

The Lion's Mane

The Monthly Bulletin of the Westminster Lions Club

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Dear Lions,

The Lions Club's **ALL-MONEY BINGO** is scheduled for **Saturday**, **March 22** at Reese Fire Hall! Please work with Lion Barb Hayes and Lion Wendy to



solicit advertising from area businesses and/or individuals for the Bingo program. Deadline for ads is March 1.

Also, even though the prizes are all cash, we raffle off amazing gift baskets to raise even more money for the Club. You can help by purchasing **new** items for door

prizes or to include in one or more of the raffle baskets, or create an entire basket to donate. Below is a list of the planned raffle baskets so far.

- Women's Basket- includes soap, lotions, items, beauty or spa gift cards, etc.
- Men's Basket includes men's soap, lotions, cologne, tools, etc.
- Pet Basket dog and cat treats, food dishes, toys, leash, etc.
- Kids' games, toys, and crafts
- Gift cards, lottery tickets, and scratch-offs
- Easter Basket

Please give your donations to **Lion Barb Hayes** by **Monday, February 24**. If you have any questions, call Barb at 410-596-1483. We need lots of quality items in each of the baskets so people will want to buy tickets for them.

BULLOCKS RESTAURANT is running another fundraiser to support Leader Dog. On **Monday, February 24**, the restaurant will donate 10% of all their sales to us for anyone eating there or getting take-out between 3:00 and 8:00 p.m. *See the enclosed flyer*.

2024-2025 Officers

Jalna Brown, President
Susie Coursey, Secretary
Barb Hayes, Treasurer

Kenny Carlisle, First Vice President & Lion Tamer

Clifford Smith, Second Vice President Wendy Beares, Tail Twister Bob Hayes, LCIF Chairman Richard Hosfeld, Global Services Leadership Team Coordinator

2024-2025 Directors

Lee Miller, Past President
Floyd Freyman, Membership Chair
Wendy Beares (2 years)
Thomas Eshelman (1 year)
Kathy Giroux (2 years)
Robert Keefer (1 year)

FEBRUARY MEETINGS

Thursday, February 13 6:30 p.m. – no meal Thursday, February 27 6:30 p.m. – no meal

The RUSSELL K. MILLS, JR., STEAK & SAUSAGE FEED is scheduled for Thursday, June 12, 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., at the Westminster VFW Pavilion. Tickets are \$30 each and are available from Lion Wendy at 443-974-6152.

We're running several special **fundraisers**! Tell your friends and family and be sure to share our posts on Facebook. The more we order, the more we earn!

- **GIVING BEAN** is an online coffee and tea company. Twenty percent of sales are donated to our club. Just follow this link to view the website and make a purchase: **Click here to shop Giving Bean**.
- FUN PASTA is an online pasta company offering all sorts of fun shaped pasta. The company will donate 35 to 40% of each order placed to our club. Follow this link to view the website and make a purchase: Click here to shop Fun Pasta.
- We are selling **SEE'S CANDY** just in time for Easter (Easter is April 20 this year)! The last day to order is **Friday, April 4.** Click here to shop See's Candy.
- We've partnered with RACHEL'S SWEET TREATS and THE CARAMEL KETTLE to sell chocolate Easter Bunny lollipops and gourmet caramel popcorn. See the attached flyer for ordering information.

Thanks to all who participated in **ROAR LIKE A LION** with other area Lions Clubs at the Westminster Library on February 1. Community members worked alongside Lions to paint inspirational rocks, make blankets and scarves, fill care bags for homeless veterans, create notecards and bookmarks, and design placemats for senior meals. These

completed projects will be delivered to Carroll County Veterans Independence Project, Human Services Program, Golden Chrest Assisted Living, Free Little Libraries and local area parks.

OTHER NEWS

Bring it! Bring cans (with flip-top openers) of meats, pasta, soups, fruits, and vegetables to the next meeting (or you can arrange to drop off with Lion Wendy) or risk being fined by our Tail Twister! The Tail Twister collected \$6 in January.

Lion Wendy reports that **22 books** were distributed in January to multiple Little Free Libraries around the County. Contact Wendy to donate reading books.

A couple of Lions are needed to assist at CARROLL COUNTY FOOD SUNDAY on Wednesday, February 12, and Wednesday, February 26, from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. Contact Lion Wendy if you are able to volunteer.

Leo collected \$14 for LEADER DOG in January and will be collecting for DIABETES in February.

We serve! Lion President Jalna Brown

IN TOUCH

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

Lion Ted Burnett • Lion Bob Hayes • Lion Bob Keefer • Lion Richard Hosfeld

GIVING BEAN COFFEE AND TEA FUNDRAISER

We've partnered with **Giving Bean** to help raise funds in this cool new way and we're reaching out to our coffee and tea drinking friends to ask them to steer their next coffee and tea purchases over this way to help us out.

Just order from the website and treat yourself to artfully crafted coffee and tea (AND delicious cookies) shipped right to your home or office. Shop here or use the QR code to enjoy! www.givingbean.com/store/home.php?partner=f8b8a



FUN PASTA FUNDRAISER



We've partnered with **Fun Pasta** to help raise funds and we're reaching out to our friends and supporters to ask them to steer their next purchase this way to help us out. Just order from the website and treat yourself to all-natural, fun-shaped pasta shipped right to your home or office. They also offer soup, chili, and gift sets.

Shop here or use the QR code to enjoy!

https://my.funpastafundraising.com/2024-fall-westminster-lions-club/kathy-giroux/

SEE'S CANDY FUNDRAISER

Get your Easter candy and support our cause! We've teamed up with See's Candy for a fundraiser. Please consider purchasing your holiday treats through us to help us reach our goal.

Shop here or use the QR code to enjoy! https://tinyurl.com/WLCSees



CALENDAR				
Saturday, February 1	Thursday, March 13			
Roar Like a Lion event, Westminster Library	Regular meeting			
Thursday, February 13	Saturday, March 22			
Regular meeting	All-Money Bingo, Reese Fire Hall			
Monday, February 24	Thursday, March 27			
Bullock's Restaurant fundraiser	Regular meeting & Board meeting			
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^{*} Lions Club International Event ** District 22W Event

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

DISTRICT 22W

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LIONS PHOTOS

Roar Like a Lion!



Roar Like A Lion was held at the Westminster Library along with other sponsoring clubs - Greater Carroll and Silver Run/Union Mills Lions. During the event, community members completed service projects for designated organizations. Projects included inspiration rocks, blanket/scarf making, homeless veterans' bags, notecards, bookmarks, and placemats.









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.



Westminster Lions Club

FUNDRAISER

Fill Your Easter Basket with Chocolate Lollipops & Popcorn from

RACHEL'S SWEET TREATS & THE CARAMEL KETTLE

Order Form

Customer Name:	Phone Number:	Phone Number:		
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Lions Club				

Quantity	Item	Unit Price	Total
	Gourmet Milk Chocolate Bunny Head Lollipops	\$2.25 each	
	Gourmet Milk Chocolate Bunny Lollipops	\$2.25 each	
	Gourmet Dark Chocolate Bunny Head Lollipops	\$2.25 each	
	Gourmet Dark Chocolate Bunny Lollipops	\$2.25 each	
	Gourmet Caramel Popcorn	\$7.00 each	
	Gourmet Cookie Crunch Popcorn	\$7.00 each	
		Amount Due	









Easter orders are due by Tuesday, April 1st.

Delivery will be made to the Lions Club for distribution to the individual purchaser.

Make checks payable to Westminster Lions Club.

Rachel's Sweet Treats Cottage Food Business Identification Number: CA-4918

ALL PROFITS GO TO BENEFIT OUR COMMUNITY!

MEMBERSHIP						
P = Past President; Q=Quarter (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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^{*} Past President, Charles Carroll Lions Club

Standing Committees

1=Constitution & Bylaws, Richard Hosfeld **2=Information Technology**, Kathy Giroux

3=Finance, Barbara Hayes

4=Leadership/Nomination=Floyd Freyman

5=Marketing/Communications=Kathy Giroux

6=Photography=

7=Membership=Floyd Freyman

COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Service Chairs & Committees

8=Chaplain, Richard Hosfeld

9=Program Coordinator, Lee Miller

10=Club Service Chair, Richard Hosfeld

11=Vision/Hearing Service, Jalna Brown

12=Environment Service, Kevin Smith, Sr.

13=Hunger Service, Ted Burnett

14=Diabetes Service, Karen Bullock

16=Youth Engagement, Wendy Beares

17=Visitations, Jalna Brown

15=Pediatric Cancer Service, Kathy Rixham

18=Education Service, Robert Hayes 19=Low Vision RN Service, Barbara Hayes

20=Health/Medical Equipment, Bob Coursey

21=Awards, Susie Coursey

22=Sunshine, Wendy Beares

23=LCI Information & Convention, Floyd Freyman

24=Greeter and Songs, Wendy Beares **25=House & Invitation**, Susie Coursey 26=ALERT & Safety, Milton Zepp

^{**} Past President, Valley Lions Club

LIONS = **L**iberty, **I**ntelligence, **O**ur **N**ation's **S**afety



THE LIONS CLUB COLLECTS and RECYCLES USED EYEGLASSES and HEARING AIDS



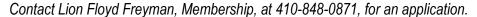
Give all used eyeglasses and hearing aids to Lion Jalna Brown.

REGION IV CLUBS MEETING SCHEDULE					
Lions Club	Days, Time	Location	Lions Club	Days, Time	Location
Deer Park	2 nd & 4 th 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
Hamey	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 3rd 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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FEBRUARY 2025
NEWSLETTER!