

# Missouri Lion

*June, 2019* 

Multiple District 26

### A Note from the Missouri Lion Editor

To the Lions of Missouri:

I am Past District Governor Lion Ann Anderson and I have been appointed by the 2018-2019 Council of Governors as the new editor for the Missouri Lion. The Multiple District 26 Policy Manual reads:

The *Missouri Lion* Editor shall edit, publish and distribute at least a quarterly newsletter on Lionism, to the Lion members of MD 26

1. There will be at least 4 electronic additions published in the Lions year, with the intent to make them quarterly. The deadline for submission of material for inclusion in any electronic issue will be at least 15 days prior to publication. It will be up to the discretion of the editor if more editions are required and when they are published. The deadline and address for submission of articles for publication in the next issue shall be included in each issue. If additional publications are required, the editor should notify the Lions using the Missouri Lions MO-net of the deadline date.

The Missouri Lion will be published in August, November, February, and June or as needed. Distribution will be via the Missouri Lions website listed below and it will also go out via molions@freelists.org.

Please send all information and articles for the good of Missouri Lionism to:

Anderson@centurytel.net

Thank you in advance for all of your great news I expect to see!

PDG Ann Anderson

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## Always help someone.

You might be the only one that does.





### UCM WALTON STADIUM • KENNEDY FIELD • WARRENSBURG, MO SATURDAY, JULY 20, 2019 — 7:00 PM



### 2019 MISSOURI LIONS FOOTBALL BANQUET RESERVATION FORM

The 2019 Missouri Lions All-Star Football Players' Banquet will be held Friday, July 19, 2019, at 6:30 p.m. at Elliott Union, 511 South Holden Street in Warrensburg, MO. (Due to limited seating, paid reservations must be made in advance. Walk-ins cannot be accepted. Sorry, no special rates for young children are offered; all reservations are the same price.) Reservations are not needed for the players.

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# Banquet reservations @ \$25.0	\$					
Mail to: Missouri Lions Football*2415 B Hyde Park Road*Jefferson City, MO 65109						
Please print:						
Name of person paying for reservations	s Hold reservations	in the name of				
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Note: A Banquet Reservation List will be at the door. If both Banquet reservations and Game tickets are requested, game tickets will be held at the Banquet door unless you request otherwise.						
2019 MISSOURI LIONS FOOTBALL						
GAME TICKET ORDER FORM						
The 2019 Missouri Lions All-Star Football Game will be played at University of Central Missouri-Warrensburg, MO on July 20, 2019, at 7:00 p.m. (pre-game activities at 6:30) Advance Game Tickets - \$8.00 / Gate Price - \$10.00 Children 5 & under – free Advance Student Tickets (1st grade thru college) - \$3.00 / Gate Price - \$5.00						
#Advance Game Tickets @ \$8.0 #Advance Student Tickets @ \$3.0	.00	\$\$				
Remit to: Missouri Lions Football*2415 B Hyde Park Road*Jefferson City, MO 65109						
Check One:						
☐ We are attending the Banquet on Friday evening and will pick up our game tickets then.						
☐ We will not be attending the Banquet and would like the game tickets held on "will call" at the game ticket booth for us.  Please print:						
Name of person paying for tickets	Hold tickets in	the name of				
Tota	I Due on This Form	\$				

The deadline for returning this is Monday, July 8, 2019.

Note: All orders (banquet, game tickets, photos, videos, parking passes, etc.) may be paid for with one check, payable to Missouri Lions Football.

### **Great Plains Lions Leadership Institute**

#### GREAT PLAINS LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

WHAT GPLLI is an intensive, professional and valuable leadership skills program for Lions who have not served as District Governor within the last five years. You will learn skills for club, job, community and church, as well as personal development.

WHEN July 26-28, 2019. Registration is from 9:00A.M. to 11:00 A.M. Friday, July 26.

Adjournment and checkout is by 3:P.M. Sunday, July 28, 2019. Lunch on

Friday, July 26 is at 12:00 noon sharp.

WHERE Northwest Missouri State University, Maryville Missouri

COST US\$190 per attendee if received by the Registrar on or before May1, 2019.

Cost increases to US\$210 beginning May 2, 2019. Registration covers double occupancy room, seven meals, and all course materials. Single occupancy rooms, if available, require an additional US\$40. Any remaining costs will be covered by funding from Lions Clubs International and contributions from participating

multiple districts.

WHO Any Lion, Lioness or Leo who has attained majority and who has not served

as a District Governor in the past five years is eligible. No previous

attendees are eligible without prior approval of the Institute Coordinator, PID

Bill Phillipi.

This institute is being sponsored by Multiple Districts 9 (Iowa), 17 (Kansas), 26 (Missouri) and 38 (Nebraska).

Dynamic presenters from across the Great Plains will provide emerging Lion leaders with modules on communication skills, team building, delegation, time management, conflict management, project management, diversity, motivation, goal setting/action planning/personal mission statement and leading effective meetings.

For additional information please contact Registrar PID Gary Fry at frygj35@msn. com

PLAN NOW TO ATTEND THE INSTITUTE

15<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL GREAT PLAINS LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

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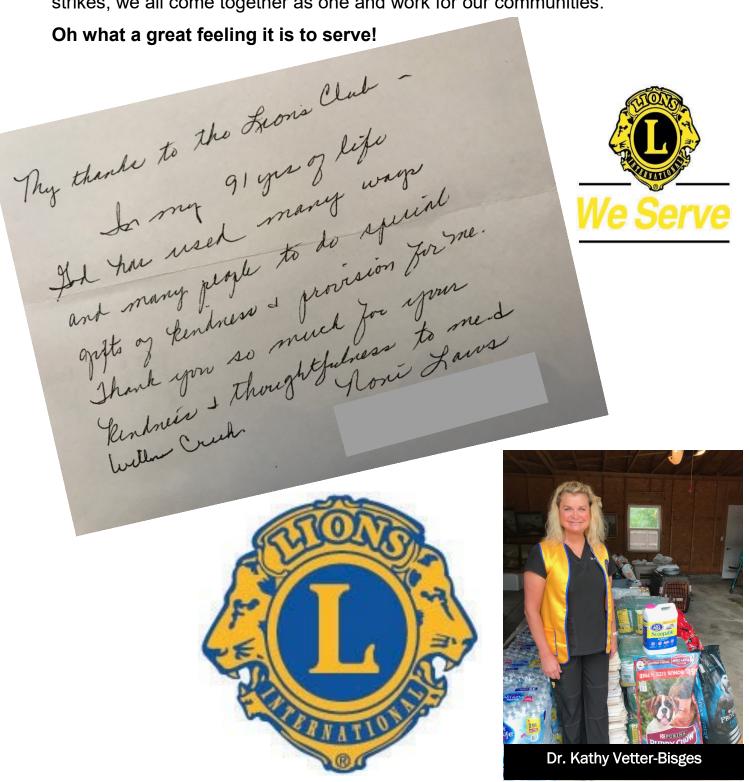
#### Sponsored by the Lions of Multiple Districts 9, 17, 26 and 38 Northwest Missouri State University Maryville, Missouri July 26-28, 2019

#### **REGISTRATION FORM (Please type or print legibly)**

NAME		Badge Name	LCI #	Gender		
Last Firs ADDRESS	t Initial					
Street/PO Box	City	State/	Province	Zip/PC		
PHONE ( )(	)Bus/	Cell	E	mail		
Home Club.  Years in LionsHighest Office H	eld	Sub District Nu	ımber			
Registration Fee is US\$190 if received by the Registrar by May1, 2019, and must accompany the registration form. Beginning May 2, 2019, the base fee increases to US\$210. Make checks payable in US funds to GPLLI and, along with the registration form, mail to Registrar PID Gary Fry, PO Box 606, Mitchellville, IA 50169. Sorry, no refunds can be made for cancellations.						
Applications will not be accepted without full payment.						
Your registration fee includes seven meals, all Institute costs and dormitory rooms (double occupancy) at Northwest Missouri State. Please note that the dormitories are smoke free. A limited number of single occupancy rooms are available at an additional cost of US\$40. You are permitted to request a specific roommate. Check in at the dormitory is permitted from 9:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. on Friday, July 26th and check out must be completed by 3:00 P.M. on Sunday, July 28th. We offer a souvenir shirt for an additional US\$25. Shirt size (they run a little large).						
The following information must be completed before registration will be accepted.  Single occupancy room requested (Add US\$40. to registration fee)  Diabetic Diet requested  Vegetarian Diet requested  Wheelchair Access required  Vision Impaired (List what accommodation(s) are needed)  Hearing Impaired (List what accommodation(s) are needed)						
Please list any other special requests  Questions about the Great Plains Lions Leadership Institute may be directed to: PID Gary Fry, Registrar, frygj35@msn.com.						
EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION						
We are asking for the following information in case of an emergency arising during the 2016 Institute. This information will be maintained until the close of the Institute and then shredded.						
Emergency Contact Name	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Rel	ationship			
Contact telephone: HOME	WOR	Κ	CELL_			
Medical information that needs to be shared with emergency responders: Please feel free to use the back.						

### The motto "WE SERVE" is so rewarding!!

After the tornado on May 22, 2019 the Eldon Lions went to work to help their community in any way possible. You will see a "thank you" from a very grateful citizen and a letter submitted from a Eldon Lions Club member. When disaster strikes, we all come together as one and work for our communities.



The Missouri city of Eldon suffered extensive damage after an EF1 tornado went through the community on Wednesday night, May 22. As stated in an article by Fox News, "The twister started just before 11 p.m. southwest of Eldon and tracked for 13 miles. The storm packed winds of 104 milesper-hour. The Eldon Mayor said that the tornado damaged countless homes in the city of 4,900 residents, but only one man in a truck that was flipped by the twister was hurt."

The Eldon Lions Club has been serving the community for 90 years and during this disaster the Lions Club (as well as other local service groups) went into action at the Community Center temporary shelter. The Lions group began the process of feeding the displaced and those who were affected by the devastation. Many Lions spent the first 72 hours providing local relief until national organizations were able to set up stations in Eldon to provide their own specialized assistance.

One of the Lions members, Dr. Kathy Vetter-Bisges, is a veterinarian in Eldon. Her practice is Lake Pet Hospital and has been in Eldon for over 30 years. Dr. Kathy's practice employs 5 other veterinarians and treats small animals, exotics and birds in the Eldon and surrounding lake community. The practice is very involved and devoted to working with all of the animal rescues and shelters in our area.

When it was learned that pets were also arriving at the shelter, Dr Kathy and her staff came to ascertain the needs of the pets. The dogs were as terrified as their owners. Dr Kathy talked with the pet parents and offered to keep any pet, free of charge, at her facilities and care for them until the owners were able to decide what is to happen.

Many of the homes and apartments had extensive damage and the immediate housing future was in limbo. Dr Kathy, along with her staff, assessed what vaccinations were needed, as well as any other health needs of each animal, and then provided that care. In addition, Lake Pet Hospital broadcasted on social media that if any animals were affected by the storm, they were welcome to stay at her hospital, free of charge, until arrangements could be made.

Dr. Kathy and her staff also sent out a request for donations for dog and cat food, as well as additional items for the imminent needs. She said that the response was immediate and generous. Dr. Kathy said "The outpouring of love and concern for one another and the pets is amazing. Within 30 minutes of our plea, we had donations rolling in....and still do. So far we have acquired over 3,000 pounds of dog/cat food and 200 pounds of cat litter. We are still accepting food, as well as a few other items that are needed such as, bottled and jugged water, litter boxes, pet dishes, and collars/leashes. We are accepting donations at our veterinary hospital and will help distribute them to needy folks and their pets. In addition, we are distributing food and supplies to our local shelters and rescues that are working with us in the relief efforts."

Dr. Kathy feels very fortunate that her hospital was spared. The damage was merely 2 blocks away from her facility. "We were without electricity for a couple of days, but that's about it." We were merely inconvenienced for a few days. My heart goes out to the people that lost so much." Dr. Kathy's hospital was called upon for help following the deadly tornado in Joplin several years ago. It certainly is not something that she wants to be familiar with, but now feels better prepared to serve her community.

WHERE THERE IS A NEED, THERE IS A LION and Dr. Kathy and her veterinary staff did just that! Eldon is grateful and appreciative of her dedication to our pets - just ask any of the Eldon pet parents!

Submitted by, Eldon Lions Club Member

Lisa Foglesong

### **Lions Code of Ethics**

- To Show my faith in the worthiness of my vocation by industrious application to the end that I may merit a reputation for quality of service.
- To Seek success and to demand all fair remuneration or profit as my just due, but to accept no profit or success at the price of my own self-respect lost because of unfair advantage taken or because of questionable acts on my part.
- To Remember that in building up my business it is not necessary to tear down another's; to be loyal to my clients or customers and true to myself.
- Whenever a doubt arises as to the right or ethics of my position or action towards others, to resolve such doubt against myself.
- To Hold friendship as an end and not a means. To hold that true friendship exists not on account of the service performed by one to another, but that true friendship demands nothing but accepts service in the spirit in which it is given.
- Always to bear in mind my obligations as a citizen to my nation, my state, and my community, and to give them my unswerving loyalty in word, act, and deed. To give them freely of my time, labor and means.
- To Aid others by giving my sympathy to those in distress, my aid to the weak, and my substance to the needy.
- To Be Careful with my criticism and liberal with my praise; to build up and not destroy.



### Hunger

Regular access to food for 14 in-need people



#### **Vision**

2 cataract surgeries



#### Youth

Lions Quest curriculum to an entire classroom for 1 year



### **Childhood Cancer**

Help buy equipment to diagnose/treat 8 kids



more.



#### Diabetes

Screenings for 18 at-risk people



#### **Environment**

Access to clean water for 14 people



#### **Disaster Relief**

Immediate relief for 4 victims of a natural disaster



#### **Humanitarian Efforts**

Measles vaccination for 100 children



### Missouri Lions Calendar of Events

July 5-9, 2019	International Convention	.Milan, Italy
July 19, 2019	All-Star Football Banquet	.Warrensburg
July 20, 2019	Council of Governors Meeting	.Warrensburg
July 20, 2019	All-Star Football Game	.Warrensburg
July 26-28, 2019	Great Plains Lions Leadership Institute	.NW Mo. State Univ., Maryville
July 26-28, 2019	Mo Lions Leader Dog Visit	.Rochester, Michigan
August 9-11, 2019	Leader Dog VDG Visit	.Rochester, Michigan
August 17, 2019	KidSight Board Meeting	.TBD
September 6-7, 2019	Mid-South Board Meeting	. Hamilton Eye Institute, Memphis
September 19-21, 2019	USA/Canada Forum	.Spokane, Washington
October 4-5, 2019	PDG Weekend	.Independence (District M5)
October 19, 2019	KidSight Board Meeting	.TBD
October 26, 2019	Council of Governors Meeting	.Sikeston
November 15-16, 2019	Mid-South Board Meeting	.Hamilton Eye Institute, Memphis
January 18, 2020	Council of Governors Meeting	. Margaritaville Resort, Osage Beach
March 13-14, 2020	Mid-South Board Meeting	.Hot Springs, Arkansas
April 16, 2020	Council of Governors Meeting	. Margaritaville Resort, Osage Beach
April 17-19, 2020	State Convention	.Margaritaville Resort, Osage Beach
June 26-30, 2020	International Convention	.Singapore
June 25-29, 2021	International Convention	.Montreal, Quebec Canada
July 1-5, 2022	International Convention	.New Delhi, India
July 7-11, 2023	International Convention	. Boston, Massachusetts
June 21-25, 2024	International Convention	Melbourne, Australia
2025	International Convention	. Mexico City, Mexico

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