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# The Lions Line

THE LONDON CENTRAL  
LIONS CLUB



## 2016 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.  
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The June meetings of the London Central Lions Club will be held at 6:30 pm on June 9th at Trissas Family Restaurant and 5:00 pm on June 23rd at the home of Jim and Joanne Lystar.

### Calendar of Events

- June 1 Board of Directors meeting—7:00 Westmount Library
- June 5 Children's Safety Village BBQ—12:00 to 3:30 pm
- June 5 Fundraising dinner at Buffalo Wildwings at Southdale and Wonderland—5:30 pm
- June 9 LCLC Installation/Spouses Night — 6:30 pm — Trissas Family Restaurant
- June 11/12 LCLC BBQ at Wonderland Rd S Canadian Tire Store
- June 25/26 LCLC BBQ at Wonderland Rd S Canadian Tire Store
- June 23 LCLC Meeting and BBQ— 5:00 pm — Jim and Joanne Lystar's home
- June 25 LCLC Bicycle Yard Sale at the home of Wayne and Christine Morrison
- July 9/10 LCLC BBQ at Wonderland Rd S Canadian Tire Store
- July 23/24 LCLC BBQ at Wonderland Rd S Canadian Tire Store

### Board Meeting Notes — June 1, 2016

The following business was conducted at the London Central Lions Board Meeting on Wednesday June 1, 2016

The June 9th meeting will be a special meeting to install the executive for the next year and spouses and friends are welcome. It will be held at Trissas Family Restaurant at 4014 Dundas Street, London and the cost will be \$25.00 per person. Dinner will be a choice of roast beef or roast turkey with a selection of fruit pies for dessert.

BBQ Committee: Lion Doug Riehl: Help is still needed at the BBQ's, and captains are especially needed. The response to his last request for volunteers was minimal but several Board members stepped up immediately. More volunteers are needed to help out at the BBQs throughout the summer and fall. Please see the schedule on the 2nd page and let Doug know if you can sign up for one or more sessions.

Fight for Sight: Lion Jim Balicsak: presented his report on another outstanding event. On June 9 the Ivey Eye Institute will be presented with a cheque for \$22,000.00. Congratulations to the organizing committee and a big thank you to all of the many volunteers who put in long hours to make this a very successful event.

Purina Dog Walk: Lion Lee-Anne Lillico: It was a lovely day and many people came out. \$12,000.00 was raised and money is still coming in.

Lion Joanne Lystar: Rainbarrel fundraiser. 19 barrels were sold, and about \$200.00 raised for the club. Many thanks to Jim and Joanne for running this event.

We need a committee for the Fifty Plus Lions celebration in September. Lion Joanne will chair the committee, with Christine, Lee-Anne, and Tricia assisting. The event will be celebrated on Saturday September 17 from 1 p.m. till roughly 4 p.m. at Holy Trinity Church. If any other members would like to assist please contact Joanne.

The final meeting for the year will be a BBQ held at the home of Jim and Joanne Lystar. The cost will be \$15.00 for a steak dinner. A number of Lions have volunteered to bring salads and if anyone else wants to bring something, please contact Lion Joanne so she can coordinate the food.



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Don't forget the Safety Village BBQ this Sunday June 5 at the Pioneer Village. Setup is at 11:30 and the BBQ starts at noon. At the gate, mention you are a Lion and you will be let in for free.

Also on June 5 many Lions will be meeting at Buffalo Wildwings at 5:30 for dinner and some good company. A percentage of the money spent by club members will be donated back to LCLC. Friends and family are welcome. The restaurant is on the southwest corner of Wonderland and Southdale.

The list of dates for the upcoming 2016 BBQ season at the Canadian Tire store has been confirmed. We are in special need for BBQ Captains. Please contact Lion Doug Riehl to sign up for any of these dates.

June 11, 12 and 25, 26    July 9, 10 and 23, 24    August 13, 14 and 27, 28  
September 10, 11 and 24, 25    October 8, 9 and 22, 23  
November 18, 19, 20 and 24, 25, 26, 27 to be confirmed later

At our dinner meetings a short prayer is recited called the Lions' Ode. For all the newer members please see the words to the Ode below.

### *Lions' Ode*

O Lord Thy Blessing Now Let Fall  
Upon Thy Lions As They Call  
May All Our Ties Of Friendship Be  
Forever Strengthened Lord By Thee

Lions in action decorating the hall for the Fight for Sight Event

