

# Lions Tails

## Ephrata Lions Club's Newsletter

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Ephrata, PA 17522-1335



**Ephrata Lions Club**

**Since 1925**

**April, 2006**

### Motto

**We Serve**

### Slogan

**L**iberty

**I**ntelligence

**O**ur

**N**ation's

**S**afety

### Lions Club Objects

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 on 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 men to serve their community without personal financial reward, and to encourage efficiency and promote high ethical standards in commerce, industry, professions, public works and private endeavors.

### Mission Statement

TO CREATE AND FOSTER a spirit of understanding among all people for humanitarian needs by providing voluntary services through community involvement and international cooperation

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## **2005-2006 Committee Chairpersons**

**Constitution ByLaws & Advisory – 1,**  
Barry Crowther, 733-4580

**Finance - 2,**  
Brad Lauderman, 733-6810

**Attendance - 3,**  
Jeff Donahue, 733-0921

**Program and Entertainment - 4,**  
Bonnie Eberly, 733-8492

**Menu - 5,**  
Greg Oliphant, 738-3188  
G. Robert Eberly, 733-8492

**Christmas Program - 6,**  
Charles Anderson, 733-1742

**Regional Activities - 7,**  
Laura Gunzenhauser, 733-6414

**Past Presidents – 8,**  
Laura Gunzenhauser, 733-6414

**Membership - 9,**  
Ronald Lindberg, 733-1810

**Basket Bingo – 10,**  
Ann Snader, 733-9327

**Ephrata Fair Bingo - 11,**  
Ron Gehr, 733-2920  
Ron Hackman, 733-3510

**Summer Picnics - 12,**  
Ken Shirk, 733-7997,  
Nick Ermolovich, 738-4605

**Publicity - 13,**

**Safety - 14,**  
Ron Hackman, 733-3510  
Tom Dickersheid, 733-4528

**Health and Welfare - 15,**  
Lorraine Crowther, 733-4580  
June Reese, 733-7509

**Christmas Welfare - 16,**  
Laura Gunzenhauser, 733-6414

**Hospital Day in the Park – 17,**  
Ron Gehr, 733-2920  
Ron Hackman, 733-3510

**Breakfast Buffet- 18,**  
Randy Blank, 733-3169  
Kent Keith, 733-9657  
Robert Martin, 859-5686

**Equipment /Maintenance –19,**  
Wil Potteiger, 733-1772,  
Charlie Winters, 733-0857

**White Cane – 20,**  
Michele Cisney, 733-3452

**Education Award - 21,**  
Bob Eberly , 733-8492

**Civic Improvement - 22,**  
Jeff Donahue , 733-0921

**Sick and Visiting - 23,**  
Vernon Bear, 733-7215

**Easter Egg Hunt- 24,**  
Michele Cisney, 733-3452

**Golf Outing - 25,**  
Brad Lauderman, 733-6810  
Gary Snavely, 733-9164

**Broom Sale - 26,**  
Ron Hackman, 733-3510  
Charles Winters, 733-0857

**Sports Card Show - 27,**  
Brad Lauderman, 733-6810  
Jack Forney, 733-4001

**Ephrata Fair Food Stand - 28,**  
Wil Potteiger, 733-1772

**LEO – 29,**  
Bob Eberly, 733-8492  
Bonnie Eberly, 733-8492



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### Up Coming Events

#### April

- 6 Regular Club Meeting - Amvets - Election of Officers - Region Chairperson visit (Entrée - Stuffed Chicken)
- 9 Buffet Breakfast - Ephrata Rec Center
- 15 Easter Egg Hunt – Tom Grater Park
- 21 Presidents Honor Night / Regular Club Meeting – Yoders, New Holland
- 22 Highway Clean-up
- 22 District Convention - Cedar Crest Middle School
- 23 Cabinet Meeting – Four Seasons
- 24 Regular Board Meeting - Ephrata Review
- 26 School of Instruction

#### May

- 4 Regular Club Meeting - Amvets - (Entrée - **Steak**)
- 18 Regular Club Meeting - To Be Announced
- 22 Regular Board Meeting - Ephrata Review
- 18-22 State Convention - Altoona

### President's Message

Fellow Lions,

Congratulations to our team who won the District Bowling Tournament by 7 pins. Bowlers were Lion Sharon Pennington, Lion Michelle Cisney, Lion Rick Wornner, Lion Bob Eberly, and son-of-a-lion (Marlin), Barry Kreider. They beat Reinholds in the finals.

Thank you to Lions Ann Snader and Bonnie Eberly and all Lions who helped with a very successful Basket Bingo.

We hosted the safety patrols from Highland, Fulton, Lincoln, and OMPH last meeting at the Legion for a nice evening with entertainment by character juggler Chris Ivey. It is important that we recognize these young people for volunteering to help their fellow students. Hopefully they will grow up to be civic minded and continue to serve their communities.

Thanks to Lions Brad Lauderman, Jack Forney, the committee, and all who helped with the Card Show and Auction. I heard comments from several in attendance that we have one of the best run and organized event. We can be proud of that.

We have an active month in April. Call Lion Bob Martin to sign-up to help with the Buffet Breakfast. Lion Michelle Cisney requests each Lion to bring 2-dozen, hard-boiled, colored eggs to the Easter Egg Hunt. We have Region Chair Lion Bob Crouse coming to our April 6<sup>th</sup> meeting at the Amvets. Then, our next regular meeting will be President's Honor night at Yoders on April 21<sup>st</sup>. The District Convention is on April 22<sup>nd</sup> and our Board of Directors meeting is April 24<sup>th</sup>. If you need to do your "six Lion activities" for the year, you can do them all in the month of April! Sounds pretty easy to me.

Yours in Lionism,  
Lion Greg

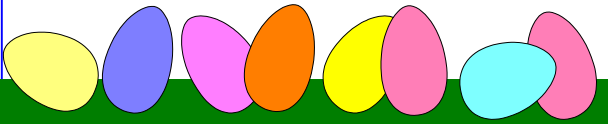


### April Birthdays

3rd; Lloyd Gerhart, Brian Hoffman, & Merle Streich, 14th; John Leonhard & Sharon Pennington, 16th; Brad Lauderman, 17th; Bob Martin, 19th; Bob Eberly, and 27th; Larry Bickhart

**Don't forget to hard-boil and color two dozen eggs for the Egg Hunt on April 15th.**

**Bring the eggs to the Park between 11am -12pm.**



### Card Show Committee Meeting

The Baseball Card Show Committee will meet Tuesday, April 11, at 7:00 at Lion Brad's home. We will review this year's show, and lay the groundwork for next year's.

### Picnic Committee Request

Lions Nicholas Ermolovich and Kenelm L, Shirk, III, remind members of the Ephrata Club that there have been numerous discussions over the past decade relating to potential changes in the July and August picnics. Some of those changes have been implemented. However, in light of the desire to draw the greatest number of members and spouses to the two Summer events, Lion Ermolovich and Lion Shirk solicit your suggestions over the **next month (until the end of March) at which time, they must begin planning.** Accordingly, if you have suggestions, please email them to Lion Shirk at [lkshirk@ephratalaw.com](mailto:lkshirk@ephratalaw.com) or Lion Ermolovich at [lawyer@ermolaw.com](mailto:lawyer@ermolaw.com) or mail the same to Lion Shirk at 115 South State Street, Ephrata, PA 17522.

### 365 Club

Time to collect for the PA Lions Beacon Lodge Camp. Ephrata Lions has been a 100% 365 Club and plans to continue. Bring your donation of \$3.65 to an upcoming meeting. 2nd Vice President Bonnie Eberly is collecting.

## District Bowling Tournament

The 32nd District 14-D Bowling Tournament was held on March 11th & 12th at the 222 Dutch Lanes. Our bowlers won by 7 pins. We donated \$250 to District 14-D. Thanks to the bowlers and those that sponsored the bowlers.



## Basket Bingo

Ann Snader, Chairperson, and Bonnie Eberly, Food, wish to thank you for the donations and help at the Basket Bingo. The food stand had a profit of \$483.39.

## Presidents Honor Night

Mark your calendars for Friday, April 21st for this event. As in the past, it is at Yoder's in New Holland. Reception is 6-6:30pm and dinner at 6:30pm. The cost is \$20.00 per person. Guest speaker for the evening is PID Robert Klein from New York. Call Secretary Bob no later than April 11th. Come and honor President Greg!

## District Convention

Saturday, April 23rd is our District Convention at Cedar Crest Middle School. We need delegates to attend and vote. Opening ceremony begins at 8:15am with seminars to follow. A free lunch is served 12:00 - 12:45pm. Voting starts at noon. A Necrology Service is held at 1pm with the District Caucus following. Sign up at the next meeting or call Secretary Bob by April 11th.

## School of Instruction

For new officers or Lions that would like to learn more this is for you. As in the past the school is being held at the

Mount Joy Career Tech Center. Dinner is at 6:30pm with the training following. Sign up at our next meeting or call Secretary Bob by April 11th.

## State Convention

District 14-L is hosting this year's convention at Altoona, May 18th-22nd. Many activities are planned such as seminars, banquets, tours of area, and a parade of Lions from all over the state. For more information see your Lion Secretary Bob.



## District Youth Camp

The District Youth Camp is looking for teenagers, 14-16 to attend this camp from June 25th-30th at Kenbrook Camp in Lebanon county. This camp is for teenagers from needy families to give them an opportunity to meet other youth while visiting Washington DC, Philadelphia, Gettysburg, Hershey Park and local areas of interest. Anyone know someone that would benefit from this event? Let Secretary Bob know.

## Club Shirts

Who needs a new Ephrata Lions shirt? If you would like a denim dress shirt, or a white or gold golf shirt with our logo, let Secretary Bob know your wishes. If we have enough, then an order will be made.

## Club Pins

We have pins! See Lion Vernon Bear for yours. Only \$2.50.



## Carwash Tickets

The carwash tickets have been distributed by Chairperson John Bigony. If you need some call Lion John. Money is due back at the May 4th club meeting. This project is a no brainer since we earn half of what we sell.

## International Convention



Join Lions Bonnie and Bob Eberly, this year at Boston for the International Lions Convention from June 30th - July 4th. The convention was moved from

New Orleans due to Katrina. This will be our sixth convention and everyone was interesting, fun and different. An International Convention is a must for every Lion at least once in their Lions career. Information can be found online or in the Lions magazine.

## Upcoming District Events

April 29th East Cocalico Lions is having Armchair Races at the Reamstown Fire Hall. Cost is \$10.00 per horse. All you can eat food and door prizes included. VDG Bruce will be at our next meeting or call Secretary Bob to get tickets.

July 16th Quentin Roosevelt Lions Club is sponsoring a bus trip to Lions Appreciation Day at Beacon Lodge at Mt. Union. \$30.00 includes bus and lunch. A must trip for anyone who has not been to Beacon Lodge and to see the campers perform a talent show.



# LEOS NEWS



Leos at Basket Bingo

- On March 14th, the Board meeting was held at Lions Bob & Bonnie Eberly's home.
- On March 17th, the Leos helped with a St. Patrick's Day Party at Ephrata Manor.
- On March 17th, helped at Basket Bingo.
- Rock for Relief concert is planned for May 13th. Auditions for bands are taking place now. Committees are being formed.
- Leos will be helping at the Egg Hunt with activities for the kids.

# Safety Patrol Night



# Basket Bingo



# Ephrata Lions Club Breakfast Buffet

**Palm Sunday**

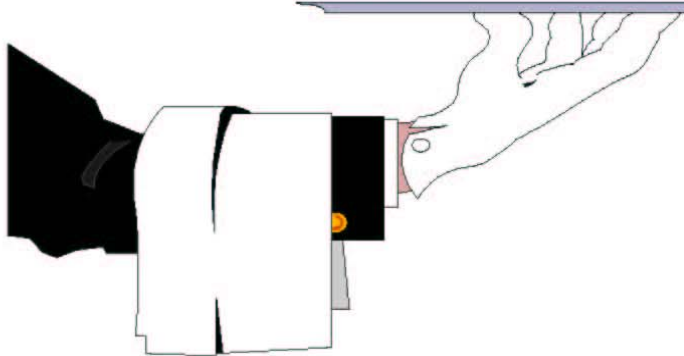
**April 9, 2006**

**7:00 am – 1:00 pm**

**Ephrata Recreation Center**

**All You Can Eat**

**Sausage, Ham, Eggs  
Potatoes & Pancakes**



**Adult – \$6.00**

**Child (6-12 Years) – \$3.00**

**Under 5 – Free**





# Lancaster Barnstormers

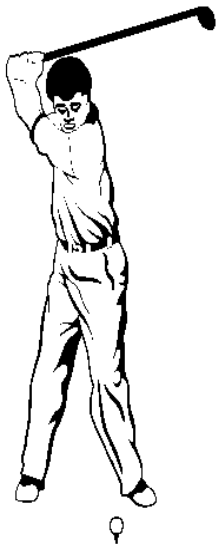
**Saturday, June 17, 2006**  
**Conestoga Room**  
**Dinner, Game & Fireworks**  
**Air Conditioned Dining Room**  
**Great Seats Behind Home Plate**  
**\$37.00**

## [Menu - All You Can Eat](#)

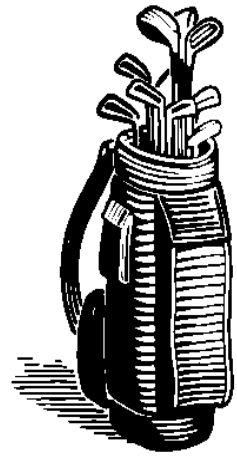
<u>Snacks</u>	Popcorn and Tortilla Chips with Salsa
<u>Appetizer</u>	Mozzarella Sticks with Marinara Sauce
<u>Entrees</u>	Kunzler All Beef Hot Dogs, Penne Primavera, & Assorted Wraps Garden Tossed Salad, Deli Potato Salad, & Green Beans seasoned with Ham
<u>Dessert</u>	Oversized Chocolate Chip Cookies
<u>Beverages</u>	Assorted Pepsi Drinks and Bottled Water

***Only 24 Tickets Available! Sign up NOW!***

# 2006 Lions District 14-D Golf Tournament

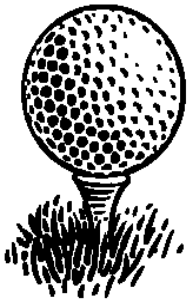


Saturday June 3, 2006  
Hawk Valley Golf Club  
1309 Crestview Dr., Denver, PA  
717-445-5445 (for directions only)  
Registration 12-1p.m. \$70/golfer  
Includes golf/cart/dinner



Shotgun Start@ 1 p.m. if enough players sign-up.  
SCRAMBLE FORMAT.

Delicious Steak Dinner to follow including:  
12 oz. Delmonico, Baked Potato, Garden Salad, RB Eggs, Dessert, Beer & Soda.



I'm asking for each club to sponsor  
at least 1 or more hole signs @ \$30 each,  
& to obtain business hole sponsors for \$30 each.  
Hawk will provide the signage FREE for us.

Various door prizes will be available as well as skill prizes for longest drive, closest to the pin, etc., as well as gift certificates, & some par3 hole in one prizes TBA.

So come out & play for District 14-D. So Roar Lions, Roar! Roar F-O-R-E!! for 14-D.

See you at the Hawk!

Since this is a new tournament, I need responses by April 28, 2006.

While I realize this is early, it is needed due to the weekend commitment.

So check your calendars & respond ASAP.

THANKS!!!!!!

Kindly respond by mail to Lion Philip Furman, 59 W. Main St., Leola, PA 17540  
717-371-7173cell or pfurman@frontiernet.net  
Please make checks payable to "District 14-D"