

District 11-A2

Roaring News

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November 2021



Already into November! Where does the time go? In October, we had our second cabinet meeting, good turnout and very good reports. Our projects are doing well. We had IPDG Leo's Appreciation Dinner. That was a great night as we honored a great Governor. Also in October was the Penrickton Kickoff Dinner. It was sold out, or at least very close to sold out. I believe the total given in donations that night was over \$210,000! That is fantastic.

The second round of Region meetings are in November. For this round, it looks



like they are shaping up to be great meetings. We will start off on November 9th in Region 3 with Zone Chair Tammi Graber and the New Baltimore Lions Club. New Lion Orientation will be the topic of discussion. Next, we are off to Region 1 on November 11th with Zone Chair Mark Scicluna and the Beverly Hills Lions. To finish up this round, we head to Region 2 where we find Zone Chair Jim Diez and the Shelby Township Lions. All the flyer says on this one is "Mystery Guest Speaker." With Zone Chair Jim and the Shelby Township Lions involved, you know this one will not want to be missed! I encourage all clubs to be in attendance at their respective meetings as I am sure they will be very informative, and I am sure we will all learn something new about Lions. For more information, please see the flyers later in the newsletter.



There are other events going on in November and many of them will be in the newsletter. One thing that I would like to remind you about is Thursday, November 11th which is Veteran's Day. This is probably one of the most important dates/days to remember and honor. If it were not for all of the hard work and dedication from our Veterans, we would not live in the country that we do and have the freedoms that we have. If you get a chance, thank a Veteran for their service. It's the least we can do for the job that they did. Please include all current service men and women in that thank you as they continue the job of protecting us.

One more day in November that has some interesting history tied to it is Wednesday, November 10th. On this date, 46 years ago (1975), the Edmund Fitzgerald sank off the coast of Whitefish Bay. It was the largest ship on the Great Lakes. So, remember all 29 crewmen who lost their lives that day as you hum Gordon Lightfoot's song and think about "Lake Gitche Gumee."

I have a few club visits scheduled, and I sure would like to get a lot more. I am not going to impose myself on your club. If you want me to come out for a visit, let's talk and work something out. I know a lot of clubs just want to do their own thing and be left alone without all of the District people coming around. Okay, good with me, no problem. But, if you do want me to come for a visit, that would be great.

Cash for Camp update: the Project is going great! Many of you have generously donated to First Lady Kim's special project, and the big basket is getting filled quickly. To date, there is close to \$800 in there! Thank you all very much for your generosity! The jar will be at all of the District meetings and ready for your spare change.

Thank you for all you do and all you serve.

Talk to you next month.

Governor Jim



1VDG Shawn Blaszczyk

Wow, October is over already! Where did that month go? We had a great Cabinet meeting hosted by Royal Oak. A lot of business was taken care of and many great committee reports were given. In November, we have the second round of Region meetings. I am looking forward to what each of the clubs have been up to and what they have planned. If you can have a member attend to give the report, please do so. If not, then email your report to your Zone Chair before the meeting so they can let us know about all of your great work.

This past month I also attended Vice Governor training at Treetops. It was a very valuable learning experience. We had the MD-11 GMT give us a presentation on where we are with membership. The answer is "GREAT"!!



As of his report, MD-11 was a plus 104 members for the year. That's a huge number for us this early. But what really opened my eyes was what he went on to say. He looked at the numbers from a different perspective. These numbers are telling us that we are doing great at recruiting new members. The 104 is a net number; this means that we have actually brought in a higher number of new members to compensate for all of those that we have lost, for whatever reason. Think about this, what if we were able to keep as many of the members we dropped as possible? Then our numbers would even be higher!!

This makes complete sense to me. We don't have a member recruiting problem, we have a membership retention problem. We can't do anything about those that have passed away or moved away, but we CAN do something about those who are just dropping out. What is the reason they are? Do we even stop to ask them? Do we try to correct the reasons why they feel they want to leave? I believe we need to do a better job of this. Let's try to focus more on the members that seem to be distancing themselves or seeming disinterested and try to re-energize them. Let's see if we can rebuild their passion. Maybe get them back involved in a project or charity that they were previously passionate about. Maybe find a project that allows them to use skills that bring to the club. If you have questions on how to do this or with anything regarding your club membership, please contact District GMT Tammi Graber. I'm sure she would love to talk to you.

Lastly, it's not too early for me to start thinking about next years cabinet and committees. If you are interested in serving next year, please reach out to me and let's talk. Thanks again for all you do.



DIMES & DOLLARS FRIDAYS

AS WE ENTER THE FINAL YEAR OF LCIF CAMPAIGN 100, WE NEED ALL OF YOUR HELP TO REACH OUR GOAL AND SUPPORT YOUR FOUNDATION.

WE ARE ASKING EACH MEMBER FOR YOUR INDIVIDUAL SUPPORT TO GO ALONG WITH YOUR CLUB'S. PLEASE CONSIDER DOING ONE OF THE EASY CHALLENGES BELOW EACH FRIDAY OF THE YEAR TO HELP US GIVE BACK TO THE LCIF THAT HAS HELPED OUR DISTRICT AND PROJECTS GREATLY OVER THE YEARS.

FRIDAY DOLLARS- WE ASK THAT EACH FRIDAY FOR THE YEAR THAT YOU PUT AWAY JUST \$1 (MORE IF YOU WISH) AND IN JUNE DONATE THOSE DOLLARS TO LCIF. THIS WILL BE APPROXIMATELY \$50.

FRIDAY DIMES- WE ASK THAT YOU TAKE AN EMPTY WATER BOTTLE (16 OZ.) AND EACH FRIDAY PLACE YOUR SPARE DIMES IN IT THAT YOU HAVE COLLECTED OVER THE WEEK. ONCE THE BOTTLE IS FILLED THERE WILL BE ABOUT \$50 IN IT. ONCE FILLED MAKE A DONATION TO LCIF.

MORE INFORMATION TO FOLLOW AT THE UPCOMING CABINET AND REGION MEETINGS AS WELL AS HOW TO MAKE A DONATION.

THANK YOU 1VDG SHAWN BLASZCZYK, LCIF COORDINATOR



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What's Going On Around the District??



Rochester Lion Gail Kemler recently celebrated her 104th birthday!! Lion Gail has served Lionism along with her late husband Lion Don Kemler and her sons, PRC Jim Kemler and PRC David McKenzie. Lion Gail continues to serve with the Rochester Lions Club, assisting with the Rochester Food Pantry, The Rochester Lions Car Show and with making S'mores for the Rochester Kris Kringle event.

Happy birthday, Lion Gail!!!

PDG Leo Schaefer recently presented the Village of Armada with a check from the Lions of Michigan Service Foundation in the amount of \$7400. The money was donated by the Foundation and is to be used to plant trees in the Village park that were damaged by last summer's devastating tornado.

From L to R are Michelle Poulos, Armada Village Clerk; Joe E. Adair, Village Treasurer; PDG Leo Schaefer; and Marvin Wolak, Village President.





The lion statue shown here once rested in the back yard of Lion Dick Belloli's home. Upon his recent passing, the Sterling Heights Lions Club had the sculpture moved to their property at 12828 Canal Road. Sterling Heights Lion Frank Singer gave the lion a fresh coat of paint and it was dedicated at its new location surrounded by Lion Dick's family.

The Sterling Heights Lions recently gained a new member! 2VDG Kelley Unruh is shown here installing new Lion Ray Harrison while his proud sponsor Lion Ron Papa looks on.



The Lions Bear Lake Camp recently held their Annual Wine and Craft Beer Tasting event in Metamora. An evening of food and drink highlighted by numerous raffles and prizes provided everyone in attendance with an excellent time. Shown here are PDG Jack Patton and CT Angie Boomer discussing which drink they will try next.

A Special Message from Lion Beth Slade, Director of Lions Engagement at Leader Dogs for the Blind.

Leader Dogs for the Blind's Annual Kick Off has a new twist this year; no driving, no log-ins and no passwords! While we won't be together in person, we will be together in spirit. Help us celebrate the partnership with our "hometown" Lions of districts A-1, 11-A-1 and 11-A-2 by sending us a picture of your club's virtual parade of green presentation. Be funny, creative, or serious... snap the picture and email it to LionsSupport@LeaderDog.org by November 19th, 2021.

Mail your parade of green donation with "Kick Off" in the memo to Leader Dog by December 31, 2021, and your club will be awarded the Kick Off banner patch!

Leader Dogs for the Blind
1039 S. Rochester Rd
Rochester Hills, MI 48307

Watch for your special Kick-Off 2021 Thank-You video coming to you soon!

Together we serve,
Lion Beth Slade



Lions Masks—Royal Blue with Gold Emblem

\$15 each

Send check made payable to the
Lathrup Village Lions Club,
and your shipping information,
to:

PDG William Lupher

29776 Sierra Point Circle

Farmington Hills, MI 48331

Phone Inquiries can be made at

248-432-7023



Individual event flyers are not published in the newsletter and should instead be sent for distribution to PCC Frank at frank.cunningham723@gmail.com

Once your event has concluded then send photos and an article for publication in the newsletter to

jboomer1965@gmail.com

If you would like for your photos and article to be submitted to Lion Pride then be sure that you identify everyone who appears in the foreground of your photo by both first and last name.

Submission deadline is the first of the month.



Many thanks to Lion
Larry Cole,
Membership
Statistician, for
providing the District
with this information..

I WANT YOU

The Mount Clemens Lions Club welcomes Theresa Hipple, sponsored by Michael Ferron.

The Mount Clemens Lions Club welcomes Robert Owen, sponsored by David Herrington.

The New Baltimore Lions Club welcomes Sandra Johnson.

The New Baltimore Lions Club welcomes Nicholas Masouras, sponsored by Josip Capelj.

The New Baltimore Lions Club welcomes Aleksander Stefanovski, sponsored by Josip Capelj.

The Rochester Hills Lions Club welcomes Daniel Burns, sponsored by Emily Helm.



CALLING ALL SUPER HEROES!!



We invite all members to attend!

DISTRICT 11-A2

REGION 3 MEETING

“Together We Can, Together We Will”



Tuesday, November 9, 2021

**Hosted by Zone Chair Tammi Graber
& the New Baltimore Lions Club**

Location:

**New Baltimore Civic Club
36551 Main St. (corner of Blackwell & Main)
New Baltimore MI 48047**

**Doors open at 6:00 PM
Meeting starts at 6:45 PM**

We will be sharing ideas on new Lion orientation. Please bring along what your club is using for orientation this year. Also, any other cool ideas you have to share along with your club report.

**Meal Cost: \$15 per person with cash bar.
Please R.S.V.P. by November 5, 2021**

***Send reservations to:* Lion Terry Blackett
48290 Harbor
Chesterfield MI 48047**

Please Make Checks Payable to the: New Baltimore Lions Club

Person Name(s):

Club Name:

Number attending at \$15.00 per person:

Total Amount Due:

***All Reservations must be paid in advance to secure a meal.
Sorry, no phone reservations.***



**DISTRICT 11-A2
CABINET MEETING**



Together We Can, Together We Will

November 11, 2021
Hosted by ZC3 Mark Scicluna
& the Beverly Hills Lions Club

Location: Shields Pizza
1476 W. Maple Rd.
Troy, Mi 48084

Doors open at 6:00 PM
Meeting starts at 6:45 PM

Meal Cost: \$15 per person with cash bar.
Please R.S.V.P. by Oct. 28, 2021

Send reservations to: Mark Scicluna
30040 Westbrook Pkwy
Southfield, Mi. 48076

Please Make Checks Payable to the: Beverly Hills Lions Club

Person Name(s):

Club Name:

Number attending at \$15.00 per person:

Total Amount Due:

All Reservations must be paid in advance to secure a meal.
Sorry, no phone reservations.



DISTRICT 11-A2 REGION II MEETING



“Together We Can, Together We Will”

Thursday, November 18, 2021

Hosted by Zone Chair Jim Diez & the
Shelby Township Lions Club

**Location:
VFW Hall**

8311 Wilson Drive, Shelby Township 48315

Doors open at 6:00 pm
Meeting starts at 6:45 pm

Meal Cost: \$15 per person.
Please R.S.V.P by November 2, 2021

Guest Speaker: TBD

Send reservations to: *ZC Jim Diez*
13526 Towering Oaks
Shelby Township, MI 48315

Please Make Checks Payable to Shelby Township Lions Club

Person Name(s):
Club Name:
Number attending at \$15 per person:
Total Amount Due:

All Reservations must be paid in advance to secure a meal.
Sorry. No phone reservations.



James Leach Jr.
District 11-A2 Governor
2021-2022
2015-2016



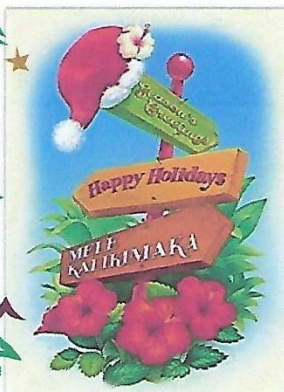
December 10th

District 11 A-2 Christmas Party
Location: Fraser Lions Club Den
34540 Utica Rd, Fraser 48026
Time: 6:30 p.m. till ?

Everyone from the District is welcome.
Christmas/Holiday Casual attire
Please bring a dish to pass.
Last names beginning with:

- A thru G - Main Dish
- H thru M - Appetizers
- N thru S – Vegetables/Salads
- T thru Z - Desserts

UGLY CHRISTMAS SWEATER –
HAWAIIAN SHIRT
CONTEST!!!!





LIONS OF MICHIGAN HALL OF FAME OFFICIAL NOMINATION FORM

The LIONS OF MICHIGAN HALL OF FAME is a project of the Lions of Michigan Foundation. The purpose of the Hall of Fame is to recognize and honor those individuals who have had a significant impact on Lionism in Michigan and to preserve a memory and record of their service.

SELECTION

A maximum of seven individuals may be selected annually for enshrinement into the Lions of Michigan Hall of Fame. The inductees shall include up to four living and two deceased individuals. Past International Directors will automatically be inducted at the end of their two year term as International Director, and each year, one Hall of Fame inductee will be selected by a special committee consisting of the current members of the Lions of Michigan Hall of Fame.

SELECTION COMMITTEE

The primary Hall of Fame Selection Committee will be comprised of the members of the Lions of Michigan Foundation's Fund Development and Marketing Committee.

NOMINATIONS

Nominations will be received annually, no later than March 1. All nominations must be made using the Nominating Forms provided by the Lions of Michigan Foundation. All portions of the Nomination Form must be completed in order for a nomination to be considered. A detailed Narrative for each Nominee should accompany the Nomination Form to provide the Selection Committee with additional information about the nominee. However, the Narrative shall have no numerical score.

Nominations may be initiated by an individual or individuals, a Lions Club or a District. Nominations must have the endorsement of the District Cabinet (**one nominee per category**) before they are submitted to the Foundation office. Individuals nominated and not selected, in any given year, may be nominated in a subsequent year through the endorsement of a current District Cabinet.

INDUCTEES

Inductees and their spouse/guest will be invited guests of the Lions of Michigan Foundation at their scheduled induction ceremony. The time and location of the induction ceremony will coincide with the Foundation's Annual Meeting.

RECORDS

The Lions of Michigan Foundation will be the official repository of records of the LIONS OF MICHIGAN HALL OF FAME. All records will be retained at the Lions of Michigan State Office.

Lions of Michigan Foundation - 5730 Executive Drive - Lansing, Michigan 48911
www.lmsf.net (Web) - info@lmsf.net (Email) - 517-887-6642 (Fax)

NOMINEE: _____

LIONS CLUB: _____

DISTRICT: _____ **DATE:** _____

POINTS WILL NOT BE AWARDED FOR MULTIPLE TERMS IN A SPECIFIC OFFICE.

SECTION 1: LIONS MEMBERSHIP & EXTENSION	POINTS	POINTS GIVEN
YEARS OF SERVICE (_____)	1 PT. EACH YEAR	
NEW MEMBERS SPONSORED		
1 - 25 MEMBERS	10 POINTS	
26 - 50 MEMBERS	25 POINTS	
51+ MEMBERS	50 POINTS	
EXTENSION AWARD	25 POINTS	
GUIDING LION AWARD	25 POINTS	
TOTAL POINTS FOR SECTION 1		

SECTION 2: LIONS CLUB SERVICE	POINTS	POINTS GIVEN
PRESIDENT	15 POINTS	
VICE PRESIDENT	10 POINTS	
SECRETARY	10 POINTS	
TREASURER	10 POINTS	
MEMBERSHIP CHAIR	10 POINTS	
BOARD MEMBER (OTHER THAN ABOVE)	5 POINTS	
TOTAL POINTS FOR SECTION 2		

SECTION 3: DISTRICT LIONS SERVICE	POINTS	POINTS GIVEN
DISTRICT GOVERNOR	30 POINTS	
VICE, LIEUTENANT OR DEPUTY DISTRICT GOVERNOR	15 POINTS	
CABINET SECRETARY	15 POINTS	
CABINET TREASURER	15 POINTS	
REGION CHAIR	10 POINTS	
ZONE CHAIR	5 POINTS	
COMMITTEE CHAIR	5 POINTS	
ATTENDED A CONVENTION	5 POINTS	
TOTAL POINTS FOR SECTION 3		

SECTION 4: MULTIPLE DISTRICT LIONS SERVICE	POINTS	POINTS GIVEN
COUNCIL CHAIR	35 POINTS	
VICE COUNCIL CHAIR	20 POINTS	
TREASURER	20 POINTS	
COMMITTEE CHAIR	15 POINTS	
COMMITTEE MEMBER	10 POINTS	
ATTENDED A CONVENTION OR FORUM	10 POINTS	
PRESENTED AT A CONVENTION OR FORUM	10 POINTS	
TOTAL POINTS FOR SECTION 4		

SECTION 5: INTERNATIONAL LIONS SERVICE	POINTS	POINTS GIVEN
COMMITTEE CHAIR (Convention, USA/Canada Forum, Sight First, Etcetera)	25 POINTS	
COMMITTEE MEMBER	15 POINTS	
ATTENDED AN INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION	15 POINTS	
ATTENDED A USA/CANADA FORUM	10 POINTS	
PRESENTED AT A CONVENTION OR FORUM	10 POINTS	
TOTAL POINTS FOR SECTION 5		

SECTION 6: MD 11 & SD 10 LIONS PROJECT SERVICE	POINTS	POINTS GIVEN
PRESIDENT	25 POINTS	
VICE PRESIDENT	15 POINTS	
SECRETARY	15 POINTS	
TREASURER	10 POINTS	
BOARD MEMBER	10 POINTS	
COMMITTEE CHAIR	10 POINTS	
COMMITTEE MEMBER	5 POINTS	
TOTAL POINTS FOR SECTION 6		

SECTION 7: AWARDS & HONORS RECEIVED	POINTS	POINTS GIVEN
INTERNATIONAL AMBASSADOR OF GOODWILL	150 POINTS	
INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENTIAL AWARD	75 POINTS	
INTERNATIONAL LEADERSHIP AWARD	50 POINTS	
INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT'S CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION	25 POINTS	

INTERNATIONAL 100% DISTRICT GOVERNOR	25 POINTS	
LCIF - MELVIN JONES FELLOWSHIP	25 POINTS	
MD 11 - S.A. DODGE AWARD	50 POINTS	
LIONS OF MICHIGAN FOUNDATION – FELLOWSHIP – AWARD	50 POINTS	
LEADER DOGS FOR THE BLIND – FELLOWSHIP – AWARD	50 POINTS	
LIONS BEAR LAKE CAMP - FELLOWSHIP – AWARD	50 POINTS	
EVERSIGHT – FELLOWSHIP – AWARD	50 POINTS	
WELCOME HOMES FOR THE BLIND – FELLOWSHIP – AWARD	50 POINTS	
NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL AWARD RECEIVED	25 POINTS	
STATE/LOCAL GOVERNMENT AWARD	25 POINTS	
TOP LIONS SINGLE DISTRICT AWARD (Ralph Sheehan Award, Other _____)	20 POINTS	
TOTAL POINTS FOR SECTION 7		

SECTION 8: NON-LIONS SERVICE	POINTS	POINTS GIVEN
STATE/LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD OFFICER (Mayor, City Council Chair, County Commissioner, School Board, Other _____)	25 POINTS	
STATE/LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD MEMBER	15 POINTS	
COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION – CHURCH – YOUTH ORGANIZATION LEADER (Scouting, 4-H, School, Church, Other _____)	10 POINTS	
COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION – CHURCH – YOUTH ORGANIZATION COMMITTEE MEMBER	5 POINTS	
TOTAL POINTS FOR SECTION 8		

POINTS AWARDED: Section 1: _____ Section 2: _____ Section 3: _____ Section 4: _____
 Section 5: _____ Section 6: _____ Section 7: _____ Section 8: _____

TOTAL POINTS AWARDED: _____

I certify that my District selected this nominee at an official meeting of our District Cabinet, and a quorum of voting members was present.

Signature - Cabinet Secretary

District

Date



2022 Lions Clubs of Michigan Scholarship for the Visually Impaired

Three \$3,000 scholarships to be awarded

Please mail completed scholarship application to:

The Lions of Michigan State Office
 Attn: Scholarship Committee
 5730 Executive Drive, Lansing, MI 48911
www.lionsofmi.com

Phone: (517) 887-6640
 Fax: (517) 887-6642
 email: lions@lionsofmi.com



Scholarship Criteria:

1. Must be legally blind and provide verification (letter from optometrist or ophthalmologist or letter from vocational counselor).
2. Applicants must be a resident of the State of Michigan and a United States Citizen (International students must provide proof of citizenship) and either attending or accepted by an accredited trade or business school, college or university.
3. Applicants must complete the official scholarship application (both sides).
4. Must submit two letters of recommendation.
5. Must submit an essay outlining why you need the scholarship.
6. Must have a minimum GPA of 2.5 (transcript required).
7. Completed scholarship applications must be postmarked NO LATER THAN NOVEMBER 30th annually.
8. Must attend the Lions of Michigan Forum to accept scholarship during a ceremonial presentation. *(Actual check(s) will be issued to the school/university/equipment manufacturer upon submission of documentation. Two weeks notice required).*

Scholarship Selection Process:

1. Lions of Michigan Scholarship Committee will review all applications during January.
2. This scholarship will be awarded in February annually at the Michigan Forum.

Name		Phone	()
Address					
City		State		Zip	
Email Address					
Date of Birth		* Degree of visual acuity			
* Legally blind is defined as best corrected vision in both eyes of 20/200 or less and/or visual fields of less than 20 degrees.					
How did you hear about the scholarship?					

Education Information

High School you attended		
What college or other institution are you attending/planning to attend?		
Have you been accepted?		
What do you plan to study?		
What are your personal and educational goals?		
How will the scholarship funds be used? <i>(Check all that apply)</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Tuition	<input type="checkbox"/> Books	<input type="checkbox"/> Housing
<input type="checkbox"/> Specialized Equipment (please specify) _____		
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify) _____		

Organizations, Activities and Awards

Describe briefly your most significant public service, community, or campus activities associated with your education and/or future career goals.			
Special honors and awards			
Special talents and training			
Applicant's Signature		Date	

2022 Distinguished Service Award Application

DISTRICT 11 A2 DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

PURPOSE: To recognize a District 11 A2 Lion, Lioness, or Leo for sustained, outstanding commitment and dedicated service as a Lion, Lioness or Leo to the Community and District.

CRITERIA:

- Service must include club & district level participation. MD & LCI level participation is NOT a requirement although can be a plus. (NOTE: This is intended as a District award for service at the District & Club level in this District.)
- Must have served in a leadership role at the Club and District level.
- Demonstrated service in support of one or more of the established District projects & programs.
- Demonstrated service directly involving voluntary service to the Community.
- Must currently be a District 11 A2 Lion, Lioness or Leo in good standing as a full member with a minimum of seven years membership in the District at the time of the District Convention where this award is to be presented.
- Nominee may NOT have been previous recipient of the Harold Pocklington Service Award. Nominee may NOT be currently serving as an International Director, District Governor or as a Vice District Governor.
- Nominations must be submitted in writing to the Immediate Past District Governor not later than February 1, 2022 in proper format.

IPDG Leo Schaefer

46399 Imperial Lane
Macomb, MI 48044
shae71par@hotmail.com

SELECTION PROCESS:

- The Honorary Committee, chaired by the IPDG, shall consist of those PDG's who are active members of a District 11A2 Lions Club. The District Governor shall be a part of voting process but may not make a nomination.
- Only one nomination by each member of the Honorary Committee, consisting of Past District Governors, may be submitted during a Lion's year.
- Nominations shall be submitted, in writing, or by email to the most recent IPDG. Following the selection, the IPDG shall be responsible to obtain the plaque and medallion. IPDG will also be responsible for having them engraved and shall present the

award at the Annual District Convention Banquet. If the current IPDG is unable to do the presentation the next previous IPDG will do the presentation.

- Information collected along with the medallions and engraving for plaques shall be shared with the next IPDG following the presentation of the Distinguished Service Award and the last meeting of the Honorary committee.

In order to secure complete nomination information, a PDG may need to contact the person being nominated. This information should remain confidential within the Honorary Committee.

In the event that a PDG is nominated for the Distinguished Service Award, the Chairperson of the Honorary Committee (or other designated chair if the IPDG is a nominee), upon receipt of the completed nomination form, shall notify the nominated PDG. Thereafter, the nominated PDG shall not participate in the selection process during the Lion's year of the nomination.

VOTING PROCESS:

- IPDG will call for a meeting of the Honorary Committee (consisting of active PDG's who have served for District 11A2) no less than 30 days prior to Annual District Convention. A quorum of the selection committee shall be no less than one third of the eligible members. If there is not a quorum or if no candidate receives the stated amount of votes, the award shall not be given in that year.
- Voting shall be by written ballot or via telephone conference call (if necessary). The recipient must receive one more than 50% of the ballots cast. If no nominee receives 1 more than 50% of the ballots cast, then the committee will take the top two (2) nominations and revote. Winner will be determined by who receives 50% plus one vote.
- No proxy votes will be allowed and a Past Pocklington Award recipient will count the votes as directed by the IPDG.
- The Honorary Committee will be asked to keep the winning nomination a secret until Annual District Convention.

• DISTRICT 11-A2 DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

- 2011 Doug Thorpe
- 2012 James Leach, Jr.
- 2013 Kimberly Thiede
- 2014 Kay Furby
- 2015 Amy Bineau
- 2016 Richard Pfeiffer
- 2017 Dick Maxwell
- 2018 Robert Bobee
- 2019 Dave McKenzie
- 2020 Paul Ostby
- 2021 Larry Cole

DISTRICT 11 A2 DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD
Personal Data Sheet

Name of Nominee:

Years of Service as a Lion:

Member of which Lion Club:

Offices and Years held in local club:

Community Service Activities:

Special District, State or Lion Projects Nominee has played a key role
in:

Any other information in support of Nominee's Service work:

Name of Honorary Committee Member
placing the nomination

Date Submitted