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# MARCH SPEAKERS PROGRAM DIRECTOR PHYLLIS

#### March 5

Doug Wilson and son Doug, Becoming an Eagle Scout

#### March 12

Ellie Alexander, AKA Kate Dyer-Sealy, Cozy Mystery Author

#### March 19

Jeanne Bennett, Board Chair, Columbia Play Project

#### March 26

Doug Worley, Western Federal Lands Project Engineer, National Parks Highway Projects covering five states

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As I write this article for the March newsletter, I cannot believe that at the end of March is the end of our 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter.

At our most recent MD-19 President's Council meeting for February, I was excited to hear about the successes other clubs are having with What I notice at these projects. meetings is everyone is eager to help each other in anyway possible. How do we attract new members if we aren't doing projects? I remember Past District Governor Mark Mansell making the comment "Ask folks how we can help them." We have had some great speakers who perhaps could use our help during this pandemic. Habitat Store comes to my mind. What as a group can we collectively donate to the store? Salvation Army, what can we do to help them with their mission? We have done a lot of service projects and fund raisers.

Here is a list: Garage Sale in July 2020; Frozen Berry Sale August 2020; Food Bank Program; Collected food at farmer's market and delivered to Fish; Harvested food at Heritage Farm and delivered to Clark County Food Bank August – November 2020; Yard clean-up for elderly October 2020; Bell Ringing December 2020; Coat Drive December 2020; Santa Store December 2020; Garage Sale January 2021; Share House preparation of food once a month with some time off due to COVID, but back on track now.

Various members are participating in the environmental project Clark County Waste Busters. Three areas to reduce waste (not waist) –



paper, food and clothing. We are being challenged by the Lions Club of Camas. I love a good challenge! Less waste of any kind is a good thing.

MOD Pizza Night is March 1<sup>st</sup> for our cash back fundraiser. We have a Food Drive March 13 and Paper Shredding Day on May 23, 2021

ding Day on May 22, 2021.

We did not have our Fresh Strawberry Sale last June but we have done other things to raise money. We all miss the track meet at the Washington State School for the Blind but we will get back to doing this event. We must always stay positive. Doors close, others open.

I also love and have a passion for our LCI Foundation. Notice the page in this newsletter that describes the LCIF Campaign 100 TELL-A-THON April 11, 2021. I hope we can all contribute what we can. The LCI Foundation helps worldwide.

It is great to be a part of this organization! We have and continue to do things for our community. We have great zoom meetings and speakers. With COVID we have stepped out of the box to make things happen. I believe folks would love to hear about what we have done. Let's ask them what we can do for them.

**Queen Lion Gay Enyeart** 



#### Fort Vancouver Lions Club Officers 2020-2021

President: Gay Enyeart I<sup>ST</sup> VP - Fundraising: Allen Rhyasen 2<sup>ND</sup> VP Service: Bill Shalaby Shelly Brown Secretary: Rick Giles Treasurer: Membership Chair: Craig Limoges Past President: Eva Halter

#### **Directors:**

I-year Helen Sutfin I-year Doug Wilson 2-year Martha Johnson Jennifer Denny 2-year

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Lion Tamer: John Caldwell, Jerry Jacobus

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#### Food Bank Food Drive

Please mark your calendars for our Club's Food Drive to benefit the Clark County Food Bank, which will take place on Saturday, March 13th. We need help!! We need volunteers to help unload donated foods and load them into a truck. COVID guidelines will be followed: all participants will need to wear a mask. Hand sanitizer will be available. Volunteers will meet in the parking lot of the Living Hope Church, 2711 NE Andresen (former location of Kmart).

We will be manning the site from 8:30 am to 1:30 pm, at which time the truck will depart for the food bank. Additional volunteers may be needed to help unload at the food bank. If you can help, please email Craig Limoges at craiglimoges@hotmail.com.







The Fort Vancouver Lions Club is sponsoring a food drive to benefit the **Clark County Food Bank** to supplement the December food drive which, due to COVID restrictions, resulted in only half the usual food donations.



Drop-off donations will be accepted from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm on Saturday, March 13.

The drop-off site will be located in the parking lot of the Living Hope Church located at 2711 NE Andresen Blvd. (formerly K-Mart).

Please donate nonperishable food and personal hygiene items.

#### **Share House**

This month Lions Michele Druschel, John Lyons and I volunteered two and a half hours at Share House. We helped sort a large amount of food supplies, poured orange juice and cocoa, cleaned apples, bagged cookies and readied cooked chicken to be reheated for dinner. Because there is very limited parking available now that the house is surrounded again by tents, we met at Marshall Center and John graciously transported us to Share House. Thank you John!

Nancy Brown

#### **Lions Members Interests**

• At a recent Friday meeting, our newest members introduced themselves and their interests. Diane Cavanaugh shared about her volunteer work sewing for 2 organizations. She has shared this follow-up information in case others are interested in participating.

#### They are:

Days for Girls: <a href="https://www.daysforgirls.org/our-mission/">https://www.daysforgirls.org/our-mission/</a>. This organization sews menstrual health products. The email for the local Days for Girls Portland OR Chapter is <a href="mailto:portlandor@daysforgirls.org">portlandor@daysforgirls.org</a>.

Dress a Girl: <a href="https://www.dressagirlaroundtheworld.com/">https://www.dressagirlaroundtheworld.com/</a>. This is a program of Hope 4 Women International. The local contact person is Pearl. Her email address is <a href="mailto:dressagirlpearl@gmail.com">dressagirlpearl@gmail.com</a>.





Please email newsletter articles for the April newsletter to: Shelly Brown at Lsbrown65@comcast.net by Wednesday, March 24! Thanks!!!

#### Membership Meeting Schedule

Date	Time	Location	Notes
Phyllis Robertson, Program Chair			
Friday, March 5	12:00 Noon	Zoom	
Friday, March 12	12:00 Noon	Zoom	
Friday, March 19	12:00 Noon	Zoom	10:00 Board Meeting
Friday, March 5	12:00 Noon	Zoom	
Martha Johnson, Program Chair			
Friday, April 2	12:00 Noon	Zoom	
Friday, April 9	12:00 Noon	Zoom	
Friday, April 16	12:00 Noon	Zoom	10:00 Board Meeting
Friday, April 23	12:00 Noon	Zoom	
Friday, April 30	12:00 Noon	Zoom	
Len & Jenny Leger, Program Chair			
Friday, May 7	12:00 Noon	Zoom	
Friday, May 14	12:00 Noon	Zoom	
Friday, May 21	12:00 Noon	Zoom	10:00 Board Meeting
Friday, May 28	12:00 Noon	Zoom	

#### 3-Month Activity Calendar

Date	Activity	Comments		
March				
Monday, March 1	MOD Pizza Fundraiser 10:30 AM—10 PM	Allen Rhyasen, Chair		
Tuesday, March 2	Sight Committee Meeting	Zoom		
Tuesday, March 2	Hearing Committee Meeting	Zoom		
Saturday, March 13	Food Bank Food Drive	Craig Limoges/Mike Cavanaugh, Co-Chairs		
Tuesday, March 16	President's Council Meeting	Zoom		
Wednesday, March 17	Share House 11:00-2:00	Nancy Brown, Chair		
April				
Tuesday, April 6	Sight Committee Meeting	Zoom		
Tuesday, April 6	Hearing Committee Meeting	Zoom		
Tuesday, April 20	President's Council Meeting	Zoom		
Wednesday, April 21	Share House 11:00-2:00	Nancy Brown, Chair		
May				
Tuesday, May 4	Sight Committee Meeting	Zoom		
Tuesday, May 4	Hearing Committee Meeting	Zoom		
Tuesday, May 18	President's Council Meeting	Zoom		
Wednesday, May 19	Share House 11:00-2:00	Nancy Brown, Chair		
Saturday, May 22	Paper Shredding Event	Allen Rhyasen, Chair		

#### **Jennifer Denny**

#### Who's Who in Fort Vancouver Lions Club

March is the month of my Grandmother, Ruth Kelly Miller's birthday. It seems fitting to share with our Lions club my inspiration in serving our community together. As long as I can remember, I have been filled with incredible inspiration to volunteer to help those in need or suffering. My Grandma Ruth demonstrated this attribute in our family with great passion. She began her volunteer career in World War II as a nurse's aide. She told me stories about helping new mothers with premature babies and how so many women stepped up to volunteer in the hospitals. Shortly after, she married my grandfather Leroy Kelly who courageously served our United States Army as a Paratrooper liberating Europe bravely fighting the evils of a horrific war. Protecting freedom and service runs deep in our family.

My parents were both born in the amazing Washington state and they fell in love as young teenagers at Longacres, a racehorse track near Seattle Washington. My grandparents owned racehorses and my dad, Rich-

ard Christian was a fierce competitive horse jockey.

My mother, Leslie Kelly, became a new mom with courage. She was alone when I was born on a sweltering hot afternoon in an Army base hospital. It was the famous Kentucky Derby day! My dad had just been

drafted into the Army. Painfully my dad surrendered his career as one of the top racehorse jockeys on the West coast and my mom followed. My dad grew up in extreme poverty, so he reluctantly and proudly served our country during the Vietnam war era. He ended up serving in South Korea. My mom flew home, and I grew up in the beautiful state of Washington. During my life, my mom's endless compassion for others has been a bright rainbow! She instilled the most important value in our family, the Golden Rule. I remember as a little girl, she would say "Treat people as you want to be treated" and you will have friends and be happy!

Another inspiring woman in my life is Dr. Maya Angelou. She is famous for teaching, "Try to be a rainbow in someone else's cloud." My grandmother also volunteered in hospitals her entire life. She was and always will be a rainbow in my life! I loved her beautiful smile, the joy and satisfaction she had from helping others was bright. Also, I learned the fact that she was never idle or bored in her re-

tirement years.

I have been blessed to have so many rainbows in my life. I became a young mother and was filled with love and support from family in all endeavors raising my lovely family. I now have three adult children and two adult stepsons. Even more love has filled my life with four grandchildren! And the biggest rainbow of joy and love is my loving husband, Edmund Denny, who is the biggest supporter in my service for our community.

During my second journey in life, I decided to go back to college and worked hard to achieve a Bachelor's Degree in Accounting and Business Administration from Warner Pacific University, Portland Oregon. My initial goal, to own an accounting business, has changed. After taking time off to spend time loving and finding frogs with my grandchildren, and volunteering in our community, I have decided to start a non-profit serving trauma survivors in Clark County. Working with homeless women and foster children has always been a passion of mine. Almost twenty years ago I was privileged to help open the first women's shelter in

Portland Oregon with the Portland Rescue Mission.

God has blessed me immensely with time and resources to continue to serve as a Fort Vancouver Lion in this second journey of my life. As life brings struggles as life does, reaching out a helping hand along the way has given me the strength and joy to get through adversity. "I have found that among other benefits, giving liberates the soul of the giver."









# Fort Vancouver Lions Club and Foundation Board Meeting Friday January 15, 2021 10:15 A.M. Via Zoom in the time of COVID-19

Queen Lion Gay called the meeting to order at 10:15 AM.

**Board Members Present:** Queen Lion Gay Enyeart, Martha Johnson, Doug Wilson, Craig Limoges, Bill Shalaby, Allen Rhyasen, Rick Giles, Eva Halter, Helen Sutfin, and Shelly Brown. A quorum was present.

#### Standard Reports to the Board:

**Secretary's Report:** Lion Rick made a motion, seconded by Lion Allen to approve the minutes from the December 18, 2020 Board Meeting.

**Treasurers Report:** Lion Rick reported that there was nothing special in the budget. There was a brief discussion about spending for the Santa Store. A need for communication between committee members is imperative! The Treasurer's Report will stand pending observation.

#### OLD BUSINESS

**20.13.14 Global Showcase for Spring Conference** Lion Helen reports this an event to showcase one or more of the 5 Global Causes. Our club needs to decide which of the Five Global Causes we can showcase and decide on a presentation to best show how our club has worked on this cause.

**20.13.15 Covid-19 Safety Officer** Michelle Druschel has agreed to take on this position as long as she is not otherwise occupied by family obligations.

**20.21.16 Shed Inventory** Lion Allen shared more information about the shed inventory after he had sent the list in an email. It was moved by Lion Rick seconded by Lion Doug and approved, to get rid of the old, heavy tables and the expired mints from the shed.

**20.21.17 LCI Proposed Dues Increase** Lion Rick sent out a spread sheet with the information about all of the dues classification options that LCI has. Our club does not utilize all of these areas, so Lion Rick was proposing that the Board needs to make decisions about these changes. It was decided that he will resend this spread sheet for the Board to further review and discuss at the next board meeting. Also, the board needs to make decisions about upcoming LCI dues increases.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

#### **Fundraising:**

**MOD Pizza:** Lion Allen shared that the MOD Pizza Fundraiser made \$700, above the \$112 from the actual event. These extra funds were donated by friends and coworkers of Lori as well as other Lions! The next Pizza Fundraiser is Monday, March 6 from 10:30 am – 10:00 pm at the MOD Pizza at 305 SE Chkalov Dr #120, Vancouver, WA 98683.

**Flag Project:** Lion Allen shared the goal is to get 30 participants in this. He wants to have as many people as possible to share this information with their neighbors.

**Fruit Sales:** Lion Allen contacted the owner of the fruit company. This is still in process. He is working to make sure this fundraiser can happen.

#### **Service Projects:**

**Environmental Project:** Lion Doug proposed an environmental project that is a team (club) project to compete with other teams (clubs). It will run from February 22-March 15. It includes three different environmental areas. Doug will send out the link for members to join the club's sign-up. It was moved by Lion Craig, seconded by Lion Bill and approved that this proposal be accepted.

**Washington Elementary School:** Lion Martha shared the information about the status of the students and their return to in person learning. Volunteers are still not allowed on campus. There were many positive comments from the school about the Santa store, including coats and quilts!

**Food Bank Project:** Lion Martha proposed a Food Bank Food Drive to collect food/household items and deliver to the Food Bank. It was moved by Lion Craig, seconded by Lion Doug and approved that we accept this proposal for recurring Food Drive events. The first event will happen on March 13 from 9:00 – 1:00 PM.

Meeting adjourned at 11:33 AM.

Next Board meeting will be Friday, February 19 at 10:00 AM.

Respectfully submitted, Shelly Brown

#### Lions Sight Foundation of Clark County Zoom Minutes February 2, 2021

Attending: Jeff Fish, Bill Lundin, Ralph Harding, David Page, Stephanie O'Dell, Casey O'Dell, Harry Barrett, and Susan Nellor

Meeting called to order at 6:35 by Bill Lundin

**Approval of January minutes:** Bill asked for a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Susan made that motion. It was seconded by David Page. The minutes were approved.

**Treasurers Report:** The January ending checking account balance was \$10,597. Donations arriving in January were \$500.00 from Community Foundation/David Page, Fort Vancouver Lions Club \$50.00, and Vancouver Dawn \$100.00. The beginning balance for February was \$11,447.

Bill asked for a motion to accept the Treasurers report as presented. David Page made the motion, Susan seconded the motion. This motion was passed.

Ralph made the following disbursements: new checks \$68.00, postage stamps \$200.00, and 15 patient vouchers were issued for \$625. Checking account balance reduced to \$9,644. If all outstanding vouchers were to be redeemed they would total \$2,640.

Endowment Information: \$65, 636, \$166.00 of interest. There is a total between checking account and endowment of cash on hand of \$72,640.

**Patient Care Coordinator report:** Ralph Harding processed 24 applications; 23 were approved and mailed out. 1 was denied due to sufficient funds. There were two unusual requests that are pending more information: the first was a request for electronic eyeglasses which would cost approximately \$4,375 to \$5,000. Ralph is contacting the Low Vision Clinic for more information. The second request was for an ocular prosthesis. Ralph indicated that the last time the Sight Committee funded such a prosthesis was in July of 2014. To fund that request, we partnered with Northwest Sight. Our share of the matching grant was \$2,800. Ralph is researching this request also. A partnership would have to be explored to fund this request. These two items were tabled until the March 2, 2021 meeting.

**Old Business:** The Camas Lions Club has requested more information about the Marshall Tucker Band guitar. Perhaps, a buyer has been found. The job description for the Patient Care Coordinator position is still pending.

**New Business:** The Pacific University glasses will arrive shortly (they actually arrived on February 5, 2021). On Saturday the 6th, a distribution was held between 10:00 and 11:00 a.m. As of February 19, only 1 pair has not been picked up. The recipients were all very happy and grateful. It was a rewarding experience, well worth the one hour we waited outside for the eyeglass handoffs. It made us feel good to be Lions. The next screening event will be held on April 7th, with the next distribution event in approximately 6 weeks from then. Volunteers are always welcome to be trained. David is communicating with Pacific University to increase the frequency of these screening clinics in Clark County He will report back.

#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION PLEASE READ IMPORTANT INFORMATION

After months of discussion about citizenship and holding a permanent resident card (Green Card) being a criteria to receive services from the Lions Sight Foundation of Clark County, a decision was made at the February 2, 2021 meeting. Ralph Harding made a motion to remove these two criteria points from the Standing Policies, Procedures and Rules. David Page seconded that motion. A vote was taken, all those voting were in favor, no one opposed this change in the Standing Policies, Procedures and Rules. This change is consistent and congruent with the Lions International mission of ..."we help those in the most need."

The requirement that an applicant be a Clark County resident is still in effect. (note: this change is already reflected on the on line application)

The March meeting is scheduled via Zoom for 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 2, 2021. A link will be sent out via email a few days before the meeting.

The meeting was adjourned by Jeff Fish at 8:00.

Respectfully submitted, Susan Nellor, secretary

# G-2 ZONE MEETING MINUTES ZOOM February 16, 2021

PZC Ryan Morrison called the meeting to order at 6:30pm.

**Clubs represented:** Cascadia, Fort Vancouver, Hazel Dell, La Center, North Clark, Salmon Creek, Vancouver Dawn, and Camas

**District officers present:** DG Doug Harvey, 1st VDG Marilyn Patterson, 2nd VDG Debbie Mansell, G-6 ZC Leslie Chasse, GLT PDG Mark Mansell, LCIF Chair PCC Hal Palmer, GMT Stephanie O'Dell

**Discussion:** What challenges have you faced in this time of COVID?

What to do for service and fund raising when we were unable to do large projects involving many members and interaction with schools or other community groups was a major challenge. Holding member interest and generating member enthusiasm particularly among new or less involved members was also a concern. Fund raisers were a problem. Not all members attend Zoom meetings so it is difficult to keep everyone informed. At the district level, it was a challenge to communicate with clubs that were not meeting.

Challenges brought opportunities – a new way to look at fund raisers and new fund raisers (bulb sales, shredding event, outreach to different potential sponsors), creative use of technology to bring people together and to develop new sources of funds.

Successes included an adopt-a-family Christmas project, a re-designed Santa Christmas store, a busy shredding event, new sponsors for and new ways of providing Christmas baskets for families, and innovative ways to serve in a COVID safe manner.

- LCIF Chair, PCC Hal Palmer reported that donations to LCIF are up \$5,000 over this time last year.
- 1st VDG Marilyn Patterson reported that her club's biggest challenge has been to get the members back together.
- 2nd VDG Debbie Mansell reported that more clubs are getting their service hours recorded.
- GLT PDG Chair Mark Mansell reported that many people took the Guiding Lion training. He appreciates everyone learning to use the technology.
- G-6 ZC Leslie Chasse reported that it is a challenge to keep the clubs of G-6 informed as some are not on Zoom.

#### Club reports:

- Vancouver Dawn is organizing for the Crystal Plum Bazaar scheduled for the first Saturday in November at Alki Middle School. They are waiting to resume downtown beautification activities with the City of Vancouver.
- Salmon Creek made major financial donations to the Clark County Lions Sight Committee and to the Clark County Food Bank. They are working on a strategic planning session. They are getting ready for their annual plant sales in May.
- North Clark completed a tree lighting ceremony, prepared Christmas food baskets for 75 families, are gathering firewood to give to families needing wood for heat, and updating their Lion signs.
- La Center cleaned invasive blackberry vines from around the post office. They are sending cards and gifts to a six year old with cancer. They are hoping to do their traditional Easter Egg hunt and pancake breakfast.

Hazel Dell is continuing its donations of hygiene and cleaning supplies and food gift cards to the community outreach center at Hazel Dell School. They continue to participate in the Clark Neighbors Green Bag Food Project.

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- Fort Vancouver re-imagined its Santa Store for the students at Washington Elementary and prepared a gift box for each family. They are participating in the Waste Busters Challenge. They have a shredding event scheduled for May 22. They are hoping to be able to work on the track meet at Washington State School for the Blind in 2022.
- Cascadia has been doing glasses collections. They provide snacks for the students who are on campus. They are looking forward to a Bunco Night and a Bike Rodeo. They have special cards planned for all 700+ graduating seniors.
- Camas has been doing small projects at the Treasure House (food bank). They are planning a shredding event and a spring online bulb sale. They are also doing the Waste Busters Challenge. They worked with Cascadia to present 8 boxes of new jeans to the People in Need outreach at the Camas Resource Center.
- Longview Pioneer adopted a family for Christmas and filled all of its needs through personal donations, not club funds. CARE Chair PDG Steve Patterson mailed a letter to each member explaining the need for CARE and asking for support. Members donated \$3,000.00+ for CARE.
- Willapa Harbor Lions applied for and received a community grant from LCIF to help the Willapa Harbor Hospital purchase imaging equipment.
- What will Z-2 do next year? It has been an interesting year with no Zone Chair. It is important to have a Zone Chair to be the liaison between the clubs, MD19, and LCI. Who will step up?
- GMT Chair Stephanie O'Dell reported that the Club Rejuvenation Project is well under way at Fort Vancouver and Salmon Creek. La Center has planned an information session and Camas is considering one. The Membership for Maui contest is underway. Bring in a new member and your name will be entered in the drawing. One name will be drawn at Spring Conference and that person will win a week at the Harvey's condo in Maui.
- GLT PDG Mark Mansell reported that the Guiding Lion training was well attended. There are Guiding Lions ready to assist clubs dealing with COVID and other challenges. New officer training will be a four hour virtual session May 22 with a second session in late July, and possibly a catch-all in September.
- DG Doug Harvey stated that in spite of all his optimism and efforts 19G's Spring Conference will be a one day virtual event with an in person event planned for later. The second cabinet meeting will be February 27.
- 1st VDG Marilyn Patterson said that next year will be a continuation of this year's programs; continuity is important. She is looking for a Service Chair as current SC Brian Wolfe is stepping down. She also needs a secretary and a G-2 Zone Chair. ZC Leslie Chasse has stated he will run for 2nd VDG for the 2021-2022 Lion year.
- 2nd VDG Debbie Mansell has completed the training for her position.
- LCIF Chair PCC Hal Palmer reported that there will be a Tell-a-thon April 11 to benefit LCIF. For more information contact him at: lionhal@gmail.com.

The next Clark County Lions Council meeting will be by Zoom on March 16th. Lion Jack Johnson volunteered to chair the meeting if Lion Casey will set it up. Lion Jack Johnson then said he would be willing to be Zone Chair if someone will help him as he still has commitments to the Salmon Creek vision screening project and has several other things in the works. Several people offered to help. Thank you, Lion Jack. Meeting adjourned 8:00pm.

Respectfully submitted, Kathy Morrison, Secretary pro tem

# Join us in the Fort Vancouver Lions Club Patriotic Flag Project

The Fort Vancouver Lions Club, in conjunction with the Marine Cadets of Washington, invite you to join your neighbors in proudly displaying the American Flag in front of your home. This program gives residents of your community the opportunity to show their **pride and love** for our country.

In exchange for an annual subscription price of **\$50.00**, we will place a 3' X 5' American Flag on a 7-1/2' white PVC pole in your lawn on the Flag Holidays listed below and then, late the same day, the flag will be picked up and stored for the next flag holiday. A temporary piece of rebar will be installed in the ground 11" below the surface (does not violate call before you dig) in the middle of your front lawn which will hold the flag in place. The Flag will be the property of the Fort Vancouver Lions Club and will be leased to the homeowner on the holidays shown above. Seeing these flags lined up along the streets in your neighborhood is truly an impressive



site, so we encourage you to talk to your neighbors and get everyone involved.

### 2021 Flag Holidays

- Memorial Day
- Flag Day
- Independence Day
- Labor Day
- Veterans Day

Monday, May 31st Monday, June 14th Sunday, July 4th Saturday, September 6th Monday, November 11th



The Fort Vancouver Lions Club is a member of Lions Clubs International, the world's largest service organization. Our club supports many service and humanitarian projects, locally and worldwide. Proceeds from this flag program enable us to contribute to a variety of worthwhile charitable programs.

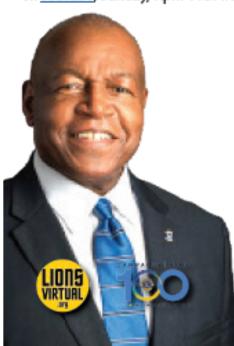
#### **WE APPRECIATE YOUR SUPPORT!**

If you have any questions, please call or email Lion David Rich (503) 577-8315 / david.rich38@gmail.com or Lion Allen Rhyasen (360) 721-6650 / rhyasen@comcast.net



# LET'S DO THIS!!!

- Donate \$20 or more to Campaign 100 Tell-A-Thon
- Create/Implement a plan to get 100% of your Lions to donate to the Campaign 100 Tell-A-Thon
- Spread the word far & wide for Lions, family/friends & prospective Lions to watch the live Campaign 100 Tell-A-Thon on YouTube, Sunday, April 11th from 5-9 pm EDT (New York)



4. Share your success stories to pdg10jen@hotmail.

com & you might see them in pre-event promotion or during the live event

5. Download Team App & join the Lions Virtual Team for all the latest news & links (instructions attached)

#### TELL-A-THON OVERVIEW

Sunday, April 11, 2021 5-9 pm EDT

View on YouTube Live https://youtu.be/hC-s5yXPgeo

#### **EVENT HIGHLIGHTS**

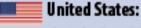
- Emcee: LCI VP Doug Alexander
- Music & Entertainment
- Special Guests
- · Inspiring stories

#### GOAL

- Raise awareness among Lions & prospective Lions about the impact LCIF has across the US & Canada
- Raise funds for Campaign 100 to further our service
- Challenge every Lion to donate \$20 in support of LCIF Campaign 100

#### DONATE NOW

 100% of donations go to LCIF Campaign 100



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#### QUESTIONS

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## 19G SPRING CONFERENCE May 6-7, 2021 GLOBAL SHOWCASE REGISTRATION FORM

Name	<del></del>
Club	
Phone Number	
Email	
I/We will be participating in the <b>GLO</b> I	BAL CAUSES SHOWCASE
It is understood that our entry will fe CHILDHOOD CANCER, DIABETES, VISION.	ature how our club provided service for the <b>ENVIRONMENT, HUNGER</b> or
We will be presenting one or more of the fol	lowing:
Tri-fold featuring our club in action	Skit
3-4 min. video	Musical Performance
Club brochure	Poem or reading
5 min. talk	Or (please explain)
Photo array	
Slide Show	
Each club will be provided table space for discomputer connection or other device will be	
Please respond by April 10, 2021 to:	
Helen Sutfin, 5000 NE 19th Avenue, Vancouv	ver WA 98663 or email to helens@wa-net.com.



# We serve March 202

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1	2 Clark Co. Hearing 6 PM (Zoom) Clark County Sight 6:30 PM (Zoom)	3	4	5 Happy Birthday Irene Schultz Lions Zoom Meeting 12 PM	6
7	8 Happy Birthday Fred Larson	9	10	1 1 Happy Birthday John Caldwell	1 2 Happy Birthday Terry Sutfin Lions Zoom Meeting 12 PM	Food Drive Happy Birthday Sandy Conroy
14	15	16 President's Council Meeting-Zoom 6:30 PM	17 Share House	18	1 9 Board Meeting-Zoon  ILMDAM  Lions Zoom  Meeting 12 PM  Happy Birthday  Bruce Armstrong	20
21	Happy Birthday Rick Giles	23 Happy Birthday Craig Lyons	24 Happy Birthday Raymond Casey Newsletter items due!!	25	26 Happy Birthday Mike Cavanaugh Lions Zoom Meeting 12 PM	27
28  palm sunday	29	30	31			







**Dates in RED** mark our regularly scheduled meeting:



Due to statewide restrictions, meetings are being held on Zoom. Contributions from our Advertising Sponsors provide the funds necessary for this publication.

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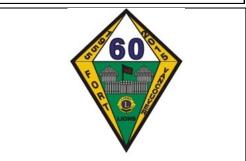


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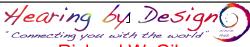
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