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The 60th year of service by Vermont Lions District 45 is well underway.

BBQ's, parades, fishing derbies, camps, bike rides, block parties, diabetes screening, auctions, soccer games are just a few of the things that I have heard of so far. Looking forward to hearing about more. Secretaries: make sure to ask your fellow Lions and fellow Lions make sure to tell your Secretaries what activities you are doing. This information needs to be reported every month. Love to be able to report to the District, that we, as Vermont Lions, have done XX number of hours of service for an XX estimated number of individuals.

International President Preston is asking us to 'strengthening the pride'. One of these areas is through service. His goal, by December 2017, 100 million acts of service: for our local communities and our state. Acts of service in the following areas: Engaging our Youth, Sharing the Vision, Relieving the Hunger, Protecting our Environment. I am hoping all of our clubs in District 45 will be able to participate in this campaign.

I had the pleasure of attending the 97th International Convention in Toronto. Between the Plenary Sessions, seeing the installation of our International President, enjoying the talents of Neil Sedaka and Olivia Newton-John. Fantastic artistry talents from youth from China.

Best part of the convention was meeting Lions from throughout the world. Hearing about what projects they do. What concerns they have. What issues do they work on. Guess what. We all are the same. But we also have the same pleasure from the acts of service that we do.

PID Tom Broughton, IPDG Tommy Walz and his wife Leslie and their grandson Erik and myself participated in the annual parade. Also saw Lion Jayne and Carl Sorenson, former members of the Shelburne Area Lions Club enjoying the parade and convention as well.

The 100th International Convention will be held in Chicago, Illinois in 2017. It is one of my goals to see 100 Vermont Lions marching in the International Parade and attending the convention. Possible? Hope so.

Enjoy the rest of the summer!!! Hope to see as many as possible at the first Cabinet Meeting on August 16th in Derby. DG Ken

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17	Bennington Battle Day Parade with a Gathering of Lions – 11am at the Safford Mill Inn. Contact KL Liz Fenwick at ea.fenwick@gmail.com
September 2014	
13	Lion Club 1st annual Disc Golf Community Challenge - The Challenge will be held on Saturday, September 13th at the Quarries Disc Golf Course in Websterville Vermont. The Barre Lions Club will field a team and we are throwing down the gauntlet to other District 45 Clubs. For more information, contact Stacy Cadorette @ 498-3740 or email @ stacycadorette@yahoo.com
27	Whitingham-Halifax Lions Hungry Lion Bike Tour to raise money for the local food shelf and holiday food baskets. Cyclists will enjoy our amazing fall foliage while raising funds to help end hunger in Southern Vermont. To learn more about the event, Please visit www.hungrylionbiketour.com , watch the video there, visit the Tour’s FaceBook page, or follow on Twitter at @HungryLion2013. Pre-registration via the website is encouraged. More information will be published in upcoming editions of the D45 newsletter.
November 2014	
1	Peace Poster Entry Deadline

The Barre Lions Club invites other district 45 Lions Clubs to join them in their

1st annual **DISC GOLF COMMUNITY CHALLENGE**

The Challenge will be held on Saturday, September 13th at the Quarries Disc Golf Course in Websterville Vermont. The Barre Lions Club will field a team and we are throwing down the gauntlet to other District 45 Clubs. Disc golf is increasingly popular and is lots of fun. People of all ages can be part of a team. You have all summer to practice.

There is only room for 18 teams and we encourage you to form your team now. Registration is \$50 per team and each team includes 5 players. Each player will receive a T-shirt and the teams can win all kinds of prizes. Disc golfers of all levels are invited to participate. All proceeds will benefit the Barre Lions Charities.

For more information, contact Stacy Cadorette @ 498-3740 or email stacycadorette@yahoo.com



LTSSA 2014 Calendar Raffle Winners

A great big ***Thank you*** to everyone who bought their calendar raffle tickets for 2014

Take a look to see if you have any of the winning tickets

July	Prize	Ticket No.	Name	Address
1	\$350	7393	Leslie Packard	Chester, NH
2	\$50	6372	Nancy Crossland	Seabrook, NH
3	\$50	3374	Andrew Latourneau	Hooksett, NH
4	\$200	2584	John Morley, III	Orleans, VT
5	\$150	0360	Lindsey Beauregard	Hollis, NH
6	\$100	6739	Nancy Greer	Wolfeboro, NH
7	\$100	1784	Greg Maurer	Vergennes, VT
8	\$50	5002	Phillip Burton	Hooksett, NH
9	\$50	0273	James & Christie Poehlman	Colchester, VT
10	\$50	1730	Dan Close	Underhill, VT
11	\$100	4000	Carl Wallin	Lebanon, NH
12	\$150	6285	Adelne Caruso	Seabrook, NH
13	\$100	3909	Paul Goubout	Goffstown, NH
14	\$50	7251	Greg Mc Innes	Chester, NH
15	\$50	1999	Richard Theken	Barre, VT
16	\$50	3954	Norma Pelton	Etna, NH
17	\$50	6836	Linda Hedrick	Hudson, NH
18	\$100	6485	C. Donahue	Wolfeboro, NH
19	\$150	4428	Mary Steele	Bedford, NH
20	\$100	3440	Christina Goodwin	Rumney, VT
21	\$50	5588	Aaron Dorsey	Pike, VT
22	\$50	5244	C. Luebkehan	Keene, NH
23	\$50	3915	Jeff Wallace	Goffstown, NH
24	\$50	1938	Charles Livendale	Barre, VT
25	\$100	6047	Nicki Austin	Nashua, NH
26	\$150	7490	Darlene Prendergast	Brentwood, NH
27	\$100	1294	Patrick Leach	Enosburg Falls, VT
28	\$50	5589	Aaron Dorsey	Pike, VT
29	\$50	4719	Bill Ellencamp	Peterboro, NH
30	\$50	7381	Toni Oldin	Meredith, NH
31	\$400	2584	John Morley, III	Orleans, VT

Submitted by Cheryl Powers, Director

Congratulations to the winners!

The Lions Twin State Soccer Association wishes to thank everyone who bought their Calendar Raffle tickets this year.

Winners attending the games were able to pick up their checks right there at the game.

What a difference you have made in the lives of those in need and having fun, too!

Each ticket has 31 chances to win.

The proceeds will benefit children and adults who are sight and/or hearing impaired through our charities of choice: for New Hampshire the Lions Sight and Hearing Foundation and for Vermont the Austine Green Mountain Lions Camp for the Hearing Impaired through the Vermont Lions Charities.

Thank you from the.....

Calendar Raffle Chairpersons

District 44N	District 44H	District 45
Cheryl Powers	Marilyn Vaccaro	Judy Moulton

Game Results

Girls: New Hampshire 2 -- Vermont 2

Boys: New Hampshire 1 -- Vermont 4

MVP

NH Girls: Courtney Benson

NH Boys: Samuel Binogono

VT Girls: Emily George

VT Boys: Cale Thygenen

Sportsmanship

NH Girls: Jessica Long

NH Boys: Evan Greenwald

VT Girls: Hannah Merriam

VT Boys: Jed Sass

12th Player

Presented by the Nashua Lions

In honor of PDG Joe Bielawski

NH Girls: Katrina Holmes

NH Boys: Spencer Hoyt

VT Girls: Morgan Kathan

VT Boys: Zack Evans

Congratulations Athletes!



Vermont delegation participating in the International Parade as part of the convention. Shown are PID Tom, IPDG Tommy with his wife Leslie and grandson Erik, and DG Ken.

PIP Wayne Madden, PID Tom and DG Ken attending the NELC Breakfast held at the International Convention.



International President Joe Preston being installed as International President by the Immediate Past International President Barry Palmer



BENNINGTON BATTLE DAY PARADE

August 17, 2014

This year is the 50th Anniversary of the Battle Day Parade in Bennington – sponsored by the Fire Department. They are a great support for our local communities and the Lions Club. In honor of the Bennington Fire Department and the 50th Anniversary, the NorShaft Lions Club is hosting a **Gathering of Lions**

Please come and march with us. There will be recognition for the Club that comes from the farthest and also the Club with the most Lions marching (vests and Banners, please).

There will be refreshments available before and after the Parade and an AMAZING float to march behind or ride!!

- Meeting Place: 722 Main Street (Safford Mill Inn)
- Arrive for parking by 10:15
- Parade due to start: 11:00
- Food / Refreshments available after Parade

Book your place by August 10th by contacting:
KL Liz Fenwick (ea.fenwick@gmail.com)
NorShaft Lions Club
(802) 753 – 7903



This should be great so plan on joining us !



Lion Herb Goodrich, Williston Lions receiving his MJF award



Pictured (l-r) PIS Tim Teer, KL Loreen Teer, Lion Dan Vondrachek, Lion Cindy Berg - Submitted by KL Loreen Teer
On June 26, 2014 Lions Cindy Berg, Loreen Teer and PIS Tim Teer while on vacation in North Dakota visited the Capitol City Lions Club in Bismarck, ND (D5NW). It was fun to visit Lions in another part of the country. KL Loreen presented Capitol City with pins from DG Ken and a quart of maple syrup from the **Jericho-Underhill Club**, which the club sells as a fundraiser. Capitol City LC used the syrup as the prize for their weekly drawing. Lion Dan Vondrachek was the lucky winner. Too bad this doesn't count for Traveling Lion points. Our visit even generated an order for two more quarts of syrup. We do ship. ☺



Heartland Lions Club

The Heartland Lions Club recently took first place in the South Royalton Old Home Day Parade, the theme was “Beach Party”. It was decided the males would take charge of the float this year. Shown here are some of the members on their float which is a replica of Paine’s Beach, owned and maintained by the Heartland Lions Club for our communities. The club also sold ice cream during the activities. The beach has seen a lot of activity this year. Some members also got a chance to tour the Austine Camp in Brattleboro and enjoyed a BBQ with the campers, what a great experience ☺ The club is also looking ahead to Tunbridge Fair coming in September and working on the Sheep and Wool Festival in October.

1st annual fishing derby conducted by the Springfield Lions





District Governor Ken would like to invite all Cabinet Officers, Club Presidents, Secretaries, Treasurers and Membership Chairs, Past District Governors, Lions, Spouses and Guests to the 1st Cabinet Meeting of the 2014 - 2015 Lions Year.

Paul's Sugarhouse, 1963 U.S. Route 5, Derby, Vermont

Schedule of Events (subject to change)

9:00 a.m. - Registration

9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Promotion Row

9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Fundraising: Silent Auction (items welcomed), 200 Club, 50 / 50

9:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m. Honorary meeting

10:00 a.m. Cabinet meeting called to order

**10:15 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.: Work session # 1: Vermont Lions Charities
Officer Schools: President, Secretary, Treasurer
Membership Roundtable
New member orientation
Diabetes**

**11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.: Work session # 2: A G M L C
Sight and Hearing
GMT / GLT / Zone Chairs
Roundtable Discussions: Service Projects
District Leadership
General Discussion**

**12:45 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.: Lunch with Guest speaker – 1st VDG 44-N Dr. Bruce Trivellini
2013 – 2015 Chairman Lions Advisory Board
Fidelco Guide Dog Foundation
Lion Linda Piekarski -
Dist. 44-N: Dog Sight Chairwoman**

2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Cabinet Meeting

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Vermont Lions District 45

2014 - 2015



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GLT Coordinator

To be announced

GMT Coordinator

IPDG Tommy Walz

Zone Chairs

Zone 1a – George Bilodeau
Zone 1b – Carmelita Belisle
Zone 2ab – Shanon Atkins
Zone 2c – Kathy Gallett
Zone 3ab – Walter Hastings
Zone 3bc – Anna Bolognani
Joe Wilson
Zone 4 – Rick Theken

- Meeting called to order
- Roll call of clubs –
- Minutes of Spring Convention
- Financial Reports: 2013 – 2014
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- Honorary Committee
- Vermont Lions Charities
- Opportunities for Youth: A G M L C
L T S S A
Peace Poster
Speakout
- Sight and Hearing – District Requests
Recycling
Vision Camera / Screening
- G M T / G L T
- U S A / Canada Leadership Forum
- Old Business
- New Business
- Fund Raising
- Announcements
- Closing Remarks
- Adjournment



**First Cabinet Meeting
Saturday, August 16, 2014
Paul's Sugarhouse
1963 U.S. Route 5
Derby, Vermont**

Registration Costs: \$18 per person
(new members within last 12 months see notation below)

(lunch menu: Hot Roast Turkey / Ham, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy,
Maple Baked Beans, Corn, Coleslaw, Light Fruity Jello Salad,
Cranberry Sauce, Pickles, Rolls, Coffee, Punch and Dessert)
***** Please note – no breakfast will be available other than coffee *****

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Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

District Position: _____

Club Position: _____

Phone: (Home / Cell) _____

Registration: \$18 p.p. X _____ (number attending) \$ _____ (total)

Please note any special dietary needs: _____

*****New members (within last 12 calender months) who register may attend free of charge – must attend new member orientation *****

Please make check payable to Vermont District 45. Send registration form and check to:

**CT Loreen Teer
2B Rabbit Run
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Tel. No.: (802) 899-1363**

Email: ct@d45lions.com or lionloreen2007@gmail.com

DEADLINE for Registration: Saturday August 9, 2014



A message from the Austine Green Mountain Lions Camp

We're on Facebook! Make sure you "like" us!



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