



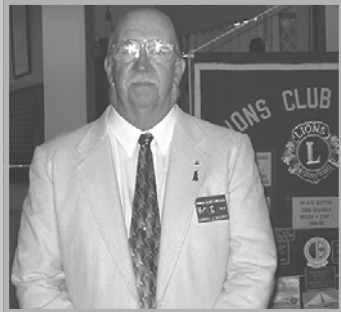
Lions Roar

Fenwick Island Lions Club Newsletter

A Great Team in Action... We Serve!



April 2005-2006



Prez Sez By King Lion Sam

Congratulations to our newest members, Fran Pretty, Jean Bertram and Muriel Mooney. They were inducted the first meeting in April.

April has been a very rewarding month, with the Springtime Jamboree took place on April 7 & 8. We were very excited and nervous too to be honored by Mr. Gerald Hocker to be the recipients of all the funds from this great fundraiser. Being responsible for the program/Ad book, ticket sales and food and drink concessions. We will use these monies to fund the many community projects we support. As of the writing of this article the total tickets sold were 1143. The Leo's are to be congratulated for a great job selling the many goodies supplied by some the ladies of our club whom have always been wonderful supporters of our club. We had record attendance both nights and the facilities were fantastic along with the many talented entertainers and a great sound system we were treated to a

special event. *Thanks to all that helped!*

We met at the Clayton Senior Center to discuss the vision screening program on April 11, with PCS Guyla Brinkmeyer, Lion Ash Ashinhurst and others. We had a good discussion and learned a lot of information about this important program. We are in the process of contacting the families of children that were referred to a vision professional as a result of the last screening process.

Thanks to 1st VP Bob Schlauch we had two good speakers this month at our Regular Meetings. The first, a young lady Lori Smyth told us of her experience at ground Zero. A very moving presentation. The Second was a Lion from Milford Lions club; Dave Clendaniel who talked to us about the Hugh O'Brien Youth (HOBY) program that promotes youth leadership.

Nominations are taking place and will be voted on the first meeting in May. I hope you will keep in mind we need people to step forward and get involved now.

We have just had our board meeting for April, which I am sorry, ran a little long. We discussed many topics. We have decided not to take part in the sales of car raffle tickets this year only. We also decided on guide lines for our sponsored Football program. In other action, Lion Donna Waughtal was accepted into membership by unanimous vote, to become a new Affiliate Member. She will be inducted later.

Ladies Day will be on June 5th this year and we are looking forward in honoring some of our own, with some Melvin Jones recipients, Ralph Helms awards and Jim McCarty awards.

Our Annual Pancake & Egg Breakfast is coming up on June 3rd. We are still in the planning stage. Please come out and support this great fundraiser.

The MD 22 Convention at Virginia Beach is fast approaching and I have received confirmation on our ticket packages. All those planning to join us at the Lynn haven Fish House on Thursday 1PM for lunch please call Lion Muriel to confirm.

Yours in Service, King Lion Sam

Calendar Of Events

Sunday April 30 Fourth & Final 2005-2006 District 22-D Cabinet Meeting: 1:30 PM Sheraton Dover, DE. The theme is Patriotic so come dressed in Red-White & Blue. \$5 each, checks to BJ Ryder no later than 4/24/06.

Thursday May 4 District 22_D Leadership School.

Thursday May 18 to Sunday May 21 Multiple District 22 Convention, Virginia Beach, VA.

Saturday Jun 3, 2006 FILC Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser.

Monday Jun 5 FILC Regular Meeting: Club Ladies

Day Festivities with Entertainment & Awards.

Friday Jun 30 to Saturday July 24 Lions International Convention in Boston, MA.

See Web Site's for additional Info.: www.filc.us & www.lions22d.org D-22 and Team Boston site for Int'l Convention:

www.intconvmd33-2006.com/index.html

News from the Lions Den

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Not Feeling too snappy?

PP Lion Jack Lorden and his wife Elissa are both experiencing new difficulties. As well as PP Lion Charlie Hyatt and wife Anita who also need our prayers. Please keep these great Lions plus others you know of that are going through life's changes, in your prayers!

As we always note: Please let PDG Lion Noble Simpson (539-3734) know of any Lions or family that could use a "thinking of you, please get well" or a little pick me up card nudge to remind them we are thinking of them. Our sick members appreciate your thoughtfulness, as does your editor. Thank you so much!



Nominations are Taking Place:

Please plan attending our Regular Meeting, May 1st, 2006 to cast your vote or introduce a name for one or more of the four (4) positions we need to fill, i.e. Tail Twister & Assistant Tail Twister plus two VP positions. Relatively speaking these are less challenging positions but very critical to our successes.

So if you know of someone, including maybe yourself, please bring the name forward, so we can have the best 2006-2007 Administrative year possible for President elect Lion Bob Schlauch!

Remember, without the administration side of our Club we couldn't have a Club!

New Members signing up!

Your Board approved another Lion wife as an Affiliate Member this past Board Meeting. Lion Donna Waughtal is now a part of our diverse group and we have it on good authority she is looking forward to the upcoming MD 22 Convention among other contributions in the near future. Lion Donna joins Lions Muriel Mooney, Fran Pretty and Jean Bertram as Lion spouses who have decided to jump on board FILC and do what they have always done best... support our Club!

Membership Chair Lion Luke Martin reports there are at least two other candidate members out there who may come on board shortly.

"Minds are like parachutes they only work when open." --Sir Thomas Dewar

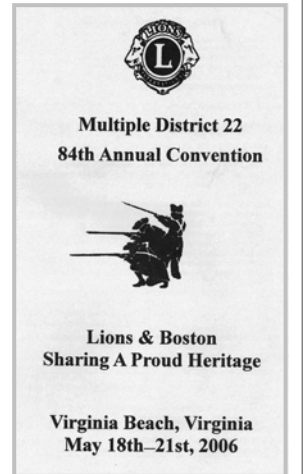
2006 Multiple District 22 Convention:

The planning is over... we wish you would go with those attending and have a great fellowship and learning experience.

To do this ... Please speak with King Lion Sam about how to sign up!!!

Go online to our District Lions Web Site: www.lions22d.org and download the Convention Brochure for more Convention details.

FILC plans lunch on the first day at the LynnHaven Fish House and Pier Café at 1:00 PM, Thursday, May 18th and we will have special dinners and gatherings at the Convention. Rooms are available at the Double Tree Hotel. Attend Pre-Convention Entertainment (The Hunt Family Fiddlers) Thursday night.



The News is Out! The Pancake & Egg Breakfast is scheduled for June 3rd, 2006. Worker sign ups will begin soon. Please support this Fund Raiser it is essential to our charitable programs!

Ladies day Meeting:



Don't forget Now! Everyone is invited to attend Ladies Day at our Club for lunch at Harpoon Hanna's on June 5th at 12pm.

So, as King Lion says... put it on your calendar. Many awards are to be given out to our many deserving members. Awards will include: Melvin Jones, Ralph Helms and James A. McCarty.

Sign up will begin shortly.

Preschool Vision Screening: A very important community program, many Lions Clubs in our District and Regions support, is Lions Clubs Internationals Grant Program for eye screening of pre school children. Amblyopia, known as "lazy eye," is a leading cause of blindness in children. LCIF's children's eye photoscreening program enables Lions to conduct mass screenings of children for amblyopia.

The 17 photoscreening programs, all but one in the United States (the other is in MD300 Taiwan), have screened more than 478,000 children. Of those screened, more than 30,000 have been referred for treatment. The photoscreening projects have been funded by Core 4 grants totaling US\$2.8 million.

In our Lions Zone, Lion Ash Ashinhurst of Lord Baltimore LC has been instrumental in getting FILC and others involved in support to area schools. A new season is starting with many program items to work out. The District Chair Lion Guyla Brinckmeyer held a planning meeting King Lion Sam and Lion Dick Waughtal Attended.



Seated L-R: Lions Bob Daniels, Guyla & Jack Brinckmeyer, Unknown Lion, King Lion Sam, PDG Mike & Doris Mock, unknown Lion, Ash Ashinhurst & John Saxon. (your editor took the picture)

Be careful about reading health books. You may die of a misprint. - Mark Twain

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Meets 1st and 3rd Mondays, Noon - Harpoon Hanna's - September through June
PP Lion Dick Waughtal-Bulletin Editor (Photos by Lions Sam Mooney & Dick Waughtal)



The Board of Directors meets the fourth Monday of the month at 4:00 pm in Fenwick Island Town Hall—all members are welcome and encouraged to attend.

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