

The Lion's Mane

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Dear Lions.

I am delighted to welcome two new members to the Club! At our meeting on March 28, District Governor Jeremy Bair swore in Lion Staci Ridgley O'Hara and Lion Melissa "Missy" Nagle. Please give them a warm Lions welcome when you meet them. Thanks to Lion Wendy for recruiting our newest Lions!

On **Saturday, April 6**, from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m., the Club will participate in the **ROAR LIKE A LION** event at the Westminster Library. The event involves students in various community service projects and several Lions Clubs cooperate to run it. Lion Wendy is in charge of this event and is looking for people to volunteer.

Eat for a great cause! BULLOCK'S RESTAURANT will donate 10% of their earnings to the Club for **DIABETES** on **Monday, April 8**, on all dine-in or carry-out orders between 3 and 8 p.m. A flyer is not required, but please tell all your friends and family to come and enjoy great food for a great cause!

Our annual **SHRED EVENT** will be on **Saturday**, **April 27**, from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the VFW. Note that the event will start earlier than in previous years. Lion Richard Hosfeld is coordinating and is looking for volunteers to assist.

The **DEER PARK LIONS CLUB CHARTER NIGHT** is on **Thursday, April** 11, so we will not have a meeting that night in order for members to attend.

The **LEADER DOG BANQUET** will be held at New Windsor Fire Department on **Thursday**, **April 25**. We will not have a meeting that night so that members can attend.

The Lions Club's **ALL-MONEY BINGO** on **March 23** was another great success! Lion Barb reports that the event raised \$12,596. Thanks to everyone who sold tickets, donated raffle items, provided food, and helped out that night.

2023-2024 Officers

Lee Miller, President
Susie Coursey, Secretary
Barb Hayes, Treasurer
Danny Bohn, First Vice President
Jalna Brown, Second Vice President
Kenny Carlisle, Third Vice President &
Lion Tamer
Wendy Beares. Tail Twister

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Bob Hayes, LCIF Chairman
Richard Hosfeld, Global Services
Leadership Team Coordinator

2023-2024 Directors

Jalna Brown, Past President
Floyd Freyman, Membership Chair
Thomas Eshelman (2 years)
Tim Frisby (1 year)
Robert Keefer (2 years)
Kathy Rixham (1 year)

APRIL MEETINGS

NO MEETING - Thursday, April 11
Deer Park Lions Club Charter Night
NO MEETING - Thursday, April 25
Leader Dog Banquet

COMING EVENTS

The MULTIPLE DISTRICT 22 LIONS CONVENTION, originally scheduled at Hunt Valley, will be held instead in Ocean City from Wednesday, April 18, through Sunday, April 21.

We will be participating in the **WESTMINSTER MEMORIAL DAY PARADE** on **Monday, May 27**. Members who want to participate should meet at Fletcher's Funeral Home at 8 a.m. to decorate the truck and trailer. We will leave at 8:45 a.m. to line up for the parade route at St. John's Catholic School. The parade begins at 10 a.m. Family members are welcome to join in the celebration. Contact Lion Wendy if you plan to participate.

Mark your calendar! The RUSSELL K. MILLS, JR., STEAK AND SAUSAGE FEED will be held on Thursday, June 13. Mark your calendar to help out with this important fundraiser!

OTHER NEWS

A couple of Lions are needed to assist at CARROLL COUNTY FOOD SUNDAY Wednesday, April 10, and April 24, from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. Contact Lion Wendy if you are able to volunteer.

The Club collected 19 reading books last month that were distributed to multiple **LITTLE FREE LIBRARIES** throughout the community. Contact Lion Wendy to donate reading books.

Bring it! Bring shampoo, deodorant, toothpaste, toothbrush, and lotion, to the next meeting (or you can arrange to drop off with Lion Wendy) or risk being fined by our Tail Twister!

Leo raised \$14 for **LEADER DOG** in March and will be collecting for **DIABETES** in the month of April. The Tail Twister collected \$6 in fines in March.

We serve!
Lion President Lee Miller

CALENDAR					
Saturday, April 6	Saturday, April 27				
Roar Like a Lion, Westminster Library (1:00-4:00 p.m.)	Shredding Event, VFW (8:00-11:00 a.m.)				
Monday, April 8	Thursday, May 9				
Bullock's Restaurant Fundraiser (3:00-8:00 p.m.)	Regular meeting				
Thursday, April 11	Thursday, May 23				
No meeting / Deer Park Lions Club Charter Night	Regular meeting & Board meeting				
Wednesday, April 18 – Sunday, April 21	Monday, May 27				
Multiple District 22 Lions Convention, Ocean City**	Westminster Memorial Day Parade				
Thursday, April 25					
No meeting / Leader Dog Banquet, New Windsor Fire Co.	* Lions Club International Event ** District 22W Event				

IN TOUCH

Remember to call, send cards, visit, and pray for these members of our Lion family who are under the weather:

Scott Beares • Lion Barb Hayes • Lion Charlie Hedges • Lion Richard Hosfeld
Lion Kevin Smith • Lion Milton Zepp

LIONS PHOTOS



Feeding the Hungry

Lions served a hot lunch at the Loaves and Fishes program at the Westminster Church of the Brethren on March 2.The menu included chicken sandwiches, baked beans, salad, and cookies.







* * * The Westminster Lions Club is part of District 22W, Region IV, Zone II. * * *

DISTRICT 22W

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ON-LION RESOURCES

Westminster Lions Club website www.LionsClubofWestminster.org



Westminster Lions Club Facebook page www.Facebook.com/WestminsterMDLions

District 22W website www.MDLions22W.org

If you have information for The Lions Mane, contact Diana Fraser, editor, at DianaFraser@earthlink.net or 410-871-3214.

New Members

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MEMBERSHIP								
P = Past President; Q=Quarter Century; H=Half Century; L=Life Member; MJ=Melvin Jones Award; KB=Knights of the Blind Pyramid Award								
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STATUS COMMITTEE CHAIRS Standing Committees Service Chairs & Committees 18=Education Service, Robert Hayes **19=Low Vision RN Service**, Barbara Hayes 1=Constitution & Bylaws, Richard Hosfeld 8=Chaplain, Richard Hosfeld 20=Health/Medical Equipment, Bob Coursey 2=Information Technology, Kathy Giroux 9=Program Coordinator, Lee Miller 21=Awards, Susie Coursey **10=Club Service Chair**, Richard Hosfeld **3=Finance**, Barbara Hayes 22=Sunshine, Wendy Beares 4=Leadership/Nomination=Floyd Freyman 11=Vision/Hearing Service, Jalna Brown 23=LCI Information & Convention, Floyd **5=Marketing/Communications**=Kathy Giroux **12=Environment Service**, Kevin Smith, Sr. Freyman 6=Photography= 13=Hunger Service, Ted Burnett 24=Greeter and Songs, Wendy Beares 7=Membership=Floyd Freyman 14=Diabetes Service, Karen Bullock 25=House & Invitation, Susie Coursey **15=Pediatric Cancer Service**, Kathy Rixham 26=ALERT & Safety, Milton Zepp **16=Youth Engagement**, Wendy Beares 17=Visitations, Jalna Brown

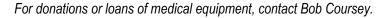
^{**} Past President, Valley Lions Club

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THE LIONS CLUB COLLECTS and LOANS OUT

MEDICAL EQUIPMENT





REGION IV CLUBS MEETING SCHEDULE								
Lions Club	Days, Time	Location	Lions Club	Days, Time	Location			
Deer Park	2nd & 4th Thurs., 6:30 p.m.*	Deer Park UM Church	Silver Run/Union Mills	2 nd & 4 th Thur., 6:30 p.m.	St. Mary's U Ch. of Christ			
Freedom District	2 nd & 4 th Wed., 6:59 p.m.	Messiah Lutheran	South Carroll Lioness	1st Thursday, 7:00 p.m.	Messiah Lutheran			
Greater Carroll	2 nd & 4 th Thurs., 6:30 p.m.	Westminster VFW	Taneytown	2 nd & 4 th Tues., 6:29 p.m.	Fireman's Activity Bldg.			
Hampstead	2 nd & 4 th Tues., 6:59 p.m.	Hampstead Fire Hall	Taylorsville-Winfield	2 nd & 4 th Mon., 7:00 p.m.	Winfield Fire Hall			
Harney	2 nd & 4 th Mon., 6:30 p.m.	Harney VFW	Terra Rubra	1st & 3rd Mon., 6:30 p.m.**	Lions Ball Park			
Lineboro-Manchester	Please check confidential book.		Union Bridge	2 nd & 4 th , Tues., 6:29 p.m.	Buttersburg Inn			
New Windsor	2 nd & 4 th Wed., 6:29 p.m.	New Windsor Fire Hall	Valley	2 nd & 4 th Tues., 7:00 p.m.	Pleasant Valley Fire Hall			
Roaring Run	1st & 3rd Wed., 7:00 p.m.	Bullock's Restaurant						

^{*}At Deer Park, the 2nd Thursday of the month is business only, no dinner. **At Terra Rubra, the 1st Monday of the month is dinner; the 3nd Monday of the month is dessert.

STRENGTHEN the PRIDE!

Do you know someone who would make a good Lion? Let them know what we do for the community and ask them to join!





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NEWSLETTER!