

# The LIONS That ROAR

Volume 15 Issue 4

District 26-M2

February 2023



**District Governor**  
Lion Leon Hove



**1st Vice District Governor**  
Lion Paul Carr



**2nd Vice District Governor**  
Lion Michelle Foster



**Cabinet Secretary**  
Lion Toni Mahoney



**Cabinet Treasurer**  
Lion Dennis Hemsath

## District 26-M2 Governor Leon's Message

**Fellow Lions,**

WOW! That's the only thing I can say about the February 17-19 weekend. Over 200 Lions enjoyed the hospitality of twelve clubs and the music of Schmitts and Grins until we had to push them out at 11:00 pm. The food and beverages were great and if you missed it all I can say is you missed a great time.

International Director Ernesto "TJ" Tijerina and his wife Juanita are fabulous representatives for Lions offering us encouragement and enlightenment about things happening at the International level. Changes to MyLCI are on the way and it should become much easier for all of us to navigate Lions web site as the software is changed and improved. Membership is improving and Lions are performing more service in our constitutional area as well as around the world.

LCIF continues to help those in Ukraine, Poland, and other countries who are accepting refugees from the Russian attempts to invade Ukraine. Hurricanes, floods, tornadoes, and earthquakes seem to have affected almost every area of our globe and Lions have been there with grants and assistance. We collected \$1,000 on a raffle board for LCIF at the convention that was won by Jeanne Carton, Chesterfield Lions President giving her a Melvin Jones Fellowship. Remember all of your donations to LCIF go directly to those in need with NO money deducted for Lions expenses.

On the district level our membership is recovering from the normal drop at the end of the year with St. Clair adding ten new members and Valley Park nine. Overland, Eureka, Rock Community and others are adding members as well. We still haven't completed the reactivation of SLU Campus Club, but we are getting close. Tom Culliton is working with a visually impaired group and the Missouri School for the Blind to possibly form a new club. (Continued on Page 2)

I've completed almost all Governor's visits with a few clubs still needing to get theirs on the schedule. It is a real joy to visit clubs and meet Lions that are passionate about their service to others in their communities. Each one has found ways to help others by transporting people to doctor appointments or just to get groceries to repairing porch railings or maybe doing yard work. Yes, eye exams and glasses are by far the most prevalent service, but it is amazing the variety of things our Lions do to help others.

We are back in the mission business after Covid. The first USA mission in Soulard back in November was a success and has resulted in another one being scheduled in Mexico, Missouri April 30. We are well on the way to establishing a partnership with the Archdiocese of St. Louis to accompany one of their RVs to rural medical sites in the area offering recycled eyeglasses to those in need. We have already begun to get referrals from their doctors for vision issues that we can assist with through our clubs in the areas they service. The first trip to Mexico in over two years for an eye mission is March 9-12 with seven Lions going to distribute recycled eyeglasses with Lions In Sight of California and Nevada.

We did hold elections at the convention and Lion Paul Carr of House Springs is now District Governor Elect and Lion Michelle Foster of Beaufort is 1st Vice District Governor Elect. They are looking for people to fill their cabinet positions and serve as zone chairs. Step up and volunteer to serve on the district level and experience the joy of serving on a broader venue than the club level.

I personally want to thank all of those who attended the convention and made it such a great success. Especially the Washington Lions who arranged for Schmitts and Grins to play and their great hospitality area. They went all out for me and the district, and I can't express how much I appreciate their support.

Lastly, thanks to all of you for your support and service so far this Lions year. We still have about four months left in my term with much more to do. If I can assist you in any way, please call.

Be FREE to Serve! Be FREE to Be a Lion!

*Lion Leon Hove,  
District Governor*

## District 26-M2 - DG-Elect Paul's Message

### Fellow Lions in District 26-M2,

It is the start of the new calendar year, all the Christmas items are put away, and the New Years resolutions are on the path to success! So they say... well it is a start and hope that you are successful in your endeavors. Me, I am getting ready to set some goals, priorities them to somewhat order, and getting ready to fill some vacancies with our organization. Yes, that is correct, we have some work to do! If you are interested in helping out our great organization, please let me know! I do want to thank you for voting me in to be your next district governor, I will try to do my best and with your help we will succeed! GET Excited to Serve! Let's keep in touch.

*Lion Paul Carr,*  
*District Governor-Elect*  
lionpcarr@gmail.com

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## District 26-M2 - 1<sup>st</sup> VDG-Elect Michelle's Message

### Greetings Lions,

Well, we just finished up with District Convention and it was a great time as always. So good to see so many New Lions, Seasoned Lions, Happy Lions, and Lions Friends. I sincerely want to "Thank" Everyone that was in attendance to vote for voting for me. I am truly honored and look forward to continuing serving to the best of my abilities and having fun. If you were unable to attend, don't worry. Lions have lots of gatherings and you are always invited.

I truly enjoyed hearing all the great Service that the Lions are doing, and hope you all have fun while you are doing it. We want to make sure that all the Service that any Lion does gets recorded on LCI, (examples: driving people to dr. appointments, designated trash area pickup, providing free meals, doing eye screenings, and so much more). By reporting service hours and estimated number of people served, thus helps Lions Club International look better in the eyes of other Foundations. Foundations that look to join forces with service organizations to battle great causes or missions. If you want more information, just send me a note.

We have some Great trips coming up that the Lions have on the Calendar coming up in the next 4 months, Mid-South, Memphis, TN Bus Trip Weekend (Apr.14-16), State Convention, Branson, MO (April 20-23), PDG Mystery Bus Tour (June 24).

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Thank You for all you do! Don't forget if you can't do it alone, reach out and ask for others to help as we are all Lions United Together far and wide!!

Serving with a Smile!!

*Lion Michelle Foster*

*1st VDG-Elect*



## Welcome These New Members

Have you done your part? Bring in a new member, help us grow!  
Thanks to all Lions who have brought in new members this past year.  
Continue to work towards increasing our membership.

(December 2022 - January 2023)

### **MAPLEWOOD LIONS CLUB**

JAMES B MURPHY

### **OVERLAND LIONS CLUB**

LARRY L. BENNETT  
PATRICK J. WROBLEWSKI  
BRITTANY WYATT  
JASON WYATT

### **PACIFIC LIONS CLUB**

GARY WITTMER

### **ROCK COMMUNITY LIONS CLUB**

DIANE MYERS  
DON A REYNA

### **ST LOUIS SOUTH SIDE LIONS CLUB**

MICHAEL ROHLMANN

### **UNION LIONS CLUB**

ALLEN L LINDEMAYER  
SHIRLEY M LINDEMAYER

### **WASHINGTON LIONS CLUB**

CARYN LAMPING

**District 26-M2**  
**2022-2023**  
**Calendar of Events**

*Updated 1/4/2023 (\* denotes additions or changes)*

[www.Lions26m2.org/calendar.html](http://www.Lions26m2.org/calendar.html)

**February 2023**

\*25th, Saturday: Eureka Lions Club Trivia Night @ Eureka/Pacific Elks Lodge in Eureka, MO. It will be 10 rounds of general trivia. Registration will begin at 6:30pm with the Trivia starting at 7pm. We will have a 50/50 as well as other fun games throughout the evening. Beer, wine, soda, water, and snacks are included, but a cash bar will also be available for mixed drinks. However, you may bring your own food or snacks, and table decorations. NO outside alcohol is allowed! The cost is \$25/person, \$200 for a table of 8. You can sponsor a Trivia round for \$75 and/or a table sponsor for \$50. All proceeds go to supporting the Eureka Lions Club fundraising efforts. Any questions can be directed to Lion Jim Patton [jpatton@stl1homes.com](mailto:jpatton@stl1homes.com).

**March 2023**

5th, Sunday: Beaufort Lions Club Shooting Matches @ Beaufort Lions Club, 2041 Lutheran Church Rd, Beaufort, MO 63013. The matches will start at 12 pm. For more information contact Lion Roy Brunkhorst Jr. at 00(573) 459-2029 for Shooting Matches and Lion Darrell Glosemeyer at (573) 237-7029.

6th, Monday: Global Action Team Meeting.

12th, Sunday: Missouri School for the Blind Open House and Lions Night. More details and RSVP opportunities will be available after the New Year.

**April 2023**

2nd, Sunday: Beaufort Lions Club Shooting Matches @ Beaufort Lions Club, 2041 Lutheran Church Rd, Beaufort, MO 63013. The matches will start at 12 pm. For more information contact Lion Roy Brunkhorst Jr. at 00(573) 459-2029 for Shooting Matches and Lion Darrell Glosemeyer at (573) 237-7029.

3rd, Monday: **District Cabinet Meeting**, The Timbers of Eureka, 6:15 to 8:45 pm. ALL ARE WELCOME!

\*8th, Saturday: Zone 3 Event: Forest Park Walk for Wishes. Contact Zone Chairperson Lion Nikki Hull for more information [angelswithwings@aol.com](mailto:angelswithwings@aol.com)

\*15th, Saturday: Mid-South Lions is hosting VISITING LIONS DAY at the Hamilton Eye Institute in Memphis. A brief general session will begin at 8:00 AM featuring a presentation by some of our world-renowned ophthalmologists, continuing with tours of the Operating Room Suites, Hands-On Skills Lab (shown at right), Pediatric Clinic and Research Floor. We will tour until lunch, which will be served while an informational session on Mid-South Lions is presented. We will adjourn about 2:30 PM. While there is no cost for attending, we ask that you register so we can plan our lunch count.

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## **Calendar of Events**

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### **April 2023 (Continued)**

ATTENTION MISSOURI LIONS: WE WILL BE RUNNING A BUS FROM WASHINGTON, JEFFERSON CITY AND ROLLA FOR OUR VISITING LIONS DAY. COST IS \$100 PER PERSON. (LODGING NOT INCLUDED). There are several hotels near the Hamilton Eye Institute and there's lots to do in Memphis so make plans to come. <https://midsouthlions.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/1467553>

21st – 23rd, Friday – Sunday: **MD26 Lions State Convention** @ Radisson Hotel Branson, 120 S Wildwood Dr, Branson, MO 65616.

### **May 2023**

\*6th, Saturday: Zone 3 Event: Lions Day Out At The Zoo. Everyone is going to meet by the Lions at big cat country at 2 PM. Contact Zone Chairperson Lion Nikki Hull for more information [angelswithwings@aol.com](mailto:angelswithwings@aol.com)

8th, Monday: 2022-2023 Zone Chairperson Training @ TBD

### **June 2023**

\*3rd, Saturday: Zone 3 Event: swimming at the Arnold Rec Plex @ 2pm. Contact Zone Chairperson Lion Nikki Hull for more information [angelswithwings@aol.com](mailto:angelswithwings@aol.com)

3rd, Monday: **District Cabinet Meeting**, The Timbers of Eureka, 6:15 to 8:45 pm. ALL ARE WELCOME!

24th, Saturday: 3rd Annual Mystery Tour hosted by M2 PDGs - MARK YOUR CALENDAR NOW! Everyone is welcome to attend this event to help raise funds for KidSight.

### **July 2023**

\*7th – 11th, Friday – Tuesday: **Lions Clubs International Convention** @ Boston, MA. <https://lclcon.lionsclubs.org/>

\*28th -30th, Friday – Sunday: **Great Plains Lions Leadership Institute (GPLLI)** @ Northwest Missouri State University, Maryville, Missouri. <http://gplli.com/> .

This is a three-day training curriculum that will teach you every aspect of leadership you can imagine; starting from the minute you arrive. The institute is filled with seminars, workshops, and lectures on subjects such as time management, team building, delegation, management of change, leadership styles, public speaking, motivation, goal setting, and working in teams just to mention a few. The subjects are useful in every facet of leadership, not only as a Lion but also in your business and personal life. The institute will include dynamic presenters from across North America. They are well versed in the Lions organization as well as having the qualifications needed to facilitate the training for becoming a productive leader.



## **TRIBUTE to LION EUGENE MORSE**

We are saddened by the passing of Lion Gene Morse of the Downtown Lions Club on January 6, 2023. Lion Gene learned about Lionism at a young age as his father was a Lion and held Lion's club meetings in his paint store in Gothenberg, Nebraska where Gene grew up. Gene was a 43-year member of the St. Louis Downtown Lion's Club. He served in many roles at the local and district level, including Club President, and received the Melvin Jones Fellowship commendation. To honor Gene, lions gathered at the Webster United Methodist Church on January 11 for the Rose Ceremony lead by District Governor Leon Hove.

Gene served and touched many lives as demonstrated by the many condolences that pored in on-line and from testimonies during the Celebration of Life at the church. Gene studied social work and became an ordained elder of the United Methodist Church. Combining social work and ministry, he ran social justice ministries in London, England and served as executive director of Kingdom House in St. Louis.

Our condolences go out to his wife Lettie and the rest of his family. No matter what he did, Lion Gene's whole life was a life of service. At the Celebration of Life, Pastor Sharon Kichline quoted John Wesley, the co-founder of the Methodist church. Wesley's quote aptly sums up Lion Gene's life of service when he wrote: Do all the good you can, by all the means you can, in all the ways you can, in all the places you can, at all the times you can, to all the people you can, as long as ever you can.

Lion Annette Nowakowski  
Member, Downtown Lions Club

## DISTRICT 26-M2 CONVENTION PHOTOS



ID Lion Ernesto "TJ" Tijerina



PCC Lion George Winkeler, Jr.



ID Lion TJ & wife, Lion Juanita;  
Lion Cyndi Carr & DG-Elect Lion  
Paul Carr



DG(26-M4) Lion Harold Spire & Wife, Lori;  
DG (26-M5) Lion Pat Scott; ID Lion TJ, &  
DG (26-M3) Lion Sandy McCann



ID Lion TJ & wife, Lion Juanita; &  
PDG Lion Eugene Taylor



ID Lion TJ & wife, Lion Juanita; GMT  
Membership Coordinator Lion Vickey Engel;  
& DG Lion Leon Hove



Lion Cindi Carr, Lion Vickey Engel; Lion Juanita Tijerina, and 1stVDG-Elect Lion Michelle Foster



ID Lion TJ; DG Lion Leon; Lion Kathy Pusateri, receiving the International President's Certificate of Appreciation; & PID Lion Don Noland.



ID Lion TJ; DG Lion Leon; PID Lion Don Noland; & Lion Vickey Engel receiving an International President's Certificate of Appreciation



PID Lion Don Noland & his wife, Betty; DG Lion Leon; Lion Juanita Tijerina; and ID Lion TJ



ID Lion TJ Tijerina and PDGS



DG Leon, ID Lion TJ Tijerina, and Lion Juanita on their way to dinner



ID Lion TJ Tijerina and PID Lion Don Noland as he is getting ready to leave



PDG Lion Devin Struttman & DG Lion Leon stand behind PDG Lion Missy Maune as she reads the names during the Necrology Service



ID Lion TJ Tijerina and DG-Elect Lion Paul Carr



DG-Elect Lion Paul Carr and Lion Juanita Tijerina



DG-Elect Lion Paul Carr (far left) and Toni Mahoney (far right) presenting money to a couple from London to help their son who is having surgery at Children's Hospital.



1stVDG-Elect Lion Michelle Foster, Lion Juanita Tijerina, DG-Elect Lion Paul Carr, ID Lion TJ Tijerina, & DG Lion Leon Hove



Lion Juanita Tijerina at the Iron Spike Model Train Museum. ID Lion TJ Tijerina is a collector



PDG Lion Missy, DG Lion Leon, Lion Vickey, Lion Juanita, & ID Lion TJ



DG Lion Leon Hove with Pat Slade from Leader Dog at a Washington Lions meeting



And, now, for a little Hospitality fun— a pair of underwear won by ??? on Hospitality Night and modeled by a nameless person.

# LBOMB



Fellow Lions and Friends:

Please put Saturday, April 15 on your calendar for Visiting Lions Day at Mid-South in Memphis.

There will be a bus roving through Missouri on April 14 from Washington to Jefferson City to Rolla for those who would like to be chauffeured down to Mid-South. Seating is limited to the first 55 paid and the cost is \$100 per person.

Attached is detailed information and QR Code for registration on the weekend. Or visit [www.midsouthlions.org](http://www.midsouthlions.org) as we are only taking online reservations. (If you are tech challenged, please call our office at 888-546-6042 and we'll help you get registered online). Space is limited so please register before April 11. Thanks for all you do to help those in need.



## [Home](#)

Mid-South Lions provides comprehensive care to the sight and hearing impaired at no cost to patients. Lions Clubs from AR, MS, MO & TN provide referrals, funding and leadership.

[www.midsouthlions.org](http://www.midsouthlions.org)

*I hope to see you in Memphis in April!*

Together in service,

PCC Brad Baker, CEO  
Mid-South Lions



FOCUS YOUR  
QR READER ABOVE  
TO REGISTER



**REGISTRATION IS FREE!**



**SPACE IS LIMITED  
SO PLEASE REGISTER  
BEFORE TUESDAY, APRIL 11**

## **EVER WONDER HOW MID-SOUTH MAKES MIRACLES?**

On Saturday, April 15, 2023  
you can see for yourself how  
Mid-South Lions works with the  
medical professionals and facilities  
at Hamilton Eye Institute in  
Memphis to make MIRACLES for  
your patients.

We're having  
**VISITING LIONS DAY AT  
MID-SOUTH!**

*Missouri Lions there will be a bus  
from Washington to Jefferson City  
to Rolla to Memphis and back for  
only \$100 per seat. Sign up  
TODAY as seats are limited to the  
first 55 riders.*

On-site sign-in will begin at 8 AM,  
events begin at 9 AM. Your tour will  
include our operating room suites,  
the one-of-a-kind pediatric floor and  
our research facilities. World-  
renowned ophthalmologists and  
outstanding Lions will lead your  
tours. For more info go to  
**[www.midsouthlions.org](http://www.midsouthlions.org)**



## **Missouri Lions Eye Mission Foundation Mission Update**

We are pleased to announce that there will be a Missouri eye glass mission trip in 2023... coming up quickly. The dates are set for this trip and we are now recruiting volunteers to serve as technicians. We have a few spots available.

Mission Trip – March 9-12, 2023

Mexico

Morelia, Michoacán

2 Clinic Days

Key Details:

- Volunteers are responsible for their airfare and personal expenses. Food and lodging will be covered.
- The duties of the technicians include matching prescriptions to the appropriate glasses. For those inexperienced, you will receive information prior to the trip and training at the clinic.
- The time spent at the clinic will be physically demanding and may require long periods on your feet. It is essential that you be in good physical condition.
- You will need a passport.
- We are also recruiting doctors for this trip and future trips. If you know someone, we appreciate any referrals.

If interested in going on this trip, please complete the attached application and return to me. Preference will be given on a first-come, first-serve basis. If we have more interest than spots available, we will create a wait list. Past experience has shown that not everyone who commits initially will be able to go on the trip.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

**IPDG Lion Devin Struttmann**

**Missouri Lions Eye Mission Foundation**

[devin@admr.com](mailto:devin@admr.com)



# **DISTRICT 26-M2 EYE WRAP**

**Hosted by  
Used Eye Glasses Committee**

**Saturday, May 6, 2023**

**Wildwood Community Park  
17155 Pond Grover Parkway  
Wildwood, MO 63038**

**10:00 a.m. to 1 p.m.**

**Donuts Provided**

**If you need glasses picked up - Call or Email:**

Lion Ed Marshall at (314) 498-0655 or [elmwildwood@charter.net](mailto:elmwildwood@charter.net)

IPDG Lion Devin Struttman at (314) 277-8292 or [devin@admr.com](mailto:devin@admr.com)

PDG Lion Elmer Weinrich at (314) 378-4758 or [eljanwein@aol.com](mailto:eljanwein@aol.com)

**PLEASE BRING USED EYE GLASSES  
AND HEARING AIDS**

## GLASSES for KOROGOCHO

“Asante for eyes.”

That was the comment from an elderly resident of Korogocho, an impoverished neighborhood, or slum, in the city of Nairobi, Kenya.

“Asante” is one of the few Swahili words I know. It means “thank you.”

Thank you for eyes?

For the last 20-something years, Lions have been furnishing reading glasses to residents of Korogocho and other Nairobi slums. It is important to realize that most slum-dwellers in Nairobi subsist on no more than a dollar a day, often by rummaging through trash piles for recyclables they can sell. Obviously, reading glasses would not be a priority for someone who must use his precious dollar a day for food, clothing and shelter. Yet, someone with poor eyesight and no glasses will miss out on a great deal of life.

A group of medical personnel – doctors, nurses, nursing students and other practitioners – have been traveling to Nairobi twice annually, in coordination with a marvelous NGO called Family Hope Charity, to provide free medical care in the slums. With them they take donated medicine and medical supplies and, of course, reading glasses. The glasses are provided free of charge by the most generous Wisconsin Lions Foundation. Typically the group packs up 500 pairs of glasses into duffel bags and distributes every single pair in the course of their 2-week visits.

Even though I am not a medical person, I have had the privilege of accompanying this group whenever I could. As a member of the Mid-town St. Louis Lions, my job is to request the glasses from the Wisconsin Lions Foundation and to pack them up for transport. Once we get to Nairobi, my job is to staff a clinic station and match consumers with the right strength of reading glasses, using a simple eye chart. We don’t usually have an eye doctor with us, so the reading glasses and the eye chart are the limit of our expertise. Lucky for me, it’s not rocket science.

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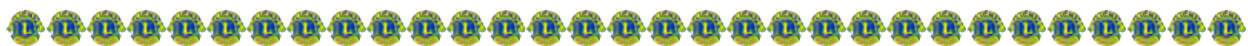
Once not too long ago, we had held a clinic and were packing up to return to our hostel, when a gentleman walked up and began to try to engage me in a conversation. I recognized him as someone I had given glasses to earlier. He didn't know much English and I know almost no Swahili, so it was a pretty disjointed conversation. Finally he made a gesture that I took to mean "wait here, I'll be back." And he walked away.

Meanwhile, I struck up a conversation with one of our translators. My eyeglass patient returned with something in his hand which turned out to be a photograph. Now, photographs are a rarity in the slums, where there are no cameras and few smart phones. (Although everyone has a cell phone, we don't know where they get them and we don't ask.) This was a photo of a slightly younger version of himself, dressed in a resplendent white suit, alongside a boy, also dressed up, who looked to be about 10 years old. Through the translator he explained that this photo was taken 6 years ago, and I can't for the life of me remember what the occasion was. But he wanted me to have the picture, in thanks for my providing him with this simple pair of reading glasses.

He had written on the photo his name, his phone number, his wife's name and number, and the phrase "Asante for eyes." Thank you for eyes.

Maybe this was just his broken-English way of saying thank you for the glasses, but I opted to take it literally. I took it to mean he was thanking me for opening up the world of fine print, of pictures he could not see before, of anything too small for his old eyes to see clearly. So he awarded me with this old photo that he no doubt had been cherishing for the last 6 years.

That photo is now framed and occupies a place of honor on the wall of our family room. It serves as a reminder to me – and I know I don't have to remind you Lions of this – that even the smallest act of kindness can have a major impact on the life of the recipient.



Lions District 26-M2

Lions Assistance and Service (LAS)

Lion Kelly Rackovan

Correct Operating Procedures for this year for processing requests. The Correct Operating Procedure is noted as follows:

1. The call comes in to the Hot Line and the requestor is directed to the 26M2 Lions website <https://lions26m2.org/resources.html> for eye care and hearing resources.
2. The requestor completes the required form and sends it to the address noted on the form.
3. Request is received at the LAS Post Office Box.
4. The request is reviewed for completeness.
5. The reviewed request is logged and forwarded to the LAS to be assigned to a local club.
6. The LAS chair forwards the request to the club or club closest to the geographical location.
7. The assigned club reviews and accepts the request to be processed (or denies due to budgetary issues)
  - a. If denied by the Local Club the LAS will direct to the closest club in that geographical area.
8. The assigned club reports back to the LAS regarding the status of the request.
  - a. Assigned
  - b. In progress
  - c. Forwarded
  - d. Closed (Complete)
9. If ANY Lions club receives an independent request OUTSIDE of the LAS line, please contact the LAS chair with the following information.
  - a. Date received
  - b. Requestors Name
  - c. ZIP CODE
  - d. Club Name assisting
  - e. Date of completion

We would like to hear from everyone and to recognize the great work that you are doing in your community.

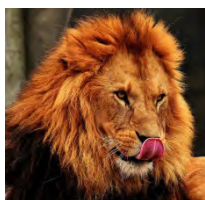
Lion Kelly Rackovan

Chair – Lions Assistance and Services (LAS)

Las@lions26M2.org



**MAPLEWOOD LIONS CLUB  
IS HAVING A FUNDRAISER!!**



**DONATE WHILE YOU DINE**

**WHERE: AMORE'S PIZZA  
450 ST FRANCOIS STREET  
FLORISSANT, MO 63031**

**WHEN: MARCH 17, 18 & 19, 2023**

**TIME: FRIDAY & SATURDAY 11AM TO 9PM  
SUNDAY 11AM TO 8PM**

**YOU WILL NEED TO HAVE THE FLYER IN ORDER  
FOR THE MAPLEWOOD LIONS TO GET THE  
PERCENTAGE.**

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.**

UNION LIONS CLUB

*Annual St. Patty's*

# PUB CRAWL

MARCH 18



STARTS @ 6PM



**\$20 ENTRY**

For info & to  
reserve your  
tshirt, text

**314.435.0291**

# House Springs Lions

## Legendary

# Mouse Races

Saturday - March 25 2023

Doors open at 6:00pm Races start at 7:00pm

Location: Knights of Columbus Hall

6800 K.C. Lane, House Springs

Enter from Dulin Creek Rd.

**We are Back**

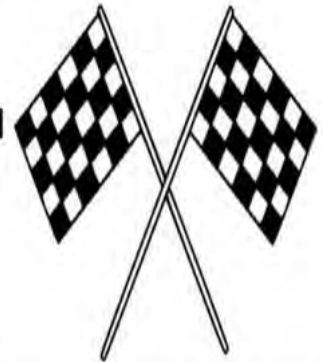
\$30.00 per person - \$240.00 per table

Open Bar - Soda, Beer, Wine and Mixed Drinks

Bring your snacks for your table



- DJ
- 50 State Wheel
- 50/50's
- Track Races
- Silent Auction

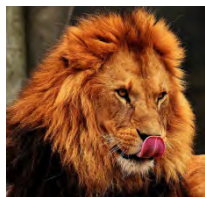


For Info Contact	Gary	636-222-0949
	Al	314-606-5568



## **MAPLEWOOD LIONS CLUB**

**IS HAVING A FUNDRAISER!!**



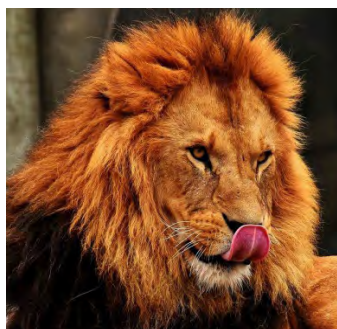
**DONATE WHILE YOU DINE**

**WHERE: FORTHELLS PIZZA  
7932 MCKENZIE ROAD  
AFFTON, MO. 63123**

**WHEN: APRIL 18, 2023**

**TIME: 4:00PM TO 10:00PM**

**YOU WILL NEED TO HAVE THE FLYER IN ORDER  
FOR THE MAPLEWOOD LIONS TO GET THE  
PERCENTAGE.**



**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT**

# 26-M2 PAST DISTRICT GOVERNOR (PDG) GROUP



## Mystery Tour

**Saturday June 24, 2023**

**A Full Day of Fun, Friendship, Laughter, Surprises, and Mystery!**

(Bus will pick up from Washington Commuter Parking Lot and Valley Park Commuter Parking Lot.)

Only 50 Seats Available. \$100 per Seat. All proceeds benefit Kids Sight!



## **Please Remember These Lions**

(December 2022 - January 2023)

### **EUREKA LIONS CLUB**

ROBERT H KEE JR.

### **ST LOUIS DOWNTOWN LIONS CLUB**

EUGENE W MORSE

### **ST LOUIS SOUTH SIDE LIONS CLUB**

GEORGE A WINKELER SR.

**Please Continue to Keep These Lions and All Who Have Passed Before In Your Prayers**

Deadline for the next scheduled issue of “The Lions That Roar” is **April 12, 2023**. Now is the time for you to get an article in spotlighting your club or a special event. Do you have a “Did You Know” article? Pictures will be used whenever possible. Do you want to share why you became a Lion? Maybe you can inspire others.

**Send to Lion Dave Kinkade, editor, at:**  
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Thank you,  
Lion Dave, Editor