



Lions Share

Serving People With Vision and Hearing Needs Since 1974

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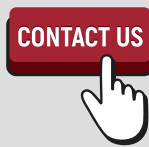
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Recycling

Please remove cases and place glasses in cardboard boxes!

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Mark Your Calendars

Mid November, 2021 - Early Sweepstakes Tickets Mailed to Clubs as Requested

December 2021 - Camp Lions Mailing

January 2022 - Sweepstakes Tickets Mailed

February 19, 2022 - Board Meeting in East Peoria



Holiday Opportunities!



AmazonSmile

Don't forget to use AmazonSmile while you shop! A small portion of all eligible purchases go to the Lions of Illinois Foundation!

[\(Click Here to Get Started\)](#)



Terri Lynn

Clubs receive 20% back on all sales Nov. 1st to Jan. 31st! Buy snacks and sweets and support LIF at the same time!

[\(Click Here for the Webstore\)](#)



LIF Gift Card Campaign

Clubs can get 40% back annually! Over 700 retailers so there is something for everyone!

[\(Click Here to Get Started\)](#)



LIF Sweepstakes Campaign



Early Bird Raffle

Turn in tickets early to be entered into sweepstakes drawing for March, April, and May drawings!

\$1,500 in additional prize money rewarded!

[\(Click here for More Info\)](#)

Sweepstakes

26 cash prizes totaling \$19,250 given from the campaign!

One \$5,000 grand prize, Five \$1,000 prizes, Ten \$500 prizes, Ten \$250 prizes

[\(Click for "How to Manual"\)](#)

Looking Forward

As President of the Lions of Illinois Foundation, its exciting to look forward to the rest of this Lion's year with the hope that clubs will now not only be "looking forward" but also begin to "move forward" in service to both their community and those in need in all of Illinois.

Many clubs have now finished their Candy Day projects and the reports from some have been significantly higher than were reported two years ago! The thought is that perhaps the public understands that the need is greater and are willing to dig deeper into their pockets to help the visually and hearing impaired. Thanks to the work of our executive officer and her staff this years' Golf Classic was "a hole in one" and the two car shows—one at the DeKalb office and especially the new one held in St. Jacob, and chaired by Trustee Guideon Richeson, were successful.

With the Holidays coming, clubs are placing their candy & nut orders with the Terri Lynn Company and taking advantage of our ShopWithScrip card program....planning ahead for stocking stuffers and gifts for family and friends and also helping out their Lions Club with the rebates sent back to their club for participating in those two programs.

So, moving forward, I ask that all of you encourage your club to generously support your Lions of Illinois Foundation programs: adult and student low vision, camp lions, leader dog, etc. Last year, during Covid, these programs continued, but a lot of Lions Clubs were unable to move forward with their typical fundraising events. Now that the world seems to be returning to normalcy, let's all work together vigorously on our mission to help the visually and hearing impaired!

Yours in Lionism,

LIF President Jan Entwistle



Candy Day Thank You!



The Lions of Illinois Foundation would like to thank all of the Lions who participated in Candy Day 2021. Thank you for your continued support of LIF Programs and Services!

Executive Director, Lion Trish Fisher

Camp Lions



Camp Lions is a free camp that includes outdoor activities such as canoeing and fishing. It provides opportunities to learn new skills and make new friends!

Youth Camp Schedule | [\(Click Here\)](#)

Adult Camp Schedule | [\(Click Here\)](#)

Camp Registration | [\(Click Here\)](#)

[Donate Online Here](#)



Why Camp Matters



Student Low Vision



Click the links below to help a child in need preserve their vision

[Student Low Vision](#)
[Donate Online Here](#)

Roar-'In Car Show South

Thank you to everyone who participated in St. Jacobs Roar - 'In car show! There were over 95 wonderful entries!

All proceeds to benefit the student low vision program!



[Click Photo to See More!](#)

Eversight

Dear Lions,

It is with great excitement that I would like to announce that Eversight has partnered with The Lions of Illinois Foundation/LIF. This partnership allows Eversight to receive an annual grant from LIF, through The Lions of Illinois Foundation Birdies for Charity Program. Eversight expects to serve even more individuals in need of sight-saving transplants in the state.

Thank you for your continued support. YOU change lives!

Marta Garczarczyk
Director of Philanthropy

[Click Here to Read the Full Letter](#)

 **Eversight**
making vision a reality



[Click Here to Donate](#)

1. Select "General Donation" as donation type
2. Write "Donation to Eversight" as reason for donation

Sept-Oct 2021 Tribute Donations

Memorials

James Kobler

- Tom and Jane Martin

Charles Williams

- Gary and Judith Morten
- Jim and Joan Graves
- Lisle Lions Club

James Erickson

- Richard and Margaret Leabru

Bill McKinney

- Winthrop Harbor Lions Club
- Robert Wilson

Carol Hagan

- Russ and Sue Sarver
- Terry and Cathy Eberle

Jerry Belanger

- Jim and Joan Graves

Kathleen "Kathy" Shayler

- Dundee Township Lions Club

Vickie Luter

- Carterville Lions Club

Ronald Stickler

- Butch and Connie Guennewig

Richard Hafley

- Ottawa Lions Club

Waymon "Moe" Johnson

- John Pajkos
- John Allsworth
- Desoto Lions Club
- Carterville Lions Club
- Johnston City Lions Club
- Christopher Lions Club

Jerome "Jerry" Dolan

- Jim and Joan Graves
- Mike Minella
- Lori Chassee
- Jane Rejnert
- Renee Toomey
- Pamela Erickson
- Charles and Sandra Williams
- City of West Chicago
- Jeff Cholewa
- District 1-J Lions

Louise Harmon

- Don Robey

Roger Hawk

- Toulon Lions Club

Jerry Markham

- Marv and Karen Roehlke

Diane Hove

- Butch and Connie Guennewig

Gary Wilson

- John and Betty Thien
- Richard and Sheila Schrupf
- Ed and Pam Kelley
- Gary and Jan Kreutzberg

Jean Stanley

- Lake Villa Township Lions Club

Winifred E. Wurster

- Doug and Candy Johnson

Margaret Palenik

- Steve and Gail Anton

James O'Connor

- Waukegan Little Fort Lions Club

Troy Pate

- Dick and Barb Bark
- District 1-CS Lions
- Robert and Susan Sudbury
- Larry and Ann McGuire
- Carterville Lions Club
- Desoto Lions Club
- James and Brenda Crouch
- Chip Farrington
- Randy and Helen Ferguson
- Moe Capen

David Carey

- Don Robey

Marvin Tryner

- Braidwood Lions Club

Kent Fullmer

- New Athens Lions Club

Shelly Stone

- Skokie Lions Club

Dale Tisler

- Marseilles Lions Club

Earl Grotefendt

- Highland Lions Club

Ronald Pawlak

- Don Robey

Mary June Freeman

- Highland Lions Club

Ralph Darling

- Waukegan Little Fort Lions Club

Betty Lame

- Steve and Gail Anton

There are many ways to leave a lasting legacy for the Lions of Illinois Endowment Fund, such as:

General Donation, Memorials, Honorariums, Get Well Wishes, Sustaining Supporters, Foundation Fellows, Tree of Service, Legacy Club, Wills, Bequests, and Trusts

The Endowment Fund ensures future help for those with vision or hearing needs



Happy Holidays!

The staff at the Lions of Illinois Foundation wishes you a safe and happy holidays!

