The Illinois Lion & Leo

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Hello MD-1 Lions,

Hello MD-1 Lions, Fall has arrived, Pumpkin Spice time! And another successful month for MD-1 Lions has just ended. The

Multiple continues to grow, we are currently a plus in membership for the 3rd month in a row.

Congratulations to all the Lions for your hard work. Let's keep this positive force moving. Service activities continue to increase, and I have heard the District Governors comment on how busy they are attending Club Visits and fundraisers in their Districts. This is a good thing.

There is also talk of a couple new clubs in the making in the future. I have my fingers and toes crossed that this will indeed happen.

I am happy to announce that the \$100,000 Multiple District grant has been approved by LCIF and all paperwork has been signed by MD-1. This grant is for ½ of the

funding for a new LIF Vision & Hearing bus. LIF can now proceed with the plans for this new vision bus.

The Governors continue to be busy and they continue to be a pleasure to work with. Check out what they have been up to in the state:

- 1. Hopedale Storage Locker:
 The retention timeframes for our important documents have been identified and we can now proceed with the purging of outdated documents. We will begin with identifying all the financial documents that can be destroyed. We will then have these documents shredded.
- 2. The Governors are reviewing policy manual changes. Please feel free to submit any policy manual changes to the council for review in the proper format.
- 3. At our last Council meeting in September, the Council approved PDG Ron Fruit 1-D our International Convention Chair and PDG Kathy Dieker 1-G Co-chair.

Congratulations to both Lions, we look forward to a well-planned International Convention for the MD-1 Lions in Boston.

- 4. The Governors also approved the Mid-Year Forum to take place March 10-11, 2023. Stay tuned for more information regarding this event in the near future.
- 5. Governor Irene Lepold and the District 1-BK PDG's have submitted the name of Lion Tom Drez for consideration for the office of Second Vice District Governor and Lions International has approved their selection. Let's all welcome Lion Tom Drez in his new role. He is going to be a great fit for 1-BK and the multiple as a whole.
- 6. State Convention Chair and PDG Barb Stewart, District 1-D and Foundation Trustee Guideon Richeson, District 1-CN have been selected and approved as MD-1 Co-Champions for our State GMA Team.

If your club or district has a resolution to be submitted. Please

note your resolution must be submitted to PDG Ron Fruit committee chairman of Constitution & By-laws. Your resolutions must be written in the correct format. It is the Committee's responsibility to review, recommend and/or reject these resolutions. These resolutions will be voted on by the Lions of Illinois at our State Convention May 19-21, 2023.

The GAT Summit was also held on Sept 10. Our GAT/GMA team spoke to the group to help them develop their Leadership skills to attract members and implement service projects.

A big thank you to IPDG Lori Chasse our state leadership chair for coordinating/planning this year's program with the help of PID Dan O'Reilly GMT (Filling in for PDG Deb Greaney), PDG Joni McMillan GST and PCC Darren Van Duyn Constitutional Area 1 Lead.

Keep up the great work that you do in your communities, because if not you WHO???

Interested in moving up the ladder in Lions? Reach out to your District Leaders. I guarantee they will be interested in talking with you.

Until next month.....

CC Gail

"Together we Can......Together we Will"

District Sub-editors:
Remind all your club secretaries
to send the news and the
pictures of their club events to
you so that you can send them to
me to the following address:

ILStateEditor@gmail.com

GLOBAL LEADERSHIP TEAM by Lion Lori Chassee, PDG(lion.loric@gmail.com) GLT State Coordinator



We have completed the first quarter of our Lions year and I want to first congratulate and thank all the Lions that have stepped up to serve their communities and this great organization. We trained 23 Lions at the Regional Llons Leadership Institute, and then followed that up with over 50 Lions in attendance at the September Global Action Team Summit...THANK YOU All.

In past articles I have talked about resources and hope you all have had time to look at the wealth of information available to you at the website, but that is only one type of information. The best information to be had can come to you from other Lions! In evaluations of the programs that we hold, over and over again comments are made that meeting and exchanging information with

fellow Lions is one of the huge pluses of going to these events. Don't miss out on opportunities to share your knowledge about Lions, your activities, and your club plans with fellow Lions. I promise you will come away with a multitude of wonderful ideas. You will make new friends as well!

The next big thing on the horizon is our Spring Forum, to be held March 10 & 11, plans are being made and more information will follow. It is now that I would like to hear from Lions across the state as to what would make this a

meaningful learning opportunity for you. What would you like to know more about? What will be of value to you and your Clubs? What would you like the Forum to look like? Please reach out with any ideas you may have that will make a better Forum, and I encourage you to put this on your calendar now and plan on meeting some new Lions and exchanging some great ideas!

Lion Lori Chassee

MD1 Global Leadership Team Chair lion.loric@gmail.com



Hosted by The Chicago Lighthouse Co-Chaired by Jeffrey M. Jackson, Ph.D. and Gary Rich

Thursday, November 10, 2022

Single Stack Entry: \$100 Donation | Double Stack Entry: \$175 Donation

6:30 p.m. Zoom Room Opens | 7:00 p.m. Welcome & Tournament Rules | 7:10 p.m. Cards Fly

Tournament is held in CST and is expected to last 3.5 - 4 hours.

Register Now

Grand Prize: \$5,000

Prizes will be awarded in the form of gift cards of the winners' choosing.

View tournament structure here.

Whether you're a seasoned poker player or new to the game, go-all in for your chance to win big!

In addition to great prizes, the tournament will feature rebuys and add-ons, as well as Zoom breakout rooms

to interact with your fellow players or even celebrity poker champions.

Refer your friends to get free rebuys.

All proceeds support The Chicago Lighthouse serving the blind, visually impaired, disabled, and Veteran communities.

> Questions? Contact Karoline Kijowski at (312) 447-3447 or <u>karoline.kijowski@chicagolighthouse.org</u>

SAVE THE DATE!



Follow the yellow brick road to the President Abraham Lincoln Hotel Springfield, IL







CERTIFIED AND CHIP-TIMED

Join us and be one of the first runners on a new certified and chip-timed 10K/5K/1M Run & Walk Sunday, October 23, 2022.

7:30 AM: 5K/10K Adaptive Participants 8:00 AM: 5K/10K/1M General Participants

ACCESSIBLE & INCLUSIVE

Rise to Shine Run & Walk welcomes numers and walkers with visual hearing and physical disabilities. Visit our website to learn about event accessibility and guide information at rise2shinerace.org

FAMILY DASH BASH

The Dash Bash will open at 7:00 AM and includes a kids race, entertainment and activities.

> Visit our website for race time and to register for the kids race.

RACE SWAG

Rise to Shine and look awesome! All registered runners and walkers will receive a cooling performance t-shirt and custom finisher medal. Custom age group awards will also be presented in 5-year increments up to age 70+.

CREATE A TEAM

Add another layer of fun! Invite colleagues, family or friends. Create a team name, fun shirt or wear crazy contumes. A team can be anywhere from 3 people or \$00 people. Just select team option when registering, names can be added at any time!

VOLUNTEER

Help make this event amazing! Hand-out race packets and medals, cheer on runners and meet new friends. For volunteer opportunities and registration go to: rise2shinerace.org

YOUR IMPACT

The event will benefit The Chicago Lighthouse and the Chicago Central Lions Club, The organizations are working together to promote healthy lifestyles and vision services in the Illinois Medical District through 40 educational, health, employment and independent-living programs for people who are blind, visually impaired, disabled or Veterans.

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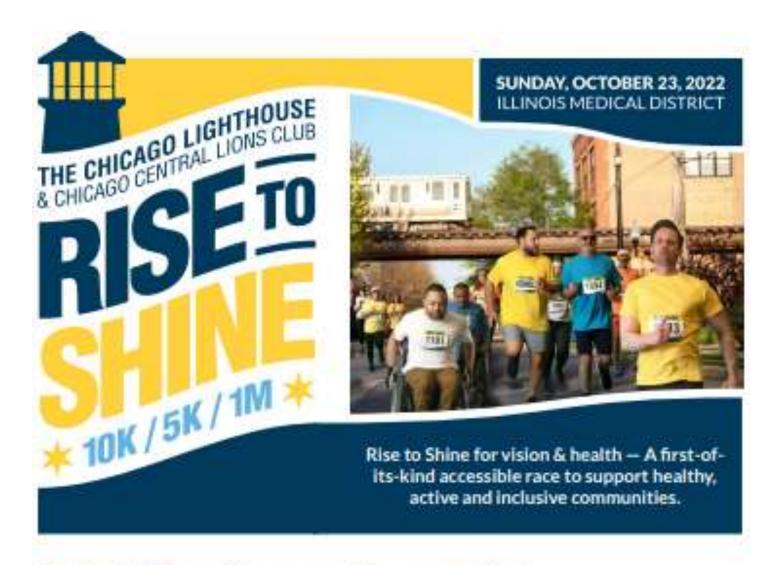


REGISTRATION & COURSE DETAILS



rise2shinerace.org or scan the QR code.

For Sponsorship Opportunities, contact Angela D'Antonio at (312) 447-3246 or angela dantonio@chicagolighthouse.org



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- Gain exposure among Chicago's running and disability communities
- Connect your brand to the pillars of health and wellness
- Promote diversity, equity and inclusion in our community
- Partner with organizations serving Chicago's disability community
- Build employee comradery (especially during this new phase of remote work) while promoting health and wellness for your employees





Benefitting The Chicago Lighthouse and Chicago Central Lions Club who are working together to promote healthy lifestyles & vision services in the Illinois Medical District.

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The Chicago Lighthouse and Chicago Central Lions Club are bringing together area hospitals, health providers, businesses and community groups to promote healthy lifestyles and vision services in the Illinois Medical District. You can support this event by becoming a sponsor, forming a team and encouraging your communities to participate.

This is your opportunity to be recognized as a leader in driving change, promoting health, access, and inclusion and creating a lasting positive impact in the Illinois Medical District.



community more accepting of me and my friends!



The Illinois Medical District (IMD) is honored to sponsor The Rise to Shine run for vision and health. We hope to have many more events just like this one where we can all come together as a community."

ALLYSON HANSEN

CEO & Executive Director ILLINOIS MEDICAL DISTRICT





SPONSORSHIP EXPOSURE OPPORTUNITIES

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2022 ILLINIOIS MEDICAL DISTRICT	Beacon \$20,000	Beam \$10,000	Torch \$5,000	Light \$2,500	Ray \$1,000
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Booth at Family Dash Bash following the race	0				
Additional Benefits Your collateral or product in swag bag			•		
Complimentary race entries	15	10	5		
Registration discount code for \$5 off (up to 10 runners)					

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Choose your level(s) of sponsorship!

Race Materials	Beverage	Entertainment & Décor
Start and Finish Banner \$1000	Coffee \$500 (4 available)	DJ \$950 (2 available)
Mile Marker \$300 (5 available)	Sports beverage \$350	Stage Platform \$500 (4 available)
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Lions District 1-CN Convention October 14-15, 2022 Registration Form CASTLE RIDGE Castle Ridge Event Center 1750 Tee Ln, Centralia, IL 62801

This Year the 1-CN District Convention will be held at the beautiful Castle Ridge Event Center in Centralia, IL. Please join District Governor Sherry Cates in this celebration of Lionism and service!

Lodging

Best Western Plus 8145Bridge Road Centralia, IL 62801 Room types: Standard King, King Suites, and

Two Queen Bed suites.

Price: \$108 plus tax per night

Cancellation: 24 hours (3pm the day before)

Ways to Book:

- Call the property at 618-918-2559 and ask for the Lion Group.
- Copy and paste this link into the address bar of any browser or Control Click to open https://www.bestwestern.com/en_US/book/hotelrooms.14215.html?groupId=P48YV9T8

Billing: A credit card will need to be provided for room, tax, and incidentals by individual guests.

You must make your own room reservations. Room reservation cutoff date is: 10/7/2022

Hospitality rooms and a light buffet meal will be provided Friday evening at the hotel for those registered.



The hotel is located 5 miles from the Castle Ridge Event Center.

Registration Form

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Fees must accompany the completed registration form. Make checks payable to: LIONS DISTRICT 1-CN. Completed registration form and payment should arrive <u>NO LATER THAN:</u> October 8,2022						
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PDG Deb Greaney 5812 LL Rd Waterloo, IL 62298		cell: (618) 558-4246	email: dgedconsult@gmai	l.com		

2022 MD1 State Pin, Charm & Stick Pin New Delhi, India & Montreal, Canada



Each year our MD1 Lions of Illinois has a Friendship Pin made for the International Convention. Here is the 2022 MD1 State Pin, Stick Pin and Charm that are available for purchase.

You can purchase each item separate or get all three for \$4.00 per set.

USA Postage

1 to 5 Pins Add \$3.50 6 to 10 Pins Add \$5.00 Over 10 Pins Add &7.50

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MD1 Pin - 52.50

Along with the 2022 State Pin, there are a number of pins that are remaining from past International Conventions. I have a limited stock, so the availability of the older pins could be limited to the year requested. Please contact me direct as to the specific year that you are looking for. As of now, I have pins and sets for Minnespolis, Minnesota (2009), Japan (2016), Chicago (2017), Las Vegas (2018), Singapore (2020) and Montreal (2021) to name a few. These pins are \$2.00 each or the set (if available) for \$3.00 each.

If you are interested in any of the past year's pins, please contact Lion Bob Block prior to placing your order for older pins and sets.

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Make Check payable to DISTRICT 1-A LIONS

Send this form and check to:

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Call or email either Lion Bob at lionbobblock@gmail.com or Lion Ben at zeltravel@gmail.com to amenge the delivery of your order if you do not want to receive them by mail

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- 1. Camp Lions for Children
- 2. Camp Lions for Adults
- 3. Lions Low Vision Clinics: For Students
- 4. Low Vision for Adults-Orientation and Mobility Training
- 5. Children's Vision Screenings

- 6. Mobile Retinal Screening Unit
- 7. Mobile Hearing Screening Unit
- **B. Reconditioned Hearing Aid Bank**
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- Hearing Aids, Keys, Cell Phones
- 10. Social Services and Referral
- 11. Lions of Illinois Funds for

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FREE LOW VISION PROGRAM FOR STUDENTS

Dear Lions Club,

Thank you for making the Low Vision Clinic possible for us. I got to pick two new pairs of glasses out when I was at the clinic. One pair helps me see things far away and the other pair is for reading. The doctors explained what glasses I needed and what the glasses would do. That was helpful to me!

Thank you for helping!

Kaitlyn

Dear Lions Club,

Thank you so much for allowing the students at ISVI to go to the Low Vision Clinic. It meant a lot to us that we were able to attend the low vision clinic. I was able to get 2 new pairs of glasses and a monocular. The doctors told me about my eye conditions and if I had questions, they were willing to answer them. Thank you again for allowing the students at ISVI to attend the Low Vision Clinic.

Sincerely.

Makayla

Low Vision Clinics for Students are done Annually throughout Illinois



All Services and Vision Devices are given FREE of Charge to all Students in Need

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By Purchasing Products through our **Terri Lynn Webstore**, you can support Lions of Illinois Foundation **Vision Programs** like our Student Low Vision Clinics that provide **FREE** Vision Services and Devices for Students throughout Illinois.



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Vision

Our vision programs test, treat, and rehabilitate those who are visually impaired. Student Low Vision focuses on providing vital tools for students to succeed in school.





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Camp Lions gives visually and hearing-impaired children the opportunity to have a week of fun and make friends with those who have similar abilities.



