#### INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF LIONS CLUBS



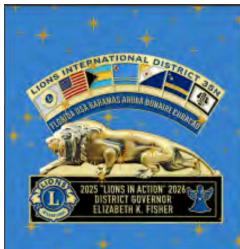
## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY DISTRICT 35-N LIONS OF FLORIDA, BAHAMAS, ARUBA, BONAIRE, AND CURACAO



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# THE MIAMI SPRINGS LIONS CLUB WISHES TO CONGRATULATE OUR MEMBER ELIZABETH K. FISHER LIONS DISTRICT GOVERNOR 2025 - 2026

CLUB PRESIDENT 2020 - 2025



SERVING OUR COMMUNITY SINCE 1937



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#### **Lions Clubs International History**

In 1917, Melvin Jones was a 38-year-old Chicago business leader who told members of his local business club they should reach beyond business issues and address the betterment of their communities and the world. Jones' group, the Business Circle of Chicago, agreed. After contacting similar groups around the United States, an organizational meeting was held on June 7, 1917, in Chicago. The Business Circle subsequently joined one of the invited groups, the "International Association of Lions Clubs" and at a national convention held in Dallas, Texas, later that year, those who were assembled: adopted a Constitution, By-Laws, Code of Ethics and an Emblem; established as a main tenet "unselfish service to others", selected Jones to serve as the organization's secretary/treasurer. The Lions motto is "We Serve". Local Lions Club programs include sight conservation, hearing and speech conservation, diabetes awareness, youth outreach, international relations, environmental issues, and many other programs. The discussion of politics and religion is forbidden. The LIONS acronym also stands for Liberty, Intelligence, Our Nations' Safety.

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#### \* IMPORTANT DATES \*

#### District 35-N Meetings - All Welcome!

August 16, 2025 - Miami Lighthouse for the Blind November 15, 2025 - Boca Raton Lions Clubhouse January 24, 2025 - Miami Springs Lions Clubhouse April 19, 2025 - Beauty of Sight - Bascom Palmer

#### Multiple District 35 Council of Governors Conferences

August 9, 2025 - Summer CoG Executive Session January 10, 2025 - Winter CoG Executive Session March 7, 2026 - Spring CoG Executive Session

#### Multiple District 35 Conference/Convention

October 15 - 19, 2025 - MD 35 Fall Conference April 30 - May 3, 2026 - MD35 Convention The Florida Hotel & Conference Center 1500 Sand Lake Rd Orlando, FL

#### **Lions Clubs International Conventions**

July 13-17, 2025 - Orlando, FL July 3-7, 2026 - Hong Kong July 2-6, 2027 - Washington, D.C., USA June 23-27, 2028 - Singapore June 29-July 3, 2029 - Minneapolis, USA

#### USA/Canada Leadership Forums

September 18-20, 2025 - Atlantic City, New Jersey September 3-5, 2026 - Memphis, Tennessee September 16-18, 2027 - Huntsville, Alabama

#### 2025 - 2026 Important Dates

We have included no-cost Fellowship & Service events around all District Meeting dates to foster a greater connection and engagement between our District members. Mark your calendars – don't miss them!

EVENT DATES	Green = Multiple District Wknd White = Other Social / Service	Time	Location
Friday, August 15, 2025	Mission 1.5 Rally & Dinner BBQ Social (5 - 7 pm dinner, 7 - 9 pm Rally)	5 - 9:30 pm	Miami Springs
	District Meeting and Service Project	9am - 12:30	Miami Lighthouse
Saturday, August 16, 2025	Following Mtng Miami Lighthouse Childrens Weekend Food Backpacking	12:30 - 1:30	Miami Lighthouse
	Multiple District 35 Conference		7.85
October 16 - 19, 2025	at the Florida Hotel	All Day	Orlando, Fl.
Saturday, November 15, 2025	District Meeting & Lunch Fellowship	9am - 1 pm	Boca Raton
Sunday, November 16, 2025	Strides Walk / Parkway of Miami Springs	9am - 11 am	Miami Springs
Sunday, December 14, 2025	The Junior Orange Bowl Parade	TBA	Coral Gables, Fl.
Friday, January 23, 2026	Night Before District Meeting Social Taste of the ABC Islands!	5 - 9:30 pm	Miami Springs
Saturday, January 24, 2026	District Meeting & Lunch Fellowship	9am - 1 pm	Miami Springs
Saturday, April 18, 2026	District Meeting & Lunch Fellowship (LCIF Art Auction & Photo Contest.)	9 am - 1 pm	Bascom Palmer
Sunday, April 19, 2026	Env Tree Planting Project Your Community or South Florida site	9:30 - Noon	South Florida
April 30 - May 3, 2026	Multiple District Convention at the Florida Hotel	All Day	Orlando, Fl.
Saturday June 13, 2026	Governors Banquet & District Awards Ceremony - End of Year Celebration!	6 - 10 pm	Miami Springs Country Club

Weeks of Service	
Hental Health	October 4 - 12, 2025
Hunger	January 3 - 11, 2026
Environment	April 18 - 26, 2026





### Governors Service Challenges – District 35N Lions in Action!

Let's unite our Clubs across Florida, the Bahamas, Aruba, Bonaire, and Curação to achieve these bold Service challenges serving TOGETHER this Lionistic Year 2025–2026.

Engage in all Global Cause challenge areas and report your service, and your club will be honored with a special award from the District Governor and GAT at a District Meeting.

Note: All challenges are in increments of '35' in honor of District 35N

Pediatric Cancer - As a District...

Adopt 35 Children impacted by Pediatric Cancer by offering support and/or encouragement.

Mental Health - As a District...

Adopt 35 Veterans supporting mental health needs of PTSD, Homelessness, and more.

Environment - As a District...

Plant 350 Trees, supporting carbon dioxide exchange for fresh oxygen, wildlife habitats & more

Diabetes Awareness - As a District...

Conduct 350 Glucose Screenings in our communities while counseling for Diabetes.

Humanitarian Service - As a District...

Register 350 Organ, Tissue & Cornea Donors for Transplant, saving both Vison & lives.

Disaster Relief - As a District....

Gather 3,500 supplies or dollars for Lions Disaster Relief efforts locally or worldwide.

Youth - As a District....

Collect 3,500 books for children and donate to inner city areas or children in need

Vision - As a District....

Collect 35,000 Eyeglasses for recycling for our "Recycle for Sight" District program.

Hunger Relief - As a District....

Distribute 35,000 Food Items to children, adults or families fighting food insecurity.

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#### **Vision Statement**

To be the global leader in community and humanitarian service.

#### **Mission Statement**

Our mission is to empower Lions clubs, volunteers and partners to improve health and wellbeing, strengthen communities, and support those in need through humanitarian service and grants that impact lives globally, and encourage peace and international understanding. And we fulfill it every day, everywhere we serve.

#### **Purpose**

To Organize, charter and supervise service clubs to be known as Lions clubs.

To Coordinate the activities and standardize the administration of Lions clubs.

To Create and foster a spirit of understanding among the peoples of the world.

To Promote the principles of good government and good citizenship.

To Take an active interest in the civic, cultural, social, and moral welfare of the community.

To Unite the clubs in the bonds of friendship, good fellowship, and mutual understanding.

To Provide a forum for the open discussion of all matters of public interest, provided, however, that partisan politics and sectarian religion shall not be debated by club members.

To Encourage service-minded people to serve their community without personal financial reward, to encourage efficiency, and promote high ethical standards in commerce, industry, professions, public works, and private endeavors.

#### **CODE OF ETHICS**

**To Show** my faith in the worthiness of my vocation by industrious application to the end that I may merit a reputation for quality of service.

**To Seek** success and to demand all fair remuneration or profit as my just due, but to accept no profit or success of the price of my own self-respect lost because of unfair advantage taken or because of questionable acts on my part.

**To Remember** that in building up my business it is not necessary to tear down another's; to be loyal to my clients or customers and true to myself.

Whenever a doubt arises as to the right or ethics of my position or action towards others, to resolve such doubt against myself.

**To Hold** friendship as an end and not a means. To hold that true friendship exists not on account of the service performed by one to another, but that true friendship demands nothing but accepts service in the spirit in which it is given.

**Always** to bear in mind my obligations as a citizen to my nation, my state, and my community, and to give them my unswerving loyalty in work, act, and deed. To give them freely of my time, labor and means.

To Aid others by giving my sympathy to those in distress, my aid to the weak, and my substance to the needy.

**To Be** Careful with my criticism and liberal with my praise; to build up and not destroy.

#### LIONS PRAYER

If I were not a Lion, millions would not see, If I were not a Lion, how sad the world would be. If I were not a Lion, who would fill the need? If I were not a Lion, would anybody heed? But God has made us Lions, All, to serve our fellow man. He made us stand millions strong, for His almighty plan. So here we are assembled, the Lion's bell to ring, God, look down upon this place and Bless our gathering. Amen

#### THE LIONS TOAST

Not above you, Not beneath you, But with you, WE SERVE!!

#### PLEDGES OF ALLEGIANCE

#### **United States**

I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands. One nation under God, Indivisible, with Liberty, and Justice for all.



#### Bahamas

I pledge my allegiance to the flag and to the commonwealth of the Bahamas for which it stands. One people united in love and service.



#### Aruba

I pledge my Allegiance to the flag of Aruba That I will represent you with honor and dignity And I swear that I will faithfully fulfill, All the obligations as an Arubian Citizen May God protect our beautiful island and its people



#### **Bonaire**

I pledge Allegiance to the flag of Bonaire and to the island for which it stands, One Community under God, with Liberty and Justice for all of us.



#### Curacao

We pledge Loyalty & Commitment to the flag of Curacao. The Island of the Caribbean where Diversity, Respect, Union and Faith in God, make us man of good.



#### **NATIONAL ANTHEMS**

#### **United States**

The Star-Spangled Banner Francis Scott Key, 1814

O say, can you see, by the dawn's early light.

What so proudly we hail'd at the twilight's last gleaming?

Whose broad stripes and bright stars, thro' the perilous fight.

O'er the ramparts we watch'd, were so gallantly streaming?

And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air.

Gave proof thro' the night that our flag was still there.

O say, does that Star - Spangled Banner yet wave.

O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

#### March On, Bahamaland

Lift up your head to the rising sun, Bahamaland;
March on to glory, your bright banners waving high.
See how the world marks the manner of your bearing!
Pledge to excel through love and unity.
Pressing onward, march together to a common loftier goal;
Steady sunward, through the weather hide the wide and
Treach'rous shoal.

Lift up your head to the rising sun, Bahamaland; 'Til the road you've trod Lead unto your God, March on, Bahamaland!

#### Aruba

Aruba Precious Country
Aruba beloved home
our venerated cradle
though small and simple you may be
you are indeed esteemed.
Refrain:

Aruba our dear country
our rock so well beloved
our love for you is so strong
that nothing can destroy it. (repeat)

Your beaches so much admired with palm trees all adorned your coat of arms and flag the symbols of our pride.

Refrain:

Aruba our dear country
our rock so well beloved
our love for you is so strong
that nothing can destroy it. (repeat)

The greatness of our people is their great cordiality and may God guide and preserve its love for freedom.

Refrain:

Aruba our dear country our rock so well beloved our love for you is so strong that nothing can destroy it. (repeat)

#### Bonaire

#### Land of the Sun and Soft Breeze

Land of the sun and soft breeze
Proud land resurrected from the sea
Modest people, always satisfied
Always bravely defending themselves
Let us try every day
To announce Bonaire
And we sing in good harmony:
Delightful Bonaire, our beloved fatherland

Let us together as Bonaireans
All sing and raise our voices
we, being children of a healthy race
Always happy, believing in God
No power can take us this love away
As we feel it for our island
Although it's small and not perfect
We love it more than anything

#### Curacao

Let's raise our voice and sing, the grandeur of Curaçao; Curaçao, a small island, a boulder in the sea. Curaçao, we love you above all nations. Your glory we sing with all our hearts.

Our people have their struggle, but we always have our faith to accomplish always victory through labor.

Let us do our part for the island's prosperity.

Let us unite forces so we can triumph.

In our homeland, we have shown honor & loyalty, as to the flag the union of our nation. Our lives would be little to give to our country, fighting united for liberty, love and understanding.

And when we are far from home we all recall Curaçao, its sun and beaches the pride of us all.

Let us praise our Creator always and forever, for He has made us worthy to be born

Curaçaooan!









#### **SECTION I**

#### **DISTRICT OFFICIALS**

**Cabinet Officers** 

























#### 2025-2026 District 35N Cabinet



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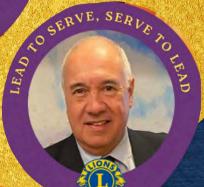
## GLOBAL ACTION TEAM

DISTRICT GOVERNOR ELIZABETH FISHER





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LEADERSHIP TEAM
PDG JIM CAMPBELL



GMT - GLOBAL MEMBERSHIP TEAM PDG ELBIO GIMENEZ



GST - GLOBAL
SERVICE TEAM
LION ALEXIS DAOU



GET - GLOBAL EXTENSION TEAM ANDY CURIEL



Miami InterAmerican Ecuador Lions Club
Congratulations and Welcome!
Miami Interamerican Ecuador Lions Club
presents it's congratulations and best wishes a
successful 2025-2026 Lionistic year to the Lion.
Elizabeth K. Fisher,
Governor District 35-N and her Team.



Gastón E. Correa & Alicia N. Correa First Vice District Governor 2025-2026 D35-N

## CONGRATULATIONS

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Elizabeth Fisher

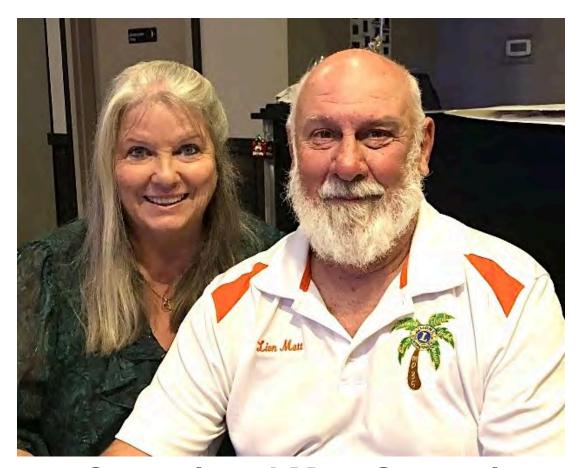
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PDG Elbio Gimenez and Rita Gimenez
We wish you a fantastic year



Lions District 35 N "Lion in Action"



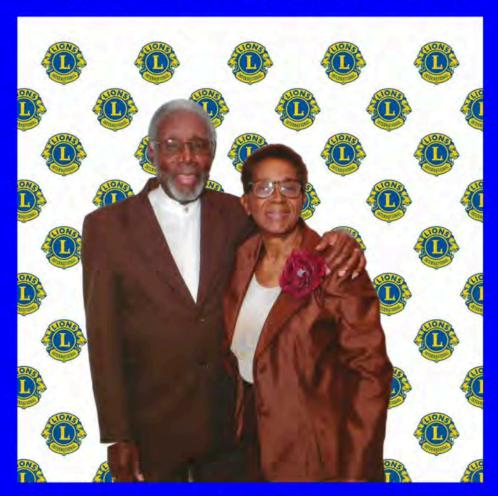
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**Tony Montes** 

## Constantions Elizabeth Fisher

District Governor 2025 - 2026



Best wishes for a successful year PDG Jim Campbell & Lion Barbara



**SECTION II** 

**CLUB PROFILES** 

**Regular Clubs** 

**Club Branches** 



ALWAYS BE SURE TO CONTACT A CLUB BEFORE VISITING.

#### Aruba (15803)

Zone 11
Chartered: 9/23/1947
Club Meeting
4th Wednesday, 6:30 PM MST
Board Meeting
1st and 3rd Wednesday at 6:30 PM MST
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Zone 9

Chartered: 10/5/1981 General Meeting Various Location **Board Meeting** 2nd Thursday, 7:15 PM EST Various Locations

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Willemstad, Curacao

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Board Meeting
1st Thursday, 6:30 PM EST
Dania Beach Lions Clubhouse
501 SW 4th Ave, Dania Beach
https://daniabeachlions.com/
Facebook

#### Delray Beach (12681)

Zone 3
Chartered: 2/7/1939
2nd Monday, 6:30 PM EST
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Beachway Drive, Freeport, Grand Bahama Island
Website
Facebook

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Chartered: 6/10/2015
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Mall Drive, Freeport, Grand Bahamas Island
Facebook

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Chartered: 5/10/2017
2nd Wednesday, 6:15 PM, EST
Hollywood Jaycees Hall
2930 Hollywood Blvd, Hollywood
4th Wednesday, 6:15 PM
Various Locations
Website
Facebook

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Zone 3

Chartered: 6/8/1995 2nd Saturday, 7:15 PM EST Various Members Homes

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Zone 7

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Zone 10
Chartered: 9/11/1953
2nd & 4th Thursday, 7:15 PM EST
Key Biscayne Yacht Club
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Facebook

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Facebook

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Chartered: 3/16/2010
4th Friday, 7:30 PM EST
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Zone 9
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4th Friday, 7:15 PM EST
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#### Port St Lucie Downtown (64896)

Zone 1
Chartered: 1/2/2002
1st Tuesday, 6:30 PM EST
2nd Tuesday, 12:15 PM EST
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BEST WISHES FOR A SUCCESFULL YEAR 2025-2026



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#### Congratulations

**District Governor** 

#### Elizabeth Fisher

Lions International District 35N 2025-2026

Warmest congratulations on your appointment as District Governor of 35N for the 2025-2026 term.

On behalf of our Lions family, we wish you and your entire cabinet a successful and impactful year ahead. May your leadership be guided by vision, compassion, and unwavering commitment to service. As you embark on this journey, know that you carry the hopes and support of many who believe in your capacity to lead with integrity and purpose. With best wishes for a truly inspiring year.

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Congratulations and Best Wishes from the

## Fort Pierce, Florida Lions Club

to District Governor 35N

Elizabeth K. Fisher

2025-2026

We Serve

Miami United World Lions Club Congratulates

District Governor Elizabeth Fisher

We wish you a wonderful year!



# Congratulations

District Governor Elizabeth Fisher

WISHING YOU AND YOUR CABINET A VERY SUCCESSFUL YEAR!





Miami Cuban Lions Club



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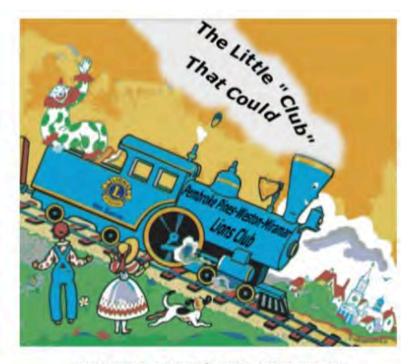
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2025-2026

DG Elizabeth Fisher

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## ELIZABETH FISHER

#### 2025-2026 DISTRICT 35-N GOVERNOR

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#### West Palm Beach-Wellington Lions



Congratulation DG Fisher, 2025-26

Have a great year!

Lion Frank Seidman

West Palm Beach - Wellington Club



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### **CONGRATULATIONS**

District Governor

Elizabeth Fisher

District 35-N



# Broward Centennial Lions Club Best Wishes





### SECTION IV ENTITIES AND PROJECTS

**Major Entities** 

**Multiple District Entities** 

**District Entities** 



#### LIONS CLUB INTERNATIONAL ENTITIES









#### CHILDHOOD CANCER

Lions and Leos, with the support of Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF), provide support for the needs of children and families affected by childhood cancer through impactful service activities.

Click the link to learn more!

https://www.lionsclubs.org/.../start-our.../childho od-cancer

#### **DIABETES**

Lions, with the support of Lions Club International Foundation (LCIF), are working to reduce the prevalence of diabetes and improve the lives of this living with diabetes.

Clink the link to learn more.

https://www.lionsclubs.org/.../start-our-global.../diabetes

#### **DISASTER RELIEF**

Whenever and wherever disaster strikes, Lions are often among the first to offer aid. LCIF is ready to support their efforts with funding assistance through global disaster relief programs.

Click the link to learn more.

https://www.lionsclubs.org/.../give-our.../disaste r-relief

#### **ENVIRONMENT**

Lions and Leos are working to protect the environment to create healthier communities and a more sustainable world.

Click the link to learn more.

https://www.lionsclubs.org/.../start-our.../environ ment









#### **HUMANITARIAN**

The humanitarian efforts of Lions have been notable and celebrated for more than 100 years. Working together, Lions identify the world's most crucial needs and LCIF supports them in their efforts to provide humanitarian aid where it's needed most.

Click the link to learn more.

https://www.lionsclubs.org/.../give-our.../humani tarian

#### **HUNGER**

We serve to improve human flourishing. We see how the global hunger and nutrition crisis bears upon our local communities, and believe true community improvement depends on the thriving of its members.

Click the link to learn more.

https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/start-our-global-c auses/hunger

#### **VISION**

Ever since Helen Keller inspired us to champion the cause in 1925, we've served and advocated for the blind and visually impaired.

Nearly a century later, this long-standing mission continues unhindered.

Click the link to learn more.

https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/start-our-global-c auses/vision

#### YOUTH

Young people are a dynamic force for good. We're more than a century into service, and committed as ever to sustaining our impact over the next 100 years. That's why we devote ourselves to serving youth as beneficiaries, youth as partners, and empowering youth as service leaders.

Click the link to learn more.

https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/start-our-approac h/youth

#### **MD 35 ENTITIES**



https://beautyofsight.org/

#### Mission:

Beauty of Sight provides ophthalmic services to ophthalmologists and patients to assist with treatment and advances the field of ophthalmology through research and innovation for the betterment of humankind.

**Beauty of Sight** 

900 NW 17th St #348 Miami, FL 33136

**Telephone**: 305.326.6359

General Email: info@beautyofsight.org

**Distribution Email:** 

FLEBDistribution@med.miami.edu

**Serum Tears Contact** 

Telephone: 305.482.4925

Fax: 305.675.8586

**Calendar of Events** 

June 7, 2025, Saturday

Installation Dinner Gala

Double Tree by Hilton Sunrise

13400 W, Sunrise Blvd

Sunrise, Florida 33323

6:00 PM - 10:00 PM

**MD35 Contact** 

Marta Ramirez

**President** 

Joel Levenston

lionjoel@comcast.net



https://www.cvicentralflorida.org/

#### Mission:

To provide a lifetime of comprehensive services that create unlimited hope, opportunity, and independence for the blind and visually impaired people.

405 White Street Daytona Beach, FL 32114

(386) 258-3441

info@conklindavis.org

Conklin/Davis Center Liaison

Nancy Epps

nancyepps@cfl.rr.com



Southeastern Guide Dogs is now dogs inc. We've expanded beyond just guide dogs and the Southeast. And we need a name that can help raise more funds, so we can help more people.

#### https://dogsinc.org/

4210 77th St East Palmetto, FL 34221 (941) 729-5665

MD Contact
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larissa.daigle@dogsinc.org

35N Co-Chairs
Dr. Rob O'Neill
305-794-9814
robertboneill@yahoo.com

Barbara Poorman 786-253-8798 <u>barbarapoorman@yahoo.com</u>

#### **FL Lions Diabetes Awareness Foundation**

https://www.diabetesawarenessfoundation.com/

#### Mission:

To raise public awareness of the problems associated with diabetes. To work with Lions Clubs in the Multiple District to screen for diabetes. To facilitate early diagnosis and treatment to prevent blindness. To obtain grants and donations in order to further these purposes.

Mailing Address Lions Diabetes Foundation of MD35 PO Box 1407 Deland, FL 32721

Executive Director Norma Callahan 386-453-4877 lionnormacallahan@yahoo.com

President
PDG Vivian Henegar
810-444-4109
vivianhenegar64@yahoo.com



#### Florida Lions Diabetic Retinopathy Foundation

https://www.floridalionsdiabeticretinopathyfoundation.com/

Mailing Address PO Box 1407 Deland, FL 32721

For more information contact: Norma Callahan 386-479-9896 lionsretinascreening@yahoo.com

President and MD35 Contact Erick Rumold ericthehawk@vahoo.com



https://www.fllec.org/

10322 Pennsylvania Ave Bonita Springs, FL 34135 floridalionseyeclinic@fllec.com (239) 498-3937 (239) 947-9996 fax

MD Contact
Dr. Howard Freedman
floridalionseyeclinic@fllec.com



#### https://www.floridalionsfoundation.com/

256 5th Street NW Largo, FL 33770

MD Chair PDG Bobby Wright 904-477-7417 lionbobby3639@gmail.com

MD-35 Director of Operations Judi Seltzer, MS, BSN, RN, CNOR (850) 876-0005 Lionseltzerjudi@gmail.com

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Executive Secretary/Treasurer, Life Memberships, and Donations
Lion Anita McHenry
(727) 688-4350
sway234@hotmail.com



#### /www.leaderdog.org/

#### Mission:

Our mission is empowering people who are blind or visually impaired with lifelong skills for safe and independent daily travel.

1039 S. Rochester Rd. Rochester Hills, MI 48307 Phone: 248-651-9011 MD Chair Meredyth Mason meredythmason@gmail.com



https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/discover-our-foundation/mission

LCIF 1.630.571.5466 LCIF@lionsclubs.org 300 West 22nd Street Oak Brook, IL 60523-8842

MD Chair PID Rod Wright rwright506@hotmail.com District 35 N Coordinator Junior Arends 011-297-562-9129 vejarends@gmail.com



#### https://lwvi.org/

1410 N. 21st St. Tampa, FL 33605 (813) 289-1200 info@lwvi.org

MD Contact
Megan Carlone
megan.carlone@lwvi.org

#### Official District 35-N Entities



We Wish you a
successful year of
"LIONS IN ACTION"
2025-2026
District Governor 35-N
ELIZABETH K. FISHER
The Miami Dade
Interamerican Lions Club





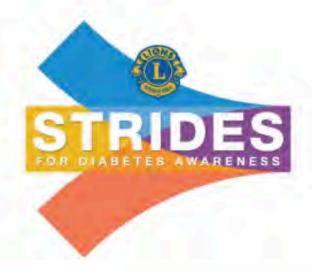
## CONGRATULATIONS

District Governor

Elizabeth Fisher

District 35-N

The Board Directors of Diabetes Awarenness District 35-N Best Wishes for an Oustanding Year



Congratulations and Best Wishes
To
District Governor of 35N
Elizabeth Fisher
And
Leadership of District 35N



2025 - 2026
Lions for the Blind District 35N
Officers and Board of Directors



Thank you District 35N for collecting and processing over 30,000 eyeglasses every year through our "Recycle for Sight" program!

Want to help? Set up a collection box in a store, restaurant, or office today!

Collect and Drop off glasses at any District meeting, or at the Miami Springs Lions Clubhouse for processing Tuesdays, 5 - 8 pm.

\*\*Stay alert for opportunities to send glasses on local mission trips to Lions hospitals or or clinics around the world.

Contact LionElizFisher@gmail.com to coordinate or call /text 305 434-2003



## **SECTION V**

## **INTERNATIONAL OFFICIALS**

# International President Immediate Past International President 1ST and 2ND Vice International Presidents





A. P. Singh International President Kolkata, India

A.P. Singh, of Kolkata, India, was elected to serve as international president of Lions Clubs International at the association's 107th international convention, held in Orlando, Florida from July 13 through July 17, 2025.

International President Singh is a practicing chartered accountant and has family business interests in automobile dealerships.

A Lion since 1984 and a member of the Calcutta Vikas Lions Club, International President Singh has held many positions within the association, including district governor and council chairperson. He has served as GMT international coordinator for four years and as a member on a number of ad hoc board committees. He was chairperson for the 2017 DGE seminar in Chicago, USA, and has served as faculty at more than 50 ALLIs/RLLIs, RLLIs, FDIs and LCIP certification programs. He has also served as multi-national coordinator for Campaign SightFirst II, CA leader for Campaign 100, member of the LCIF Steering Committee and as chairperson of the National SightFirst Committee of India.

International President Singh has participated in and presented seminars at area forums in all constitutional areas. He was the co-chairperson of the Organizing Committee for the ISAAME Forum in Kolkata, India.

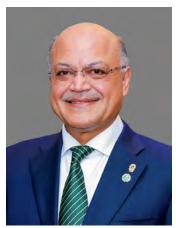
In recognition of his service to the association, International President Singh has received numerous awards, including multiple International President's Awards, as well as the Ambassador of Good Will Award, the highest honor the association grants its members. He is a major gift donor for Campaign SightFirst II and Campaign 100, and a progressive Melvin Jones Fellow.

In addition to his Lion activities, International President Singh is accredited with the initiation of various service programs in collaboration with other trusts, foundations and corporate houses. He has worked on establishing a web-based Lion leadership development platform, a micro-finance program, and has organized multiple large-scale online events to keep Lions engaged.

International President Singh has three children.









Fabrício Oliveira Immediate Past International President Catolé do Rocha, Brazil

Mark S. Lyon International First Vice President Brookfield, Connecticut, USA

Dr. Manoj Shah International Second Vice President Nairobi, Kenya

Tony Benbow International Third Vice President South Vermont, Australia



## **SECTION VI**

## **AWARDS AND CONTESTS**

Lions do not serve others in order to receive rewards. The rewards they seek are less tangible, but no less real. Lions' rewards lie in the satisfaction of demonstrating their commitment to the work of Lionism; serving as an effective team member on club, district and international projects and activities; and focusing on the community in terms of less fortunate individuals and projects and activities for the betterment of the community. While the purpose of being a member of this wonderful organization is not to receive awards, we do recognize that members who make a significant contribution are deserving of recognition, encouragement, and appreciation. We encourage every club and every member to become familiar with the available awards and work toward obtaining one or more. Nominations should be submitted to the appropriate Awards Chair by the dates indicated for each award.

Visit <a href="https://www.district35n.com/award-information">https://www.district35n.com/award-information</a> for FULL award information.

Anchor Award, Governor's Achievement Award, Order of the Golden Chain

MD Contact Karen Douglas 727-585-7470 dnarek23@aol.com

## **Anchor Award**

#### **PURPOSE:**

The purpose of this award is to provide recognition for the "Grass Root Lions" who are the anchors and stability of our association. The goal is to eliminate the club drop outs, by recognizing these Lions who put out special effort at the club level. All Lions will be eligible for this award that have put in at least 125 hours or more of service in any recognized Lion activity, except the following:

- Current Club Presidents
- Current Club Secretaries
- Current Zone Chairs
- Current Cabinet Secretaries
- Current Cabinet Treasurers
- Current Multiple District chairs
- Current District Governors
- Current Vice District Governors
- Past District Governors and Past Vice District Governors
- Current or Past International Officers or Directors (District Chairs shall be considered for the Anchor Award at the discretion of the District Governor. Hours accumulated on district committee activities shall NOT be considered for the award.)

#### RULES:

Each Lion should keep a record of all the hours they work on anything in conjunction with Lionism. These must be certified and dated by the club president or secretary. All hours counted must be actual and not estimated. Sleep and travel time are excluded in any of the hours counted toward the award. Fifty (50) points (hours) will be the maximum allowed for any one project or activity and total points (hours) must be accumulated from more than one activity or project. The club secretary shall collect each tally sheet, tabulate its points, and submit it to the District Awards chair by July 31st of each year to be eligible. The following is a partial list of functions which could count toward this award.

- Club Meetings
- Club Projects
- MD-35 Projects
- Lions International Projects
- Lion Training Seminars and Classes
- Zone and Cabinet Meetings
- Council of Governor's Conferences
- Inert-club Meetings
- Visitations to any Lions entities. (Leader Dog for the Blind, any Eye Bank, Conklin Center, Lions Clubs International, Southeastern Guide Dog, etc.)

The contest year shall run the Lionistic year, which runs from July 1st of each year through June 30th of each year. The award can be earned only once in each year, but maybe awarded at any time during the contest period after completion of the hours required. As of July 1st of each year, all hours accumulated will be dropped and a new contest period shall begin.

SINCE THIS IS A CLUB AWARD, each club must order their award pins or tabs by sending a copy of the worksheet, and the order form with a check attached for the number of pins and tabs being ordered to the District Awards chair, who shall, after recording for reporting purposes, take the checks and purchase the proper number of pins and tabs from the Multiple District Office for the clubs. District Award Chair shall order Anchor Awards in sufficient numbers from the MD-35 Office Manager to furnish the District Awards chair what is needed for the district. There shall be no Multiple District or District winner, as this is strictly a club award.

## Millard Conklin Crusader for Lionism Award

#### **PURPOSE:**

The Millard Conklin Crusader for Lionism Award is designed to encourage participation of "Grass Root" Lions in each district and club and to select one from each district to be rewarded for outstanding dedication and contributions for their current calendar year efforts made to Lionism, and to be presented for a District award. The MD-35 Award is presented to the multiple district winner from among those district winners.

#### **CONTEST PERIOD:**

The award shall cover the accomplishments realized only during the contest period from January 1st through December 31st of each calendar year

#### **ELIGIBILITY:**

All Lions whose membership is in a Lions Club of MD-35 are eligible except the following:

- Current or past District Governors
- Current or past Vice District Governors
- Cabinet secretaries and/or cabinet treasurers
- Current or past International Officers or Directors
- Also the spouse, partner-in-service, or anyone serving in that capacity of a District Governor, Vice District Governor, Council Chair, International Officers or Directors, Candidates for International Director or Higher, cabinet secretaries and/or treasurers, shall not be eligible during their spouses or partners term of office.

A Lion will lose their eligibility during any year in which they become a candidate for District Governor or Vice District Governor. If not successful in their bid for office, they shall regain their eligibility starting on January 1st following the MD-35 Convention. A cabinet secretary and/or treasurer shall regain their eligibility after their term of office concludes for the next contest period starting January 1st of the following year. The spouses or partners of any of the offices listed in the previous paragraph shall also regain their eligibility on the January 1st following their spouses or partners term of office.

#### NOMINATIONS:

Each club may enter all eligible members. A zone chair may nominate a president of one of the clubs in their zone. A district drive director or a district committee chair may nominate one of their workers. A recognized MD-35 Project may nominate an entrant, provided the entrant is not gainfully employed in the Lions activity for which credit will be claimed.

## Governor's Achievement Award - New Lion

#### **OBJECTIVES:**

This award is designed to assist the NEW LION member to become thoroughly familiar and fully involved in the activities and purposes of Lionism.

### **ELIGIBILITY:**

This award is available only to NEW members in their first year of membership, beginning with induction. The sponsoring Lion is responsible for assisting the new member in the pursuit of their requirements. The club membership director should secure the completed forms for certification by the club's board of directors who, after their approval, shall send the form to the district chairperson.

## <u>Governor's Achievement Award – Transfer Lion</u>

#### **OBJECTIVES:**

This award is designed to assist the new Transfer Lion to become thoroughly familiar and fully involved in the activities and purposes of Lionism.

#### **ELIGIBILITY**:

This award is available only to new Transfer Lions in their first year of membership, beginning with induction into the club they transferred. The sponsoring Lion is responsible for assisting the new member in the pursuit of their requirements. The club membership director should secure the completed forms for certification by the club's board of directors who, after their approval, shall send the form to the district chairperson.

## Order of the Golden Chain

#### **ELIGIBILITY:**

Any Lion who completes the following requirements between January 1st and December 31st shall earn the Golden Chain Award. The award may be earned each year the qualifications are met.

#### **REQUIREMENTS:**

The Order of the Golden Chain contains two important parts. Part I includes five (5) activities that are mandatory. Part II lists twenty (20) activities a Lion may participate in. To qualify, a Lion must complete all five (5) mandatory activities in Part I and eleven (11) of the twenty (20) options in part II.

\*\* Completion of parts I and II before December 31st qualifies the Lion for the award. \*\*

## Dr. Walter H. Campbell Pilot Award for Lionism

The Pilot Award is designed to recognize a Past District Governor (PDG) in each of the Districts, and a PDG in MD-35, with a prestigious award for outstanding efforts, dedication, and contributions during the preceding calendar year on behalf of Lionism.

#### **Contest Period**

The award shall cover only the accomplishments realized during the contest period, January 1st through December 31st of the preceding calendar year at the Club and District level. Any other information shall make the inquiry unacceptable and void. All entries must be submitted to the Multiple District 35 (MD) Office and postmarked no later than January 31st of the following year to the contest.

## Eligibility

All PDGs and all Past Council Chairs (PCC) whose term of office ended prior to the beginning of the contest period and whose membership is in MD-35 are eligible for the district award. Candidates must be active and participate only in Club to Multiple District activities to qualify for the Pilot Award. Only the winners of the District award each year are eligible for the MD-35 award. Past winners shall not be eligible for the MD-35 or District award. The past district governor, spouse, partner-in-service, or anyone serving in that capacity, shall be eligible for the award only after the term of office has ended prior to the beginning of the contest period, and not overlapping any fiscal year of said office. Such service with a spouse or partner includes District Governor, Vice District Governor, Council Chair, International Director or Officer, International Officers or Directors Candidates for International Director or Higher, or President of any of the MD-35 Projects.

# Multiple District Contact Harry Williams PDG 863-521-3685 lionhwilliams01@gmail.com

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## **LCI Awards for Individuals**

The following awards are opportunities for all Lions to earn, regardless of title:

## **Chevron Award Program**

This program recognizes Lions for their long-term service, beginning at 10 years, and continuing in 5-year increments. There are two different types of chevrons, varying slightly in appearance. The Charter Monarch Chevron, available to founding club members only, and the Monarch Chevron. Learn more >

#### **Membership Key Awards Program**

This progressive awards program recognizes Lions who sponsor new members that remain active for at least a year. It begins with only two members sponsored, and is something that all Lions can do beginning on their first day of membership. Learn more >

#### **International Extension Awards**

The extension awards are presented to two Lions, who, in the opinion of the serving district governor, provided the greatest assistance in the organization of a new Lions club that remains active and in good standing for at least a year. This is a progressive awards program beginning at just one club, Lions can earn personalized pins for clubs 1-5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50, 75, 100 and 150 clubs. Learn more >

### **Campus Award Pin**

This pin can be presented to up to two Lions who help charter a Campus Lions club, as determined by the district governor. Learn more >

#### **Club Branch Pin**

This prestigious pin is awarded to the first branch liaison when a club branch is formed. Learn more >

## **LCI Awards for Clubs**

The following awards represent some of the ways your club can be recognized for outstanding work in membership development:

#### **New Club Sponsor Club Banner Patch**

Clubs that sponsor a new club receive a banner patch that can proudly be displayed on the club banner. Learn more >

#### **Campus Banner Patch**

Clubs that sponsor a campus club receive a distinctive patch that can be displayed on the club banner. Learn more >

#### **Club Branch Patch**

Clubs that serve as a parent to a club branch receive a patch to be displayed on their banner for recognition of their efforts to develop membership. Learn more >

#### **Membership Satisfaction Award**

Clubs can earn this prestigious patch that can be displayed on their banner so that all who see it, know that there are happy members. The patch is earned by either retaining 90% of your members for a fiscal year, or by reversing membership losses. Earn additional "tabs" for each subsequent year to affix to your banner for increased recognition. Learn more >

## Melvin Jones Fellowship

The Melvin Jones Fellowship (MJF) is the backbone of our foundation. Presented to those who donate US\$1,000 to LCIF or to people for whom a donation was made by others, it's a tremendous contribution to humanity and to the legacy of our founder, Melvin Jones.

# **About the Melvin Jones Fellowship**

Contributions for the MJF can be made by individuals (including non-Lions), clubs or districts.

Donations may be in one sum or in installments. Melvin Jones Fellows receive a special lapel pin, a plaque and a congratulatory letter.



It's possible to make a donation and choose the MJF recipient later. Write "Melvin Jones Fellow to be named later" on the check or bank draft. When an individual's or group's personal donation(s) are accumulated for a club's or district's use to select a Melvin Jones Fellowship recipient, LCIF needs the signed consent. Please include such documentation with the completed MJF application that is sent to LCIF Donor Services.

For further Melvin Jones Fellowship contributions or inquiries, contact Donor Services at 630-203-3836 or DonorAssistance@lionsclubs.org.

## **Progressive Melvin Jones Fellowships**

The Progressive Melvin Jones Fellowship (PMJF) program is a way for donors to extend their commitment to LCIF. There are 54 recognition levels beyond the initial US\$1,000 MJF contribution with a unique pin for each giving level. After contributing US\$100,000, donors become Humanitarian Partners.

To order replacement pins or to make a PMJF donation, contact Donor Services at 630-203-3836 or DonorAssistance@lionsclubs.org. Prices for pin replacements vary by level.



## **SECTION VII**

Membership Dues Billing and Fees
LCI Payment Instructions
Important Websites
Order of Precedence
Head Table Protocols
Club Protocol for District Governor Visits
Annual Elections
The Lions Emblem



## New Membership Dues Billing and Fees -- Effective July 1, 2025, \$50.00

Billing for a new member begins the first of the month in which the member enters a club at the average rate of \$4.17 per month and billed through the end of that semi-annual period. Billing is issued semi-annually thereafter. Below is a schedule of the new member dues throughout the year:

Member accepted by	Billing date	Semi-annual dues billed	New member entrance fee		
club in the	for new	for each new	(not pro-	Total dues &	
month of	members	member	rated)	fees billed	
July	July 1 <sup>st</sup>	\$ 25.00	\$ 35.00	\$ 60.00	
August	August 1 <sup>st</sup>	20.84	35.00	55.84	
September	September 1 <sup>st</sup>	16.68	35.00	51.68	
October	October 1st	12.50	35.00	47.50	
November	November 1st	8.34	35.00	43.34	
December	December 1 <sup>st</sup>	4.17	35.00	39.17	
January	January 1st	25.00	35.00	60.00	
February	February 1st	20.84	35.00	55.84	
March	March 1st	16.68	35.00	51.68	
April	April 1 <sup>st</sup>	12.50	35.00	47.50	
May	May 1 <sup>st</sup>	8.34	35.00	43.34	
June	June 1 <sup>st</sup>	4.17	35.00	39.17	

Billing for a new Family or Student member begins the first of the month in which the member enters a club at the average rate of \$2.09 per month and billed through the end of that semi-annual period. Billing is issued semi-annually thereafter. Below is a schedule of the new member dues throughout the year:

Member accepted by club in the month of	Billing date for new members	Semi- annual dues billed for qualifying family member	New member entrance fee (not pro-rated)	Total qualifying family member dues & fees billed	Student member pro- rated dues with entrance fee waived.	
July	July 1 <sup>st</sup>	\$ 12.50	\$ 35.00	\$ 47.50	\$ 12.50	
August	August 1st	10.42	35.00	45.42	10.42	
September	September 1st	8.34	35.00	43.34	8.34	
October	October 1 <sup>st</sup>	6.25	35.00	41.25	6.25	
November	November 1st	4.17	35.00	39.17	4.17	
December	December 1st	2.09	35.00	37.09	2.09	
January	January 1st	12.50	35.00	47.50	12.50	
February	February 1st	10.42	35.00	45.42	10.42	
March	March 1 <sup>st</sup>	8.34	35.00	43.34	8.34	
April	April 1 <sup>st</sup>	6.25	35.00	41.25	6.25	
May	May 1 <sup>st</sup>	4.17	35.00	39.17	4.17	
June	June 1 <sup>st</sup>	2.09	35.00	37.09	2.09	

NOTE: INTERNATIONAL DUES DO NOT INCLUDE DISTRICT OR MULTIPLE DISTRICT DUES.



# LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS FOR UNITED STATES CLUBS

#### I. Online Payment Options

Club Treasurers can visit the Lion Portal on the Lions International website. After logging onto the Lion Portal, choose My Club, Club Statements and select either 'Pay with PayPal' or 'Pay Now.'

#### II. CHECK PAYMENTS, VIA MAIL:

You may pay the balance of your account with a US dollar draft drawn on a United States bank or branch. Please mail your check directly to the Association's Lockbox:

THE INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF LIONS CLUBS 35842 EAGLE WAY CHICAGO, IL 60678-1358

Please allow a sufficient amount of time for the check to be received and processed to your account. Please include the top portion of your statement with your check or write the complete club name and club number on the front of your check. If we cannot identify a payment, there will be a delay in posting the payment to the correct account.

NOTE: Please do not mail your checks to Oak Brook.

III. Please contact the Accounts Receivable & Club Account Services Department with any questions.

E-mail: accountsreceivable@lionsclubs.org

Phone: 1-630-203-3810 Fax: 1-630-571-1683 Web: www.lionsclubs.org

IV. Correspondence only should be sent to the address below:

Lions Club International 300 W. 22<sup>nd</sup> Street Oak Brook, IL 60523

\*\*Please note: Donations by check intended for Lions Clubs International Foundation should be mailed to: Lions Clubs International Foundation, Department 4547, Carol Stream, IL 60122-4547 USA

For LCIF donation options please visit <u>lionsclubs.org/waystogive</u> or make an online donation at <u>lionsclubs.org/donate</u>

## **IMPORTANT WEBSITES**

There are unlimited resources available on the various Lions websites. Club, District, and MD Officers as well as club members, are encouraged to use the website to enhance, and strengthen their knowledge of Lionism. The understanding of Lions, operating policies, requirements and gain insight into the various Lions initiatives, and complete online training program that can be found under MYLCI.

The addresses of the various websites are as follows:

District 35-N: www.district35n.com

lionsdistrict35n.org

MD 35: www.lionsmd35.com

Lions Clubs International: www.lionsclubs.org

www.lionsclubs.org/en/learn

www.lionsclubs.org/en/discover-our-clubs/about-leos www.lionsclubs.org/en/start-our-approach/granttypes

USA/Canada Forum: www.lionsforum.org

## **Lions Learning Websites**

## **USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum**

The Mission of the USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum is to develop leaders, motivate and educate attendees, provide an open exchange of ideas, and support programs and goals of Lions Clubs International.

Visit their website: <a href="https://lionsforum.org/">https://lionsforum.org/</a>

## **Lions University**

Empowering Community Service Leaders. As a Lions Club leader, you understand that building strong communities through volunteer service is our objective. The Lions University program is about making sure that you have the skills and resources to meet this objective. Through three educational program levels, Lions Leaders will enhance their knowledge and skills to better serve their community. Bachelor's Program: This program allows Lions to develop the skills necessary to lead a vital Lions Club. Master's Program: This program focuses on giving support to clubs through district leaders. Doctorate Program: This program focuses on skills needed to be a training facilitator for adult volunteers.

Questions or send a message to LionsUniv@gmail.com or call (865) 888-6369. <a href="https://lionsuniversity.org/">https://lionsuniversity.org/</a>

## **Order of Precedence**

## Lions shall be recognized in the following order:

- 1. International President
- 2. Immediate Past International President
- 3. International Vice Presidents according to rank.
- 4. International Directors
- 5. Past International President
- 6. Past International Directors
- 7. Chairperson, Council of Governors
- 8. District Governors
- 9. Association Executive Director
- 10. Association Secretary
- 11. Association Treasurer
- 12. Immediate Past Council Chairperson
- 13. Past Council Chairperson
- 14. First Vice District Governor
- Second Vice District Governor
- 16. Past District Governors
- 17. Past Vice District Governors
- 18. Multiple District Secretaries (Volunteer)
- 19. Multiple District Treasurers (Volunteer)
- 20. District Secretaries
- 21. District Treasurers
- 22. Region Chairperson
- 23. Zone Chairperson
- 24. District Chairperson
- 25. Club Presidents
- 26. Immediate Past Club Presidents
- 27. Club Secretaries
- 28. Club Treasurers
- 29. Past Club Presidents
- 30. Multiple District Secretaries (staff)
- 31. Multiple District Treasurers (staff)

## HEAD TABLE and PROTOCOL

### <u>Audience</u>

Club	Club	Club	Club	Club	Podium	Dist.	DG	Reg	Zone	Other
Sec	3VP	2VP	1VP	Pres.		Gov.	PIS	Chair	Chair	Cabinet

Lions Flag USA Flag

## CLUB PROTOCOL FOR A DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S VISIT

- No other program or club business should be planned. The Governor is your speaker.
- Address the Governor by title.
- The President should greet the District Governor. (If the Governor arrives by air, the President should drive the Governor).
- The Senior Cabinet member present should introduce the Governor.
   However, the President should introduce the Cabinet member.
- Arrange time before the meeting for the Governor to meet each club member.
- Lions International requires the Governor to meet with the Board of Directors, usually arranged for after the meeting.
- Invite you Region and Zone Chairs, spouses are welcome.
- As a courtesy to the office, members should stand and applaud when the Governor is first introduced.
- Notify the Governor if you have new members that you want inducted or awards you want presented.
- If the meeting is a spouses night, notify the Governor.
- Have local media coverage if possible.
- Seat the District Governor at the head table.
- Spouses always sit on the guest's right, but no lady should be seated at the end of the table or left of the podium unless an Officer is a woman.

## INTRODUCTIONS

Individual recognition of all Lions dignitaries should be made only once, and that should be done by the presider of the occasion. Other speakers addressing the audience should recognize the Head Table as follows:

## "District Governor, other Lion Dignitaries, Ladies and guests."

Repetitious recognition of each Lion dignitary by each speaker has long been considered needless and boring.

# **Annual Elections**

- **Nominating committee:** The president shall appoint a nominating committee which shall submit the names of candidates for the various club officers to the club at the nomination meeting. (At this meeting, nominations for all offices to be filled in the succeeding year may also be made from the floor.)
- **Nomination Meeting:** Shall be held in **March** of each year or as determined by the board of directors.
- **Election:** An election shall be held in **April** or as determined by the board of directors. Notice of the election shall be published to each member of the club at least fourteen (14) calendar days prior to the date of election. (No nominations accepted at this time).
- All officers and members of the board, other than directors, shall be elected annually and shall take office on **July 1st**.
- The Secretary shall promptly report the newly elected officers to the International Office within 15 days of the election. No later than June 30.
- For more information on Elections and Requirements of Officers check your Club Constitution and By-laws. If your club does not have a Club Constitution and By-Laws check out the <u>Standard</u> <u>Form Lions Club Constitution and By-Laws</u> on lionsclubs.org and adopt them as a club so you have guidelines to follow.
- Required Officers: President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer
- Optional Officers: 2nd Vice President, Assistant Secretary, Assistant, Treasurer, Membership Chairperson, Service Chairperson, Marketing Chairperson, Program Coordinator, Club LCIF Coordinator, Lion Tamer, Tail Twister





fellowmen.

Designed By : MAURICE BLINK

Approved BY: International Board on 31st Dec 1921

Motto : We Serve

Slogan : Liberty Intelligence Our Nation's Safety

Flag : The Flag of Lionism in Golden Yellow with Purple border and a size emblem in the

> Center. Lionism Means Opporutunity for fellowship and Service.

Lets us do humanitarian Service while

Enjoying fellowship

On 17th July 1917 at the Invitation of Melvin Jones, delegates met in Chicago, The only point of contention was the selection of a name the New Organization.

Melvin Jones researched the idea of calling the New Organization Lions. He was convinced that lion stood for strength, courage, fidelity and vital action. On a secret ballot the name LIONS was chosen over several others.

#### The Lions Emblem

At the 1919 convention, there was a move to change the symbol, but a young attorney from Denver, Colorado rose to speak. His names was Halsted Ritter. "The name Lions stands not only for fraternity, good fellowship, strength of character and purpose, but above all, its combination of L-I-ON-S heralds to the country the true meaning of citizenship: LIBERTY, INTERLLEGENCE, OUR NATION'S SAFETY





# CONGRATULATIONS

Elizabeth Fisher

# DISTRICT GOVERNOR

District 35-N 2025-2026

The Board of Directors

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We wish you the best Lionistic year. You count always count on our support.

