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The Lions Line

THE LONDON CENTRAL
LIONS CLUB



2017 March Edition

The London Central Lions Club meets at 7:00 pm on the 2nd Thursday of the month for a working meeting and at 6:30 pm on the 4th Thursday for a dinner/social meeting, both at the Trinity Lutheran Church 746 Colborne Street.

The March general meeting of the London Central Lions Club will be held on March 9th at 7:00 pm at the Trinity Lutheran Church 746 Colborne Street. The March dinner meeting will be held at 6:30 pm on March 23rd at the Trinity Lutheran Church 746 Colborne Street.

Calendar of Events

- Mar 09 LCLC General Meeting — 7:00 pm — Trinity Lutheran Church
- Mar 16 Lions from the zone cooking a meal at Ronald McDonald House London 4-7 pm
- Mar 23 LCLC Dinner Meeting — 6:30 pm — Trinity Lutheran Church
- Mar 29-31 LCLC Easter Bunny Sales - 1 London Place - 11:00 am to 2:00 pm
- Apr 5-7 LCLC Easter Bunny Sales - Citi Plaza - 11:00 am to 2:00 pm
- Apr 14 LCLC General Meeting — 7:00 pm — Trinity Lutheran Church
- Apr 28 LCLC Dinner Meeting — 6:30 pm — Trinity Lutheran Church
- May 11-14 Multiple District "A" Convention— Kitchener
- May 13 LCLC Fight for Sight - Perch Dinner and Live and Silent Auctions - London Portuguese Club
- May 13/14 LCLC BBQ at Canadian Tire Store on Wonderland (proceeds to Dog Walk committee)
- May 27/28 LCLC BBQ at Canadian Tire Store on Wonderland
- May 28 Walk for Dog Guides - Gibbons Park London - Sign In 12 pm - Walk starts 1 pm
- Jun 10/11 LCLC BBQ at Canadian Tire Store on Wonderland

Board Meeting Notes — March 1, 2017

The following business was conducted at the London Central Lions Board Meeting on Wednesday March 1, 2017

- Motion of Recommendation: to transfer \$1500.00 from the Building Fund to the Admin account to keep it solvent.
- Motion: to donate \$100.00 to the Make-A-Wish Foundation
- Motion: to donate \$100.00 to the Canadian Centre for Missing Children
- Motion: to send a cheque for \$500.00 to Camp Dorset
- Motion: to send a cheque for \$1000.00 to Eyes Right
- Motion: to send a cheque for \$1000.00 to LeaderDog Michigan
- Motion: to send a cheque for \$1000.00 to Lions Foundation of Canada
- Motion: to send a cheque for \$300.00 to the George Bray Society
- Motion: to send a cheque for \$300.00 to the London Food Bank
- Motion of Recommendation: that LCLC donate \$50.00 to the Lioness Penny Draw

Fight For Sight: Is on track for the May 13th event. Donations for the auctions and balloon burst are still needed. Please contact Lion Joanne if you have any donated items. Tickets for the event should be distributed at club meetings in March and posters should also become available in March. The next meeting will be scheduled for late March/early April.

Easter Bunnies: Is on track for March 29-31 at One London Place and April 5-7 at Citi Plaza.

Trip of the Month: The latest prize draw was held on March 3. LCLC members are encouraged to sell additional tickets.

Zone Chair Lion David Proudfoot sent an email advising of the joint event at Ronald McDonald House. Lions in the zone are asked to help cook a meal on March 16 from about 4-7 p.m. One or two members per club in the zone are asked to participate.



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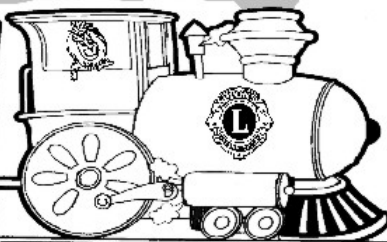
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London Central Lions Club 2017-2018 Board of Directors (final)

President – Walt Grieve
1 st Vice President – Jason Cheese
2 nd Vice President – Tricia Lystar
3 rd Vice President – Patrick Nolan
Past President: Grant Brown
Secretary – Christine Aben Morrison
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Membership Chair - Tricia Lystar

BBQ Dates

May 13/14 May 27/28

June 10/11 June 24/25

July 8/9 July 22/23

August 12/13 August 26/27

September 9/10 September 23/24

October 14/15 October 28/29

November 23-26 (November dates still to be finalized closer to the date)

New Member Profile:

Jennifer and John Grubb

Jennifer and John decided to join the Lions after talking to Lion Walt who made them feel that they were needed and wanted at the Lions club. Jenny works for Westcast Industries in Wingham, and she loves being with her kids and enjoys reading. John is a retired veteran of the Canadian Armed Forces of 8 years service who sustained injuries while serving, and now enjoys serving people in his family and community. He wants to become a farmer and produce a wide variety of produce on a commercial scale. His hobbies are antiques and driving. They both care deeply for helping others and have a family of three children 2 boys and a girl ages 8, 6, and 4.

Lion Laughs

A farmer was milking his cow. He was just starting to get a good rhythm going when a bug flew into the barn and started circling his head. Suddenly, the bug flew into the cow's ear. The farmer didn't think much about it, until the bug squirted out into his bucket. It went in one ear and out the udder.

A husband and wife were driving down a country lane on their way to visit some friends. They came to a muddy patch in the road and the car became bogged. After a few minutes of trying to get the car out by themselves, they saw a young farmer coming down the lane, driving some oxen before him. The farmer stopped when he saw the couple in trouble and offered to pull the car out of the mud for \$50. The husband accepted and minutes later the car was free. The farmer turned to the husband and said, "You know, you're the tenth car I've helped out of the mud today." The husband looks around at the fields incredulously and asks the farmer, "When do you have time to plough your land? At night?" "No," the young farmer replied seriously, "Night is when I put the water in the