



Lion Lawrence
"Larry" A.
Dicus

International Director
Lions Clubs International

Larry Dicus, from Whittier, California, USA, was elected to serve a two-year term as a director of Lions Clubs International at the association's 96th International Convention held in Hamburg, Germany July 5 through 9, 2013.

Director Dicus is a retired vice president of sales in the information technology field.

A member of the Whittier Host Lions Club since 1996, he has held many offices within the association, including president, district governor, council chairperson and foundation president of the Lions Mobile Health Screening Unit of Southern California.

In recognition of his service to the association, he has received numerous awards including the Founders Membership Growth Award, the Quick Start Ginkgo Award, the District Governor Excellence Award, the International President's Leadership Medal, two International President's Medals and five International President's Certificates of Appreciation. He is also a Melvin Jones Fellow.

In addition to his Lions activities, Director Dicus is active in numerous professional and community organizations, including the Presbyterian Intercommunity Hospital and the Lake Avenue Church Sanctuary Choir.

Director Dicus is married to Jane, and has two sons and three granddaughters.



Convention Highlights

Friday

Parade of Banners

Guest Speaker... Ms. Rita Stacy
Curator of Marine Mammals

Photo Opportunity

Vendors

Silent Auction

Hospitality Rooms

Saturday

Theme Basket Auction

50/50 Cash Raffle

Vendors

Silent Auction

Wine & Cheese Reception

District Governors Banquet

Hospitality Rooms

Sunday

District Voting

District Cash Raffle

District Officer Elect Reception



46th

ANNUAL

DISTRICT 1-A

CONVENTION

JOIN THE



HUNTING FOR LIONS!

THE WESTIN CHICAGO
NORTHWEST HOTEL

ITASCA, ILLINOIS

March 28th - 30th, 2014

HOTEL INFORMATION

Call the **WESTIN** Chicago Northwest Hotel

direct at **(630) 773-4000**

Lion's Nightly Room Rate:

\$85.00

per night plus tax

*Cut-off date for the special rate
March 15, 2014*

Convention Opportunities to GET INVOLVED

District Convention Ad Book

Contact: Lion Myrna Cordero
Lion Ernie Lapid, RC & Lion Frank Kirar

Club Hospitality Room

Contact: Lion Mike Smigielski, PDG

Theme Basket Contest / Auction

Contact: Lion Jerri Abrahamsen, ZC
Lion Linda Nilsson & Lion Sandy Nedza

50 / 50 Cash Raffle

at the District Lunch on Saturday

Contact: Lion Brenda Gutierrez, RC
The Diva's

Special Awards for

Lion - Lioness - Leo - Citizen

Contact: Lion Richard Huels, PDG
Lion Dennis McMillan, PCC

TENTATIVE CONVENTION AGENDA

Friday, March 28, 2014

2:00 PM - 9:00 PM Registration
4:00 PM - 8:00 PM Vendors' Displays
4:00 PM - 10:00 PM Theme Basket Display Area
3:00 PM - 5:30 PM Delegate / Alternate Certification

7:00 PM Opening the Convention
Adoption of Convention Rules
8:00 PM - 1:00 AM Club Hospitality Rooms

Saturday, March 29, 2014

8:00 AM - 2:00 PM Vendors' Displays
8:00 AM - 11:30 AM Registration
8:00 AM - 11:30 AM Theme Basket Display
9:00 AM - 11:30 AM Delegate / Alternate Certification

9:00 AM - 10:15 AM *First Plenary Session*

10:30 AM - 11:30 AM TBD
9:00 AM - 11:30 AM Delegate / Alternate Certification

11:45 PM - 2:30 PM *District Lunch &
Second Plenary Session*
50/50 Cash Raffle Drawing

2:30 PM - 3:15 PM VOICES Lions 1-A Forum
4:00 PM - 4:30 PM Church Service -
Catholic & Ecumenical Services
5:00 PM - 6:00 PM Wine & Cheese Reception
6:15 PM - 8:30 PM District Governor's Banquet
9:00 PM - 1:00 AM Club Hospitality Rooms

Sunday, March 30, 2014

7:30 AM - 8:30 AM Registration and
Delegate / Alternate Certification
7:30 AM - 8:40 AM District & VOICES Voting

8:40 AM - 11:30 AM *District Breakfast &
3rd Plenary Session*

11:30 AM District Cash Raffle Drawing
12:30 PM - 2:00 PM District Officer-Elect Reception

CONVENTION HOTLINE

708-949-6147

Convention Fee

Convention Registration

With any Meal \$15.00

Without any Meal \$20.00

On-Site \$30.00

District Lunch \$20.00

Saturday, March 29, 2014 - Lunch

Governor's Banquet \$42.00

Saturday, March 29, 2014 - Evening

District Breakfast \$20.00

Sunday, March 30, 2014 - Morning

Special

Meal Package

Three Meals and Registration

\$85.00

Cut-off date for pre-registration is

Friday, March 15, 2014

***Completed Registration form along with a check
made payable to: District 1-A Lions***

**And mail to: Lion Harold Burkett, Jr. PDG
268 Bay Drive, Itasca, IL 60143-1298
(630) 250-9696 or email at: harold.burkett@att.net**

Visit Us at

lions1a-us.org

**For all Convention flyers & forms, additional
information and to register for the
46th Annual District Convention**