adjourned the meeting at 8:55 PM.

**The next Board of Directors meeting will be on April 6<sup>th</sup> at the Quible residence.**

**The next regular meeting of the Dover Lions Club will be Monday April 20<sup>th</sup> at the Dover Sheraton Inn.**

Respectfully submitted,  
RCS – Club Secretary

## APRIL BOARD MEETING

King Lion Rosemarie Milne called the meeting to order at 6:30 PM at the home of Norm and Rennie Quible. There were 10 of the 15 Directors and two other Lions in attendance.

Secretary Ralph reported on the following items:

- Delegates for the MD 22 Convention – In addition to KL Rosemarie, the following Lions were selected as delegates: Pat Webb, Dick Holland, and Ralph Schieferstein. The alternates are Lions Bill and Shirley Daisey, Tee Bell, and Frank Jones.
- Notice of Election letters were distributed to those in attendance and will be mailed to the rest of the members the next day.

Treasurer Norm raised the issue of needing additional funds next year due to our current fundraisers bringing in fewer funds each year. Discussion was held on how to bring in more money from the Chicken Fry by increasing our advertising and visibility. Lion Lyle Dabson mentioned that we still are able to have tables at Spences Bazaar anytime we want for our own use. Many items were discussed and referred to the Fundraising Committee for investigation.

In light of reduced funds, our budget status was reviewed and remaining donations discussed. It was decided to drop our LCIF Melvin Jones donation this year and save \$1,000 and leave the rest of the budget items as they are. Treasurer Norm will prepare checks for these item so that year end recognitions can be ordered.

Treasurer Norm reported that there are still two members who are in arrears in their dues in the amount of \$70 each. Secretary Ralph will send a letter to each member asking for payment as their dues have been paid to LCI and the District.

Lion Tee made a motion to approve the Treasurer's report. It was seconded by Lion Frank and was passed unanimously.

An Awards and Recognition Committee was appointed with Lion Pat Webb as Chair. In addition to Lion Pat, Lion Tee Bell and Lion Ralph Schieferstein will serve on the committee.

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

King Lion Rose adjourned the meeting at 8:19 PM.

**The next regular meeting of the Dover Lions Club will be Monday April 20<sup>th</sup> at the Dover Sheraton Inn. This will be our Election Meeting.**

**The next Board of Directors meeting will be on May 4th at a location to be announced.**

Respectfully submitted,  
RCS – Club Secretary

## MESSAGE FROM LCIF CHAIRPERSON

Dear Fellow Lions,

The beginning of 2009 has been a great success for our Foundation. The Youth and Sight Partners Forums took place at the end of January and were a great success. The debut of the new Lions Clubs International Foundation Web site is quickly approaching. The Foundation and Lions are working together to aid the victims of wildfires that have devastated parts of Australia. Lions around the world continue to serve those in need through LCIF. Please enjoy the updates about our great accomplishments so far this year.

Yours in Lionism,

Mahendra Amarasuriya

LCIF Chairperson

## LYMAN LION

Lyman Lion shares The Future of Lionism, which was presented for the first time at the 22 MD Convention in Virginia Beach first in May of 1988.



Think of a ship on a wintery sea  
When gale winds fill the sky  
With cargo down in the vessel's hold  
That's needed on shore near-by.

Then you are seeing Lionism.  
Yes, the needs for service abound.  
— Diabetes, drug addiction, blindness —  
How wide the problems are found.

But the future resembles a rainbow  
With colors of blue into cream.  
And the service is there a-waiting  
The Lions who cherish a dream.

Yes, work is there in the future.  
Let's roll up our sleeves and dare.  
The future is bright for Lionism —if  
Lions work; Lions serve; Lions care!

## **DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE:**

Lions of District 22-D,

First some old news:

1. Lions Worldwide Induction Day is April 25, 2009. To date no club has contacted me about inducting any new member(s) at the State Capital steps. If there are no new member(s) to induct, this new endeavor will not take place.
2. The survey on MD 22 convention has been sent to all King Lions in the district. Most clubs have sent in their survey. If you are one of the clubs that have not completed the survey please do so and send to PDG Joe Wood, District B.
3. Roaring Lions: It looks like District D will be the only district having the class. I will confirm this at District B's social.
4. Officer Reporting Form (PU 101): A kindly reminding to all King Lions or secretaries to fill out the form and send it to the district cabinet secretary Lion Don Erhart by May 1, 2009.

Now on to some new news:

Lions we had the district Bowling Tournament March 1, 2009 at Milford Bowling Lanes. There were about 50-55 lions and guest bowling that day. The event started at 1 PM. I throw the first ball down the lane and it was a strike. It was a very lucky throw in deed for me. Everyone had a chance to played three games. The bowling tournament was an enjoyable even for all.

I received a letter from Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF) and would like to share the news. The LCIF letter said: On behalf of Lions Clubs International Foundation, May I express our sincere gratitude for your generous contribution to LCIF. Your district's contribution of \$282.00 demonstrates a deep commitment to our common goal of humanitarian service. The members of your district have earned the respect of all those who share and serve Lion's humanitarian interests. All of the money was from our Melvin Jones Breakfast. Thank you to all the lions who donated.

Membership: Membership is down by 18 this month, partly due to the deaths in our district. These members were a vital part in the organization and will be greatly miss. To date 13 members have been lost. Although we can never replace these Great Lions, we do need to try to establish a new generation of lions before it's too late. An easy way to get new members is to ask family members if they would like to join. A family membership is very important to the life blood of this district. If your spouse is not a member, ask them to join you at your next club meeting. I believe that the district can grow by 2-3 hundred members if we just ask family to join the club. Having more members will help the lions to better serve the community and people in need.

Mid-Winter social March 14, 2009 was a big hit. Special thanks go to Chairperson Maxine Powers, who did an outstanding job for the district. There were over two hundred lions at the social and everyone had a delightful time. Lion Maxine Powers did not accomplish this by herself, another special thanks goes to all the lions that helped decorate the hall. Everyone did a fantastic job. The final big thanks go out to all the clubs that brought gifts to be given away.

MD 22 Convention is May 17th through 20th, 2009 at Dover Downs, Dover. There are still rooms available at Dover Downs. Do not wait until the last minute to sign up, do it today. It's sure bet, to be a blast. All forms have been sent out to King Lions. If anyone needs a form ask your King Lion for one. However, if your King Lion does not have one call PDG Jack Brinckmeyer at 302-227-8752 and he will be happy send one to you.

Until next time,  
Bob Daniels District Governor



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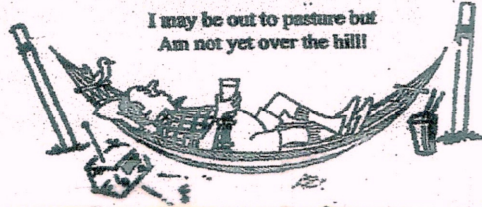


**In Lasting Memory of  
All Deceased Lions  
They Served!**

**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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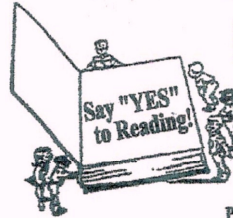
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