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President's Message:

Dear Fellow Dover Lions-

Well, the fall season is upon us with the evenings getting a little cooler and not nearly as much daylight after work. But we Lions will be as busy as ever. September was a busy month. We participated in the Delaware Coastal Cleanup on Saturday, September 16th. Many thanks to Lion Tee Bell for leading that effort, and to Lion Rosemarie, Lion Lyle, Lioness Beth, and Tee's wife, Zoe for participating. This was my first time taking the morning stroll on Pickering Beach for the cleanup, and I don't intend on it being my last.

Our car raffle ticket sales have come to a close and while I don't have a final count on the total sold, a thank you goes out to all who participated. If you were unable to participate at a particular event but were able to sell tickets individually, thank you for helping support your club. Remember that every ticket we sell is \$1.00 back to the Dover Lions Club. I would like to especially recognize Lions Rennie, Norm, and Rodrick who spear headed the raffle sales at Acme and Wawa.

The Capitol City Lions Club charter night on September 20th was well attended. If you were unable to be there, you missed a great evening. Entertainment by the Capital Ringers bell choir added a nice touch to the evening. Special guest that evening was P.I.P. Clem Kusiak. The Dover Lions Club presented the official club banner to Capitol City. We look forward to working with our fellow Lions and King Lion Bill as we serve the community.

Our monthly meeting on October 16th at 6:30p.m. will be special since D.G. Keith and his cabinet will be in attendance for their official visit. I would ask all members to please make a special effort to attend.

Yours in Lionism,
Rich
King Lion

Thought for the day:

LYMAN LION SAYS: The only time to look down on people is when you are helping them up.

News Notes:

USA/ Canada Lions Leadership Forum – Interesting, Informative. IPDG Ralph, PDG Norm and Lion Rennie represented Dover Lions. Many fine Lions of other 22-D clubs attended as well. Lion Ren suggests that all Lions should try to attend at least one of these forums. Meaningful discussions and presentations take place.

Read your Lions Magazine. Discover Multiple 22 Lions marching in the Lions parade in Boston.

Capitol City Lions Charter Night a Great Success

Wednesday night , September 20 was special. To see another club formed and go into action is the dream of our LCI President Jimmy Ross. Dover Lions presented the new club with their banner at the gala. Dover Lions wish Capitol City Lions great success.

Congratulation to Dover Lionesses. The Lionesses sold 180 car raffle tickets

Dover Lions Are Good Hosts Guests appreciate being welcomed and greeted. After the last meeting, some of our guests mentioned that Lions came and spoke to them. Let's all make it a habit to speak to every guest at our meetings. That's part of Lionism – and it helps in recruiting new members.

Tonda Parks of the American Heart Association was the guest speaker at the September meeting. She shared interesting information with the Dover Lions and invited them to participate in the Heart Association Walk for Sight.

Important Dates:

October:

- 02 Board Meeting, 6:30 P.M. Quible's House
- 07 District 22-W Social
- 07 Lions Walk for Delaware
- 09 Fire Prevention Day, It is the anniversary of the Chicago Fire in 1871.
- 12 Columbus Day, also celebrated in Spain and Italy
- 16 Regular Meeting, 6:30 P.M. Dover Sheraton
- 19 Cornwallis surrendered to American troops in 1781 at Yorktown, Virginia, brining the Revolution to an end.
- 24 United Nations Day
- 25 – 26 Lions Eye Bank of Del. Val.
- 30 Second Cabinet Meeting

November:

- 03 – 04 Chicken Fry
- 04 DLF Auction
- 06 Board Meeting, 6:30 P.M.
- 20 Regular Meeting, 6:30 P.M., Dover Sheraton
- 24 Happy Thanksgiving**

Upcoming Dates:

Kent Party for the Blind, December 7th, Governors Ball 22-D, December 2nd

HAPPY BIRTHDAY:

October

- 11 Lisa Carr
- 20 Bill Daisey
- 20 Ralph Schleferstien
- 31 Gary Stumpf

November

- 12 James Hartman
- 12 Johnny Johnson
- 17 Richard Holland



Diabetes Corner:

I have wall-to-wall carpeting; can I walk around bare foot or in my stocking feet?

No! Carpeting does not prevent you from stepping on pins, tacks, toys, dog bones, and whatever the cat brought in. Get a good pair of house shoes or slippers to protect your feet.

The only time to go without shoes is when you are in bed or bathing. Even in the summer at a beach or pool, viruses, bacteria, and foreign bodies are lurking, just waiting for your bare feet. Always wear protective footwear.

Club News and Notes:

SEPTEMBER REGULAR MEETING

Meeting Called to Order by King Lion Rich at 6:35 P.M.

Song Lion Lyle
Pledge Lion Rose
Invocation Lion Tee Bell
Toast Lion Don
Lion's Song Lion Rennie

Introduction of our guests were made by Lion Ronda, Lion Rennie, and by Lion Lyle, along with visitors from the Clayton Lions Club.

Lion Norm presented the King Lion with the International Presidents Pin.

Sign-Up schedule for the open house at Dover Air Force Base was passed around for workers on the 7th and 8th of October.

We received a donation to the club while selling the car raffle tickets.

Special Olympics have asked the Dover Lions to cook hamburgers and hot dogs. This requires 2 lions and 2 grills. Contact the King Lion by Wednesday if you can help with this activity.

The Walk for Sight is on October 8th, to support the Delaware Lions Foundation.

Certificates of appreciation were presented to the auctioneers that help us at the Dover Lions Yard Sale the last two years.

Lion Rennie gave the club a little quiz on Lionism. Quiz winner was Lion Rodrick.

50/50 winner received \$19.00.

Motion was made and seconded and passed to approve the Secretary and Treasurer's report as submitted.

Car Raffle tickets will be sold at Spence's on Tuesday and Friday from 7:30 A.M. to 1 P.M. and on Saturday at the Dover Race Track camp site. Help is needed all three days.

The Chicken Fry is on November 4th and 5th. Tickets for this were handed out to all in attendance at the meeting and tickets will be mailed to all who were not at the meeting.

Lion Don Kirk was presented with a chevron for 40 years as a lion; he has been a lion for 44.4 years.

Lion Lisa has received 8 requests for eye glasses approved to date and the club has approved \$800 for eyeglasses to date.

Tickets are available for the Hunt Family Fiddlers. Contact Lion Lyle for addition tickets and information.

The USA/Canada Forum was attended by three Dover Lions. They reported that they each learned a lot.

Motion was made and passed to adjourn at 8:37 P.M.

ATTENTION DOVER LIONS:

If you would like to make a visitation get you team together and contact Lion James Hartman. His schedule for the next two months is listed below.

OCTOBER

Monday 2	Brookside Lions Club – 6:30 PM
Monday 9	New Castle Lions Club – 6:30 PM
Tuesday 10	Georgetown Lions Club - 6:30 PM
Thursday 26	Milford Lions Club – 6:30 PM
Monday 30	District Lions Meeting – 6:30 PM

NOVEMBER

Wednesday 1	Clayton Lions Club – 6:30 PM
Monday 6	Midway Lions Club – Noon
Tuesday 7	Glasgow Lions Club – 6:30 PM
Tuesday 14	Diabetes Expo – Sheraton Hotel

October Board Meeting

1st VP Called the September Board Meeting to order at 6:32 P.M.

The Secretary and Treasurer Report were accepted as submitted by motion that was seconded and passed.

For official Dover Lions working at Spence's contact Lion Lyle.

At trhe Special Olympics cooking at Dover Downs on 10/7/2006 Lion Rose is in charge of holding and warming the buns????

Dover Air Force Base Open House on October 7th and 8th and the Dover Lions will be manning a Lions Information Booth.

The District Governor will be visiting the Dover Lions on October 16th. All members of the club are encouraged to attend this meeting. The Board approved a \$100.00 donation in the name of the District Governor to the Delaware Lions Foundation.

Lion Rose asked the club for an ad for the Governors Ball. The club purchased a full page ad for \$225.00.

Motion was made and seconded and passed to close the meeting at 7:20 P.M.

District Governors Message:

Dear Fellow Lions, Lioness, and Leos:

Is your club Shifting the Paradigm? Your Cabinet has visited several clubs at this point in time and we are seeing a Shifting of the Paradigm. Every club we have visited has tried or is trying something new and exciting. We visited the Newark Club, which has done away with a head table this year. Your Cabinet found it a wonderful way to meet and share some time with our fellow Lions from the Newark Club. When a Lion travels up and down our Great State on visitations you can get to know your fellow Lions from your own Club as well. I would encourage all members to go out on visitations and learn more about your fellow Lions. This is also an exciting way to learn how your Club can Shift the Paradigm with new projects and ideas from your fellow Clubs in this wonderful Lions District known as 22-D.

When your Cabinet makes its official visitation to your Club this year we will be emphasizing 2006-2007 as the year of Club Renewal. We would like for you to examine all your Club Activities and generally how your Club operates. We would like for you to: 1) Identify highly successful activities and practices that your Club performs. We would like for you to continue and expand those activities and practices. 2) Identify less successful activities and practices. How can you change and improve those activities and practices? And finally, 3) identify unsuccessful activities and practices and replace them with something new. On our visitation to your Club please help us in identifying the three types of activities and practices that your Club performs. Let us talk about the three different types of activities and practices that your Club performs. This has been very beneficial in our meetings thus far. But don't just tell us, talk about these with your fellow Lions in your Club and Shift the Paradigm.

I had the distinct pleasure in addressing and installing the new officers of our newest Club, the Capitol City Lions Club. As many of you know the Capitol City Club was the dream of PDG Bill Kircher and a handful of other Lions of District 22-D. The Capitol City Club started its infancy as a Branch Club of the Dover Lions Club and has developed into the Chartering of a full-fledged Lions Club. Congratulations go out to the members of the Capitol City and Dover Lions Clubs as well as PDG Bill Kircher and IPDG Ralph Schieferstein who acted as the Guiding Lions for our newest Club in the District. Can you feel the Paradigm Shifting with two new clubs in our District in the last two years?

Are there other Clubs in our District that can be formed in areas not served by Established Clubs? Are there Clubs out there in areas where a Breakfast or Lunch Club could be formed to benefit potential Lions that can't make an Established Club's meeting time or day of the week? Please contact your District Extension Chair, Past Council Chair Don LeCates, who would be glad to help in your efforts.

Is your Club participating in the Peace Poster Contest? It's not too late but time is of the essence. This is a terrific community service for the youth of the District. So if your Club has not participated in this worthwhile project, Shift the Paradigm and get started right away, but we need your Club's winning entries turned in to the Cabinet by November 15, 2006.

Keep On Shifting!!

Keith



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