



## Lake Metigoshe Melt Contest

Every year the Lake Metigoshe Lions Club hosts a contest to guess when the 'Can' will fall completely through the ice on Lake Metigoshe.

People can purchase a ticket(s) for \$2.50 and make their guess(es) by April 1. The closest guess wins the 50/50 jackpot. This is one of the Club's major fund-raising projects and it's been a border tradition since 2000.

Last April, the winner Karry Greene (Minot) received over \$6,400, and it came as a timely blessing. He had a motorcycle accident earlier that summer and the medical bills had started to arrive in the mail.

Anyone around the U.S. can have the opportunity to make their guesses and see the 'Can' on a live webcam at [www.metigoshemelt.com](http://www.metigoshemelt.com). Hint: the 'Can' weighs approximately 700 pounds and weekly ice measurements are posted on their Facebook page.



## Women are BLOOMING in Lions

by Crystal Dueker  
MD5 New Voices Coordinator

March 8th was International Women's Day and is the perfect time to reflect on the impact of women that have joined Lions since 1987. Many clubs enjoyed the volunteer spirit of women, prior to them joining Lions,

including volunteers from Lioness clubs assisting with service projects alongside the men.

Did you know the first female District Governor from South Dakota was Lynn Moran in 1994? In 1997, the first female District Governors from North Dakota, Dolly Alef and Dorothy Polson,

served the same year. The first female District Governor from Saskatchewan was Louise Ferniuk in 1998. Now, numerous women have served as District Governors, leading the clubs in their district through service in their community and support of Lions causes.

During those years, some

of the Lioness clubs transitioned into Lions clubs with their female members becoming a District Governor. Marion Johnson, a Bismarck Prairie Rose Club member, is an example as she became District Governor in 2005.

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Gateway Lions, wearing blue attire, are pictured after their March 4th meeting. "WEAR BLUE DAY" is a day to spread awareness of colon cancer.

## Jail Chaplains Ministry program helping others

Gerri Leach, Jail Chaplains Ministry Board of Directors, was the speaker at the Gateway Lions Club meeting on January 28th. She talked about the ministry of the program. 85% of the inmates are there because of drug related issues. The goal and purpose of the program is to help individuals right their lives. The program uses the Bible to help inmates get a fresh start. Lesson sheets help inmates solve "LIFE CONTROLLING PROBLEMS". The program, which is in the Fargo-West Fargo areas, works closely with the Cass County Sheriff's office.

Shawn Gebree, a recovering addict, also addressed the group. He had been in and out of prison for many



Gerri Leach, Jail Chaplains Ministry Board of Directors, talks about the program at a Gateway Lions Club meeting.

years and had contemplated suicide. Then he found out about Jail Chaplain Ministry. He has been drug free for four years, is leading a

constructive life and owns Babb's Coffee Shop in downtown Fargo. He feels he owes his new life to Jail Chaplain Ministry.



Shawn Gebree talks about how his involvement with Jail Chaplains Ministry helped in his addiction recovery.

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# How to Tickle a Lion

By Service Chair Crystal Dueker

On February 11th, the local floral shop in Ellendale had seven roses in their vases tucked inside a box, waiting to be delivered to various Lion members in town. Lion Karen Hoffman and her husband made the deliveries. President Andrew and Lion Ruby each got their gift at their homes and then it was on to Lion Jan's apartment. The next deliv-

ery was to Sec./Treas. Don, who smiled while co-worker and new member Wonada said "I am tickled pink!". The last rose was also a gesture of welcome to the club to new member Lion Dawn. Her joining is all the more special since her grandfather had been a Lion and grandmother had donated her eyes to help others. Dawn and her husband, Keith, are joining to carry on the tradition of serving others.

A big "Thank you" goes out to Lion Karen for being the hands to deliver these gifts of love and fellowship to Ellendale club members. It was a gift in appreciation for their continued efforts this year to help their community. One example is the Ellendale Lions recent donation to the school teachers to use for items needed by their students.

I hope these Lions are all "tickled pink!"



## Carrington Lions Club & Gate City Bank Al Larson Memorial 4 Person Golf Scramble

Male · Female · Co-ed

**Friday, June 10, 2022**

CrossRoads Golf Course · Carrington, ND  
393 Highway 281 NE (about 1 mile  
North of Carrington)  
Registration starting at 10:30 a.m.  
Shotgun Start at 11:15 a.m.

**Entry Fee:**

\$60 a person/\$240 Team  
Includes Green Fees, Mulligans, Lions String,  
Prizes, Lunch & Supper  
FREE SNACKS ON THE COURSE  
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**Cash Team Prizes: \$1,200 Team Prize Money** (prizes vary slightly based on entries)

**Hole Prizes: (Contest on each hole)**

**REGISTER EARLY FOR THIS TOURNAMENT ALMOST FILLED UP IN 2021!**

**REGISTER EARLY · Only 36 Teams - Deadline: June 7, 2022**

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Send registration to: Karla Michaelson, 268 2nd ST. N., Carrington, ND 58421  
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Visit CrossRoads Golf & Recreation Parkway at [www.crossroadsgolf.com](http://www.crossroadsgolf.com)

# Club News

## Dacotah Mandan



At the Dacotah Mandan Lions “Soup’s On Celebration”, 5NW District Governor Scott Ressler presented Years of Service Awards (left to right): Lion Dale Froemming - 40 years (received by PDG Jan Froemming), Lion Shirley Schafer - 18 years, PDG Sherry Fetch - 15 years, and Lion Helen Baumgartner - 15 years. Not present: Lion Paul Verlinde - 10 years, PCC Arlen Fetch - 15 years and PCC Dale Ekstrom - 30 years.



“Soups On Awards” were presented at the Dacotah Mandan Lions “Soup’s On Celebration” to the three top soups selected by those that attended the evening’s fun (left to right): Lion LeAnn Eckroth - 3rd place, Lion Rick Willoughby - 1st place and Lion Allen Shreve - 2nd place. There were nine soups submitted. An enjoyable evening was had by all.



Dacotah Mandan Lions gathering at our Annual Christmas Party. It was wonderful to be able to gather and enjoy each other in person. Fun was had by all!



The Dacotah Mandan Lions also celebrated their Annual Charter Celebration Remembrance by taking to heart memories from Charter Member, Lion Shirley Schafer and enjoyed cake prepared by Lion Danielle Moe, pictured.

**Reminder: ND Lion DEADLINE**  
**is the 7th of the month!**

# Club News

## Williston



Penny Slagle speaks to our club on March 1st regarding the Clay Target League. Williston has the largest chapter in the country! Penny was also voted as Williston's Citizen of the Year in February!



Lion Tammie Richardson is inducted as club president in January after the sudden passing of Lion President Terry Haugen.

## Blooming

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In 2016, Eunice Cameron, from Regina, became the first female Council Chair of Multiple District 5. Pat Vannett became our first female International Director, serving from 2017 to 2019. Worldwide, in 2018, Lions International celebrated its first female President, Gudrun Yngvadottir from Iceland.

Over these past decades, there has been continuous blooming of representation by women, standing shoulder to shoulder with men to serve others in need.

If you are attending the Cypress Hills, Sask. MD5 convention, you will see for yourselves the wide array of men and women of all ages in Lions from across each of our six districts that are ready to serve. It will be exciting to gather again in Canada and shake hands as International Lions members.

# MD5 LIONS CONVENTION

May 12-15, 2022



### ACCOMMODATIONS

#### ROOMS ARE GOING FAST!

Why not buddy up with your Lions Club members and book a Townhouse or Cabin (sleeps 4-8).  
Book by phone (306-662-4477) before March 12 under block 'MD5 Lions'.



View Rooms at *The Perfect Spot! The Resort at Cypress Hills*

### CAMPING

#### CAMPING at MD5 CONVENTION

- First-come basis – stop at the **Park Office** to register
- Lots of sites available!
- Electrical service but NO water hookup
- Outhouse only (this time of year)
- **Located about 1 KM from The Resort at Cypress Hills**



More questions? Contact Cypress Hills Interprovincial Park directly at 306-662-5411

### PROGRAM

#### MD5 CONVENTION PROGRAM HEADLINERS -

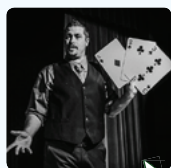
- **International Director** – Larry Edwards, Altoona, PA
- **David Manley** – Volunteer Burnout: Here are Signs and What You Can Do!
- **Lion Ron Morris** – Cracking Your Happiness Code – A Primer for Grumpy People!
- **Ryan Wunsch** – South West Saskatchewan Beauty
- **Lion Mel Foat & Warden** – Chairman, Lions Foundation of Canada Dog Guides – Life After Blindness
- **Kaleb Dahlgren** – Humboldt Bronco Survivor and Diabetes Advocate
- **Alvin Law** – Be a Giver, Not a Taker – Why Service Work Matters



### ENTERTAINMENT



• **The Bromantics** – Twist the Night Away!



• **Trevor Moore** – Experience the Magic

### REGISTRATION / EARLY BIRD PRIZE

#### EXTENDED!

Register before **MARCH 19, 2022** to WIN!

Prize graciously donated & stocked with local beverages by the Climax Lions Club.



Register **HERE Today**

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Got a cool Silent Auction Item for MD5 in Cypress Hills?  
Contact Eston 95 Lion Marion Andrews (morrisa@sasktel.net or 306-962-7457) and let her know!

### TRADE SHOW

Need a Trade Show table at MD5 in Cypress Hills?  
Book now through Lion Barb McAleese (barbara4j@gmail.com or 306-535-4191).

### TRAVELLING FROM THE USA?

We're looking forward to seeing Lions from South of the 49! Rules around travelling to Canada continue to evolve. Prior to leaving the US, be sure to keep up-to-date here so you are not denied access at the border:

- COVID-19: Travel, testing and borders – [Travel.gc.ca](http://Travel.gc.ca)



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# 5NE DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S REPORT

Greetings Fellow Lions. The following is a message from our International President, Douglas X. Alexander. "From now to the end of our Lions year, let's focus on strengthening our clubs with the incredible connections we share. Encourage each other to grow to their full potential as Lions and community leaders. Remember, as we give our service from our hearts, the best is yet to come."

In step with IP Alexander's encouragement, we have an opportunity to attend our 5NE Spring Rally in Jamestown, ND, on April 9th. Besides learning what your district is doing, there are training sessions for zone chairs, presidents, and secretaries.

In February I visited Lions Clubs in Zeeland and Lehr, ND. Both clubs are active and are doing great things in their community. I inducted one new member in Zeeland. Lehr Lions were celebrating their 48th anniversary when I attended, and presently they are planning for a comprehensive membership drive.

NOTICE: Now is the time to establish your slate of officers for the 2022-2023 Lion's year. PLEASE make your selections in March and prepare to VOTE no later than March or early April. RECORD your new officers with LCI between 1st to the 15th of May. Since LCI needs to update new officers from 46,000 clubs globally...don't wait until June to do this. In June, the LCI website shuts down for a while to update their database. DON'T miss out in getting your officers recorded for the 2022-2023 Lions year. This will also allow you to get your officers included in next year's 5NE district directory.

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LCI has reported that 17.5 million lives have been impacted globally in January. That is with 46% of clubs reporting. Imagine what the numbers would show if 100% of clubs responded. Our district 5NE is below this average at 38%. In February, I conducted a Zoom session with Zone Chairs on the process for recording service to MyLion. They should now be able to assist club secretaries with the process. For those club secretaries still not able to enter service on-line, for various reasons, THERE ARE TWO OTHER OPTIONS. (1) If your club has a Service Chair, that person can report service hours; (2) If your club has no Service Chair, A 'Club Administrator' can be appointed. Once the Club Administrator has been listed along with the other officers on the LCI website, that person can enter your club's service activities.

An added feature this month is to get to know our DGE Scott Hildre from Gateway Lions in Fargo. He was born in McVille ND and attended high school there.

He played all sports but preferred basketball and football. He developed a sense for business while working at his dad's General Store in McVille. After high school, he attended Mayville State University and the University of North Dakota. While in Grand Forks, Scott learned the ins-and-outs of running a business while working for Sam Silverman at Silverman's Men's Clothing Store. Eventually he became manager of Richman Brothers Men's Store at West Acres in Fargo. Scott was successful in leading the store from 18th to 1st in the region. Later he became Assistant Manager in charge of Marketing at West Acres. After his employment at West Acres, he held several sales positions in radio and television. The remainder of his professional career was in real estate. He did this for twenty years and retired in 2019.

Scott has been a Lion for 46 years and was a Deputy DG during the years 1987-1988, when the system was slightly different than it is now. He has received numer-

ous Lions awards. A couple are, Lion of the Year Award in 1990 and a Dedicated Service award from the Lions Foundation of ND. Lion Scott was the first member of Gateway Lions to receive a Melvin Jones Fellowship. He has held all club offices as well as zone chair and Guiding Lion. As DG, he will stress membership and establishing new clubs.

Scott married his wife Miriam in 1981. Being a parent and grandparent is special to Scott. He has three children and seven grandchildren. As in Lions and life, Scott feels he has been blessed and believes in giving back to those who are in need.

"We serve with love and compassion in communities around the World"

International President, Douglas X. Alexander

"Lions do Magical things"

"Teamwork makes the Dream work"

**Please send us your comments,  
letters to the editor, what's new, etc.**

**Send us your pictures!**

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Any questions call 463-2201!



## Camp Quality Black Hills – A Camp for Kids Affected by Cancer

We serve kids affected by cancer and their siblings (ages 5-17). Our camp is staffed by medical professionals and offers a place where fun happens, and kids discover a safe place to be themselves and grow in a supportive community.

Kids affected by cancer and their siblings are welcome to join us for a week of camp, full of fun activities, campfires, and s'mores.

**All Camp Quality camps and programs are offered at no-cost.**

**When:** June 26 to July 1

**Where:** Dakota Frontier Camp / Sturgis, SD (1 mile west of Bear Butte Lake campground)

### To Register:

**Registration:** Opens January 1, 2022  
<https://www.campqualityusa.org/bh/campers/>

### More Information, contact:

Bailey Zwahr, Camp Program Director  
[bailey.zwahr@campqualityusa.org](mailto:bailey.zwahr@campqualityusa.org)

### Want to Help?

**VOLUNTEER:** Camp Quality Black Hills is looking for community volunteers. To find out more:  
<https://www.campqualityusa.org/bh/ways-to-help/donate-time/volunteers/>

**DONATE:** Camp Quality Black Hills is an independently funded and all programs are supported by donations. If you would like to support us in providing this program in your community, you can donate online at:  
<https://www.campqualityusa.org/bh/ways-to-help/donate-money/>

Or, you can mail your check to:

Camp Quality Black Hills  
PO Box 35 | Sturgis, SD 57785



Camp Quality is a nonprofit program for kids and families affected by cancer, with camps and programs in 17 states. To learn more, go to [campqualityusa.org](http://campqualityusa.org)

# Club News

## Carrington



President Jenni Wede presents a Years of Membership Award to Lion Gerald Paulson who accepted the award for his son, Lion Matt, who has been a member for twenty-five years.



On March 2 the Carrington Lions Club inducted two new members. Pictured are new members Debra Leapaldt (left), Tyre Leapaldt (right) and Lion Sharon Paintner (center).



Years of Membership Award was presented by President Jenni Wede to Lion Howard Nelson for his fifteen years of membership.



Carrington Lions Club donate a money tree to the Karen Neumiller benefit silent auction. Neumiller lost her home to a fire in January. The spaghetti supper and auction was held on Sunday February 27 at the St Elizabeth Hall in Sykeston, ND.

## Red River



President Bill Steckler receives the 'Model Club Patch' presented to the Red River Lions Club by District Governor, Joe Sowokinos.

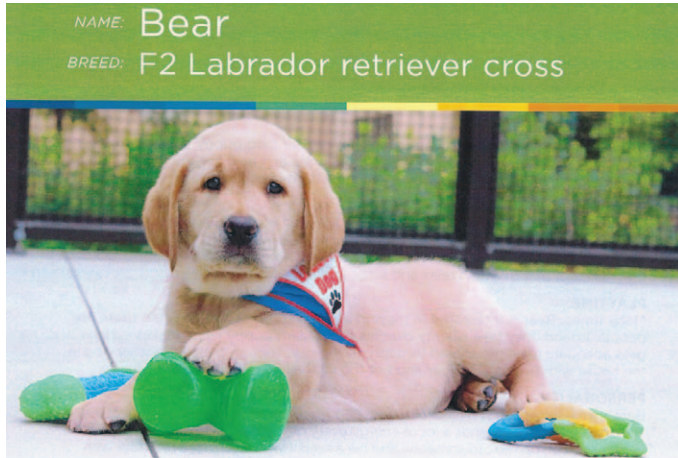
## Zeeland



A new member is inducted into the Zeeland Lions Club (Kevin L. Huber, right) with sponsor Michael Meier (center).



## Horace



**PERSONALITY:** Fast, Nosy, Rambunctious  
**GENDER:** Male  
**FAVORITE TOY:** KONG® bone  
**ZODIAC SIGN:** Taurus  
**LINEAGE:** Dam/Mom: Uli, golden/Labrador retriever cross  
 Sire/Dad: Whisky, Labrador retriever  
**GROWING UP IN:** Michigan

Horace Lions have been a sponsor of Leader Dogs for many years. We received the stuffed Puppy 'Bear' because we are sponsors of four puppies this year. If you would like more information about the program, please contact: [LeaderDog.org](http://LeaderDog.org).

At our February 10th meeting, the Horace Lions took part in a zoom meeting with Leader Dogs for the Blind from Rochester Hills, Michigan. Lions Engagement Specialist Mike Dengage, along with two recipients of Leader Dogs, presented an informative program about the mission of Leader Dogs. They work across the USA and Canada to provide a leader dog to those in need, free of charge.

Here are the NORTH DAKOTA numbers.

- 4 Active Leader Dog Teams
  - 24 Teams historically
  - 6 O&M (White Cane) Clients
  - 1 Summer Experience Campers (16 & 17 year olds)



## Oakes



The Oakes Lions held their annual Valentines party and cake auction on February 15, 2022 at the Angry Beaver Lodge in Oakes, ND. There were 24 Lions and guests in attendance. All had a very enjoyable evening with a great meal.

The Jud Service Dogs will attend the Oakes Lions next meeting and bring their new pups to introduce them to the Oakes Lions. At this time they will be presented the check from the cake auction in the amount of \$1350



The Lions baked eleven unique cakes each with their own theme. The cake auction raised \$1350 which will be donated to the Jud Service Dogs of Jud, ND.



## 5NW DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S REPORT

### Greeting Lions

Wow the Lion year is flying by so fast. The good thing is that the weather is starting to get a bit warmer, and that is very good.

Hopefully by the time you read this article you will have received information on how to contribute to the 5NW Gateway to Science fund. This is a big commitment for us all and one we all can be proud of. I'm so excited to see what our Lions Eye exhibit will look like. We recently did free vision screenings at a family day event held at Gateway to Science. It was really a blast, and I can tell you that we had many people come by and say their kids had the screening already by Lions and "thank you Lions for what you do. It is great". I'm positive that our display will make us all very proud. Not only will people see the Lions name, and information when they visit the Gateway to Science building, but they will also see us with our mobile display as it trav-

els around the state. We are hoping that local clubs will be able to volunteer as the Gateway to Science mobile van comes to a location close to you. We'll be sending out information letting clubs know when and how they can volunteer for the great program.

For those clubs that will be contributing to the program, you will be able to do so by sending your check directly to the bank where the account is. We are setting up a separate account for this fund, which will allow us easily monitor the account activity and make it easier for us to provide the information to LCIF for additional grant money for the program. My goal is that each club will donate \$100 a year over the next 5 years. I'm being realistic and I understand some clubs may not be able to do-

nate that amount, but I know other clubs will make larger contributions. I only ask you to consider this cause.

I'm also working on getting out a report to clubs about funds that are sitting with LCIF. The list I will be sending will have names of Lions that have a balance at LCIF. Many Lions are close to a Melvin Jones Fellowship and a small contribution will bring them up to the prestigious recognition. Many have small balances, and the Lion can continue saving for a MJ Fellowship or decide to give it to another member or the club. We in 5NW do such a great job contributing to LCIF. If in fact, we were able to turn in all the funds that are just sitting with LCIF, we would be able to award 190 Melvin Jones Fellowships, can you imagine that? I will

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get this information out to your club President and Secretary by email. Please consider having a club discussion about these funds and let's make the most of them!

Now with the weather getting warmer, we are all looking at more club activities and that is great. We can't forget our motto "We Serve". With all we went through the past couple of years, we all need to plan for activities that will serve our communities. What a great way to bring in new members by inviting them to a service project. Let a new prospect get involved and you have a great chance of them becoming a new member. Have a wonderful Lion spring!

Yours in Lionism,  
DG Scott Ressler

A promotional graphic for a golf tournament. On the left, a golfer in a white shirt and dark shorts is captured mid-swing, hitting a golf ball. The background is a dark grey gradient. Text is arranged in a vertical stack on the right side. At the top, a dark grey box contains the text "LEGEND OF LOFTY" in white, bold, sans-serif font. Below this, another dark grey box contains "Golf Tournament" in a white, italicized serif font. Underneath, the text "Hosted by:" is in a white, italicized serif font, followed by "Bismarck Lions Club" in a white, sans-serif font. A circular logo for the Lions International is positioned to the right of the text. At the bottom, a large, stylized golf ball is shown on a green tee. The main text on the right, "Save the Date to Join Us", is in a large, white, serif font. Below that, "MONDAY" is in a white, sans-serif font, followed by "JULY 18, 2022" in a white, sans-serif font. At the bottom, "Hawktree Golf Club" is written in a large, white, serif font.

**LEGEND OF LOFTY**  
*Golf Tournament*  
*Hosted by:*  
Bismarck Lions Club  
**LIONS INTERNATIONAL**  
MONDAY  
JULY 18, 2022  
**Hawktree Golf Club**



# 2022 ND Lions State Convention

October 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup>

Devils Lake, North Dakota

Convention Site: Spirit Lake Casino and Resort, 7889 ND-57 St. Michael, ND 58370

**Convention Registration Fees**

October 24, 2021  
to  
June 30, 2022 - \$85

July 1, 2022  
to  
October 21, 2022 - \$115

**Banquet entree (circle option)**

Chicken Cordon Blu

or

Swiss Steak

**Questions Contact**

Lion Kristi Swenson  
701-302-0155  
kristi.swenson0155@gmail.com

Lion Jennifer Suko  
701-320-1852  
sukojennifer@gmail.com

Mail Registration to: Kristi Swenson, 414 1<sup>st</sup> Ave N, New Rockford, ND 58356

(Please use a separate form for each registrant)

..... I need special vision accommodations (explain on the back of this registration form)

..... I need special meal accommodations (explain on the back of this registration form)

Name:.....LION or GUEST (Circle One)

Preferred Badge Name:.....Lions Club: .....

Address: .....

Phone:.....E-Mail: .....

No refunds for the \$65 registration. Refunds after June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022 is 50% of the registration fee. E-mail your refund request to Lion Kristi Swenson (kristi.swenson0155@gmail.com) no later than September 20, 2022.

## Lodging Information

<https://spiritlekecasino.com/>

Hotel rooms at Spirit Lake Casino and Resort are blocked off for the convention at \$75 a night. Reservations may be made after January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Please call 701-766-4888 and tell them you are a Lion. Let's fill the hotel with the Lions!

**Make checks payable to ND State Lions Convention**

# Club News

## Gateway



Gateway Lions Club members as they work during the Danell Dougherty Benefit, (left to right) Mary Ann Zwinger, Angie (from LEND A HAND UP), Brad Renslow, Phil Sallberg, John Postivit, Mike Little, Gary Speidel, President Gelaine Orvik (welcoming everyone to the benefit), Duane Zwinger, Neil Pederson and Bruce Harmon. Notice the "TEAM DANELL" T-Shirts all Gateway Lions Club members are wearing.



Danell Dougherty's family (left to right) Darin Ordahl (brother), Bud Ordahl (brother), Denise Lutz (sister), Elaine Warren (Danell's Mother), Danell & Dave Dougherty and Delwin Ordahl (brother).



Pictured above are Terry Moe (auctioneer) and Angie Moe (clerk) as they work the LIVE AUCTION during the Danell Dougherty Benefit. The Moe's are from Watford City and very close friends of the Dougherty's.



Danell Dougherty as she addresses the crowd during her benefit.

# Club News

## Gateway



Part of the nice crowd in attendance for the Danell Dougherty Benefit as they are playing bingo.



Lion Keith Zeuschel, from the Horace Lions Club as he is calling numbers for Bingo for the Danell Dougherty Benefit. The popcorn cakes were a valuable item in the live auction as they went for \$400 each.



The banner which shows the details of the Danell Dougherty Benefit.

## Watford City



This awesome Watford City Lion, Hannah Langerud or DG Joe Sowokinos?, came to help with vision screenings at the Watford City Elementary School. She is sporting the esteemed District 5NE Joe Sowokinos' District Governor pin. I think she is holding the pin for ransom. So, 5NE Lions, are you going to pay the bail to get the pin back for DG Joe?

Visit  
[www.e-district.org/sites/5nw](http://www.e-district.org/sites/5nw)  
to see what's happening  
in your district 5NW



**District 5 NW ~ 21st Annual Spring Rally**  
**Saturday, April 2nd , 2022**  
**8:00 am – 4:00 pm**  
**Wilton Public School**

**Hosted by the Wilton & Washburn Lions**

## REGISTRATION FORM

Name of Club: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**1st Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Rallies Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Offices Held: \_\_\_\_\_

**2nd Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Rallies Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Offices Held: \_\_\_\_\_

**3rd Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Rallies Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Offices Held: \_\_\_\_\_

**4th Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Rallies Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Offices Held: \_\_\_\_\_

**5th Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Rallies Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Offices Held: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return this registration form by March 15, 2022 to DGE Jeanette Bean at [jeanettebean2019@gmail.com](mailto:jeanettebean2019@gmail.com) or 209 Cheyenne Avenue ~ Bismarck ND 58501**

# District 5NE Spring Rally Agenda

April 9 at Orlady Hall, University of Jamestown, Jamestown ND

**8:30 – 9:00** Registration  
**9:00 – 9:15** Opening Ceremonies  
Welcome/Introductions/Announcements/  
Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag—DG Joe  
Sowokinos  
**9:20 – 10:05** 5NE Web site, My Lion, Lions  
Learning Center, and Tech Support – IPDG Grant  
Kahlbaugh  
**10:05 – 10:20** State Convention Report – Lion  
Kristi Swenson  
**10:30 – 11:10** Membership – 1st VDGE Rick Stark  
**11:10 – 11:50** District Governor Advisory  
Committee – DG Joe Sowokinos  
**12:00 – 1:30** Lunch, Tail Twisting and Keynote  
Speaker – PID Pat Vannett

**1:40 – 2:00** LFND – 2nd VDGE Kirk Tingum  
**2:05 – 2:50** Breakout Training Sessions  
Presidents Training – Lion IPP Darrell  
Costain – Room 24  
Secretaries Training – 2nd VDGE Kirk  
Tingum – Room 26  
**3:00 – 3:15** Closing Ceremonies  
Closing Remarks by DG Joe Sowokinos and  
DGE Scott Hildre  
**3:30 – 5:00** Cabinet Meeting  
*Please register using the Registration Link:*  
[https://www.signupgenius.com/  
go/9040C4BAFAC29A4FC1-joint](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040C4BAFAC29A4FC1-joint)  
*Any Question, please contact DGE Scott Hildre at:*  
[Scott.davis.hildre@gmail.com](mailto:Scott.davis.hildre@gmail.com) or text or call him at  
701-799-6400

## 2022 District 5NE Spring Rally

You are invited to the 2022 District 5NE Spring Rally. It will be held on Saturday April 9th, in Orlady Hall located on the University of Jamestown Campus. (see map below)

Registration will be from 8:30-9:00 AM. Welcome and Introduction will be at 9 AM.

Our International Guest and Keynote Speaker will be Past International Director Lion Pat Vannett. She lives in Bismarck and is one of our own.

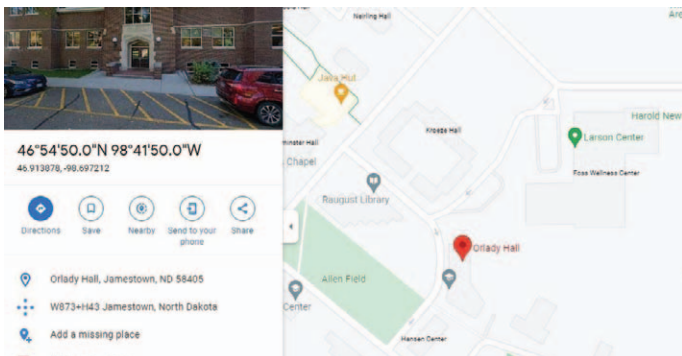
Even if you have been to a Spring Rally before or if you think you know all there is to know about being a club officer, please join us. We promise to give you something new to take back to your club. Come and meet your District Governor team!! Let us know how we can help you as a Lion or your Club with any issue. You will also have the opportunity to meet other club officers from your zone and your district. Let's talk about issues you or your club may have and share ideas about service projects for fundraisers. We can all help each other to be better Lions and to embrace our Motto "We Serve".

We will have breakout sessions for Club Officer Training.

PRE-REGISTER AT:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040C4BAFAC29A4FC1-joint>

If you have any questions regarding the Spring Rally please contact DGE Scott Hildre at (701) 799-6400 or email at [lionscotthildre@gmail.com](mailto:lionscotthildre@gmail.com).



District 5 NW  
21st Annual Spring Rally  
Saturday, April 2, 2022  
8 a.m.  
Wilton Public School  
504 Dakota Avenue,  
Wilton, ND 58575

## Bridging the Gap through Service



You do not want to miss out on an awesome opportunity to get together with Lions of 5NW! We have a great speaker along some great training scheduled and maybe even a service project. We need to break last year's attendance! WE CAN DO IT!

