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Coming Events

July 14-18	LICON
July 18-19	Christmas in July, Lake Alfred
Aug 9	C O G Lake Alfred Lions Club
Aug 16	1st Advisory OBTS
Aug 25	Zone 5 Mtg Kathleen LC
Aug 26	Zone 3 Mtg Beverly Hills
Sept 17-18	USA/Canada
Sept 23	Zone 3 Mtg Inverness
Oct 4	Lake Sumter Golf Tourney

MMXXVI July, #1

PDG Harry Williams, Editor

MD 35 0 Organizational Meeting Held

With the Lionistic Year 2025-2026 rapidly approaching, District Governors across the globe are planning leadership training for the new presidents, secretaries, treasurers and zone/region chairs in their cabinets. DGE Maggiy Williams is no exception. June 7 an Organizational Meeting was held in her home club of Lake Alfred, hosting over 70 Lions from MD 35 0 clubs. Members began gathering around 8:30 A.M. for breakfast, registration and fellowship before the meeting was called to order by club President, PDG Harry Williams who welcomed everyone and then introduced the outgoing District Governor, Lion Bob Armstrong.



PDG Harry Williams



District Governor Bob Armstrong



DGE Maggiy Williams



PID Robert Littlefield

DG Bob summarized some of the events from his year and then invited PID Robert Littlefield to speak about the LICON scheduled for July 24-18 in Orlando. PID Robert said that many more volunteers were needed, as many as 150 per day. Even with the short notice, Florida will be ready for the LICON in July.

DGE Maggiy introduced Lion Steve Fawcett of Lake Alfred who will be the Disaster Chair for the district and multiple district. Lion Steve urged that zones plan ahead for drop areas where supplies can be staged or stored. This will allow quick response should a disaster occur in Florida. He identified areas in the district which are prone to flooding and suggested possible preparedness.

There were four break out sessions: Lion Nancy Epps of Ponce Inlet Lions Club led the zone/region chairs class; PDG



Gary Laspina, MD secretary, conducted the president/VP class; Lion Stacey Hou-



ston of Lake Alfred and Cabinet Treasurer Joe Langello instructed the treasurers; and Lion Bobbie Cheh of Ormond by the Sea dispensed useful information to the club secretaries.



Following lunch GST Lion Bobbie Cheh led a class in the use of the Portal which was most instructive.



"A great informational meeting today by DGE Lion Maggi Williams. Good preparation for in-coming officers. Thanks, Lake Alfred Lions, for the warm welcome, wonderful hospitality and great food! It's going to be an AWESOME Year for MD 35 -0!" {Lion Bobbie Cheh}

ORGANIZATIONAL DAY PGOTO GALLERY





Letter from the President to You

Dear Lion,

As I come to the end of my presidential year, I want to thank you all for making your mark through your dedicated service. Every time you served your community and invited a new member to join our mission, you helped us continue our legacy as the world's greatest service organization.

While you celebrate your incredible accomplishments, now is also the perfect time to prepare your new officers for their roles and your clubs for the new year.

Congratulations once again on your achievements! I look forward to seeing how you continue making your mark as a Lion, every day, with every act of service.

At your service,

Fabrício Oliveira
International President



BEAUTY OF SIGHT

A LIONS EYE BANK



Beauty of Sight and Beauty of Sight Foundation 2025-2026 BOD Installation and Gala. Thank you Wells Fargo and Calamos Wealth management for your sponsorship of the gala. New role and responsibility for me. Lots of learning ahead. Looking forward to the challenge as the **Beauty of Sight** has much to strive for, many things to accomplish and continued leadership in the Eye banking world of “creating a world without blindness”



Eye Bank Incoming Leaders 2025-2026

President: Joel Levenston PVDG
VP: Bobby Wright PDG, Judy Gahm PDG, Karen Stowers, Elbio Gimenez PDG
Treasurer: Greg Evan PCC
Secretary: Maria Felisa De Kler
Directors: J C Alvarez, Robert Gentilini, Dr. Esperanza Gomez, Blair Kunka PCC, Jim Silvernate, Jerry Skufe PDG, Catherine Triana
Immediate Past President: James Campbell PDG

GINY OM WINS LOCAL COMPETITION IN LIONS INTERNATIONAL PEACE POSTER CONTEST

Ponce Inlet, 4 June 25 – Giny Om, a fifth-grade student at R. J. Longstreet Elementary, has taken the first step to becoming an internationally recognized artist by winning a local competition sponsored by the Ponce Inlet Lions Club.

Om's poster will be among more than 450,000 entries submitted worldwide in the annual Lions International Peace Poster Contest. Lions Clubs International is sponsoring the program to emphasize the importance of world peace to young people everywhere.

"My art is about a world that people make a better place by working together. You can see people in it exploring other planets, hanging on and not giving up, being courageous, reaching out to help, calling out for others to join in, and holding on to others so they do not fall away," the eleven-year-old from Daytona Beach said. The poster was selected by the members of the Ponce Inlet Lions Club for its originality, artistic merit and portrayal of the contest theme, "Together As One." The judging was held on May 7, 2025, at the Ponce Inlet Community Center.

The Ponce Inlet Lions Club President Nancy Epps said she was impressed by the expression and creativity of the students at R. J. Longstreet Elementary. "It is obvious that these young people have strong ideas about what peace means to them. I'm so proud that we were able to provide them with the opportunity to share their visions."

"Om's poster will advance through the district, multiple district and international levels of competition if she is to be declared the international grand prize winner," Epps said.

One international grand prize winner and 23 merit award winners will be selected. The grand prize includes a cash award of US\$5,000, plus a trip for the winner and a family member to a special award ceremony. The 23 merit award winners will each receive a certificate and a cash award of US\$500.

"Our club is cheering for Giny as her poster advances in the competition, and we hope that her vision will ultimately be shared with others around the world," Epps said.

Locally, Om and the runners-up, Riley Lindsey and Meredith Cartaya-Duenas, were honored for their participation by the Ponce Inlet Lions Club and Mayor Lois Paritsky of Ponce Inlet on June 4, 2025, at the Ponce Inlet Community Center. The students' families joined them for the evening including dinner and cash prizes from the Ponce Inlet Lions.



Congratulations.



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Saving Sight
The Florida Lions Foundation

Introducing Lions Saving Sight

Our new name, the same unwavering mission.

The Florida Lions Foundation for the Blind is now **Lions Saving Sight**, **marking** a bold step forward grounded in decades of compassionate service. Our new name embodies the essence of our work: restoring vision, transforming lives, and bringing hope through sight-saving surgeries and interventions for those in need.

Our mission remains clear as we grow:

To serve, empower, and restore sight, one person at a time.



"We are proud of our new name," declared PCC Blair "Chip" Kunka. "It describes perfectly what our foundation does. Next year, I will be president of this amazing organization. I will follow in my father's footsteps, as he was president about 40 years ago."



The CITY OF DAYTONA BEACH

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Office of the Mayor

In Recognition of Helen Keller Day

WHEREAS, an extraordinary individual who became blind as a child, refused to allow her disability to define or limit her contributions to humanity, dedicating her life to advocating for the rights and opportunities of those with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, on June 30, 1925, Helen Keller courageously addressed Lions International, challenging them with her powerful words: "Will you not help me hasten the day when there shall be no preventable blindness, no little deaf-blind child untaught, no blind man or woman unaided?" and inspiring them to join her in a noble mission to combat blindness and aid the visually impaired; and

WHEREAS, Helen Keller further invoked the Lions International organization to become "knights of the Blind," passionately urging them to stand alongside her in her "crusade against darkness"; and

WHEREAS, Lions International has, over the past 100 years, grown to become the world's largest service organization, with over 1.4 million members across more than 200 countries, a testament to their dedication to volunteerism and their impact on communities worldwide; and

WHEREAS, the city recognizes the enduring legacy of Helen Keller and Lions International in fostering inclusion, promoting accessibility, and improving the quality of life for millions of individuals living with blindness and other disabilities.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Derrick L. Henry, Mayor of the City of Daytona Beach, Florida, do hereby declare this recognition of

Helen Keller Day

to call upon all citizens to honor Helen Keller by embracing community service and working toward a future of equal opportunities for all.

IN WITNESS, WHEREOF, I, hereunto set my hand and cause the Seal of The City of Daytona Beach, Florida to be affixed this 30th day of June 2025.

Derrick L. Henry, Mayor

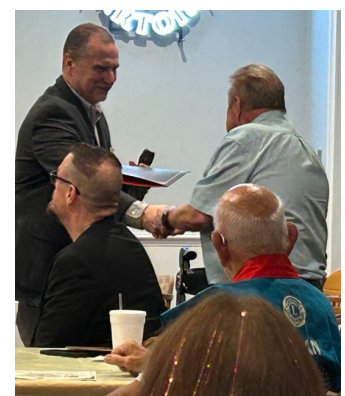


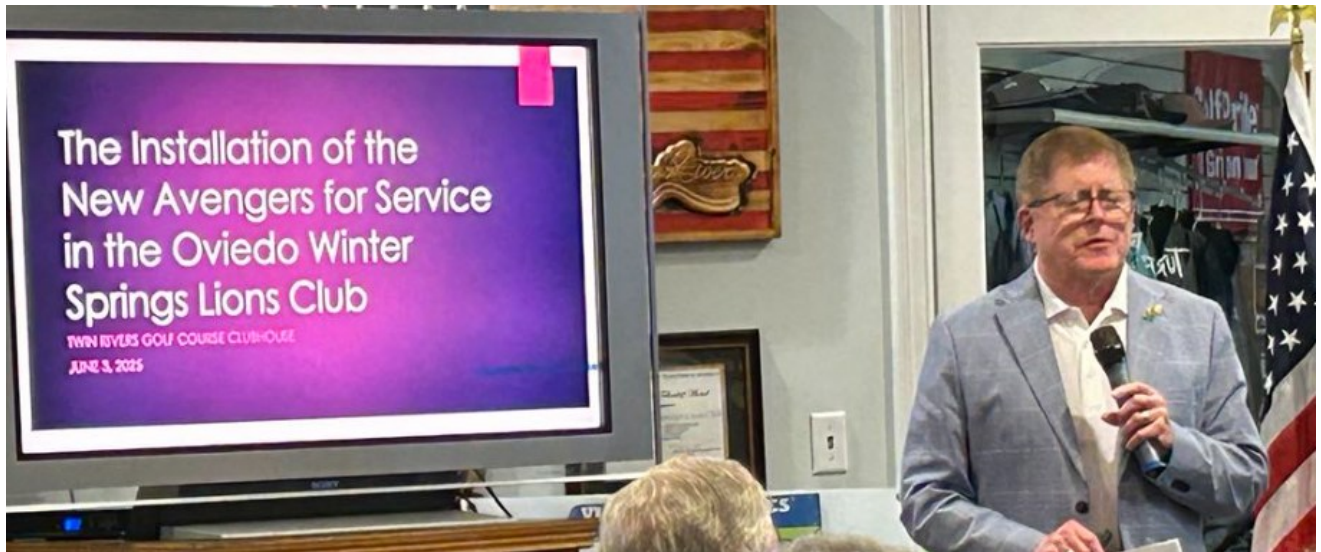
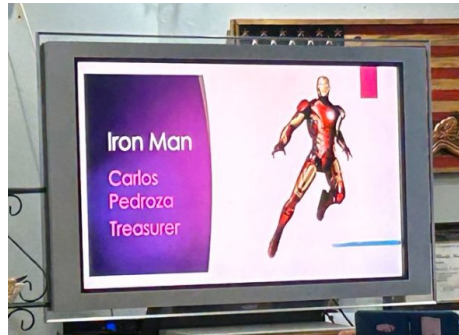
CLUB NEWS—Oviedo Winter Springs Lions Club

The Oviedo Winter Springs Lions Club held its installation ceremonies Tuesday evening, June 2 at the Two Rivers Golf Club Grill. Special guests included PDG Steven Van Varick, PDG Harry Williams, and DGE Maggy Williams. Following Tail Twister antics dinner was served.

President J C Alvarez called the meeting back to order, presenting numerous awards and recognitions to the OWS Lions. Special among them was the Dan Carter Award presented to Lion Kathy Littlefield and Lion of the Year presented to Dr. Robert Littlefield.

The Installation officer for the evening was PID Robert Littlefield employing the theme "New Avengers for Service". The newly installed officers were President Keith Koons (Captain America), FVP Adam Parish (Thor), SVP Cynthia Richie, Secretary Les Kania (Vision), Treasurer Carlos Pedroza (Iron Man), 1st Year Director/Marketing Teresa Pedroza (Wonder Woman), 2nd Year Director Rick Williams (The Falcon), Membership Chair Duncan McPherson (Nick Fury), Tail Twister Tom Conaughty (Deadpool), Chaplain Jeff Whately (Green Lantern), and IPP/LCIF Coordinator J C Alvarez (Doctor Strange).





CLUB NEWS—Davenport Lions Club

Thursday, June 5, the Davenport Lions Club held its Annual Installation Dinner with DGE Maggiy Williams installing officers. Other leadership present included District Governor Bob Armstrong, FVDGE John Hanna and his Companion in Service Lion Bunny, PDG Tom Senger and Deby and other invited guests.

President Michele Tighe called the meeting to order, introducing guests and then breaking for dinner. Following dinner Lion Michele thanked the club members for their hard work throughout the year. She presented awards of appreciation to many of the members.

DGE Maggiy Williams focused on the worldwide goal of VISION for her theme. After each officers was installed, they received an envelope containing a pair of glasses which was appropriate to their position. The new officers for 2025-2026 were: President Michele Tighe, 1st VP Angie Schmeltz, Secretary Dawn Sylvia, Treasurer, Bob Armstrong, 1 Year Directors Tom and Deby Senger, 2nd Year Director Kim Miller, Service Chair Debbie Miller, Jolynn Kuhlman & Deby Senger Tail Twister, Jacinda Mantatlo & Bob Armstrong Membership Chairs, Tom Senger Awards Chair, and Asim Yassin Social Media. Congratulations to all of these.





CLUB NEWS—Lake Sumter Lions Club

Thank you Lion Chuck LeGare and the dedicated Lake Sumter Lions for leading us in this Lions vision screening program. (News Article from today's *Daily Sun* newspaper.)

Congratulations

Lake Sumter Lions' KidSight Program Earns Top Award



The Lake Sumter Lions were honored with "DistrictWide Outstanding Service to Schools Award," for the Club's KidSight vision program at the Sumter County School Board meeting. KidSight is a vision-screening program where Lions Club volunteers throughout the state organize and conduct vision screening sessions in local communities. Lion Chuck LeGare led the screenings for students attending Sumter County Schools this year. For more information, visit e-clubhouse.org/sites/lakesumterfl.

CLUB NEWS—Lake Sumter Lions Club



On Wednesday morning, June 11, the Lake Sumter Lions Club met at the American Legion Post 347 before breakfast and the installation of the new officers of the Lion year 2025-2026. The meeting was called at order by outgoing President Jaci Newmark. Following the pledge and invocation, members of the American Legion served a breakfast of sausage gravy and biscuits, pancakes (plain or with blueberries), coffee and orange juice.

DGE Maggiy Williams was the installing officer, her theme being bread—a comparison of what makes a good, effective club compared to what makes a good tasting loaf of bread or pastry. The new officers are: President Sonia Saylor; Vice Presidents Dennis Ryan, Art Status and Steven Frederickson; Secretary Doris Ann Brennan; Treasurer Dennis Gilbert; Club Membership Chair Cheryl Pavel with committee Doug Seiders and John Thomson; Directors Dianne Kjendalen, Annette Thomson, Todd Saylor, Esther Ann Walton; Club Administrator Patrick Pignataro; Tail Twister Gary Nelson; and Lion Tamers Bob and Jean Hatton.

Lion Jaci had other awards to be presented. Congratulations to Lion Annette Thomson who was awarded the Lake Sumter Lions Club Lion of the Year and to the Lake Sumter Lions Club newest Melvin Jones Fellow, Todd Saylor. President Jaci Newmark presented special awards to Club Members who provided service not only to the Club but to our Community.





CLUB NEWS—South Daytona Lions Club

On Sunday, June 8, the South Daytona Lions Club held its Annual Installation and Awards Dinner at the Piggotte Recreation Center. PDG Harry Williams was the installing officer. Lion President Carene Darcy called the event to order. Following introductions, dinner was served.

PDG Harry chose Fishing as his theme. After each new officer was installed, he/she was given a fishing rod and allowed to "throw the line" into a "pool" where a fish was sure to be caught. Once the fish was caught, the Lion was asked to take the catch to the "taxidermist" [aka Lion Nancy Goeke] who would "mount" the catch on a plaque containing the office, Lion name, club name, and year of service. The officers who were installed were: President Carene Darcy; Vice President Paul Martin; Secretary Mari Hennessy; Treasurer Karen Cebulske; Tail Twister Kevin Hannah; Lion Tamer Jean Klune; Membership Chair Dave Atkins; Public Relations Judy Visnic; Diabetes Marcia Hilliard; Hearing Charity Mercier; Scholarship Joyce Darcy; Sight Buzzy Windle; Chaplain Marcia Hilliard, Community Outreach Ming Gory; and Directors [Executive Board] Pat Evans, Bill Hall, Mike Mercier, Simon Fisher, Paul Leisure, Sarah VanWassh-nova, Marcia Hollaway, and Harold Lucas. Lion Harry was assisted by DGE Maggiy Williams who wrote the original script for this installation.

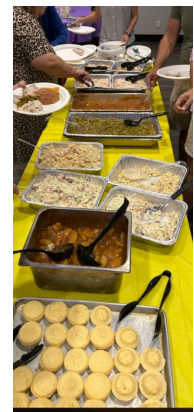
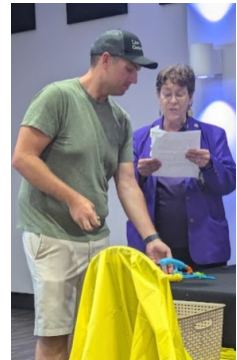
Lion Carene had several other awards to present. Lion Ming Gory was presented with a Melvin Jones Fellowship. Lion Karen Darcy received the Lion of the Year Award. Lion Carene gave a special award to Lion Keith Hannah in recognition of the many contributions which he has made to the South Daytona Lions Club over the years.

Citizenship Awards were presented to Lion Jean Klune and Lion Bob Carter. Finally, the "We Serve" plaque was presented jointly to Lion Mike and Lion Cindy Mercier.

**There are two things
we get everyday
when we wake up, a
chance and a choice.**

Positive lines





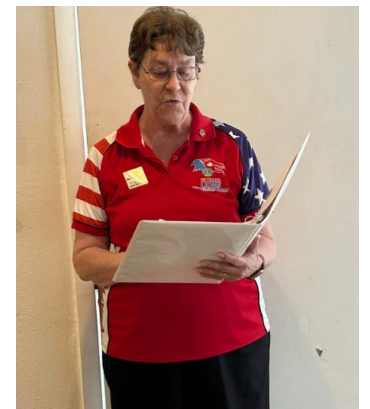
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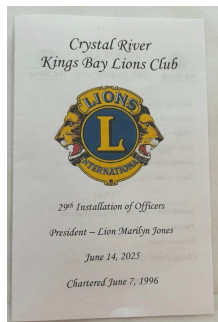
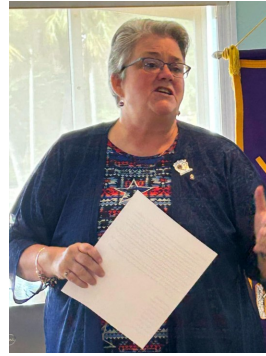
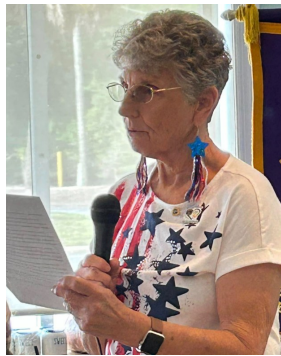
CLUB NEWS—Crystal River Kings Bay Lions Club

The Crystal River Kings Bay Lions Club held its 29th Installation of Officers at Oysters Restaurant on June 14. Leadership present included District Governor Bob Armstrong, DGE Maggiy Williams and PDG Harry Williams. Area clubs represented were Beverly Hills Lions, Homosassa Lions, Crystal River Lions, Davenport Lions and Lake Alfred Lions. President Jackie DeGraff called the meeting to order and asked the Chaplain Lion Casey Gaylando to deliver the invocation. Lion Peg James led in the Pledge to the Flag. PDG Harry was asked to direct the Lions in the singing of "God Bless America!"

Following introductions DGE Maggiy Williams installed the new club officers. Her focus was that we all have a job, a purpose, within our clubs and when someone is absent this has an effect on the rest of the group. As Helen Keller would say: "Separately we can do so little; together we can do so much." Each officer was asked to collect a piece of a puzzle. Once the pieces had been passed out, the group was asked to assemble the pieces. Of course, some pieces were missing, giving an incomplete appearance to the puzzle. Then DGE Maggiy asked the rest of the club members and guests to come and place the remaining pieces. The finished product, a project which everyone had a part, had satisfying results. As a reminder of the ceremony, DGE Maggiy gave everyone present a magnetic puzzle piece with the installation date. The officers installed were: Lion Marilyn Jones, President; Lion Jackie DeGraff, Vice President, Treasurer, LCI Coordinator, and IPP; Lion Martha Brown, Recording Secretary; Lion Phyllis Smith, Tail Twister; Lion Janice Griffin, Lion Tamer; Lions Sue Howard, Susie Smith, and Danny Birstler, Directors.

Secretary Martha Brown gave everyone with 100% attendance a "Sweet" jar. Lion Jackie DeGraff presented Oysters Restaurant owner and long time friend, William Bunch, with a Melvin Jones Fellowship. PDG Harry Williams gave a Life Membership to the Youth Exchange Scholarship Trust Fund to Lion Martha Brown.





CLUB NEWS—Orange Blossom Gardens Lions Club

"On Wednesday, June 11, I had the pleasure of installing new officers," said District Governor Bob Armstrong, "... inducting 11 new members, presenting them with the highest contributor's award for the Beauty of Sight, a Lions Eye Bank <https://beautyofsight.org/> and seeing all of the new awards for the Lady Lake Orange Blossom Gardens Lions! Awesome job from an awesome club!



CLUB NEWS—Homosassa Lions Club

Thursday evening, June 19, the Homosassa Lions Club held its Installation and Awards Dinner. PDG Harry Williams with DGE Maggiy Williams was the installing officer. In the absence of President Paul Gadke, incoming President Beverly Yost called the meeting to order and welcomed everyone present. The Pledge was led by Lion Barbara Comeau, Lion Jim Armitage led the invocation, the toast was led by Lion Crystal Beavers-Ayers. PDG Harry Williams was asked to lead in the singing of "God Bless America." President Yost then introduced special guests and announced that dinner was ready to be served.

Following dinner, PDG Harry conducted an installation which had been written by PCC Chip Kunka based on race cars. It emphasized that a team, to accomplish its goals, must work together smoothly for the good of the team and to ensure victory. The officers who were installed were: Directors Dan Fox, Chuck Spewock, Doreen Tortotrello, Valerie Campbell, Clara Johnson, and Bill Riecke; Membership Director Sandy Foxworth; Tail Twister Crystal Beavers-Ayers; Lion Tamer Judy Trochimowicz; Treasurers Dana Comeau and Frances Gaudes; Secretary Melinda Lumahan; Vice Presidents Pam Hancock, Cheryl Fox and Jim Armitage; and President Beverlyly Yost. All were given a matchbox race car befitting their officer and a small checkered flag. Everyone else also received a checkered flag.

DGE Maggiy Williams was asked to assist President Yost with the presentation of awards. Receiving awards from the Conklin-Davis Center for the Visually Impaired were Lions Valerie Campbell, Pam Hancock, Bill Reike, Faye Torres-Loc, Judy Trochimowicz, Beverly Yost [Amethyst]; Barbara Comeau, Chuck Spewock, [Opal]; Cheryl and Dan Fox [Sapphire]. Those Lions receiving awards from Lions Saving Sight (aka Florida Foundation for the Blind) were Eric Gaudes and Doreen Tortorella [Life Member] and Dick Bily and Frances Gaudes [Builder]. Finally, the Melvin Jones Fellowship was presented to Lion Jim Armitage, Lion Sandy Foxworth, and Lion Melinda Lumahan. Lion Cheryl Fox was named Lion of the Year and awarded the traditional Parking Space sign with her name. [Photos courtesy of Lion Susie Smith]





Congratulations!

CLUB NEWS—Mouth Dora Lions Club

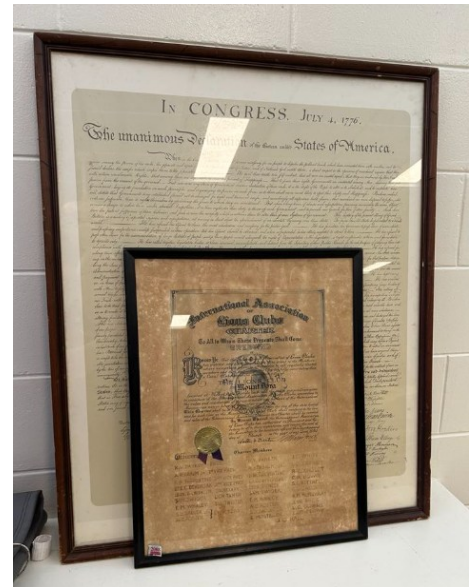
Tuesday evening, June 24, members of the Mt. Dora Lions club gathered for their Annual Installation of Officers. President Glenn Brown, PDG, called the meeting to order, led in the Pledge to the Flag, and then had everyone present introduce themselves. A delicious dinner of Grilled T-Bone Steak, corn on the cob, pan fried potatoes, salad, and celebratory cake was served.

PDG Steven Van Varick was the installing officer. He borrowed his theme from PID Robert Littlefield, comparing each incoming officer to a member of the Avengers—a super hero. Officers installed were: President Glenn Brown PDG (Captain America); Vice President Steve Askins (Thor); Secretary Ralph Dolan (Vision); Treasurer Brian Schmidt (Iron Man—though he wanted to be the Flash); Membership Chair Michelle Victorelli (Nick Fury); Lion Tamer Steve Askins (Dr. Strange); Tail Twister Donna Brown (Deadpool); and Director Shirley Grantham (Wonder Woman).

DGE Maggiy Williams was in attendance and assisted PDG Glenn in the presentation of awards. A Melvin Jones Fellowship was presented to Lion Terry Androls and a progressive MJF was given to Lion Brian Schmidt. Lion Steve Askins received Lion of the Year.

PDG Glenn also presented a number of certificates of appreciation: Lions Juan Orozco, Maria Orozco, Michelle Victorelli, and Ralph Dolan.

Lion Donna Brown won the 50/50 and PDG Steven Van Varick won the raffle basket.





CLUB NEWS—Ormond Beach Lions Club

Ormond Beach Lions Club presented a "Model Club" certificate and pins by PCC Greg Evans for their support and pledge to the Beauty of Sight. Their continued support is appreciated.


Congratulations



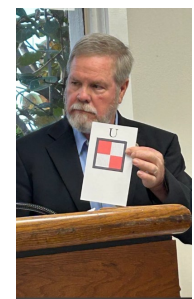
CLUB NEWS—Satellite Beach Lions Club

With the Atlantic Ocean as a background, the Satellite Beach Lions Club held its 65th Annual Installation and Awards Banquet at the Pelican Beach Clubhouse in Satellite Beach on June 17, 2025. DGE Maggiy Williams was the installing officer. Other guests included PDG Harry Williams.

The meeting was called to order by President Alan Boleware, benediction by Lion Jeff Landes, pledge by Lion Curt Black, and toast by Lion Ray Roberts. Following introductions, a dinner catered by Olive Garden was provided,

Using Naval signal flags as her theme, DGE Maggiy installed the new slate of officers for 2025-2026: President Neil Spencer PID, IPP Alan Boleware, 1st VP Denise Drum, 2nd VP Jacquie Tripp PDG, Administration Secretary C. David Lloyd PCC, Treasurer Helene Thompson PCC, Tail Twister Jeff Knickerbocker, Lion Tamer Ray Roberts, Membership Chair Dave Nowacki, Directors Mike Speck and Terry Bush, and Recording Secretary Joe Hauser.

Lion Alan presented a number of International President Certificates of Appreciation: Lions Mike Speck, David Nowacki, Lance Smith, Alan Boleware, and Julie Boleware. Other honors and awards presented during the evening were: Life Membership Diabetes Retinopathy to Lion Gini Black; Project Right to Sight Life Membership to Lillette Quesnoy; Diabetes Awareness Life Membership to Lion Angel Otero; the Helen Keller Awards to Lion Helene Thompson PCC; the Melvin Jones Fellowship to Lion Ray Roberts; LCI Life Membership to Lion Jeff Landers; Grand Lion Awarded to Terry Bush; and Lion of the Year to Lion Jackie Simpson. Congratulations to all.





LCICON 2025 Volunteers do we have a deal for you!

The MD-35 LCICON 2025 Host Committee has secured rooms from **July 11th to July 17th** at the Florida Hotel & Conference Center at the nightly rate of **\$145.00** w/no taxes!

Free secure parking during your stay.

Transportation to and from your volunteer station will be provided.

But room availability is limited!
To get the discounted rate you must reserve your room NLT July 2nd through MD-35 office by clicking on the secure Zeffy link.

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If you have any questions, contact PDG Gary LaSpina at 407-859-7174 or md35execsec@md35lions.org





Are you headed to Orlando for the Convention this July?

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This year's parade uniform will be:

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- White slacks, capris or skirts
- A white hat or the white convention baseball cap
- White comfortable shoes

Even if you are not attending the Convention, you are welcome to order any of the items at the MD-35 On Line Store.



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Escorted Ride followed by Lunch at the
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STARTING POINT

9.00 AM at South Daytona Police Department
1672 S. Ridgewood Avenue, South Daytona

Route for the Escorted Ride: South Daytona Police Department, The Half Wall
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Lions Club Branch

Monday, June 30th

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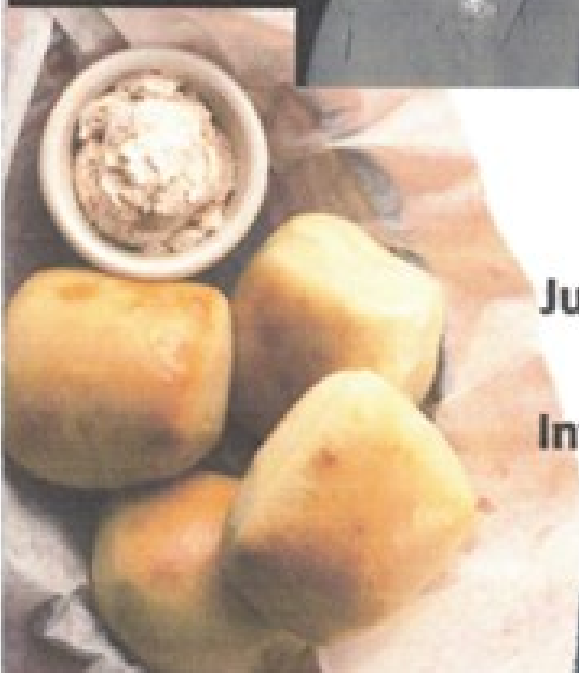
DONATION NIGHT

June 30th will be 100 years since

Helen Keller asked Lions

International to be "Crusaders of
the Blind", "Knights of the

Darkness".





Cook 4 Kids

Let's Make a Difference!

We Serve over 1,200 healthy meals per month to kids ages 10-17 at our three Youth Shelters.

3 Ways to Help:

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2. Schedule a meal delivery from a local restaurant.
3. Donate FL department of Health approved foods.

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- Dried Pasta or Potatoes ✓
- Fresh Meat ✓
- Salad or Vegetable ✓
- Bread ✓
- Dessert ✓

Accepted Donations Items:

Cereal: Cheer Mix, Mini Wheats, Cheerios, Honey Bunches of Oats, Quaker Oatmeal Squares, Kellogg's Rice Krispies

Grain: Whole Grain Bread, Tortillas, Chi-Chi's Original Tortilla Chips, Whole Wheat Pasta, Whole Grain, Homestyle, or Blueberry Eggo Waffles or Pancakes, Cinnamon Raisin Bread, Honey Graham Crackers, Brown Rice, Sun Chips, Late July Brand Chips, Pretzels, Cheez-It Crackers, Keebler Animal Crackers

Canned Goods: Canned Veggies, Soups, Spaghetti Sauce, Peanut Butter, Jelly Tuna, Ketchup, Mustard, Relish, Maple Syrup, Mayo, Salsa, Canned Nuts

Yogurt: Chobani Fruit on the bottom, Dannon Light & Fit, Yoplait, Yoplait GoGurt

100% Fruit Juice: Apple, Orange, Dole 100% Juice Blends

Meat: Chicken, Eggs, Beef, Fish, Pork 100 Beef Hot Dogs

Meat Alternatives: Morningstar Farms: Black Bean Burgers, Chik'n Nuggets, Veggie Breakfast Sausage

Snacks: Chips Cookies, Candy, Snack Cakes, Juices, Gummies, Rice Krispies, Crackers



Drop-off Location

George Harris Youth Shelter
1080 US-17 S., Bartow, FL
883-595-0220

We Accept Unexpired
Foods Only



MASS EYEGLASS SORTING & WASHING

Sunday, June 29th

Lake Alfred Lions Club

175 North Nekoma Avenue, Lake Alfred

9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

Come anytime and stay as long as you like



Everyone is welcome. Bring friends! Volunteers!

Community Service Hours Available.

*For further information contact: Lion Rita Fawcett at 863-412-5745 or
email Lakealfredlionsclubemail@gmail.com*

THE LIGHTER SIDE

THE MAN WHO
FELL INTO AN
UPHOLSTERY
MACHINE IS
FULLY RECOVERED

I FINALLY KNOW
WHY THEY CALL
ME A GROWN UP
I GROAN EVERY
TIME I GET UP

COP CAR RUNS
INTO BEER TRUCK
POLICE CRACK
DOZENS OF CASES

EVEN IF A BEAR
WEARS SOCKS &
SHOES HE STILL
HAS BEAR FEET

IS BUTTCHEEKS
ONE WORD
OR SHOULD I
SPREAD THEM APART

BEWARE OF
SMARTPHONE
ZOMBIES

I HAVE FAILED
MATH CLASS
SO MANY TIMES
I CAN'T EVEN COUNT

BRUCE LEE
WAS FAST
BUT HIS BROTHER
SUDDEN
WAS FASTER

IF ANYONE WANTS
A COPY OF
ORTHOPEDICS TODAY
I HAVE
BACK ISSUES

LAST NIGHT I DREAMED
I WAS A VINYL RECORD.
I WOKE UP
FEELING GROOVY.

NEVER RUN WITH
BAGPIPES
YOU
MIGHT GET KILT

IF YOU DRESS
LIKE A COWBOY..
ARE YOU
RANCH DRESSING

DOGS CAN'T
OPERATE
MRI MACHINES
BUT CATSCAN

LIFE IS ALWAYS
COMPLICATED
EVEN WHEN WE'RE
BORN, THERE'S
A STRING ATTACHED

WHY DO WE CALL
THEM OLIVES &
NOT GREECE'S
PIECES

THE CAFE HAD SOUP
ON THE MENU
I ASKED THE
WAITER TO
WIPE IT OFF

OUR SPRING
FLY FISHING
TOURNAMENT WILL
BE BROADCAST
ON LIVE STREAM

JOYS & CONCERNS



The Kathleen Lions Club recently lost one of its longtime members, Lion Henry Higgins. Lions and friends gathered on Monday, June 23, at the clubhouse for a memorial service, celebrating the life of Lion Henry. He will be missed.



*The best way to find
yourself,
is to lose yourself in the
service of others.*

-Gandhi



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