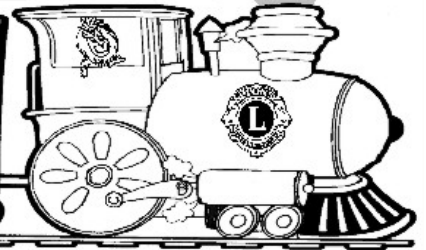




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The London Central Lions Club meets at 6:30pm on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays at the Trinity Lutheran Church 746 Colborne Street, London. President Lion Joanne Lystar 452-3935 — Secretary Lion Catherine Dallas 204-4157 — Bulletin Editor Lion Bill Telfer 681-1605

The September meetings of the London Central Lions Club will be held at 6:30 pm on September 12 and September 26 at Trinity Lutheran Church 746 Colborne Street, London.

Calendar of Events

- Sept. 12 LCLC Regular Club Meeting — 6:30 pm — Trinity Lutheran Church
- Sept. 13 Lucan Lions Club 65th Anniversary — charter date 1948
- Sept. 14-15 LCLC BBQ — Canadian Tire Store — Wonderland Road S.
- Sept. 14 Strathroy-Caradoc Lions — 1st Annual Poker Run/Rally — 5p-11p — Strathroy Senior's Centre
- Sept. 26 LCLC Regular Club Meeting — 6:30 pm — Trinity Lutheran Church — Z C Lion Doug Crockett Visitation and guest speaker — Dr. Inas Makar a pediatric ophthalmologist at the Ivey Eye Institute — speaking on the "ISEE" project for photo screening of preschool children
- Sept. 28-29 LCLC BBQ — Canadian Tire Store — Wonderland Road S.
- Sept. 30 District 1st Long Range Planning — Chatham
- Oct. 2 LCLC Board of Directors Meeting — 7:30 pm — Trinity Lutheran Church
- Oct. 2 Fanshawe College "Campus Day" — LCLC members needed to help at 2 booths — 10 am-2 pm
- Oct. 5 London Fanshawe Campus Club — Induction Ceremony — 2 pm-4 pm — Forwell Hall Fanshawe College — induction by Dist. A-1 Governor Bob Tanner
- Oct. 10 LCLC Regular Club meeting — 6:30 pm — Trinity Lutheran Church

** An "Open House" for London Central Lions Club is being planned for mid November. **
The confirmed date/time and location will be posted in a future bulletin.

Board Meeting Notes — September, 2013

The following business was conducted at London Central Lions Board Meeting on Wednesday, September 4, 2013.

motion — that LCLC make available \$250.00 towards the cost of the food provided for the London Fanshawe Campus Club induction ceremony on Oct. 5th, if needed. — carried

Lion PP Jim Lystar will be canvassing the membership to acquire a 1st Vice President. The names of candidates as well as nominations from the floor will be presented at the Sept. 12th Regular Club Meeting. And then an election for the position of 1st Vice President will be held if needed.

A Message From Lion President Joanne Lystar

Thank you for giving me the opportunity to serve as President for the Club Year 2013-2014. It is an honour to be selected as the first female president of the London Central Lions Club. While I have only officially been a Lion for three years, I have been the wife of a Lion for thirty-two years and have enjoyed many hours in the company of Lions and their spouses.

The theme from International President Barry Palmer is "Follow Your Dream". At the A1 Cabinet Meeting, District Governor Bob Tanner encouraged all Lions in the district to follow their dreams or goals and to show the world that District A1 is "A1".

I have several dreams -- to continue to increase membership, to look for new ways to tell the city what we do, to explore other projects so we can give more to worthy causes, to revive the camaraderie among our London Central family and to support our zone chairman and A1 cabinet.

This year, I would ask you all to have a spirit of co-operation and embrace all Lions and their ideas especially newer members. It is very easy to say, "We've done that before. We tried that and it didn't work." Be open to all suggestions. Often a fresh perspective can bring new insights to old ideas.

We are never too old to dream. Let's start by asking - What if? What if? What is your dream for London Central?



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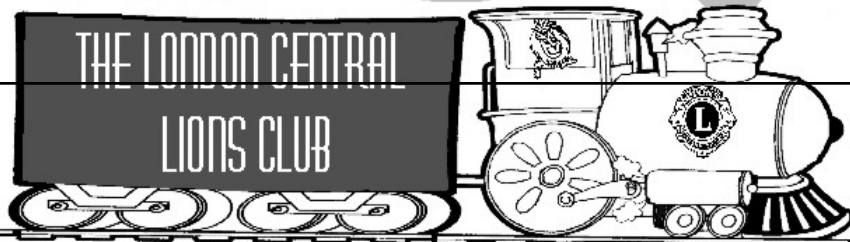
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Lions Memorial at the Klopp Ausable Conservation Area



To remember past Lions and Lioness, this sign is located on Hwy. 84 Hensall at the Klopp Commemorative Woods which is part of some 5000 acres originally owned by the family of Lion Wilf Klopp. The property was donated to the Ausable-Bayfield Conservation Authority, which named the location commemorating the contribution of the Klopp family. Locally, an area memorial garden has been established as part of the property and the Lions Memorial Sign was installed on Aug. 23, 2002 by Lions Wilf Klopp, Henry Feenstra, Stu Rayner and Dave Williams.

On Sunday, August 18, 2013, under a sunny, nearly cloudless sky, London Central Lions Club held its annual dedication of commemorative plaques at the Lions Memorial Garden.

It is particularly bittersweet to note that the memorial site, which honours Lions who have passed, exists due to the generosity of a LCLC member we lost this year, Lion Wilf Klopp. Wilf's numerous contributions and those of Lambeth Lion members Adriaan Van Dongen and Wayne Parker, were commemorated in this year's dedication.

Twelve LCLC members, five Lambeth Lions Club members and several relatives of those Lions honoured heard the Reverend Frank Mantz (Lutheran) speak with deep appreciation of the volunteerism shown by Wilf, Adrian and Wayne, and provide encouragement to Lions to continue their good work.

It was truly a heartfelt tribute to three Lions who during their time as Lions, contributed over 103 years of service. Reverend Mantz pointed out that in total, those Lions who have been commemorated at the Lions Memorial in the past had contributed over 544 years of service to their communities as members of their Lions Clubs.

These Lion members will be fondly remembered by other Lion members who continue to uphold our motto "WE SERVE".

Thanks to Lion Catherine Dallas for her report on the August 18th service.

Past Lions and Lioness Honored

- 1991 - Mabel Hill - 37 years - LC Lioness
 - 1999 - Norm Hessey - 18 years - LCLC
 - 1999 - Gary Graham - 15 years - LCLC
 - 2000 - Dave Rottman - 49 years - LCLC
 - 2001 - Charles Hessey - 41 years - LCLC
 - 2003 - Alf Critchlow - 49 years - LCLC
 - 2003 - Elizabeth Reid - 20 years LC Lioness
 - 2003 - Laurie Cater - 28 years - LCLC
 - 2005 - Charlie Letton - 59 years - LCLC
 - 2009 - Henry Feenstra - 40 years - LCLC
 - 2010 - Adrian Van Dongen - 33 years
Lambeth LC
 - 2011 - Ev. Hessey - 29 years - LC Lioness
 - 2011 - Stewart Smith - 56 years - LCLC
 - 2011 - Wayne Parker - 7 years - Lambeth LC
 - 2012 - Wilf Klopp - 63 years - LCLC
- Each of these names have been inscribed on plaques on the Lions Memorial Sign.

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London Central's Committees 2013-2014

Under 1st Vice President

Foundation & Finance	Jim B.* , Dennis R., Grant B.
Constitution & By-Laws	Ron L.* , Ron C.
Fundraising	Stu R.* , Jim B., Jim H.
Social Media	Tricia L.* , Christine M., Barry M., Jason C.
Health & Welfare	Jim L.* , Peter S., Grant B., Tanya B.
Community Outreach	Brian N.* , Jim B., Tony C., Terry H.

Under 2nd Vice President Grant Brown

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.

Under 3rd Vice President Sandra Weinstein

Safety Village	Rick L.* , Bill Mc., Gord K., Lee-Anne L.
Lions Memorial Greeters	Greg M.* , Stu R. 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