I hope you all had a fun summer. It’s hard to believe it’s September and we’re two months into our year. Our first Cabinet meeting was a great night with a lot of comradery and interesting talks about things we are doing and planning for the new year. The next meeting will be October 7th so mark your calendars!

September is the launch month for the majority of our clubs. I’m sure that you have a feeling of excitement as you meet with your fellow Lions friends, planning how you will help your community and looking for new challenges.

As you know from our last newsletter and the emails, we’ve set a few district goals for the new year. The first, the district-wide food drive on October 12th is approaching quickly. I would ask that you select a collection site and local food bank and email that information to 2nd VDG Lori-Anne Beninson nyhmedic@yahoo.com who is coordinating efforts. Jacky Curran, our publicity chair, has created a Facebook event page, Lions Clubs 23A Feed the Hungry Food Drive, where we plan to list all of your locations.

For other District service projects, we have confirmed the Lion’s St. Baldrick’s event on March 14th will be at the Wolcott Fair grounds. We thank Wolcott for their support. We also are progressing on launching the diabetes testing turnkey system. As you launch your new year please think of our goal of having our clubs start new service projects in their towns. Survey your town for what it needs and how you can make a difference.

A matching grant that ends September 11th allows us to help the critical need for funds at CRIS radio. As I detailed in an email to Clubs if you gave a donation in the last year and you email Diane at CRIS dwdunne@crisradio.org stating that your donation over the last year was “designated for the CRISAccess Start-up fund” your donation will be matched. Do this before 9/11.

On the administrative side, please remember to send Sue Hurlburt notices of any club events you have coming so the info can be in this newsletter. I would ask you to look at everything attached and to support your fellow Lions.

The District Directory has been completed. A pdf version will be emailed to you to use until the printed version arrives.

Over the last month Alan, Lori and I have attended State meetings planning out the new year including the 1st State Council meeting which now chaired by Jim Bennett from New Haven. This will be a great year.

One item upcoming is a Statewide Emerging Lions Leadership training event Sep. 27-29th. Details are in this newsletter and the registration form and schedule are with the club event flyers.

In the District I’ve already visited 6 clubs discussing plans for the new year. Some of them had questions or issues I was able to help them with. I will be visiting most of your clubs during the next 4 months but if you have anything you need help with please connect with your zone chairs or myself. We are here to serve you!

Thanks for reading this, now let’s have some fun!

DG Bill Manthey
LionBillManthey@gmail.com
203-723-4821 H
2019-2020 District Cabinet
Meetings Schedule

Where: Vazzy’s
706 Bridgeport Avenue, Shelton

Cost: $25
Time: 6:30 pm
Day: Mondays
When: 10/7/19
      1/6/20
      3/9/20

All are welcome!

Zone Meetings
Schedule

Zones 1 & 2
9/30
12/30
3/2
5/18

Zone 3
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1st Vice District Governor Alan Sturtz

So I am finding out that the primary duties of the First Vice-District Governor involve attending meetings...lots of meetings. During the month of August I attended nine district and multiple district meetings, and one out of district fundraiser. But who is complaining? I am in the process of setting up meetings with the Zone Chairs in District A. Details to be presented at the October Cabinet meeting.

What I really want to emphasize is my major District Assignment: Childhood Cancer Chair. Please save the date: Saturday March 14, 2020 for our first district-wide St. Baldrick’s Foundation fundraiser. I am in the process of completing the paper work with the StB Foundation staff to get our event registered. It will be a combination head-shaving extravaganza and some fun side activities that will also help raise money for childhood cancer research. I am hoping for at least one Lion from each of the eight zones to step-up and volunteer to be part of the District Team and have his or her “mane” shaved off. If you have seen me recently, I have over five months’ growth since my last Big Shave; I am trying to go for the full year. We shall see.

But, the second part of the Childhood Cancer initiative is to support activities for children with cancer. I would like to push an initiative to raise funds to support Camp Rising Sun and send children in District A to camp for one week in the summer, just as we did for our Diabetes Camp in August. Brochures will be forthcoming. I will have more details for the next newsletter and also in my Cabinet presentation October 21.

2nd Vice District Governor Lori-Ann Beninson

The District Governor of 23A has requested that our Lions community come together to serve those less fortunate in our cities and towns. This service project asks that we restock our local food pantries by holding a food drive on October 12th,2019.

When D.G. Bill Manthey asked if I would take the lead on this initiative, I thought about the various causes of hunger. What makes people have to choose between the purchase of food and other necessities?

How can I relate to someone who is not able to purchase enough food to feed their families? When today, I can. What makes this a priority service project?

These questions brought the issue of hunger in our communities to the forefront of thinking. I began to actively discover people in need. This new focus helped to define the need. “Mindfully Serving”

The Connecticut Food bank told of the many families who use the pantry. They have a real need and have to depend on the food pantry to close the gap in their finances. Locally the food pantry visitors contains a diverse group of our friends and families in need. Globally the need is more severe, it can be the difference between life and death. Take a minute and research the Global Hunger index. It will show you the amount of hunger in the world.

Go to our Lions Club International web page and take advantage of the Hunger resources. Your donation to L.C.I.F for the month of October can be directed towards hunger relief. When your club decides on the best way to help restock our food banks and support LCIF, please let me know so we can share our successes in the next newsletter.

We serve, and we are grateful that we can make a difference. Serve Well!
Global Leadership Team Announcement

Presented by the MD23 Connecticut Lions
Global Leadership Team [GLT]
Friday, Saturday and Sunday, September 27 - 29, 2019
Red Lion Hotel - Cromwell
100 Berlin Rd, Cromwell, CT 06416

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Personal growth opportunities await you! If you are interested, please fill out the attached registration form and mail it as soon as possible. Remember: Only 25 participants will be selected. So, register today! You will never regret your decision!

For more information, contact District 23A GLT Coordinator, PDG Colette Anderson at: colette0024@yahoo.com. Enrollment form and schedule are at the end of this newsletter with the flyers.

Let’s Talk About Mailchimp

We are using Mailchimp for mass emails to 23A District Lions. In your inbox, you will see that the email comes from:

CS Sue via gmail.mcsv.net

In my personal case, it came through as spam and I just simply needed to go in and select that it was "not spam". This will ensure this and future emails from Mailchimp will be sitting in your Inbox ready to be read.

For this particular and future emails from Mailchimp, can you please do any that is applicable below:

1. Go to spam/junk folder to check for the mail - Indicate that it is not junk/spam mail
2. If you have it in your Inbox— and if you haven’t opened it yet - please do! You don’t want to miss our communications this year!
3. If you have a restricted email account to please give Mailchimp permission to be accepted.

We appreciate you taking the time so you can make sure that you get our communications!
CRIS Radio, which is vital to the blind community, needs our help due to State cutbacks. There is a donation match program that end September 11th and is retroactive for last year’s CRIS donations but can also cover this year’s donation if completed before 9/11. This only requires a simple email to dwdunne@crisradio.org stating that your donation over the last year was "designated for the CRISAccess Start-up fund". If your club donated to CRIS this is simple so please take 5 minutes to get it done. Please read the details below since the State budget cuts has hit CRIS Radio’s budget hard—the facts are:

- CRIS reached 15,000 individuals in 2012 and received $83,000 from the state.
- In FY 2019 (ending June 30, 2019) CRIS reached 85,000 individuals and received only $21,190 from the state!!!
- Furthermore, charitable giving is WAY DOWN as a result of recent changes in federal income tax laws that apply to tax deductions.
- Earlier this year, CRIS Radio received a challenge grant from the Hartford Foundation for Public Giving (HFPG) and will match donations designated to the CRISAccess Start-Up Fund up to a total of $40,000. CRISAccess provides audible exhibits at museums or other public spaces to provide accessible experiences for people who are blind or print challenged.

**Here are two ways that your club can double its donations to CRIS Radio:**

- If your club made a donation since October 2018 and would like to have the funds matched by HFPG, send an email to Diane Weaver Dunne, Executive Director, at dwdunne@crisradio.org stating that the donation is designated for the CRISAccess Start-up Fund.
- If your club is planning to make a donation in 2019-2020, send Diane a check for that amount NOW and specify that it is designated for the CRISAccess Start-up Fund.

Your email and check must be received by CRIS Radio no later than the HFPG grant deadline of Wednesday, September 11. Please copy Janet Brunwin LionJanetBrunwin@gmail.com and myself on the emails so we know of any direct donations.

Diane Weaver Dunne/Executive Director
CRIS Radio
315 Windsor Avenue
Windsor, CT 06095
MyLion Training Resources

We’ve gotten feedback regarding the issues of navigating through the new MyLion (reporting service). Here are the training videos that are available through LCI and below is a list of resources that you can just click and access. Also, you can always access MyLion Support—here is the link: http://mylion2.tes-development.com/support/

MyLion Training Videos

MyLion Webinar: https://www.bing.com/videos/search?q=mylion+demostration%3a++update+an+activity&view=detail&mid=1E5C434FDCC3F4B012BE1E5C434FDCC3F4B012BE&FORM=VIRE

Create a new activity: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=npuTGERBctE

Report a past activity: https://www.bing.com/videos/search?q=mylion+demostration%3a++update+an+activity&view=detail&mid=9B26572D731FC18AEC849B26572D731FC18AEC84&FORM=VIRE

LCI/LCIF Dates to Remember:

9/19-21 USA/Canada Forum
10/1 Deadline to Purchase Peace Poster Contest Kit
10/10 Application Deadline for Matching Diabetes, Hunger (pilot), Childhood Cancer (pilot), SightFirst and Lions Quest grants applications to be reviewed at 8/2020 board and LAC meetings
10/11 International White Cane Safety Day
10/31 New Voices Nomination Deadline
# Happenings Around The District!

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A Quick Request!

When you send your flyer to be included, can you please send it in a PDF version? It saves a lot of time converting other formats to a PDF.

- Thank you! CS Sue
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**Registration fee is only $225.00** and includes all of the following:

- All needed coursework materials
- A **two-overnight stay, double occupancy.** [A roommate will be assigned to you, unless otherwise requested to room with a Lion teammate.]
- Lunches, snacks and dinners are included. [Please see the attached schedule.]
- Breakfast will be on your own. There is a restaurant on site.
- **Registration is limited to 25 participants** per LCI policy. The first 25 to apply will be accepted. **Registration form must be received no later than September 1, 2019.**
- **Make checks payable to MD23 Emerging Lions.** Please consult your Lions Club regarding payment of this most valuable training event, as many budget for training.

**PLEASE NOTE:** *Attendance at meals is mandatory, as some of our best learning happens during the course of a meal!*

Mail completed form and check to:

PCC Nanette Burdick - MD23 GLT
163 Lamphere Road
Mystic, CT 06355

Personal growth opportunities await you! If you are interested, please fill out the attached registration form and mail it as soon as possible. [For more information please contact your District GLT Coordinator.] **Remember:** Only 25 participants will be selected. So, **register today!** You will never regret your decision!

**District GLT Coordinators:** District A: PDG Colette Anderson: colette0024@yahoo.com
District B: Lion Jim Trompeter: m2ot50@aol.com  District C: PDG Dr. Keith Lemire: lionkeith23c@yahoo.com

See reverse side for more details!
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Presented by the MD23 Connecticut Lions - Global Leadership Team [GLT]

Friday, Saturday and Sunday, September 27 - 29, 2019
Red Lion Hotel - Cromwell
100 Berlin Rd, Cromwell, CT 06416

Red Lion Hotel Amenities
The Red Lion Hotel boasts many amenities, so take advantage of the following.

Recreation opportunities:
❖ 24-hour fitness center
❖ Indoor swimming pool – *So, pack that bathing suit!*
❖ Sauna

Additional Amenities
❖ 24-hour front desk service
❖ ATM
❖ Bar/lounge
❖ Business center
❖ Coffee/tea in common areas
❖ Designated smoking areas
❖ Free WiFi
❖ Free newspapers in lobby
❖ Free self-parking
❖ Restaurant – Serves a daily breakfast.
*Reminder: Breakfast is on your own!*

Additional Information

❖ **Attire:** *Business Casual* – Collared shirt/Your Lions Club shirt and slacks are appropriate.

❖ **Breaks:** Refer to the schedule for times. Coffee/tea/water will be available along with a light snack.

❖ **Conference Room:** Our training will take place in the *Nutmeg Conference Room*. Look for signage as you enter the hotel.

❖ **Emergency Exits:** The emergency exit is located just outside the *Nutmeg Conference Room* to the left of the entrance.

❖ **Registration Check-in:** This is located just outside the *Nutmeg Conference Room*.

❖ **Restrooms:** The location of restrooms are just outside the *Nutmeg Conference Room*.

Cell Phones, Group Dynamics, Supplies:

❖ **Cell Phones:** Kindly silence your cell phone prior to the start of all training.

❖ **Daily sign-in sheet:** Each participant must sign in daily to receive proper credit from LCI.

❖ **Group Dynamics:** Participants are asked to speak clearly when addressing the group as they ask or answer questions. This will be especially helpful for those who may be hearing impaired.

❖ **Supplies:** Course materials are contained in your personalized notebook. Pencils, pens, highlighters, etc., will be supplied.
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Registration Form - Please print. Thank you!

Lion: ____________________________________________________________

District: __________________________ Member Number: ________________________

Years in Lions: ________________ Phone Number: ________________________________

Club Name: ______________________ Current Lion position: ______________________

Your Address: ________________________________

City/Town/State/Zip code: _____________________________________________

Email Address: _______________________________________________________

Please note any special dietary needs and/or any other special accommodations needed.
____________________________________________________________________
____________________________________________________________________
____________________________________________________________________

If selected, I agree to participate fully for the entire workshop.

Lion Candidate Signature: ________________________________________________

District Governor, GLT Coordinator or Club President:

[Please print]

District Governor, GLT Coordinator or Club President:

[Signature]

Return registration form along with payment no later than September 1, 2019.
Without A, B and O, we can’t save anybody.

Blood Drive Sponsored By Newtown Lions Club

Newtown Congregational Church

Held in the Church Hall
14 West Street
Newtown, CT 06470

Tuesday, September 3, 2019
8:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

For an appointment, please visit redcrossblood.org
Or call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767)

Free gift! Come to give Aug. 30-Sept. 3 for a unique Red Cross canvas tote bag, while supplies last!

Not enough people donate blood. Only you can fill the #MissingTypes.
Download the Blood Donor App | 1-800-RED CROSS | RedCrossBlood.org/MissingTypes
Seymour Lions Club
Presents
Summer Cruise Nights 2019
At Tri-Town Plaza
814 Derby Avenue, Seymour, CT 06483

★ Sunday, April 28, 2019 Season Dust-Off Cruise – 1:00-4:00 p.m. ★
This will be a memorial cruise for Jack Pitt • Sponsored by Law Office of Karen A. Fisher

THURSDAY NIGHTS CRUISE • 5:30-8:30 P.M.
- May 2nd - Sponsored by Sardo's Automotive
- May 16th - Sponsored by Fitzgerald Automotive, LLC
- May 30th - Sponsored By Brookview Heavy Equipment
- June 13th - Sponsored by Joe's Dogs
- June 27th - Sponsored by Sabo Auto Body
- July 11th - Sponsored by Maxie's Custom Pinstriping
- July 25th - Sponsored by Gabby's Auto Body
- August 8th - Sponsored by Tire Shak
- August 22nd - Sponsored by Derby Auto Body
- September 5th - Sponsored by Botti & Leners Automotive
- September 19th - Sponsored by Sibby's Automotive

Weather permitting - Trophies awarded

All Class of Cars, Trucks and Motorcycles are Welcome!
Visit us on our Facebook page “The Seymour Lions Club”

The 50th Annual Benefit Car Show
October 13th Rain Date Oct. 20th

For additional information please contact: Corky @ 203-619-1571 or Melissa @ 203-430-9356
or email us at seymourlions52@att.net

Don't forget to bring us your old eyeglass, sunglasses and hearing aides!
*** PLEASE SUPPORT US ***
WITH A DONATION OF ANY AMOUNT

Lions support each other. This year the Wolcott Lions current President, Jim Laurencelle and Past President, Jim Briglia will be riding in this year's Closer to Free bike ride to support the Smilow Cancer Hospital.

We will be doing a 100 mile ride and are asking for your support.

To understand a 100 mile century bike ride, if you leave Wolcott, CT and ride to Brattleboro, VT you will be just over a 100 miles!!

Please help stop this terrible disease. We are asking for your help in making and exceeding our fundraising goal this year.

To donate, please go to: https://rideclosetofree.org/team/5850 and select the donate button.

Thank You
Jim Laurencelle
Jim Briglia

YOUR IMPACT

100% of participant fundraising brings us Closer to Free
THE LIONS CLUB OF EASTON
cordially invites you to the
FIFTEENTH ANNUAL EASTON LIONS GOLF CLASSIC

M O N D A Y 
September 9, 2019 
ORONOQUE 
COUNTRY CLUB

E C A U S E S
PROCEEDS 
TO BENEFIT 
EASTON LIONS CLUB

EVERY GOLFER WILL RECEIVE:
A day of golf with cart in Callaway format
(play your own ball), lunch before golf, dinner,
two-hour open bar, raffle and silent auction.

PRIZES FOR:
Longest drive, Closest to the Pin, Closest to Line.

S C H E D U L E
10:30 am Registration
noon Tee-off Time
5:00 pm Open Bar, Hors d’oeuvres & Silent Auction
6:00 pm Dinner & Prizes

Please Reply by August 16, 2019
Proper Golf Attire is required by the club — Metal spike golf shoes are not allowed.

Registration Form
Name
Address
City
State Zip
Phone
E-mail

☐ $ 195.* Single Reservation
☐ $ 980.* Foursome & 1 Sponsor sign
☐ $1,130.* Foursome & 2 Sponsor signs
*(Additional $25 per person if paid at door.)
☐ $50. Dinner only (per person)

TEE OR GREEN SPONSORS
☐ $ 250. Tee or Green sponsor signs
Name to appear on sign:

FOURSOME FORM
Players Names:
1.
email:

2.
email:

3.
email:

4.
email:

Please return form and make checks payable to:
Easton Lions Club
40 Grace View Drive
Easton, CT 06612

For further information, call:
Bob Davidson - (203) 261-7351
THE EASTON LIONS CLUB*
IS PART OF
LIONS INTERNATIONAL,
THE LARGEST SERVICE
ORGANIZATION IN THE WORLD.
(*501-C-3 charitable corporation)

SOME OF THE CAUSES SUPPORTED
BY THE EASTON LIONS ARE:
Easton Senior Center
Lions Club International Foundation
CT Lions Eye Research Foundation
Macular Degeneration Research
CT Food Bank
Juvenile Diabetes Foundation
Fidelco Guide Dog Foundation
Local Organizations and Activities

OUR 2015 HOLE-IN-ONE WINNER!

To benefit
Eye Research
and the
many causes
supported by the
Easton Lions Club

MONDAY
SEPTEMBER 9, 2019

ORONOQUE COUNTRY CLUB
385 ORONOQUE LANE
STRATFORD, CT
203-377-1453
Exit 53, Merritt Parkway

KEY HYUNDAI
HOLE-IN-ONE CONTEST
WIN A NEW HYUNDAI CAR!

Directions to Oronoque Country Club from Route 15 (Merritt Parkway):
Exit 53; go north on Rte.110; take first left onto
Oronoque Lane; Country Club on left at top of hill.

GOLD SPONSOR
Eight golfers, plus exclusive
signage on two holes $2,000

DINNER SPONSOR
Four golfers, plus banner in
Dining Area $1,500

SILVER SPONSOR
Four golfers, plus exclusive
signage on two holes $1,400

PUTTING GREEN SPONSOR
Four golfers, plus two signs on
Putting Green $1,200

GOLF CART SPONSOR
Signage on all golf carts $1,000

CLOSEST TO PIN, OR
LONGEST DRIVE SPONSOR
Exclusive Sponsor sign $350

SPECIAL RECOGNITION OPPORTUNITY
Provide goody bags for all golfers,
with logo’d items (eg: sleeve of balls,
hat, towel, tees, markers, etc.)

Advance notice required for the above packages.
Wine Tasting

JACKSON COVE

For tix (203) 888-0054

SEPT. 14th 5-8 PM

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Newtown Savings Bank

Oxford Liquor Shoppe

FOOD - MUSIC - RAFFLE
Bethany Lions Club Presents

COMEDY SHOW

SEP 20TH
DOORS 7:00PM
SHOW 7:30PM
AT VETERANS MEMORIAL LODGE
265 BEACON ROAD, BETHANY CT 06524

PERFORMERS
RODNEY NORMAN
HOWIE MASON

$25
BYOB & BYOFOOD

CALL LINDA DUBOSAR AT (203)530-5287
EMAIL: BLCOMEDYNIGHT@GMAIL.COM

PG 13 (Inappropriate & Suggestive Materials)
Friday Sept 27th 2019  7 pm – 10 pm
Cheshire Parks & Rec Facility
559 South Main St.

Wine, Champagne and Beer Provided by Cheshire Wine and Spirits

Appetizer's Provided!
Donated Raffle Prizes!
Tickets are available at the door or on EventBrite.com for $25
All proceeds are to Benefit Cheshire Lions Club Charities
The Beacon Falls Lions Club
Proudly Serving the Community
For 66 Years
13th Annual Benefit Car Show

Muscle Cars - Tuners - Street Rods - Classics - Exotics - Imports - Trucks
No Cutoff

Sunday, September 29, 2019 / Rain Date: Sunday, October 6, 2019

Over 100 Trophies to Be Awarded
Breakfast & Lunch Will Be Served

Dash Plaques and Goodie Bags to the First 200 Cars
Gates Open at 8am * Registration: $10.00

Registration 8am – 11am
Trophies Awarded at 2pm
MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN TROPHY

Admission 8am - 3pm
General: $5.00/per person
Seniors: $3.00/per person
Children Under 12: FREE
All Vets /w ID: FREE

50/50 Raffle

PAVED LOT
Contact:
Mike Carrafiello
203-808-9743
mikecarrafiello@aol.com
or
Bob “Chippy” Barbieri
203-410-9401

NO ALCOHOL &
NO BURNOUTS
PERMITTED

Held Graciously at:
KOLGA RADIATION SHIELDING PRODUCTS
61 Lancaster Drive (Pines Bridge Commerce Park)
Beacon Falls, CT 06403

Show Includes:
Vendors,
Raffle Prizes,
Music and
Entertainment
Diabetes Awareness
Monday, September 30 @ 6:30 PM

presented by
Mary Swansinger
R.N., Griffin Hospital
and
Amanda Fowler
Griffin Hospital’s “Glucose One”
Diabetes Education & Support Group

Join this lively lecture and discussion about how both diet modification and exercise specific for people with pre-diabetes and diabetes can successfully reduce, reverse and control diabetes and their symptoms. Come speak with program participants who did reverse their blood sugars.

Co-sponsored by the
Derby Centennial Lions Club and
Griffin Hospital’s “Glucose Zone” program.

Drop in. For more information call the Reference Desk at 203-736-1482.

Derby Public Library
313 Elizabeth Street
203-736-1482
www.derbypubliclibrary.org
SAVE THE DATE

SAT. OCT. 12, 2019

CT LIONS FEEDING THE HUNGRY FOOD DRIVE

CONNECTICUT LIONS THROUGHOUT THE STATE WILL BE COLLECTING CAN GOODS AND NON PERISHABLES TO HELP THOSE IN NEED IN YOUR COMMUNITY. ALL COLLECTED ITEMS WILL BE DISPENSED TO YOUR LOCAL SHELTERS AND FOOD BANKS.

23 A CLUBS: We need a 100% reply immediately from you with the following information: Date/Time/Place of event, beneficiary of your collected goods or indicate “not scheduled yet”. Email this information to 2nd DG Lori-Ann Beninson now. Thank you!

LET’S MAKE A DIFFERENCE HELPING THOSE IN NEED!

HELP THE HUNGRY

WE NEED YOUR HELP TO FEED OUR NEIGHBORS

CONTACT YOUR 23A COORDINATOR FOR HELP

LIONS ACROSS CT ARE PROUD TO SERVE

CONTACT YOUR LOCAL SHELTERS AND GOVERNMENT!

CT Lions
District 23A
Hunger Drive Coordinator:

LORI-ANN BENINSON, 2ND VDG

NYHMEDIC@YAHOO.COM
THE SEYMOUR LIONS
50TH ANNUAL BENEFIT CAR SHOW

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2019
Rain Date October 20, 2019
Judged Show

Antique Custom Stock Hot Rod
Muscle Street Rod Classics
Trucks Motorcycles
Trophies, Raffles, Music & Fun For All

LOCATION: M.P.I. Corporation, Silvermine Industrial Park
4 Progress Avenue | Seymour, CT 06483
Vendor Space is Available!

PARKING Registration: $10

For more information please visit us on Facebook “The Seymour Lions Club”
or visit our website Seymour Lions Club - Lions e-Clubhouse

SAVE THE DATE

Please make check payable to Seymour CT Lions, Inc. and send it along with this form to:
SEYMOUR CT LIONS, Inc., 26 GEORGE STREET, SEYMOUR, CT 06483

Name:
Address:
State:
Car Make:
Phone:
Town:
Category:
Year:
Zip:
WOLCOTT LIONS “DAM” TRAIL RACE

3.5 MILE TRAIL RUN/WALK ON THIS SCENIC FLAT TRAIL AROUND WOODTICK RESERVOIR & DAM

LOCATION: WOODTICK RECREATION
201 NICHOLS ROAD ROAD WOLCOTT, CT

JOIN US FOR BEER, FOOD & MUSIC AFTER THE RACE and KIDS FUN RUN

Hall of Fame Chef “Paul Mynahan” of the Newport Chowder Festival Will Be Serving His Award Winning Clam Chowder

SATURDAY OCTOBER 19, 2019

RACE TIME - 11:00 am
Packet Pick Up & Reg. - 8:00am – 10:00 am Race Day

Sign up online at www.fasttracktiming.com

$25 Online Registration Between March 1 – September 30th 2019
$30 Online Registration Between October 2nd - October 18, 2019
$35 Day of Race Registration

Running Tee (Preregistered – while they last) One FREE Beer (21+) or Soft Drink & One Food Ticket Item.

Hosted By Wolcott Lions Club To Benefit Local Charities
Win This Mustang!

NEWTOWN LIONS CLUB FOUNDATION'S
28th ANNUAL MUSTANG RAFFLE

Drawing will be held at 1PM
October 19th, 2019
Tickets: $10 each or book of 10 for $100

1966 Mustang convertible, V8, auto trans, PS/PB, power top

Winner accepts car as is and is responsible for all applicable taxes. Need not be present to win.

www.newtownlions.com

To purchase tickets online, go to website, click Car Raffle, then click Purchase button.
PRESS RELEASE

August 27, 2019
FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
Contact:

Susan Lanzaro Schroeder
Secretary
Derby Centennial Lion’s Club

STRIDES, 2nd Annual, CASUAL WALK FOR DIABETES, “FUNDRAISER”:
HOSTED BY: DERBY CENTENNIAL LION’S CLUB

Derby, CT - On Saturday, October 19th, at 9:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M., the Derby Centennial Lion’s Club together with Griffin Hospital: Mary Swansiger, BSN, MPH, Certified Diabetes Educator, of Community Outreach and Parish Nursing, and Amanda Fowler, BS, Exercise Physiologist, of the Glucose Zone, will host the second annual, STRIDES, “Casual Walk for Diabetes” event on the Derby Greenway. Notably, Griffin Hospital, Mobile Health Resource Clinic, will be present to offer FREE, A1C diabetes testing for pre-qualified participants, on a first-come, first-serve basis.

At this time, we are holding a Fundraiser for the event. We have raised $160.00 in donations and pledges for A1C testing; and, we ask that you consider a $20.00 donation which covers the cost of one A1C test kit per person. We hope to provide diabetes testing for each and every
individual who feels that they may have high blood sugars. Any extra funds collected can be returned and/or put in reserve for the 2021 Strides, Casual Walk for Diabetes.

Donations may be marked in care of: Derby Centennial Lion’s Club and dropped off at Sunflower Dental Care and/or city Hall at the Mayor’s Office to Pam Gagliardi, the Mayor’s Administrative Assistant. The last day to donate to our fundraiser is Monday, October 14, 2019. Thank you for your consideration! Please find and/or share this same information also on the City Hall Website! Remarkably, it was due to Griffin Hospital’s FREE, A1C diabetes testing in 2018, that one Lion’s Club Officer was tested and discovered that she had pre-diabetes’.

Please note that in the event that you or someone you know are diagnosed with Pre-diabetes or Diabetes, that Griffin Hospital in Derby offers wonderful resources. They offer both at Griffin and other community locations, programs including: Diabetes Prevention Program, Diabetes Self-Management Program, Glucose Zone Exercise Program and Diabetes Education and Support Group. These programs may be able to help you reverse and/or control your blood sugars to a more manageable level.

For more information and updates, call Susan Lanzaro-Schroeder, Club Secretary at (203) 633-3623 and/or visit the Derby Centennial Lion’s Club Facebook site: https://www.facebook.com/Derby-Centennial-Lions-Club-1662648507164647/?__tn__=%2Cd%2CP-R&eid=ARBEL8u34PaHhiUdBA3ur76tmYMWa0xN9o7_kotpBX4fhjFT8yBqmGWTWIE3mBKTCLB-JyAaZ2Lh-7Tk

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