MESA HOST ROARS OCTOBER 2013 NEWSLETTER SERVING THE MESA COMMUNITY SINCE 1928



MESSAGE FROM YOUR PRESIDENT

Mesa Host Lions Members

25% of our Lions year is gone. We are just getting started. It was nice to see Lion Jim Johnson back from Montana at our last meeting. Soon our winter visitors will be here.

Please keep our ailing members and family in your prayers as they work their way towards recovery. IPP Bill is doing a great job keeping us informed on their status. Thank you, Lion Bill.

Projects coming up:

Casino Night in February 2014

We need workers, dealers, set up crew, take down crew and others to make this a great event. We also need raffle prices. They have to be new. If you did not work on this project last year it was a fun event and we made money for the club, please get involved.

We are also helping the LFA again on their Golf tournament on November 16 at Sun Bird Golf Resort in Chandler. We also need raffle prices, golfers and Hole sponsors for the event. My team came in second and Lion George Hill's team took first, not bad for Mesa Host.

White cane days are here! We will get the dates out to our members as soon as they are set. This is an easy fund raiser. We make very good money and it can be fun. If you cannot work on the week-end events when they are scheduled, Lion Bill and Barb have a way to work on your own and really help the club. Mesa Host needs your assistance.

If you plan to go to the Mid-Winter convention in Prescott on Nov 1-3 you can get the form out of the Canyon State Lion or call Lion Barb and she will get you an application. These conventions can be rewarding and you may learn something from other Lions on how to make or raise money for our club. Mesa Host pays for members registration, hope to see you there. Yours in Lionism

Lion Dave Webster, PREZ

COMMUNITY SERVICES PROJECTS





DONATED GLASSES UPDATE COUNT
THE CURRENT COUNT OF EYEGLASSES 2580
CELL PHONES 6 HEARING AIDS 4
GLASS CASES, SOFT/HARD 531
BREAKDOWN OF GLASSES COLLECTION

Good frames, bad lenses-clear/tinted 479
Good glasses, clear/tinted 1053
Frames metal 570 Frames plastic 285
KIDS GLASSES
Good glasses clear lens 68 / Good glasses tinted 26
Good frames bad lenses 10
Frames metal 71 Frames plastic 18
TOTAL FOR YEAR TO DATE 2580



HYDRATION CAMPAIGN

IPP Lion Bill Worbington continues putting together deliveries of water to the Salvation Army Hydration Campaign.

In August he delivered 26 cases of 24 count 16 ounce bottles of water to the <u>Salvation Army</u>. September cases delivered were 13 cases 24 count 16 ounce and 2 cases 35 count 16 ounce bottles for a <u>TOTAL</u> 41 cases and we are still in need of more water, so if you just happen to be in a grocery store or etc. please buy a case or two and get to Lion Bill. Our own Lion Len Virtue would be ever so grateful. So will the recipients.



TREASURES 4 TEACHERS

With the school budgets decreasing teachers do what they can to provide material and supplies out of their own pockets. They need help. We are going to try and help collect supplies for them.

Some of the things they need on an ongoing basis are:

ART SUPPLIES (MARKERS, PAINTS, BRUSHES, CANVAS)

BABY FOOD JARS

CARDBOARD & PLASTIC TUBES (ALL SIZES

CLEAN CONTAINERS ANY SIZE OATMEAL, COFFEE etc.

PAPER TOWEL & TOILET PAPER TUBES, & EGG CARTONS

POSTCARDS, GREETING CARDS, CALENDARS WITH PICTURES

REUSABLE BAGS (PAPER, CANVAS, PLASTIC)

ANY KING OF SCHOOL SUPPLIES, PENCILS, PENS, MARKERS, CRAYONS etc.

JEWELRY (BEADS, SEQUINS, GLITTER) CAN BE BROKEN PIECES. MAGNETS, MARBLES & MISC. IF YOU WANT TO CONTRIBUTE BUT CAN'T MAKE IT TO THE MEETINGS, JUST COLLECT AND LET LION BARBARA OR LION BILL KNOW AND THEY WILL SEE THAT <u>SOMEONE</u> COMES AND PICKS IT UP.





BOTTLE CAPS (ALL SIZES)
BASKETS (WICKER, PLASTIC)

BOOKS, MAGAZINES & MAPS

CORKS, STRAWS, CUTLERY

OFFICE SUPPLIES

FOOD BANK DONATIONS

Donated to the St. Vincent De Paul Memorial Kitchen in <u>August</u>
142 Bottles 16 oz. water
32 canned or packaged food items
Delivered in <u>September</u>
3 cases of 24 count 16 oz. bottles of water
37 pounds of canned and boxed food products.
Grand total: 214 bottles of water and 69 pounds of food products.

SPEAKERS

We are working towards our speakers for the year.

If you hear of someone you believe would be an interesting speaker for our meetings, let Lion Barbara know. We need community information to help us be a successful server.

Included is a current list of the Lions and their month to obtain the speakers.

October / Lions Thresher

Oct. 1 Susan Karensky (Banner MD Anderson)

November / Lion Hackney December / Lion Smith January / Lion Ryan February / IPP Worbington March / Lion Denise Gary

FUND RAISERS



EASIEST FUND RAISER WE HAVE

We now have 3 locations

Mesa Lutheran Church---612 S. Ellsworth, Mesa
Gold Canyon Lutheran Church---5301 S. Kings Ranch Rd, Gold Canyon

Mesa Senior Center on McDonald, Mesa

Get your friends & neighbors to donate re-cycling papers & cardboard to these locations. Some of our members collect items from businesses.

This is an easy fund raiser for us. <u>Please</u> get involved.

GRANDPA'S WHEEL'S FUND RAISER PROJECT NEEDS VEHICLES



LISTEN, YOU MAY HEAR SOMEONE TALKING ABOUT GETTING RID OF ONE... This is a fund raiser ... Contact Lion Dave Webster if you know of one...

CASINO NIGHT





Scheduled for Saturday February 1, 2014

At Fountain of the Sun

Mark your calendars for the Mesa Lions Clubs Foundation and Charities Inc.

Annual Casino Night Event. Saturday, February 1, 2014 at the Fountain of the Sun. Time
5:30-8:30 pm.

The evening will feature Black Jack, Texas Hold'em, Slots, Horse racing, Craps and Bingo. \$20 per person and must be 21 years old. Finger snacks and beverages will be available for purchase.

Mesa Host is the Chair club this year with participation from Mesa Thunderbirds and Fountain of the Sun Lions. We will need helpers for the event with tickets, prizes, dealers, bingo, floor helpers, refreshment helpers. We will also need to collect NEW PRIZES FOR THE RAFFLE AND SILENT AUCTION. WE WILL ALSO BE ASKING FOR SPONSORS OF THE GAMING TABLES. \$25 SPONSOR FOR BINGO AND HORSE RACING AND \$50 SPONSORSHIP FOR THE OTHER TABLES. THIS IS OUR ANNUAL FUNDRAISER and we want it to be a great success so please pitch in where you can. For more information contact President Dave @dtwebster@cox.net or Lion Bill Worbington at 985-1834





WHITE CANE ACTIVITY IS STARTING AS WE READ THIS. JUMP ON THE BANDWAGON AND VOLUNTEER A COUPLE HOURS.

CLUB DATES AND THINGS TO REMEMBER VIEW OUR CLUB WEBSITE AT

www.Mesahostlions.org



Annual Mesa, AZ Veterans Day Parade Saturday November 9th





Article asking for players from Club to play and support for LFA & Vets: Sunbird Lions Club & Lions Foundation of Arizona 'Salute our Veterans Golf Tournament' Saturday, November 16, 2013 Sunbird Golf Resort, 6250 S. Sunbird Blvd, Chandler, Arizona 4 Player Scramble. 7 am check in on patio outside ballroom. 8 am shotgun start. \$10,000 for all HOLES IN ONE ON HOLE #3 Cash prizes for gross and net in each flight. Prizes for longest putt and closest to the pins for men and women. Cost \$50 per player. Donuts and Coffee at check in - Gift - Lunch. Please bring a donation for 'Packages from Home' project (individual size toiletries, sun screen, socks, playing cards, paperback books, canned nuts, hard candy or gum. MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: L.F.A. MAIL CHECK AND APPLICATION TO: PDG FRED GARMESON 6150 S. PEBBLE BEACH DRIVE **CHANDLER, ARIZONA 85029** NAME: ______HANDICAP INDEX _____\$___ NAME: _________HANDICAP INDEX ______ \$_____ NAME: HANDICAP INDEX \$ ______ HANDICAP INDEX \$ ______ \$ YOU CAN ALSO SPONSOR A HOLE FOR \$100.00. President Dave Webster, Lions Beverly Webster and Lion Bill Worbington have already signed up. Come join them for a fun day and help support our Veterans and State Project.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS

MD21 MEMBERSHIP RALLY SATURDAY JANUARY 4, 2014 SUN BIRD RESORT 6250 S. SUNBIRD BLVD, CHANDLER, AZ 85249 FEATURING 1ST VICE PRESIDENT JOE PRESTON AND PAST INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT JAMES "JIM" ERVIN





Multiple District Leadership Forum & Mid Year Convention @ Prescott Resort November 1-3

REMEMBERING



THE MELVIN JONES LIONS INTERNATIONAL MEMORIAL

(Lions rededicating themselves to the principals of Lionism as established by founder Melvin Jones)

The 45th Annual Rededication of Melvin Jones Memorial will be held January 11, 2014 at 11:00am @ Memorial Grounds Luncheon at 12:30pm at Eastern Ariz. College in Thatcher, AZ SPEAKER
Lion Int. 1st VP Joe Preston







GOING TO TORONTO

International Convention in Toronto Ontario, Canada July 4-8 2014 Election of LCI's 2014-2015 International President LION INT. 1ST VP JOE PRESTON

HAWAII INTERNATION CONVENTION HONOLULU, HAWAII JUNE 26-30 2015



ALOHA AND MAHALO



PERSONAL DATES TO REMEMBER IN OCTOBER

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS
Lion Ernie Soto 10-2
Lion Linda Gollwitzer 10-7

OCTOBER ANNIVERSARIES Lion Larry Brown 10-7





Lion George Hill Lion Guy Meyer Lion Ernie Soto Lion J. L. Ward Lion Don Hartmann





JUST IN CASE

At our meeting place we have wondered about sugar free food. Well ... Any serving utensil with <u>"BLUE"</u> handles are the sugar free items.

"UPDATES NEEDED"

We have members saying they are not receiving the newsletter and emails from the club. \underline{Well} to be able to get these to you, we need our members to take a minute and email or send, or call your current contact information. It is also necessary for Lions Clubs International records and it makes Secretary Lion Nita's job a whole lot less complicated. Updated information can be emailed to Lion President Dave at $\underline{dtwebster@cox.net}$.



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