



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.

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| MAN/DROUGEN HELPER         | CANNED FRUIT & JUICES  |
| TUNA HELPER                | Peanut M&J Syrup       |
| CANNED MEATS & TUNA        | BREAKFAST CEREAL       |
| INSTANT RICE               | SWEETENED KOOL-AID     |
| CANNED PASTA PRODUCTS      | CANNED VEGETABLES      |
| NOODLES                    | LAUNDRY PRODUCTS       |
| BEEF STEW                  | TOILET PAPER PRODUCTS  |
| Dried Beans - Pork & Beans | PERSONAL HYGIENE ITEMS |
| Pepper Sauce & JELLY       | Shampoo & Body Wash    |

**NO GREEN BEANS, PLEASE!**

**ALL DONATIONS INCLUDING CASH ARE GRATEFULLY APPRECIATED**

# THE EAST COCALICO LIONS CLUB



Chartered February 9, 1944  
MD-14, District 14-D  
Region 3, Zone A



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**Newsletter  
Nov. 2023**

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Adult life...



I need a day between every day to recover from the day before and prepare for the upcoming day

**Holiday Exchange Program:**

I have the information from EASS for four families with a total of seven children. I need some additional details from some of the adults/parents; I'll send out the wishlists by a separate email ASAP.  
Lion Bruce will post the lists on the club website.

**Toll Road:**

As chairperson I've sent out an email to the proceed recipients reminding them of the Black Friday event and inviting them to participate.  
Lion Bruce has posted an online sign-up sheet.

**ECL Christmas Party:**

Will be held on December 11th at Rural City like last year. **Volunteers will provide transportation for anyone who is unable to drive and still wants to attend.** Children are welcome. Details will follow.

**Zone Meeting** on Wednesday, Nov. 15th, 6:30 PM at Javateas in Ephrata. All ECL members are invited.

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**Excerpts from BoD meeting 6 Nov. 2023:**

*(Ran out of time to include the minutes; they will be in the Dec. Edition. You might have noticed that ECL has been very busy lately.)* SO:

**Food Drive(s): I am NOT ignoring Akron LC's results at Dutch-Way; that drive hasn't happened yet.**

So far it's been an outstanding service activity, although more volunteers would have lightened the load for some. To summarize the totals so far:

**304 cases of food and other necessities**

**12,160 pounds**

**\$2,642.89 in cash donations!**

This appears to be the most successful Drive in its ~30 year history. Lion Bob Weaver would be so proud.

ECL Lion Woody and EASS employee Dave used the Lion van for deliveries & pick-ups to/from Weaver's on the 27th & 28th.

A special thank-you is due Cory Martin of Penske Truck Leasing for the use of a serious 12-ft cube van for the Martin's & Redner's stores Nov. 3rd & 4th — and Woody & Dave had even more stuff to pick up at other organizations' food drives for EASS.



August Lesher was the October 2023 Student of the Month. At Cocalico, August's many activities include Varsity Golf and Varsity Track and Field. August believes in the Lion Clubs motto of "We Serve" by representing the Lions clubs of the Cocalico School Area by serving with the Cocalico High School Leo Club. Other honors and awards: being a member of the National Honor Society, where he serves as Treasurer, and is a recipient of the AP Scholar award. He plans to attend college for Mechanical Engineering.



We Serve

Halloween madness at the ECL meeting







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**ECL @ Weaver's October 27 & 28**



Lion Woody & Dave did the hauling



Yeah, we're gonna fill them all & then some



PDG Bruce & Lion Doayne



Lion Sandy & "that cart guy"



Lion Dallas on the job



Lion Kevin makin a point



Fry Guy, Lion Jan adding boxes



Lion Jan on the job



**area Lions Clubs  
Food Drive**



**2 days:  
Oct.27 & 28**

**Your generous donations, large & small:**

**118 boxes -- 4720 pounds!**

for  **Food Bank**

**WOW!**

and significant cash donations

**Neighbors feeding neighbors**

**Your contributions really do matter.**





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### Baron Stiegel @ Martin's November 3rd & 4th



Lions Earl & Shari



Lion Russ



Lion Deb



Anybody know this person?



Yeah, we needed a bigger truck!



Lion Russ & PDG Deb



Lion Pat & LEO Maddy



Lion Austin, what's name,  
& LEO Luci

*Hope I got all the names right...*

*I lost my notes.*



### area Lions Clubs Food Drive



2 days:  
Nov. 3 & 4

Your generous donations, large & small:

**121 boxes -- 4840 pounds!**

for



**Food Bank  
WOW!**

and  
significant cash donations

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**ECL & Ephrata LC @ Redner's November 3rd & 4th**



Lion Leo (background) & Lion Carol — chilly morning



Lion Kathy



Lion Chuck



Lion John, ready



Lion Brad on the job



Lions Doyle & Roy



PDG Bruce workin'



PDG Bruce, Lion Margo, Zoey & Madison — future LEOs?



**area Lions Clubs  
Food Drive**



**2 days:  
Nov. 3 & 4**

**Your generous donations, large & small:**

**65 boxes -- 2600 pounds!**

**for**



**Food Bank**

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East Cocalico

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# GIVING BACK to our HEROES

Join us this holiday season.

### Sweaters for Veterans

New and gently used sweaters and gloves to donate to veterans in VA hospitals or veterans who live in VA homes. (Nov. 1-Nov. 30)

### Stockings for Soldiers

Stop in or call to obtain a list of items to donate for soldiers. The Snyder team will decorate and stuff the stockings with Holiday cheer to be delivered to local heroes. (Nov. 1-Nov. 30)

### Cell Phones for Soldiers

Donate old cell phones! Your old phones are used to purchase calling cards for our troops so they can stay connected with their families. (YEAR ROUND)

### DROP OFF LOCATIONS

November 1 - November 30

Manheim Township | 3110 Litz: Pike | 717.560.5100  
 Millersville | 441 N. George St. | 717.872.5041  
 Lancaster City | 414 E. King St. | 717.393.9661  
 Litz - Spacht-Snyder | 127 S. Broad St. | 717.626.2317  
 Strasburg - Bachman Snyder | 7 S. Decatur St | 717.687.7644  
 Willow Street | 2421 Willow Street Pike | 717.464.4600

Partnering Together to Support Our Veterans

**Charles F. SNYDER**  
1947-2023  
FUNERAL HOMES & CREMATORY

## Community Event Veterans Day Weekend

Sunday NOV 12th 2023  
11:00am-4pm  
Hosted by the Ephrata Lions Club  
in the Ballroom @  
Ephrata American Legion post 429  
300 Cocalico St Ephrata PA 17522

20 + vendors  
Veteran Artisans, Veteran support groups,  
raffle baskets, 50/50 raffle

entry is Free but you are encouraged to to consider bringing a donation for stocking for soldiers or a monetary donation.

This community event for everyone! It is a way for the community, veterans, and non veterans to be involved, educated, enlightened and inspired to give back to those who have given so much for all of us!

## BE PART OF EXTRAGIVE™

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### THE NEW HOLLAND LIONS CLUB WILL BE AT NEW HOLLAND'S CHRISTMAS ON MAIN

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2023  
11 AM - 6 PM

We will be serving our famous Hot Ham Sandwiches, soup, hot dogs and drinks at our stand on South Roberts Avenue.

Come out and support us as we raise funds for our community! Anyone interested in learning more about the club and membership is encouraged to come see us at our Ham Stand!

Go to <http://www.christmasonmain.com> for more event information.

## THE GAP TOWN CLOCK LIONS CLUB PRESENTS THE GAP COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

SATURDAY DECEMBER 2  
9AM TO 1PM

LOCAL VENDOR MARKET  
MEET SANTA CLAUS  
FREE KIDS' CRAFTS  
RAFFLE GIVEAWAYS  
SKIP'S FOOD TRUCK

Gap Fire Company  
802 Pequea Ave, Gap, PA 17527

FOR MORE INFO OR TO APPLY TO BE A VENDOR CONTACT:  
Steve Wenrich 717.877.0996  
swenrich@titanbank.com



## Manheim Lions Club 8th Annual

Saturday December 2nd at 8:30AM

# SANTA 5K RUN & WALK

Cost: \$30\*

Each adult participate will receive a santa suit including jacket, trousers, hat, beard, belt (one size fits all) or a 1/4 zip pullover.

Each youth participate will receive a long sleeve tech shirt and a santa hat.

\*Price increases after November 1st

For more information please visit our website at [www.manheimlions.org](http://www.manheimlions.org) or register online at [www.runsignup.com](http://www.runsignup.com)