



THE EAST COCALICO LIONS CLUB



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MD-14, District 14-D
Region 3, Zone A



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Newsletter Sept. 2022

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Finance and Budget –

Budget is being worked and hopefully will be ready to be sent to Finance committee by end of week and committee can meet after the September 12th Club Meeting

Program –

Not planning a program until after the New Year
The District Governor's Official visit is scheduled for Monday November 28th

Banquets –

Looking where Club's Christmas Party can be held
Any ideas contact Lions Jamie

Public Relations & Communication

Community Night Out

- August 2 at Reamstown Park
- There were bubbles/candy/gifts and lots of information
- Gave out 80 Bags of information
- Talked to several interested people
- Collected about 2 dozen emails of people who are interested in receiving newsletters and information about upcoming events o Lions Abby & Dave will take care of maintaining the list and sending information

Big Thank You goes to Lions Abby & Dave Leach, along with their daughters who made this a success

Ephrata Fair –

Ready to go

Concerned we will not have enough help

- Estimated that we need 550 hours of help
- Only have 100 hours of help o Does not Include Leos or Girl Scouts yet
- Asking members to ask non Lions to Help
- Will ask other Lion Clubs to help

Fish/Shrimp Fry –

Dates have been changed to **October 7th and 21st**

Sign-up Sheets will be Posted online

Armchair Horse Races –

Need Chairperson



Summary of the BoD meeting 6 Sept. 2022:

Membership/Orientation/Retention –

Status of Payment of Dues

- Paid Full for 2022-2023: 23
- Paid First Half: 9
- Have Not Paid: 28

A reminder was emailed to the members and Lion Carl was asked to put reminder in the Newsletter

Membership Social

- **October 24**
- Last Social we had, before Covid, received 10 new members
- Committee is being very aggressive and asking each member to invite at least 1 potential member
- Committee looking at for least 15 potential members attending or might consider cancelling

5 Year Planning Committee –

Stressing and encouraging all members to ask Non-Lions to help at events

In Person/Zoom Meeting on Tuesday September 13th at 7:00 PM



Golf Tournament –

Will again be held at Foxhase on June 10th, 2023
Start Time has been changed to 1:00 PM

Food Bank –

Will be held at all 4 locations on **October 28th and 29th**

Reamstown Days

Scheduled for Friday September 9th and Saturday
September 10th

All time slots have been filled with help

From past years, Lion Mark saw that there were people
wanting to buy fries at around 11:30 on Saturday. He is
considering opening the stand at 11:30 for a few hours but
he needs help.

An email will be sent to the members asking for Volunteers

LEO Advisory –

First Leo Meeting for the new year will be on Wednesday,
September 7, 2022

Lion Dennis will ask for help for the Fair, Fish/Shrimp Fry
and Food Drives

Student Scholarships –

ECL was already contacted about Senior Award Night

- Scheduled for May 24th, 2023
- Just need to know if we will again participate
- The Board agreed to participate

Community Halloween Night –

Need a Chairperson

Easter Egg Hunt –

Need a Chairperson

Building Maintenance, Gas & Paper Supplies –

Have Plenty of Large “Boats” for football games
Will use small “Boats” at Reamstown Days

OLD BUSINESS

Still have 4 tickets to the Lancaster Barnstormers Baseball
game for Civic Organization Night on September 17th

NEW BUSINESS

Excess \$175.00 of “Dessert” club funds will be deposited
into the Club’s general fund

GOOD OF LIONISM

Lion President Chuck asked if it would OK to bring his 6-
year-old daughter to a Dessert Meeting
He was told that she was welcomed and encourage any Lion
to bring their children to meetings



ECL had a pretty good turnout for the annual picnic that starts the autumn madness.
Got to see folks we’ve been missing for awhile, and some new faces too.



We Serve

At the Ephrata Fair. Best oyster sandwiches



**Lions, Friends, Neighbors, relatives: we need your help!
ECL needs volunteers to staff our trailers for the Fair.**

Oyster “patters” - Servers/Friers - Grill - Cash Register

*****To help contact Lion Paul Keller at Phone/Text: 717 799-2229**

Email: j1974@ptd.net, or Lion Carl: cslegel@dejazzd.com***



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



We Serve

Golf Tournament

Sponsored by the Lions Club of Mount Joy

Friday, September 16, 1 p.m.

At Highlands of Donegal Golf Club

650 Pinkerton Road, Mount Joy, PA 17552

Registration and \$90 fee due September 5.

\$5 per person discount if foursome is paid by August 1.

Includes Greens Fee, Cart, Dinner, Practice Range, Prizes, Refreshments

Mail registration form and check to

Mount Joy Lions Club,

c/o Wendy Pepkowski,

146 Canvasback Lane, Elizabethtown, PA 17022

For more information contact Lion Derek McCarty at

717-405-1881 or dmmccarty72@gmail.com

CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS NIGHT
AT THE BARNSTORMERS
Sat., Sept. 17th

Join fellow local Civic Organizations for a night of celebration for your incredible contributions to our community and fellowship!

Each Civic Organization will receive 10 FREE tickets to attend the game courtesy of BCF Group!

All Civic Organizations will receive recognition on our video board during the game!

A cash incentive for each Civic Organization may be awarded based on the number of tickets sold.

Take a group photo on the field after the game.

BBQ & RKS after the game.

Tickets Only \$9.00

Additional Marketing Opportunity During the Game

Have a marketing table on the concourse to solicit new business and to educate the community on what your organization does.

Marketing Tables: \$250

For additional information or questions please contact Jon or Eve at 717-550-9030 or jon@eastco.com

Presented by **BCF Group**
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COVID-19 Safety Protocols
Online Open to 11:00 PM
Guest Register: 470-0000

Partners: Penn Medicine Children's Hospital of Philadelphia



ELIZABETHTOWN LIONS CLUB



and Rheems Volunteer Fire Department
21ST ANNUAL CRUISE IN & CHICKEN BBQ

Presented by: **MOATS' AUTO REPAIR**

Saturday, September 17, 2022

9AM - 2PM Rain or Shine! (Registration begins at 8 AM)

Rheems VFD, 350 Anchor Rd, Elizabethtown, PA 17022

Cars, Trucks, Motorcycles, Emergency Vehicles, Tractors, Boats, Equipment
Of ALL types and ages are welcome!

\$10.00 Advance Registration, \$15.00 day of show
Special Cruise News VIP Cardholder Prizes too!



Chicken BBQ by Peter's BBQ 10AM - 1 PM

Park and enjoy the show or drive-through pickup
\$12 Half Chicken Dinner

Additional Food and vendors available too!



Please purchase BBQ tickets in advance - only a limited number of tickets available on the day of cruise

FREE Admission and Parking for Spectators!

All proceeds go to support Lions Sight charities and Lions support of the Elizabethtown community including ECHOS, the Elizabethtown Community Cupboard, Elizabethtown and Rheems Fire Departments



We Serve



East Cocalico Lions Club

Serving Our Community Since 1944



**Serving their World Famous Oyster Sandwiches and Platters
with the best Hamburgers/Cheeseburgers on the midway
During the Ephrata Fair, September 20th thru 24th**

Please Note. This will be your only Chance to Enjoy Our Oysters this Year!

Located at the Corner of Main and Washington Street

Also, on the menu Shrimp, Fish Sandwiches/Platters, Hot Dogs, French Fries, Toasted Ham and Cheese Sandwiches along with many other delicious items.

Drop by anytime to say Hi and enjoy the food.

All Proceeds from this fundraiser and all the Lions fundraisers are given back to the community.

Whenever a Lions club gets together, we make a difference. Problems get smaller and communities get better. That's because we help where help is needed – in our own communities and around the world – with unmatched integrity and energy. East Cocalico Lions is part of this largest service organization in the world with clubs in 209 countries or geographic areas with over 1.35 million

Watch for Dates for our Next Drive Thru Fish Fries This Fall and Next Spring

THE NEW HOLLAND LIONS CLUB WILL BE AT THE NEW HOLLAND FAIR!

SEPTEMBER 28 – OCTOBER 1, 2022

We will be serving the town favorite, our famous Hot Ham Sandwiches, hot dogs and drinks at our stand on South Roberts Avenue and Main Street at the New Holland Fair. We appreciate all the past support we have received in all the years we've been selling our famous sandwiches!

Come out and support us as we raise funds for our community, including Garden Spot Fire Rescue, CrossNet Ministries Food Pantry, ELANCO Library, New Holland Ambulance Association, New Holland Boy Scouts, New Holland Summer Arts Association and more. Anyone interested in learning more about the club and membership is encouraged to come see our members at our Ham Stand!



We Serve

East Cocalico Lions

FISH & SHRIMP FRY



With Fries or Baked Potato & Coleslaw

Drive Thru At Reamstown Park

October 7th And October 21st HOURS: 3-6:30 PM



Dinner in the Dark

Wednesday, October 19 Reception & Silent Auction - 6 PM Dinner - 7 PM

White Chimneys 5117 Lincoln Highway Gap, PA 17527

\$45/ticket Includes Dinner, Beer/Wine, & Silent Auction Sponsorships Available: For information, contact Heather Valudes at heather.valudes@gmail.com

RSVP

To purchase tickets, contact: Heather Valudes at 717.278.5482 or heather.valudes@gmail.com



Hosted by Paradise Township Lions Club to benefit VisionCorps

During dinner, attendees will have the option to wear a blindfold or vision impairment simulator glasses. Discuss your experience over dessert and hear from VisionCorps on the work they are doing.



VisionCorps

Membership Dues Reminder

Thanks to all the members that have paid their membership Dues. Just a reminder that your Biannual Member Dues should be paid by the end of September 2023

Biannual Dues are \$37.00 (Family Unit \$26.50) Total If Paying For 2022-2023 Lionistic Year \$74.00 (Family Unit \$52.50)

Please Mail Payment To East Cocalico Lions Club PO Box 166 Reamstown PA 17567

Or Give Payment to Lion Bruce at a club Meeting

Any questions please Contact Lion Bruce