



PENNSYLVANIA LIONS DISTRICT 14-G

DISTRICT GOVERNOR BO MILLER

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Dear Lions, Lioness and Leos,

As Governor of District 14-G, I cordially invite you attend the 2011 District Convention being held on April 9th and 10th at the Ramada Inn and Conference Center in State College, PA.

We are very lucky to again have a sitting International Director as our Guest Speaker. International Director Sonja Pulley, from Portland, Oregon, not only serves as a Lions leader, but has been involved in regional leadership and training institutes and has served as the host chair of the USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum. Director Pulley is a chiropractic physician and is also active in several professional organizations associated with her career.

Our banquets will be held on Saturday and Sunday. The Honors Banquet will be held Saturday evening to honor Melvin Jones Fellows and Pennsylvania Foundation Fellows. (This is a great time to honor someone in your club.) We will also be recognizing several clubs as being "Pride Builders" at the Honors Banquet. The convention will close with the International Banquet on Sunday at 1 PM. Once again both banquet meals will be discounted, for first time attendees only.

The Lioness/Ladies Breakfast will be held Sunday morning at 9AM. Join them for a fine breakfast and program to follow. A Necrology service will be held Sunday morning.

As usual our popular seminars will be held all day Saturday. We have many seminars focusing on Lions Club and District Leadership, our District Projects, and general interest topics. Also we will have our popular Basket Raffles, along with a basket drawing for those previous convention attendees.

There will be a room with displays from several organizations, along with the basket displays, pin traders and the State Store selling Lions items. We are extending an invitation to bring your brag boards to display what activities or events your club is involved in.

I am encouraging all Lions, Lioness and Leos to attend this convention and share the experience of meeting other Lions and learning what they do to accomplish our motto "We Serve".

A block of rooms have been reserved at the Ramada Inn at the price of \$79 per night. Please call the hotel at 814-238-3001 for reservations and mention the Lions convention.

Please complete the enclosed forms and return to Lion Charlie Poust by March 20, 2010. Direct questions to Lion Poust at 814-238-6695.

Yours In Lionism,

DG Bo Miller

PA. LIONS 29TH Annual District 14-G Convention Banquet Registration

Ramada Inn State College, PA April 9&10, 2011

Last Name _____ First Name _____ Spouse/Guest _____
Street Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Club _____ Lion _____ Lioness _____ Leo _____ Phone _____ First Timer _____

Meal Reservations and Convention Registration must be received by March 10, 2011

Honors Banquet – Saturday April 9, 2011 – 6:00PM (Everyone is invited)

**Please put the number of meals requested in the blank and fill in the total dollar amount.
The cost for each meal is \$23.00. The cost for a first time attendee is \$10.00**

Menu choices: London Broil _____ Fillet of Salmon _____ Stuffed Chicken Breast _____
All Include Fruit Medley, Tossed Salad, Baked Potato, Broccoli, and Lemon Cake
Rolls and Butter Blend, Coffee, Decaf, Tea, Iced Tea

Special Requests: Diabetic _____ Vegetarian _____ Gluten Free _____ **TOTAL \$ _____**

Lioness/Ladies Breakfast – Sunday April 10, 2011 – 9:00AM

Menu: Happy Valley Buffet-Juices, Asst. Danish, Muffins, Traditional and Western
Scrambled Eggs, French Toast, Ham, Diced Potatoes, and Buttermilk Biscuits.
Coffee, Decaf and Tea.

No. _____ X \$11.00 _____

Convention Banquet – Sunday April 10, 2011 – 1:00 PM

The cost for each meal is \$21.00. The cost for a first time attendee is \$10.00

Menu choices: Chicken Cordon Bleu _____ Tuscan Pork Tenderloin _____
Flounder Francaise _____ (All to include Soup Du Jour, Rice Pilaf, Honey Glazed
Carrots, Peanut Butter Pie, Rolls and Butter Blend,
Coffee, Decaf, Tea

Special Requests: Diabetic _____ Vegetarian _____ Gluten Free _____ **TOTAL \$ _____**

2011 Convention Pins (Centre Furnace) _____ No. of Pins _____ X \$2.00 _____
Tail Twister Insurance (Proceeds to Beacon Lodge) _____ X \$1.00 _____

Grand Total \$ _____

ALL FEES MUST ACCOMPANY REGISTRATION (payable to: District 14G)
Send reservations to: Lion Charles Poust P.O.Box 323 Pine Grove Mills, Pa 16868
For more convention information call Charlie at 814-238-6695

Lions District 14G Convention Seminar Registration
Lions Club International
Ramada Inn State College, PA. April 9 & 10

Seminars are on Saturday, April 9th.

(Please check the seminars you plan to attend and return by March 10th.)

Last Name	First Name			
	Lion	Lioness	Leo	Non-Member
Club				

8:00 AM - 2:00 PM
 Convention Registration (Hotel Lobby)

- 9:00 AM - 10:00AM**
- Foresight
 - Retention and Recruiting
 - Diabetes Awareness
 - NCSS Sight Screening (2hrs)

- 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM**
- Hearing
 - Zone Chairperson
 - Beacon Lodge

- 11:00 AM - NOON**
- Membership Chairperson
 - Trash to Treasure
 - Camp Victory
 - Club President and Treasurer

- 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM**
- Leader Dog
 - District Leadership
 - Member Orientation
 - Club Secretary

**Please return to Lion Charles Poust @ P. O. Box 323 Pine Grove Mills Pa.
 16868**

Pennsylvania District 14-G 29th Annual Convention (front cover)
2011
Saturday, April 9th • Sunday, April 10th
Ramada Inn
State College, Pa.

PROGRAM OF EVENTS

District 14G Convention Events (page 1)

Saturday, April 9, 2011

Registration **Pre Function Area 8:00 AM - 2:30 PM**
Welcome Ballroom A 8:30 AM

Seminars

Session 1 **Room 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM**
NCSS Sight Screening Chairman A Heather Engle
Retention & Recruiting Chairman B PDG Jack Smith
Diabetes Awareness Executive Forum Centre Medical
Foresight Directors Room Dave Allison

Session 2 **10:00 AM - 11:00 AM**
NCSS Sight Screening Chairman A Heather Engle
Zone Chairperson Chairman B Jim Keener
Beacon Lodge Executive Form PDG Dean Kelchner-Jim Crawley
Hearing Directors Room PDG Bill Bryan- Dr. Elise Uhring

Session 3 **11:00 AM - Noon**
Trash to Treasure Chairman A Dianne Hershey
Camp Victory Chairman B Jamie Huntley
Club President & Treasurer Executive Form PDG Kerry Drake
Membership Chairperson Directors Room Dave Riley

Hospitality with
VDG Bud Harris **Room 151 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM**

Session 4 **1:00 PM - 2:00 PM**
Leader Dog Chairman A Eric Berger-Pete High- Brian Dugan
Orientation Chairman B Gary Strauch
District Leadership Directors Room Judy Dudley
Club Secretary Executive Form Bud and Jo Ann Harris

TO ALL FIRST TIME CONVENTION ATTENDEES

TO HELP FACILITATE YOUR ENJOYMENT OF THIS YEAR'S CONVENTION, THE COMMITTEE HAS INITIATED A MEET AND GREET PROGRAM. YOUR BLUE NAME TAG WILL IDENTIFY YOU AS A 1ST TIMER, AND ALL LIONS ARE TO WELCOME AND ASSIST YOU IN ANY WAY THEY CAN. ALSO WE ARE AWARDING A GIFT TO THE 1ST TIMER WHO, ON SATURDAY, COLLECTS THE MOST PDG AUTOGRAPHS IN THEIR PROGRAM BOOK. TO BE ELIGIBLE YOU MUST BRING YOUR PROGRAM BOOK TO THE HONORS BANQUET SATURDAY EVENING.

CLUB BRAG BOARDS

2011 PA LIONS DISTRICT 14-G CONVENTION

This is an opportunity for every Lions, Lioness, and Leo Club to share their successes with other clubs in the District. The Brag Boards will be on display at the Convention for all participants to view. We are hoping your club chooses to participate in this activity.

WHO: Lions, Lioness, and Leo Clubs

WHAT: Pictures, Newspaper clippings, Brochures, etc.

WHERE: 14-G District Convention – Ramada Inn

WHEN: April 9 and 10, 2011

WHY: To share, **Show-off**, and **BRAG** about your clubs fundraising and community service projects.

- Please have your brag boards at the Ramada Inn by 9 a.m. Saturday, the 9th.
- Provide your own easel for displaying the Brag Board.
- Maximum size: 36”h x 48”w (exceptions will be considered).

For questions and information about brag boards contact:
Lion Gloria Weaver 814-364-9980

District Convention Basket Raffle
April 2011

Attention 14G Lions Clubs, Dist. Governor and all Past Dist. Governors:

It's time to start planning for the District Convention fund raising Basket Raffle. The more donated baskets we can gather, the more funds that will be raised to help off set the costs of holding a District convention. Please consider not only donating a basket or two from your club, but also soliciting donations from any businesses in your area that might consider sponsoring a basket or adding items to a basket.

Please bring your baskets to the convention by 9:00am. Saturday, April 9th. If you have any questions you may contact Karen Metzger at ksmetz77@aol.com or by phone at (814)692-8555.

Thank you in advance for helping to make this event a success.