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THE LONDON CENTRAL
LIONS CLUB



2015 October Edition

The London Central Lions Club meets at 6:30pm on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays at the Trinity Lutheran Church 746 Colborne Street.
President Lion Grant Brown 681-4539 — Secretary Lion Christine Aben Morrison 681-0450 — Bulletin Editor Lion Pat Nolan 472-6436

The October meetings of the London Central Lions Club will be held at 6:30 pm on October 8th and October 22nd at Trinity Lutheran Church 746 Colborne Street, London

Calendar of Events

- Oct. 8 LCLC Regular Club Meeting and hosting Zone Meeting— 6:30 pm — Trinity Lutheran Church
- Oct . 10-11 LCLC BBQ — Canadian Tire Store — Wonderland Road S.
- Oct. 18 Lions Memorial: Lion Greg Millar: 2:30 p.m. at the Ausable Conservation Area, East of Zurich
- Oct. 22 LCLC Regular Club Meeting and Region 2 Chair Doug Crockett Official Visit— 6:30 pm — Trinity Lutheran Church
- Oct . 24-25 LCLC BBQ — Canadian Tire Store — Wonderland Road S.
- Nov. 4 LCLC Board of Directors Meeting — 7:00 pm — London Public Library 3200 Wonderland S.
- Nov. 12 LCLC Regular Club Meeting — CANCELLED— attending St. Thomas Lions anniversary instead
- Nov. 16 LCLC at St. Thomas Lions 85th Anniversary— 7-9pm— St. Thomas Seniors Centre, 225 Chestnut Street, St. Thomas— Roast Beef Dinner \$20, cash bar, guest speaker
- Nov. 26 LCLC Regular Club Meeting — 6:30 pm — Trinity Lutheran Church

Board Meeting Notes — September 30, 2015

The proposed Welfare Budget was presented with the following recommendations for donations:

- Home for the deaf \$500
- Diabetes Cavalcade \$800
- George Bray Society \$300
- Leader Dogs Michigan \$500
- Eyes Right \$1,000
- Lions Clubs International Foundation \$1,000
- Mission Services \$250
- London Food Bank \$250
- Effective Speaking \$200

We have three prospective new members and plans are under way to have them inducted into the club.

Alternate choices for dinners available from Trissa's restaurant were reviewed.

LCLC Treasurer Lee-Anne to meet with the bank to check into the signing authority on the accounts.

*See Project: Due to lack of response the most recent training session was cancelled. Thanks to all the members who have volunteered their time to perform vision screening for pre-school aged children. The Ivey Institute has now approved including the Lions information in their handout to parents of the children screened. The LCLC will be requesting a contribution towards the costs from the other Lions clubs involved.

Easter Bunny Fundraising: Some LCLC members have agreed to assist with the Easter chocolate sales but a volunteer is still needed to chair the retail sales portion and find other sites from which to sell the chocolate. Please contact Lion Jim L or Jim B if you can help.

BBQ Fundraising: We have been able to fill up most of the open spots for the October weekends but there are still a few vacancies to fill on the October 24/25th weekend. Please contact Lion Doug R to sign up. We are also tentatively holding barbeques the last two weeks of November.



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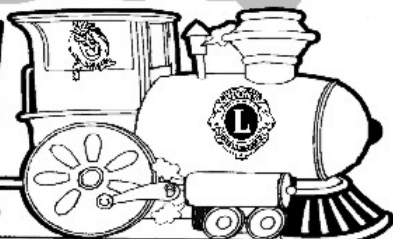
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Congratulations to Lion Gord Kennedy who was presented with the Helen Keller Award by Past President Joanne Lystar on the 10th of September at the London Central Lions Club meeting. The award is given to honour outstanding Lions, Lioness and Leos. Among his accomplishments Gord has setup and cooked at every fundraising barbeque this year and he is always ready with a joke or riddle to entertain his fellow fundraisers.



Lions in action



London Central's Committees 2015-2016

Fight for Sight

The Fight for Sight group had its first meeting on Monday September 28th to start organizing the event for May 2016. Our arrangement with the Portuguese Club that was in place for the hall and the bar profits for the 2015 event, has been changed for the 2016 event. This would mean a substantial increase in our costs to host the event. Lion Jim B has requested a meeting with the Portuguese Club to discuss this further.

One of the previous major auction item donors will no longer be able to donate so the club members will have to find alternate sources for auction items

New Projects Committee

Lion Tricia presented several ideas including dinner at Buffalo Wild Wings where 10% of the bill is donated back to the club. Other ideas included a Trip of the Month fundraiser, Merrymount Children's Centre fundraiser and Hudson Bay Company fundraiser.

Under 1st Vice President Jim Balicsak

Foundation & Finance	Grant B.*, Lee-Anne L., Dennis R.,
Constitution & By-Laws	Ron L.*, Doug R
Fight for Sight	Jim B, Pat N, Brian N, Stu R, Tony A, Jason C, Ed B.
BBQs	Doug R.*,
Easter Bunnies	Jim L.,
Social Media	Joanne L.*, Tricia L., Christine M., Jason C.
Health & Welfare	Jim L.

Under 2nd Vice President Walt Grieve

Attendance	Lee-Anne L.*, Joanne L., Gord K.,
Visually Impaired Bowling	Doug S.*
Phone Committee	Lucille T.*, Kimberly S.
Bulletin	Pat N.*, Bill T.
Programmes	Doug W., Bob L., Catherine D..
Bike Sales	Wayne M.*, Doug S., Christine M.
Dog Walk	Jim L, Lee-Anne L, Catherine D, Joanne L, Tricia L
New Projects/Inter Club Visits	Tricia L., Pat N., Jason C., Lee-Anne L.

Under 3rd Vice President Jason Cheese

Safety Village	Rick L.*, Bill Mc., Gord K., Lee-Anne L.
Lions Memorial	Greg M.*, Catherine D., Sandy L.
Greeters	Joanne L.*
Membership	Walt G., Joanne L., Tricia L., Jason C.
Sick and Visiting	Doug S.*, Bob L.*, Roy K.
Lioness Liason	Bob L., Bill T.
St. Joseph Hospital Liaison	Ed. B.*, Brian N.
Western Fair	Grant B., Ron L.
Fanshawe Club Liaison	Sandy L.*, Joanne L., Jason C. * chairperson