



THE EAST COCALICO LIONS CLUB



Newsletter November 2021

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Summary of the BoD meeting 1 Nov. 2021

Program –

Lion Phil Deibler has volunteered to present two programs
One will be on “Growing up Through Lionism: and the other on Hobbies

All programs will start after the new year and will be given at the club’s “Dessert” Meetings

Banquets –

East Cocalico Lions Club Christmas Party

- Monday, December 13th, 2021
- Weaver’s Banquet Facility
- 6:00 p.m. Social with Punch and Pretzels
- 6:30 p.m. Dinner
- Cost: \$25.00 Per Person
- Entertainment: Karl Hausman
- Emails and Letters, with Flyer, will be sent soon requesting a reply of who will be attending

Charter Night

- Scheduled for February 14th, 2022
- Checking with Fire Company if they would provide meals for special events

Club Sport Activities –

Lion Ray informed the club that he will not be around to Chair the District Bowling tournament

We need to find something to Chair this event immediately
Date of Tournament is March 6, 2022
Will Ask for Help at Club Meeting and Put in Newsletter
“Help Needed”

Merchandise Club –

Looking into redesigning and renaming to make easier to understand

French Fry Stand –

Football games are over
Last Game on October 22nd
In Lion Mark’s absence, Lion Paul was in Charge
Sold 11 1/ Cases
Grossed \$1,782..Expenses \$440...Net \$1,342

Fish Fry –

October 22nd Drive Thru Fish Fry

- Lion Tim announced that there will be no more “Fish” Fries.
- From now it will be called “Fish/Shrimp” Fry
- Left over Shrimp from the Ephrata Fair was offered at the Drive Thru Fish Fry on October 22nd
- Shrimp was gone in about 30 Minutes
- Net Profit for fish fry was \$3,285.00

Toll Road -

Toll is Scheduled for November 26, 2021

Sign up Sheets have been created and available On-Line
Leos must sign up using the On-line Sign-Up Sheets

Food Bank –

We had another successful Food Drive

Looking at the First Weekend in June for the next Food Drive (June 3 & 4)

The board suggested, to move away from the Golf Tournament, to have the Food Drive on May 20 & 21. Lion Chuck will look into these dates

Christmas Baskets –

At a recent meeting Lion Carol passed a list around for members to add/remove names

Lion Jamie asked at the Post Office if they knew of anyone who would appreciate a Fruit Basket. She is waiting for them to get back to her



LEO Advisory –

In the future, Leos need to use the On-line Sign-Up forms for any fundraiser/event

Community Halloween Night –

Because of the weather, this was held on October 31 instead of October 29

Seventy-six in Costume

Sixty-five others

Hot Chocolate and Donuts were enjoyed by everyone

Had good Help

Community Christmas Party –

Because of his busy schedule, Lion Jeff can not take charge of the Community Christmas Party this year. The Board decided that something needs to be done, and considered a few suggestions, one that included what was done last year with giving “Gift” backs to all students at Reamstown Elementary. A chairperson is needed.

Holiday Exchange Program - ***see page ??

Trailer & Fryer Maintenance –

All trailers are ready to be cleaned and put away

NEW BUSINESS

All Lions, when giving reports, need to use the Microphone and need to speak into it

Many Lion members cannot hear if you just stand up and talk

There are 22 Lions that signed up for a meal for the

11/8/2021 Club Meal Meeting

Lion Chuck was asked if at all possible to have a Student of the Month attend the “Dessert” meeting.

Many student’s schedules are very full and it’s difficult to have them commit to a meeting a week before.

Needing a definite count, a week before the “Meal” meeting, makes it difficult to have the student commit to a meal.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Regular Club “Dessert” Meeting – November 22nd

Toll Road – November 26th, 2021

Board Meeting – December 6th, 2021

Club Christmas Banquet, December 13th





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You may have heard that we – the northern Lancaster County Lions Clubs – held another Food Drive for the benefit of Ephrata Area Social Services.

Yeah, we and EASS were definitely pleased with the results.

Food Drive Friday



The Northern Lancaster County Lions Clubs are seeking food donations for the Ephrata Area Social Services Food bank, which serves Northern Lancaster County. Please purchase non-perishable food items and drop them off as you leave the store.

HAMBURGER HELPER
TUNA HELPER
CANNED MEATS & TUNA
INSTANT RICE
BOXED SPAGHETTI
SPAGHETTI SAUCE
CANNED PASTA PRODUCTS
NOODLES
BEEF STEW
Baked Beans

Peanut butter & JELLY
CANNED FRUIT & JUICES
Pancake Mix & Syrup
BREAKFAST CEREAL
SWEETENED KNOOLADE
CANNED VEGETABLES

LAUNDRY PRODUCTS
TOILET PAPER PRODUCTS
PERSONAL HYGIENE ITEMS

**ALL DONATIONS INCLUDING
CASH ARE GRATEFULLY
APPRECIATED**





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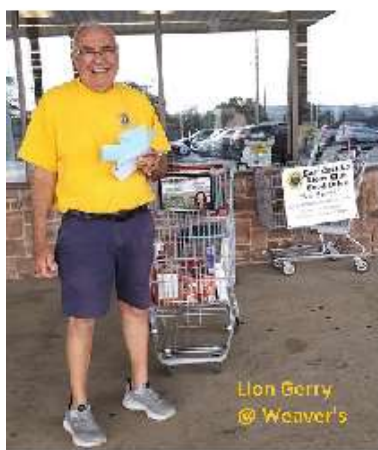
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In this almost-post-Covid time the logistics are a challenge.

Lions and some "civilians" stepped up & got it done.

The results were gratifying and really important to the community.

Food Drive Saturday





For the **10th** year ECL is participating in EASS' program. This year we're supporting two families:

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Holiday Family One

(adults) **2?** **Suggestions:** Redner's/Weaver's/Walmart/2 Cousins gift certificate, etc.

#1 (girl) Age 6 **Suggestions:** Little Pony, PJ Masks, Bumblebee Transformers

Pants size: 7-8 **Shirt size:** 8 **Shoe size:** 1 **Coat size:** 9

#2 (girl) Age 5 **Suggestions:** Gabby Doll house, pony, Bumblebee Transformers

Pants size: 9-10 **Shirt size:** 8-9 **Shoe size:** 1 **Coat size:** 9

#3 (boy) Age 1 **Suggestions:** ??

Pants size: 18-24months **Shirt size:** 18-24months **Shoe size:** ? **Coat size:** 2T

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Holiday Family Two

(adults) **2 adults** **Suggestions:** Redner's/Weaver's/Walmart/2 Cousins gift certificate, etc.

*** (The requests are pretty specific and most are available at Walmart. I've included approx.prices.)
{The children's mother said they aren't concerned about toys or clothes; the requests are for health care and educational items. Another copy of the list follows on the next page.}

#4 (boy) Age 15 **Suggestions:** laptop for school (?); Smead Proj. Organizer, gray(\$22);air pods (\$50)

#5 (boy) Age 2-1/2 **Suggestions:** Kids Toddler Tablet (\$90), white adjustable easel, Regalo Swing Down bed rail (\$30), karaoke machine w/ 2 mikes, Fridababy Air Purifier (\$75), Kidzlane My Body puzzle (\$25), LeapFrog Tad's FridgePhonic magnetic letters (\$20-49), Complete Illustrated Children's Bible by Harvest Kids

#6 (girl) Age 1 **Suggestions:** Hubble Mist 5-in-1 (\$48); Baby Bullet (\$40-70); white pantyhose, socks (solid colors)

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Please make your choice(s) of family member(s) ASAP: via internet connect to <http://www.eastcocalicolions.org/SignUpForms.html> or contact Lion Carl via email (cslegel@dejazzd.com) or phone (717-335-0347) to coordinate and/or get additional information. The gifts will again be collected at our Christmas Celebration/Dinner, to be held at Weaver's this December.



When I took responsibility for this project ten (10!) years ago I didn't anticipate the generosity of the response of the ECL membership. The past year-and-a-half have been difficult for all of us and I'm not asking anyone to stretch their budget. All of this remains anonymous; I don't keep score: who gave what and to whom isn't recorded and never shared.

The mother of Family 2 apologized for submitting such an ambitious list; she was embarrassed to ask for pricey items. I'm **NOT** suggesting that anyone simply buy any of these, but maybe purchase a gift certificate or donate some cash designated to a specific item. Hey, remember the bicycles?

I'm not familiar with some of the items, so I searched Walmart's web page for prices.

The laptop has already been bought. (I know some people, and no, it didn't fall off a truck.)

Laptop - school purposes ?refurb 14/15" ~~?chromebook?(\$130+)~~

Smead project orgaznizer, letter-size, gray w/ colors ~\$22

air pods ~\$105/\$120 JLab Audio JBuds ~\$50

Kids Toddler Tablet Educational Learning, 7.7" computer pad onn8" Kids Tablet \$99

large white adjustable easel stand for home schooling

SwingDown Bed Rail from Regalo (Walmart) ~\$30

___ Karaoke machine w/ 2 mikes

Air Purifier from Fridababy (Walmart) ~\$75

Kidzlane Wooden My Body puzzle for toddlers & kids (29-pc boys anatomy) ~\$25

Sorting Box Montessory Toy ~\$32

Leap Frog Tad's Fridgephonics Magnetic Letters \$20-\$49

Complete Illustrated Children Bible by Harvest Kids

Hubble Mist 5-in-1 (Walmart) ~\$43

Baby bullet blender w/storage ~\$70, turbo steamer ~\$39

white panyhose

plain colored socks



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November Newsletter – Part 2

Where we try to catch up on overlooked stuff:

Excerpts from Oct 4 BoD meeting:

Membership/Orientation/Retention –

Orientation Meeting looking for a date in November
Lion Leo Maynard made motion to go ahead with planning for Membership Social in Mid Spring, seconded by Lion Dennis Ensinger, motion carried.

5 Year Planning Committee –

Meeting week of Oct 11th via zoom

Finance and Budget –

Need to schedule a meeting to create a budget for this year

Program –

Will not have a program until next year
District Governor will be at 2nd regular meeting in October, Desert Meeting October 25th,

Banquets –

Lion Leo made a motion to have Christmas Banquet at Weavers, seconded by Lion Dennis Ensinger. Cost will be \$25-\$27 per person and entertainment will have to be separate

Annual Church Visit –

Feb 13th @ East Cocalico Church of the Brethren, 4 Bunker Hill Road, Reamstown, PA, Lion Bruce will follow up and get us details

Public Relations & Communication --

Shopping News front page also had an excellent article about Lion Marie

Merchandise Club –

Redner's is only giving 5% Return on Club Cards

Ephrata Fair –

The "Ephrata Fair" is behind us and thanks to Chairperson Paul Keller, Lion Tim Hegeman and all the Lions, Leos, wives and friends that helped it was successful

French Fry Stand –

Homecoming sold 12 cases \$1250 Net
Change of date from Oct 29th to Oct 22nd for next event, unfortunately same night as Fish Fry. Lion Paul will run but need 4 people to help

Fall Oyster/Shrimp/Ham Dinner –

Fish Fry's Oct 8th and 22nd will replace Fall Dinner

Spring Oyster/Shrimp/Ham Dinner –

Spring Fish Fry's will replace Spring Fall Dinner

Golf Tournament –

Lion Tim Hegeman is looking for help. Lion Tim is working on a proposal for future committee

Food Bank –

Oct 15th & 16th Good shape for Ebeneser's and Martin's but still need help at Weaver's and Redner's See sign up sheets

Christmas Baskets –

Sign Up sheets will be at next meeting

Reamstown Days –

Just gave a check for \$1978 to Reamstown, still need to give \$550 start up money



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LEO Advisory –

Checking with Leo's to see if they can help with Toll Road, Fish Fry's, and Food Drive

Community Halloween Night –

Lion Ray and Lion Phil will do, but we are not advertising. Cannot advertise on sign on Rt. 272. We will still do hot chocolate, Donuts. Halloween night is Friday Oct 29th..

Community Christmas Party –

Will check with Lion Jeff to see if we can plan anything, possible fire truck with Santa????

Holiday Exchange Program --

EASS is doing this year, Lion Carl is getting names

OLD BUSINESS

All Bulbs in Silo should be good.

NEW BUSINESS

Acknowledging Lion Marie Letter

Lion Tim Hegeman shared that the Reamstown Park is looking for volunteers to plant items at the creek which will help from creek being washed out and keeping it clean.

Lion Leo Maynard will send out new directories to remainder of members who did not get one.

Lion Carol Maynard made motion to pay International and State dues, seconded by Lion Jamie Carpenter, motion carried

Lion Bruce Carpenter made motion to hold District Governors contributions until after budget meeting, seconded by Lion Mark Janke, motion carried
Region Rally will be Nove 4th, \$25 per person 6:30PM at Weavers Banquet Hall, let Lion Bruce Carpenter or Lion Dennis Ensinger know by October 25th meeting.

GOOD OF LIONISM

Imagine we present ourselves while working events –
One with Positive Attitude



Breana Ensinger was October's Student of the Month. At Cocalico, Breana's activities include Choralaires, National Honor Society, Future Business Leaders of America and Global Scholars (a program at Cocalico which gives students the opportunity to gain a better understanding of different cultures, of people in nations throughout the world and of themselves). In addition she has achieved Student of the Month recognition in Math, English Science and Spanish. She is also on the 4.0 Honor Roll. Breana enjoys singing and had the honor to sing the National Anthem, with a small group, for a Cocalico Girls Soccer game. Her future plans include College to study Architectural Engineering.

Breana is the Granddaughter of Lion Dennis Ensinger.

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Congratulations to the following Lions who were recognized and awarded at the club's recent "Dessert Social" (formerly know as "Club Summer Picnic") - page 3

PA Fellowship: Lion Marie Sipler

Melvin Jones Fellowship: Lion Charles Holsey

Lion of Year: Lion Tim Hegeman

Also the following Lions were recognized for their Years of "Service"

Lion Chester Clair: 10 Years

Lion Sean Gallagher: 15 Years Lion Mark Janke: 15 Years

Lion Donald Hartranft: 20 Years

Lion Stanley Uibel: 40 Years Lion Ray Sweigart: 40
Years

Lion Donald Lewis: 45 Years Lion Philip Deibler: 45
Years

Lion Glenn Eidemiller: 55 Years

Lion Sidni Schlegel: 60 Years



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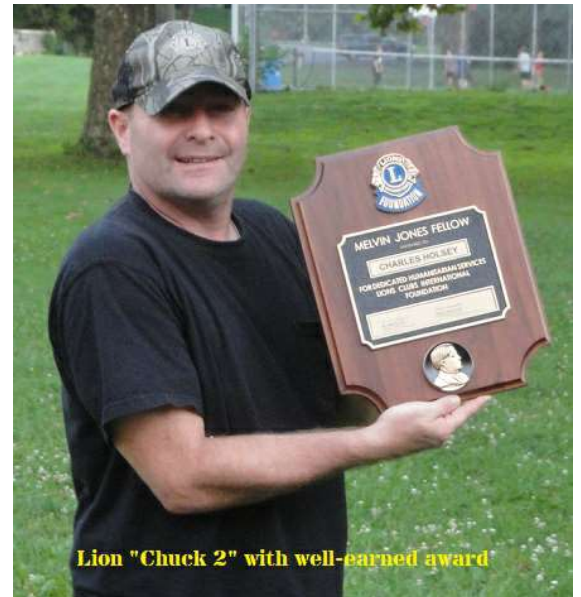
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The season-opening picnic, late August



Puzzling out the new cash register



Lion "Chuck 2" with well-earned award



Lion Marie & her
deserved award



sunburned? LoY
Lion Tim



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The Ephrata Fair was a challenge this year. Had to make some adjustments.



ECL's "trademark" Oyster platter -- only available at the Ephrata Fair?



The Maynards' new business @ Zook's Fabrics
3535 Old Philadelphia Pike
Intercourse, PA 17534
Monday thru Saturday
9 to 5 pm (open late Thursday until 9)
Spin the prize wheel Get a free soft pretzel
Scavenger Hunt inside store
And raffle drawing at the end of the week.



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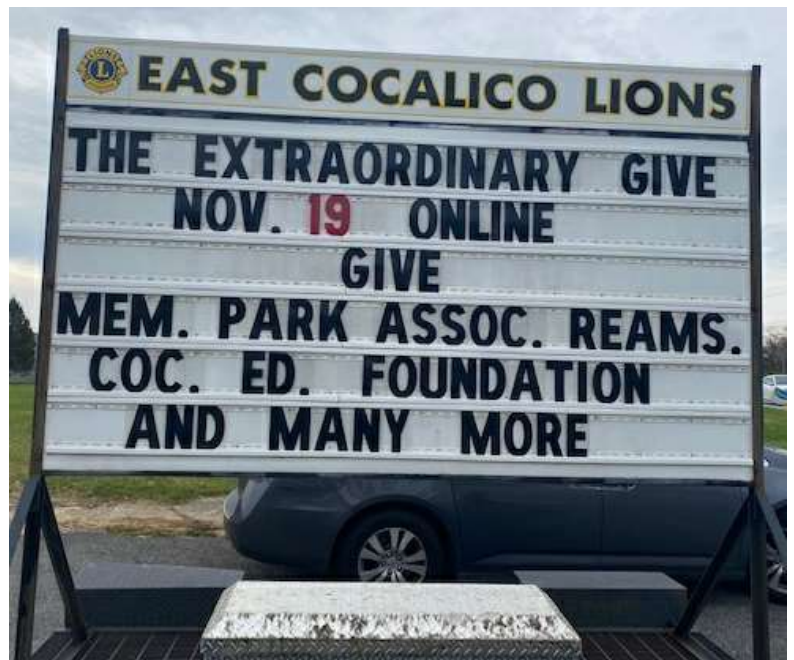
**Food Drive:
LEOs @ Redner's**



Lion Sidni receiving his 60 year Chevron



**Lion Leo with
Joe Wroblewski Award**



Annual Church Visit

Each year to show their thanks to the community for their help and support, the club starts their celebration of their Charter Anniversary by attending a worship service at a church in the East Cocalico Area. Like many events, this church visit was canceled last Lionistic year because of Covid-19. At a recent Board Meeting, it was decided that we start up these visits again. The Church we will be visiting this year will be the East Cocalico Church Of Brethren on Bunker Hill in Reamstown. Normally, a member of the church that we are worshipping with is asked to make the arrangements. Is there a current Lion Member that worships at this Church? If so, please Contact Lion Bruce Carpenter and let him know if you are willing to make these arrangements.



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The Manheim Lions Club is pleased to sponsor the 6th Annual Manheim Santa 5K Run & Walk to be held on Saturday December 4, 2021 beginning at 8:30 AM. This is a time for family and friends to get together and share in the holiday spirit by joining many other Santa's as they run and/or walk through the streets of Manheim. Race begins and ends at Market Square. Kreider Farms will be sponsoring the Kreider Farms Finish Line and every participant who crosses the finish line will receive chocolate milk! Entry cost is \$35 for adults (15 and older) and \$30 for youth (14 and younger). Adults who register may receive a Santa Suit or a Cro Neck Seatshirt and youth will receive a Cro Neck Seatshirt and a Santa Hat if the registration is received before November 15th. There is no guarantee on Santa Suits or Cro Neck Seatshirt after November 15th. Race day registration will be accepted beginning at 7:00 AM at Trinity Evangelical Congregational Church located at 48 Market Square but will not include a Santa Suit or Long Sleeve Tech T-Shirt. Trophies will be awarded for both overall male and female finishers, as well as top finishers in each age category. Participants are encouraged to bring a new, unwrapped toy for Toys for Tots. Sponsors include Hondru Auto Group, Germania Band of Manheim, Manheim Auto Auction, PNC Bank, Lancaster Civil Engineering, WellSpan, Tin Kiss, Manheim Grocery Outlet Bargain Market, John A. Zern & Sons and Kegels Produce. For more information, please visit the Manheim Lions website manheimlions.org or register at runsignup.com.

Palmyra Area Lions Club Holiday Wreath Sale

20" LIVE wreaths - \$37 each
(proceeds benefit our Club and community)



To order email: palmyraarealionsclub@gmail.com

Pick-up Information

When: Saturday, December 4th (10 a.m.-Noon)

Where: Hartman Home Improvements, LLC parking lot
(corner of Main and Railroad Streets)



Victorian Christmas



Open House

Sunday, December 5th from 1-4 pm

PRESENTED BY:

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- *Themed Victorian Style Trees & Decorations*
- *Rearing Fire & Treats for All*
- *Luminary Lighting in Memory of Loved Ones*

- *Vintage Victorian Games & Gifts for Children*
- *1846-Present History of Good Sipler Antiques*
- *Byer's Choice Holiday Figurine Display*
- *Special Giveaways & Free Planning Guide*

NO Cost & Plenty of Parking! Canned Food Donations for Ephrata Area Social Services.