

# Happenings - District 31-E

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## FROM THE GOVERNOR'S DESK

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Yes, my fellow Lions, this Lion year is moving along rather fast. There are many things that I had planned to get done, but time and other factors have changed plans.

The recent hurricanes have added additional concerns for all of us, whether the increasing cost of gasoline or concerns for family/friends living and working in the affected areas. I am proud to say that Lions of North Carolina and our nation have responded with money, supplies, and manpower. Thank you, Lions, for what you do.

Another area of concern for the Lions of North Carolina is Boys and Girls Home at Lake Wacamaw. State funding is being delayed while the NC State Assembly decides on its budget for the coming year. Federal funding is also running behind schedule. Lions Clubs are encouraged to make their donations to Boys and Girls Home early in the Lion year so that operating expenses can be met.

Also the time is almost out to order your Peace Poster Kits. Youth involvement is one of the best ways to market the services of Lions.

### WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Wynn Snider	Churchland Lions Club	August
Rick Curry	Davis-Townsend Lions Club	August
Pam Rush	Midway Lions Club	July
Margaret Hunt	Pilot Lions Club	July
Benjamin Lynch	Salisbury Lions Club	August
Jack Stratus	Thomasville Lions Club	July
Joe Daye	Thomasville Lions Club	August
Betsy J. Koloshinsky	Welcome	July

<b>CHANGES IN THE DIRECTORY</b>			
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Page 2	Governor's E-Mail:		<a href="mailto:leo100@alltel.net">leo100@alltel.net</a>
Page 10	Arcadia Lions Club	President	Michael Coltrane
		Secretary	Sharon Pierce
Page 11	Welcome Lions Club	President	Mary Sue Stallings 235 Devonshire Dr.
Page 13	Linwood Lions Club	President	Larry Anderson 266 Aruthur Tuffy Rd.
	Southmont Lions Club	President	Olivia Stutts Phone 336-352-0389
Page 14	Cleveland Lions Club	President	Jerry Blankenship Phone 704-278-1929 E-Mail Hossshoe@MSN.com

**PEACE POSTER KITS MUST BE  
ORDERED BY OCT. 1**

WE ARE ALMOST THERE!

At last report, we were only 4 short!  
If you have not already ordered your  
Lions License Plate, please, contact  
Harvey or Diane Whitley  
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Using the various District Chairpersons for programs can be a wonderful way to introduce your guest to the missions and services provided by Lions. Andrew (and Andy) Darr, Environmental Awareness chairs, have been working for numerous years in their recycling program. Chris Beck has a very personal testimony about Organ & Tissue Donors. Nancy Riedel has first hand knowledge of the value of guide dogs. Sarah and Braxton Troublefield can enlighten your club about Liberty Day, a program to teach today's older elementary, middle school, and high school students about our Constitution and Declaration of Independence. Jim Walker, PDG, from the Unionville Lions Club recently worked in the tsunami relief area and can give a first-hand account about the needs there.

## *Governor Dale is on the Trail*

October	6	<i>Aquadale</i>
	10-13	<i>VIP Fishing Tournament</i>
October	18	<i>Rockwell</i>
	24	<i>Denton</i>
	25	<i>Norwood</i>
November	7	<i>Davis-Townsend</i>
	10	<i>Mt. Pleasant</i>

### **Other Important Dates**

October 1	Fishing Rodeo	Marshville Lions Club Tommy Stegall's Pond
	Shrimp Boil	Denton Lions Club 5pm – 8 pm Masonic Lodge, S. Main & Peacock Denton, NC
October 5	Reverse Raffle	Davidson County Council
October 8	Gospel Sing	Arcadia Lions Club 7:00pm Freeburg Moravian Church Family Life Center
October 10	Captain's Choice – Par 3	Fair Grove Lions Club 6:30pm \$60.00/team Twin Oaks Golf Club
October 26	2 <sup>nd</sup> Cabinet Meeting	District 31-E 6:30pm Troutman's Bar-b-que 1388 Warren C. Coleman Blvd (Hwy 601 S) Concord, NC Pay-at-the-door

An open letter to the Lions of North Carolina,

**Boys and Girls Homes of North Carolina need your help, TODAY!**

Since 1956, most of the Lions Clubs across North Carolina have given support to the “Lions Cottage” at BGH (we give more support to our cottage than any of the other five civic clubs for their cottage). Historically we Lions do not make our donations until the last quarter of the Lions year. If your club has set your budget for Boys and Girls Homes and have the money in the bank, please send your contribution, TODAY!

Boys and Girls Homes are experiencing a current cash flow problem; this has been created because of several un-controllable events:

- Last fiscal year BGH did a good job of controlling expenses, so the state reduced our reimbursement.
- Social Services changed direction in the emergency program, after we built a shelter to house the children needing to be removed from their home in the middle of the night; we no longer have the program.
- With the budget delay the State of North Carolina is three months behind in sending the funds for the services we have performed; this has also caused a delay in payments from the counties we are serving.
- To make matters worse the federal programs are also slow in making their reimbursement.

The combination of all the above events has led to the creation of this problem. With the State finally approving the budget things should return to near normal shortly, but in the meantime, help is needed. **WILL THE LIONS OF NORTH CAROLINA BE ABLE TO COME TO THE RESCUE , TODAY!**

Now for some good news, the children have started back to school after a long summer. Some of the boys from the Lions Cottage were able to go to horse camp; some got to spend the day at the Zoo and a cookout, thanks to the Asheboro Lions Club, plus other District D clubs contributed new bedding and a duffle bag for each boy in our cottage. The six students who recently graduated from high school, five will soon be starting college and we wish them much success.

I am urging the Lions of North Carolina to step forward with immediate help and make your donation to the general operating fund.

Yours in Lionsim,

**BRAD**

W. Brad Logsdon, PDG

State Boys and Girls Homes Chair

**THE NORTH CAROLINA LIONS FOUNDATION  
HUMANITARIAN WHITE CANE REPORT**

9/28/2005

LIONS CLUB	DIST	2005-2006		2004-2005		% OF 05-06	05-06 AMT PER MEM
		MEMS	CONTRIB	MEMS	CONTRIB		
Albemarle	E	52	\$ -	51	\$ 3,775.00	0.00%	0.00
Aquadale	E	17	\$ -	12	\$ 1,294.00	0.00%	0.00
Arcadia	E	13	\$ -	19	\$ 1,130.00	0.00%	0.00
Benton Heights	E	22	\$ -	20	\$ 1,695.00	0.00%	0.00
Central	E	31	\$ -	41	\$ 4,610.00	0.00%	0.00
Churchland	E	11	\$ 40.00	18	\$ 160.00	25.00%	3.64
Cleveland	E	28	\$ -	34	\$ 3,355.00	0.00%	0.00
Concord	E	26	\$ 2,800.00	32	\$ 5,250.00	53.33%	107.69
Davis-Townsend	E	25	\$ -	33	\$ 1,940.47	0.00%	0.00
Denton	E	40	\$ -	41	\$ 3,105.50	0.00%	0.00
Fair Grove	E	32	\$ 50.00	30	\$ 2,526.38	1.98%	1.56
Franklin-Ellis	E	13	\$ -	15	\$ 2,105.12	0.00%	0.00
Gold Hill	E	18	\$ 25.00	17	\$ 2,381.31	1.05%	1.39
Harrisburg	E	35	\$ 1,000.00	38	\$ 9,000.00	11.11%	28.57
Hasty	E	17	\$ 657.00	16	\$ 1,575.00	41.71%	38.65
Indian Trail	E	19	\$ 50.00	24	\$ 1,849.00	2.70%	2.63
Jackson Park	E	11	\$ -	13	\$ 3,222.03	0.00%	0.00
Landis	E	12	\$ 15.00	13	\$ 1,289.00	1.16%	1.25
Lexington Downtown	E	34	\$ 2,090.00	32	\$ 4,145.00	50.42%	61.47
Linwood	E	25	\$ -	24	\$ 3,160.00	0.00%	0.00
Livingstone	E	18	\$ -	28	\$ 2.00	0.00%	0.00
Locust	E	26	\$ -	17	\$ 1,562.50	0.00%	0.00
Marshville	E	9	\$ -	10	\$ 1,186.00	0.00%	0.00
Midway	E	37	\$ 50.00	36	\$ 3,775.00	1.32%	1.35
Misenheimer	E	10	\$ -	18	\$ 2,509.60	0.00%	0.00
Monroe	E	19	\$ 25.00	28	\$ 1,280.00	1.95%	1.32
Mount Pleasant	E	53	\$ 2,550.00	65	\$ 10,481.00	24.33%	48.11
Mount Ulla	E	22	\$ -	21	\$ 3,369.00	0.00%	0.00
Norwood	E	21	\$ -	29	\$ 1,748.00	0.00%	0.00
Oakboro	E	11	\$ -	10	\$ 2.00	0.00%	0.00
Odell	E	16	\$ -	18	\$ 4,231.50	0.00%	0.00
Pilot	E	39	\$ 160.00	34	\$ 4,695.00	3.41%	4.10
Rockwell	E	19	\$ 745.00	17	\$ 4,237.66	17.58%	39.21
Salisbury	E	48	\$ 264.10	59	\$ 4,245.00	6.22%	5.50
Southmont	E	17	\$ -	14	\$ 1,185.42	0.00%	0.00
Spencer	E	10	\$ -	15	\$ 698.00	0.00%	0.00
Stanfield	E	11	\$ -	14	\$ 996.00	0.00%	0.00
Thomasville	E	74	\$ 2,005.00	82	\$ 12,500.00	16.04%	27.09
Unionville	E	27	\$ 2,550.00	27	\$ 4,497.21	56.70%	94.44
Wadesboro	E	4	\$ -	8	\$ 306.00	0.00%	0.00
Wallburg	E	25	\$ -	23	\$ 1,278.80	0.00%	0.00
Waxhaw	E	19	\$ 1,000.00	29	\$ 2,104.00	47.53%	52.63
Welcome	E	20	\$ -	24	\$ 1,882.60	0.00%	0.00
West Lexington	E	20	\$ -	24	\$ 3,094.50	0.00%	0.00
Wingate	E	25	\$ 90.00	24	\$ 2,113.00	4.26%	3.60
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>	E	0	\$ 201.00	0	\$ 2,378.27	8.45%	0.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>1,081</b>	<b>\$ 16,367.10</b>	<b>1,197</b>	<b>\$ 133,925.87</b>	<b>12.22%</b>	<b>15.14</b>

**THE NORTH CAROLINA LIONS FOUNDATION, INC.  
HONORARIUMS AND MEMORIALS**

REPORT DATE			9/28/2005			
			WHITE CANE	EYE RESEARCH	OTHER	TOTAL
LIONS CLUB	DIST	MEMS	MEM/HONOR	MEM/HONORS	MEM/HONORS	MEM/HONOR
Albemarle	E	50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Aquadale	E	8	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Arcadia	E	16	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Benton Heights	E	27	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Central	E	34	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Churchland	E	22	40.00	0.00	0.00	40.00
Cleveland	E	29	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Concord	E	28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Davis-Townsend	E	27	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Denton	E	41	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Fair Grove	E	28	50.00	0.00	0.00	50.00
Franklin-Ellis	E	14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Gold Hill	E	18	25.00	0.00	0.00	25.00
Harrisburg	E	44	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Hasty	E	13	657.00	0.00	0.00	657.00
Indian Trail	E	24	50.00	0.00	0.00	50.00
Jackson Park	E	15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Landis	E	12	15.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lexington Downtown	E	35	90.00	0.00	0.00	90.00
Linwood	E	24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Livingstone	E	18	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Locust	E	22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Marshville	E	8	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Midway	E	34	50.00	0.00	0.00	50.00
Misenheimer	E	16	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Monroe	E	25	25.00	0.00	0.00	25.00
Mount Pleasant	E	62	50.00	0.00	0.00	50.00
Mount Ulla	E	21	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Norwood	E	29	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Oakboro	E	11	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Odell	E	16	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Pilot	E	31	60.00	0.00	0.00	60.00
Rockwell	E	17	245.00	0.00	0.00	245.00
Salisbury	E	57	125.00	0.00	0.00	125.00
Southmont	E	10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Spencer	E	13	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Stanfield	E	8	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Thomasville	E	84	505.00	0.00	0.00	505.00
Unionville	E	24	50.00	0.00	0.00	50.00
Wadesboro	E	6	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Wallburg	E	26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Waxhaw	E	30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Welcome	E	26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
West Lexington	E	20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Wingate	E	26	90.00	0.00	0.00	90.00
MISCELLANEOUS	E	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>1,149</b>	<b>2,127.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>2,127.00</b>

**THE NORTH CAROLINA LIONS FOUNDATION, INC.  
TV CAR REPORT**

**09/28/05**

<b>DIST SUMMARY</b>	<b>MEMBERS</b>	<b>STUBS</b>	<b>TOTAL 2005-2006</b>	<b>TOTAL 2004-2005</b>	<b>AMT PER MEMBER</b>
<b>A</b>	1,182	300	300.00	11,431.05	0.25
<b>B</b>	885	3,154	3,093.00	16,670.00	3.56
<b>C</b>	755	53	53.00	11,844.00	0.07
<b>D</b>	1,183	324	280.00	22,614.00	0.27
<b>E</b>	1,119	84	70.00	14,268.00	0.08
<b>F</b>	1,160	25	1,525.00	19,427.00	0.02
<b>G</b>	1,251	435	403.00	16,921.00	0.35
<b>H</b>	947	36	30.00	13,985.00	0.04
<b>J</b>	1,012	12	10.00	14,835.21	0.01
<b>M</b>		0	0.00	-	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>9,494</b>	<b>4,423</b>	<b>5,764.00</b>	<b>141,995.26</b>	<b>0.61</b>

**THE NORTH CAROLINA LIONS FOUNDATION, INC.  
TV CAR REPORT**

**9/30/2004**

<b>DIST SUMMARY</b>	<b>MEMBERS</b>	<b>STUBS</b>	<b>TOTAL 2004-2005</b>	<b>TOTAL 2003-2004</b>	<b>AMT PER MEMBER</b>
<b>A</b>	1,188	300	300.00	10,436.00	0.25
<b>B</b>	892	1,251	1,050.00	15,916.00	1.40
<b>C</b>	771	314	308.00	11,857.25	0.41
<b>D</b>	1,198	-	0.00	19,555.00	0.00
<b>E</b>	1,151	171	165.00	16,142.00	0.15
<b>F</b>	1,191	-	0.00	21,144.00	0.00
<b>G</b>	1,251	12	10.00	13,582.00	0.01
<b>H</b>	954	24	24.00	13,995.00	0.03
<b>J</b>	1,012	180	156.00	11,848.00	0.18
<b>M</b>	-	-			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>9,608</b>	<b>2,252</b>	<b>2,013.00</b>	<b>134,475.25</b>	<b>0.21</b>

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