

The LIONS That ROAR

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District 26-M2

August 2025



District Governor

Lion Wally Brumfield



1st Vice District Governor

Lion Jeff Rackovan



2nd Vice District Governor

Lion Phillip Karrer



Cabinet Secretary

Lion Kelly Rackovan



Cabinet Treasurer

Lion Joseph Schroeder

District 26-M2 Governor Wally's Message

Fellow Lions,

As we start a new Lion's year, we find that many things have changed while many things remain the same. The one constant remains is our desire to serve our community.

As our Clubs set their budgets and select the dates for their events one factor must always be included, that is we must have fun. All work and no play will lose workers.

At the last cabinet meeting the Zone Chairs gave their reports and the number of upcoming events made it sound like this will be a very busy. Keep your Zone Chairs informed of your programs and events.

If you are in need of help with a program or an event, let your Zone Chair or neighboring clubs know you need assistance. Your district officers are not afraid to get their shoes dusty, so, if you need help, ask and we will do our best to get the help you need to make your program / event a success.

One last request. Please report your service to LCI. Your club is dedicated to serve the community, so let everyone know what you have done in your community. If there are questions, ask. Training can be arranged for groups of one or more.

*Lion Wallace Brumfield,
District Governor*

ONE WORLD, ONE PEOPLE, WE SERVE.

District 26-M2 - 1st VDG Jeff's Message

Greetings Lions of 26M2!!!

Here we are, a new Lion Year, making a lot of moves and initiating and maintaining fantastic service for our communities! The new Lion Year is in full swing! There are a lot of activities, fundraising events and service projects in motion. A lot of clubs are wrapping up their summer events and services to only begin planning their fall programs. Summer will turn to fall soon but that doesn't limit us for the amazing service to our organizations and communities.

What a fantastic organization we belong to and serve with. DG Wally has a plan to move forward, establish membership, service and outreach. This is all so exciting! Let's keep the momentum and make things happen.

After meeting with DG Wally, he is prepared for his year of Leadership and is excited to keep things moving!

As we turn the corner into a full and inspiring year under DG Lion Wally, I am looking forward to learning and leading with DG Lion Wally! Supporting our District Governor for 2025-2026 to build and rejuvenate our service capabilities where possible. Let all Lions in the district get behind DG Lion Wally and serve with him and our Great District.

To Make a difference, we need to Continue to "Be the Difference".

Yours in Service,

*Lion Jeff Rackovan,
1st Vice District Governor*



District 26-M2
2025-2025 Calendar of Events
DG Lion Wally Brumfield
Updated 08/04/2025 (denotes additions or changes)*
www.Lions26m2.org/calendar.html

August 2025

*16th, Saturday: 5th Annual PDG Mystery Tour. We are planning another awesome bus trip to raise funds for Kids Sight. In the past we have visited wineries, distilleries and other mysterious sights. Two pick up points. Tickets are \$100 per person. Tickets are available on first-come first-served basis. Contact Lion Al Blumenberg 314-606-5568 or Lion Joe Foster 573-259-7700 for tickets for more information.

18th, Monday: Richwoods Lions Club Auction @ Richwoods Lions Club, 10645 Highway A, Richwoods, MO 63071.

23rd, Saturday: Midwestern Braille Volunteers 12th Annual Trivia Night @ Crestwood Community Center at Whitecliff Park, 9245 Whitecliff Park Lane, Crestwood, MO 63126. Doors open at 6:00 pm, Trivia begins at 6:45 pm. \$25/person includes beer, wine, soft drinks. No outside alcohol allowed. Bring your snacks. Visit www.mbvola.org for fly or registration form. Or Contact Courtney or Loretta at mwvbol@gmail.com or 314-966-5828.

23rd - Saturday - Maplewood Lions are sponsoring a game day for visually impaired community at the MSB building on Chippewa. Doors open at noon, play begins at 1 pm. Snacks, drinks, attendance prizes, pot of gold available. Any questions contact lion Anna Schell - 314-647-7166

23rd – 24th, Saturday – Sunday: 1VDG Leader Dog Visit @ Leader Dogs Campus in MI. This is for the 1st Vice District Governors in MD26 Missouri.

27th - Wednesday - Maplewood Lions are a sponsor of the Mid County Summer Concert series at 6 pm at Ryan Hummert Park - giving away books, puzzles and candy and promoting Lionism.

*29th, Friday: Cuba Lions BBQ. 11am until sold out.

30th, Saturday: The Freedom 13 Memorial Ride. Go to their website to get more information: <https://thefreedom13.org/> .

September 2025

7th, Sunday: House Springs Lions Car, Bike and Truck Show. 9 am-4 pm. \$15 per entrant. Dash plaque for first 100 in Show. BBQ, beer, music, raffles. Various trophy class categories (see flyer). DJ. Location: The Knights of Columbus Hall, 6800 Knights of Columbus Lane, House Springs MO 63051 (enter from Dulin Creek Road). For information contact Lion Gary garymeineke@aol.com (636-222-0949) or Lion Jim jimm69.us@gmail.com (314-401-3964). RAIN DATE: September 14th.

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District 26-M2
2025-2026 Calendar of Events

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September 2025

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- *8th, Monday: District 26-M2 GAT Meeting @ Pacific Lions Club, 319 W. Meramec St, Pacific, MO 63069.
- 11th, Thursday: Southside Lions Annual Golf Tournament @ Oak Valley Golf Course, 1230 Abbey Lane, Pevely, MO 63070. 10:30 am registration, 11:00 lunch, 12:30 pm Shotgun start. For more information, contact Lion Phil Johnson 314-882-7653 for phljohnson08@gmail.com.
- *12th, Friday: Hillsboro Lions Club BBQ @ 200 Main St., Hillsboro, MO (Chuck Telle Parking Lot), 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. (or sell out).
- *13th, Saturday: Beaufort Lions Club Annual Car and Truck and Motorcycle Show @ Beaufort Lions Club, 2041 Lutheran Church Rd, Beaufort, MO . Registration \$20 for 9am -11am. Judging Begins 11am. Awards at 2pm. Shire and Show \$15. Contact Lion Roy Brunkhorst 314-805-4826.
- 18th – 20th: Thursday – Saturday: USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum @ Atlantic City, NJ.
- *20th, Saturday: DeSoto Lions Club Barbecue @ Save-A-lot grocery store at 2050 Rock Road, DeSoto, MO 63020 from 10am to 2pm. Menu includes ribs, pork steaks, hamburgers, bratwursts and hot dogs.
- *21st, Sunday: Beaufort Lions Club Annual Chicken Dinner @ Beaufort Lions Club, 2041 Lutheran Church Rd, Beaufort, MO. 11:00 am – 4:00 pm.
- 24th - Wednesday - Maplewood Lions are a sponsor of the Mid County Summer Concert series at 6 pm at Ryan Hummert Park - giving away books, puzzles and candy and promoting Lionism
- 26th – 27th, Friday – Saturday: Saving Sight Board Meeting @ St. Louis, MO
- *27th, Saturday: M2 Eye Mission in Hillsboro, MO @ World Sight Day. 10 am – 1 pm.
- *27th, Saturday: Hillsboro Lions Club World Sight Day @ Hillsboro Civic Center, 10349 Bus 21, Hillsboro, MO 63050. 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Includes a District Eye Mission and Peace Poster Contest.

October 2025

- *4th, Saturday: M2 Eye Mission in House Springs, MO.
- *6th, Monday: District 26-M2 Cabinet Meeting @ Eureka Elks Lodge, 19 West 1st Street, Eureka, MO 63025. Meeting starts at 6:30 pm. Dinner @ 7:00 pm. Please RSVP to Cabinet Secretary Kelly Rackovan 314-808-7638.

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District 26-M2
2024-2025 Calendar of Events

October 2025

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*10th, Friday: Hillsboro Lions Club BBQ @ 200 Main St., Hillsboro, MO (Chuck Telle Parking Lot), 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. (or sell out).

25th. Saturday: Midtown Lions Club BBQ at Missouri Council of the Blind, 5453 Chippewa. Serving at 4:00 pm.

*25th, Saturday: Annual Gus Heck Memorial Trivia Night @ The Pavillion At Jefferson Barracks. Contact: Lion Chris Peterein chrispeterein@hotmail.com 314-630-6622

25th, Saturday: MD26 Council of Governors Meeting @ Jefferson City, MO

*29th, Wednesday: Dine and Donate Fundraiser for Maplewood Lions Club @ Pasta House – Afton, 9012 Gravois Rd, Affton, MO 314-638-1240



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.
(June 2025 – July 2025)

CHESTERFIELD LIONS CLUB

LUKE RAMSEY

MERAMEC HEIGHTS LIONS CLUB

NINA SEGOVIA

HILLSBORO LIONS CLUB

SHARON ZIMMERLY

VALLEY PARK LIONS CLUB

DAWN RAULS
THOMAS L RAULS JR.
DEREK E REDDING
ROBERT YAHL

HOUSE SPRINGS LIONS CLUB

CHLOE ZIEGLER

KIRKWOOD LIONS CLUB

CARYN RAILING

WILDWOOD AREA LIONS CLUB

REBECCA BOOMER-SCHLEGEL
MICHAEL SCHLEGEL

MEHLVILLE LIONS CLUB

CASSANDRA DECLUE
SANDY MICKLEY



Take a minute to imagine that you are a parent of a baby and you are living in a neighborhood that was destroyed by a tornado. Currently, you are living in a tent with your infant. The only way you can get supplies for your child is to borrow a car, sit in a five-hour, 15 block line on a Saturday and hope that the supplies you need will be there. If not, you will be without diapers and wipes until you try again next Saturday because all the stores where you would have shopped were also destroyed. As a parent, you are very concerned about the safety of your child. But you do not own a car seat anymore; it, too, was destroyed in the tornado. This is the situation in Saint Louis since May 16th.

As a Lion, you can make a difference in the lives of these families who will be dealing with these issues for an extended period of time. If your Club can help, you can send your donation to the 26-M2 District Treasurer:

Lion Joe Schroeder
4940 Coleman Road
Villa Ridge, MO 63089
MEMO: Tornado

I will be happy to do the shopping, deliver them and send you photos.

Also, I would be honored to speak at your Lions Club meeting. Please don't hesitate to call with any questions.

Thank you for your consideration,
Lion Nikki Hull
Webster Groves Lions Club
314-437-4300

Why report service



By sharing our impact, Lions and Leos inform, inspire and grow our global legacy of service.

Strengthen storytelling

Details give stories power. Saying you fed 87 families is more powerful than saying you organized a food drive. Saying your club contributed 1,265 volunteer hours last year is more powerful than saying your club serves the community. When your club reports service, you collect the details needed to share powerful stories of your club's impact.



*Photo by: Lion Othmar Fetz,
The LEO Book*

Inform decisions

Documented club achievements reveal what's working and what's not. For example, what if your diabetes education program is growing in attendance, but your annual club fundraiser is shrinking? Reviewing past service reports helps your club make better decisions, including choosing service activities and setting realistic goals.

Inspire service

Your reported service projects can be viewed within your district and around the world. That means your club's creativity and impact can inspire Lions and Leos to embrace new causes and serve in new ways. Reports also help Lions International staff identify best practices to share globally.



Why report service



Grow partnerships

Collaborating with other organizations in your community is a great way to increase the visibility, reach and quality of your service projects. When approaching potential partners, your club's service reports provide tangible evidence of your club's effectiveness to help persuade other organizations to join with you.

Enlighten leaders

High levels of service reporting are a sign of healthy clubs, zones and districts. Knowledge of your club's service history provides invaluable insight to current and future club officers. In addition, district, zone and Global Action Team leaders can best support your club when they understand how clubs in their area serve their communities.



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The LEO Book*

Be proud

Service data gives us the ability to communicate how **We Serve** around the world. For example, in 2021, Lions and Leos served more than 350 million people! We can take pride in that achievement thanks to the leaders who reported over 1 million service activities. Through service reporting, your club joins in that pride and is eligible for service awards.

Would you like to learn more?

Visit lionsclubs.org/service-reporting

Service Activity Information



When helpful, service information can be entered in this document and later reported through the [Lion Portal](https://lionsclubs.org/service-reporting). For more information, visit lionsclubs.org/service-reporting.

Sponsor (required) – The Lion or Leo club, district or multiple district:

Title (required) – A name for this activity:

Activity/record type (required) – Choose Service Project, Donation, Fundraiser or Meeting:

Start date – end date (required):

Cause (required for service projects, donations and fundraisers. Meetings are set automatically.) – Choose Childhood Cancer, Diabetes, Disaster Relief, Environment, Hunger, Vision, Youth or Other Humanitarian Service:

Project type (required for service projects and fundraisers. Donations and meetings are set automatically.) – Choose the best fit from the lists that follow. If more than one applies, choose the most important:

Description (required) – Consider including the community benefit and any partnerships:

People served (required for service projects) – The number of individuals who benefitted from the activity (for more information, see the *Measuring Service Impact* document):

Total volunteers (required for service projects and meetings) – Count members and non-members:

Non-Lions participated – Did the volunteers include non-Lions? (yes or no):

Non-Lion family members participated – If non-Lions volunteered, were any family members of Lions? (yes or no):

Total volunteer hours (required for service projects and meetings) – Include time spent planning and promoting the activity:

Currency – If funds were raised or donated, the currency used:

Total funds raised (required for fundraisers) – If funds were raised, the amount:

Total funds donated (required for donations) – If funds were donated, the amount:

Organization benefited – If funds were donated, the organization name:

Trees planted/cared for – If trees were planted or cared for, the number of trees:

Signature activity – Is this a recurring activity that represents your club/district identity or specialization (yes or no):

Funded by an LCIF grant – Did LCIF grant money support this activity? (yes or no):

Please send this document to the person responsible for [online](#) service reporting for your club or district. Do not send to Lions International, as it cannot be accepted. Thank you!

Global Causes and Service Reporting Project Types



Childhood Cancer

- Awareness, Education and Advocacy
- Organization or Facility Assistance
- Patient and Family Support
- Other



Diabetes

- Awareness, Education and Advocacy
- Diabetes Support Group
- Strides for Diabetes Awareness
- Type 2 Diabetes Screening
- Youth Diabetes Camps
- Other



Disaster Relief

- Awareness, Education and Advocacy
- Community Recovery and Reconstruction
- Disaster Preparedness
- Emergency Response
- Support of Disaster Relief Organizations
- Other



Environment

- Awareness, Education and Advocacy
- Clean Water and Sanitation
- Environmental Clean Up and Restoration
- Recycling and Waste Management
- Tree Planting and Tree Care
- Other



Hunger

- Agricultural Development and Support
- Community Feeding Event
- Food Collection, Preparation and Distribution
- Hunger and Nutrition Awareness, Education and Advocacy
- Hunger Initiatives for Women and Children
- Other



Other Humanitarian Service

(Includes all service outside the other causes.)

- Adult Education
- Assistance to an Individual
- Assistance to Refugees and Displaced Persons
- Awareness, Education and Advocacy
- Blood Bank Support or Blood Donation

- Community Event
- Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure
- Initiatives for the Disabled
- Initiatives for the Elderly
- Initiatives to Reduce Poverty
- Lion Hospital or Clinic
- Mental Health and Wellness
- Other Health Service Activity
- Parks and Community Improvement
- Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions
- Road Safety
- Women's Empowerment
- Workforce Skills Development
- Other



Vision

- Adult Vision Screening
- Awareness, Education and Advocacy
- Eye Hospitals and Eye Clinics
- Eyeglass Collection and Recycling
- Lions Eye Banks
- Support Services for the Blind or Visually Impaired
- Youth Vision Screening
- Other



Youth

- Awareness, Education and Advocacy
- Education and Literacy
- Lions Quest
- Lions Schools
- Peace Poster and Essay Contests
- Youth Camps and Exchange (YCE)
- Youth Diabetes Camps
- Youth Vision Screening
- Other



Missouri Lions Eye Mission Foundation

Calendar of Events

August 16 – M2 Eye Mission in Beaufort (Community Wellness Event) – 9 AM-2 PM

August 16 – M5 Eye Mission in Kansas City (Catholic Charities)

August 30 – M5 Eye Mission (Victorious Life Church) – 4 PM-7 PM

September 6 – M1 Eye Mission in Charleston – 10 AM-2 PM

September 27 – M2 Eye Mission in Hillsboro (World Sight Day) – 10 AM-1 PM

October 2 – M5 Eye Mission in Butler – 4 PM-8 PM

October 4 – M2 Eye Mission in House Springs

October 4 – M6 Eye Mission in Lebanon

October 16 – M5 Eye Mission in Belton – 4 PM-8 PM

October 18 – M5 Eye Mission in Marshall – 9 AM-1 PM

October 18 – M3 Eye Mission in Mexico MO (Mexico YMCA)

November 1 – M5 Eye Mission in Sedalia – 1 PM-4 PM

November 8 – M1 Eye Mission in Waynesville/Fort Leonard Wood

April 18 – M5 Eye Mission in Nevada – 9 AM-1 PM

**MIDWESTERN BRAILLE
VOLUNTEERS
12 TH ANNUAL
Trivia Night**



Don't have a full table of 8 people? No worries! Let us know, and we'll match you up with others!

Saturday, August 23, 2025
Doors open at 6:00pm
Trivia begins at 6:45pm

**Crestwood Community Center at
Whitecliff Park**

**9245 Whitecliff Park Lane
Crestwood, MO 63126**

*** * * \$25.00/person includes * * ***

BEER - WINE - SOFT DRINKS
No outside alcohol allowed.
Bring your snacks!
Mulligans will be available.

SILENT AUCTION
HEADS/TAILS
50/50 RAFFLES
LOTTERY TREE RAFFLE
ATTENDANCE PRIZES

**Visit www/mbvol.org for flyer or registration form. To reserve your table, sponsor a round, or to donate to our silent auction, please contact Courtney or Loretta at:
mwbvol@gmail.com or 314-966-5828**

All proceeds will benefit Midwestern Braille Volunteers a 501(c)3 non profit organization that transcribes books into Braille for blind students and adults.

Come Celebrate Our 62th Anniversary 12th Annual Trivia Night



WHEN: Sat. August 23, 2025

WHERE: Crestwood Community Center at
Whitecliff Park

TIME: Doors open at 6:00pm

Trivia starts at 6:45 pm

9245 Whitecliff Park Lane Crestwood Mo.

COST: \$25.00 per person / \$200.00 per table of 8

REGISTRATION & DONATION FORM

PLAYER REGISTRATION (8 people max/table)

Number of players: _____ x \$25 = \$ _____

Team Captain's Name:

1. _____

Other team member's names:

2. _____ 3. _____

4. _____ 5. _____

6. _____ 7. _____

8. _____

Don't have a team of 8? No problem. We'll seat you.

I'D LIKE TO:

☐ Donate item (s) _____
_____ valued at \$ _____

Please call (phone #) _____
to arrange a pickup place/time.

☐ Purchase Mulligans 6 for \$10.00 \$ _____

☐ Make a general donation \$ _____

Total \$ _____

DEADLINE: August 8, 2025

☐ Check Enclosed

(payable to Midwestern Braille Volunteers)

☐ Mastercard/Visa

Name on Card: _____

Card Number: _____

Amount: \$ _____ Expires: _____

Signature: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

For more information or to reserve via
phone, call 314-966-5828

OR
email reservations to
mwbvol@gmail.com

Mail or Fax this form to:

Midwestern Braille Volunteers
104 West Adams Avenue
Kirkwood, MO 63122
Fax: 314-966-0388

AUGUST 26-27, 2025

DGCKids: Day of Giving!



Be Part of a Team. Every \$1 Raised Becomes \$4!

For 32 hours, we're rallying families, volunteers, board members, and friends to support children with visual impairments and their families. Together, we create real and lasting impact, and thanks to generous matching donors, every gift is **quadrupled**.

At DGCKids, children and their families find tools, expertise, and a welcoming community that lights the path forward. Our mission is simple: to help children reach their full potential through family-centered, specialized services and community support.

When you create a team, you help Provide Possibilities!

\$15 = \$60
\$34 = \$136
\$52 = \$208

Your gift could open up a world of possibilities for a child who is blind or visually impaired. From providing **braille books** and **adaptive cycling gear** to funding **life-changing trips** and **in-home support**, every dollar makes a real impact.

And during Day of Giving, your donation will be quadrupled, meaning a \$34 gift can do the work of \$136!

To create a team and help us raise \$400,000 in 32 hours, connect with Lauren at lsanders@dgckids.org.

www.charidy.com/dgckids



The Freedom 13

2025
ANGELS OF
ABBEY GATE
MEMORIAL RIDE



SATURDAY AUG 30, 2025

(RAIN DATE 9/13/25) GO TO WWW.THEFREEDOM13.ORG

EVENTS PAGE FOR MORE INFORMATION
GET TICKETS BY SCANNING SCAN QR CODE)



TICKETS



MARINE LCPL
JARED SCHMITZ

COME BE A PART OF THE BIGGEST RIDE OF THE YEAR (CARS, TRUCKS, JEEPS & BIKES)

LIVE MUSIC: HORNS UP & TRIXIE DELIGHT
FOOD TRUCKS

DRINK TRUCK (ALCOHOLIC & NONALCOHOLIC)

50/50 RAFFLE & CRANE GOLFBALL DROP

PREREGISTRATION HIGHLY ENCOURAGED AS WE ONLY
HAVE ROOM FOR 2,500 EVENT ATTENDEES

RIDE LAUNCHES AT ALL SELECT LOCATIONS (SEE EVENTS PAGE FOR FULL LIST)

ALL RIDERS CONVERGE ON JEFFERSON BARRACKS PARK AMPHITHEATER

RIDERS PRE-REGISTER \$30/PARTICIPANT (INCLUDES T-SHIRT WHILE SUPPLIES LAST)

DAY OF RIDE REGISTRATION \$40/PARTICIPANT

VENDORS GATES OPEN NOON

RIDERS/PARTICIPANTS GATES OPEN AT 2PM

GENERAL PUBLIC \$25 GATES OPEN AT 3PM

THE FREEDOM13

Veteran's .ORG

Recreational Retreat

OUR MISSION

50 CAMPS IN 50 STATES

50,000+ TOTAL ACRES

650 HOMES

ALL FOR VETERANS & THEIR FAMILIES

Please consider
joining our
monthly giving
program for
only \$13/mth



USMC LCPL Jared Schmitz
KIA 8.26.21 only 20 yrs old
Abbey Gate
Kabul, Afghanistan



Hillsboro Lions Club Events

HILLSBORO LIONS CLUB BBQs

2nd Friday of each month

11 a.m. to 2 p.m. (or sell out)

200 Main St., Hillsboro, MO (Chuck Telle Parking Lot)

Friday	Jun 13
Friday	Jul 11
Friday	Aug 08
Friday	Sep 12
Friday	Oct 10



Hillsboro Lions Club World Sight Day

Saturday, September 27

10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Hillsboro Civic Center

10349 Bus 21, Hillsboro, MO 63050

Includes a District Eye Mission and Peace Poster Contest



BINGO IN **BEAUFORT** *Every Friday Night*

THE GAMES
BEGIN AT **6:30 PM**

FULL BAR & FULL MEAL AVAILABLE
EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT
COFFEE & SOFT DRINKS
AND FINGER FOODS TO ORDER

BINGO
PULL TABS
PROGRESSIVE
QUEEN OF HEARTS



BEAUFORT LIONS CLUB

2041 Lutheran Church Rd., Beaufort, MO 63013
(573) 484-3790



House Springs Lions Car, Bike, & Truck Show

The Show will be held at the Knights of Columbus Hall located at 6800 Knights of Columbus Lane, House Springs.

Note: Enter the Knights of Columbus Hall from Dulin Creek Road.

Trophy Classes

Cars Non-Stock/Non-OEM

A	1931 thru 1969
B	1970 thru 1989
C	1990 thru 2010
D	2011 thru Present

Cars Stock-OEM

E	1931 thru 1969
F	1970 thru 1989
G	1990 thru 2010
H	2011 thru Present

Trucks Non-Stock/Non-OEM

I	1931 thru 1969
J	1970 thru 1989
K	1990 thru 2010
L	2011 thru Present

Trucks Stock-OEM

M	1931 thru 1969
N	1970 thru 1989
O	1990 thru 2010
P	2011 thru Present

Special Classes

Q	Corvette up to 1982
R	Corvette 1983 thru 2004
S	Corvette 2005 thru Present
T	Mustang up to 1978
U	Mustang 1979 thru 2004
V	Mustang 2005 thru Present
W	Special Interest
X	Street Rod
Y	Rat Rod

Motorcycle Classes

1	Up to 2000
2	2001 thru Present

Additional Trophies for

Ladies Choice (Car or Motorcycle)
Best of Show (Car)
Best Engine (Car)
Best Interior (Car)
Best of Show (Motorcycle)
Best Chrome (Motorcycle)
Best Paint (Motorcycle)

SUNDAY

9/7/2025

9:00-4:00

Rain Date - 9/14/2025



A special award will be given to the Club with the most entries.

\$15.00 Entrant Fee for Show

Dash Plaque for 1st 100 in Show



BBQ • Beer • Raffles • Music

For information contact

Gary 636-222-0949 or email at garymeineke@aol.com
OR

Jim 314-401-3964 or email at jimm69.us@gmail.com



FOR MIDWESTERN BRAILLE
VOLUNTEERS & OTHER
SIDESIDE LIONS CHARITIES

THURSDAY
SEPTEMBER 11, 2025

OAK VALLEY GOLF COURSE

1230 ABBEY LN • PEVELY, MO 63070

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS



SCAN OR CODE TO
REGISTER
OR VISIT
SOUTHSIDEIONS.COM

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT
LION PHIL JOHNSON AT 314-882-7653
OR EMAIL AT PHLJOHNSON08@GMAIL.COM**



THE DETAILS

4-PERSON SCRAMBLE

10:30 AM • REGISTRATION

11:00 AM • LUNCH

12:30 PM • SHOTGUN START

ENTRY INCLUDES

LUNCH • REFRESHMENTS ON COURSE • DINNER
A-B-C FLIGHTS • \$10,000 HOLE-IN-ONE • LONGEST
DRIVE • CLOSEST TO PIN • STRAIGHTEST DRIVE

HOLE SPONSOR

ADD A SIGN ON THE TEE OR GREEN WITH YOUR
COMPANY LOGO OR AD COPY

AD COPY _____

BUSINESS CARD PROGRAM AD: \$75.00

YOU CAN SUBMIT A BUSINESS CARD SIZE AD (3.5" X 2")
TO BE FEATURED IN THE PROGRAM

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Miracle League All-Star Weekend September 12-14

We need you to help make Miracle League All-Star Weekend memorable for the athletes and families who will be joining us from around the country. Support a player, help in the concession stand, welcome families to St. Louis, or announce games. Corporate, group, and individual opportunities available.

Questions? Contact Caroline at caroline.mitchell@gwymca.org or 314-421-8885



Scan the QR code
to view available
volunteer roles and
to sign up.



Boniface
Foundation



Yes Folks,
We're Baaaaaaack!

LIONS BBQ



2nd full weekend of the month - April, May, & September

11am to 5pm - Friday & Saturday - General Grant Center - 8400 Watson Road



In April, our Friday BBQ will be

"FISH FRY-DAY"!

It's Gluten Free, Peanut Free, and Tasty Too!



And fish...
Don't forget the fish!

2025 Dates

April 11/12

May 9/10 Sept. 12/13

Webster Groves LIONS BBQ Fundraiser

Ribs, Pork Steaks, Chicken, Brats, Burgers, and Hot Dogs

Dinners include 2 sides: Baked Beans &/or Potato Salad

You can also try our Corn on the Cob

Soda, water, and condiments available

- Carry out only -



NEED SERVICE HOURS? Contact Lion Becky Shelton: 314-724-3735

BEAUFORT LIONS CLUB

ANNUAL

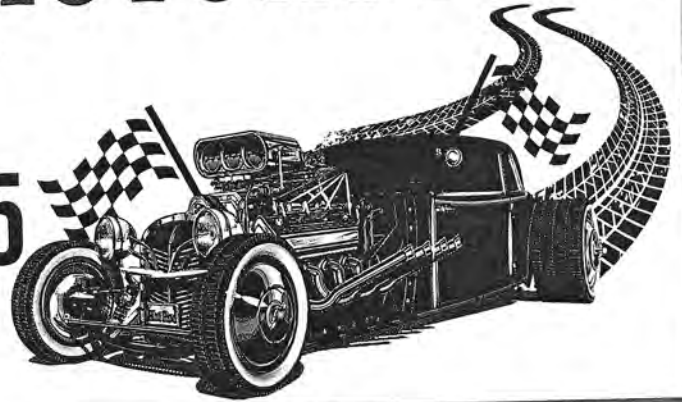
CAR, TRUCK & MOTORCYCLE

SHOW



SEPTEMBER 13, 2025

RAIN DATE SEPTEMBER 20, 2025
2041 Lutheran Church Rd, Beaufort, MO



CLASSES

STOCK/RESTORED CARS

- CUSTOM WHEELS ACCEPTED

1. 1949 - 1959
2. 1960 - 1972
3. 1973 - Present
4. American Muscle Cars 1900 - 1990
5. American Muscle Cars 1991- Present
6. Imports

MODIFIED CARS

7. 1900 - 1948
8. 1949 - 1959
9. 1960 - 1972
10. 1973 - Present
11. Imports - Tuners

SPECIAL INTEREST

12. Non Streetable
13. Rat Rods
14. Special Interest
15. Survivor
16. Chevy 1955-1957

MODIFIED TRUCKS

17. 1900 - 1959
18. 1960 - 1972
19. 1973 - 1987
20. 1988 - Present

STOCK/RESTORED TRUCKS

21. 1900 - 1959
22. 1960 - 1972
23. 1973 - 1987
24. 1988 - Present

25. CORVETTE - All

26. JEEP - All

MOTORCYCLES

27. All

\$20 REGISTRATION FEE

9:00 - 11:00 AM REGISTRATION

11:00 AM JUDGING BEGINS

2:00 - AWARDS PRESENTATION

\$15 SHINE AND SHOW / NOT JUDGED

50/50 RAFFLE ATTENDANCE PRIZES

FOOD AND BEVERAGES

SILENT AUCTION 9:00 - 1:00 PM

For any questions, please contact Roy Brunkhorst



Trivia

"A quizzing game involving obscure facts"
(which, oddly enough, is in itself an obscure fact.)

October 17th, 2025

Christ Memorial Lutheran Church
5252 S. Lindbergh Blvd.

Brought to you by
the friendly folks of

The Webster Groves LIONS



Doors Open @ 6:00

Trivia @ 7:00

Now, for the fine print.....

Raffle Items

Silent Auction

50/50

Heads or Tails

\$20/person

\$160/Table of 8

B-Y-O-B

Light snacks provided

And, the even finer print.....

For more information,

or to reserve your table -

Sandy Halama - (314)-795-7456 or
halamas@sbcglobal.net

Southside Lions Club Gus Heck Trivia Night



SIGN UP NOW!

**DID YOU
KNOW?**



Round Sponsorships just \$100

\$200 per table of 8! Beer, Wine and Soda!

Doors open at 6pm!

Trivia Starts at 7pm!

Saturday October 25th

FUN GAMES

COOL PRIZES

SILENT AUCTION

The Pavilion at Lemay

305 Gregg Rd.

St. Louis, Mo. 63125

Contact Lion Chris Peterein
chrispeterein@hotmail.com



FENTON LIONS CLUB RAFFLE



SAVAGE 6.5 PRC WITH CROSSFIRE II 3-9x40 SCOPE

WINNING TICKET WILL BE PULLED OCTOBER 28th. @ 7:30pm

\$2_{EA.} OR 3 FOR \$5

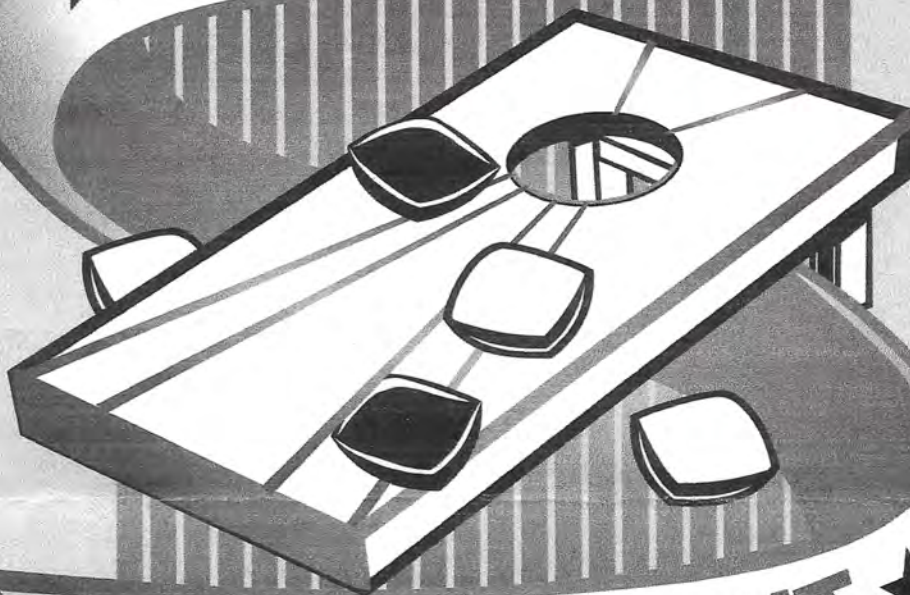


**Contact Lion Dave Kinkade: 636-343-8097, dekinkade@aol.com,
or any Fenton Lions Club member for tickets and information.**

BEAUFORT LIONS CLUB 2041 Lutheran Church Rd, Beaufort, MO
EVERY WEDNESDAY NIGHT

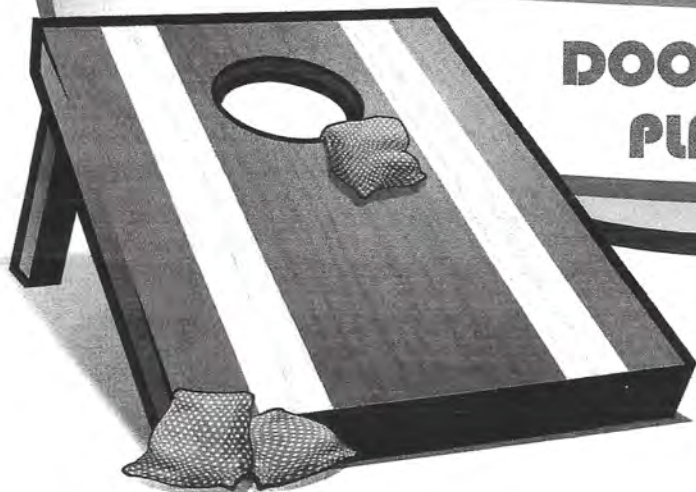


CORNHOLE



TOURNAMENT

DOORS OPEN AT 6:15PM
PLAY STARTS AT 7PM



BRING YOUR OWN BAGS
ALL SKILL LEVELS WELCOME!
\$5 LAST MAN STANDING
6 GAME GUARANTEE
AIRMAIL TICKETS TO BE SOLD

PLEASE DOWNLOAD THE SCOREHOLIO APP - TOURNAMENT WILL BE RUN OFF THIS APP.
FOR QUESTIONS PLEASE CALL OR TEXT SETH PURSCHKE AT 314-852-4753



SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1
CHESTERFIELD LIONS CLUB
TRIVIA
NIGHT
& SILENT AUCTION



Trinity Lutheran Church
14088 Clayton Rd.
Chesterfield, MO 63017

- **\$30 PER TICKET / \$240 PER TABLE (8 PER TEAM)**
- **DOORS OPEN AT 6PM
TRIVIA STARTS AT 7PM**
- **FREE DRINKS**
- **ATTENDANCE PRIZES**
- **CASH PRIZES**

All proceeds go toward providing assistance in our community & supporting local organizations such as:

- Circle of Concern
- Lafayette Industries
- St. Joseph Institute for the Deaf
- Delta Gamma Foundation
- the St. Louis Eye Care Committee
- And More!



Call 636-733-0425
to Reserve Your
Table Now!

Mail Checks To:
Janet Weinrich
15201 Olive Blvd. Apt. 425
Chesterfield, MO 63017



Mark your calendars for a milestone celebration! On *April 18, 2026*, join us in the beautiful Discovery Ballroom at Ameristar Resort and Spa for the **2nd Annual Shining Light Gala**—a spectacular evening honoring **75 years of DGCKids**.

Together, under the glow of celebration and purpose, we'll reflect on a legacy of service, resilience, and possibility, while raising critical support for children who are blind or visually impaired.

Every sponsorship, ticket purchased, and story shared helps DGCKids continue to provide life-changing services, empowering children to thrive. Let's make this evening unforgettable—because every child deserves to shine!

Ticket and table purchases will be available soon!

For details on tickets and tables, connect with **Lauren Sanders**, Development Manager, at lsanders@dgckids.org or call **314-776-1300**.

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

Please Remember These Lions

(June 2025 – July 2025)

CONCORD VILLAGE LIONS
CLUB

FRED CARESS

MAPLEWOOD LIONS CLUB

MICHAEL A HAMM

VALLEY PARK LIONS CLUB

CHARLIE RODGERS

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 **October 12, 2025**. 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:

editor@lions26m2.org

NOTE: Unless otherwise stated, the District 26-M2 “The Lions That Roar” newsletter is published bimonthly. The following is the “ROAR” schedule for the Lion year of 2025 – 2026. Unless otherwise **noted above**, please send articles for publication by the 12th of the month of publication.

October	2025
December	2025
February	2026
April	2026
June	2026

Thank you,
Lion Dave, Editor