

Partners in Service make Horace Lions history and create a living legacy

Lions clubs are often called the heart of their communities. In Horace, the Lions Club is always active with everyone from school-age to senior citizens. That is one of the things that attracted Sarah and Arlin Fisher to the club.

They moved to Horace in 2002 and noticed all the contributions the club makes. Arlin, who worked for more than 27 years with Microsoft, is now a realtor. Sarah, who has been in healthcare for 34 years, is a CNA at Sanford Hospital, and had owned and managed Bolton Mobile Signs. They raised eight children together, adding two sons-in-law and three grandchildren.

Now they serve the Horace Lions Club, making history as co-presidents. The club adapts, they say, when the community faces challenges.

It was a personal and heartbreaking happening that brought the club's heart to the Fishers. In late June 2018, Sarah was watching the news when there was a report of a fatal car crash near Fargo. Two hours later someone from the trauma center at Sanford Hospital, where she works, called. Her son, Cameron, was in that accident. He was declared brain dead. His heart had been restarted at the accident scene. Cameron died July 2.

Through donation, he saved five lives the day he died. The boy who loved farming and machines, his family and fun, became an organ and tissue



Arlin and Sarah

donor and an inspiration. He benefitted 102 individuals. The oldest recipient was 83. Transplants took place in 21 states, including North Dakota, as well as one patient in Great Britain. Cameron's cornea donation was through Dakota Lions Sight and Health.

The Horace Lions Club became like family, Sarah said. When Sarah and Arlin sought ways to further donations, to increase awareness and offer comfort to others, the club was front and center. "What can we do?"

In 2018, the Fishers started Crosses for Cameron, a nonprofit. Crosses for Cameron provides education, support and hope via organ donation activities and improves the community's physical and mental health through the Garden of Healing, their second non-profit.

The Garden, begun in 2020, is designed to offer a beautiful, peaceful retreat where people can go to reflect and remember. It is located in the Urban



Sarah and Arlin speak at schools and other places to share Cameron's story and encourage donation. Here they were in West Fargo where they spoke to several driver's education classes.

Plains Park in south Fargo, between Sanford and Essentia Hospitals.

The Garden of Healing also has a Facebook page and You-Tube video that gives further information about its development. This year phase two begins. A professional landscaping company designed the project.

The Horace Lions were the first club to make a major donation toward the Garden. Gateway Lions Club in Fargo, the Enderlin Lions Club and West Fargo Lions Club all have or will have markers with their names in the Garden.

For more information, contact Sarah at 701-729-8283, crossesforcameron@outlook. com or gardenofhealingfargo. com.

Sarah and volunteers also paint rocks with Cameron's picture and Donate Life stickers, along with donation information, that are in bags. The bags are distributed at events and spread around the region and country. Sarah regularly gets pictures back from people who find the bags and post them on the Crosses for Cameron Facebook page.

Registering as an organ donor is quick and easy. Because of Cameron's donated organs, Sarah listened to her son's heart that lives on in an Iowa recipient.

Lion's have big hearts. We show it through our service.





# Lion hands across the border

A number of the Fargo Gateway Lions started a non profit organization called Furniture Mission of the RRV in 2020. Since then they have served over 1,300 families in crisis with over 15,000 pieces of "gently used" furniture in the greater Fargo Moorhead area. In May the Barnesville, Minnesota Lions of MD5M, suggested doing a spring furniture "clean up" project in their town for FM. The attached picture shows members of their club

along with 5NE DG Scott Hildre, Lions Miriam Hildre and Darrell Costain from the Fargo Gateway club posing in front of one of the two plus truck loads of furniture they picked up. If you look carefully, you'll see the Lions logo on the side of the truck. The FM RRV truck has become a mobile beacon of what helping others is all about in the FM area. "We Serve" rings true with this non profit organization too

## **EDITOR WANTED!**

The ND Lions Foundation is seeking a paid editor for the monthly ND Lion Newsletter, terms negotiable. The position requires article editing skills, time management skills, and the willingness and ability to communicate with Lions members, Lions clubs, and the publisher of the Newsletter. For serious inquiries, send letter of application to Mark Western, Lions Foundation President, mark.r.western@gmail.com.



Volunteer Day was a success in spite of rain on May 6th. Service Dogs for America is now ready for spring in Jud, ND. (L to R) Oakes Lion Bob Schaefer, Gateway Lion Larry Odegaard and his wife Linda. Thank you for representing your clubs.

# Service Dogs for Volunteer Day

#### **BY JENNY BRODKORB**

Service Dogs for America Executive Director

Spring Volunteer Day was held, as planned, in spite of having a soggy finish. Our dedicated volunteers arrived, as usual, to get our facility and grounds prepared for the spring, summer, and fall ahead. The volunteers who attended brought with them extra heart. We could not be more grateful for those who were able to attend and get the work completed.

Fargo Roamers 4x4 Lions Club provided our hardworking volunteers with dinner along with contributions from local Lions, church members, staff, and community members. Thank you, all, for nourishing the bodies of our volunteers.

Our business/corporate partners were: Butcher Block Meats (Mandan), Russ Davis (Jamestown), Sandy's Donuts (Fargo), Premium Waters (Fargo), Miller's Fresh Foods (Edgeley), Wildside Creations (Jamestown) and KLN Family Brands (Perham).

Thank you, to everyone who participated— either in person, in gift, or in spirit! Thank you for helping us support our mission!



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# A new club is born

May 6, 2023, the Tioga Lions Club finished their charter process. It was awesome to induct 11 of the Lions who were present. The excitement level was amazing. Even though some of the members were unavailable to attend they will be inducted at their next meeting. The club added 2 new charter members at the event and a few other individuals who are very interested in joining. Below are pictures of the event.

We are so excited to have the TIOGA LIONS join District 5NW, Zone 1, and Multiple District 5! Some clubs that were represented were the Williston Korner Lions, Washburn



Lions, Bismarck Lions, Prairie Rose Lions, and Powers Lake Lions. I hope more clubs will reach out to the Tioga Lions and welcome them and maybe send them a monetary gift to help them build up their administration account! WEL-COME TO THE DISTRICT 5NW FAMILY!



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## New Rockford -



Members of the New Rockford Lions Club spent the Saturday morning before Easter, handing out balloons and candy to residents at the Lutheran Home of the Good Shepherd.



The New Rockford Lions Club members presented New Rockford/Eddy County librarian, Sussie Sharpe with a check for \$10,000. The money will go towards new furniture for the children's area of the library. The plan is to have new comfy chairs so children can cuddle up with a good book, a hands-on learning center and a couple of extra tables for games or projects.

## Korner\_



Korner Lions Sandy Hampton, Suzanne Eiken and David Juma (center) assist the CVB and Williston Library with the Community Egg Hunt.

## Carrington \_\_\_\_\_

Carrington Lions Club held its first Vitalent Community Blood Drive on April 17. Forty-nine people were able to donate with one of them being a new donor. This successful event was chaired by Lions Heather Carr and Shelly Skytland. The Carrington Lions Club members called for donors, provided juice and snacks, and worked at the event.



Lions Robert Erickson selecting his snack after donating.



Lion Heather Carr getting ready to donate.

## Club News

## Harvey \_



The Harvey Lions Club sponsored a pancake and sausage breakfast to raise funds to build new dugouts for the Harvey Wells County Girls Fastpitch softball fields. About 200 people attended the event. This project will increase the safety for our softball players.



District Govenor Scott Hildre attended the Harvey Lions Club meeting on April 17th. He talked about his experience and his goals as District Govenor. He presented Years of Service Awards to Willy Schilling-35 Years and Steve Kourajian-30 Years.

## Glenburn \_\_\_\_\_



Lion Lance Johnson was presented with a Melvin Jones Fellowship during the 19 April 2023 Glenburn Lions Club monthly meeting. Lion Lance has been an active Lion since joining 1 September 2010. He has held the position of Club Treasurer for the last 8 years, is a key player in many of the Glenburn Lion community service projects, and is very active with the Glenburn Fire Department. The Glenburn Lions Club and community of Glenburn are fortunate to have such a dedicated and service minded member.

## Oakes \_\_\_\_\_

#### SUBMITTED BY LION GARY SCHNELL

On Tuesday, April 18th, the Oakes Lions Club had their Spring Dinner and Annual Cake Auction with 30 Lions plus guests in attendance. Vickie & Zoey from the Jud Service Dogs for America attended along with two new puppies that would be going into their program. The puppies did not have names yet so they allowed the Lions club to name them. The Lions baked sixteen cakes for the auction which raised \$1,169 to be given to the Jud Service Dogs for America.



Spring has definitely arrived!

Amazing what the change in weather does for the mind, body, and soul! Finally it feels like Spring as we impatiently wait for the flowers to bloom.

We traveled to Tioga tomorrow May 6th for their charter celebration. I just want to remind 5NW clubs that when there is a new club, it would be appropriate for your club to give a monetary gift to help out the new club. Tioga Lions did an amazing job planning this celebration and it was FUN!

1st VDGE Lynn Helms, PCC Kevin Bean, PDG Jan Froemming and I went to Elign for a fabulous club visit. I had the privilege of inducting 8 new members!!!!

1st VDGE Lynn presented Monarch Chevrons to quite a few members. Can you believe the number of years given was 535 years of Lionism!!!

#### Elgin Lions: 535 years of Lionism ~ What a milestone to celebrate! 10 – Year Monarch Chev-

<u>ron</u>

Lion Rick Hochhalter, Lion Ronae Hochhalter, Lion Robert Larson,

#### 15-Year Monarch Chevron

Lion Leslie Bartz, Lion Terry Bentz, Lion Randy Fischer, Lion Kent Roehl, Lion Peter Rouse, Lion Myles JEANETTE BEAN 209 Cheyenne Ave, Bismarck,ND 58504 701.400.7275 • jeanettebean2019@gmail.com



Stoller, Lion Bobby Walters **<u>25-Year Monarch Chev-</u> ron** 

Lion Jim Maier, Lion Leona Wutzke

#### 35-Year Monarch Chevron

Lion Jeff Hillius, Lion Ruby Koepplin, Lion Gail Schatz, **45-Year Monarch Chev-**

45-Year Monarch Chevron

Lion Agnes Meidinger, Lion Mildred Rath, Lion Gertie Werner

#### 55-Year Monarch Chevron

Lion Arthur Rath, Lion Clarence Werner

As a club we should always take the time to celebrate milestones of all kinds at our club meetings. This is a great way to show appreciation to our members.

Below is the latest graph to show 5NW membership comparison. Between May 2022 and May 2023 we have increased our membership by 47 members. I am hopeful that each club will rally to bring in new members in the next 2 months. This is the final push to start us off in the new Lion year!

I want to challenge all the clubs to talk with your secretary about the submission of all of the service hours your members have completed. Showing how many service hours we are performing is a fabulous thing to share. Did you know even going to your club meeting is performing service hours? We need to get all the service hours reported because Lions headquarters looks at what all the clubs are doing! If we do not report the hours we are not showing we are completing service. If you are unable to get the hours reported for what ever reason please contact Lion Karen dasilva at 701-471-2204 and she would be happy to help



report the hours for you. One suggestion I have is to provide a sheet at every meeting for all members to record their hours for the month and then the secretary will be able to plug the numbers into the computer and hit send!

#### MD5 Convention!

Will you be representing your club as a delegate to the MD5 Lions Convention? Your club secretary may have already received a delegation credentials form. Included in this newsletter is the form you may use. Note that your club secretary must verify and sign the form prior to the convention. Your club must also be in good standing with LCI. Forms turned into the convention by 9:00 AM Friday, May 26, will be considered by the MD5 Credentials Committee.

The MD5 Convention registration is also included in this newsletter. It will be held in Spearfish, SD May 25-27th.

Happy Mothers Day to all the wonderful women in 5NW!

As always our District Governor Team is here for your club so if we can help in any way, please contact me!



#### Lions Foundation of North Dakota, Inc. Recent Donors

Lehr Lions Club \$100 Alexander Lions Club \$500 Dwaine Heinrich \$100 Thank you to Lions Clubs and to individual Lions for your generous contributions.

#### Total Membership by Month

By the time this article reaches you it will be the middle of May. My time as your District Governor will soon be over. I have a few more club visits to make and would love to be invited by your club to come to a meeting. If I have not visited your club yet, please invite me, we have until the end of June.

I want to thank all 51 of the 5NE clubs for allowing me to serve as your District Governor. It has been an honor and a privilege to serve and meet so many of you. After almost every meeting my wife would say what nice people, so warm and welcoming. I would reply, of course, you are meeting the nicest people in that town. They are the people that care about their community, serve others, volunteer for things their community needs help with and are supporting Lions causes around the world.

In April, we were with the Fargo Roamers 4 Wheel Drive Club on the 12th, in Jamestown for the Spring Rally on the 15th (best Rally ever), Devils Lake Lions on the 19th, Enderlin on the 20th, Emerado-Arvilla on the 25th, and the Past District Governors meeting in Bismarck on the 28th.

I want all of 5NE to know that you will be in good hands for the next several years. We have a great group of leaders **SCOTT HILDRE** 2220 26 1/2 Ct S, Fargo, ND 58103 (c) 701.799.6400 • scott.davis.hildre@gmail.com



Emerado-Arvilla

coming into their new offices July 1. Your incoming District Governor Rick Stark from Tuttle, First Vice District Governor Kirk Tingum from Grand Forks and Second Vice District Governor Paul McDonald from Valley City.

At the upcoming State Convention in October, we will be looking for nominations for the Second Vice District Governor Elect to follow Paul. If you have any interest, please submit a letter of intent and have your club send a letter of recommendation. You must have been a club president and a zone chairperson to qualify. If you know of a Lion that has met these requirements and you think they would make a good District Governor, you can nominate them.

I want to thank my Cabinet for working hard and supporting me and the goals we set for this year. There are too many to mention by name, but you know who you are, and you should be proud of the work you do for the betterment of others.

As a district we have added 75 new members since June 1. This is great news, and it is never too late to ask someone to join your club. There are people out there who would love to serve their community and join a fun group of people, but they need to be asked by a Lion to join. Invite them to be a guest at a meeting or join you in your next project. The bad news is we have dropped 65 members from our rosters since June so we are up 10 members for the year. We have had a few members pass, a few members moved, and we have lost some because they no longer





Spring Rally

were interested or quit paying their dues. We are up 10 members for the year in our district that has 51 clubs with 1,169 members. Our lofty goal was to have each of you bring in one new member, even if only 10% of you had found a friend, neighbor or business person to join, we would have gained 117 new members. Let's really put the push on for the rest of May and June. Together We Can and Together We Will.

Yours in Lionism DG Scott Hildre



Enderlin



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## Club News

## Horace -



Four members of the Horace Lions participated in judging the STEM presentations. Students in 6th grade were divided into groups of 3 or 4 and were given 5 hours to make their presentation. The theme this year was "What would you like to see added to the business section of Horace?" Many creative ideas were presented, from more coffee houses, medical clinic, grocery store, food pantry, and sports centers. The winning selection was Flickertail 14 which depicted a two-level sports center. They made their plan of action, built an interactive model, wrote an informative promotion, and then presented it to the judges who were very impressed. The kicker was having it wired so that when two metal points were touched with your fingers, a photo of that area appeared on a TV screen. Thank you to Lion Tom, Lion Kory, Lion Keith, and Lion Grant(not pictured) for taking the time to do the judging.



Carrington



Carrington President Jennifer Wede presents graduating senior, Haley Wolsky, with a \$700 Pat Roundy Memorial Scholarship.



Carrington President Jennifer Wede presents graduating senior, Allison Jarrett, with a \$700 Al Larson Memorial Scholarship.

## Arnegard.



Arnegard Lions presented Lion Dave Swenson with a Melvin Jones Fellowship. (L to R) Lions Jim Larson, Dave Swenson, and President Doug Voll.

## Korner \_\_\_\_\_





Korner Lions President Sherri Heser presents a check to Upper Missouri Valley Fair President Shane Cymbaluk.

Korner Lions Vice President David Peterson presents a check to the HS Target League coach Penny Slagle.

# New Voices will ROAR at Spearfish convention

BY LION CRYSTAL DUEKER, MD5 New Voices coordinator

On Friday, May 26th, please join me for two New Voices sessions about this global program. The 10:15 AM session will outline how the New Voices Initiative was created and its purpose. The 11:10 AM session will highlight stories from past nominees.

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## Club News

## Enderlin -







DG Scott Hildre presented membership chevrons to Lions: Karlton Stordalen, 10 years, Susan M. Dopp, 20 years, and Ruth McCleerey, 25 years.



The night's big business was inducting the club's 3 newest members: Scott Lokken, Charlie Russell, and Kaden Campbell. Their sponsors were Grant Patterson and Dennis Lokken.

## Williston



Members of the Williston Lions Club at the annual Spring Cleanup Williston event. Pictured from I-r are Lion Stuart Langager, Lion James Bervig, Mayor Howard Klug, Lion Howard Miller, and Lion Greg Everson.



Members of the Williston Lions Club pose by the drone training program during the tour of the TrainND facility. Pictured from I-r are Lion Mark McGinley, Lion Randy Schlossin, Lion Stuart Langager, Lion Pat Touhey, Lion Clarice Touhey, TrainND director Kenley Nebeker, Lion Terry Oxendahl, and Lion Bill Thomas.

## Prairie Rose



Eleven Prairie Rose Lions with assistance from two North Star Lions filled 2,200 bags for the "Backpacks for Kids" program in Bismarck,

# Service from the heart

#### **BY LION CRYSTAL DUEKER** 5NE Service chair

On April 30th, the rural village of 25 people in Braddock blossomed into over 250 people who gathered to serve a woman in need. The Braddock Lions organized and promoted the spaghetti benefit for Diane (Ma) Hager. Ninety items were auctioned off and all the donated baked goods sold out.

Why the big turnout? Over the past decades, Ma Hager served delicious food along with a good sense of humor in Driscoll and then Dawson, and finally running Hager's Bar with her husband. She earned a reputation for being an all-around good gal, a queen with a gravelly voice and a quick quip. Lion's bingo on Friday nights were filled with fun and everyone enjoyed their time at her place. When she recently suffered from a stroke, the word got out to help Ma. Her bar is being run now by supporters and volunteers to provide an income for Ma Hager.

Thank you Braddock Lions for your service to help support Ma Hager.

## In Remembrance

A familiar smile around town and an all-around great guy is sorely missed in Bowdon, North Dakota. Lion Richard Otto passed away on September 7, 2022. A devoted member for 44 vears, he was a charter member of Bowdon Lions club since April 1977. He proudly wore his yellow vest with a matching hat to every meeting. During his decades of service, he had so many pins that he rotated them on his vest. Whether it was volunteer ticket taking at the Wells County Fair, helping with a fundraising supper and bingo, or selling fundraising tickets, he chatted with everyone.

In a fitting tribute to Richard's dedication to the Lion's, he was buried with his vest and cap that he was so proud of. His casket had a special drawer where his vest was respectfully placed to honor all of his achievement pins and dedication to the Bowdon Lions Club.

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

Male · Female · Co-ed

## Friday, June 9, 2023

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 Golf Carts available for rent at 701-652-2601

### Cash Team Prizes: \$1,200 Team Prize Money (prizes vary slightly based on entries) Hole Prizes: (Contests on most holes)

#### REGISTER EARLY FOR THIS TOURNAMENT ALMOST FILLED UP IN 2021! REGISTER EARLY · Only 36 Teams - Deadline: June 6, 2023

Name	Phone			
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Send registration to: Karla Michaelson, 268 2nd ST. N., Carrington, ND 58421 or call 701-652=5710 or email Karla.Michaelson@k12.nd.us				

Visit CrossRoads Golf & Recreation Parkway at www.crossroadsgolf.com

## Dacotah Mandan \_\_\_

#### The Dacotah Mandan Lions Annual Strides Walk for Diabetes Awareness was a success!

The goal of the Strides Walk is to earn funds to help pay the parent's part of sending their child with Diabetes to Camp Maverick Diabetic Camp in June. There was representation from four of the families at the walk.



Some of the walkers at the Strides Walk. Thank you to all!!



The Dacotah Mandan Lions welcome their fourth New Lion this Lions year. Shown are New Lion, Bob Eckert and Sponsor, Lion Vicki Carvell with their Lions International certificates."



Lewis & Clark Elementary School received the Dacotah Mandan Lions Club April "Monthly Small Servi ce Project" recognition. The club has been recognizing and thanking various service agencies/schools in the Mandan Community with a meat and cheese tray. (L to R): Lion Jan Froemming, Lion Shirley Schafer, PCC Arlen Fetch, Principal Amanda Meier, PDG Sherry Fetch, and Lion Berna Smith.

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<b>DISCLAMER AND SIGNATURE:</b> I agree to abide by the policies of the Lions Youth Camp. Unauthorized personal travel or leave of absences during the program are prohibited, unless approved by the camp director. My participation is not for tourism, formal education, or employment. I will not operate a motor vehicle during my stay at the camp. Any serious violation of the program's policies on my part may, at the discretion of the host Lions officer, result in the immediate termination of my visit at my expense. I certify that my answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.					
Parents Sign	ature:			[	Date:
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Please make checks payable to: MD5 Youth Camp Mail Applications To: Lion PDG Judy Beaudry, 1002 Cannon Lane Washburn, ND. 58577					



# 2023 ND Lions State Convention October 20th and 21st Minot North Dakota

**STATE LIONS CONVENTION 2023** 



Scan to register online

Convention Site: The Grand Hotel 1505 North Broadway Minot ND 58703

## **Registration Fees**

October 21-December 31 - \$100 January 1 - July 31 - \$115 August 1 - Day of - \$135

## <u>Lodging</u>

The Grand Hotel 1-800-735-4493 \*mention the convention when booking rooms

## **Questions Contact**

Lion Josh Ressler jressler@srt.com 701-721-0092

Lion Christy Miller christy@svunitedway.com 701-720-6869

Mail Registration to: Magic City Lions, PO Box 782, Minot ND 58702				
To be eligible to play Lions Family Feud your club must have 5 members present at the state convention				
(Please use a seperate form for each registrant)				
I need special vision accommodations (explain on this registration form)				
Please make a choice for Saturday night dinner				
I would like Beef Tips for dinner I would like Chicken Cordon Bleu for dinner				
Name: LION OR GUEST (CIRCLE ONE)				
Preferred Badge Name: Lions Club:				
Address:				
Phone: Email:				

## TUESDAY, JULY 25, 2023 RIVERWOOD GOLF COURSE







## LEVELS OF SPONSORSHIP

Golf Tournament

#### TOURNAMENT | \$1000

- Sponsor Name in Program
- 4 Person Team
- Sponsor Sign at Hole
- Link to Sponsor Website on Tournament Facebook Page
- Booth at Golf Hole of Choice

#### TEAM & HOLE SPONSOR | \$650

- Sponsor Name in Program
- 4 Person Team
- Sponsor Sign at Hole
- Booth at Golf Hole of Choice

#### TEAM SPONSOR | \$400

- 4 Person Team
- Booth at Golf Hole of Choice

#### TEAM SPONSOR | \$250

- Sponsor Name in Program
- Booth at Golf Hole of Choice

#### PAR SPONSOR | \$50

• Sponsor Name in Program

#### **PAYMENT INFORMATION**

Bismarck Lions Club Attn: Legend of Lofty PO Box 561 Bismarck, ND 58502

Checks made out to: Bismarck Lions Club

#### QUESTIONS?

Email: bislions001@gmail.com

## BISMARCK LIONS CLUB CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT

COMPANY NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

#### PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

## **SPONSORSHIP LEVEL**

- \_\_\_\_ TOURNAMENT SPONSOR | \$1,000
  - \_\_\_\_ TEAM & HOLE SPONSOR | \$650
- \_\_\_\_ TEAM | \$400
- \_\_\_\_ HOLE | \$250
- \_\_\_\_ PAR | \$50

## **TEAM REGISTRATION | \$100 PER PERSON**

#### TEAM NAME: \_\_

#### **TEAM MEMBERS**

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NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

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#### REGISTRATION: 9:00-9:45 AM, SHOTGUN START: 10:00 AM

**\$100 per golfer.** Includes 18-hole green fees, golf cart, hole and tournament prizes, and meal after the tournament. Tournament format 4-person scramble with mulligans and string available for purchase at registration. Contests include the closest to the pin, longest drive, longest putt, and a putting contest.

#### DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION: FRIDAY, JULY 20TH.

#### To: Lions Club Secretaries

From: Credentials Committee

Date: April 2023

#### Re: Voting at the Multiple District Convention

Voting is by Lions Clubs International rules. The Rule for voting-is-one vote for each 10 members or major fraction thereof, 5 being considered a major fraction. For a club to be in good standing, **all debts to Lions Clubs International of \$50 or more, 90 days past due must be paid**.

The Credentials Committee must certify voting delegates. Please select your voting delegates and alternates and list them below. Please have your delegation leave this form at the Lions Registration Desk, at the "Holiday Inn Spearfish", **no later than 9:00 am, on Friday, May 26, 2023.** 

This sheet is to be filled out and--SIGNED BY YOUR CLUB SECRETARY-- prior to coming to the Convention.

CREDENTIALS INFORMATION:		
Name of Club	District	
Total number of members in Club as of March 30, 2022		
======================================		
Club Secretary's Signature		

Please send this sheet along with your club secretary or a club delegate that will be attending the MD5 2023 Convention.

Credentials Contact: jeanettebean2019@gmail.com

## TAKE TO THE MD5 — SPEARFISH CONVENTION



# Catch The Spirit 2023 MD5 Convention

May 25 - 27, 2023

## Spearfish, South Dakota

Registrant 1 (please print)

Registrant 2 (please print)

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Dietary Needs	NoYes List:	Dietary Needs	No Yes List:		
Saturday Eve Main Meal Pref:	Chicken Breast Roast Beef Pork Loin	Saturday Eve Main Meal Pref:	Chicken Breast Roast Beef Pork Loin		
Questions?	email PCC Stan Smith: ssmith@mi	dco.net			
Convention Registration – US \$155 Unless Early Registration (circle rate below)    April 15!   Early No participants X US \$140 [Postmarked on or before March 1, 2023]   Regular No participants X US \$155   NOTE: Refund of registration is possible until April 15, 2023 by request in writing to above address.   Refunds will be considered after this date with a written approval by the Convention Committee.					
ACCOMMOD	ATIONS – Call	Register			
Spearfish Holiday Inn / (605) 642-4683 Standard room @ \$99.99 US / Suite @ \$129.99 US https://spearfishconventioncenter.com			heck payable in US funds to: 2023 MD5 Lions Convention C/O Spearfish Lions Club PO Box 503		
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## **MD5 LIONS YOUTH CAMP:**

#### SUBMITTED BY PDG JUDY BEAUDRY

I'm writing from the Badlands to give one more push for campers. I have had many calls and not enough campers signed up so the camp registration is being extended until June 1st but I must have orders in that week, so June 1st is the cutoff date.

Camp dates are from Sunday, July 16th through Saturday, July 22nd. We will camp at Badlands Ministries which is just outside Medora, North Dakota and next to the Bully Pulpit Golf Course.

As for the campers, they will have a powerful week full of action. Theodore Roosevelt National Park has many places to explore and hike. Medora has miniature golf, a Wavy River Pool, a Zip Line and a Crazy House. We are invited to South Heart to a burger fry and another in New England. Our campers are usually able to swim in the river and sling mud, very messy but a blast. Nightly bonfires and outdoor movies keep us busy at night.

The scene is set, so as Lions I would like you to take ownership of filling the camp. The cost of the camp is \$400. For Lions clubs, that is one hamburger feed or one pancake breakfast. In return I will send you back a student that knows and understands Lionism. They are the future of your Lions clubs. There is a teen out there that would love the experience. We made it through Covid and have come a long way in restoring what Lions do.

Now I'm also asking for Lions who are able to come and help with camp to give me a call. I know you have said to yourself, I want to do something different this summer so come to camp. Take the road less traveled, which may not be a road at all. You won't be sorry. My cell is (701)220-4410. My email is jbeaudry@ westriv.com. Remember our motto "WE SERVE".

My hat goes off to all those who have sent me campers, and many who have sent donations to the Lions International Youth Camp. Lions Ken and Donna Wetz from South Dakota have agreed to host. Ken and Donna are experienced in Lions Camps and historians in the area. We have great Lions ready to serve the campers so send us more.

## **Club News**

#### Tuttle



On April 2, the Tuttle Lions Club hosted their 2nd annual Palm Sunday Brunch. The event was held, once again, at Carol's Kitchen in Robinson, ND. Tuttle Lion, Carol Steichen, operator of Carol's Kitchen, donated the use of the café for the brunch. Because of winter weather and bad road conditions, the turnout was not as large as the previous year but still a great success. The Tuttle Lions Club would like to thank Carol's Kitchen and the surrounding communities for their support!