



P.O. Box 84 • Brownsburg, IN 46112



November 2017 Newsletter

Happy Veterans Day! Thank you to all who have served, those who continue to serve, and the families who miss them.

MEETINGS

November 15th at 6:00: Board Meeting

November 8th at 6:30: Member Dinner Meeting. **Bring your spouse, partner, or friend!**
Meal prepared by PDG Billy Chastain

Guest Speaker? Not Confirmed yet, per President Tom Campbell

"If it is to be, it's up to me."

We are looking for a new [Leo Advisor](#)

Brownsburg Lions Club Officers

Tom Campbell President
Steve Renzi 1st VP
Dave Moore 2nd VP
Mary Jessen 3rd VP
Joe Szentivanyi Lion Tamer
Elaine Harrity Treasurer
Gretchen Xinopoulos Secretary
Nick Xinopoulos Board of Directors
Paul Morrisson Board of Directors
Tammy Renzi Board of Directors
Larry Whitmore Tail Twister
Gretchen Zentz Immediate Past President
Ray Furner Membership Chair

Vision Screenings- If you are interested in helping with Vision Screenings, please contact Lion Gretchen Xinopoulos at 317-852-8015

Indiana Lions Fall Conference November 4th at Plainfield Middle School.

A very fun and educational event, if interested, contact Lion Gretchen Xinopoulos, or Lion Ray Furner.

Breakfast with Santa, Saturday, December 2nd, 8am-10:30am

Santa will have time to hear Christmas wishes from the children. This is also a great opportunity for parents to take pictures of their children with Santa.

Breakfast will be available for purchase. Adult meals will be \$7.00 with a choice of 1) scrambled eggs, sausage gravy and biscuits or 2) pancakes and sausage patties. Meals for kids ages 6 and under are free. Drinks with the meals will include coffee, milk and orange juice.

Mexico Eyeglass Mission Trip

The eyeglass Mission trip to Mexico is the 3rd week in January (19th-27th). The only expense to Lions is Airfare, and spending money. Transportation, Lodging, and Meals are paid for. If interested please contact PDG Thomas Slattery at 1-317-430-1663. I know PDG Billy Chastain, and ID Nick Xinopolous, are attending the Mission.

Don Acton

Lion Don Acton is at Manor Health Care in Avon. He now has a great granddaughter. His room is # 609, Phone 317- 386-6153. He enjoys hearing from you. Pay him a visit, and take along a package of M&Ms. You'll be glad you did.

Cell Phones/Eyeglasses/Hearing Aids

Brownsburg Lions are still collecting cell phones, chargers and ear-buds. We have found a way to distribute the chargers and ear-buds to service members and to other persons and organizations who need them. The Lions are also sharing in the credit for this distribution. Bring your old phones to our next meeting—even if they are broken, they are still worth \$\$\$ to Lions. We are also collecting hearing aids. Contact Lion Ray Furner for details. Eyeglasses and hearing aids may be deposited in one of the many collection boxes in Brownsburg. Thanks for your help.

Bundy Lodge & Park Improvements

We are all excited to see the new updates done to the Bundy Lodge. Thank you to those who painted & cleaned up, also check out the bench outside the dining hall. It is in memory of Lion Pat Chastain. Nicely done.

Brian's Trike Race

Brian's Trike Race at the ISBVI will be on April 22nd 2018

The following Brownsburg Lions hold district or state offices.

Paul Morrison, Sargent at Arms District C

Billy Chastain, District Nominations and Elections chair.

John Fletcher, Trustee, Indiana School for the Blind and Visually Impaired

Ray Furner, Speech and Hearing Trustee

Larry Whitmore, Reading Action Program Committee Chairman District 25C

John Sabol, Administrative Assistant to State Secretary

These Lions represent incredible diversity and commitment to service. All of Brownsburg should be proud.

Dues are Due and Quick Notes

Please remember to pay your dues in a timely manner. Please remember to RSVP if you are going to attend a function requiring advanced seating and food ordering. Also check out the Brownsburg Lions Web site at www.Brownsburglionsclub.org. The web address for District 25C is www.IndianaLionsDistrict25C.org.

The Leo Club

Our club wants to expand our Alpha Leo Club which is for teens ages 12 to 18. It focuses on individual and social development, leadership skills and community service. We are looking for at least 2, preferably 3, advisors to run this club. As Advisor, you can set your meeting time, day, and coordinate with our Building Rental Manager to use the Clubhouse. Contact Gretchen Zentz for more information.

Mears Automotive

Remember if you have auto repairs done at Mears, mention that you're a Lion. The club will get a 10% donation based on the cost of your repairs. I understand they do very good work, and it's guaranteed.

In The News

We would like to recognize our member's birthdays and anniversaries in the newsletter. No ages please, just the month or month and day. If you are having an anniversary and would like it mentioned here call Gretchen Zentz at 317-362-1935 with the information or send an email to gretchen.ann1@gmail.com.

In the case of an illness, surgery, accident or wedding we would like to send a card. This information will not be in the newsletter unless requested.

In the case of the death of a member or spouse, or extended hospital stay we will send flowers. Call Lion Mary Jessen at 1-219-765-5360. For deceased members "A Lions' Memorial Service" will be provided just contact Mary or the current Lions' president.

The Lions not only help others, we help each other. **WE ARE FAMILY.** If there is a need such as lawn mowing, snow shoveling, bringing in food due to illness, transportation or something else contact Lion Ray at 852-8087.

Bundy Lodge Rental

Just a reminder, anyone interested in renting Bundy Lodge for a meeting or party should contact Lion Dave Moore at 1-317-796-2500, or send an email to lionsbundylodge@yahoo.com . Rates are \$125 for the first 4hrs then \$30 for each additional hour. \$350 for weddings. Security deposit required. Club members can rent the hall for a half day for \$50.

Birthdays

Anniversaries

Do you have information that should be included in the newsletter?

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