

2017 January 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 January general meeting of the London Central Lions Club will be held on January 12th at 7:00 pm at the Trinity Lutheran Church 746 Colborne Street. The January dinner meeting will be held at 6:30 pm on January 27th at the Trinity Lutheran Church 746 Colborne Street.

Calendar of Events

LCLC General Meeting — 7:00 pm — Trinity Lutheran Church Jan 12

Dinner with Dr. Jitsuhiro Yamada, Past President of Lions International - Harbour Banquet and Jan 15

Conference Center, Oakville ON - tickets \$50.00 per person

Fight for Sight Meeting—7:00 pm at Jim and Joanne Lystar's home— all members welcome Jan 17

Dog Walk Meeting - 7:00 pm at Lion Doug Crockett's Jan 25

LCLC Dinner Meeting — 6:30 pm — Trinity Lutheran Church Jan 26 Feb 01

Board of Directors meeting—7:00 Westmount Library

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Board Meeting Notes — January 04, 2017

The following business was conducted at the London Central Lions Board Meeting on Wednesday Jan 4, 2016

Please note the changes to the regular meetings starting in January. The first meeting on January 12 will be a non-dinner meeting and starts at 7 pm sharp. Lee-Anne will be waiting for you at the door starting 6:30 pm and she will have 50/50 tickets. There will not be boost prizes at this meeting. The January 26th meeting will be a dinner meeting catered by the Church Ladies group and will start at 6:30 pm. There will be a 50/50 draw and boost prizes at this meeting.

Breakfast with Santa: It was a fun event with about 150 attending. The help from the members was great and it was felt that we should do this again.

Fight For Sight: Sponsorships are still needed, including a title sponsor. The next committee meeting will be Tuesday January 17th 7:00 pm at Jim and Joanne Lystar's home. All members are welcome to attend.

Christmas Dinner/spouses night: It was a fun and festive night on December 8th and a good time was had by all. The Portuguese Club dinner was very good and it was nice to get together with our fellow Lions from London East.

Easter Bunnies: Lion Jim Lystar: He has ordered 11 cases of bunnies. Lion Cheryl sent a message to the clubs to advise they can be ordered. Lion Walt: Bunny Retail: Three venues have been contacted. One wrote back to say that our request has been forwarded to management.

Lion Jim Balicsak: Our club received a Certificate of Appreciation from the Purina Walk for Dog Guides.

Motion of Recommendation: that LCLC donate \$500.00 to Lions Home for the Deaf (carried).

Motion: that we hold another Buffalo Wild Wings Night in February (carried).

Motion of Recommendation: that LCLC accept the transfer of Lion Ron Graham from the Newmarket Lions Club (carried).

Motion of Recommendation: that LCLC donate \$5000.00 to Merrimount out of the Building Fund (defeated).



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Welcome to the New Year London Central Lions

How Lions Clubs International are involved in improving sight

Recycling eyeglasses at 18 centers worldwide.

Supporting Lions Eye Banks that provide eye tissue for sight-saving surgeries.

Screening the vision of hundreds of thousands of people every year.

Preventing blindness by providing treatment to those at risk of losing their vision

Funny New Years Resolutions

Lose weight by hiding it somewhere you'll never find it.

Never again will I take sleeping pills and laxatives on the same night.

Oops forgot to work out yesterday, looks like my New Years resolution will have to wait till next year.

My New Years resolution is to be more assertive if that is ok with you guys?

Start smoking to lose weight

Eat more fruit... snacks

From your cat: I will not perch on my human's chest in the middle of the night and stare into her eyes until she wakes up.

I will not puff my entire body to twice its size for no reason after my human has finished watching a horror movie. Screaming at the can of food will not make it open itself.

I will not swat my human's head repeatedly when she's on the family room floor trying to do sit ups.

When my human is typing at the computer, her forearms are *not* a hammock.

I will not play "dead cat on the stairs" while people are trying to bring in groceries or laundry, or else one of these days, it will really come true.

From your dog: My head does not belong in the refrigerator.

I will not chew my human's toothbrush and not tell them.

I will stop trying to find the few remaining clean pieces of carpet in the house when I am about to throw up.

I will not lick my human's face after eating "Kitty Litter Box Crunchies"

I must shake the rainwater out of my fur BEFORE entering the house.

I do not need to suddenly stand straight up when I'm lying under the coffee table.

New Member Profile: Peter Sergautis

Peter found the London Central Lions when he saw an ad in the paper about Lions looking for new members, and was interested in the Thursday meals and the social interaction with other Lions members. He thought he would be in a position to retire and be able to contribute more time to the Lions organization, but a change of plans has delayed that goal.

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Peter is a self employed land developer, investor, entrepreneur and is attempting to develop a parcel of land that he owns in north London. His interests include cur-

rent events and world affairs, nature and spirituality. He is Involved in the Lithuanian Catholic Church in London (Sundays), and assisting Syrian Refugees (from time to time).

Peter is also interested in world travel, biking, his cottage and Classic Cars. He has a 66 Buick Wildcat. In addition to all his other activities he is currently building a new house.