

Lions Making the Magic Happen
with District Governor Don Hebert

May 2005 Calendar of Events Newsletter

Please print this newsletter out to share with your members

Monthly Message from your District Governor

To all the Lions, Lioness and Leo and friends in District 33-S

How can I begin to thank you all for the Magical evening you all gave me the night of my Testimonial?

As I said Saturday Evening if I were to thank the Lions who made this the special year that it has been I would have to mention the 2342 names of the Lions, Leos and Lionesses in our district, because without all of you we would not be where we are this Lionistic Year.

On behalf of Rachele and myself, thank you for the most generous gift that you all presented to us. I pray that in the remainder of this Lionistic Year you will find in your hearts to continue helping those in need in your community, our district, our state and throughout the world.

*Yours In Lionism
Donald M. Hebert
District Governor*

Taunton Lions Club

A special, *special Thank you* to all those Lions, Lionesses, and Leos who helped me with pictures and stories for my Dad's Memory Book presented to him at the Testimonial. You are all really one of a kind.

Thank you again, Melissa Brown, DG Don's Daughter

May 1st Easton Lions Club

On May 1st a bus will be leaving from the Easton Junior High School at 6 AM to the 77th **Annual State Convention in Nashua NH**. All Lions are welcome to join the Easton Lions Club on the bus for a meager \$5 gas contribution. Just show up or confirm your seat on the bus with Steve Wilson swilson@comcast.net

May 1st Middleboro Lions Club

MONTHLY BREAKFAST with a nice Raffle held at the Middleboro Housing Office on Benton Street in Middleboro. The Club will be serving from 7 am to 11 pm. Follow Rte 105 towards Middleboro center, take a right at the first set of lights on to Wareham Street, the second street is Benton. Middleboro Housing is on the left side. There will be signs designating the Lions Breakfast. This is another great place to see other Lions from the District.

May 5th Rehoboth Annawan Lions Club

MOM'S NIGHT OUT Drawing. Large basket of goodies and second prize is pasta night for 4 at the Hillside. There is still time for tickets. \$1 each or 6 for \$5. E mail Momakath@aol.com if you have not bought your tickets.

Watch the June Newsletter for details on the Golf Tournament set the day before Fathers Day at the Rehoboth Country Club. Steak Fry and Cart cost is \$75 per golfer.

May 7th 14th 21st 28th S Attleboro Lions Club

MEAT RAFFLE HELD ON EACH Saturday of the month at the American Legion Hall on Rt. 123 in South Attleboro from 2:30 – 4 pm. The hall is located just 1 mile on the right from the Rt. 95/Rt. 123 junction towards South Attleboro. Wide variety of quality meats, raffles, 50/50, gift certificates and prizes. Contact Lion PDG Don Leedham at LionDon65@comcast.net or Lion Mike Hunchard at HUXB29@aol.com

May 7th Halifax Lions Club

The Halifax Lions Club will be having a **BOOK SALE** on May 7th. We will accept any donations you may have. Please call Ken Corti at 781-293-3401.

May 7th Greater Taunton Leo Club

Dear Lions, Lionesses, and Leos

On May 7, 2005 from 6:30 to 10:30 PM, thanks to the Raynham Lion's Club, the greater Taunton Leo Club will be having a **SOCK HOP**. It will be held at the Raynham Lions Club, King Philip Street, Raynham MA. The cost will be \$4 for children 10 and under, \$7 for children 11+ and adults. We will be having a bake sale, 50/50 raffle, membership table, and dancing all night long.

Please RSVP by April 29, 2005 by mail to Samantha Pittman 83 Linden St. Taunton, MA 02780. Make your checks payable to the Greater Taunton Leo Club or call Debbie

at 1-508-572-1544 or Samantha at 1-508-813-9509. Tickets to be picked up at the door. Please include with your check the total number attending and their names specifying child or adult.

Dig out those poodle skirts, saddle shoes and jeans! It's time to get dancing! We hope to see you there!

May 8th Mansfield Lions Club

On Saturday May 8th the Mansfield Lions Club will hold its **ANNUAL PENNY SALE** at the Qualters Middle School, East Street, Mansfield. This is our largest and most important fundraiser of the year and provides the funds to sponsor our scholarships, our local service projects, Mass Eye Research, LCIF and several other charities. It is a time tested evening of fun, good treats to eat, excitement and Prizes, Prizes, Prizes.

Here is how it works. The auditorium is loaded with hundreds of prizes and gifts for home, patio, garden, personal beauty, etc. and the audience buys tickets for 2 cents each. When the gift prize that has caught you fancy goes up on the block you submit as many tickets as you wish to increase your chances of winning. All the tickets are tumbled together and the winners are announced. All prizes are awarded that night and there is laughter and excited squealing all the time. A grand super prize of a 32 inch COLOR TV is awarded as a separate raffle. 1 ticket for \$1 or a book of 6 for \$5. Intermission provides a chance for refreshing drinks or homemade cookies, cupcakes, brownies and snacks. A great time is had by all and the prizes are truly worthwhile. Come join us and see what an old fashioned evening of great fun and prizes is all about. Contact President Sandra Levine for any questions at 508-339-8474 or you can e mail her at

s_levine@email.msn.com

DIRECTIONS:

May 11th Berkley Lions Club

One of the teams from the **Destination Imagination Competition** will perform a skit for the club. Berkley Middle School was lucky to have 6 teams go to the Nationals and are now raising funds for one of the teams who made it all the way to the Global Competition in Knoxville, TN, The kids are really busy now selling candles and preparing for their April 30th Road Race, including a Delicious Cook Out, Hair Braiding Booth, Raffles and Games to raise monies to defray the cost of the trip to Knoxville. *Way To Go Berkley*

May 14th Rockland Lions Club

The Lions will be cooking at the second annual **TOUCH-A-TRUCK**. It will be held on Saturday, May 14th from 10-2 PM in the Rockland High School parking lot. The club will be working in conjunction with the North River Collaborative. Come by and support their efforts.

May 14th So Attleboro Lions Club

The 1ST ANNUAL LION DAVE ALLARD SPRING MEMORIAL OUTING will be held on Saturday, May 14th at 11:00 AM through the evening hours. All profits will be donated to Lion Dave's favorite charity Joslin Diabetes Camp. Price will be \$15 which will include 2 meals - chowder and clamcakes or burger or hot dog with fixing. Activities will include DJ for music and dancing, lots of games and fun for all ages. There will be camping for self contained campers only for \$10 for Friday or Saturday night. Raffles and cash bar available all day.

This will be a great way to raise funds for Camp Joslin while having a fun family day. For more detailed information contact Co Chairs Lion Roger Fedelia at LionRoger@aol.com or So Attleboro Village Lion Stacey Allard at 508-399-7984.

Dave was a 2nd term King Lion of South Attleboro when he passed away June 1st of last year. Some from our district may remember Dave as the hotel owner in our Midwinter 2001 play Murder on Maui or as the high school jock in our Mid Winter 2004 play Murder at Kool Kat High.

May 15th Scrap Book Judging

All Lion Clubs that wished to have their **SCRAP BOOKS JUDGED** must get them to their Regional Chairperson before May 15th.

Any questions please e mail Gerald Ferris at Ferrisgerald@aol.com

May 15th Lakeville Lions Club

MONTHLY BREAKFAST every third Sunday. Order from our menu like The Lion Tamer, Pancakes, Eggs, French Toast or from our Special Omelet Menu.

PIZZA made fresh on Sunday by Chef Lion Russ. Call 508-947-9862 to place an order.

May 15th Berkley Lions Club

BREAKFAST IN OUR OWN LIONS DEN every third Sunday of the month October thru June. From 7:00 to 11:00 AM. Your Breakfast will be prepared individually from our own Lion's Den Menu, eggs of your choice, French Toast, Bacon, Sausage, Hash, Homefries, Pancakes, Toast, Juice and a bottomless cup of coffee or tea.

Come join us for breakfast and fun on the Common at the Olde Town Hall, Berkley MA.

Yet another good place to meet other Lions from the District.

May 15th South Attleboro Lions Club

The 2nd **ANNUAL SOUTH ATTLEBORO LIONS GOLF TOURNAMENT** will be held on Sunday May 15th at the Chemawa Golf Course in South Attleboro. Continental Breakfast, Raffles, Lunch, Dinner, Prizes, and FUN! Contact Lion Ray Moreau at MorayInd@aol.com

May 17th Rochester Lions Club

The Rochester Lions Club **Annual Steak Bake** will be held on Tuesday, May 17th at the Rochester Grange Hall, 205 Hartley Rd., Rochester. Cocktails 6 – 7 with Dinner 7 PM. The cost is \$15 per person. For reservations contact Lion Arthur Westgate at 508-763-2486 or e mail Lion Lorraine Guy at Lg4762@comcast.net

May 18th South Attleboro Lions Club

On Wednesday, May 18th at St Theresa's Church, Rt. 1 in South Attleboro we will be helping to host the **City of Attleboro D.A.R.E. Student Excellence Award Dinner**. We do this in conjunction with D.A.R.E. in Attleboro and the 4 middle schools in Attleboro. 8 Students from each school have been selected and will be honored that night. We make the dinner and help with the special presentations. Contact King Lion David Barbour at dbarbour1@aol.com for further information.

May 22nd Plymouth Lions Club

The **ANNUAL PLYMOUTH LIONS CLUB PANCAKE BREAKFAST** will take place on Sunday, May 22nd from 8 AM until noon at St Peters Parish Center next to Memorial Hall. The Eyemobile will be there, also pancakes, eggs, Juice, coffee, and more. The price per person is \$5. For more information please contact Chairman William Kane 508-830-4340 daytime

May 22nd Somerset Lions Club

On May 22nd at the Swansea Country Club we will be hosting a **Golf Tournament**. It is \$95 per player which includes 18 rounds of golf, golf cart, and a steak dinner. This is always a real fun day. Tee time is 1:00 PM. There will be a raffle at dinner and we have different raffles you can get in on throughout the course. If you are interested please contact Carl Munroe or Mike Correia of the Somerset Lions Club.

May 25th 501 C 3 Tax Exempt Status

To all Lions and Lions Clubs

A class will be presented by Lion Rev. Alan Copithorne on May 25, 2005 at the Lakeville Lions Hall begining at 6:30PM. Anyone interested in applying for the 501-C-3 Tax Exempt Status is encouraged to attend this class. Lion Alan will have all copies of materials needed to complete this.

Lion Alan has obtained the 501 C 3 status for the Marshfield Lions Club, and I would like to thank him for offering to help other clubs in District 33-S. Please RSVP to DG Don at e-mail LionDHebert@aol.com or 508-822-1236 so that we will be sure to have enough packets.

Yours in Lionism
Don Hebert

PS NO FOOD will be served, the Bar will be open

May 25th Easton Lions Club

The 6th Annual Easton Lions Golf Tournament will take place on the 25th of May at the Easton Country Club. The event kicks off at 9:30 AM with the Shotgun/Scramble. \$125.00 per person includes fees, cart, lunch buffet and awards. The proceeds to benefit Mass Eye Research. Individuals or foursomes can register with Kevin Symmons at 617-774-9874

May 25th Berkley Lions Club

The Berkley Lions Club **ANNUAL APPRECIATION DINNER** at the Olde Town Hall. We will be having a Pot Luck Dinner and present Certificates of Appreciation to all those non Lions who have helped the club throughout the year. We keep an active list of all those wonderful adults, children, vendors, etc that have helped make our fundraisers such an overwhelmingly success. We could not do all we do without their help. This is such a small way for us to say Thank You.

May 31st Bridgewater Academy Lions Club

The Bridgewater Academy Lions Club has two fundraisers going on at the moment

1. In order to raise funds for “**PENNIES FOR SIGHT**” we are selling autographed copies of a children’s book – Patch the Porcupine. These books have wonderful illustrations! They are being sold for \$10. To make a purchase please contact Lion Paula Doherty at paula.doherty@sunlife.com

2. The Bridgewater Academy Lions Club will be the **Host Club of the 2006 Mid-Winter Convention**. We are having a fundraiser to offset the cost involved. Raffle tickets are being sold for \$10 each – with daily drawings in June. \$10 buys 30 chances to win. The daily drawings will have a \$50 cash prize. A maximum of 1000 tickets will be sold. All tickets must be returned no later than 7:00 PM on May 31st. Please contact Lion Paula Doherty at paula.doherty@sunlife.com to purchase a ticket or ask any Bridgewater Academy Lion.

Theresa Tibert, Secretary, Bridgewater Academy Lions Club

June 2nd District 33S PawSox Game

ANNUAL LIONS NIGHT WITH THE PAWSOX. June 2nd at the McCoy Stadium in Pawtucket, RI. This is a District Fundraiser for Massachusetts Lions Eye Research. Tickets are \$6.00 each for General Admission (anywhere in the blue seats) with 50% (\$3.00) of each ticket sale will be donated by the Paw Sox Organization to MLER.

The PawSox will be playing the Norfolk Tides (N.Y. Mets AAA farm team) and we are looking to have each Club bring its Club Banner to the game for the on field pre-game ceremonies. Line up for Banners is at 6:30 PM entering through the 1st base gate. It would make a big impression if Lions wore their Maroon Lions shirts but is not required.

Many Clubs in the past have donated tickets to local Youth Base Ball Teams for Scouting Groups. See your Zone Chairperson if you need additional tickets.

All proceeds and any unsold tickets should be returned to your Zone Chairperson on or before Sunday May 15th. If you need more time make arrangements with your Zone Chairperson. In any case, I must have in my possession all monies and any unsold tickets by 5.00 PM on Sunday May 22nd. If for any reason you don't make this final cut off date your Club will be expected to pay for all tickets not returned by them.

Make checks payable to District 33S – PAWSOX
Thank you in advance for your help and co-operation, PDG Bill Richardson

June 3rd 4th and 5th *Dighton Lions Club*

**Dighton is jumping; things will be going on all the time
Carnival, Games, Raffles, Food, Fun for the whole family.
Dandilions will run the food stand.**

Friday Opening 6 PM with Carnival and Music.
Saturday Carnival, Karate Demo, Cow Chip Festival at 2 PM Chicken Barbeque
(need a ticket) 5 PM Country Music 7 PM and Fireworks at 10 PM.
Sunday Carnival, 12 PM Demos

2:00 PM 17TH ANNUAL COW CHIP FESTIVAL on June 4th

Cow #1	\$500.00
Cow #2	\$300.00
Cow #3	\$200.00

Tickets are now on sale for \$10.00 each.

See any Dighton or Dandilion Club Member.

For more info please contact Norm NcMann at McNorm150@aol.com

June 18th *Greater Bridgewater Leo Club*

Greater Bridgewater Leo Club will hold its **END OF THE YEAR BANQUET** with Award Ceremony and Instillation of Officers on Saturday, June 18th. The banquet will be held at the Bridgewater Senior Center, 10 Wally Kruger Way, Bridgewater from 5:00 to

9:00 PM.. The price is \$8.00 per person or \$15.00 per couple. Around-The-World (International) Dinner with DJ. For more information contact either Leo Peter Bertelli at 508-947-5266 or you can e mail Peter at Leo.Bertelli@gmail.com or you can also e mail Leo Pat Walmsley at leopatwalmsleygblc@yahoo.com

June 25th Rochester Lions Club

The Rochester Lions Club & Firemen's Association **Annual Golf Tournament** at the Rochester Golf Course. Cost is \$75 per person and includes 18 holes of golf followed by a Steak Dinner & Raffle at the Rochester Grange Hall, 205 Hartley Rd., in Rochester. Look for all the details on prizes in the June Calendar of Events Newsletter Prizes for the Top 3 Teams closest to the Pin Front and Back Nine. Longest Drive – Men & Women's Division. The Proceeds will benefit the Lions and Fire Association Projects. For information contact Lion Arthur Westgate at 508-763-2486 or e mail Lorraine Guy at Lg4762@comcast.net.

Dighton Lions Club

To Be Given Away Benefit of the
Dighton Lions Club

**Two (2) NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS SEASON TICKETS
or \$1000.00 in Cash**

Ticket Winner has option to Purchase Play-off Tickets
Drawing Week Before the Pre-Season
Donation \$5.00

For more information contact President Norm McMann 508-824-8080
Mcnorm150@aol.com or any Dighton Lion Member

MLERFI & IRA TOYOTA OF MILFORD PENNIES FOR SIGHT PROMOTION
For just pennies you or your club could be the winner
of a two year lease on a brand new Toyota.

Goal

1. A minimum of 5,000 canisters in service.
2. Each canister returned must have a value of no less than \$100.00

Guidelines:

1. For each \$100.00 returned per canister your name will be entered for drawing
*For each \$100 returned you get that many chances to win.
*Envelope/check must be marked with name, address and phone number
*All monies will be sent to Treasurer Bill Murphy
2. Must be 21 years of age to qualify
3. The winner must be approved by Toyota Financial
4. Winner will pay all insurance associated with lease
5. This is not limited to just Lions. (Get others to sign up.)

Bonus:

1. Every club also has a chance to have their name included in the drawing
*For each \$100 returned they also get the many chances to win
2. If a club wins...they can use the lease as a raffle item.

We plan to have the drawing in June 2005. It will be held at Ira Toyota of Milford with MLERFI members. Chairman: PDG Carl Munroe and PDG Dick Ferrucci

Yours in Lionism,

Barbara Otto,

Lionbotto@aol.com or 508-822-3833

Not Above You, Not Beneath You, But With You

Please get your upcoming Fundraisers to me early for the June Calendar of Events. The deadline is May 18th. Any comments, suggestions, etc. is always welcome. This is a great way to see how everyone is “making magic in the District.”