

THE LIONS ROAR

District 11-A1 Lions Club



THE POWER OF COMPASSION AND SERVICE

Welcome to our Newsletter!!

Greetings fellow Lions and future Lions!! We have officially closed out the warm weather as Michigan has started to see it's first snow flakes depending on where in the mitten you reside. As we begin to settle into our winter routines let us take a moment to reflect on all that we have accomplished so far. Thank you for your continued service and support to your community both local and abroad.

On the journey forward be sure to continue to share and practice the principles of the Lionism with those around you. Always keep an open mind and open heart to those in need.

A simple act of compassion or understanding has the ability to break down walls and see new pathways to a better future for all.

Service allows us to put those thoughts and emotions into action creating the change that we envision, creating the roads and pathways that bridge us together.

WEBSITE: METRODETROITLIONS.ORG ✉ FACEBOOK: LIONS CLUBS OF METRO DETROIT; DISTRICT 11 A-1

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- REACH OUT" TO INCREASE COMMUNITY
- AWARENESS OF LIONISM



District II-AI

COMMUNICATION GATEWAYS



MAILCHIMP: SEND SUBMISSIONS TO:

IT@METRODETROITLIONS.ORG

NEWSLETTER: ALL SUBMISSIONS MUST BE SENT BY THE 20TH TO:

NEWSLETTER@METRODETROITLIONS.ORG

FEATURES RECENT PAST EVENTS, UPCOMING EVENTS, EVERYTHING DISTRICT NEWS!

WEBSITE: SEND SUBMISSIONS TO:

[WEB@METRODETROITLIONS.ORG](http://WWW.METRODETROITLIONS.ORG) (WWW.METRODETROITLIONS.ORG)

IT:INQUIRIES AND INFO FOR CLASSES & GENERAL EVENTS

IT@METRODETROITLIONS.ORG

DISTRICT GOVERNOR LULA GARDFREY:

DGLULA@METRODETROITLIONS.ORG

ZOOM REQUEST AND INQUIRES

ZOOM@METRODETROITLIONS.ORG

CABINET SECRETARY

CABINETSECRETARY@METRODETROITLIONS.ORG

GLOBAL SERVICE TEAM

GST@METRODETROITLIONS.ORG

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CONTACTUS@METRODETROITLIONS.ORG

NOVEMBER

2023-2024

District Officers

- DG Lion Lula Gardfrey
- FVDG Lion LaWonna Lofton-Coleman
- IPDG Lion Matt Collins
- Global Leadership Coordinator Lion Roshni Patel, PDG
- PDG/ District II AI Global Extension Coordinator, Lion Ronald Coleman
- Global Membership Coordinator, Lion Harriet Robinson, PR C
- District II AI Global Service Coordinator, Lion Michelle Turner-White
- District II AI Childhood Cancer Committee Chair, Lion Phyllis Turner
- Leader Dog Coordinator, Lion Cathy Mc Adam
- Greater Metro Detroit Lions Club President, Lion Deborah Love-Peel
- Harper Woods - Grosse Pointe Woods Lions Club President, Lion Daniel Rathbun,



District II-AI

MESSAGE FROM DISTRICT 11 A1 - DISTRICT GOVERNOR, LULA GARDFREY

NOVEMBER

FOOD FOR THOUGHT- FROM ONE LION TO ANOTHER

- VALUE OUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS. THEY ARE THE MOST IMPORTANT PEOPLE IN YOUR LIFE.
- BE HUMBLE AND COMPASSIONATE. TREAT EVERYONE WITH RESPECT, REGARDLESS OF THEIR SOCIAL STATUS OR BACKGROUND.
- WORK HARD AND BE PERSISTENT. DON'T BE AFRAID TO SET AMBITIOUS GOALS AND WORK HARD TO ACHIEVE THEM.
- BE HONEST AND ETHICAL. ALWAYS DO THE RIGHT THING, EVEN WHEN IT'S DIFFICULT.
- GIVE BACK TO YOUR COMMUNITY. USE YOUR TIME AND RESOURCES TO HELP OTHERS.
- BE GRATEFUL FOR WHAT YOU HAVE. DON'T TAKE YOUR BLESSINGS FOR GRANTED.
- DON'T BE AFRAID TO FAIL. FAILURE IS A PART OF LIFE. LEARN FROM YOUR MISTAKES AND MOVE ON.
- BE FORGIVING. FORGIVE YOURSELF AND OTHERS FOR THEIR MISTAKES.
- LIVE IN THE PRESENT MOMENT. DON'T DWELL ON THE PAST OR WORRY ABOUT THE FUTURE.
- ENJOY LIFE. FIND THINGS THAT YOU'RE PASSIONATE ABOUT AND MAKE TIME FOR THEM.
- BE OPEN TO NEW EXPERIENCES. TRY NEW THINGS AND STEP OUTSIDE OF YOUR COMFORT ZONE.
- BE CURIOUS. ASK QUESTIONS AND LEARN FROM OTHERS.
- BE COURAGEOUS. STAND UP FOR WHAT YOU BELIEVE IN, EVEN WHEN IT'S UNPOPULAR.
- BE HOPEFUL. BELIEVE IN A BETTER FUTURE FOR YOURSELF AND FOR THE WORLD.
- MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THE WORLD. USE YOUR TALENTS AND ABILITIES TO MAKE A POSITIVE IMPACT ON THE WORLD AROUND YOU.

REFLECTIONS OF LION JIMMY CARTER --A FULL LIFE.

THESE LESSONS ARE UNIVERSAL AND CAN BE APPLIED BY PEOPLE OF ALL AGES AND BACKGROUNDS.



DISTRICT 11 A1 - SECOND CABINET MEETING

NOVEMBER

THE SECOND CABINET MEETING LED BY DISTRICT GOVERNOR LULA WAS A GREAT SUCCESS! SEVERAL OF THE PROJECTS THAT WE SUPPORT CAME OUT AND SHARED INFORMATION ON ALL OF THE WONDERFUL THINGS THAT THEY DO AND HOW WE SUPPORT THEM! THE BEDFORD LIONS CLUB AND FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH'S HOSPITALITY, SERVICE, AND FOOD WAS SECOND TO NONE!



DISTRICT 11 A1 - SECOND CABINET MEETING

NOVEMBER



LOCAL EVENTS

PENRICKTON CENTER FOR BLIND CHILDREN HELD THEIR ANNUAL FUNDRAISING DINNER ON OCTOBER 14 2023, AT 300 TOWN CTR DRIVE IN DEARBORN MICHIGAN. IN ATTENDANCE WERE LIONS, KIWNANS, ROTARIONS AND RESIDENTS. THANK YOU PENRICKTON FOR THE WONDERFUL DINNER AND EVENT.

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LOCAL EVENTS

IT WAS A FANTASTIC DAY FOR THE 20TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE IMAGE, PERCEPTION AND DIVERSITY CONFERENCE COORDINATED BY DEARBORN LC LION SIHAM JAAFAR AT THE FORD COMMUNITY PERFORMING ARTS CENTER IN DEARBORN.

DISTRICT 11-A1 LIONS DG LULA GARDFREY, PDG ROSHNI PATEL, GMT HARRIET ROBINSON, GET MEMBER DR. DANIEL RATHBUN AND GET COORDINATOR MET MANY ATTENDEES AND TOLD THEM HOW TO BECOME A LION SO THEY CAN HELP SERVE OUR COMMUNITY AND THE GLOBE.

LION DANIEL RATHBUN CREATED A QR CODE SO ATTENDEES CAN SHARE THEIR CONTACT INFORMATION. **IT CAN BE FOUND ON THE NEXT PAGE**.

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Lions District 11-A1 Interest Survey
We Serve Wayne and Monroe Counties!



The Global Leader In
Humanitarian Service

www.lionsclubs.org



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

LIVONIA HIH NOONERS LIONS CLUB

The Livonia High Nooners Lions Club went on a road trip to Redford Interfaith Relief for our October Program Dinner. Executive Director Angela Wolf took us on a tour and told us of the incredible work they do providing referral services, food, clothing, outreach, and raising public awareness of the critical needs of struggling families in Redford. Thanks, Angela! We were so inspired by RIR!

RIR currently serves 293 Redford households (up from 204, and climbing). They assist Redford residents only, no referral is required. Clients may shop once a month in the Healthy Client Choice Emergency Food Pantry, with nutritionally balanced sections for their groceries and personal care items, as well as their clothing boutique. The pantry provides fresh produce, frozen meat and other proteins, canned vegetables & fruits, bread & bakery items, cereals, refrigerator items and other staples, as well as hygiene products, personal care items, and cleaning supplies (when available).

How can we (you!) help? They need:

- New underwear, all sizes: children, men, women
- Old or new socks in all sizes
- Clothes in GOOD condition (nothing damaged, faded, or stained).
- Especially needed: Children's clothing, infant and up;
- Men's clothing, all sizes, especially larger;
- Coats and warm weather gear (not just mittens)
- Linens: sheets, towels, washcloths, blankets
- They accept shoes, purses, jewelry, and Halloween costumes
- NO household décor/knick-knacks
- Foods in short supply: Butter, Cooking oils and sprays, Salt and pepper, Seasonings: spices are ALWAYS in very short supply (garlic, seasoned salt, onion, bouillon, etc.)
- Other items: Hygiene products: soap, shampoo, deodorant, etc.; Adult pull-ups (no Velcro diapers); Feminine products;
- Paper products' Laundry soap, dryer sheets

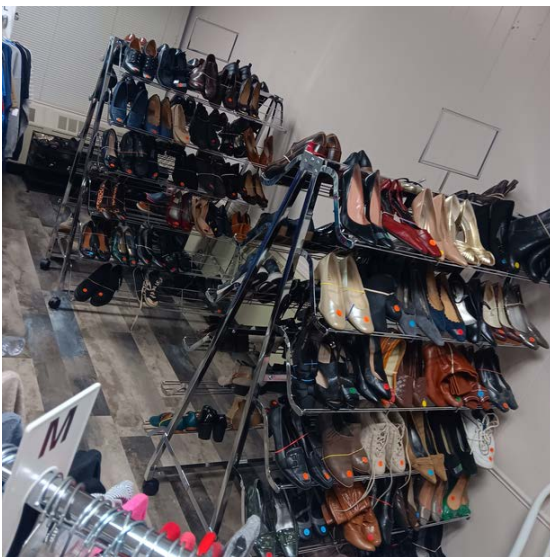
Please contact Redford Interfaith Relief if you'd like to donate items, money, or your priceless time.

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THE LIVONIA HIGH NOONERS LIONS CLUB HELPED MAKE A DIFFERENCE, SERVING AT THE RECENT KIDS COALITION AGAINST HUNGER MEAL-PACKING EVENT.

ON SATURDAY, 175 CITIZENS FROM LIVONIA AND OUR SURROUNDING COMMUNITIES GATHERED AT THE ST. EDITH CATHOLIC CHURCH HALL TO PACK AND DISTRIBUTE MEALS TO THE HUNGRY. IN JUST A FEW HOURS, THESE VOLUNTEERS PACKED 50,000 MEALS! 33,000 OF THESE MEALS WERE SUBSEQUENTLY DELIVERED TO AREA FOOD PANTRIES AND SOUP KITCHENS LOCATED IN FARMINGTON, GARDEN CITY, LIVONIA, NORTHVILLE, PLYMOUTH, REDFORD, AND WESTLAND.

LIVONIA LIONS PARTICIPATING IN THIS YEAR'S EVENT INCLUDE MATT AND KATHLEEN COLLINS, AND THE RON ROSENTHAL FAMILY.

SEE SOMEONE YOU KNOW? PLEASE JOIN ME IN THANKING THE MANY VOLUNTEERS WHO GAVE OF THEIR TIME TO HELP FEED THE HUNGRY, IN AND AROUND LIVONIA.

THIS EVENT WAS CO-SPONSORED BY THRIVENT FINANCIAL, KIDS COALITION AGAINST HUNGER, ST. EDITHS, AND YOUR LIVONIA COMMUNITY SERVICE CLUBS. FINANCIAL SPONSORS INCLUDED MASCO CORPORATION, ALPHA USA, THRIVENT FINANCIAL, FINANCIAL INVESTMENT PLANNERS, ELITE REALTY, LIVONIA FAMILY DENTAL, COMMUNITY CHOICE CREDIT UNION, VIBE CREDIT UNION, LIVONIA GOODFELLOWS, LIVONIA ROTARY CLUBS, AND THE LIVONIA HIGH NOONERS LIONS CLUB.



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LIVONIA HIH NOONERS LIONS CLUB



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT UGANDA

LION LUYIMA JOHN

NOVEMBER

WHERE THERE IS A NEED THERE IS A LION
GREAT THANKS TO LIONS WORLD WIDE WHO HAVE
CONTINUOUSLY SUPPORTED LCIF AND GREAT THANKS
TO UBLY LIONS CLUB MICHIGAN OFFERED MATCHING
GRANT IN UGANDA TO RESCUE THE LIVES OF PEOPLE
THROUGH PROTECTION OF THE WATER WELL
CONTAMINATED BY FACTORY EFFLUENT , REPLACING
TEMPORARY BRIDGE WITH CONCRETE FOOT BRIDGE,
PLEASE THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR THE GREAT
SUPPORT FELLOW LIONS AND MAY GOD REWARD YOU
IN ABUNDANCE



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT UGANDA

NOVEMBER

LION JUSTIN FABER

THIS HAS BEEN ONE OF THE MOST HEARTWARMING PROJECTS THAT MYSELF AND OUR CLUB HAS PLAYED A ROLE IN. WITHOUT OUR FOUNDATION (LCIF) AND OUR MANY SUPPORTERS WE WOULD NOT HAVE BEEN ABLE TO HAVE THE IMPACT THAT WE DID AND DO! THE PROJECTS HAVE BECOME MUCH LARGER THAN OUR CLUB, THE UBLY LIONS CLUB, MANY HAVE STEPPED IN TO HELP US RAISE THE FUNDS AND WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR YOUR GENEROSITY. THANK YOU TO EACH OF YOU, YOU ARE CHANGING THE WORLD! WE'D BE REMISSED TO NOT THANK MRS. SHANKS CLASS WHO TOOK THEIR OWN INITIATIVE TO PROVIDE THE ORPHANS SHOES, A SMALL ACT IN WHICH THEY HAVE NOT FORGOTTEN.

"ALONE WE CAN DO SO LITTLE; TOGETHER WE CAN DO SO MUCH!"

HELEN KELLER

IF YOU TOO WOULD LIKE TO JOIN US IN MAKING THE WORLD A BETTER PLACE, SEND ME AN IM AND I'LL HELP YOU BECOME PART OF THE WORLDS LARGEST SERVICE ORGANIZATION ! THE FOLLOWING ARE THE CLUBS AND INDIVIDUALS THAT MADE THIS ALL POSSIBLE:

UBLY LIONS CLUB

DECKERVILLE LIONS CLUB

FRIEBURG ST IGNATIUS LIONS CLUB

USA LIONS CLUB

CARSONVILLE LIONS CLUB

PORT SANILAC LIONS CLUB

MINDEN CITY LIONS CLUB

LAPEER LIONS

ALGONAC LIONS CLUB

PORT HURON HOST LIONS

PDG TRACI COWLES-TRIBLEY

1VDG LAWONNA

PDG RONALD COLEMAN

IRENE COLE

PDG PEGGY & BARRY ALLEN

LION FR. NATHAN HARBURG

PID JOYCE & PDG MARTIN MIDDLETON

PDG ROSHNI PATEL

JOHN HOFFMANN

LION JOHN R. STANLEY MEMORIAL FUND

IN MEMORY OF LION CLIFF ROGGENBUCK

LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION

LIONS THUMB DISTRICT

LIONS WHO LIVE IN MICHIGAN

(OFFICIAL LIONS WHO LIVE IN MICHIGAN (OFFICIAL GROUP OF MD 11 & SD 10).

LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION

LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL







Michelle Turner-White
District 11 A1
Global Service Coordinator



2701 Alhambra
Southfield, MI 48076



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Michellwhitebusiness@gmail.com



GLOBAL SERVICE COORDINATOR REPORT

October 2023

Your clubs are making such a big difference in people's lives every single day. Now imagine how much more your club could accomplish if everyone in your community knew of all the good they could do as part of your club.

Let's show our pride in our clubs by shining a light on our service every day. We are the global leaders in humanitarian service, and we need to make sure that our communities know how we serve and how they can participate. Let's use great marketing and communication to show our communities that we are changing lives—and that we can change the world with us by being Lions and Leos and encouraging others to do the same.

Together We Serve,

Lion Michelle Turner-White, GST

Some of the ways we can help do this...

- Post your service activities on your clubs Facebook and Instagram pages
- Report all of your service activities on MyLion.org **We MUST** bring our #'s up as a District.
- Send all service pictures with a small write-up to newsletter@metrodetroitlions.com
- Keep in mind that service activities help to increase Lions Club membership. So please always have membership applications available and you may even even contact our Global Membership Team person to assist you with this.

Clubs, I would like to support you with your service activities and help to promote them even further. Please contact me at (248) 238-4863, so I may assist you, come to your events and speak to your clubs about how we can increase our service as a team.

ALL DISTRICT 11 A1 CLUBS:

EACH OF YOUR CLUBS HAVE BEEN INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN THESE DISTRICT PROJECTS AND TO PRESENT MATERIALS, GIFTS AND MONETARY DONATIONS AT THE MICHIGAN FORUM IN FEBRUARY 2024. PLEASE SHARE THIS IN YOUR CLUBS. WE WILL ALSO DO ANOTHER FREE COMPUTER TRAINING ON MICROSOFT WORD - SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2023 FROM 12:30 - 3:00PM (SEE ATTACHED FLYER)

THANK YOU..

PLEASE SHARE AND MAKE COPIES OF THE FOLLOWING FLYERS TO PASS OUT IN YOUR CLUB MEETINGS

MICHELLE WHITE
GLOBAL SERVICE CHAIR
(248) 238-4863





NO KID SLEEPS ON THE FLOOR IN OUR TOWN!



Join us at the MD Lions of Michigan Forum February 23, 2024, to tie 100 blankets for kids. Districts are asked to donate at least 10 blanket kits and we will complete the blanket service project as a group. All blankets will be donated to Sleep in Heavenly Peace.

Visit Joann Fabrics for all your no-sew fleece blanket kits! <https://www.joann.com> Contact PDG Terri Huffman, GST Chair, or your District GST for details on how we can make an impact on the lives of children in need at the Lions Michigan Forum.





Kids Coalition Against Hunger is a 501^c3 humanitarian food aid organization. Our mission is to significantly reduce the number of undernourished children locally and around the world. Our fully nutritious meals are packaged by volunteers and delivered to starving people with the help of our worldwide partners.

Kids Coalition Against Hunger was started by Dr. Donald E. Burwell in 1998. This humanitarian crusade has partnered with many different Service Groups, Churches, Businesses, and Volunteers. Today KCAH produces millions of meals a year that are sent to local community food banks and shelters. KCAH ships to twenty different countries globally, while storing a portion of the meals packaged for disaster relief.

Every day 14,500 children under the age of twelve die from hunger related diseases.

One KCAH food pack will provide six adult meals at .35 cents per meal, or \$2.10 a packet.



kcah.info



KCAH accepts individual and corporate donations that will be used towards future packaging events. Check should be made payable to Kids Coalition Against Hunger and mailed to:



Kids Coalition Against Hunger
PO Box 930794
Wixom, MI 48393

**This is a tax deductible contribution*

Plan a packaging event at your facility. We bring the equipment and material to your location to put together food packets with the help of your volunteers. Each meal cost .35 cents. Our minimum packing is 10,000 meals, at a cost of \$3,500.00 and with the help of one hundred volunteers, this can be done in about an hour. Larger events are available; please contact us for availability and requirements.

**Join a packaging in your area
by going online to kcah.info and
click on "Get Involved"**

Kids
Coalition Against
Hunger

PO BOX 930794
Wixom, MI 48393
800.269.0956
fax 248.281.1772
kcah.info  

Feed Our Future



this is andy.

Around the world, thousands of children lose limbs due to landmines, accidents, birth defects or cancer. Families who live in poverty often cannot afford prosthetics. The children suffer and are unable to walk. Sometimes this hinders the child from attending school, working, or participating in society. For the lucky ones who receive a prosthetic, they will outgrow it in 18 months on average. Hope To Walk's solution is a low-cost prosthetic so that children can be walking again sooner and get the replacements they need when they grow.

The Hope To Walk prosthetic leg is a cost-effective solution for growing children in developing countries.



help us provide HOPE.

Send donations to:

125 N Main Street
Suite 500-188
Blacksburg, VA 24060
PHONE 540-605-7102
E-MAIL info@hopetowalk.org
WEB hopetowalk.org



scan to donate >



HOPE TO WALK IS A 501(c)(3)
NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION
TAX ID # 54-0908042



HOPE TO WALK



OFFERING PROSTHETIC
LEGS & HOPE
to a world in need



October 9, 2023, Southfield, Michigan, U.S... **Mayor of Southfield to highlight Ribbon Cutting Ceremony for the Greater Detroit Agency for the Blind & Visually Impaired, (GDABVI) November 2, 2023, 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m; 26777 Central Park Blvd, Suite 150**

SOUTHFIELD, MICHIGAN; The Greater Detroit Agency for the Blind & Visually Impaired will have a ribbon-cutting ceremony on **November 2nd at 11:00 a.m.** The Honorable Mayor Kenson J. Siver, and the Executive Director of the Chamber of Commerce, Ms. Jasmine Patton, will be on hand to help welcome the organization to its new location. Guests will have the opportunity to experience sensory activities that demonstrate what it is like for a person to be blind, and how the visually impaired use tools that aid them in navigating the world around them.

The Greater Detroit Agency for the Blind & Visually Impaired, which began in 1961, is a nonprofit agency providing direct services to people in metro Detroit who are blind or visually impaired; GDABVI provides consultation with varied community partners to increase awareness about blindness and its impact on individuals; their families; and the community: including attitude that place limits on people who are blind or visually impaired.

All are invited to attend.

Mallory Beard, President
Board of Directors
Greater Detroit Agency for the Blind and Visually Impaired
Contact: J. Smock, Chief Operating Officer, for information
regarding GDABVI 313-591-3794

RSVP for the Ribbon Cutting Ceremony to Donna Batista 248-595-3120 or
batistaandassociatesllc@yahoo.com

Greater Detroit Agency for the Blind & Visually Impaired

Providing 62 years of Service

December 2, 2023

6:00pm - until

**Imperial House Banquet Hall
34701 Groesbeck
Clinton Township, MI 48035**



Tickets \$60 per person

**Cash Bar ~ Dinner ~ Dancing
Auction ~ 50/50 Raffle**

To purchase tickets use the QR code, or go to our website:

www.lifebeyondsight.org

**For further information contact Jim Smock, COO @
Office Main: 313-272-3900; Direct Line: 313-591-3794**



SCAN ME



Donation Page

GDABVI deeply appreciates the generous community support we receive each year from friends like you for our programs and services throughout the seven...

 Life Beyond Sight



FREE

Information Technology (IT)

Training Workshop

*on Microsoft
Word*

Saturday, November 11, 2023

12:30 - 3:00pm

Location (TBD)

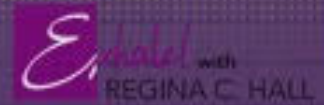
You will learn....

- **How to connect to "MY LCI"**
- **How to navigate thru LCI website**
- **How to get on Zoom and Facebook**
- **How to use Word**

OR WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE A TRAINER FOR YOUR CLUB?...

Lion Deborah Love, Chief IT Team Facilitator

Please RSVP to the IT Team at it@metrodetroitliions.org
and Lion Michelle Turner –White, District GST
Email: michellewhitebusiness@gmail.com



TOPICS DISCUSSED

WJZZ COOL TV

Arts & Entertainment, Employment, opportunities, Talk with the Therapist, Education, and More!

EVERY WEDNESDAY 6-7 PM (EST)



MICHELLE WHITE
Community updates
Host



Dr. REGINA C. HALL
Licensed Therapist
Enlighten Hearts
Host



ROBIN MACK
Founder, Light To Life
Success Foundation
Guest



DR. SABRINA EVANS
Principal Owner
Alpha One Agency, LLC
Guest

Tune in to "Community Updates & Enlighten Hearts Podcast" on YouTube
Call in Live on air WJZZ COOL TV 313-355-6018 (EST)

Presenting



WORLD
DIABETES
DAY

NOVEMBER 14TH



ACCESS TO DIABETES CARE

Diabetes is a global public health concern, with a profound impact on various populations. The impact of diabetes on Black urban communities is a pressing public health issue that demands immediate attention. Addressing health disparities and economic barriers, while implementing community-driven solutions, is essential to reducing the effects of diabetes.

JOIN US:

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2023

ERNEST T. FORD REC CENTER
10 PITKIN, HIGHLAND PARK, MI 48203

2:00 PM - 6:00 PM



Refreshments will be served

✓ Raise awareness about diabetes

✓ Education on prevention

✓ Support for those affected

✓ Onsite health & diabetes screenings



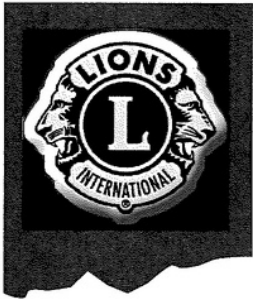
We encourage parents to bring their children for free vision screenings. Early screening leads to early detection, which helps ensure that children get the follow up care they need!



more information
WWW.LIONSCLUBS.ORG/EN/START-OUR-GLOBAL-CAUSES/DIABETES



to request more information or to sign up
HPYAA@HPYAA.ORG



2024 Lions Clubs of Michigan Scholarship for the Visually Impaired

Four \$3,000 scholarships to be awarded

Please mail completed scholarship application to:

The Lions of Michigan State Office
 Attn: Scholarship Committee
 5730 Executive Drive, Lansing, MI 48911
www.lionsofmi.com

Phone: (517) 887-6640
 Fax: (517) 887-6642
 email: lions@lionsofmi.com



Scholarship Criteria:

1. Must be legally blind and provide verification (letter from optometrist or ophthalmologist or letter from vocational counselor).
2. Applicants must be a resident of the State of Michigan and a United States Citizen (International students must provide proof of citizenship) and either attending or accepted by an accredited trade or business school, college or university.
3. Applicants must complete the official scholarship application (both sides).
4. Must submit two letters of recommendation.
5. Must submit an essay outlining why you need the scholarship.
6. Must have a minimum GPA of 2.5 (transcript required).
7. Completed scholarship applications must be postmarked NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 15th annually.
8. Must attend the Lions of Michigan Forum to accept scholarship during a ceremonial presentation. *(Actual check(s) will be issued to the school/university/equipment manufacturer upon submission of documentation. Two weeks notice required).*

Scholarship Selection Process:

1. Lions of Michigan Scholarship Committee will review all applications during January.
2. This scholarship will be awarded in February annually at the Michigan Forum.

Name				Phone	()
Address					
City		State		Zip	
Email Address					
Date of Birth		* Degree of visual acuity			
* Legally blind is defined as best corrected vision in both eyes of 20/200 or less and/or visual fields of less than 20 degrees.					
How did you hear about the scholarship?					

Education Information

High School you attended		
What college or other institution are you attending/planning to attend?		
Have you been accepted?		
What do you plan to study?		
What are your personal and educational goals?		
How will the scholarship funds be used? <i>(Check all that apply)</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Tuition	<input type="checkbox"/> Books	<input type="checkbox"/> Housing
<input type="checkbox"/> Specialized Equipment (please specify) _____		
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify) _____		

Organizations, Activities and Awards

Describe briefly your most significant public service, community, or campus activities associated with your education and/or future career goals.

Special honors and awards	
Special talents and training	

Applicant's Signature		Date	
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2023 HOLIDAY ADOPT A FAMILY

Sponsored by: AADHH, Greater Metro Detroit Lions Club,
Just Jameen, Silent Art, United Reach and DEAF C.A.N.!

WHO CAN APPLY

(~THOSE EXPERIENCING FINANCIAL HARDSHIP~)

- * Hearing parents with Deaf/Hard of Hearing/Deafblind children under 18
 - * Deaf parents with children under 18

DEADLINE TO SUBMIT NOVEMBER 17TH

Families who are selected will receive
gifts the week of Christmas

~ Must live in Wayne, Oakland or Macomb to apply ~

◇ HOW TO APPLY

**Write 2 paragraphs on why you should be selected.
Please include the following information:**

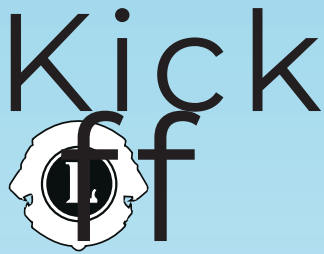
- * Write 2 paragraphs on why you should be selected
- * Include ages, favorite colors and sizes and 3 things they would like, needs and wants
- * Parents please write a few things you would like

EMAIL REQUEST TO

[aadhhnonprofit@gmail.com](mailto:aadhnonprofit@gmail.com)

The AADHH Board of Directors will make the final
determination of families selected based on applications received:





Celebrate Leader Dogs for the Blind
and
Lions clubs of 11-A-2, 11-A-1 and A-1

THURSDAY NOVEMBER 30, 2023 at

Somerset Inn | 2601 West Big Beaver Rd | Troy, MI

EVENT ACTIVITIES

6 p.m. Cash Bar, Gift Shop, Blindfold Walk
Experience 7 p.m. Dinner
8 p.m. Parade of Checks and Program



SEATING
IS LIMITED
TO THE
FIRST 300
PEOPLE!

PLEASE RSVP BY NOVEMBER 21, 2023 to 248.218.6407

Please fill out and return with check made **payable to:** Leader Dogs for the Blind
Mail to: 1039 S. Rochester Road • Rochester Hills, Michigan 48307-3115

Club Name: _____ Number Attending: _____ X \$40 = _____

Tickets \$40 or buy a table of 8 for \$280 OR

Tables of 8: _____ X \$280 = _____

Names of Attendees (please print): _____
Please use other side for additional names of attendees

Daytime Phone: _____ Email: _____

* Please note any special dietary requirements (i.e. gluten free, vegetarian, etc.) on other side



2023 Lions Leadership Events

Two training opportunities, one location

LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

The Michigan Lions Leadership Institute is a highly regarded leadership skills development event for Lions who are emerging leaders at the club, zone, region, and district levels.

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE

Graduates of this program will be able to plan, develop, and present training programs. FDI is directed at people who will do training and formal presentations at the district level and beyond

EVENT INFORMATION

Dates **November 3 – 6, 2022**

Location R. A. MacMullan Center
104 Conservation Drive
Roscommon, MI 48653

Questions? Email Lions@lionsofmi.com
Phone (517)887-6640 ext. 10



More Information!

Lions Leadership Institute

There is a **\$250** fee. This includes registration, course materials, two nights of lodging, and six meals. Arrival Saturday, November 4, registration 10:30-11:30 with lunch following

Classes actively involve participants in the learning process and enable them to experience the concepts presented. The skills acquired can be used not only in Lions, but also at work and in everyday life.

When participants aren't in class, they make new friends, network, and exchange ideas from across the region.

Here's a sampling of classes:

Team building
Conflict resolution
Managing change
Leadership
Presentation skills
Effective listening
Action plans and goal setting

Faculty Development Institute

There is a **\$350** fee. This includes registration, course materials, three nights of lodging, and eight meals. Arrival Friday, November 3, after 4:30pm with dinner following.

Lions who desire to lead and train others at the local level will benefit from the FDI, where they will learn fundamental training delivery skills and practice facilitating in a classroom environment.

Qualifications:

Not attended an FDI within the last five (5) years. (International or Local)

In-depth knowledge of Lions' culture, Lions leadership experience and comfort using PowerPoint is preferred.

Here's a sampling of classes:

Visual Aids
Training environment
Training preparation
Session management
Adult learners
Delivery skills
Interactive learning

Application form Lions Leadership Institute and Faculty Development Institute



Deadline: October 13, 2023

Send completed form and payment to:
Lions Leadership Institute
5730 Executive Drive, Lansing, MI 48911

Applicant information

First name _____

Last name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

Club name _____

District _____ # years in Lions _____

Highest Lions office held _____

Have you previously attended a Michigan Lions Leadership Institute? yes ___ no ___

Which Institute do you plan to attend (check one)?

Leadership Institute ___

Faculty Development Institute ___

Payment Information

Pay by check, payable to Michigan Lions Leadership Institute

Enclosed is my check for \$250 for Leadership Institute ___

Enclosed is my check for \$350 for Faculty Development Institute ___

Pay by credit card online:

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Signature _____

DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION IS OCTOBER 13, 2023

**A CANCELLATION FEE OF \$150.00 WILL APPLY AFTER
OCTOBER 3, 2023**