

# The Lions Roar

The Official Newsletter of District 20-Y2



June 2012



## A Message from District Governor Rick Quick

As I look back over this past year, I wonder where it went. It went by so fast it's like a blur.

I was able to meet and work with so many great Lions in our district I might not have met if I didn't have this chance.

I would hope we could convince more of our Lions to visit other clubs and see what they are doing and share ideas. There are so many good ones out there you could use in your own club. We also need to support each other's projects as we are all part of the same Lions family.

I hope to continue on with the work I have started and am helpful to the district and to the new Governors coming in the future so we can remain a strong district. We need to work towards bench strength for leadership in our district, our future so much depends on it. We need to start looking now, (we can't wait), to who will be the next great Lion to step up next year and say, "I would like to be a District Governor". I promise you it will be one of the best years of your life.

I hope to see many of you at the testimonial and remember this is about all of our accomplishments, not just mine. Without your help I could not have done it, so thank you to all, and hope to see you soon.

DG RICK

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Submit Your Club's  
News and Photos to  
Lion Karen by the

 **28th of each Month!**

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Attention Club Presidents & Secretaries

### ▶ District Dues Reminder ◀

A reminder that 2011-2012 District Dues of \$2.00 per Club member are now due. If you have not as yet done so, please make club checks out to "District 20Y2" and send to:

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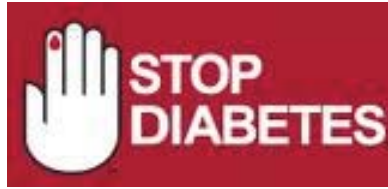
**Multiple District 20**  
[www.md20lions.com/](http://www.md20lions.com/)

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index.php](http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/index.php)

# Diabetes

By PDG Dick Ralston

**PROTECT  
YOUR VISION:  
GET A  
DILATED EYE  
EXAM EACH YEAR**



**W**hat does “dilated” mean in regard to eye exam?  
Dilate means to widen or get larger. Medicine put in your eye causes the pupil, (the black part), in your eye to become larger, (dilate), so your eye doctor can examine your eye more thoroughly for changes in your blood vessels and “deposits” on your retina that may indicate diabetic eye disease.

**Does a dilated eye exam hurt?** No. It is easy. The doctor puts a drop of medicine in your eye – then looks in your eye with a bright light and magnifying glass.

**Why should I have my eyes dilated each year?** Diabetic eye disease may cause changes in your eye which could require immediate treatment to save your vision.

**Who is qualified to give me a dilated eye exam?** Optometrists and Ophthalmologists are trained to dilate and examine eyes for diabetic eye disease.

**What can I do to protect my eyes against the consequences of diabetes?** Have a dilated eye exam annually.

**What if I can't afford to pay for a dilated eye exam?** Many insurance plans provide coverage for a dilated eye exam. If you are eligible for Medicare, most of the cost is covered. Even if you don't have insurance, call to find out how much a dilated eye exam cost, and try to get one every year. Seek assistance if you need it.

**Does my primary health care provider need to refer me to an optometrist or ophthalmologist?** No referral is necessary to have a dilated eye exam. In addition, please ask your eye doctor to send a report to you primary health care provider about your eye exam. This encourages good communication within in your diabetes health care team.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT YOUR HEALTHCARE PROVIDER.**

# Utica Lions Club

By Lion Leah Salem

## Utica Lions Club Chicken BBQ on Varick

**T**he Utica Lions Club will be holding a fundraising Chicken BBQ on Thursday, June 28, 2012 from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Sickenberger Lane Restaurant, which is located on 624 Varick Street, Utica, New York 13502

There will be GREAT FOOD - RAFFLES - FUN!!! Come support the club in this great fundraiser!

Tickets are \$10.00 per person, and for more information call chairwoman, Antonetta Panuccio at 315-724-3997 or email her at grandmanuch@aol.com.

**UTICA Lions Club  
King Lion John Bord  
jbsfixit@yahoo.com**



**visions VCB**  
Center on Blindness



## Calling All Lions & Volunteers!

Saturday, June 2, 2012

Please Join Us For

### Lions Spring Work Day at VISIONS VCB

(VISIONS Center on Blindness)  
111 Summit Park Road, Spring Valley, NY 10977

HELP GET VCB READY  
to serve 600 people FOR SUMMER 2012!

There's a job for everyone! This is an opportunity for work, camaraderie, refreshments & fun that you won't want to miss!

As the new VCB Program/Lions Coordinator, I would like to invite you and your fellow Lions Club members to participate in our VCB Lions Spring Work Day. Please join me, Lion Khaled and other VISIONS supporters as we prep for another wonderful summer at VCB!

There is much to be done before VCB serves 600 blind and visually impaired participants this summer, and your service and support is essential to our continued success! At our Spring Work Day you can help with your own program area or a variety of other important projects.

The work day will begin at 10 a.m. and lunch will be served at 1 p.m. In order for the VCB staff to prepare for the day, and know how much food is needed, it is extremely important that you R.S.V.P by May 25th, 2012.

Please reply to this email to confirm, or call me at (212) 625-1616 ext. 135. Looking forward to seeing you there!

Best,  
Crissy Vicendese  
VCB Program/Lions Coordinator  
(directions on following page)



From  
the Desk of  
1st VDG  
Linda Walsh

Well, my Lion District Governor year is about to start. I will be leaving for Busan, Korea on June 15th for District Governor School, induction and the International Convention. It sounds exciting but it's also a very, very long trip!

I attended the NYS & Bermuda Convention last week in Syracuse. It was a wonderful event. The convention speaker was Barry J. Palmer, 2nd Vice President from Australia. I was very fortunate to sit with him and his wife at one of the luncheons. Our organization will be in very good hands with 2nd VP Barry.

I would like to congratulate PCC Steve Tremaroli who won the election as our International Director. Steve will be our speaker at the C&R on June 6th for the joint Groversville and Amsterdam installation. All are welcome to attend - just RSVP to me. Steve ran against PDG Bob Libin, Esq. It was a great race and they were both gentlemen. Bob will always have his "Passion for Service".

Also congratulations to my friend Lion Tom Snowdon from the Schoharie-Wright Lions Club, who won our District PDG Leadership award. Way to go Tom!

Congratulations are also in order for the Amsterdam Lions Club/ PDG Bob Montanaro, who won the \$20,000 Foundation Raffle. Good for you guys!

I hope to see you all at District Governor Rick's Testimonial in June. I'm sure a good time will be had by all. I don't know how to say "so long" in Korean, but will give you an update when I get back.

Yours in Lionism,  
VDG Linda Walsh

Groversville Lions Club

By VDG Linda Walsh

**Groversville and Amsterdam  
Lions Clubs Joint Installation**

Wednesday, June 6, 2012  
C & R Restaurant on Route 29, Saratoga Road, Galway.

Guest Installer: PDG, (and International Director candidate), Steve Tremaroli, Melville Lions Club

Cost is \$25.00 per person, (open to the first 50 signed up)  
RSVP BY June 1, 2012 to VDG Linda Walsh, (518) 773-7845

**GLOVERSVILLE Lions Club**  
*King Lion Mark Ford*  
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Town of Greenfield  
Lions Club

By Lion Verna Chandler Plummer

**May 2012 at Camp Badger**



**TOWN OF GREENFIELD Lions Club**  
*King Lion Ed Stano*  
P. O. Box 188, Greenfield Center, NY  
estanojr@nycap.rr.com

**Northeast  
Pin Swap XXIV**

**August 15-16-17, 2012**

BPO Elks Lodge #2110, 4400 Sweden Walker Road,  
Brockport, N.Y. 14420

See the Event Schedule and Registration Form  
on the 20Y2 website.

20y2lions.org/Dates/Lions%20Pin%20Swap.pdf

# Glens Falls Lions Club

By King Lion Sandie Clark

It has been a busy month for Glens Falls Lions Club! May began with a few faithful Lions performing road clean-up duty on Ridge Road.

Six Glens Falls Lions ventured to Camp Badger to participate in the Zone A, Region N work project. Work around the camp consisted of painting, plumbing, repairing bridges, hanging doors, along with many other projects. Even though there was much work to be done, we managed to include some fun. Four Lions decided to take a canoe ride. With Lion Scott Rager's great paddling skills, King Lion Sandie Clark and he successfully toured the area and made it safely back to shore. Now, it was a different story for the other two Lions!

A large group of dedicated Lions showed up at Crandall Park for picnic and gardening adventures. After eating lots of yummy food, the Club members planted its flower garden in the park, along with a flowering pear tree that will grow years to come - the same as the Glens Falls Lions Club (growing and blossoming).

May 27, twelve adventurous Glens Falls Lions went to help with the Saratoga Lions Club Duathlon. It was a wonderful learning experience, especially since we are in **full swing planning our first duathlon event scheduled for October 7th!**

Speaking of growing and blossoming, on June 26 the Club will induct its **tenth new** Lion member for the year 2011-2012! Finally, six Lions enjoyed a wonderful time in Syracuse at the NYS Lions Convention.

June appears to be another busy month with the Golf Tournament on June 2, Diabetes Tour De Cure on June 3 and LARAC on 16 & 17. Glens Falls Lions are proud to say, "WE SERVE."

## SAVE THE DATE!

For our **1st Annual Duathlon**, Saturday, October 7, 2012, East Field, Glens Falls, NY. See our FB page and Website for more information!

**GLENS FALLS Lions Club**  
*King Lion Sandie Clark*

**P.O. Box 528, Glens Falls, NY 12801**  
**email contact on website ~ [www.glensfallslions.org](http://www.glensfallslions.org)**



**Glens Falls Lions Club and  
Glens Falls Lions Duathlon**

# Broadalbin-Perth Lions Club

By PDG John Samples, Sr

The Broadalbin-Perth Lions members have been very busy this year. In April they had the concession stand for the Broadalbin Home Show at the High School. Profits from this will be set aside to help with construction of the pavilion for the new sports park in Broadalbin.

May found the members cleaning the Rail Trail and Visitor Center parking lot. Saturday morning they can be found at the soccer field serving up coffee, donuts, and lots of cold drinks. May 25th they had a very successful chicken and pork BBQ. Two members went to Lions Camp Badger for work weekend. In the middle of all this they found time to sell Bunnies. The Club made several donations: 1) Hearing Society, 2) Broadalbin-Perth High School Booster Club, 3) Community Service Award to a senior from Broadalbin-Perth and Mayfield High Schools, 4) Broadalbin-Perth and Mayfield High Schools Post Prom Parties. The Club also had another successful Radio Days with Radio Station WENT.

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email me for more information at [karen@deuxflutes.com](mailto:karen@deuxflutes.com)

# Mechanicville-Stillwater Lions Club

by Lion Ray Martin

## Lions Plant and Play in May:

The club members are looking forward to the upcoming Spring Golf Event to be held at the Classic Mechanicville Golf Club and The New Clubhouse. It will be a scramble format starting at 12:30 PM on Friday May 18th, with banquet following at 5:30PM. There will be a Hole-in-One opportunity for a new Ford, graciously offered by Jack Byrne, and other sponsorship opportunities are still available. The event is in memory of Frank Izzo, and the proceeds from the tournament will benefit many local hearing, sight, nutrition and other community projects of the Lions. If you are interested in becoming a sponsor, donating prizes, or attending the banquet, contact committee chairperson Bob Ciulla at 664-7367.

Lions around the globe, this year are planting trees as part of a presidential initiative.

### TREES HELP

- Sustain life on earth
- Conserve soil and water
- Provide shade
- Provide food
- Provide a source of timber and medicine
- Absorb carbon dioxide from the atmosphere.

Our chairpersons John McBride Jr., and Tamar Martin determined the best trees to plant in our community, by contacting the Arbor Society and Saratoga Forestry division. Club members distributed 50 sapling trees that were planted as living memorials, with and for children. Ten saplings were donated to Hudson View Cemetery to help with site restoration. According to Kim Dumar, president of the Mechanicville~Stillwater Lions Club, "This Lions Green Team project improved the environment and our community at the same time. It exemplifies our ongoing commitment to provide a healthier and safer place to live, work and play. Lions thank everyone who contributed to and supported this important effort. You are truly helping Lions make a difference."

If you would like to know more about local Lions Club projects, or membership please contact the current Lions Club president, Kim Dumar at 495-7982

MECHANICVILLE-STILLWATER Lions Club  
King Lion Kim Dumar  
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[www.naba-vision.org](http://www.naba-vision.org)

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### GUEST SPEAKERS

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*Ophthalmology Associates, Clifton Park, NY*  
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**Cheryl Lawyer, NABA Outreach & Education**  
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## Club Web Sites

If your club does NOT have one, visit [20y2Lions.org/ClubWebSites.htm](http://20y2Lions.org/ClubWebSites.htm) to learn how your club can easily and inexpensively set up and maintain a web presence.

If your club DOES have one, please keep it up to date. There's nothing more discouraging to a visitor, than to find out your "Upcoming Events" happened six months ago.

The link above has some useful suggestions for maintaining your site's content.

If you need any help, contact Lion Jerry Gordon, 20Y2 web master, at [jerrygordon@juno.com](mailto:jerrygordon@juno.com) or (518) 235-8232.

## Schuylerville Lions Club

by Lion Larry Alheim

I long to accomplish a great and noble task,  
but it is my chief duty to accomplish small tasks  
as if they were great and noble. ~ *Helen Keller*



You are cordially Invited to the

### Schuylerville Lions Club 50th Anniversary Banquet Saturday ~ June 9, 2012

Schuylerville American Legion  
6 Clancy Street ~ Schuylerville NY, 12871

6PM Cocktail Hour - CASH BAR  
w/ hors d'oeuvres and music  
7PM - Greeting & Opening Ceremony

Dinner: \$20 per person

Your choice of entrees: (check choice on RSVP card)  
Stuffed Chicken Breast ~ Hot Roast Beef ~ Fish

Please R.S.V.P. w/ payment by May 16, 2012:

Schuylerville Lions Club c/o Lion Jim Weed, Treasurer  
1075 Route 29  
Schuylerville, NY 12871

SCHUYLERVILLE Lions Club  
King Lion Russell Hanson  
[russellahanson@gmail.com](mailto:russellahanson@gmail.com)

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# Lions Eye Institute/Lions Foundation

By Lion Sheila Nason

Young children who complain of eye pain but do not have obvious inflammation or underlying medical issues are unlikely to have serious eye problems, according to research published by doctors at the Lions Eye Institute (LEI) in Albany. They advised parents to have the children examined but assured them that their children are probably not facing serious eye problems.

The work was completed by Dr. Ayo-Lynn Richards, who completed her third year of residency last year at the LEI, in collaboration with LEI faculty members. The publication won the award for the best paper of the year by an LEI ophthalmology resident. After graduation, Dr. Richards joined an ophthalmology practice in Toledo, Ohio.

The Lions Eye Institute in Albany is supported by Lions in districts O, W, and Y2, through contributions to the Lions Foundation at Albany.

LEI professors mentor students at Albany Medical College as well as the residents, who are ranked among the best in the country. Dr. Simon reported that the three new residents this academic year were chosen from more than 250 applicants, a reflection of the national reputation the LEI has earned. All residents must be involved in research during their second and third years. Practicing physicians also serve one- and two-year fellowships at the LEI in various specialties. In addition, the Institute presents an annual "Ophthalmology Update" for doctors in the region, helping them stay current with the latest research and treatments.

In last year's annual report, Dr. John Simon, LEI chairman, reported that the 11 full-time faculty members had submitted or published 68 peer-reviewed papers during the year, working in most cases with fellows, residents, and medical students. As a result of these research and education efforts, the Eye Institute makes a substantial contribution to eye care across the country and around the world in addition to the nearly 20,000 visits from patients who are treated there each year.

Although most of the money raised by the Lions Eye Foundation underwrites treatment of patients who could not otherwise afford their care, the Foundation also supports LEI research and education. The Foundation, for example, helps underwrite the residents' travel expenses so they can present their research at conferences.

Once the research is published, it can impact patient care in many ways. One study, which involved medical students Julia Mathew and Sabah Shah as well as LEI professors, showed that some letters on the standard eye chart are vastly more difficult than other letters. This discrepancy can result in serious mistakes when measuring the eyesight of children with amblyopia (lazy eye). Ophthalmologists were advised to take these differences into account and to avoid certain letters when testing and treating these children.

Dr. Dale Meyer and colleagues addressed the common misperception that eyelid surgery is done only for cosmetic purposes. They described serious problems such as loss of visual sharpness and peripheral vision that can be caused by ptosis (droopy eyelids) and other disfiguring lid conditions. As a result of this work, referring physicians and third-party administrators such as insurance companies can make more informed decisions about patients affected with these conditions.

Medical student Vish Srinagesh, with Dr. Simon and Dr. Meyer, studied the records of children with ptosis and found that more than a quarter lost vision in the eye with the lower lid. This was because the droopy eyelid was associated with strabismus (eyes not looking in parallel directions) or astigmatism (irregular shape of the cornea), and these untreated conditions led to vision loss. Doctors were warned that the vision of these children should be monitored closely.

There also are examples of basic research that could lead to breakthroughs in treatment. Dr. Edward Wladis and colleagues in basic science reported the first of a series of biochemical studies of orbital inflammations. The work is bringing a clearer understanding of such debilitating and blinding conditions as Grave's disease and orbital pseudotumor. The protein antibodies he described in this report could soon lead to effective treatments of these conditions. Further studies are under way.

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*(information continued on page 8)*

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may call 642-8155 for more information.

The State Convention was held in Syracuse on May 18-20. VDGE Steve and I attended along

with Lions Shelia, Cindy, Tamme and KL elect Linda. We had a fantastic time attending workshops, lunches and hospitality parties. Lion Steve Tremmeroli was elected our new ID in an exciting election. Our own Lion Steve was elected 1st Vice District Governor. Congratulations Steve!

I have absolutely enjoyed my year as King Lion, and I hope I have served you well.

**GRANVILLE Lions Club**  
**King Lion Marianne Lynch**  
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## Granville Lions Club

By King Lion Marianne Lynch

On May 1st, Granville School Superintendent, Mark Bessen, spoke about the May 15th budget vote. He presented a detailed informative budget overview to the club.



The Granville Lions Club was joined by the Glens Falls Lions Club on the weekend of May 5-6 at Lions Camp Badger for our second Zone Workday. We completed various jobs such as, disassembling a cabin and salvaging the wood, repairing a foot bridge damaged in the hurricane, painting bridge trusses, replacing a sink and vanity, constructing a closet around a water heater, cutting up fallen trees, and removing mold, painting walls and floors in a cabin. We had a great time visiting and working with fellow lions. Some even ventured for canoe rides with varying degrees of success.



At the May 15th dinner meeting Crystal Everdyke and Vicky Palmer spoke to the club about the Haynes House of Hope.

Haynes House offers care to individuals living with terminal illness. They are always looking for dedicated volunteers. You

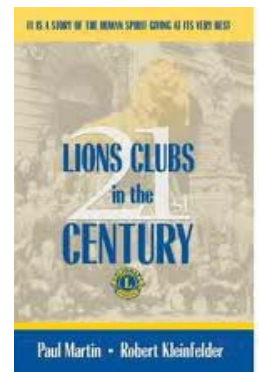


## Town of Hoosick Lions Club

### Lions book donated to Library

by Lion Peter Church

The Town of Hoosick Lions have donated a book on Lions to the Cheney Library in Hoosick Falls. The name of the book is "Lions Clubs in the 21st Century". Lions interested in the history of the organization or in what other clubs around the world are doing should give it a read.



Since Cheney is part of the Upper Hudson Library System, you can order it from your own library or on-line and it will be delivered to your local library in a few days.

**TOWN OF HOOSICK Lions Club**  
**King Lion Peter Church**  
 peterlchurch@gmail.com



# Camp Badger

## LIONS CAMP BADGER GOLF CLASSIC

Where Children with Special Needs Learn To Develop Personal Goals

1st Annual Lions Charity Golf Tournament  
September 20, 2012

12:45 pm Shot Gun Start

18 holes – Scramble – Mixed 4 some

**\$95.00 per golfer**

Non-Golfers \$55.00 Lunch & Dinner  
Public Welcome

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Contact PDG Lion Bob Mizzoni

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The Lions International Pin Trading Club is proud to announce a Youth Scholarship of \$2,500 for a graduating senior who is the child or grandchild of a Lion or a member of a Leo Club. The most important aspect of the Youth Scholarship Program is to help a young person pursue his/her education and follow their dreams.

The LITPC takes great pride in fulfilling the motto of Lions Clubs International, "WE SERVE". During the SightFirst II Campaign, the pin traders contributed \$144,000 to LCIF. Our Scholarship Program is another example of the pin traders' slogan, "Lions First".

Selection of the scholarship recipient will be based on academic achievement, an essay stating the student's goals, a statement of reason(s) for applying and an overview of work, community and school service, and letters of recommendation. Applications and supporting documentation are to be completed and submitted to the pin trading club scholarship chairman named below by March 1, 2012.



We encourage all graduating seniors who are the children/grandchildren of Lions members or who are members themselves of Leo Clubs to participate in our Scholarship Program.

Application @ [www.litpc.org/](http://www.litpc.org/)

### ATTENTION DISTRICT 20Y2 LIONS CLUBS

Please take a look below to see the status of your Club info with Webmaster Lion Jerry Gordon.

If your Club is listed in the Far Left Column...BRAVO!  
If it is listed in any of the other three...PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE get your updated information to Lion Jerry SOON!!!  
[jerrygordon@juno.com](mailto:jerrygordon@juno.com)

Status of club info on the 20-Y2 web site ([20Y2Lions.org/clubs.htm](http://20Y2Lions.org/clubs.htm)) as of November 16, 2011

Clubs with 2011-2012 info	Clubs with 2010-2011 info	Clubs with 2009-2010 info	Clubs with NO info
Albany & Troy	Bethlehem	Waterford	Amsterdam Lionettes
Amsterdam	Duane		Gloversville Aux.
Balsston Spa	Ft Edward		Utica Auxiliary
Bronckalain/Ferth	Gahway Leos		
Cambridge	New Hartford		
Cent Mohawk Vall	Scotia/Glenville		Clinton Leos
Clinton	Speculator		Duanesburg Leos
Deerfield			Herkimer Leos
Fonda/Fultonville			Saratoga Leos
Gahway			Sherendehowa Leos
Gahway Lioness			
Glens Falls			
Gloversville			
Granville			
Granville Leos			
Granville Lioness			
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Mechville/Stillewater			
N Hartford Lioness			
N Y Mills/White			
Northville/Sec			
Rovena			
Richmondville/Cobl			
Saratoga Springs			
Sauquoit Valley			
Schuylerville			
Utica			
Wright/SchoVal			
35	7	1	8
88.6%	13.7%	2.0%	15.7%

If your club is listed in the 11-12 column, congratulations! Your cyber-rep is on the ball. If you're in the 10-11 column, that's not too bad, but it's time to update your info. If you're in the 09-10 column, your cyber-rep hasn't responded to any of my 3 (or more, every year) requests for updated information. Contact me at [jerrygordon@juno.com](mailto:jerrygordon@juno.com) or 226-8232 and I'll tell you who your cyber-rep is. If you're in the right-most column, shame on you! Contact me to learn how to fix this situation. You can see your club's info at [20Y2Lions.org/clubs.htm](http://20Y2Lions.org/clubs.htm)

Now this I say, he who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and he who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each one must do just as he has purposed in his heart, not grudgingly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that always having all sufficiency in everything, you may have an abundance for every good deed.

2 Corinthians 9:6-8

May 15, 2012

Dear District 20Y2 Lions Clubs,

Thank you for your generous donation of \$1000 toward the purchase of a new sports equipment shed here at Lions Camp Badger.

We are truly grateful for your generosity and ongoing support of Lions Camp Badger.

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