

# NEWS & VIEWS



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## DG PAULETTE'S POST



What happened to our Fall – “*baby it's cold outside*” – well some mornings are a little nippy! We hope that you and yours enjoyed a special Thanksgiving together and didn't eat too much turkey.

November was a very busy and fun month visiting several clubs and having the honor of being guest speaker at the Charter Night celebration for the Erwin Lions Club. Thanks to the Dandridge, Karns, Knoxville East, Knoxville Tri-County, Maryville and Norris Lions for the warm hospitality I received during my visits with them. These are some of our hardest working clubs serving their communities and we appreciate all that they do.

We are off and running with our **December 7<sup>th</sup> Operation Inasmuch Food Packing** event. We hope all clubs will be able to participate one way or another!

December is a festive month with celebratory gatherings but let's all remember those in need and continue serving and helping others as they struggle just getting by day to day. If you or your club participate in any special events, please remember to share these stories with the News & Views. We love to see our Lions “**Serving from the Heart**”!

A quick plug for the District 12N Convention February 18-19 at the Holiday Inn West in Knoxville. Remember, it is a Hawaiian theme and we will have lots of great entertainment and fun. The registration form is attached.

Chuck and I wish you and yours a very Merry Christmas!

Yours in Lionism – *DG Paulette*

### UPCOMING EVENTS

District Food Packing  
12/7/2021  
Location: The Hangar, Sevierville, TN

Lions Orientation  
Session #4  
Dec 16, 2021 7pm  
Zoom Link on information page,

Lions Learning  
Retreat  
Jan 21-23 2022  
Coffey Co.  
Convention Center  
Manchester, TN



# Vice District Governors' Musings



## RICH'S REVIEWS

December 2021 also marks the midway point of the Lions fiscal year. It is not too early to think about stepping up to fill slots for the

upcoming District elections or to reach out and invite new blood for your Clubs and District 12N cabinet.

You are cordially invited to the King Family Branch Library in Sevierville on Tuesday, December 14, 2021 from 5:00 PM – 7:00 PM as the Sevier County Lions Club host a Christmas Open House. (We'll do anything to not sit thru a Tuesday Night Board Meeting). RSVP: SCLC President Rich Wilson (865.321.0903).

Where does the time go? It seems like yesterday that we were planning outdoor summer events and, now, we're saying 'Merry Christmas' and 'Happy New Year 2022.' When you wake up on Christmas morning, take time to look in the mirror and reflect on 2021 and all that is Lionism. Yes, **YOU Made A Difference!!!**

Richard Wilson 1st VDG



Happy Thanksgiving, Fellow Lions. This is the time of year we give thanks for all

our good fortunes and our wonderful veterans, some who gave all so we can enjoy our freedoms and liberties. We need to be thankful for our families and friends. We must remember to help those less fortunate and give as much assistance as we can.

With Christmas just around the corner, we need to keep the spirit. Spread holiday cheer with those less fortunate by giving food boxes and baskets, and holiday gift cards. Making donations to local food banks or area churches, as well as visiting those who cannot get out to show we are thinking of them and their

Things to remember:

12/7/2021 Operation Inasmuch in Sevierville and 2/18-19, 2021 District 12N Convention in Knoxville.

Respectfully submitted,

Fred Miller. 2nd VDG

## SAVE THIS DATE FOR THE 2ND ANNUAL FOOD PACKING EVENT

**Tuesday, December 7, 2021 from 8:30 AM – 2:00 PM.** Every Lion in District 12N should recognize that date as our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual food packing event with our partner, Operation Inasmuch. What other Lion's event can you share the unity of 42 District Clubs focused on one of Lions International global causes (hunger) while preparing and packaging 50,000+ meals to be distributed by **YOUR** club to those who need it most this holiday season PLUS enjoy the camaraderie of your fellow Lions during a complimentary lunch provided by our most gracious host: Pathways Church in Sevierville. **100 Volunteers. 5 Hours.** That's all that we are asking.

**LET'S ALL MAKE A DIFFERENCE!!!!**





## DISTRICT 12N ORIENTATION INITIATIVE Offered through Zoom Sessions

**PURPOSE:** To offer our newest Lions an opportunity to learn basic information about the Lions organization and their clubs. It also provides an opportunity for our seasoned Lions to receive a refresher about the Lions Organization.

### **Session #4 - December 16, 2021 – 7 PM**

White Cane, Service Opportunities – Self Development, Learning Opportunities for Lions to Grow

PDG Clare Crawford

Lions who have joined within the last 12 months will automatically receive a Zoom invitation. For all other Lions interested in participating, the Zoom Link is below:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81135995690?pwd=OTNmN3JNVVRWYjNjSEFLdUZYQ01UUT09>



**CALLING ALL DISTRICT 12N LEADERS**  
**DEADLINE FOR CANDIDATE QUALIFICATION IS**  
**FEBRUARY 1, 2022**

ARE YOU QUALIFIED TO BECOME  
2<sup>ND</sup> VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR NEXT YEAR

Are you an active member of your club?

Have you been Club President?

Have you been a Board member of your club for two or more years?

Have you been a Zone Chair, Region Chair, District Secretary or District Treasurer?

Are you willing to accept the challenge and become our District Governor in July 2024?

**For more information and details, please contact**  
**PDG Chuck Bailey at 423/371-9738**  
**or email at [chuckyegg001@gmail.com](mailto:chuckyegg001@gmail.com)**

# LIGHT UP LEADER DOG

Join us this holiday season as we once again Light Up Leader Dog! For a \$10 donation, a luminary will be placed in your honor on the campus of Leader Dogs for the Blind on the evening of December 11, 2021. Our goal is to light up the campus with over 1,000 luminaries honoring our supporters and lighting up the beautiful campus of Leader Dogs for the Blind. Please join us for our Light Up Leader Dog Drive-Thru event to see the campus all lit up!

<https://www.leaderdog.org/light-up-leader-dog/>

## There's Still Time to Write Your Letter to Santa

As long as there's Christmas, children will be writing letters to Santa. Luckily, Santa has plenty of helpers all around the world who help him stay organized and make sure those letters receive a response. From major postal programs complete with mailing addresses to paid letter services, there's more than one way to put you in touch with Santa.





## **LCIF Week Melvin Jones Photo Contest**

This year, we want to celebrate LCIF week and what it means to be a Lion during Campaign 100 and in honor of Melvin Jones' birthday. The photo contest will

be open between October 22 – December 31, 2021 and the winners of the photo contest will be announced January 13, 2022.

Submit a photo of yourself with your MJF plaque, PMJF pin, a service activity, or LCIF/Campaign 100-branded items. **Group photos will not be accepted.** You must also comment by answering the question, in 120 words or fewer, *Why do you support the mission of LCIF?*

### **Contest Rules**

1. By entering this contest, you authorize the use of this photo and your name by Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF) in printed, digital or other mediums for the purposes of promotion and publicity for LCIF. The photo and its comments shall be the property of LCIF for any and all use.
2. No purchase or donation is required to enter.
3. Photo and answer of questions must be submitted via the official entry form online to be included in the contest.

4. One photo and question answered per person, per entry.
5. Photo must only of the individual who is submitting. Any photos uploaded with more than one person will not be accepted; whether it is a service project photo or a photo with a Melvin Jones Fellow (MJF) plaque or Melvin Jones Progressive Fellow (PMJF) pin. The photo must only include you in it. Photos cannot contain material that violates or infringes another's rights, including but not limited to material that violates privacy, publicity or intellectual property rights, or that constitutes copyright infringement.
6. The winners will be announced by January 13, 2022. If the 104<sup>th</sup> convention does not take place, there is no cash substitution for the prize.
7. Odds of winning are dependent upon the number of valid entries received and public voting. All submissions must be received by December 31, 2021 at 11:59 pm (Central Time Zone) to be eligible for the contest.
8. LCIF reserves the right, in its sole discretion to prohibit any entrant from participating in the contest or to disqualify any individual it finds, in its sole determination, to be acting in violation of the official rules, or to be acting in a disruptive manner, or with intent to annoy, abuse, threaten, or harass any other person.

Voting can be done only online. Click your favorite photo and tap the heart icon to vote!

### **Winners:**

Eight winners will receive complimentary individual registration and Melvin Jones luncheon tickets\* at the 104<sup>th</sup> Lions Clubs International Convention in Montreal, Quebec.



This prize is contingent upon the occurrence of the 104<sup>th</sup> convention. If the event does not take place, there is no cash substitution for the prize.

\*Flight and hotel accommodations are not included with your complimentary individual registration pass to the 104<sup>th</sup> Lions Clubs International Convention. Your complimentary registration pass allows for registrants to receive an official name badge, souvenir medallion, official convention program and one entrance for the International Show.

Contest Link:

[https://gleam.io/g/L6KR5?utm\\_source=Eloqua&utm\\_campaign=L\\_CF\\_EN\\_ChairpersonOctober\\_2021&utm\\_medium=email](https://gleam.io/g/L6KR5?utm_source=Eloqua&utm_campaign=L_CF_EN_ChairpersonOctober_2021&utm_medium=email)



## **LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL**

### **ENTRANCE FEE WAIVER EXTENDED**

The Coronavirus (COVID-19) continues to impact the work of Lions and communities around the world, creating challenges for our clubs and the people we care for. Throughout this crisis, Lions have continued to safely serve because the needs have been so great.

To ensure that clubs are able to meet the growing needs in our communities, The International Board of Directors has approved waiving ALL Charter and Entrance fees from January 1 through June 30, 2022. Charter and Entrance Fees are currently waived through December 31, 2021!

All Lions clubs should take advantage of this great savings opportunity to invite new members to join their clubs – "JUST ASK"!



# **ERWIN LIONS CLUB CHARTER NIGHT CELEBRATION**

Friday, November 5, 2021

A great time was had by all as we gathered together to celebrate the newest Lions Club in our family! The pinning of the Charter Membership pins was conducted by Guiding Lions Debbie Shipley and PDG Ed Gibbons from the Johnson City Lions Club (Erwin's Sponsor Club). Several gifts were bestowed on the new club such as a club banner, podium, set of Int'l flags, gavel and several \$100 checks donated by various clubs throughout the District. The members of Erwin are already busy holding fundraising events and serving their community. Congratulations and welcome to the Lions family.

Pictured from left to right are Guiding Lion PDG Ed Gibbons, DG Paulette Bailey, Lorie and John Edwards, Richard Rourk, Koby Strawser, Pres. Brandy Lewis, Mike Reese, Secy. Gina Clark and Guiding Lion Debbie Shipley.







## **EYEGLASS RECYCLING WORKDAY**

LVBI in Johnson City  
November 13, 2021

A **BIG THANK YOU** to the 20 or so Lions from clubs in the District who gathered on Saturday, November 13<sup>th</sup> to sort, box and palletize approximately 3,000 pounds of glasses. These glasses will be shipped to Respects in California for recycling. The District expects to receive some money in return and will apply this to our eye conservation programs. Half the time was spent sorting through all the boxes and pulling out cases, then putting everything into common size boxes for palletizing. What good workers – WE SERVE!

The Motley Crew!





# Around The District

## The Inskip MURAL

This design, created by artist, Megan Lingerfelt, stemmed from a discussion with members of the Inskip Lions Club during the spring and summer of 2021. The members wished to provide a beautiful spot for student, teachers and parents as they entered and exited Inskip Elementary. In addition, goals were: (1) to learn about the history of the community and specific elements within it that make it a great place to live and (2) to gain inspiration and an understanding of the purpose of the desired mural.

Though not affiliated, yet having some common history, the elementary school and the Lions Club have similar logos with many like elements and mascots. Thus, these work well together as bookends of the mural just as the lion concrete statues next to the entrance of the building bookend the front door. Stretching from one logo to the other and weaving behind all of the other elements in the mural is a train track. Information about the history of the area tells the story of the Inskip community beginning as a small stop on the track with nothing but a church, school, and grocery store that housed the post office (this accounts for the inclusion of the postage stamp). The stamp is layered on top of a geometric rendering of the Inskip pool - a favored spot in the community originally built and managed by the Lions Club.

The Lions Club building once served as a local library, and the books in the composition speak to that history, but are also there in reference to the school as a tool for education. The final elements, eyeglasses and service dog, refer to the specific services the Lions Club provides. The color palette is bright and cheerful for the young playground audience who will see it every day; the blues and greens are pulled from the natural beauty of East Tennessee.

Megan Lingerfelt, artist, muralist <http://www.meganlingerfelt.com/>

## Pictures of the Inskip Mural



**2022 LIONS LEARNING RETREAT**  
**JANUARY 21-23**  
**MANCHESTER, TN**

Please share this information with your club members and encourage them to attend. Remind them that first time attendees to this event can receive their registration fees of \$100 reimbursed after their attendance at this Learning opportunity.



# Lions Learning Retreat



Manchester-Coffee County Conference Center

January 21 - 23, 2022

Manchester, Tennessee

## Service from the Heart – Mail-in Registration Form

Please fill in blanks and circle appropriate options.

### ATTENDEE INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Badge Name (if different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

Attendee is: a Lion a Leo a Lioness a Cub not a member yet

From the: \_\_\_\_\_ Club, in District: \_\_\_\_\_

Highest Office Held: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Office(s): \_\_\_\_\_

First Time Attendee at LLR? Yes No If no, how many LLRs have you attended? \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Street or PO Box: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Dietary Restrictions or Special Needs: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check your registration choice and remit with corresponding payment.

### REGISTRATION FEES

**LLR Complete Experience REGISTRATION OPTIONS:** Each ADVANCE full package includes all seminars, Fun, Fellowship, Friday Supper, Saturday Lunch, Saturday Banquet, & Sunday Brunch.

\_\_\_\_\_ **ENTHUSIASTIC Advance Registration** – postmarked on or before November 15, 2021 **\$100**

\_\_\_\_\_ **PROCRASTINATING Advance Registration** – postmarked Nov. 16 to Dec. 31, 2021 **\$125**

\_\_\_\_\_ **MAY NOT GET TO EAT Registration** – anything postmarked in 2022 or Onsite Registration **\$150**

### LLR SATURDAY-ONLY REGISTRATION OPTIONS:

\_\_\_\_\_ **EXCITED Saturday ONLY Advance Registration** - postmarked through December 31, 2021 **\$80**

Includes Saturday Seminars, Fun, Fellowship, Lunch & Banquet. Does NOT include any Friday or Sunday activities.

\_\_\_\_\_ **SATURDAY SEMINARS-ONLY REGISTRATION:** postmarked in 2022 or Onsite Registration **\$80**

I have no expectation of meals, a packet, or even a name badge, but I WANT TO LEARN!

*By submitting this registration, I acknowledge refunds are granted only for extenuating circumstances approved by the LLR Board at the Annual Meeting following LLR. I also understand all reservations are on a first-come-first-served basis; individual seminar or meal tickets will NOT be available, and meals will likely not be included if I register in 2022.*

Make checks payable to **LIONS LEARNING RETREAT.**

If paying by Credit Card, a \$4 convenience fee will be added.

Card # \_\_\_\_\_ EXP \_\_\_\_\_ 3-digit Code \_\_\_\_\_ Billing Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Submit this form with corresponding payment by mail to:

LLR / PDG Jim McFarland 8030 Whitestone RD Knoxville TN 37932-3232



# Lions Learning Retreat



January 21 - 23, 2022

Manchester-Coffee County Conference Center

Manchester, Tennessee

## *Service from the Heart - Information*

**You do NOT want to miss this!** All of the LLRs have been great, but we have been waiting TWO WHOLE YEARS for this one. We have used the time wisely and have some very special things planned; a few that have never been tried, some that could lead to dancing. Here are some previews of the highlights. More information will be forthcoming as we get closer to 2022. But please do not wait. The 2022 LLR Registration Form is a separate document and needs to be sent in as soon as you can. There are substantial rewards in the form of discounts for the enthusiasm and passion to register now!

**Friday Night** - Fellowship, fun, & food in Pride Hall.

- Get Acquainted "Bingo" is a tradition
- Pin Traders on hand
- Delicious Buffet Supper
- Hospitality Basket silent auction
- Special Entertainment

**Saturday** - All events begin at 12 minutes after the hour, starting at 08:12 with a Welcome, Info and Keynote session. Vendors & Information will **ABOUND!** Each room will host a track to focus topics.

- Pride Hall - Meals & Memories (limited times)
- Mel's Garage - The nuts & bolts of Lionism
- Our Bridge - Understanding to better Serve
- Lion's Heart - The five Lions service pillars
- A Spire - Skills for success
- The Exchange - A Facilitated Round Table where you pick the topics and help give the answers.



**Sunday Morning** - A special Our World Service that shows there is more that unites us than divides us. A unifying message will be given by representatives of Christianity, Judaism, Hindu, Buddhism, Islam, and more if we can. The LLR Choir will be joined by special guests to make this a once in a lifetime experience to uplift us all when we need it most. We will hear from special speakers and share a fabulous brunch.

### LLR Annual Basket Contest

We ask that each club bring a gift basket that represents the club, their community, or IP Alexander's International Theme (Service from the Heart). Suggested price of the basket: \$25 - \$50. The baskets will be auctioned off on Saturday night with all proceeds going to offset the cost of LLR.

### NEW Hospitality Silent Auction

We ask individuals or clubs to bring a small basket of goodies or homemade treats (examples follow) for friends to bid on. These delights will be available via a silent auction on Friday Evening with the hopes of providing an opportunity and excuse for Lion friends to gather, visit, and share. All proceeds will go to offset the cost of LLR. (Examples: a bottle of wine, homemade cookies or fudge, cheese and crackers).

### Lions Pride Choir

Enjoy singing? Join the Lions Pride Choir. Practice Friday evening and perform Saturday evening and Sunday morning. It is great fun! Come join us.



## **LLR Site Hotel: Holiday Inn Express; 111 Hospitality Blvd, Manchester, Tennessee**

**The LLR received Group Block of 47 Rooms at a special rate from the adjoining Holiday Inn Express**

The Special LLR rate is **\$105/night standard (not including taxes)** based upon one or four people per room. With the current 18.25% tax that makes each night's stay a total of **\$124.16**. You will not be eligible for the LLR rate if you book on-line, and on-line reservations cannot be changed to the group rate by the hotel.

**Call 931-728-9383 and ask for LLR Rate before December 21, 2021.**

Our special LLR rate is **ONLY** available during the Autumn of 2021. On Winter Solstice, in this Northern Hemisphere of our World, **December 21, 2021**, any rooms not reserved will be released back into the Hotel Inventory and sold at the "best available rate," which will certainly be higher than a room in our allotment.

Check in is 4:00 pm. Check out is 11:00 am. Early arrivals and late check outs will be accommodated on a space availability basis and must be approved in advance by the General Manager.

Guest Personal Items: The hotel is not responsible for guests' personal items left in a guest room. Safe deposit boxes are provided at the front desk.

Parking is available free on-site at both the Hotel and the Conference Center.

Accommodations are the responsibility of individual Lions and are not included in your Registration Fees. The group rate is negotiated as a courtesy and an incentive to help Lions make the fabulous journey to the Lions Learning Retreat.

We look forward to seeing you in Manchester come January!

### **Other hotels in the area:**

<b>Sleep Inn &amp; Suites</b>	84 Relco Drive, Manchester, TN	931-954-0580
<b>Comfort Suites</b>	152 Hospitality Blvd, Manchester, TN	931-728-1301
<b>Microtel Inn &amp; Suites</b>	201 Expressway Drive, Manchester, TN	931-723-7001
<b>Red Roof Inn</b>	126 Expressway Drive, Manchester, TN	931-728-7551
<b>Ambassador Inn</b>	925 Interstate Drive, Manchester, TN	931-728-2200
<b>Best Value Inn</b>	95 Expressway Drive, Manchester, TN	931-728-5177
<b>Budget Inn Motel</b>	2029 Hillsboro Blvd, Manchester, TN	931-728-3118
<b>Hampton Inn Motel</b>	33 Paradise Street, Manchester, TN	931-728-3300
<b>Motel 6</b>	2430 Hillsboro Blvd, Manchester, TN	931-728-5257





# LIONS DISTRICT 12N CONVENTION

EAST TENNESSEE LIONS EYE BANK ANNUAL MEETING  
DISTRICT 12N CHARITIES, INC. ANNUAL MEETING

\*\*\*February 18-19, 2022\*\*\*

Holiday Inn Knoxville West - Cedar Bluff, 865-693-1011  
9134 Executive Park Drive, Knoxville, TN 37923



## ALOHA

*Hawaiian Theme, totally informal, wear your flowered shirts and muumuus, Leis provided*

Reservations can be made by calling the hotel directly at 865-693-1011 and referencing the Lions International District Governors Conference. Group rate is \$99.00 plus tax, including breakfast, parking, wi-fi, etc.

All reservations will need to be made by January 28, 2022 in order to get the group rate.

### Keynote Speaker – International Director, Dr. Dianne J. Pitts

NAME 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Office/Position \_\_\_\_\_

NAME 2 \_\_\_\_\_ Office/Position \_\_\_\_\_

Club (Name 1) \_\_\_\_\_ Club (Name 2) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (best # to reach you) \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Fee \$5.00 EACH X \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(Registration mandatory for all attendees)

Friday Dinner Country Fried Steak, Meatloaf, BBQ Ribs \$35.00 EACH X \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Saturday Lunch Turkey & Ham Wraps \$20.00 EACH X \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Saturday Dinner Luau Buffet Complimentary EACH X \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(Compliments of East Tennessee Lions Eye Bank)

TOTAL = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Special Dietary Needs (please be Specific) \_\_\_\_\_

Mail Registration form by February 1, 2022. Make checks payable to: LIONS DISTRICT 12N

Mail to: Kathy Burrow, Treasurer

700 Sedgley Dr.

Knoxville, TN 37922







**2022 TLLI**  
**2022 Tennessee Lions Learning Institute**  
**Thurs. evening - Sun noon, March 24-27, 2022**



**A 3-day institute designed for Tennessee Lions with less than 5 years as members in Lions Clubs International**



**635 College St., Monteagle, TN 37356**  
**(I-24 midway between Chattanooga and Manchester)**

**WHAT:** Interactive participation with your peers and faculty in a casual environment dealing with what Lions are all about. While all Lions who have not attended a Regional Institute are welcome to register, this Institute is intended to arm newer Lions with skills and experiences needed to navigate the challenges of modern-day Lions. Issues such as "Diversity" "Working in Teams" "Lions Fundamentals" "Who do I ask?" "How do I break through in a club with outdated ideas?" are addressed.

This is your opportunity to get your questions answered by a faculty of LCI Certified Trainers from outside Tennessee.

**DRESS:** Casual attire, no vests, no name badges, just your Lions pin and an open mind.

**COST:** 2020 TLLI is subsidized by a grant from LCI and your Multidistrict 12N Council of Governors as an investment in your future as a Tennessee Lion. However, the subsidies don't cover the full cost. Therefore, the cost to each student is \$150.00 (double occupancy), for 3 nights lodging, Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner on Friday and Saturday and Breakfast on Sunday. (If you desire to be a student but find the cost to be beyond your means, contact your District Governor Team, scholarships may be available to you.)

**SCHEDULE:**

**Thurs, March 24**

**3 – 6:00 PM** Check-in, room assignments, receive schedules and materials, meet the faculty  
**6 – 8:00 PM** Dinner on your own  
**8 - 9:30 PM** Opening Session

**Fri, March 25**

**7:30 AM** Breakfast  
**8:30 AM** Morning Sessions  
**Noon** Lunch  
**1:00 PM** Afternoon Sessions  
**6:00 PM** Dinner  
**7:00 PM** Group Activity (TBA)

**Sat, March 26**

**7:30 AM** Breakfast  
**8:30 AM** Morning Sessions  
**Noon** Lunch  
**1:00 PM** Afternoon Sessions  
**6:00 PM** Dinner  
**7:00 PM** Homework assignment

**Sun, March 27**

**7:30 AM** Breakfast  
**8:30 AM** Morning Session  
**10:30 AM** Closing Session  
**Noon** Completion of TLLI



## 2022 TLLI Enrollment Registration



Mail this Registration form along with a check of \$150.00 per registrant made payable to: 2022 TLLI and mail to:

Lions District 12N Charities, Inc.  
c/o Kathy Burrow  
700 Sedgley Drive  
Knoxville, TN 37922

For more info or questions call  
Chuck Bailey at 423.371.9737

### First Student:

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First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	Lions Club
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Street Address	City	State	ZIP
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Cell Phone	Home Phone	email
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Dietary Restrictions? \_\_\_\_\_

Mobility Issues? \_\_\_\_\_

Roommate Preference? \_\_\_\_\_

### Second Student:

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Street Address	City	State	ZIP
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Cell Phone	Home Phone	email
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Dietary Restrictions? \_\_\_\_\_

Mobility Issues? \_\_\_\_\_

Roommate Preference? \_\_\_\_\_

District 12N  
Lions Club  
Membership

## WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST MEMBERS



Carolyn Mitchell – Dandridge  
Phillip Mitchell – Dandridge  
Pam Rathbun – Elizabethton  
Cynthia Ayers – Johnson City  
Cherie Bowman – Johnson City  
Joshue Gibbons – Johnson City  
Sam Melchner – Johnson City  
David Sheets – Johnson City  
Alex Moorefield – Johnson County  
Averielle Moorefield – Johnson County  
Charlotte Fletcher – Knoxville East

## IN REMEMBRANCE OF

GD “Moe” Greenwood – Knoxville Tri-County





## Did You Know.....

1. Christians call December the "Holy Month" as the birth of Jesus Christ is celebrated in December.
2. Flower for December is Holly.
3. Birthstone for December is Blue topaz.
4. December usually marks beginning of rain, snow, and frozen weather.
5. An almanac prediction says that if it snows on Christmas Day, Easter will be warm, green and sunny.

## DECEMBER 2021



**Happy Birthday  
Lions born in December**







**Did you know that Lions Volunteer Blind Industries in Morristown and Johnson City employs over 100 disabled individuals, some of whom have been with us over 30 years?**

This team of highly-skilled employees produce mattresses, foundations, mattress pads, army and navy physical-fitness pants, helmet covers for the military, and industrial paper towels. The products made by our blind and visually-impaired employees can be found in homes, colleges and universities, hotels and resorts, and on military bases both at home and abroad.

Begun in 1951 by the combined efforts of Lions Club Members, the National Industries for the Blind, the State of Tennessee, and other interested individuals, **Lions Volunteer Blind Industries** began our mission of providing blind people with **"The dignity of independence through employment."** Our goal is to help people who are blind to help themselves by achieving personal and economic independence.

***We are always hiring blind and visually-impaired people, and offer a very competitive compensation and benefit package. We can use your help to recruit visually-impaired applicants! How? Get the word out in your community and refer interested applicants to us by sharing this link: <https://www.facebook.com/ComfortCraftersMorristown/videos/186130468965042/>***



For more information about employment opportunities, please contact

Michele Love at 423-586-3922 ext 123, or by email at: [Michele.Love@volblind.org](mailto:Michele.Love@volblind.org).



For more information about employment opportunities, please contact

Bill Martin at 423-586-3922 ext 112, or by email at: [Bill.Martin@volblind.org](mailto:Bill.Martin@volblind.org).

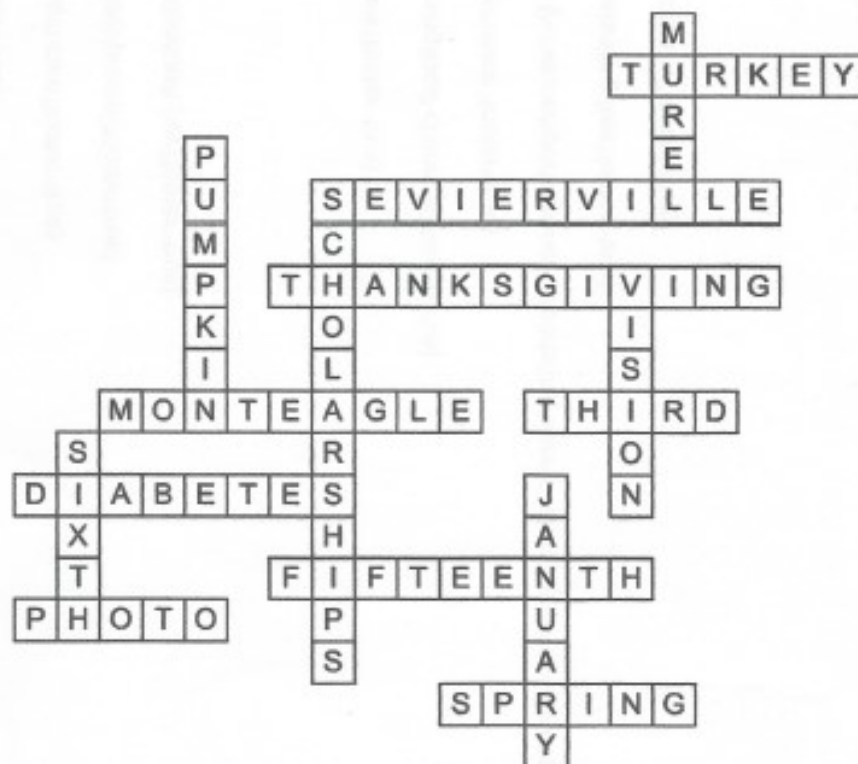


# Fun & Games

10/24/21, 10:07 AM

November 2021 Crossword Puzzle Crossword Puzzle Answers

## November 2021 Crossword Puzzle



### Across

- 2 Traditional meat for Thanksgiving
- 4 Location for 2021 Food Packing Project
- 5 Fourth Thursday in November
- 7 Town hosting TLLI
- 8 Great American Smokeout Day is the \_\_\_\_\_ November
- 10 November 14th is \_\_\_\_\_ Awareness Day
- 12 File 990 form by November \_\_\_\_\_
- 13 LCIF and Campaign 100 to hold \_\_\_\_\_ contest
- 14 When will new optical cameras be received?

### Down

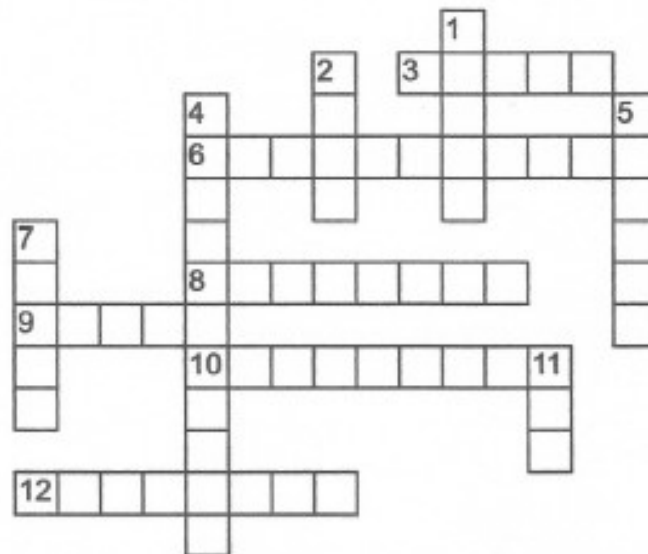
- 1 Inskip Lions is having a \_\_\_\_\_ dedication November 6th
- 3 Traditional pie for Thanksgiving
- 4 Many available for learning retreats
- 6 Sevierville LC and RAM to hold what in January
- 9 Knoxville Diversified Craft Market id the \_\_\_\_\_ of November
- 11 Month LLR Held

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### Across

- 3 December's flower
- 6 #4 to be presented via Zoom
- 8 We exchange \_\_\_\_\_ on Christmas
- 9 Theme for 2022 12N Convention
- 10 December's Birthday Cake made of what?
- 12 Entrance fee waiver has been \_\_\_\_\_

### Down

- 1 December's birthstone
- 2 Christmas \_\_\_\_\_ house will be held in Sevierville on 12/14/2021
- 4 What happens om 12/7/2021
- 5 Which Club sponsored a mureal
- 7 Santa \_\_\_\_\_
- 11 Chrismas \_\_\_\_\_