



Fort Vancouver Lions Club
 Vancouver, WA., U.S.A.
 Established 1955
April 2024 ISSUE

Join Us at
 Goden Corral Buffet
 11801NE Fourth Plain Blvd.
 Vancouver, WA 98682

Check our meeting
 schedule in the calendar!

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**APRIL SPEAKERS
 PROGRAM DIRECTOR
 PHYLLIS ROBERTSON**

April 5

Jeff Fish, Trustee, Lions Sight
 Committee of Clark County

April 19

Mayor Anne McEnergy-Ogle,
 City of Vancouver

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King Lion Terry



Greetings Lions,
 Here we are in the 10th month of the Lions year, APRIL! The beautiful month of flowering trees, bright daffodils, camellia shrubs in bloom and so much new growth starting on plants and trees.

Speaking of new growth, it would be great if we could add a few new members to help us serve our community before the end of the Lions year and help our next King Lion have a strong and successful start to his year in July. Events scheduled for the month

Our next major fundraiser is THE SHRED EVENT and is happening April 27. We are not only shredding documents but also collecting various electronic items; computers, tablets, laptops and printers. Remember, NO Televisions, Monitors or Appliances of any kind! We are also collecting food items for F.I.S.H. Lion Allen has put together a great team to work the event. FORT VANCOUVER LIONS 1st ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT is a new fundraiser scheduled for June 14 at Fairway Village Golf Course. This event is one of our major fundraisers and will be an all hands on deck event! Please mark your calendars and save this date (FRIDAY, JUNE 14) This will be a FUN project to work.

SHARE'S monthly most needed items: APRIL; Outreach Essentials—tents, tarps and sleeping bags

MAY; Backpack Program—cereal, shelf-stable milk, fruit cups/canned fruit, canned vegetables, canned soup/chili, canned tuna/chicken/ham, peanut butter, granola bars, bottled juice or water. We did outstanding gathering food for their Christmas Backpack Program, over 600lbs in a short time. Here's our opportunity to again help children who are experiencing homelessness or living

in low-income households who are at risk of serious health issues this coming summer.

April 19-20 is the District 19-N Spring Convention in Longview. Thank you Lion Eva for assembling 2 fantastic Gift Baskets for the Convention. One is Seahawks themed and the other is Pendleton Woolen Mills themed. We'd love to see Ya'll attend the Saturday Luncheon at the convention wearing your new FV Lions Club polo shirt, jacket or anything you may have that supports our club AND your lunch will be paid for just for attending. There will be great speakers, seminars and meetings to expand your knowledge about Lions and what we do and how to do them.



WHERE THERES A NEED,
 THERE'S ALWAYS A LION

**Yours in Lionism,
 King Lion
 Terry Robertson**



**Fort Vancouver Lions Club
Officers 2023-2024**

President:	Terry Robertson
1 ST VP - Fundraising:	Mike Cavanaugh
2 ND VP Service:	Terry Sutfin
Secretary:	Shelly Brown
Treasurer:	Diane Cavanaugh/Phyllis Robertson
Membership Chair:	David Rich
LCIF Chair	David Rich
Foundation Rep.	Gay Enyeart
Past President:	Cheri Perry

Directors:

1-year	Michele Druschel
1-year	John Lyons
2-year	Sandy Conroy
2-year	Rick Giles

Ceremonial Officers:

Tail Twister:	Allen Rhyasen
Lion Tamer:	Kari Frabel

Social Media:

Fort Vancouver Lions	www.fortvancouverlions.org
Our Facebook Members Group	Fort Vancouver Lion Members
Our Facebook Public Page	Fort Vancouver Lions
District 19G	www.19glions.weebly.com
LCI MD-19	www.lionsmd19.org
LCI	www.lionsclubs.org

Mike Cavanaugh Honored

On Saturday, March 9th, Second Lieutenant Mike Cavanaugh of the Vancouver Fire Corps was honored with a tree planting by the City of Vancouver.

The City of Vancouver honors their volunteers who have donated hundreds of hours to community service with that volunteer planting a tree in the City's Tree Grove.

Mike spends his time writing policies and procedures for the Fire Marshal's Office to improve the efficiency of the Fire Corps.

Fire Corps does many activities for the Fire Marshal's Office with the biggest project coming this spring. Project Home Safe allows Fire Corps Members to go door-to-door among the Vancouver community explaining about the three most preventable fires in our area.

Unattended Cooking
Unattended Candles
Putting cigarettes out in potting soil

Mike is also a member of the Fort Vancouver Lions Club.

Medallion to hang on the tree.



Mike with his planted tree.



Mayor Anne McEnery-Ogle reading the proclamation.





Fort Vancouver Lions Club & F.I.S.H. Free Shred & E-Recycle Day!

What to Bring:

- Food for F.I.S.H.
- Donations to Support Fort Vancouver Lions
- Documents (Personal/business documents)
- Electronics
- Computers, tablets, laptops & printers
- Sorry, we can't accept Televisions, Monitors, or Appliances of any kind.**



Protect yourself or your business by shredding important documents that are no longer needed and free up valuable space in your home, business, or storage spaces.

JOIN US!
10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Saturday, April 27, 2024
Mill Plain United Methodist Church
15804 SE Mill Plain Blvd, Vancouver, WA

Special Thank You To Our Event Sponsors!

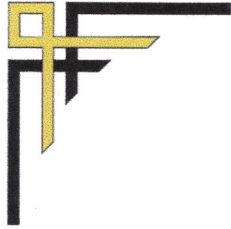


**ALL FOOD DONATIONS
WILL BENEFIT F.I.S.H.**



DONATE

www.FortVancouverLions.org



District 19N Spring Convention
All that Glitters and Shines
April 19-20, 2024
Cowlitz County Event Center
 1900 7th Ave.
 Longview, WA 98632



LION/GUEST REGISTRATION FORM

(Please fill out one form for each person attending. Please type or write legibly)

Name:		Club:		District/ Zone:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Lion	<input type="checkbox"/> Guest	<input type="checkbox"/> First Convention	<input type="checkbox"/> Special Meal Request Offsite Catering: They will try their best to accommodate special requests.		
Special Meal Request needed by 3/29/2024:					
Address:				Current/Highest Lions Position Held:	
City:			State/ Province:	Zip/Postal Code:	
Email:			Phone:		

	Price	Total \$
*Dinner Dress Attire: Business/Cocktail/Semi Formal – Seminars & Lunch Business/Polo/Vest *Menu prices includes Non-Alcohol Beverage Fee's, Tax and Gratuity		
Registration Fee for Lions/Guests \$40 if received after 4/6/2024 *No meals after 4/6/2024	\$30.00 Pre-registration / \$40.00 after 4/6/2024	
Do you want to sponsor a Leo? Helps offset meal cost per Leo.	\$20.00	
Friday Buffet Dinner/Fun Night (5:30 PM Social – 6:00 PM Dinner) Suggested Dinner Dress Attire: Costume Party/Dress Up "Business/Semi Formal" Hollywood Glam: Chicken Alfredo and Tuscan Pasta Bake tossed w/ seasoned ground beef, Italian sausage, meal Includes salad, vegetable, bread and light dessert plus vegetarian and gluten free options are available.	\$41.00	
Saturday Buffet Lunch (12:30 PM) Suggested Dress Attire: Business/Club vest/ Polo Hawaiian: Summertime salad, traditional coleslaw, huli huli chicken, kalua pulled pork–slow roasted, pineapple rice, 5-cheese house made mac and cheese, sweet sticky bread, slider buns and light dessert plus vegetarian and gluten free option are available.	\$31.00	
Saturday Plated Dinner (5:30 PM Social 6:00 PM Dinner) Governors Banquet Suggested Attire "Business/Cocktail/Formal" – Please NO shorts or Club T-shirts Herb Roasted Chicken w/ white wine butter sauce meal Includes salad, vegetable, bread and light dessert. (Chicken is Gluten Free) Vegetarian Lasagna Option Available - *Please note selection on this form.	Chicken \$46.00 <hr/> Vegetarian \$46.00	
Exhibit Table Half \$15/Full \$30 Friday 3pm set up until Saturday 5pm. Bring own tablecloth/own extension cord, power not guaranteed, (8 ft) No Sales/Donation Only. Half table/split with another exhibit (8 ft)	\$15.00/\$30.00 Fee covers facility table rental	
By submitting a form you agree to hold harmless the District 19N Lions, its volunteers and venue from any issues or liabilities that may occur.	TOTAL \$	

Please make checks payable to: District 19N Lions and mail your payment and this Registration Form to: Registrar PZC Michael Petty 2329 Lakemoor Dr. SW Olympia, WA 98512 or pay online: Venmo/Square please contact DG Lisa Ikeda 253-219-1881 lionlisaikeda@aol.com
 Local Hotel information on separate page.

Registrations for meals, with payment, must be received by: April 6, 2024

***NO meals can be purchased after April 6th.**

(District 19N Use Only) _____

WSSB Track Meet

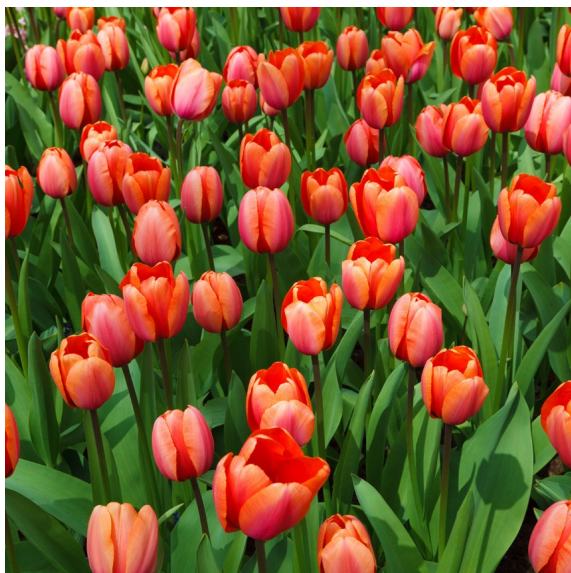
Thursday, May 16, 2024

If you want to participate, please contact Adrienne Fernandez @ Adrienne.Fernandez@wssb.wa.gov

This is a fun project to work, helping kids from Washington and Oregon enjoy the events!

Come join in on the fun!

You will need to complete a volunteer application form.



Please email newsletter articles for the **May** newsletter to:
Shelly Brown at
Lsbrown65@comcast.net by
Thursday, April 25! Thanks!!!

Fort Vancouver-Camas Lions Clubs

Inaugural

GOLF TOURNAMENT

June 14, 2024

(Friday)

Fairway Village Golf Course

15509 SE Fernwood Dr. Vancouver, WA 98683

1:00 PM Shotgun Start

Four player Scramble Format

One Player \$65 (\$260 team)

Nine Holes Scramble

Includes greens fees, bag lunch, soda/water



Lions respond to many challenges facing humankind locally and globally including:

Sight, Hearing, Hunger, Youth, Environment

Join us for a fun morning of golf, competition, and friendship!

Registration closes June 7, 2024

For more information contact David Rich

david.rich38@gmail.com (503) 577-8315



Hole in one contest, mulligans, extend the putt sting purchases



Limited carts are available, but it is a very easily walked course

Business and Individual Sponsorships Available



HOLE-IN-ONE CONTEST

Sponsored by David & Penny Rich

Prizes include:

- 1st Prize—\$7,500 (Hole 6)
- Bonus Hole in One Prize 1 —Scotty Cameron Phantom X Putter (Hole 5)
- Bonus Hole in One Prize 2 — Yeti Tundra Cooler (Hole 5)
- Bonus Hole in One Prize 3—Apple Ipad 128GB (Hole 5)

Also

Men & Women's Long Drive & KP

Mulligans—\$5 for 2 re-dos on any shot.
Limit two per player—non transferrable



Help Us Help Others

We want to invite you to the Fort Vancouver/Camas Lions Clubs Inaugural Club Golf Tournament. Join us for a round of golf, some fun, fellowship, and support of our local communities all at the same time

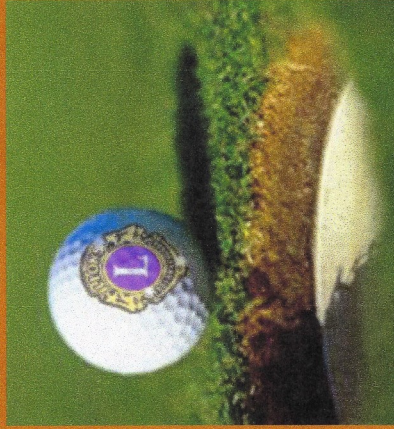
This year's golf tournament will be held at the beautiful Fairway Village Golf Course in Vancouver. Call your friends and put together a four person team or sign yourself up and we will place you on a team. Either way, come and enjoy a great time and help us help those less fortunate than we are.



For more information contact:

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(503) 577-8315
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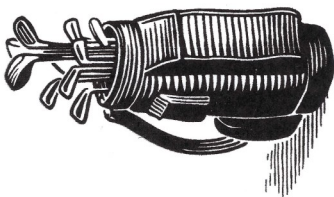
Fort Vancouver - Camas Lions Clubs Inaugural Golf Tournament



Friday, June 14, 2024
Fairway Village Golf Course
Vancouver, WA

4-person scramble

Limited carts are available, but it is a very easily walked course.



**Fort Vancouver/Camas
Lions clubs
Inaugural
Golf Tournament**

The Fort Vancouver & Camas Lions Clubs would like to personally **invite you to join us** for what we believe will be an exciting tournament and an opportunity to raise funds to help us help those in our communities less fortunate than we are.

**Tournament Schedule
(Rain or Shine)**

Friday June 14, 2024

(Registration cut off is June 7, 2024)

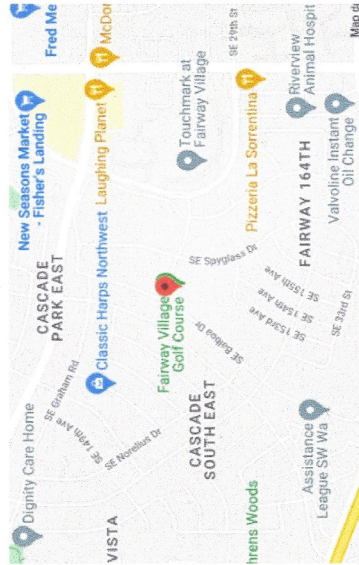
Noon - Golfer Registration

1:00 PM - Shotgun Start

4:00 PM - Lunch/Awards

Your Registration Includes

- **Green Fee**
- **Hole in one entry**
- **Awards for the winners**
- **Lunch w/ Drink**



Interested in being a Hole Sponsor?

- **MAJOR SPONSOR** - (\$1,000) Includes Banner sign at registration table, and entrance for a team of four plus course sign and one course welcome table at a prominent hole on the course.
- **Food Sponsor** - (\$500) Includes banner sign at registration table and a sign on the course crediting your organization for lunch.
- **Tee Sponsor** - (\$200) 1.5' X 2' of your company or organization featured prominently at one of the tee-boxes in the tournament.

Please Contact David Rich at (503) 577-8315
or david.rich38@gmail.com

Registration Form

Tournament Date June 14, 2024
Register online and pay by credit card at <https://fortvancouverlions.org/golf>

Or by mail as shown below.

Individual golfer (Please indicate whose team you are on if you have one, if not on a team we'll match you.)

Individual golf - \$65
Foursome golf - \$260

Your Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Team Captain (If you are playing on someone's team): _____

If paying for a foursome please let us know the other players if possible:

Player 2 _____

Player 3 _____

Player 4 _____

Entry Deadline is June 7, 2024

Single Entry \$65

Four Man Team \$260

Make Checks Payable to:

Fort Vancouver Lions club

And mail to:

**David Rich
14700 NE 113th St
Vancouver, WA 98682**

Cut Here And Send This Portion With Your Check



**Fort Vancouver Lions Club & Foundation Board Meeting
Friday, March 1, 2024 1:10 p.m.
Golden Corral Restaurant**

King Lion Terry called the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m.

Board Members Present: King Lion Terry Robertson, Terry Sutfin, Diane Cavanaugh, Allen Rhyasen, Rick Giles, Phyllis Robertson, Mike Cavanaugh, Sandy Conroy, John Lyons, and Shelly Brown. Club Member Larry Brown was also present.

Standard Reports to the Board:

Secretary's Report: Lion John made a motion to accept the February 2, 2024 Board Meeting minutes as presented. Lion Diane seconded the motion. The motion was approved by the Board.

Treasurer's Report: Lion Diane sent out the Treasurer's reports last night. Lion Diane made a motion that starting in April we move the Board meetings to the third Friday of each month. Lion John seconded the motion. The motion was approved by the Board. Currently the Foundation account has \$10,114.96. According to the Policies and Procedures manual, donations from our club for a memorial to deceased Lions club members indicates that we donate \$125 each to the Clark County Sight and Hearing Committees. This is a specific club donation. The Administration account has \$6,289.93. The PO box fee was paid at the increased annual rate. It was requested that Lion Diane provide the Board with a Profit/Loss report quarterly. The Treasurer's report stands pending observation.

OLD BUSINESS:

Nominating Committee: Lion Terry said that Lion Eva is not able to participate in this committee. Lion Allen has agreed to be on it. Lion Wanda was suggested as a potential member. Lion Terry will contact her. Lion Sandy is willing to step in if needed. A discussion happened about potential people to serve in the open positions. The committee will decide a meeting time.

Year End Celebration: Lion Sandy asked when in the month of June is the preference for having this event. The decision was made to have it later in the month after the WSSB event and the Golf Tournament. She will call to get a room booked at the Spaghetti Factory. Lion Sandy was given many ideas for a person to install the incoming officers.

WSSB End of Year Event: Lion Mike shared information about this event at the regular meeting. He sent an email to clubs around the county inviting them to participate with us. He went through the list of the planned activities that he is anticipating having for that event. Lion Diane made a motion that we sponsor the Bounce House for the WSSB Year End event. Lion Sandy seconded the motion. The motion was approved by the Board.

Shred Event: Lion Allen sent a sign-up list around at the regular meeting. He was successful at getting many people to sign up. Lion Allen has had a good response from the sponsors he has contacted. He needs assistance with advertising from others. We need to contact Ralph Harding and the United Methodist Church.

Frozen Fruit Sales: Lion Allen discussed the upcoming Fruit Sales. He asked Lion Mike to contact the 6 locations we have used in the past. The date will be in July or August.

Golf Tournament: We currently have 6 sponsors for this event. Lion Terry reiterated the need for people to help get sponsors. There will be a need for volunteers on that date. Golfers can sign up on the Fort Vancouver website.

District Convention: Lion Diane will be assembling a tri-fold for the Contests at the District Convention in April. The ballots for voting at the convention will be coming soon. The voting delegates will be Board Members who are attending the conference.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:55 p.m.

Next meeting will be Friday, April 19, 2024 at 1:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Shelly Brown

Membership Meeting Schedule

Date	Time	Location	Notes
Phyllis Robertson, Program Chair			
Friday, April 5	12:00 Noon	Golden Corral 11801 NE Fourth Plain Blvd.	
Friday, April 5	12:00 Noon	Golden Corral 11801 NE Fourth Plain Blvd.	Board Meeting
Friday, April 19	12:00 Noon	Golden Corral 11801 NE Fourth Plain Blvd.	
, Program Chair			
Friday, May 3	12:00 Noon	Golden Corral 11801 NE Fourth Plain Blvd.	
Friday, May 17	12:00 Noon	Golden Corral 11801 NE Fourth Plain Blvd.	
Friday, May 17	1:00 PM	Golden Corral 11801 NE Fourth Plain Blvd.	Board Meeting
, Program Chair			
Friday, June 3	12:00 Noon	Golden Corral 11801 NE Fourth Plain Blvd.	
Friday, June 17	12:00 Noon	Golden Corral 11801 NE Fourth Plain Blvd.	
Friday, June 17	1:00 PM	Golden Corral 11801 NE Fourth Plain Blvd.	Board Meeting



3-Month Activity Calendar

Date	Activity	Comments
April		
Tuesday, April 2	Sight Committee Meeting	Zoom
Tuesday, April 2	Hearing Committee Meeting	Bennie's Bottle Shop
Tuesday, April 16	President's Council Meeting	Zoom
Wednesday, April 17	Share House 11:00-2:00	Nancy Brown, Chair
Saturday, April 27	Shred Event	Allen Rhyasen, Chair
May		
Tuesday, May 7	Sight Committee Meeting	Zoom
Tuesday, May 7	Hearing Committee Meeting	Bennie's Bottle Shop
Wednesday, May 15	Share House 11:00-2:00	Nancy Brown, Chair
Thursday, May 16	WSSB Track Meet	Lori Pulliam, Chair
Tuesday, May 21	President's Council Meeting	Zoom
June		
Tuesday, June 4	Sight Committee Meeting	Zoom
Tuesday, June 4	Hearing Committee Meeting	Bennie's Bottle Shop
Tuesday, June 18	President's Council Meeting	Zoom
Wednesday, June 19	Share House 11:00-2:00	Nancy Brown, Chair





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the Renton Lions

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GINO LUCCHETTI

SILENT AUCTION

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RENTON, WA 98058

Tickets \$45 per adult/\$15 per child
Contact Marissa Geppert at
marissageppert@gmail.com

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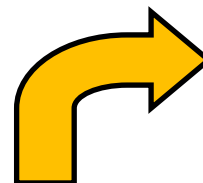
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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1	2 Clark Co. Hearing 6 PM Clark County Sight 6:30 PM (Zoom)	3	4	5 Lions Hybrid Meeting 12 PM Board Meeting 1:00 PM	6
7	8	9 Happy Birthday Suzanne Day Michele Druschel	10	11 Happy Birthday Phyllis Robertson	12	13
14	15	16	17 Share House	18	19 Lions Hybrid Meeting 12 PM	20
21	22	23	24 Happy Birthday Diana Olds	25 Newsletter items due!!	26 Happy Birthday Shelly Brown	27 Shred Event
28 Happy Birthday Cheri Perry	29	30				

Dates in RED
mark our regularly
scheduled meeting:




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