



# Lions Share

Serving People with Vision and Hearing Needs Since 1974

The Official Newsletter of the Lions of Illinois Foundation

## Join Us In Spreading Awareness... LIF Diabetes Awareness Campaign March 1st to May 31st

### Did you know...

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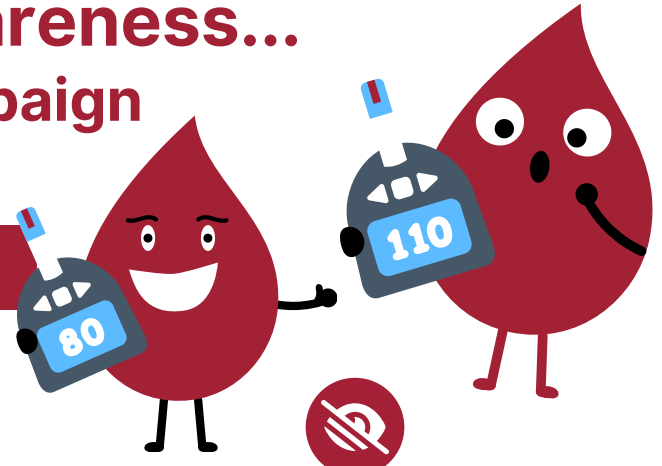
The number of people with Macular Degeneration is expected to double in the next 10 years.



Glaucoma is expected to increase by 20%



Diabetic Retinopathy is the fastest-growing cause of vision loss in the US.



According to the ADA, approximately 1,037,818 people in Illinois, or 10.6% of the adult population, have diagnosed diabetes. An additional 296,000 people have diabetes but don't know it, greatly increasing their health risk.

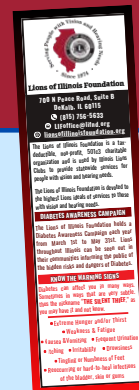
The purpose of this campaign is to spread the awareness of the risks of diabetes in communities throughout Illinois. With Diabetic Related Eye Disease Being The #1 Cause of Blindness, it is important for Lions of Illinois to share information that could help preserve the vision of those within their communities.

## Any Club Event Can Be An Opportunity To Spread Awareness!

LIF has Bookmarks, Risk Strips, a NEW Diabetes Awareness Informational Booklet, and Sugar Free Candy to help your Lions Spread The Word.

Please email us:

[LIFoffice@lifnd.org](mailto:LIFoffice@lifnd.org) to order your supplies.



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**ON SALE NOW**  
**STUDENT LOW VISION KEYCHAINS**  
Celebrating 50 Years!  
**\$5 EACH!**

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**Hours of Operation**  
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# Upcoming Events



April 1, 2026 & May 6, 2026

Early Bird Drawings  
Sight & Sound Sweepstakes



April 27, 2026

Highland LC Lions Bingo Night  
at Highland KC Hall

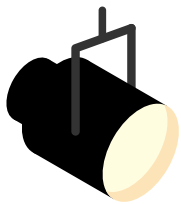


May 1-3, 2026

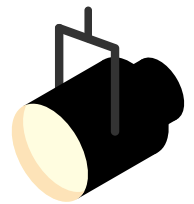
Tootsie Pop Day  
Weekend Long Events



For the complete fiscal year calendar of events, visit our website:  
<https://lionsofillinoisfoundation.org/foundation-events/>



## Lions Share SPOTLIGHT



### Dedicated to Service

Crystal Lake Lions Club member Bob Moravec will tell you that he has an unusual hobby. He collects used eyeglasses. He has been the Used Eyeglasses chairman for the club since December of 2015. He has recently passed a milestone of 50,000 pairs.



Lion Bob has collection boxes set up all around town in twenty locations. Most are set up in optometrists offices, but other popular locations are at the library, city hall, Algonquin Township recycling center, and Joe's Barber Shop downtown.

The Crystal Lake Lions Club is very grateful for the public's support in donating their no longer needed eyeglasses. A needy individual will be greatly appreciative of the donation.

LIF would like to Congratulate Lion Bob for reaching such an impressive milestone with his mission. We are grateful to him and all the Lions in Illinois who help us to serve those in need.

LIF also recycles hearing aids, keys/key fobs, cell phones, pop tabs and sneakers.

# Lions of Illinois Foundation **DIABETES AWARENESS CAMPAIGN**

The Lions of Illinois Foundation Diabetes Awareness Campaign's mission is to inform the public of the hidden dangers of Diabetes.

**From March 1st to May 31st**

Lions will be seen in communities throughout Illinois passing out what we call "Risk Strips." These paper slips contain a list of the warning signs of diabetes and related referral information.

**Thank You for Your Support on Bringing Awareness to the Silent Risk of Blindness From Diabetes.**

According to the Center for Disease Control, 38.4 million people in the United States have Diabetes and 1 in 5 are unaware they have it. Help us raise awareness and bring this valuable information to those at risk.



**Early Detection is Key to the Prevention and Treatment of Diabetes.**

**Your Contribution also supports:**

- **FREE Retinal Screenings, to detect Diabetic Retinopathy and Macular Degeneration, performed through our Mobile Screening Unit**
- **FREE Children's Vision Screenings**
- **LIF Support of ADA Specialized Programs**

Enclosed is our check/money order to contribute towards Diabetes Awareness.

Amount of donation \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Club Name or Individual Donor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Please make your check payable to: LIF  
For Credit Card Donations visit us at:  
[LionsofillinoisFoundation.org](http://LionsofillinoisFoundation.org)  
or phone us at 815-756-5633



Submit Form & Donation to:  
Lions of Illinois Foundation  
700 N Peace Road, Suite B  
DeKalb, IL 60115

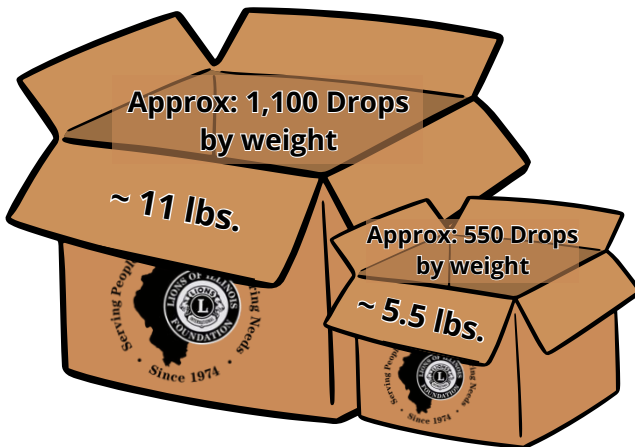
Thank You for Your Donation

# SUGAR FREE CANDY



**Our SUGAR FREE Drops are Aspartame Free and Oh So Delicious!**  
**These can be used as a handout while spreading awareness about the risks of Diabetes.**

**Flavors - Blue Raspberry, Cherry, Strawberry, Lemon, Pineapple**



**Quantities are Limited.**  
**Place your Order Today!**

Available in Large or Small Cases  
(assorted flavors)

Small case (~5.5 lbs. Sugar Free Drops): **\$50.00**  
Approx: 550 Drops by weight

Large Case (~11 lbs. Sugar Free Drops): **\$95.00**  
Approx: 1,100 Drops by weight

**Costs Do Not Include Shipping**

**Note: These Drops have replaced Sugar-Free Suckers which are NO LONGER available**

**Sugar Free Drops are sweetened with isomalt.**

*Isomalt is approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration (FDA) as a non-cariogenic sweetener, meaning it doesn't contribute to tooth decay. Isomalt is used primarily for its sugar-like physical properties. It has little to no impact on blood sugar levels, and does not stimulate the release of insulin.*

**Like any candy, sugar or sugar free, these drops are not recommended to be eaten in large amounts.**  
Please be aware that when eaten in excess these candies may cause an upset stomach.



# LIONS OF ILLINOIS FOUNDATION

## TOOTSIE POP ORDER FORM

### TOOTSIE POP DAY IS THE FIRST WEEKEND OF MAY



TOOTSIE POP ORDER	QTY	PRICE	TOTAL
Tootsie Pops 525 suckers per case + shipping		\$75.00	
**New Sugar Free Drops - Large Case Large Case: 11 lbs (approx. 1100 drops) + shipping		\$95.00	
**New Sugar Free Drops - Small Case Small Case: 5.5 lbs (approx. 550 drops) + shipping		\$50.00	
Aprons		\$20.00	

FREE TOOTSIE POP DAY SUPPLIES (ONLY REQUEST WHAT YOU WILL USE)	QTY
WINDOW POSTERS (11X17)	
MILK CARTON STICKERS	
UNDERWRITER LETTERHEAD	
CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION	



**Submit Form to:**  
**Lions of Illinois Foundation**  
**700 N Peace Road, Suite B**  
**DeKalb, IL 60115**

## CLUB INFORMATION

CLUB NAME & DISTRICT: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT LION: \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE & EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

OUR CLUB WILL HOLD TOOTSIE POP DAY ON: \_\_\_\_\_

**SPECIAL NOTE, PLEASE READ CAREFULLY:**

IN CONSIDERATION OF THE PREPARATION AND DISTRIBUTION BY THE FOUNDATION OF SUPPLIES, NEWS RELEASES AND PROMOTION MATERIALS RELATIVE TO TOOTSIE POP DAY, WE DO HEREBY AGREE TO MAKE A FULL AND COMPLETE FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE OF ALL TOOTSIE POP DAY COLLECTIONS TO THE FOUNDATION AND TO UTILIZE THE NET PROCEEDS THEREOF FOR THE SOLE BENEFIT OF THE BLIND AND DEAF PROJECTS, REMITTING OUR CONTRIBUTIONS PROMPTLY TO THE FOUNDATION A MINIMUM OF 60% THEREOF, RETAINING THE BALANCE OF 40% FOR LOCAL AID TO THE BLIND AND DEAF ACTIVITIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ESTABLISHED POLICY OF THE LIONS OF ILLINOIS FOUNDATION.

ALL FUNDS WILL BE GIVEN TO AID VISION AND HEARING PROJECTS ONLY.

WILL PICK UP CANDY AT LIONS OF ILLINOIS FOUNDATION  Yes  No

Check here if you need candy shipped, make sure to fill out the address section above as to where you would like candy shipped.   
 Lions Club is responsible for shipping charges, we will send invoice to Club Treasurer we have on file.



## Lions of Illinois Foundation STATE CONVENTION SCHEDULE



### Friday, May 15, 2026

#### 9:00am LIF Information Table Open:

Staff available on site with our brochures, bookmarks and other marketing materials. Sight and Sound Sweepstakes Tickets Available for Purchase & Collection, LIF Items for Sale **RECYCLING ACCEPTED ON SATURDAY ONLY**

#### 12:30pm Board of Trustees Meeting

#### 5:00pm LIF Ambassador Dinner (Invitation Only, Check-in: 4:15pm)

#### 7:00pm Lucky Dragon BINGO Bonanza: (Doors Open at 6pm)

Doors open at 6pm and Early Bird Coverall starting at 6:51pm. \$25/person for 10 games. BYO Snacks, Cash Bar Available. See flyer for more details.



### Saturday, May 16, 2026

#### 8:00am LIF Information Table Open:

Staff available on site with our brochures, bookmarks and other marketing materials. Sight and Sound Sweepstakes Tickets Available for Purchase & Collection, LIF Items for Sale, **RECYCLING ACCEPTED TODAY ONLY** (see LIF Staff before unloading)

#### Training On The New Hearing Screening Tablets:

Times will be posted at the LIF Information Table

Prepare For Your Screening Event; Learn How To Perform Hearing Screenings With The AMTAS-Flex Audiometry Screening Tablet



### Sunday, May 17, 2026

#### 8:30am Doors Open for LIF Breakfast Meeting:

Special Guest Speaker

Sight and Sound Sweepstakes Tickets Available for Purchase

**Awards • Sight & Sound Sweepstakes Drawing • Parade of Pledges • 50/50 Raffle**

St. Jacob Lions Club Presents



Please Join

MD-1 Lions, St. Jacob LC

& Lions of Illinois Foundation

at the MD-1 State Convention

Friday May 15, 2026

Bloomington-Normal Marriott Hotel & Conference Center



- \$25.00 / person includes: 10 Games of BINGO, Goodie Bag with a Lucky Dragon BINGO Dauber and Raffle Ticket (Additional Cards Available)
- Doors open at 6 pm
- Early Bird Coverall Game at 6:51 pm
- 4 Raffle Games
- Hong Kong Dragon 50/50
- Silent Auction Raffle Baskets

Payout  
**\$75**  
Per Game

**Bring Your Own Bingo Snacks, CASH Bar Available!**

**Take Part in this Fun Night & Learn About Lionism in Your Community**

**PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT LIF STUDENT LOW VISION,  
LCI, & MD-1 LIONS**



## LIONS OF ILLINOIS FOUNDATION

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Greetings Lions,

St. Jacob Lions Club is hosting a **Lucky Dragon BINGO Bonanza** during the MD-1 State Convention (see flyer for details). Get ready to shout "BINGO" and join us to play on Friday May 15, 2026 at the Bloomington-Normal Marriott Hotel & Conference Center. **Proceeds from this fun-filled evening benefit LIF Student Low Vision, LCI and MD-1 Lions.** In order to make this evening a success, we'd like to ask for your help through sponsorship. License # BP-01414

### HOW YOU CAN SHOW YOUR SUPPORT?

- **BECOME A GAME SPONSOR**

Our Goal is to Have Each of the 10 Games Sponsored for this Event.

- **BECOME A SEAT SPONSOR**

Gives a special guest an opportunity to play Bingo at this Event.

- **ATTEND THE EVENT AND PLAY BINGO!**

Please detach and send completed form to LIF at the address above. Make checks out to LIF or visit our website: [www.LionsOfIllinoisFoundation.org](http://www.LionsOfIllinoisFoundation.org) to donate online.

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

District & Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**\$100.00 — GAME SPONSOR**

A Donation of **\$100** will support the payout for one of the 10 Bingo Games as well as some of the special games that will be played that evening. Each Sponsor will also be placed on our Sponsor Board as well as be announced as the Sponsor of the Game.

**\$25.00 — SEAT SPONSOR**

A Donation of **\$25** will give a special guest an opportunity to play Bingo and help support the Student Low Vision Program. Each Sponsors name will be placed on our Sponsor Board.

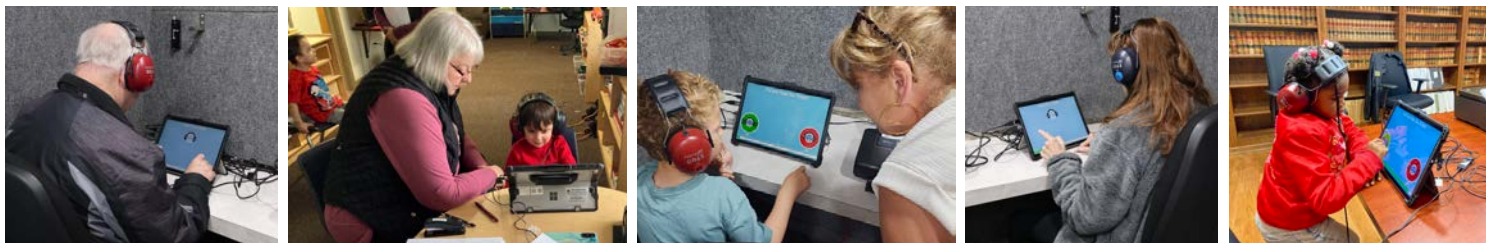
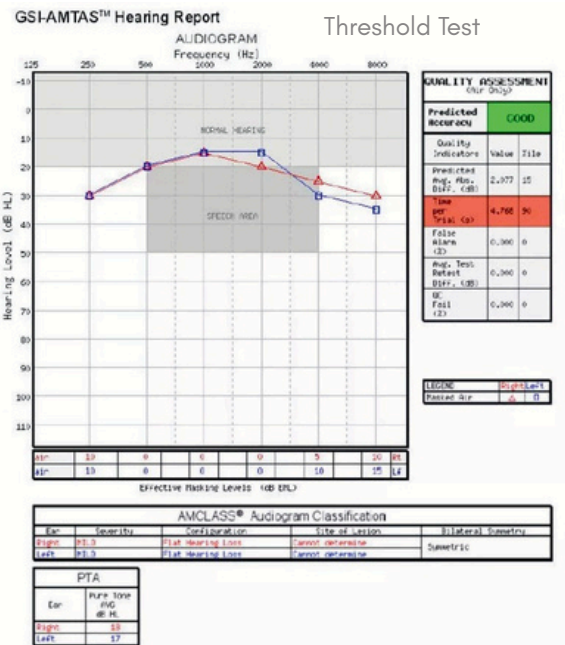
**TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**THANK YOU  
FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

# Hearing Screening Training

Lions of Illinois Foundation is expanding the number of indoor vision & hearing screenings done throughout the state. Your District is currently seeking Lions to represent the Foundation, as well as the District, to perform on-site screenings for youth and adults.

**We Will Be Training, Those Who Are Interested, on the AMTAS-Flex Audiometry Screening Tablet at State Convention – Saturday May 16th.**



## Vision & Hearing Technician Requirements:

The Vision & Hearing Technician is a Volunteer Lion Position. This Lion will be responsible for traveling throughout their District to perform vision & hearing screenings on children and adults at various health fairs, community events, schools, etc. If selected as a Technician, a mandatory training event will be required to complete prior to your first screening event. Training will include comprehensive training on all screening equipment for hearing and vision as well as tips on engaging the public and managing expectations of screening results and next steps for those screened.



# LIONS OF ILLINOIS FOUNDATION PARADE OF PLEDGES AT THE LIF BREAKFAST MEETING

**This Annual Membership Breakfast Meeting takes place on  
Sunday, May 17, 2026 at the Marriott Hotel & Conference Center, Normal, IL**

The LIF Parade of Pledges is an opportunity to "Spot Light" your Club and share all the ways you have helped to support LIF Programs and Services throughout the year.



## Lions of Illinois Foundation

### State Breakfast & Annual Meeting Pledge Card

- Golf Classic \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Student Low Vision (\$290) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Camp Lions (Wish List) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Adopt-A-Camper (\$525) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Baseball Seat & Eat (\$50/Camper) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Recycling Program \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Diabetes Awareness \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Adult Low Vision \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Mobile Unit Maintenance \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- General Donation \$ \_\_\_\_\_

- Endowment Fund \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Foundation Fellow \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Sustaining Supporter (\$25 Annually) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Legacy Supporter (\$50 Annually) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Memorial \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Tree of Service \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Tribute \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_



NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

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

DISTRICT: \_\_\_\_\_ CLUB NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PLEGGED IN THE NAME OF: \_\_\_\_\_

# NEW SWAG!

Lions Throughout Illinois Believe...

“No Child Needs to Face Blindness as Their Future.”



\$10 EACH!



\$5 EACH!



## LIONS OF ILLINOIS FOUNDATION CELEBRATING 50 YEARS OF THE STUDENT LOW VISION PROGRAM!

- Student Low Vision T-Shirts - \$10
- Student Low Vision Thermo Lunch Bags - \$10
- Student Low Vision Shopping Bags - \$5
- Student Low Vision Key Chains - \$5



Available at Board Meetings and Conventions While Supplies Last.

# LIF Annual Charity Golf Classic



Join Us for the 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual  
LIF Charity Golf Classic

Saturday August 1, 2026

Senica's Oak Ridge Golf Course  
658 US Highway 6 | LaSalle, IL 61301

**ALL Proceeds Support the LIF Student Low Vision Program Celebrating 50 Years, 1976-2026!**

**In order to make this event a success, we'd like to ask for your help through sponsorship...**

## A Round of Golf includes:

-  Cart
-  Lunch
-  Buffet Dinner
-  2 FREE Beverages on the course
-  50/50 Raffle and More!

## Sponsorship Opportunities:

- \$1,000 — Golf Classic Platinum Sponsor**  
(Includes one paid foursome)
- \$290.00 — Golf Hole Sponsor**  
Includes hole sponsor sign on the green  
(\$290 Sponsors one child through the Low Vision Clinic)
- \$100.00 — Driving Range Sponsor**
- \$75.00 — Beer Cart Sponsor**
- \$50.00 — Golf Cart Sponsor**



This statewide program started in 1976 with the Jacksonville Clinic. Today, the Student Low Vision Program continues to provide FREE Comprehensive Eye Exams, Tools and Support for Low-Vision/Blind Students in Illinois (Grades K-12).



The Chicago  
Lighthouse



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## April 22nd is Earth Day!

Thank you to all of the Lions who have embraced the Sneaker Recycling Program. To honor **Earth Day** on **April 22, 2026**, please consider collecting sneakers within your community as an **Environmental Impact Service Project**.

If you would like some Sneaker Recycling Boxes to help make your service project a success, please contact us at [LIFoffice@lifnd.org](mailto:LIFoffice@lifnd.org)



### Not sure where to start?

1. Contact your local YMCA, Recreational Centers, Park Districts and Schools to see if they would be interested in partnering with your Club to set up a Used Sneaker Drive.
2. Set up a Sneaker Recycling Box to collect sneakers
3. Bring collected sneakers to LIF for recycling



## Environmental Impact Report As of 3/12/2026

- Total Bags of Sneakers: 698
- Pounds of Sneakers Displaced: 22,473
- Pounds of Carbon Dioxide Displaced: 306,536
- Gallons of Water Saved: 23,060,704

# January & February 2026 Tribute Donations

## **MEMORIALS**

### **Don Borgwardt, PFP**

- Rich & Megan Borgwardt

### **Blake Bromberek**

- Lemont LC

### **David Campbell, PDG**

- Michael Smigielski, PDG

### **Donald Chassee**

- Lori Chassee, PCC

### **Brian Chellios**

- Shelia Perkins, PDG

### **Pat Cropper**

- Bloomingdale LC

### **Pat Fraser**

- Bloomingdale LC

### **Karen Freeman**

- Highland LC

### **Bob Hayes**

- Jan Barber

### **Jeanne Heuberger**

- Highland LC

### **William Insley**

- Chicago Beverly Ridge LC

### **Ed Johns**

- PID Russell & Susan Sarver

### **Charles Kullberg**

- Bloomingdale LC

### **Jean Lane**

- PID Russell & Susan Sarver

### **Donald Lutes**

- Rick Martino
- Nancy Schaefer
- William & Mary Smith

### **Edward G. Matuszewski**

- Joliet Noon LC

### **Buzz Melton, PDG**

- Wyoming LC

### **Patricia Morphew**

- Morris LC

### **Angelina Ortega**

- PDG Bob & Linda Gilke

### **James Potter**

- Sandwich LC

### **Clarice Pushee**

- North Chicago LC

### **Jerry Roth**

- Valmeyer LC

### **Mrs. Ruth Ann Scheider**

- PID Russell & Susan Sarver

### **Bob Sinclair**

- Mahomet LC

### **Mike Starko, PDG**

- PDGs Johnny & Carol Anderson
- Augusta LC
- PDG Dick & Barb Bark
- District 1-G
- Leroy Engelke
- Dean Hemming, PDG

### **Mike Starko, PDG - Cont'd**

- Gary & Jan Kreutzberg
- Richard Schrupf, PDG
- John Thien, PDG

### **Kurt Steinmann**

- Valmeyer LC

### **Glenna Switzer**

- Dixon Lioness-Lions Club

### **Jim Walsh**

- PID Russell & Susan Sarver

### **Richard Walters, PDG**

- Grayslake LC
- North Chicago LC
- Schaumburg-Hoffman LC
- Vernon Hills LC

### **Dick Ware**

- Jan Barber

### **Eddie Zisa**

- Shelia Perkins, PDG

## **HONOREES**

### **Michael Einhorn**

- Crete LC

### **PDG John Joseph & Bobbi Honiotes**

- Shelia Perkins, PDG

### **Michael Liccar**

- Crete LC

### **John P. Wirth, Sr.**

- 1st VDG Rob & Denise Wirth

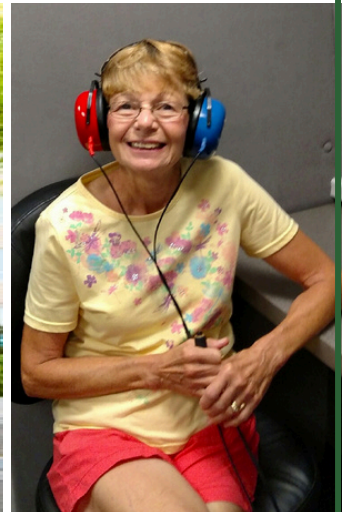
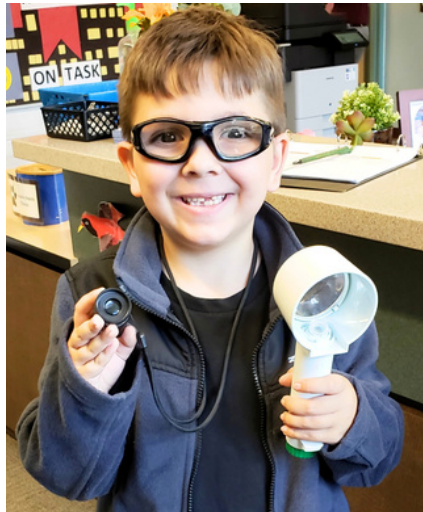


# DID YOU **KNOW?**

## The Sight & Sound Sweepstakes is the Foundation's 2nd Largest Fundraiser.

Proceeds from the Sweepstakes Support the Programs and Services Provided by LIF to Those with Vision and Hearing Needs Throughout Illinois.

Camp Lions | Student Low Vision | Adult Low Vision | Mobile Screening Unit



### 14 Individual Seller Prizes!

If you need additional Sweepstakes Tickets please contact Dianne Ortega: [dortega@lifnd.org](mailto:dortega@lifnd.org)



IT'S NOT TOO  
**LATE!**

There is **STILL TIME** to **SELL** your Sweepstakes Tickets and Turn Them Into LIF! The **LAST** Early Bird Drawing is on May 6, 2026 with the **FINAL** Drawing on May 17, 2026 at the State Convention.

**Congratulations to our Early Bird Winner...**  
**March 4, 2026: Polo Lions Club**



**YOU Could Be NEXT! Send In Your Tickets TODAY!**