

SD LIONS 5SE NEWSLETTER

FROM DISTRICT GOVERNOR - LARRY BUNROCK

FEBRUARY 2017

It is hard to believe that I am over half through with my year as District Governor. I have visited 42 of the 49 clubs in our SE District. I hope to have the rest of the clubs visited soon. I have thoroughly enjoyed visiting each club.

I want to thank the Fort Pierre and Pierre Lions Clubs for hosting a successful State Convention. Co-chairman Geraldine Ray and Gary Watzel deserve a special thank you for their many hours planning and coordinating all the activities and the rest of the Club members for all working together.

Governor Dennis Daugaard was the Saturday morning opening speaker. There were many other interesting and informative programs throughout the convention.

Three elections were held at the Convention. Lion John Emmett from the Aberdeen Lions Club was elected as your new 2 Vice District Governor Elect. Congratulations and thank you John. Lion John Ruffolo from the Brookings Lions Club was elected to the Dakota Lions Sight and Health Board of Directors. We want to thank Lions Dennis VanAsch and Sunshine Cady for their years of service on the Board. Lions Tom Beadnell and Ron Seeley were reelected back on the Board of the South Dakota Foundation.

Over \$30,000 was collected on the Parade of Green. Thank you to each club for your generous donations.

We want to congratulate Lion Louise Schley of the Sioux Falls Siouxland Lions Club for being inducted into the Past District Governor's South Dakota

Lions Hall of Fame. Lion Linda Voellmer from the Newell Lions Club was also inducted into the Hall of Fame as a non Past District Governor. I want to keep encouraging each and every member to still "Ask 1" so we can gain new members and give more people the chance to become Lions.

As I check our numbers as of January 2017, I find we have gained 60 new members but we have dropped 112, so we have a net loss of 52 members in our District. So, please, keep asking. I would love to have a positive net by July 1st. With everyone's help, I'm sure we can do that.

I also want to keep encouraging you to report your activities that your club does to LCI. That is the only way we can let LCI know what we are doing in South Dakota and also to record how many people we have served in our communities. The records show we have spent 11,666 hours in service so far this year. Thank you for those hours you have spent serving your communities.

The Melvin Jones Centennial Silver Dollar coin is now available to purchase at the United States Mint. You may order one at - catalog.usmint.gov. I have received mine and it is very nice. They are approximately \$50 with \$10 of that price going to LCI.

Upcoming dates:

- February 13 - Zone 1 meeting - Aberdeen
- February 15 - Lions at the Capitol - Pierre
- February 16 - Eden Lions Visitation - Eden



- March 31 - April 1 - MD5 Council of Governors - Minot, ND
- April 1 - Special MD5 Election of International Director - Minot, ND
- May 17-20 - MD5 Convention - Deadwood - The Lodge
- June 3 - Final 5SE Cabinet meeting - Mitchell
- September 29-30 - 5SE Cabinet and Fall Forum meeting - Vermillion

WE SERVE
DG Larry Buntrock



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CONVENTION SCHEDULE:

Fall Forum

- Oct 1, 2016 Brandon, SD

Fall Rally

- Sept 23-24. 2016 Murdo, SD

State Convention

- Jan 27-28, 2017 AmericInn, Pierre, SD

MD5 Conventions

- May 17-20, 2017 Deadwood, SD
- May 17-19, 2018 Mandan, ND

USA Canada Forums

- Sept 15-17, 2016 Omaha, NE
- Sept 21-23, 2017 Portland, OR
- Sept 20-22, 2018 Columbus, OH

Great Plains Lions Leadership Institute

- July 22-24, 2016 Mount Marty, Yankton, SD

International Conventions:

- 2017 Chicago, IL June 30-July 4
- 2018 Las Vegas, NV June 29 - July 3
- 2019 Milan, Italy July 5-9
- 2020 Singapore June 29-30

MISC DATES

2016-17 5SE CABINET MEETINGS:

- August 6, 2016 Watertown, SD 1pm
- Sept 30, 2016 Brandon, SD, Pizza Ranch 6:00pm
- Jan 27, 2017 Pierre, SD, AmericInn 2pm
- June 3, 2017 Time & Location TBD

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2016-17 District 5SE Cabinet, Committee Chairs & Zone Chairs*

Position	Name
District Governor	Larry Buntrock
1st Vice District Governor	Neil Bowes
2nd Vice District Governor	Marie Anne Ben
Cabinet Secretary	Sharon Paranto
Cabinet Treasurer	PDG Ray Schley
Immediate Past District Governor	IPDG Jerry Voss
Honorary Chairperson	PDG Delmer Hofer
Administrative Assistant	PDG Joan Marlette
LCIF Chairperson	PDG Roger Braaten
Constitution & Bylaws (1)	Robert Bell
Constitution & Bylaws (2)	Lance Howard
GLT/GMT Chairperson	1st VDG Neil Bowes
District Leadership Chair	PCC Tom Grimmond
District Leadership Team (1)	PCC Don Kainz
District Leadership Team (2)	PDG Ray Schley
District Membership Chair	Steve Kaiser
District Membership Team (1)	Carol Becker
District Membership Team (2)	Marie Anne Ben
District Membership Team (Advisor)	PDG Janell Beck
Audit & Finance (1)	Richard Stonefield
Audit & Finance (2)	Graham Smith
Audit & Finance (3)	Jody Bymers
Nominating Committee (1)	PDG Roger Braaten
Nominating Committee (2)	Ronald Seeley
Nominating Committee (3)	Tom Beadnell
Long Range Planning (2017)	PDG Janell Beck
Long Range Planning (2018)	PDG Harry Engberg
Long Range Planning (2019)	PDG Dennis Van Asch
Long Range Planning (2020)	IPDG Jerry Voss
Diabetes Awareness	Robyn Tyler
Alert Chair	Tom Marquardt
Leader Dog Chair	Lori Buntrock
Sight & Hearing Preservation	Marje Kaiser
Environmental	Duane Clay
Cultural & Community Activities	PDG Roger Braaten
Peace Poster Contest	Leanne Gutormson
Youth Opportunities/Activities Chair	Matthew Ohs
Youth Exchange and Youth Camp (1)	Jody Bymers
Youth Exchange and Youth Camp (2)	Jane Mikels
Leo Chairperson	Sunshine Cady
District 5SE Fall Forum	Brenda Feltman
USA/Canada Leadership Forum	1st VDG Neil Bowes
Centennial Chairperson	Shannon Grimmond
Pin Chair	Donna Weiland
District 5SE Information & Technology	Meredith Clark
District 5SE Newsletter Editor	Sunshine Cady
Zone 1 Chair	John Emmett
Zone 2 Chair	Carl VanVoorst
Zone 3 Chair	Daniel L. Henson
Zone 4 Chair	Tom Earley
Zone 5 Chair	Kay Thomas
Zone 6 Chair	Dennis Johnson
Zone 7 Chair	Al Timmermans
Zone 8 Chair	LeeAnn Haisch

*Contact information available in Directory

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SIOUX EMPIRE ANNUAL FUND RAISER

The Sioux Falls Sioux Empire Lions Club will be holding its 16th Annual Spaghetti Dinner and LIVE Auction at the Active Generations (2300 W. 46th Street) on Saturday March 11, 2017 from 4:30 PM – 7:00 PM.

This annual dining EXTRAVAGANZA event helps the Sioux Empire Lions Club raise funds to support many organizations locally, including The Banquet, Bishop Dudley House, Meals on Wheels and at-risk-youth programs at Axtell Park and Joe Foss Schools. Additionally, we also support many Lions programs including Dakota Lions Sight and Health, SD Lions Foundation, SD School for the Blind, Leader Dog for the Blind and Lions Clubs International Foundation Disaster Relief Program.

The Spaghetti Dinner will be a complete meal with salad, beverages and a live auction. Come hungry and bring your family, friends and neighbors for an exciting night of great food and fun.

Tickets can be purchased from Sioux Empire Lions Club members at their weekly Wednesday noon meetings at the Center for Active Generations or at the door the day of the event. Cost of a ticket is \$5.00 per Adult. Children 5 years or under are FREE. Questions can be answered by calling Lion Shiloh Oorlog at 605-941-9907

Contact: Lion Shiloh Oorlog
 President, Sioux Falls Sioux Empire Lions Club
 Phone number: 605-941-9907

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LENNOX

The Lennox Lions assisted in serving at the annual Spec N Decken fund raiser for the Lennox Senior Center on January 5 2017. The pancakes are a low German traditional dish also known as "**NEW YEARS CAKES**".

A special batter is used that includes a wheat/rye flour with anise flavoring added. Sausage is fried and placed in the center of the pancake before frying the whole pancake.

The event normally takes place the first Thursday of January. They are served with jello traditionally but applesauce is now used.

Lions pictured are Dana Haan, Terry Bornitz, guest, and Larry DeVries.

Sioux Falls Sioux Empire Lions Club 16th Annual Spaghetti Dinner March 11, 2017



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MD5 STATE CONVENTION - SNAPSHOT



South Dakota Governor Dennis Daugaard was the guest speaker at our opening meeting Saturday morning.



1VDG Neil Bowes led one of the break-out sessions with a very interesting program on the WNAX radio station. He also shared interesting information on natural nutrition for eyes.



Winners of the Lip Sync Contest held on Friday night
Lions Ken and Donna Wetz and Neil and Linda Vollmer
from the Newell Lions Club.



Lion Linda Vollmer winner of the non Past District Governor award



Past District Governor President Joan Marlette presenting Past District Governor Louise Schley with her Hall of Fame award.

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2ND VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR

2nd Vice District Governor John Emmett was born and raised in SE Wyoming graduating from Laramie Senior High School and the University of Wyoming with both a BS and MS degrees. He moved to Aberdeen in 1987 after teaching in West Central Wyoming for 10 years.

Upon arriving in Aberdeen, he became the Director and Business Manager for the Hub Area Multi District Technical School. He retired in 2010 after more than 33 years in the education field.

John has been very active in Lions since joining the Lander, WY Lions in 1981. Since that time, he has been "through the chairs" in his local club twice, has been secretary for over 15 years, has been Zone Chairman several times, Region Chairman twice, and Cabinet Secretary.

Lion Emmett has been voted the Lion of the Year six times by his fellow members. He is a Melvin Jones Fellow and has received the Howard Hanson Memorial Award from the SD Lions Foundation.

John has been a high school and college football official for the past 40 years following a four year playing career at the University of Wyoming. He has refereed eight state championship games and three NCAA national playoff games. John is also an avid ham radio operator. John and his wife Cathy celebrated their 40th anniversary in June of 2017. They have three adult children and five grandchildren.



SIOUX FALLS DOWNTOWN

Plans are well underway for the 2017 Pancake Days Fund raiser. In just 18 hours:

- Approximately 220 tables are setup to serve 10,000 people!
- Approximately 40,000 smokies are served!
- Approximately 60,000 pancakes are served!
- Countless cups of coffee and delicious bowls of Land-O-Lakes ice cream are served!

All Proceeds Benefit these Local Sight & Service Initiatives:

- Lions Vision Clinic - Falls Community Health
- Sioux Falls Public Schools - Diagnostic Vision Equipment
- Feeding South Dakota
- Kids Against Hunger

And these Sioux Falls Youth Programs:

- Serve & Learn Student Association
- McCrossan Boys Ranch
- Lions International Youth Exchange

The Sioux Falls Downtown Lions
2017 PANCAKE DAYS - April 18 & 19
Sioux Falls Convention Center



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

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SOUTH DAKOTA LIONS HALL OF FAME AWARD RECIPIENTS



PDG Louise Schley joined the Brookings Lions club in 2001, the Sioux Falls Empire Lions Club in 2002 and the Sioux Falls Sioux Land Lions Club in 2005. Louise served as a 100% Club Secretary; Vice President; and President of the Sioux Land Lions; Membership chairperson from 2013 to present; First 2nd Vice District Governor; 1st VDG Governor; and District Governor. Louise has sponsored 9 new members.

Louise served 15 years on the District 5 SE cabinet; District Secretary for 4 years – 3 years receiving a 100% Secretary award. She trained District and Club Secretaries for 4 years. She served on the SD Lions Foundation board; served on several MD 5 committees; as Director for the PDG Association and as Fall Forum Co-chairperson.

Louise participated in many Lions International, District, and State and Multiple-district conventions. She also attended USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forums; 22 Fall Forums/Rally's; 17 SD Lions Conventions; 17 MD 5 Conventions; 9 USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forums; and 3 International Lions Conventions. PDG Louise is a graduate of the Great Plains Leadership Institute in 2004.

Louise received these certificates: Proud Lions Award; Certified Guiding Lion; SDLF Helen Keller Endowment Award; 5 Lions Clubs International Appreciation Awards;

the Henry Baker Fellowship and a Melvin Jones Fellowship.

Louise is now retired and enjoys spending time with her husband PDG Ray, three sons Jeff, Dennis and Paul and their wives. She has 4 grandsons and 3 granddaughters.



Lion Linda Vollmer joined the Newell Lions Club in 2000. Linda attended many Lions conventions; 17 Fall Rally's; 16 State Conventions; 12 MD 5 Conventions; and 3 Lions International Conventions.

Linda served on the Newell Lions Club Board as Secretary; Vice President; and President twice. She served on many club committees. Linda is a Guiding Lion and has sponsored 13 new members. Linda is Melvin Jones Fellow.

Linda is a member of the Trinity Lutheran Church in Sturgis. She taught Sunday school for several years; is a member of the Ladies Aide Group; Extension Home-makers; and the Newell Library Board for 20 years; serving her community for over 45 years. Linda worked with her husband PDG Neil, in the insurance business for nearly 40 years.

Lion Linda and PDG Neil have been married 52 years. They have 3 children, Barry, Denelle and adopted daughter Danielle and their spouses. They have 6 grandchildren.

MD5 CHALLENGE !!!

To All Districts and Lions Clubs!!

Fill the TREASURE CHESTS with Items to raise funds for the
2017 MD5 YOUTH CAMP

To be drawn at the 2017 MD5 Convention. (Need not be present to win!!!)

Get list of Items to your District Governor or MD5 Representative by
March 15th, 2017

Looking for ideas? Here are a few:

Made in Saskatchewan, North Dakota, and South Dakota Products

- Once-In-A-Lifetime Experiences
- Fishing Items
- Vacation Trip Packages
- Golf Items
- Creative Artwork

- Music Memorabilia
- Craft Items
- Sports Memorabilia
- Fun Outings in Your Area
- Hot Air Balloon Rides

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DIABETES AWARENESS: HEART DISEASE

People living with diabetes strive to control their blood glucose levels daily with the hope to feel more energy, positive emotions and to prevent long term complications that years of high blood glucose can cause in the body. This month's focus will be on cardiovascular disease which includes heart attacks stroke and decreased circulation to the legs, feet and kidneys. Cardiovascular disease is the most common cause of death in the person living with diabetes and thus very important to prevent.

The following conditions increase people living with diabetes risk of cardiovascular disease. High blood pressure, high cholesterol and triglycerides, lack of physical activity, sitting for long periods of time, smoking, obesity and poorly controlled diabetes. These conditions cause increased plaque to build up in arteries resulting in narrowing of the vessel and increased risk for clotting and/or lack of blood flow to the brain, heart tissue, legs and feet, or kidneys. This lack of blood flow can produce heart attack, stroke, increase risk of amputation or kidney failure.

Individuals with insulin resistance or diabetes in combination with one or more of these risk factors are at even greater risk of heart disease or stroke. However, by managing their risk factors, patients with diabetes may avoid or delay the development of heart and blood vessel disease

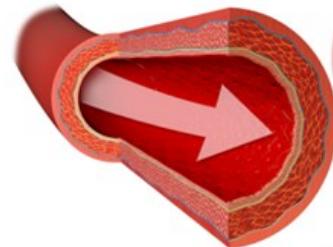
People living with diabetes should be aware that often the normal symptoms of heart attack and stroke are absent. Many times increasing shortness of breath that comes on gradually and gets increasingly worse in a few weeks is an early symptom of heart disease for a person with diabetes. Stroke symptoms often include numbness and tingling to one side of the body, awakening with a "crooked face"(asymmetrical smile or one eye closed and one eye open), difficulty finding words or slurred speech. Cramps in legs while walking that improve at rest, are a sign of decreased circulation to your legs and feet. Also,

sores that don't heal quickly and /or loss of hair on the legs may be another sign of decreased circulation. High blood pressure can sometimes be caused by a blockage in the renal (kidney) arteries. If you have diabetes and are experiencing any of the symptoms listed above, you should mention them to your doctor. If you experience sudden onset chest pain or discomfort, jaw pain that is accompanied by nausea, shortness of breath and sweating, sudden headache with nosebleed, sudden onset of weakness or tingling on one side of the body only, difficulty forming words or slurred speech, you should seek medical attention immediately.

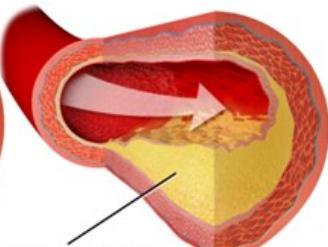
People who have had diabetes for over 10 years should talk to their health care provider about the need for preventative or screening cardiovascular testing procedures. These procedures include cardiac stress tests, doppler studies or ultrasounds to check circulation along with some others. Insurance policies do not always cover expensive testing as a screening tool unless symptoms are present; but intense cardiovascular screening is often done in the community at churches, wellness centers or by heart hospitals for a reasonable price.

People with diabetes should discuss their risk factors for cardiovascular disease with their health care team at every visit.

Normal Artery



Narrowing of Artery



Lipid deposit of plaque

Coronary Artery Disease

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2017-18 PEACE POSTER CONTEST

"The Future of Peace" is the theme of the 2017-18 Peace Poster Contest. This is the 30th anniversary of the Peace Poster Contest. Lions clubs can sponsor the program in their community for children in local schools or organized, sponsored youth groups. Students, ages 11, 12 or 13 on November 15, are eligible to participate. Through the contest, students are encouraged to visually depict their interpretation of the contest's theme.

Lions clubs may purchase a contest kit through the Club Supplies Sales Department. A kit must be purchased for each contest sponsored. The contest must be sponsored by a Lions club.

Artwork must be no smaller than 13 inches by 20 inches (33 centimeters by 50 centimeters) and no larger than 20 inches by 24 inches (50 centimeters by 60 centimeters). Do not mat or frame artwork. Only one entry per student, and each entry must be the work of only one student. All artwork must be the individual student's original creation. Duplications are not accepted.

All media are accepted. Note: Chalk, charcoal and pastel entries should be sealed with a fixative spray to prevent smearing. Do not laminate entries.

Three-dimensional entries will not be accepted. Nothing may be glued, stapled or attached to the artwork in any way. The use of lettering or numbering on the front of the poster, in any language, is not allowed. All artist signatures or initials should be written on the back of the poster. Artwork should be done on a flexible material, so it can be rolled for shipping in a mailing tube. Do not fold poster.

Participants accept all responsibility for late, lost, misdirected or illegible entries. Lions Clubs International is not responsible for entries damaged, destroyed or lost during the judging process. Entries cannot be acknowledged or returned; they become property of Lions Clubs International upon receipt. Peace Poster Contest images cannot be used without written permission from Lions Clubs International.

In consideration for the opportunity to enter the Peace Poster Contest, participants agree to allow Lions Clubs International to use their names and photographs for promotional and publicity purposes. In addition, the international grand prize winner, two family members (one being a parent or legal guardian) and the sponsoring club president or a club member (as designated by the sponsoring club president) are required to attend the special award ceremony. An international grand-prize winner is not eligible to receive subsequent prizes in future Peace Poster contests sponsored by Lions Clubs International. By entering, participants agree to be bound by these rules and the decisions of the judges and Lions Clubs International.



Judging

Each poster is judged on originality, artistic merit and expression of the theme.

Posters advance through several judging levels: local, district, multiple district and international. At the international level, judges from the art, peace, youth, education and media communities select one grand prize winner and 23 merit award winners.

Awards

One international grand prize winner will receive a trip to a special award ceremony. There the winning artist will be presented with an engraved plaque and a cash prize of US \$5,000.

Each of the 23 merit award winners will receive a cash award of US \$500 and a certificate of achievement.

Deadlines

Please note that the following dates are from those in the Peace Poster information from Lions Clubs International. MD 5 Council may set a different date other than Dec 1- depending on when Council of Governors meeting is scheduled. Entries not meeting deadlines will be disqualified.

January 15, 2017	Kits go on sale from the Club Supplies Sales Department at International Headquarters.
October 1, 2017	Deadline to purchase kits from the Club Supplies Sales Department at International Headquarters.
November 15, 2017	Postmark deadline for a club to send one winning poster (per contest sponsored) to the district governor.
December 1, 2017	Deadline for a governor to bring one winning district poster to the multiple district council of governors meeting and give to the MD 5 LOFY Chairperson.
December 15, 2017	Postmark deadline for the MD 5 LOFY Chairperson to send one winning entry to the Public Relations Department at International Headquarters.
February 1, 2018	International winners will be notified on or before this date.

If there are any questions, please feel free to contact MD 5 LOFY Chairperson, PDG Tim Thueson.

Multiple District 5



MD 5 GMT/GLT Positions

- The Multiple District Global Membership Team Coordinator and the Global Leadership Team Coordinator positions are open and will need to be filled this year.
- These are three year positions running from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2020.
- For responsibilities and qualifications, interested Lions should go to the lionsclubs.org website and click on GLT-MD application or GMT-MD application.
- Application packets are available beginning in January 2017.
- The deadline for applications is March 15, 2017

For more information, contact District Governor Mark Koller

701-290-0511

Email: cdgteammkoller@icloud.com or

District Governor Luis Coca, 701-881-0126

Email: luisc@min.midco.net

Press Release: MD5 Endorsement for International Director Candidate

The Council of Governors of MD5 has set **April 1, 2017** as the date for a special convention to endorse a candidate from Multiple District 5 to run for the position of International Director of Lions Clubs International. This notice serves as the official call for clubs to participate (Section VI, Section 2 of Standard Form District By-Laws). This special convention will begin at 2:00 pm and coincide with the **MD5 Council of Governors meeting** to be held at the **Grand Hotel in Minot, North Dakota**. There is no registration cost associated with the convention.

This special convention has been set to allow additional time for an international director candidate from MD5 to coordinate fundraising, planning and promotion prior to the International Convention scheduled June 30-July 4, 2017 in Chicago, Illinois.

All clubs in good standing may send voting delegates based upon official membership figures provided by LCI. The certification process follows established practices set by LCI: Each chartered Lions club in good standing in the association shall be entitled to one (1) delegate and one (1) alternate for each ten members or portion thereof. The number of members is based upon the number of club members as of February 28, 2016 (one year and one day prior to the convention). Names of certified voting delegates must be submitted to DG Terry Peterson, MD5 Chair of the Credentials Committee at TLP51649@aol.com and verified by mail or in person by 11AM on Saturday April 1, 2017. To be assured of good status, clubs are encouraged to pay outstanding charges and submit reports fifteen (15) days prior to April 1, 2017.

Rooms have been reserved at the Grand Hotel in Minot for this event and will be held until March 1, 2017. For more information contact Council Secretary Ken Peters at secretary.md5@sasktel.net for rates. A social hour (cash bar) and evening meal at cost of \$20 for each plate will be available for all special convention delegates and guests.

Registration Form for Special Convention

Lion's Name _____ District _____

Club _____ Number of Club Members as of February 28, 2016: _____ Address _____

Email: _____ Telephone: _____

Number of Dinner meal requested at \$20 a plate _____

Editor recommends you follow this link to an online printable registration form >>

► <http://5selions.org/md5/MD%205%20convention17.pdf>



"WHERE THERE'S A NEED—THERE'S A LION"

CELEBRATING 100 YEARS OF LIONISM

MULTIPLE DISTRICT 5 CONVENTION

MAY 17-20, 2017

THE LODGE AT DEADWOOD, 100 PINE CREST LANE, DEADWOOD, SD

MD 5 2017 Registration Form

1. Name _____

____ Lion ____ Lioness ____ Leo ____ Guest

2. Name _____

____ Lion ____ Lioness ____ Leo ____ Guest

Address _____

City _____

Prov/State _____ PC/Zip _____

Res. Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Email _____

District _____

Club 1. _____

Club 2. _____

Do you have any special needs-physical or food? (yes or no)

1. _____ 2. _____

Make check payable to: 2017 MD5 Convention

Mail registration form and check to:

PDG Ken Gifford, 2017 MD5 Convention

4726 Steamboat Circle

Rapid City, South Dakota 57702

Registration Fees (in American dollars)

Before March 1, 2017 _____ \$135.00
____ @ \$135.00 = _____

Before May 1, 2017 _____ \$145.00
____ @ \$145.00 = _____

At Convention (walk in) _____ \$160.00
____ @ \$160.00 = _____

Campus Club Member _____ \$100.00
____ @ \$100.00 = _____

A La Carte Meals

Thursday evening ice breaker _____ @ \$20.00 _____

Friday AM Breakfast _____ @ \$10.00 _____

Sr. Counselor Lunch _____ @ \$18.00 _____

Saturday A.M. Breakfast _____ @ \$16.00 _____

Red Jacket Dinner _____ @ \$22.00 _____

Governor's Banquet _____ @ \$30.00 _____

Special Events

Wednesday PM Golf-4 person scramble, includes golf, cart & lunch @ \$50 per person @ _____

Wednesday Deadwood Historical Tour @ \$10 _____

Thursday Spouse City Tour and Dessert

@ \$15 _____

Total Amount \$ _____

Refund Policy: Full refunds for convention registration may be made up to 7 days prior to the start of the convention. Refunds limited to 50% may be requested from 7 days prior to the convention up to but not later than 7 days after the convention. Contact PDG Ken Gifford, Treasurer, 4726 Steamboat Circle, Rapid City, SD 57702 until May 27, 2017. Questions may be directed to PDG Ken Gifford at 605-342-5799.

Hotel Accommodations: Convention Location—The Lodge at Deadwood, 100 Pine Crest Lane, Deadwood, South Dakota 57732. Reservation Phone: 605-584-4800. The room block is guaranteed until April 28, 2017 at \$109.00 per night, plus taxes. Ask for Lions' Convention room rate. Check in time is 3:00 pm

RV Trailer Court: RV spots are available at the Elkhorn Ridge RV Park. This is about 5 minutes away from the convention center. Daily rates are \$50 including full hookups. Make reservations by calling 605-722-1800.



MD 5 Lions Speak Off Contest Rules 2017

1. Students in grades 9-12 may participate in the speak-off contest including home school students.
2. Speeches shall be 4-6 minutes in length.
3. Topics will be limited to the following areas: Hunger, Environment, Vision, Youth or Public Service. Speeches must be original, not copied from some other source.
4. Notes may be used for the speech contest, but speakers will not be allowed to read from a manuscript.
5. Speakers should prepare speeches prior to the contest. The speeches may be memorized if the speaker wishes to do so.
6. Appropriate clothing should be worn for the contest.
7. District winners will provide a live recording speech for the Multiple District contest.
8. Each District Governor will be responsible for coordinating their District speak-off contest within their district. The Governor will also be responsible for obtaining a recording of the winning speech to be forwarded to Lion Gale Hyde for the MD 5 Speak-off Contest.

Other information:

Local lions club or Zones can sponsor a contest. Several clubs can get together and sponsor a contest. Let your schools know about the contest. For further information for judging ballot, please contact PDG Tim Thueson at tthueson@bis.midco.net.

The winner of the local contest will then advance to the District competition. In the event that no local club or Zone contest are held; the District Governor can hold a district wide contest. Please check with your District Governor for dates of the District competition.

Winners from the District contest will send a video presentation of the winning speech to:

Lion Gale Hyde at hydesoffargo@gmail.com before May 1, 2017. She will inform PDG Tim Thueson who the winners are from the MD 5 competition before May 14.

Winners of the MD 5 competition will be announced at the MD 5 Convention in Deadwood May 17-20, 2017. MD 5 Prizes are: 1st place- \$500.00, 2nd place- \$400.00, 3rd place- \$300.00, 4th – 6th place- \$100.00 each.

Timeline:

Contest at local or Zone can be done anytime with 1 winning name or video presentation sent to your District Governor. Call your District Governor to see when your district contest will be held.

Please note that the District Governor can also host a live contest for the District "Speak-off Contest".

District competition must be complete before **May 1, 2017** so Governor can send winning speaker video link to Lion Hyde to be judged and winners announced before May 17, 2017.

GREAT PLAINS LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

WHAT	GPLLI is an intensive, professional and valuable leadership skills program for Lions who have not served as District Governor. You will learn skills for club, job, community and church, as well as personal development.
WHEN	July 21-23, 2017. Registration is from 9:00 a.m. to noon, Friday, July 21. Adjournment and checkout is by 3:00 p.m. Sunday, July 23, 2017. Lunch on Friday, July 21 is at 12:00 noon.
WHERE	Northwest Missouri State University, Maryville Missouri
COST	US\$175 per attendee if received by the Registrar on or before May 1, 2017. Cost increases to US\$200 beginning May 2, 2017. Registration covers double occupancy room, seven meals, and all course materials. Single occupancy rooms, if available, require an additional US\$40. Any remaining costs will be covered by funding from Lions Clubs International and contributions from participating multiple districts.
WHO	Any Lion, Lioness or Leo who has attained majority and who has not yet served as a District Governor as of the dates of the institute is eligible. No previous attendees are eligible without prior approval of the Institute Coordinator, PID David Stoufer.

This institute is being sponsored by Multiple Districts 5 (Saskatchewan, North Dakota and South Dakota), 9 (Iowa), 17 (Kansas), 26 (Missouri) and 38 (Nebraska).

Dynamic presenters from across the Great Plains will provide emerging Lion leaders with modules on communication skills, team building, delegation, time management, conflict management, project management, diversity, motivation, goal setting/action planning/personal mission statement and leading effective meetings.

For additional information please contact Registrar PID Gary Fry at frygj35@msn.com or 515-967-4645.

PLAN NOW TO ATTEND THE INSTITUTE

15TH ANNUAL GREAT PLAINS LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

**Sponsored by the Lions of Multiple Districts 5, 9, 17, 26 and 38
Northwest Missouri State University
Maryville, Missouri
July 21-23, 2017**

REGISTRATION FORM (Please type or print legibly)

NAME _____ Badge Name _____ Gender _____
Last _____ First _____ Initial _____ M/F _____

ADDRESS _____
Street/PO Box _____ City _____ State/Province _____ Zip/PC _____

PHONE () _____ () _____
Home _____ Bus/Cell _____ Email _____

Sub-District No. _____ **Years in Lions** _____ **Highest Office Held** _____

Registration Fee is US\$175 if received by the Registrar by May 1, 2017, and must accompany the registration form. Beginning May 2, 2017, the base fee increases to US\$200. Make checks payable in US funds to GPLLI and, along with the registration form, mail to Registrar PID Gary Fry, PO Box 606, Mitchellville, IA 50169. Sorry, no refunds can be made for cancellations.

Applications will not be accepted without full payment in US dollars.

Your registration fee includes seven meals, all Institute costs and dormitory rooms (double occupancy) at Northwest Missouri State. Please note that the dormitories are smoke free. A limited number of single occupancy rooms are available at an additional cost of US\$40. You are permitted to request a specific roommate. Check in at the dormitory is permitted from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Friday, July 21st and check out must be completed by 3:00 p.m. on Sunday, July 23rd. We offer a souvenir shirt for an additional US\$25. Shirt size _____ (they run a little large).

The following information must be completed before registration will be accepted.

- Single occupancy room requested (Add US\$40. to registration fee)
 Diabetic Diet requested
 Vegetarian Diet requested
 Wheelchair Access required
 Vision Impaired (List what accommodation(s) are needed)
 Hearing Impaired (List what accommodation(s) are needed)

Please list any other special requests _____

Questions about the Great Plains Lions Leadership Institute may be directed to: PID Gary Fry, Registrar, PO Box 606 Mitchellville, IA 50169 or 515-967-4645 or frygj35@msn.com.

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

We are asking for the following information in case of an emergency arising during the 2016 Institute. This information will be maintained until the close of the Institute and then shredded.

Emergency Contact Name _____ Relationship _____

Contact telephone: HOME _____ WORK _____ CELL _____

Medical information that needs to be shared with emergency responders: _____

SD LIONS 5SE NEWSLETTER

Region A

- Aberdeen
- Britton
- Eden
- Groton
- NSU
- Plaines
- Warner - Stratford
- Deuel County/Clear Lake
- Milbank
- Rosholt
- Watertown

Region B

- Clark
- Huron
- Huron Eye-Opener
- Redfield
- Tulare
- Willow Lake
- Brookings
- Brookings Early Bird
- Colton
- Dell Rapids
- Madison
- Volga

Region C

- Armour
- Avon
- Corsica
- Mitchell
- Mitchell Palace City
- Parkston
- Wagner
- Canistota
- Freeman
- Lennox
- Tea
- Viborg Area

Region D

- Brandon
- Canton
- Harrisburg
- SF Downtown
- Sioux Empire
- Sioux Land
- Sioux Rise
- Alcester
- Beresford
- Bon Homme
- Elk Point
- N. Sioux City
- Vermillion
- Yankton

Attention Club Secretaries: Please submit articles and photos for the next newsletter to 5SEenews@gmail.com prior to the 25th of the month

SEND YOUR ARTICLES AND PHOTOS TODAY!

There are 49 clubs in our Multiple District. We'd like to hear from each and every one of you. We can all benefit from learning about your Club's:

- Service Activities
- Membership Ups and Downs
- Meetings & Special Programs
- New Member Recruiting Efforts
- Member Retention
- Problem Solving
- Social Media
- New Member Orientation

A LIONS PRAYER

When I attend my Lions Club and break bread at the table,
 I give a million thanks to God to know that I am able,
 To meet there with my fellow man, relax and play and sing,
 To hear the speakers of the day, the fine thoughts that they bring,
 I realize that I have a part in caring for the blind,
 Also the underprivileged, let's keep them all in mind,
 Now as we do our daily tasks, pray God we do them greatly,
 Then Liberty and Intelligence will be Our Nation's Safety.

SOUTH DAKOTA DISTRICT 5SE

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www.5selions.org



EVERY LIONS CLUB IN SOUTH DAKOTA is encouraged to send in monthly news updates and photos.

Email to: SSEenews@gmail.com
Subject line: "newsletterinfo"

Or mail to:
Sunshine Cady, E-Newsletter Editor
3240 S Bluegrass Ct
Sioux Falls, SD 57103

Article Deadline: 25th of the month
Published: 1st week of the month

Mechanical Requirements:

- Word files please (not .pdf)
- Articles =75 to 200 words
- Photos = 300 dpi in .jpg format (if possible)



**Celebrating 100 Years
of Lionism**

**Multiple District 5 Convention
May 17 - 20, 2017**



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