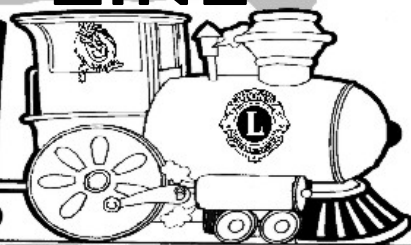




# THE LIONS LINE

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### 2014 June Edition

The London Central Lions Club meets at 6:30pm on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays at the Trinity Lutheran Church 746 Colborne Street, London. President Lion Joanne Lystar 452-3935 — Secretary Lion Ron Lindsay 473-0954 — Bulletin Editor Lion Bill Telfer 681-1605

The June meetings of the London Central Lions Club will be held at 6:30 pm on June 12th at the BMO Centre, Rectory St. and June 29th at the home of Lion President Joanne Lystar.

### Calendar of Events

- June 8 District 5th Cabinet Meeting — Wardsville Golf Club
- June 12 LCLC "Spouses' Night" — 6:30 pm — BMO Centre on Rectory Street — roast beef/turkey — \$25.00 — installation of 2014 - 2015 Board of Directors by PDG Joe Elliott — cheque presentation to be made to the St. Joseph's Healthcare Foundation from the May 3rd "Fight For Sight Night" income
- June 21-22 LCLC BBQ — Canadian Tire Store — Wonderland Road S.
- June 22 Tilbury Lions Club — 80th Anniversary (1934)
- June 26 LCLC Regular Club Meeting — 6:30 pm — \$10.00 steak barbeque — home of Lions Jim and Joanne Lystar
- July 4-8 97th Lions Club Annual International Convention — Toronto, Ontario
- July 26-27 LCLC BBQ — Canadian Tire Store — Wonderland Road S.
- Aug. 9-10 LCLC BBQ — Canadian Tire Store — Wonderland Road S.
- Aug. 17 LCLC volunteers will be needed to assist sight handicapped adult campers traveling by bus from Windsor to Lions Camp St. Joe's when they stop for a break at McDonalds Restaurant Wellington Rd. S. at HWY 401 — time 9:45 am — Contact Lion Ed Busko if you can help.
- Aug. 23-24 LCLC BBQ — Canadian Tire Store — Wonderland Road S.
- Sept. 3 LCLC Board of Directors Meeting — 7:30 pm — Trinity Lutheran Church
- Sept. 11 LCLC Regular Club Meeting — 6:30 pm — Trinity Lutheran Church
- Sept. 13-14 LCLC BBQ — Canadian Store — Wonderland Road S.

### Board Meeting Notes — June 4, 2014

The following business was conducted at the London Central Lions Board Meeting on Wednesday June 4, 2014.

- motion — that the question re:- insurance for our club be tabled until September/14 when the 2014-2015 Board of Directors will make a decision — carried
- motion — that LCLC continue to pay the annual dues for our two associate members — carried
- recom. — that LCLC donate \$500.00 to Eric Lambier for the loss of his sound equipment — carried

**The Busy Month of May:** During the month of May, many LCLC members have been working at various fund raising events. And without their effort in many areas, these events would not have been successful. On May 3rd, just over 250 people attended our club's "Fight For Sight Night" where a net profit of approximately \$22,000 was realized. This amount added to a balance from our previous project will allow us to meet our two year commitment of \$34,000 to the St. Joseph's Healthcare Foundation, in one year. Recognition goes out to Lions Stu R. (committee chair/organization), Brian N. and Ed B. (live auction items), Sandy L. (silent auction items), Barry M. (MC for the evening) and members who sold tickets and helped at this event..

On May 10th, Zone 4 clubs (London Central, London East, Lambeth, Hyde Park, Delaware, Dorchester) held a "Zone Trivia Night" and raised \$2,626.57 for the Lions Martin House. Lion Pres. Joanne did a great job in the organization of this event as well as getting donations. Other LCLC members also helped with the organization and participated on teams.

The "Purina Walk for Guide Dogs" was held on May 26th. Lions from London Central, London East, Hyde Park, Thamesford, and Lambeth clubs volunteered their time to make this event a success. And with 50 participants, approximately \$11,000 was raised for this program. Thanks to the 6 London Central members who helped.

On Saturday, June 1st, Loins Rick L. (Chair), Gord K., Roy K., Lee-Anne L., Lucille T., Bill T., and Ed B. and his grandson worked at the "Children's Safety Village" Birthday Party/BBQ. From the sale of hot dogs and drinks supplied by London Central, \$708.75 was donated to the Safety Village for its programs.



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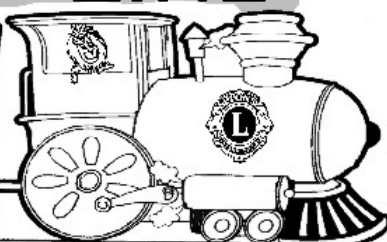
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### Meet Lion Patrick Nolan



Lion Patrick became a member of London Central Lions at a regular club meeting on February 13, 2014. His interest in Lions developed from the time he lived in Dutton, ON and attended several events sponsored by the Dutton Lions Club. He further pursued this interest after seeing London Central Lion members working at their barbeques at the Canadian Tire Store on Wonderland Road S., as well as attending an open house for new prospective London Central members.

Like many Lions, Patrick wanted to find a way to give to his community and those people who are less fortunate than others.

And, he looked forward to the good comradeship of working with other Lions.

Lion Patrick with his wife Catherine have a son and daughter and are presently living in London. In the past they have lived in Dutton, Iona and Scarborough, ON. He is employed as a computer software support analyst. And, in the past he has been a computer programmer and insurance adjuster.

Patrick enjoys reading, hiking, sports ( coach, referee, and being on the executive of a soccer club ) as well as traveling. He has made time to visit such worldly places as Thailand, Borneo, Australia, Peru, Europe, Estonia and St. Petersburg Russia. His most memorable experiences have been hiking in Machu Pichu Peru and parachuting in Grand Bend. In the future, Patrick would like to learn how to build electronic devices.

As a Lion, Patrick looks forward to working on various fundraising events, becoming a committee chair person and the club bulletin editor. A "Trivia Night" and a car rally are two events that Lion Patrick would like to see developed as new projects for our club.

Since becoming a member of London Central Lions, Patrick has been very active, noted by his attendance at regular club meetings, committee meetings and fund raising events, and will be taking on the duties of the club bulletin editor starting in the club year 2014-2015. And, I'm sure in the future he will continue to be a great asset to London Central Lions Club and the community it serves.

**A Great Lion and Gentleman Turns 92 Years Young (May 31, 1922)** Lion Bill Pierson became a Lion January 8, 1960. Prior to joining London Central Lions Club in 1999, Bill was a member of London West and London South Lions Clubs. During his years as a Lion, Bill held many offices (Vice President, President, Treasurer, Secretary - - -, received many prestigious awards and sponsored 16 new members. On Thursday evening May 29 th, Lions Bob L., Ron L., Roy K., Rick L., Bill T., Ed B. and his wife Simone surprised Lion Bill with a birthday cake and song at Parkwood Hospital. All Central Lions wish Lion Bill many more years of good health and happiness.

<u>The Raise</u>		<u>London Central's Committees 2013-2014</u>	
<u>Employee</u>	<u>Boss</u>		
<b>E</b> "Excuse me sir, may I speak to you?"		<b><u>Under 1st Vice President</u></b>	
<b>B</b> "Sure, come in." "What can I do for you?"		Foundation & Finance	Jim B. *, Dennis R., Grant B.
<b>E</b> "Well sir, as you know, I have been an employee of this firm for over ten years."		Constitution & By-Laws	Ron L. *, Ron C., Chandra G.
"And, I won't beat around the bush." "Sir, I would like a raise!" "I currently have four companies after me and I decided to talk to you first."		Fundraising	Stu R. *, Jim B., Jim H.
<b>B</b> "A raise?" "I would love to give you a raise, but this is just not the right time."		Social Media	Tricia L. *, Christine M., Barry M., Jason C.
<b>E</b> "I understand your position, and I know that the current economic down turn has had a negative impact on sales." "But you must also take into consideration my hard work, pro-activeness and loyalty to this company for over a decade."		Health & Welfare	Jim L. *, Peter S., Grant B., Tanya B.
<b>B</b> "Taking into account these factors, and considering I don't want to start a brain drain, I'm willing to offer you a ten per cent raise and an extra five days of vacation time." "How does that sound?"		Community Outreach	Brian N. *, Jim B., Tony C., Terry H.
<b>E</b> "Great!" "It's a deal." "Thank you, sir."		<b><u>Under 2nd Vice President Grant Brown</u></b>	
<b>B</b> "Before you go, just out of curiosity, what four companies are after you?"		Attendance	Grant B. *, John B., Lee-Anne L. Tricia L.
		Visually Impaired Bowling	Doug S. *
		Phone Committee	Lucille T. *, Kimberly S.
		Bulletin	Bill T. *, Jim B.
		New Projects/Social Events/ Club Visits	Terry H. *, Sandra W., Rick L., Walt G., Tony A., Sam G.
		Programmes	Doug R. *, Ed B., Tanya B.
		Bike Sales	Wayne M. *, Doug S., Christine M.
		Dog Walk	Brian N. *, Lucille T., Lee-Anne L.
		<b><u>Under 3rd Vice President Sandra Weinstein</u></b>	
		Safety Village	Rick L. *, Bill Mc., Gord K., Lee-Anne L.
		Lions Memorial	Greg M. *, Stu R.
		Greeters	Jim L. *
		Membership	Sandy L. *, Ed B., Walt G.
		Sick and Visiting	Doug S. *, Bob L. *
		Lioness Liason	Bob L. *, Rick L.
		St. Joseph Hospital Liaison	Ed. B. *
		Fanshawe Club Liaison	Sandy L. *, Jim L. * chairperson