
Happenings – 31E



May 2006

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From the Governor

This month's newsletter is not an easy one to write; so much has happened and is continuing to happen in our District. The passing of Dr. Ted James leaves a void in the lives of many Lions. We continue to keep Nancy and the other members of Dr. Ted's family in our prayers. Many of us are nearing the end of our terms in the offices to which we have been appointed/elected. In some cases we feel like we are just now beginning to understand what our positions really mean - just as we come to the end of our year. Many Lions, as individuals, and clubs have done a super job in accomplishing their designated tasks and meeting their goals. While the District, a club, or Lion may receive an award for the hard work, the real winners will be those whom we serve: our V.I.P.'s.

The State Convention that was held April 21-23 in Greenville, NC capped a successful year with the

presence of 1st Vice President Jimmy Ross, LLJ. 1st VP Ross has a towering, yet approachable, persona. He outlined, for everyone present, his plans for the coming year and for long-range planning. Given support from his Board of Directors, many good changes may be happening with Lion Ross at the helm.

Sunday morning's Service of Remembrance is always a sobering experience. Listening to the roll call of the deceased Lions from each District reminds us of all the great friends we have lost. We can keep their spirits alive if we will continue to spread Lion service in our communities. At your next club event, whether it be a club meeting, service project, or fund raiser, take a good look at your fellow Lions and remember that each is now a part of your very special family. Take a moment to say "Thank you" to them while they can hear you.

"Keep on keeping on!"

Lion Dale

2006 Officer Training Schedule

Ron Staley
District Leadership Chair

Training for newly elected Presidents, Secretaries, Membership Chairs, Zone Chairs, and Region Chairs will be held this year on Wednesday, May 31 and Saturday, June 10. We are offering training at two locations to reduce the amount of travel. Please be sure that your 2006 officers are aware of these training dates and know they should attend one of the sessions. There will also be a New Member Orientation offered for any members of your clubs who have not attended a Member Orientation Program.

Locations and times:

7:00pm Wednesday, May 31
First Baptist Church, Monroe
109 Morrow Avenue
Monroe, NC

9:30am Saturday, June 10
First Baptist Church, Salisbury
223 North Fulton Street
Salisbury, NC

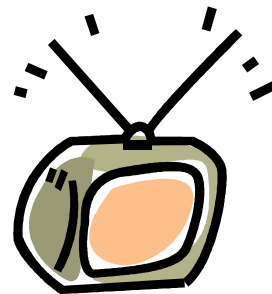
Please give this information to all of the Presidents, Secretaries, and Membership Chairs who will be taking office in July 2006. Also bring any new members in your club!

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Thank you!!!!

As you all know we just had our State Convention and I wanted to thank all those who helped with the Hospitality Room. I was told many times how great our hospitality room was and I want to pass that on to the hard working people who helped set it up, supplied the food and took time to work in it. Thanks to all of you everyone was able to relax and enjoy good fellowship and food!!! Keep up the good work – it's going to be a busy but fun year!!!!

Lion Linda Van Vleet



Lions Service Ads!!!!

**Great News!! The TV ads about NC
Lions will start on May 8**

CNN TVGC TWC ESPN ESX
(Sports Center, First Outlook,
and other programs)
Let me know what you think!!!

Campaign Sight First II and Humanitarian White Cane Program were the real winners in the Governors' Council's recent BMW raffle.

Jan Holleman from Rocky Mount held the winning ticket for the 2006 BMW 325..

Maybe she will let some of us ride with her.

Thank you to everyone who bought tickets and supported the raffle..



Congratulations District E!

Our current contributions via Honorariums and Memorials are nearing that \$20,000 mark.

As of April 28 the total is \$15,717.04. {That's ahead of the same period in 2005.} If your club has not honored someone this year, think about making an honorarium!! (Great way to honor the out-going president)

KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK!

- *Loving*
- *Individuals*
- *Offering*
- *Needed*
- *Services*

We're back on top

District 31 -E leads the way in Humanitarian White Cane contributions this year – but barely. District F is nipping at our heels.

As of April 28 our total is \$77,615.97. (last year at this time: \$88,075.46) 38 of 44 (86%) clubs have made contributions to date.

Thank you again for everything you are doing!!!!



A new camping season starts soon. The Wanda Lineberger dorm is completed and ready for its second year of campers. At the conclusion of the current camping season, replacement of the Shaw-Brown Building will begin. More details will be available at the NCJF meeting May 6 & 7. Please continue to sell the car raffle tickets between now and June 2 when the drawing will take place.

10 clubs still have not reported any ticket sales.

NCLF MEETING MAY 7

***Who are the members of the
NC Lions Foundation?***

Every Lion in NC

The board of directors will meet Sunday morning. Many items will be presented and discussed. This is the time to learn about all the details regarding the new dorm being planned at Camp Dogwood. The budget for the coming year will be presented for approval.

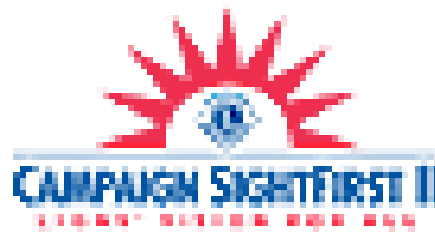
Most importantly, all members of the Foundation will elect the new officers for 2006 – 2007. District E is well represented!

Lion Ron Staley, PDG (Concord Lions Club) is the candidate for President of the Foundation. Lion Jim Walker, PDG (Unionville Lions Club) is one of two candidates for 2nd Vice President. Please bring voter certification forms with you (if they have not been previously mailed) so that we might give our candidates our full support. Other candidates are Lion Tony Randall, PDG (District B) for 1st VP, Lion Brad Logsdon, PDG (District

F) 2nd VP, Lion John Kearney (District G) Secretary, and Lion Charles Holleman (District G) Treasurer.

These are the Lions who will be leading our programs of service for the coming year. Please cast your vote with careful consideration.

Lion Harvey Whitley, PCC , Past Foundation President is the Sector Coordinator for Campaign Sight First II. Let's give him our full support to meet area goals to continue the work that was begun with the original Campaign.



**Installation and Awards
Banquet**

**1st Cabinet Meeting
Saturday, July 22, 2006
12:30pm**

**Bethel Baptist Church
401 Depot Street
Rockwell, NC**

Cost: \$9.00/person

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

4/28/2006

LIONS CLUB	DIST	2005-2006		2004-2005		% OF 05-06	05-06 AMT PER MEM
		MEMS	CONTRIB	MEMS	CONTRIB		
Albemarle	E	52	\$ 25.00	51	\$ 3,775.00	0.66%	0.48
Aquadale	E	17	\$ 1,060.00	12	\$ 1,294.00	81.92%	62.35
Arcadia	E	13	\$ -	19	\$ 1,130.00	0.00%	0.00
Benton Heights	E	22	\$ 157.50	20	\$ 1,695.00	9.29%	7.16
Central	E	31	\$ 2,000.00	41	\$ 4,610.00	43.38%	64.52
Churchland	E	11	\$ 1,225.00	18	\$ 160.00	765.63%	111.36
Cleveland	E	28	\$ 2,950.00	34	\$ 3,355.00	87.93%	105.36
Concord	E	26	\$ 3,785.00	32	\$ 5,250.00	72.10%	145.58
Davis-Townsend	E	25	\$ 1,936.25	33	\$ 1,940.47	99.78%	77.45
Denton	E	40	\$ 3,258.00	41	\$ 3,105.50	104.91%	81.45
Fair Grove	E	32	\$ 1,200.45	30	\$ 2,526.38	47.52%	37.51
Franklin-Ellis	E	13	\$ 356.00	15	\$ 2,105.12	16.91%	27.38
Gold Hill	E	18	\$ 590.13	17	\$ 2,381.31	24.78%	32.79
Harrisburg	E	35	\$ 4,377.00	38	\$ 9,000.00	48.63%	125.06
Hasty	E	17	\$ 2,052.00	16	\$ 1,575.00	130.29%	120.71
Indian Trail	E	19	\$ 2,133.00	24	\$ 1,849.00	115.36%	112.26
Jackson Park	E	11	\$ 955.00	13	\$ 3,222.03	29.64%	86.82
Landis	E	12	\$ 954.00	13	\$ 1,289.00	74.01%	79.50
Lexington Downtown	E	34	\$ 4,555.00	32	\$ 4,145.00	109.89%	133.97
Linwood	E	25	\$ 2,630.00	24	\$ 3,160.00	83.23%	105.20
Livingstone	E	18	\$ -	28	\$ 2.00	0.00%	0.00
Locust	E	26	\$ 1,250.00	17	\$ 1,562.50	80.00%	48.08
Marshville	E	9	\$ 693.00	10	\$ 1,186.00	58.43%	77.00
Midway	E	37	\$ 4,125.00	36	\$ 3,775.00	109.27%	111.49
Misenheimer	E	10	\$ -	18	\$ 2,509.60	0.00%	0.00
Monroe	E	19	\$ 150.00	28	\$ 1,280.00	11.72%	7.89
Mount Pleasant	E	53	\$ 6,345.00	65	\$ 10,481.00	60.54%	119.72
Mount Ulla	E	22	\$ -	21	\$ 3,369.00	0.00%	0.00
Norwood	E	21	\$ 1,232.00	29	\$ 1,748.00	70.48%	58.67
Oakboro	E	11	\$ -	10	\$ 253.00	0.00%	0.00
Odell	E	16	\$ 4,080.00	18	\$ 4,231.50	96.42%	255.00
Pilot	E	39	\$ 2,767.00	34	\$ 4,695.00	58.94%	70.95
Rockwell	E	19	\$ 2,402.50	17	\$ 4,237.66	56.69%	126.45
Salisbury	E	48	\$ 2,311.10	59	\$ 4,245.00	54.44%	48.15
Southmont	E	17	\$ 1,309.00	14	\$ 1,185.42	110.42%	77.00
Spencer	E	10	\$ -	15	\$ 698.00	0.00%	0.00
Stanfield	E	11	\$ 836.00	14	\$ 996.00	83.94%	76.00
Thomasville	E	74	\$ 4,378.04	82	\$ 12,500.00	35.02%	59.16
Unionville	E	27	\$ 3,090.00	27	\$ 4,497.21	68.71%	114.44
Wadesboro	E	4	\$ 400.00	8	\$ 306.00	130.72%	100.00
Wallburg	E	25	\$ -	23	\$ 1,278.80	0.00%	0.00
Waxhaw	E	19	\$ 2,500.00	29	\$ 2,104.00	118.82%	131.58
Welcome	E	20	\$ 1,575.00	24	\$ 1,882.60	83.66%	78.75
West Lexington	E	20	\$ 415.00	24	\$ 3,094.50	13.41%	20.75
Wingate	E	25	\$ 498.00	24	\$ 2,113.00	23.57%	19.92
MISCELLANEOUS	E	0	\$ 1,060.00	0	\$ 2,378.27	44.57%	0.00
TOTAL	E	1,081	\$ 77,615.97	1,197	\$ 134,176.87	57.85%	71.80

THE NORTH CAROLINA LIONS FOUNDATION, INC.
TV CAR REPORT

REPORT DATE	4/28/2006				
LIONS CLUB	DIST	THIS YEAR MEMBERS	NO. OF STUBS	CONTRIB 2005-2006	CONTRIB 2004-2005
Albemarle	E	52	0	\$ -	651.00
Aquadale	E	17	0	\$ -	157.00
Arcadia	E	13	175	\$ 175.00	196.00
Benton Heights	E	22	212	\$ 212.00	391.00
Central	E	31	446	\$ 446.00	404.00
Churchland	E	11	208	\$ 194.00	50.00
Cleveland	E	28	376	\$ 376.00	337.00
Concord	E	26	220	\$ 220.00	301.00
Davis-Townsend	E	25	60	\$ 112.00	207.00
Denton	E	40	601	\$ 601.00	393.00
Fair Grove	E	32	320	\$ 320.00	330.00
Franklin-Ellis	E	13	66	\$ 66.00	296.00
Gold Hill	E	18	300	\$ 300.00	204.00
Harrisburg	E	35	382	\$ 382.00	612.00
Hasty	E	17	262	\$ 262.00	310.00
Indian Trail	E	19	222	\$ 222.00	207.00
Jackson Park	E	11	170	\$ 170.00	168.00
Landis	E	12	120	\$ 120.00	70.00
Lexington Downtown	E	34	442	\$ 442.00	422.00
Linwood	E	25	266	\$ 266.00	235.00
Livingstone	E	18	102	\$ 120.00	0.00
Locust	E	26	144	\$ 144.00	339.00
Marshville	E	9	0	\$ -	0.00
Midway	E	37	0	\$ -	324.00
Misenheimer	E	10	0	\$ -	0.00
Monroe	E	19	192	\$ 192.00	0.00
Mount Pleasant	E	53	798	\$ 798.00	500.00
Mount Ulla	E	22	0	\$ -	99.00
Norwood	E	21	160	\$ 160.00	298.00
Oakboro	E	11	0	\$ -	140.00
Odell	E	16	432	\$ 432.00	252.00
Pilot	E	39	60	\$ 60.00	160.00
Rockwell	E	19	249	\$ 249.00	454.00
Salisbury	E	48	1026	\$ 1,026.00	1,897.00
Southmont	E	17	0	\$ -	228.00
Spencer	E	10	20	\$ 20.00	24.00
Stanfield	E	11	210	\$ 210.00	205.00
Thomasville	E	74	670	\$ 670.00	1,130.00
Unionville	E	27	471	\$ 471.00	352.00
Wadesboro	E	4	0	\$ -	60.00
Wallburg	E	25	0	\$ -	30.00
Waxhaw	E	19	84	\$ 84.00	100.00
Welcome	E	20	536	\$ 536.00	991.00
West Lexington	E	20	236	\$ 236.00	357.00
Wingate	E	25	270	\$ 410.00	313.00
MISCELLANEOUS	E	0	10	\$ 10.00	60.00
TOTAL	E	1,081	10,518.00	10,714.00	14,254.00

**DISTRICT 31-E
INSTALLATION AND AWARDS BANQUET
FIRST CABINET MEETING
2006-2007**

Date: Saturday, July 22, 2006
Time: 12:30 PM
Place: Bethel Baptist Church
401 Depot Street
Rockwell, NC
Cost: \$9.00 per person

Please send reservation by July 15, 2006 to
Cabinet Secretary/Treasurer
Lion Nancy Rummage
340 Spring Lake Lane
Gold Hill, NC 28071

Number attending: _____ Amount enclosed _____

Lion _____

Lion _____

Guest: _____

Guest: _____

Directions: Highway #52 to Rockwell, .02 miles west on
Depot Street

Installation and Awards Banquet will be followed by First
District Cabinet Meeting.

Lion Dale Dupree, District Governor
District 31-C
PO Box 485
Wingate, NC 28174

