



# Lions Share

*The Official Newsletter of the Lions of Illinois Foundation*

## 2016-2017 “Seeing is Believing” Comprehensive Low Vision Clinics Are Underway

Since 1991 your Lions of Illinois Foundation, with the cooperation of Spectrios Institute of Low Vision, the Illinois College of Optometry, and the Chicago Lighthouse, has been in partnership to help students in Illinois with Low Vision.

The “**Seeing is Believing**” program is designed to help severely visually impaired students K-12 make the most of their remaining sight. Referrals of students are made by special education staff employed by the Illinois Board of Education.

Low Vision optometrists travel to the screening locations, bringing equipment for examinations and demonstrations of low vision devices such as magnifiers and telescopes. The prescribed lenses are then sent to the Vision Coordinators of the school districts, who then distribute and provide the devices to the student with their user instructions.

Students that go through our program gain a better understanding and awareness of their vision loss. They become much more confident in life and they learn to maximize their remaining sight with the prescribed optical devices which make print information more accessible.

The program costs our Lions of Illinois Foundation \$290.00 per student. Wouldn't you like to help one of these students live a better life? You can, just turn to page 6, fill out the sponsor form and mail it back to the Foundation. Let's make it happen this year and sponsor all 300 students through our “**Seeing is Believing**” program.

**Meet El-Vee**, the new mascot for LIF Low Vision Programs for Youth. With a big thumbs-up El-Vee is here to say that LIF is on guard and ready to protect sight and provide assistance for our low vision students in Illinois.



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## FYI on LIEF

### What is the Sustaining Supporter program?

The Sustaining Supporter program is a method of giving in which anyone (Lion or non-Lion) is encouraged to give a tax-deductible donation on an annual basis to help support the many programs and services of the Lions of Illinois Foundation. With the annual contribution of \$25 (less than 7¢ per day) through the Sustaining Supporter program, an individual is able to demonstrate a commitment to the Lions of Illinois Foundation and to its vision of creating a permanent vehicle for the delivery of programs and services to the visually and hearing impaired.

### How does someone become a Sustaining Supporter?

Contribute \$25 to the Lions of Illinois Endowment Fund and attach the form below. Renewals are \$25 each. (Or, contribute \$25 to give someone a Sustaining Supporter as a gift or award/recognition.)

### What does the Sustaining Supporter receive?

The initial \$25 contribution entitles the Sustaining Supporter to receive a pin and membership card. Upon renewal, the Sustaining Supporter receives a new card and a numbered tab that may be attached to the pin.

### How are the funds used?

Contributions are pooled and invested in the Lions of Illinois Endowment Fund – a restricted fund of which the principal remains intact. Only the income from the Endowment Fund can be used to support Lions of Illinois Foundation programs and services for the visually and hearing impaired. The Endowment Fund provides contributors with an opportunity to give a gift that keeps on giving.



## LIF THOUGHTS

by LIF Executive Director Lion Mario Gumino, PDG

### Greetings Fellow Lions,

Fall is in the air, and we all know what that means. Candy Day 2016 is just around the corner. Candy Day 2015 was a success. When the final donations came in. The donations were at 98% to budget I would call that a success. Your Foundation has not experienced that in many years. With your dedication, and help this year. Your Foundation is looking forward to another successful campaign. Please remember this year we are going back to the candy roll. There are 576 rolls in a case and the case cost is \$95.00.

With two jamborees to go. It was a pleasure meeting and speaking to all of you on the importance of Candy Day. As we all know Candy Day is the largest fundraiser your Lions of Illinois Foundation has. With another successful campaign, your Foundation will be able to support our designated programs. These programs include but are not limited to, our Mobile Hearing Units, our Mobile Diabetic Unit, our Low Vision Program, our Social Services Program, which supplies hearing aids to those in need, our signature program Camp Lions, and last but not least, all of the communities in Illinois. When you are out on the street corners or in front of your favorite store. Please remember all of those individuals in your communities that you have helped in the past. Those might be your neighbors, and friends that may need your assistance in the days, weeks, and months to come. Please remember to get your reports in by December 1, 2016, and thank you so much for your support of your largest fundraiser the Lions of Illinois has. Have a great Candy Day!

### Are Contributions Tax Exempt?

Yes! Contributions to the Endowment Fund are tax-deductible to the extent allowed by law.

### Can Sustaining Supporter contributions be applied toward a Foundation Fellow?

Yes! Sustaining Supporter contributions are completely convertible to Foundation Fellows.

**For more information, contact the Lions of Illinois Foundation by phone at 815-756-5633 V/tty relay or at 800-955-5466 V/tty relay.**

## — Sustaining Supporter Application —

Name of Sustaining Supporter (please, print):

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ St: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Donor (if other than Sustaining Supporter):

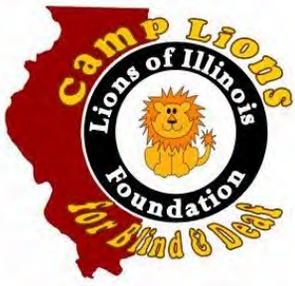
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ St: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Make check payable to: **LIEF**

Submit ATTN: **Kirsten Kotlarchik**  
**LIF Staff Accountant**  
**2254 Oakland Drive, Sycamore, IL 60178**



**Camp Lions is on Facebook** Our page is camper-powered & welcomes all photos, comments by current & past campers, plus Lions who also have a special memory to share. Be sure to "Like" the page with every visit.

**WOW, 2016 Camp Lions/Helen Keller Camp Season is in the books**, finished, just like that the season is over. How time does fly. The kids had such a blast. Between swimming in a pool to swimming in the lake. Going rafting on the lake to canoeing on the lake. Doing arts and crafts to having a camp fires and roasting marshmallows. And how do you ask are they able to do all of this? It is because of YOU!! These kids and adults were able to have the time of their lives because of the generosity of each and every Lions Member, families and friends.

**A huge thank you** goes out to every Lions Club that either donated money towards a camper or money towards supplies. We had a record number of supply donations this year!! We just cannot stop there. We are sincerely appreciative of all of the Camp Open Houses snack and dinner donations. Having members cook and feed the kids is just so awe-inspiring and appreciative. These kids love having Lions attend the Open Houses. If you have not been, please attend one next year!! It will be life changing.



**Please know that this truly is an experience that these kids will not forget.** The kids are so grateful to have an opportunity to be with other kids similar to them. It is hard to find other individuals that are in the same situation as them. I have had campers ask if they could have camp all summer! This is how important this program is for these unique and wonderful children. So, again, THANK YOU!!

**We are looking forward** to next year's Camping Season already. My goal next year to increase the popularity of the Camp Lions Program. I will be sending out letters to Eye Clinics, Audiologists and Schools in your districts to try to engage more participation for camp. If you know of someone in your area that I should contact, please let me know.

**I sincerely, cannot wait for next year's season to begin.**

**Lisa Kaczmarczyk**– *Camp Lions Registrar*

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ONLY \$5.00 EACH  
Order today & wear the pride of Camp Lions for all to see!  
Contact Lisa at:  
1-815-756-5633 ext. 221, or e-mail [lmk@LIFnd.org](mailto:lmk@LIFnd.org).  
Funds benefit Camp Lions .



## Think Scrip for All the Holidays



Fall is in the air and it's time to think Scrip for all your upcoming holiday purchases. Yes, ALL the holidays - Halloween, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Years! Wow!

Well don't worry, think ahead. By thinking ahead, we mean purchasing your Scrip Cards, then using them to make your purchases. With more safety than credit cards and as simple as cash, Scrip makes shopping less worrisome. And don't forget the LIF will receive a donation towards our programs based on your purchase amount at no cost to you! Let's go down the list of holidays with a few helpful suggestions how you might choose to use Scrip.

 **Halloween**– TIP: Order Scrip two weeks before, so you will have them on time. (This tip is great for every holiday!) Scrip can be used to buy candy, costumes, decorations, and pumpkins. Think how much you plan to spend & order your Scrip.

 **Veteran's Day** - After the parade let's get together for a cook-out! Everything from burgers to ketchup can be purchased with Scrip. Remember to get a new flag for the house.

 **Thanksgiving**-The family and relatives are gathered 'round the table. To think that all the food, decorations, flowers, and outdoor fall displays could be bought with Scrip! Your LIF and those individuals with vision and hearing needs **thank you**, too. Using Scrip has raised money for services they can depend on.

Happy Thanksgiving

 **Christmas:** You remembered to think Scrip and were able to shop quickly and safely, no credit cards or cash to mess with. Scrip can keep the holidays bright for you and those less fortunate who are helped by your use of Scrip. Scrip cards can be used online to purchase using the many offers on the internet. Scrip cards make great gifts, too. Too be sure and get your Scrip cards on time. Order by December 12th to guarantee delivery by Christmas.

 **New Years**-Ring in the New Year with joy in your heart! Why? Two fantastic reasons - you donated to your LIF programs and services and you saved time and hassle thinking Scrip. Congratulations!

Scrip is easy, safe, and raises money for your LIF with every purchase. Visit <http://shopwithscrip.com> to sign up using our LIF code: **CF9E81D545723**. Review the over 300 stores & services where Scrip cards are welcome and enjoy shopping again.



## A Few Words From Our President

By Lion Don Borgwardt, LIF President 2016-2017

Dear LIF Members and Friends,

As this Lion year gets underway I want all of us to remember why we are Lions, or maybe more important, what event made us Lions and not just a member of a Lions Club. Just the other day a Lion told me that the event that made her a Lion was seeing the children at a Camp Lions Open House. What event was special for you? *It is said that where there is a need, there is a Lion; I hope this year as we approach our 100th year anniversary we can prove that we are really here to serve.* Many of the ways we serve our communities is by using the services of our Foundation. Make sure we put to good use our Hearing unit and our Macular Degeneration unit by scheduling them and advertise that they will be at your event. Take pictures, put up signs and whatever else you can think of to let the community know the Lions are present serving their community.

International President Bob Corlew's motto is there are Mountains to Climb. Each of us and each Club have a different Mountain. By all of us working together to help the needy we can climb our mountains. It has always been said that a task might be difficult for one or a few, but many hands can make the task easy. The Lions of Illinois have the opportunity to show the World that we are MD1 and lead in serving others. The Foundation is working on a display for the International Convention in Chicago and advertising the work we do as Lions.

I have been asked by a few Lions, why don't you spend the \$10,000,000.00 you have? There is actually a simple answer for that and it is if we were to have so few members that we could no longer raise sufficient funds to carry on our programs the interest from the Endowment Fund would pay for those programs. I personally feel that by letting our communities know that we are present and serving our communities we can increase our membership and funds raised for the Foundation.

**Remember, we are here to serve & thank you for the service you are currently providing to our communities & Foundation.**



## 23rd LIF Golf Classic Swings in Support of Low Vision Programs for Youth

The 2016 Golf Classic was a huge success once again. With the venue change we did not miss a beat. We had 28 foursomes, a club give away again this year, great weather, and last but not least a lot of fun. The outing netted close to \$11,000 for your Low Vision Program. Your Foundation wants to thank all of the golfers and hole sponsors. Without each of you the outing would not have been a great success. We had many winners on the course but the real winners are the students we are helping throughout the year.

### The winning Foursomes for this year's event were:

#### Flight A

**First Place:** Ottawa Lions Club, 1-BK

**Second Place:** Bolingbrook Lions Club, 1-BK

**Third Place:** Altamont Lions Club, 1-M

#### Flight B

**First Place:** Sun City Huntley Lions Club, 1-J

**Second Place:** Bolingbrook Lions Club, 1-BK

**Third Place:** Thornton Lions Club, 1-A

Your Foundation looks forward to the 2017 event.

Which will take place August 5, 2017, at Senica's Oak Ridge Golf Course in LaSalle, IL.

**Please mark your calendars.**

**LIF now has a QR (quick-response)**

**code** that links directly to our website. These odd-looking, black-and-white, pixelated designs offer an efficient way to create links to websites, but they can also store text, phone numbers, email addresses, calendar events, or send SMS messages.



You will need a QR-code app and a smartphone or tablet equipped with a camera. Download the [FREE app](#) to your Apple device. Android users are recommended to get Red laser or QR Droid. Both are free and have a simple format that make them user friendly. The camera will open when you launch the app, simply zoom in on the QR box and the device will read you the information contained.



## Dear Lions Members & Friends,

The Lions of Illinois Foundation partners with Spectrios Institute for Low Vision, the Illinois College of Optometry, and the Chicago Lighthouse for the Blind to provide a FREE comprehensive visual evaluation to Illinois students in grades K-12.

Students are referred by special education staff employed by the Illinois Board of Education. The exams are performed by licensed optometrists that travel to the different screening locations throughout the state.

Other components of the program include:

- Referring parents to vocational counseling
- Braille reading instruction
- Orientation and mobility training for child
- Adaptive technology training

The LIF **“Seeing is Believing”** Low Vision Program for Students provides a visually impaired child with the optical tools and training necessary to help prevent further vision loss or even blindness. But more importantly, these are the children we have promised to help by preserving what sight they have left. Their future is in our hands.

Please read the form below as to how you can help.



Meet L.V. or “El-Vee” our new **“Seeing is Believing”** Mascot

**In 1991 Lions made a pledge to the children of Illinois.**  
**We believe that no child needs to face blindness as their future.**  
*Please help to preserve that pledge with your donation.*

Enclosed is our check/money order to sponsor \_\_\_\_\_ student(s) at a cost of \$290 each. Included is the cost of a vision screen & any optical tools youth are recommended or prescribed by the optometrist.

Amount of donation \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Club Name/or Individual Donor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Club Address / Individual’s Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Phone number(\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Please make your check payable to: LIF

We also accept credit cards, please call us.

Submit form & donation to:

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Phone: 815-756-5633 V/tty relay

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[Facebook.com/LionsofIL](https://Facebook.com/LionsofIL)

**Remember we are not asking for money,  
we are asking for the opportunity to provide  
a student with low vision a chance to excel in school,  
in society, in job placement, in their future.**  
We can continue our mission to make  
a difference in the lives that  
we have pledged to serve.

**Please join us with your donation today.**



# LIONS OF ILLINOIS FOUNDATION

## 2016 CANDY DAY

### FINAL REPORT



Visit the LIF Website  
for all your Candy Day Forms  
[www.lionsofillinoisfoundation.org](http://www.lionsofillinoisfoundation.org)

**OFFICIAL REPORT of Candy Day Fund Raising for Humanitarian Services (Blind & Deaf).**

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, our club participated in Candy Day on \_\_\_\_\_  
(Dates)

\_\_\_\_\_ NO, our Club is **unable** to participate but enclosed is our donation of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to  
The Lions of Illinois Foundation Candy Day Campaign

CLUB NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DISTRICT \_\_\_\_\_ CLUB # \_\_\_\_\_

CANDY DAY CHAIRPERSON: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

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

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

**CANDY DAY RESULTS:** (Please answer ALL questions ONLY if Club participated in Candy Day)

Number of (Lion) Workers \_\_\_\_\_ Number of (Non-Lion) Volunteers \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Cases of Candy Purchased \_\_\_\_\_ Has candy been purchased & paid for w/ LIF: Yes [ ] No [ ]

Collections from CANDY DAY \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Collections from UNDERWRITERS \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Collections from COUNTER TRAYS \$ \_\_\_\_\_

GROSS TOTAL COLLECTION FROM ALL SOURCES \$ \_\_\_\_\_

COST OF CANDY (-) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

COST OF APRONS (-) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER COSTS Please explain & list other costs \_\_\_\_\_ (-) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

NET \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**CONTRIBUTIONS TO:** (Please make all checks payable to the Lions of Illinois Foundation)

Lions of Illinois Projects (minimum of 60% of NET OR MORE) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**If 60% of net is NOT sent in, Club automatically does not qualify for ANY Candy Day Awards**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ (Signature) \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Your contributions to the Foundation will make the following projects possible:

Camp Lions for Children and Adults, Low Vision Program, Mobile Diabetic Retinopathy/Macular Program, Mobile Hearing Unit, Social Services and Referral, LIF Used Hearing Aid Collection & Hearing Aid Bank (H.A.B.), Used Eyeglass Collections, LIF Fund for Emergency (L.I.F.E.).

**SUBMIT THIS REPORT AND CONTRIBUTIONS NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 1, 2016**

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## Ambassadors - We Need You

*By Lion Steve Ferguson, PCC, PFP, LIF Key Ambassador*

Our Foundation is now in its 43rd year of existence. Through all of the years, there has been one constant factor that has made the Lions of Illinois Foundation one of the finest Foundations in the world. That factor has been the outstanding Lions, from every district in the State, giving of their time, talent and leadership, to serve on the Foundation Board. As of my last report, we have in excess of two hundred past Board members around the State. These are our Ambassadors of Goodwill for the Foundation.

The Ambassador group has always been designed to continue carrying the torch for the Foundation. I cannot find it written anywhere that a Trustee or Governor Trustee's involvement with the Foundation ended with their term of office. Many of our Ambassadors have continued to actively work on behalf of our Foundation. Some, because of age or health, have considered themselves retired from Foundation service. There is a third group that is sitting on the side lines waiting to be needed. They are content awaiting a phone call. Consider your phone ringing! Our Foundation and the current Board needs **all** of us active and willing to serve. When I say all, I mean all 200 plus. Even those who feel they have retired from service can make phone calls or send e-mails.

Although the issues have changed from year to year, the focus of our Foundation has always been to provide programs and services to the visual and hearing impaired. Year after year, the Boards have struggled with meeting the budget and continuing to fund these most needed services. That isn't changing this year either. Last year the Development Committee asked the Board to make a change in the State Committee structure. We have had a Sight and Sound Sweepstakes committee for several years. There were not committees to oversee Candy Day, Tootsie Pop Day, or the walks. The Diabetes Awareness committee was expected to handle fund raising for Diabetes Alert Day. The Development committee asked that the committee be changed from Sight and Sound to Fundraising. That request was voted on and passed. Now all fundraisers are under one committee. The District Coordinators on this committee have a full plate. This is also where we Ambassadors need to step up. The Coordinators cannot be at every Zone or Region meeting. They cannot make calls to every Club encouraging the Clubs to participate in these fund raisers.

As the Chairman of the Ambassador's group, I am asking all Ambassadors to get back involved. This committee has a flashing neon light saying **"AMBASSADORS WE NEED YOU."** Please find out who your District Fundraising Coordinator is and let them know you are ready to help wherever you are needed. It is not our job to tell them how to do their job, it's our job to ask how we can help them do their job.

Yours in Service,

*Lion Steve Ferguson PCC, PFP*



### Chili's Give -Back Campaign

**November 1, 2016 to January 31, 2017**

Chili's restaurant and grill has once again included the Lions of Illinois Foundation to their charity campaign. The deal is the same as last year, **15%** of your total purchase, except tip

and taxes, will be donated to your LIF when you present our LIF coupon on paper or on your smart phone.

Watch for the mailings to arrive on your Club Secretary's desk with all the details and coupons to redeem.

The Chili's Give-back Campaign is good at every Chili's in Illinois.

**Here's a way to make your donation even bigger - get Scrip cards to use on your visit to Chili's!**

### Mark Your Calendar...

- September 7, 2016** District 1-A Jamboree
- September 11, 2016** District 1-G Jamboree
- September 21, 2016** District 1-BK Jamboree
- October 14-15, 2016** **Lions Candy Day**
- November 5, 2016** Board of Trustees Meeting  
*The Chateau, Bloomington, IL*
- November 6, 2016** Coordinators Meeting.  
*The Chateau, Bloomington, IL*
- February 4, 2017** Board of Trustees Meeting  
*The Chateau, Bloomington, IL*
- May 19-21, 2017** State Convention/Board Meeting  
*Abraham Lincoln, Springfield*
- July 15, 2017** Board of Trustees Meeting  
*Location TBD*

## May-June 2016 Get Well, Honorarium and Memorial Donations

### PDG Charles Beard

- Russ and Sue Sarver
- Chamberlain Lions Club
- Oregon Lions Club
- Freeport Lions Club

### Martha Billings

- Ottawa Lions Club

### Wanda Bramer

- Gordon and Carol Grande
- PCC Robert and Donna Plock
- PID Russ and Sue Sarver
- Rich and Marilyn Walters
- Laura Watts
- PDG Bob and Linda Jilke
- Darrell and Peggy White
- Carl and Linda Hall

### Walter Bratten

- Edwardsville Lions Club

### William Cornola

- Lockport Lions Club

### Van Cruitt

- PDG's Bill McKinney and Lydia Ellis

### Dan Dahlquist

- Jim and Pat Kloeping
- Ashton Lions Club

### Loren Dallinger

- Princeville Lions Club

### Jim Davis

- Tom and Nancy Wright
- Dennis and Mary Martz
- Dan and Susan Jacques

### Wayne Deasy

- Elk Grove Village Lions Club

### Lionel DeGrand

- Union Lioness Club
- Union Lions Club

### Myron Delbert Lobb I

- Tom and Nancy Wright

### Zola Dennis

- Wilmington Lions Club

### Dave Derenzo

- Andreas Brandt

### Gladys Dombrowski

- Bob and Linda Jilke
- Roselle Lions Club

### Ann Dzuryak

- Larry and Joanne Johnson
- Morris Lions Club

### John Elliot

- Roger Hawk

### Edgar Emmett

- Ottawa Lions Club

### Bertha Emmett

- Ottawa Lions Club

### Gilbert Farnham

- Lions Club of Sun City

### Nell K. Franz

- Julia E. Sivori
- Susan Czech
- Susan MacFarlan
- Ralph Tromater

### Wayne Gilbert

- North Aurora Lions Club

### Clarence Goldman

- Craig Slaw and Leonardi Agency

### Robert Goodfellow

- Robert and Donna Plock
- Bob and Linda Jilke
- Tom and Nancy Wright
- Dave and Mary Stryker
- Troy Pate
- Milly Pate
- District 1-J Lions of Illinois
- Jim and Carol Hutchinson
- North Aurora Lions Club
- PID Russ and Sue Sarver

### Betty Greene

- PID Russ and Sue Sarver

### Herbert John Hartz

- Sheffield Lions Club

### Richard "Dick" Helmers

- LaHarpe Lions Club

### Boyce Humphreys

- Lanark Lions Club 1-D #249

### Janet Hunsche

- PDG's Bill McKinney and Lydia Ellis

### Robert Hunter

- Larry and Joanne Johnson

### Daniel Ingle

- Princeville Lions Club

### Garry Jarrell

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