

# The Lions Roar

The Official Newsletter of District 20-Y2



January 2013

Happy  
New  
Year!



## A Message from District Governor Linda Walsh

Happy New Year to Lions, Leos, Lioness and Auxiliary members. We are halfway through our Lion year and I am very proud of the District and all their good works and service projects. Thank you for your warm welcome as I visit the clubs in 20-Y2.

Our District donated \$1,000.00 to the "Sandy" relief fund. Thank you to all clubs who sent money, food, water, supplies, and trucks to help our fellow Lions during this disaster. Having viewed Long Island on my holiday visits, you can not imagine the destruction of the area and loss of beaches.

Please be sure to submit your photo for the State Environmental contest, which is due by February 10, 2013. You can email me the photos and I will see they are sent to the proper place.

Our 3rd Cabinet meeting will be held on **February, 9, 2013 at 9:30 am at the Cohoes Senior Center**. PDG Dick Ralston will be presenting a program on Diabetes. Please try to attend and give our support to PDG Dick.

At the same time we will be having a "linen shower" for Camp Badger. Towels, washclothes, single sheets, blankets, beach towels and pillows are all welcomed.

I want to especially thank Mohawk Valley Lions Club for inviting me to their Christmas Party and presenting money and linen items for this upcoming event. Instead of bringing a Christmas gift to exchange, they brought an item for the camp.

Mark your calender for May 17, 18, and 19, 2013 for our State Convention in Buffalo.

I want to personally thank 1st VDG Steve Lynch for all the hard work he has done getting clubs to pay their dues and/or catch up as we are in good shape because of his efforts.

Wishes for a safe and healthy New Year, and remember if I can be of any help to clubs, please call me anytime, (518-773-7845), and I will get back to you as soon as possible.

Yours in Lionism,

District Governor  
DG Linda

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## Is Your Club Missing in This Newsletter?

Submit news of your club's activities, fundraising events and announcements.

Make sure to document and share everything your club does with photos!

Digital Files **PREFERRED**  
or original photos.  
No newspaper photos PLEASE!  
(they do not reproduce well)

**DEADLINE**  
**28th of each Month**

[karen@deuxflutes.com](mailto:karen@deuxflutes.com)

Lions Foundation at Albany, NY, Inc.

# Easter Bunny Sales

In support of the Lions Eye Institute  
A proven fund raiser that can help your club.

The 6.2 ounce, solid milk chocolate and white chocolate bunnies are manufactured for us by the renowned Donini Chocolate Ltd. Each bunny is imprinted with the Lions insignia and comes individually boxed. There are 24 bunnies per case.

We are also offering a 3.5 ounce dark chocolate bunny and a no-sugar added, milk chocolate bunny. These smaller, "healthier size" bunnies are individually wrapped (no box).

The Lions Foundation suggests a retail price of \$5.00 per bunny as a fair price that represents a balance between price, volume and quality for a fair profit fund-raiser for your club.

The Prices To  
Your Club Are As  
Follows:

1 to 24 cases:  
\$61.00/case

25 cases or more:  
\$60.00/case



## TO ORDER:

All orders should be placed no later than  
**January 15, 2013**

by contacting:

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## Lions Foundation Easter Bunny Order Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Club: \_\_\_\_\_

### Number of Cases:

Milk Chocolate(24/6.2oz): \_\_\_\_\_

White Chocolate(24/6.2oz): \_\_\_\_\_

Dark Chocolate(24/3.5oz): \_\_\_\_\_

No-Sugar Choc(24/3.5oz): \_\_\_\_\_

**Easter is March 31, 2013 so hurry and place your bunny orders now!**



# From the Desk of 1st VDG Steve Lynch

Happy New Year,

In keeping with tradition, this is a time to review our challenges and our accomplishments of 2012 and to make resolutions for the coming year. I encourage each member and club to use this opportunity to take a fresh look at our efforts and I thank you all for the exceptional work that you have already done.

Lions have shown their commitment at many levels this year. Each member and club have contributed to their local area. Together as a district we have helped people impacted by three separate hurricanes; Irene, Lee and Sandy. Lions Clubs International has met the challenge of raising over ten million dollars and received five million dollars in a matching grant from the Gates Foundation. This allowed 157 million children worldwide to be vaccinated against measles this year.

As I look forward to hopefully serving as your District Governor, I am focusing on improving all aspects of communication in our district. I am anxious to build upon the relationships between members, clubs, zones, the district, the Multiple District, Lions Clubs International and even the public. I have mentioned in the past that MD20 is in the process of a very open-minded review of all aspects of the multiple district's functions. As Chairman of the Communication Subcommittee I am continuing my efforts across the state. Once again I appeal to each of you to let me know any thoughts you may have to improve our endeavors together.

2nd VDG Marianne is serving again this year as the 20Y2 chocolate Easter bunny sales coordinator to benefit the participating clubs and the Lions Foundation at Albany, which we are both Trustees of. Please look over the flyer here in the Roar (or on the District Website: [www.20y2lions.org](http://www.20y2lions.org) ) and start planning. Easter is early this year. Note that the dark and no sugar added chocolates are back! All orders should be placed no later than January 15th.

Be sure to mark your calendar for the 3rd Cabinet Meeting at the Senior Center in Cohoes on Saturday, February 9th.

I look forward to seeing you there.

If there is any way which I can serve you, please call me at 518-642-0000 or e-mail me at [Stephen@SheldonMansion.com](mailto:Stephen@SheldonMansion.com)

Yours in Lionism,

1st VDG Steve

“Friends in Deeds”

## Superstorm Sandy Relief

By PDG Orv Curtis

Following is information to help Sandy Relief.

**Make checks payable to:  
Brandel-Murphy Youth Foundation**

**Send to:  
Lions Steve Tremaroli  
PO Box 1966, Huntington, NY 11743**

**Call me at 518-882-6307 or 518-577-8861  
if I can be of further assistance - PDG Orv**

### LIONS CLUB RESOURCES

[www.lionsclubs.org/EN/member-center/resources/index.php](http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/member-center/resources/index.php)

## Greater Amsterdam Lions Club

By PDG Bob Montenaro

The Greater Amsterdam Lions Club presented local resident Sharon Fiorillo with a laptop during their holiday get together at Bosco's Restaurant. The club works to help the visually impaired in the community all year round, and aside from presenting Fiorillo with a new laptop, donated by an anonymous community member, nine other residents with visual impairments were also presented with gifts.

**AMSTERDAM Lions Club  
King Lion Anthony S. Vecchio  
[anthony.s.vecchio@gmail.com](mailto:anthony.s.vecchio@gmail.com)**

# Granville Lions Club

By King Lion Linda Ellingsworth

I hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas holiday with their loved ones. The Granville Lions Christmas Party on Dec. 18 at The Barn was a great success. We all enjoyed scrumptious food and good company by the cozy fire in the large stone fireplace. Thanks to all who attended and helped make it a great party.



RECAP: The Lions/Leos Blood Drive in November was a great success. We made our goal of 46 units, so the Leos will get a Red Cross scholarship. Kids' Christmas on Dec. 1 also went very well. For the first time in many years, we took our "adopted" children shopping in Granville. Our new stores made it possible. Thanks to all who participated. The Senior holiday dinner at Mountainview Commons was much appreciated by the residents, who sent the club a very nice thank you note.

COMING ATTRACTIONS: Our first dinner meeting of the New Year is on Jan. 8. Menu choices have been circulated via email. On Jan. 22, we will be hosted by the Lioness Club for a dinner meeting. Saturday, Jan. 26 is the Rotary Club's Trivia Night at the Forum. I'm looking for some players who enjoy trivia and would like take part in a fun – and competitive – evening. The Granville Lions team came in 4th last year, and I think it's time we brought home the trophy. Let me know if you've got game and want to play. On Feb. 4, we're reviving the tradition of visiting other clubs, and any member who would like to attend is welcome to be part of our club visitation at the Castleton Lions Club at the Trak Inn. See Treasurer Jay Niles if you plan to attend.

**GRANVILLE Lions Club**  
**King Lion Linda Ellingsworth**  
P.O. Box 4, Granville, NY 12832



[www.GranvilleLions.org](http://www.GranvilleLions.org)

Like our Facebook page:  
[www.facebook.com/pages/Granville-LionsClub/169389293132493?sk=walla](http://www.facebook.com/pages/Granville-LionsClub/169389293132493?sk=walla)

# Schuylerville Lions Club

By Lion Larry Alheim

Schuylerville Lions celebrated at their Christmas party, along with DG Linda Walsh. Everyone had to bring a TOY and some sort of food item for the food pantry or NO DINNER!



*DG Linda Walsh, Lion Dave Cummings, membership chairman, with 5 new Lion members and sponsors.*

**SCHUYLERVILLE Lions Club**  
**King Lion King Lion Margaret (Maggie) Chiperno**  
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New York State and Bermuda  
Multiple District Newspaper

[http://20y2lions.org/Newsletters/2012-10\\_MD20.pdf](http://20y2lions.org/Newsletters/2012-10_MD20.pdf)

**Guiding Eyes for the Blind**  
[www.guidingeyes.org/](http://www.guidingeyes.org/)

**Northeastern Association for the Blind at Albany**  
[www.naba-vision.org/](http://www.naba-vision.org/)

**Central Association for the Blind and Visually Impaired**  
[www.cabvi.org/](http://www.cabvi.org/)

**Lions Eye Bank at Albany**  
[www.lionseyebankalbany.org/](http://www.lionseyebankalbany.org/)

# Glens Falls Lions Club

By King Lion Beth Russell and Lion Sandie Clark

The Glens Falls Lions Club adopted a family of eight (6 Children and 2 Adult Children). Kudos to Lion Sandie Clark for coordinating this service project, all the Lions who shopped and/or donated the needed funds (over \$400) and to Lions Karen & Scott Rager for playing Santa and delivering thirty seven presents and gift card for food to the family. Thirty one Lions participated.

On December 8th, six Lions spent a total of eight service hours helping the local Salvation Army with their 2012 Fundraising Campaign.

Six Lions participated as wait staff and servers at the 5th Annual Community Christmas Breakfast. Three Lions helped to set up and decorate for the event and five Lions left their families on Christmas Morning to SERVE at the event. A total of 30 Lions service hours over a two day period were spent serving a total of 170 guests and 50 volunteers over 300 meals on Christmas Morning. King Lion Beth Russell worked for four months prior to Christmas to coordinate donations and obtain the needed volunteers to ensure a smooth running event.

An early 2013 event included the Glens Falls Club's first Red Cross Blood Drive on January 4th. Fifteen Lions worked either at the Blood Drive, or by making phone calls. We were able to help the Red Cross save 111 lives with the thirty seven pints donated that day, (seven of which were Lions). Many thanks to PDG Joan and Lion Mary Claire for suggesting and helping us get this lifesaving project off the ground.

The club will be donating \$250.00 worth of fitted/long twin sheets for the Camp Badger "Linen Shower" at the next cabinet meeting.

**SAVE the DATES!**

10th Annual Golf Tournament - Saturday, June 1, 2013  
2nd Annual Duathlon - Sunday, October 13, 2013

Best Wishes to all the Lions in District 20Y2 for a Happy, Healthy, and Successful 2013!

**GLENS FALLS Lions Club**

*King Lion Beth Russell*

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email contact on website ~

[www.glensfallsions.org](http://www.glensfallsions.org)



Like our Facebook page: Glens Falls Lions Club

# Town of Greenfield Lions Club

By Lion Verna Chandler Plummer

We have set up a new page for the Town of Greenfield Lions Club - please search us and LIKE the page!

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/330314455931/permalink/10151364582750932/#!/TownOfGreenfieldLionsClub?fref=ts>

**TOWN OF GREENFIELD Lions Club**  
*King Lion Ed Stano*

P. O. Box 188, Greenfield Center, NY



[estanojr@nycap.rr.com](mailto:estanojr@nycap.rr.com)

Like our Facebook page: Town of Greenfield Lions

## Upcoming Events

Tuesday, January 15, 2013

**Deadline for ordering chocolate  
Easter Bunnies to benefit your club  
and Lions Eye Institute**

Monday, January 28, 2013, 7PM

**Hearing Conservation Society meeting at RCIL,  
347 W. Main St, Amsterdam.**

**All Lions in 20Y2 are members of HCS**

Friday, February 1, 2013

**Lions Day at the U.N. Contact DG Linda for details.**

Saturday, February 9, 2013

**3rd Cabinet Meeting  
Senior Center, Cohoes, 9:30 am  
PDG Dick Ralston will speak on Diabetes**

For more information go to [www.20Y2.org](http://www.20Y2.org)

**Be Sure to Check Out Up to Date  
Information at These Websites:**

**District 20Y2**  
[20y2lions.org/](http://20y2lions.org/)

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

**Lions International**  
[www.lionsclubs.org/EN/index.php](http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/index.php)

# LITPC Youth Scholarship EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM APPLICATION 2012-2013 ACADEMIC SCHOOL YEAR

By Lion Gerry Minkler

This scholarship is intended for the children/grandchildren of Lions and/or Leo Club members. All scholarship applications must be processed through a Lions Trading Pin Club or a State/Area Scholarship Committee, and submitted to the Secretary of the Lions International Trading Pin Club.

**Scholarship Eligibility:** Applicant must be a graduating senior who has been accepted for admission to an accredited college or institution of higher learning.

Application forms and information will be posted on the LITPC website.

For more information go to [www.litpc.org/](http://www.litpc.org/)  
In the center section click on  
LITPC Scholarship Application Forms,  
then click on Scholarship Guidelines & Application Form

## Hadley Luzerne Lions Club

By King Lion Peter Watts

Hadley-Luzerne High School teachers are developing a program to encourage students to work on ways to help others and be of service to the community. They recently presented a program to the club detailing their program.



*Pictured left to right are teachers Janice Waterhouse, Janine Bieber and Karen Love with club program chairman Lion Peter Watts.*

For over 65 years the Hadley-Luzerne Lions Club has given food baskets to families in need in their area. This year 115 baskets were given away with turkeys and everything needed to do several meals including a



*Pictured above are, from left Lions Mike Pataki, Nancy Watts, Tom Diehl and Emily Heidrich along with Lion Tink Wright in the back.*



*Above: members of the Hadley-Luzerne Lions and Lioness Clubs work to sort food and fill food baskets for Christmas giving.*

complete  
Christmas  
dinner. This  
year 55 new  
coats were given to children along with new hats,  
mittens, scarves and gloves.

**HADLEY-LUZERNE Lions Club**  
P. O. Box 158, Lake Luzerne, NY 12846  
**King Lion Michelle Mayhew**  
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[www.hadleyluzernelionsclub.org](http://www.hadleyluzernelionsclub.org)

"Through Their Eyes  
- The Gift of Sight"  
2013  
Calendar



Each month showcases original artwork created by Capital District children expressing their appreciation for the gift of sight.

Every calendar sold benefits underprivileged children in need of eye care. This calendar is about children helping children.

For more information go to:  
[www.lionseyebankalbany.org](http://www.lionseyebankalbany.org)

\$8.00 Per Calendar - No Tax Due / Shipping Included

Make checks payable to:  
Lions Eye Bank at Albany  
6 Executive Park Drive  
Albany, NY 12203

**Status of club info on the 20-Y2 web site (20Y2Lions.org/clubs.htm) as of Oct 20, 2012**

Clubs with 2012-2013 info	Clubs with 2011-2012 info	Clubs with 2010-2011 info	Clubs with 2009-2010 info	Clubs with NO info
Albany & Troy	Amsterdam	Bethlehem	Waterford	Ams'dam Lionettes
Ballston Spa	Cambridge	Duane		Gloversville Aux.
Broadalbin/Perth	Deerfield	Ft Edward		Utica Auxiliary
Cent Mohawk Vall	Gloversville	Galway Leos		
Clinton	Herkimer	New Hartford		
Fonda/Fultonville	Holland Patent	Scotia/Glenville		Clinton Leos
Galway	Johnstown			Duanesburg Leos
Galway Lioness	Mech'ville/Stillwater			Herkimer Leos
Glens Falls	N Hartford Lioness			Saratoga Leos
Granville				Shenendehowa Leos
Granville Leos				
Granville Lioness				
Greenfield				
Greenwich				
Hadley/Luzerne				
Hadley/Luz Lioness				
Hoosick				
N Y Mills/White				
Northville/Sac				
Ravena				
Saratoga Springs				
Sauquoit Valley				
Schuylerville				
Speculator				
Utica				
Wright/SchoVal				
<b>26</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>
52.0%	18.0%	12.0%	2.0%	16.0%

If your club is listed in the 12-13 column, congratulations! Your cyber-rep is on the ball. If you're in the 11-12 column, that's not too bad, but it's time to update your info. If you're in the 10-11 or 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 or 235-8232 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)

## ATTENTION Zone Chairs

**Please complete this form  
after your club visits:**

[http://fs3.formsite.com/20Y2/form622183715/  
index.html](http://fs3.formsite.com/20Y2/form622183715/index.html)

## Lions Prayer

*Where Lions meet be present Lord,  
To weld our hearts in one accord,  
To do thy will, Lord make us strong,  
To aid the weak and right the wrong*

# Ballston Spa Lions Club

## Lions Help Toys for Tots

by Lion Marco Cuozzo and Lion Harry Petersen

On December 19th the Ballston Spa Lions Club celebrated Christmas with a special dinner provided by Mangino's Ristorante. In lieu of exchanging gifts the members invited IT1 Garrett J. Aldershoff, USN, to join us for dinner where we presented him with toys for the Toys For Tots program.

*Club contribution to Toys For Tots: Presenter King Lion Harry Petersen and Recipient IT1 Garrett J. Aldershoff, Naval Operation Support Center December 19, 2012.*



The Galway Lions were kind enough to host a visitation at The Cock 'n' Bull in Galway on November 12th.

Unfortunately, one of our own mischievous Lions couldn't control their urge to take an item to try and keep for themselves, which resulted in the "Great Gavel Get Away." It was eventually discovered that the gavel heist involved several Lions.

Aside from the good natured shenanigans, we were very happy to share a meal and a good time with our friends over in Galway and hope they will come back and visit us very soon, and this time we'll behave!



**BALLSTON SPA Lions Club**  
**King Lion Harry Petersen**  
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# Who's Who in 20Y2

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# Camp Badger

By PDG John Samples, Jr.

The Board of Directors and Staff at Lions Camp Badger would like to take this time to thank all of the volunteers who came to Lions Camp Badger in 2012 and spent their valuable time planting, building, cleaning, preparing, cooking, demolishing, mowing, trimming, etc. We'd especially like to thank the Lions Clubs that organized work parties to come for a weekend to work on their "adopted" cabin or another building that needed work. Dave was able to cross off a LOT of jobs from the project list this past year! Time spent is money saved.

Our Annual Appeal letters have been mailed and should have been delivered to your mailboxes by now. Please remember Lions Camp Badger in your annual giving. Your donations are so appreciated.

Thank you for your continued support of the youth/young adults for which we provide a fun summer experience!

## Visitors to Lions Camp Badger 2012

Month	Event	# of visitors
April	21 Big Flats Lions	4
	28 Niagara Lions	4
May	4 - 6 District 20-Y2 Reg/Zone	10
	12 Wolcott Lions	4
	15 - 16 Penn Yan Lions - work on lagoon	2
	18 - 20 Lansing Cub Scout troop - community service weekend	40
	26 - 28 Town of Greenfield Lions	6
	26 - 28 Broadalbin - Perth Lions	6
June	30 Martisco Lions	6
	1 Spencer Van Etten Elementary Field Day	400+
	2 Gasport Lions & Newfane Lions	6
	1 - 3 Rainbow Girls weekend camping (rental)	45
	8 - 10 Wellsville Lions	6
	8 - 10 Project New Hope weekend retreat	14
	13 IBM Employees - Day of Caring volunteer day	57
	13 Mamakating Lions	6
	16 Spencer Van Etten Youth Baseball picnic (rental)	175
	16 Tioga Nichols Lions	4
	23 Gates Lions	6
	23 Rushville Lions	6
	30 Wedding Reception (rental)	180
	July	8 - 14 Lions Camp Badger Summer Camp - week 1
15 - 21 Lions Camp Badger Summer Camp - week 2		25
14 Graduation Party (rental)		55
22 Lions Camp Badger - Lions Appreciation Day 1		25
23 - 27 Vacation Bible Day camp (rental)		
August	12- 15 Family gathering for a funeral (Lions member rental)	12
	18 Wedding Reception (rental)	60

	19 Faith Bible Chapel picnic (rental)	40
	24 - 26 Project New Hope weekend retreat	130
September	1 - 3 West Danby First Baptist Church weekend retreat (rental)	110
	17 - 22 Alfred State University-Heavy Equipment - week of projects	22
	28 - 30 Bloomfield Lions	12
October	1 - 31 No. Spencer Christian Academy Soccer	40-60
	5 - 6 Wellsville Lions	7
	8 - 12 Alfred State University-Heavy Equipment-week of projects	20
	20 Big Flats Lions	5
	20 Project New Hope Board of Directors Meeting	11
	20 - 21 Spencer Boy Scout Troop 17 rough camping	17
November TOTAL	10 Family gathering for a funeral (rental) 1	6
TOTAL		1741

Camp Badger recently received a letter from the daughters of Sally Richards, who was a Nurse here at the camp from 1973 until 1984. During a recent visit, they shared their fond memories of the camp, having spent many summers here with their mom working as the nurse, and mentioned some key people by name, including Jim Dormady and of course, Ed Badger. The Camp also received a donation from the Richards, in memory of their mother Sally.

[Editor's Note: Unfortunately due to space constraints and the poor quality of the reproduction of the letter, it is not published here.]

EMPIRE STATE SPECIAL NEEDS EXPERIENCE INC.  
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 www.lionscb.org

## District Dues Reminder

If you have not as yet done so,  
 please make club checks out to  
 "District 20Y2" and send to:

**PDG Letti Saheim**  
**Cabinet Treasurer**  
**117 Hansen Road**  
**Schaghticoke, NY 12154**



# **THIRD** District 20Y2 **Cabinet** **Meeting**

Saturday February 9th, 2013

**Cohoes Senior Center**

**10 Cayuga Street, Cohoes, NY 12047**

9:30 Registration

10:00 Meeting

\$5.00 Coffee and donuts/no lunch

\$12.00 Coffee/donuts/lunch

Speaker: PDG Dick Ralston on Diabetes

We will be having a "Linen Shower" for Camp Badger. Towels, washclothes, single sheets, blankets, beach towels and pillows are all welcomed!

**RSVP no later than February 7, 2013  
to PDG Lettie Saheim at 518-753-7867  
or [Isaheim@nycap.rr.com](mailto:Isaheim@nycap.rr.com)**

# RUBY SHOOZ



GALWAY LIONS CLUB 14th  
CABIN FEVER SONGFEST with

# RUBY SHOOZ

*Presenting the sounds of the 50's + 60's*

Opening for RUBY SHOOZ will be THE FLIPSYDZ

An a capella doo-wop quartet

Dancing & Period Dress are encouraged

**Saturday**

**Feb. 9**

**7:00 PM**

Advance sales  
\$18

Door sales  
\$20

VIP SEATING  
check web site

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## 2013 LIONS CLUB MATCHING GRANT APPLICATION

At its inception and throughout its early history, the existence and initial success of our Sight Society of NENY at Albany, Inc., very much depended upon the financial and active support of Lions clubs in the service area of Districts O, Y2 and W. Although our basic mission, with the continued support of our clubs, remains the same, the services of our Lions Eye Bank have expanded to include our present state-of-the-art facility and programs maintained by an Executive Director and staff of nine.

Today, our not-for-profit organization finds itself in a position with the financial resources to help clubs promote our joint mission of sight conservation by providing matching funds to implement specific projects with that object in mind.

The kinds of projects or programs we wish to help support should not duplicate those already available from other sources. Programs that encompass broader, sustainable activities are most desirable; areas like "Diabetes and Sight," "Senior Sight Conservation," "Sight Conservation Education in Schools," "Nurse-Teacher Informational Programs," Health Fairs with Sight Conservation Components" among others which come immediately to mind.

Projects not eligible for consideration include services available through traditional Lions programs for individuals like (a). club programs which provide eye exams and eyeglasses through arrangements made with optometrists and/or optical companies (LensCrafters etc.), (b). medical treatments / surgery referable for assistance from a Lions Eye Institute / Lions Foundation at Albany, NY.

Our matching grant program for each year will focus on a particular theme or area. For our first year in 2013, we are looking to support club projects with an emphasis on "**Senior Sight Conservation.**"

1. Who is eligible to apply? Lions clubs, Lioness clubs, and Leo clubs in Districts W, Y2 and O.
2. Amount of Grant – Variable grant requests for any amount up to \$500 will be considered.
3. Recipient clubs must agree to match, from other financial resources, the full amount of the grant as approved by the Grant Committee. Note that value of club members' donated time does not qualify as matching resources.
4. Grant applications may be submitted at any time and shall consist of a clear statement of the nature and purpose of the project along with any other details deemed appropriate by the applicant. A proposed budget of how grant monies will be spent consistent with our Lions Code of Ethics must also be provided as part of the application process.
5. It is expected that clubs will complete approved projects within one year of receiving the grant. Upon completion, submission of a comprehensive written report reviewing the outcome of the project is required from successful grant applicants. This will include a financial statement citing expenditures, payments to vendors etc. incurred during the program. Arrangements to return to the Society, any unspent funds should be made by the club.
6. Clubs receiving awards through the grant program are urged to publicize their projects through club, district, state and international media.

