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Meetings are held: St John Lutheran Church Meet 2nd & 4th Wednesday at 6:30 pm

Hello Lions

As we begin this new year, I am looking forward to working with all of you to better serve our community. Any ideas for service projects are warmly welcomed. The recent Christmas House Extravaganza on January 7th was fabulous. Thank you Lions Doug and Don for such a great fundraiser.

The Health Fair will be held on May 6th at the American Legion from 8-12 noon. Juneteenth remembrance sponsored by both our club and the Catoctin Furnace Museum will be held on June 19th at 6:30 pm.

For anyone who is considering a leadership position in our club, please attend one of our Board meetings as anyone is welcome to attend. All of us in leadership are taking a careful look at our expenses as we are changing our fundraisers to ensure our club continues to support our community. Please let me know if you have any suggestions or recommendations.

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY!

President Julie El-Taher

February 8th Lions Fundraiser Meeting (Contributed by Lion Don Keeney, Jr.)

The February 8th regular Lions meeting will be a fundraising dinner for the club's Administrative Account with food prepared by Lions Doug, Don and Susan. The menu will consist of Swedish meatballs, chicken parmesan, scalloped potatoes, applesauce, rolls/butter, drinks, and desserts. The cost will be \$15, and the meeting will start at 6:30 pm at St. John Lutheran Church.

The program for the night is preliminarily set to be Lynn Poole from Ukraine. She will talk about her family still in Ukraine and who are volunteering on the front lines of the military. We will also be collecting children's and adult sundries, clothing, toiletries, nonperishable items, etc.

Please RSVP to Lions Doug/Don by February 5th if you plan to attend the meeting that night.



Fundraising

Second Christmas Extravaganza was a Smashing Success

(Contributed by Lion Don Keeney, Jr.)

The final house tour of the year was held on Saturday, January 7. We had approximately 75 guests and raised a total of \$2,900 for pediatric cancer support. We also collected children's items which our President, Julie El-Taher presented to John Hopkins Hospital for the young patients. She said there were three patients who had birthdays the week the items were donated, and these items were very welcomed and perfectly timed to lift the spirits of the children. Thank you to all who donated both money and items for this worthwhile cause. A job well done by all.

President Julie El-Taher delivered the donations to Kelli Schneider, John Hopkins Hospital Pediatric Cancer Department. There were 75 toys and stuffed animals along with 4 gift cards each totaling \$25.00. The donations will be used for children in the hospital who are having birthdays and undergoing cancer treatments or experiencing complications.



(Pictured L-R: Kelli Schneider, JHH; President Julie El-Taher)

American Heritage, Preservation and Patriotism Essay Contest

(Contributed by Lion Larry Steinly)

The winners of the Thurmont Lion's Club Annual Heritage Essay Contest are as follows: Adalyn Eaves, Wyatt Roderick and Zoe Wetzel. Those winning essays have been submitted to the Lion's Regional Zone Chair at the



district level in the hope that one, or perhaps all, will be selected at that level. Winners at the district level will be presented with a U.S. flag and a \$100 cash award.

Adalyn, Wyatt and Zoe, along with their family and friends, have been invited to the February 22nd TLC meeting where they will be recognized for their winning essays. The TLC Essay Committee was pleased with the number of essays

submitted this year; selecting the winning entries was an enjoyable challenge. This year, 37 students from several nearby schools entered the essay contest.

Special thanks to Lion Bev Nunemaker and President Julie El-Taher for their assistance during the TLC Heritage Essay Contest.

Upcoming Candy bar Fundraiser (Contributed by Lion Don Keeney, Jr.)

We will be starting a new fundraiser this spring. We will be making homemade chocolate candy bars, which we will then be selling at our various events. The bars will be milk chocolate, dark chocolate, milk w/almond, milk w/rice crispies, dark w/almond, white, and white w/almond. We will be asking for volunteers to help make and wrap the candy bars, and of course, we will need all of our members to sell (and/or buy) the candy bars. The goal is to have these ready to go by Easter, so we will likely start on these during the month of February. More details to follow.



Membership (Contributed by PCS/AA Susan Favorite)

We will be scheduling a Friendship Night (Wine & Cheese) at Lion Susan's house later this spring. Please be thinking of neighbors, friends, relatives, etc. that you think would make good Lions. We would love to invite them. Send any names and addresses to Lion Susan at skfavorite@comcast.net. Thank you!



Joint Meeting with Emmitsburg Lions (Contributed by Lion Don Keeney, Jr.)

Our first meeting in March will be a joint meeting with the Emmitsburg Lions Club. It will be held at Carriage House in Emmitsburg. The meeting will be held in the Tack room begin at 5:30 pm on Thursday, March 9. A buffet meal will be served at the meeting. The price is yet to be determined. The speaker will be Catoctin FFA. A separate email will be sent out with a signup sheet once a price has been established.

Eyeglasses and Hearing Aids (Contributed by Lion Ruth Heaney)

Thanks to all who contributed to the eyeglass collection sites despite the fickle January weather. Twenty-four cases, six sunglasses and 84 eyeglasses were collected in the first month of 2023. Those in need of eyeglasses are appreciative of all donations.

Help is needed with Visitations (Contributed by Lion Tim Stuart)

We still need members to sign up for two of the clubs we are required to visit in our Region: Mount Airy and Monocacy Community Lions Clubs. Please consider signing up to visit one or even both of these clubs. Now that the holidays are over, we need to move forward with our visitations in order to meet our May 31st goal. Remember, visitations are a good way to learn about another club, spread the news about our club and meet new Lions.

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Lion Evelyn Zimmerman: 240-575-4636 <u>t.stuart@comcast.net</u>
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See attached signup sheet – Code: a **Blue D** means a visitation has been completed; a **Blue check-mark** means we have members signed up for a visitation; a **red circle** means we still need members for that club. At least two members are needed for each visit.

Youth Night (Contributed by Lion Dianne McLean)

Our annual Youth Night will be held on February 22nd at St. John Lutheran Church. We will be recognizing local youth from Thurmont Middle School, Sabillasville Environmental Charter School and Catoctin High School. Awards will be presented to the winners of the Essay Contest and Peace Poster Contest along with Leo's of the Year.

Please support our local students by attending this special night of celebration.

Bingo (Contributed by Lion Sharon Morgan)

On Saturday, March 11, 2023 the club will host our semi-annual CASH BINGO. If you would like to donate



money toward a basket, Lions Sharon Morgan and Lisa Riffle will do the shopping for you. Just let us know what you want to spend, and we will take it from there. Anyone interested in creating a basket, making a dessert to be raffled or able to help with the event is welcome and appreciated. We need people to sell raffles, 50/50 tickets, additional games and specials, in addition to King Tut and tip jars. Please contact

Lion Sharon Morgan at 301-748-0159 or Lion Lisa Riffle at 301-271-9984, and we will get you signed up. The evening is sure to be a fun time while raising money for the community.

Barter Night (Contributed by Lion Gayle DiSalvo)

Barter Night is right around the corner. This is the club's only fundraiser to support the Administrative Account. It helps to keep the club operational. With that said, begin looking around the house, garage and even the yard for an item or two to be auction off at the March 22, 2023 meeting. Homemade items, such as food and craft items, are also welcomed. Smiles are always welcomed to help everyone to have a fun evening.

Easter Egg Hunt (Contributed by Lion Gayle DiSalvo)

The Easter bunny is hard at work. Mark your calendar -- Easter is April 9th this year. Again this year, the Thurmont Lions Club will be sponsoring the Easter egg hunt in Community Park. Please keep in mind that we will be asking for donations of candy to fill the eggs. We will also be asking for volunteers to fill the eggs. More information will be provided in the March newsletter.

Law Enforcement Appreciation Day Service Project (Submitted by Lion Debbie Schray)

The Thurmont Lions Club annually recognizes the Thurmont Police Department for National Law Enforcement Day. On January 9th Lion Debbie Schray did a "fill the table" event. She provided drinks, snacks and goodies in honor of the policemen to enjoy throughout the day.

Being a police officer is a service of pride and respect and the people in this position are giving their all for the safety of their people. The Thurmont Lions Club thanks the Thurmont policemen for the risk they take in their life to safeguard the people of the town. Lion Debbie Schray said "It is a great privilege to represent the TLC as we support our police officers, and blessed are the peacemakers".

That I are

(Pictured: Lion Debbie Schray is 3rd from the left)

CT Doug Favorite Receives Prestige's Award (Contributed by Lion Joyce Anthony)



On January 17, 2023, CT Doug Favorite received a prestige's award. A representative from ESGR, Department of Defense, presented the award to CT Doug Favorite for supporting his staff who is serving in the military. It was noted less than 5 percent of all employers nominated for this award actually receive the award.

A comment was received that CT Doug Favorite deserves far more for the way he supports ALL of his staff. CONGRATULATIONS!!

(Pictured L-R: Ted Gardner; CT Doug Favorite; Sam Dolling; Ron Pitts)

President Lion Julie El-Taher Presents Award

(Contributed by Lion Joyce Anthony)

President Julie El-Taher presented the Key award to Lion Sandy Duley for opening the door of Lionism to two

individuals. The officers and directors of Lions Clubs International expressed their sincere congratulations to Lion Sandy for demonstrating active commitment to the growth and strength of the association. CONGRATULATIONS LION SANDY!



PCS/AA Susan Favorite Receives Prestige's Award (Contributed by Lion Joyce Anthony)

PCS/AA Susan Favorite received the Mike Foster Award presented by her company, Specialized Engineering.

This is the most prestige award presented to an employee of the company.

CONGRATULATIONS!!



Thurmont Business Showcase (Contributed by Lion Gayle DiSalvo)

The Thurmont Lions Club participates in the Thurmont Business Showcase each year. It will be held on April 29, 2023 at the Thurmont Event Complex Center from 10:00 am - 2:00 pm.

The theme this year is Games. A list of games are listed on the website should we decide to participate at our table. Stay tuned for more information in the March newsletter.

Scholarships (Contributed by Lion Bill Reckley)

The Scholarship Committee has made applications available to students for four \$1,000 college scholarships and



two \$500 vocational school scholarships for seniors attending Catoctin High School (CHS) or students living within the CHS boundaries who may be homeschooling. Awarding scholarships to deserving high school students is one of the great ways the Thurmont Lions Club serves our community. The committee will receive the applications by mid-March and the scholarships will be awarded at the annual Education Night meeting on April 26, 2023. Anyone wishing to receive an application form should contact Lion Bill Reckley at wreckley@aol.com.

Thurmont Lions Club Welcomes Guest Speaker (Contributed by Lion Joyce Anthony)

WOW! What an exciting and interesting program. Our guest speaker was Pat Einhorn, a Board member of the

Children of Incarcerated Parents Partnership (COIPP). She is also chairperson for kid's activities. COIPP was established in 2004 to identify the needs of children who have a loved one in jail.

Their mission is to foster the growth of strong, resilient, hopeful children who are impacted by an incarcerated loved one in the Frederick County region. Maryland has 90,000 children affected by incarcerated parents. There are 5,400 in Frederick County. Ms. Einhorn elaborated on the many services they provide to the children.

The meeting also served as a service project for the club. We collected numerous items needed to help the children in their daily lives, e.g., diapers, toilet paper, paper towels, hygiene items, books, etc.



(Pictured L-R: Lion Joyce Anthony; Pat Einhorn, COIPP; President Julie El-Taher)

3rd VDG's Service Challenge – Service Project that will benefit the Environment (Contributed by Lion Joyce Anthony)

The final Vice District Governors Service Challenge takes place from January 15-April 15, 2023. For this challenge FVDG Jeremy, Environment Chair Lion Champ Zumbrun and SVDG Susan Cox ask all clubs to complete a service project that will benefit the environment.

LCI suggests any of the following projects:

- Plant trees. Consult your local environment authorities to determine the type and number of trees needed, as well as the location for planting.
- Meet monthly and clean up a beach, community space, or roadside area as a club.
- Hold an environment themed photo contest at a local school. Reward the winner with a tree planted in their honor or another green form of recognition.
- Challenge all Lions in your club or district to add at least one green habit to their daily lives. Inspire others by sharing your actions on social media. Habits might include: Using a reusable water bottle or coffee mug rather than disposable products. Changing to energy-saving lightbulbs. Setting a time limit for your shower to reduce water consumption.
- Develop a Green Living Tip Sheet and share it electronically with members of your community or network.
- Recognize a local organization or community leader for their efforts in environmental conservation.
- Calculate your carbon footprint with an online calculator. If your footprint is bigger than you would like, purchase carbon credits that are Gold Standard Certified and brainstorm ways you can lower your carbon input.
- Volunteer with your local park service to maintain trails. You will help more people access and enjoy nature

• Commit to "Meatless Mondays", or not eating meat one day each week. • Collect used cellphones and donate them to individuals in need.

Here are a few more:

- * Organize a hike or nature walk (if you can in your area) and bring bags to collect trash along the trails.
- * Have fun with creating homemade paper out of used paper with friends. (It is easy, fun, and green!)
- * Grow your own vegetables, fruits, and herbs in an organic garden, and encourage others to do the same.
- *Try a neighborhood swap (by way of front porch pick up) where people can trade their produce bounty.
- * Choose a family "energy watchdog" to shut off lights, television, and dripping sinks when not in use.
- *Create a children's nature garden. Create a path, label plants and trees, and schedule guided tours.
- * Purchase recycled products as opposed to plastic or generic ones. When buying food or drinks of any kind, it is better to stick to a large jug or tub as opposed to a collection of individually packaged goods.

The services are to be reported to SVDG Susan Cox at shcox@comact.net and to Lion Champ Zumbrun at champzumbrun@gmail.com no later than April 15, 2023.

'ROARING NEWS'

Thurmont Middle School Leo Club Catoctin High School Leo Club

"Leadership, Experience, Opportunity"

We Serve and We Care

(Contributed by Lion Bey Nunemaker)

If you learn about an illness or tragic happening affecting one of our LION Club members or families, please contact a member of the TLC Sunshine Committee with the information - Committee Chair Lion Bev Nunemaker –240-446-2219 at bnevermore11@gmail.com; Lion Sandie Duley at 301-788-7542 or Lion Heidi Dennie at hdennie@aacfmd.org or 240-405-8898. Caring and concern for our fellow members is a very important part of our life together as Lions.

Prayer for our TLC Members, friends and family who are in need of prayer and support during their illness and recovery:

Heavenly Father, giver of life and health; you say that I should ask you for whatever I need. To those who ask, it will be given; to those who seek, it will be found; to those who knock, the door will be opened. I ask you for healing and recovery today. You are the God of all hope, and so I look to you in my time of need. Thru Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN!

Those with Acute Needs for our prayers:

• Lion Eileen Williard is recovery from her second ankle surgery.

Those requiring continued prayers and support:

• Lions Joann Cannada, Ross Smith, Jr., PCC Bob Muchow, PDG Paul Cannada, Hank Schlitzer, Jan Ely

Sympathy thoughts and prayers:

You hold time within your hands, and see it all, from beginning to end. Please keep and carry these precious people in their sadness and loss. Cover them with your great wings of love; give their weary hearts rest and their minds sound sleep. Lord, lift their eyes so that they may catch a glimpse of eternity, and be comforted by the promise of heaven. We ask this in the precious name of Jesus. Amen

Prayer for TLC Family and their members who are serving our country:

Heavenly Father, thank you that you defend your people with your mighty hand. Please hear my prayer as I lift up our military and veterans before you now. They work tirelessly to defend our country. Bless and protect them Lord and use their work for the good of our nation and your glory. May they know your presence with

them at this time. May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with them always. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, AMEN.

We pray for:

Ethan Wienholt (Marines) – Grandson of Lion Hank Schlitzer Alex El-Taher (Navy) – Son of Lions David and Julie El-Taher Jordon Volciak (Army) – Grandson of Lion Gayle DiSalvo



If there are other family members serving in the armed forces, please let Lion Bev Nunemaker know so that they too can be added to our prayer list.

CONGRATULATIONS!!!

Prayer for TLC Members Celebrating Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries this month:

Dear God, Your word says that through wisdom our days will be many. I thank You Lord for blessing me, and I thank You for the many years that I know have been added to my life! Lord, I choose to celebrate You as my heavenly Father, as well as this birthday or anniversary, for it is because of You that I have made it this far. I adore you with all my heart, soul and mind. AMEN!



Birthdays

1 - David El-Taher10 - Russ Delauter20 - Stephanie Steinly

Wedding Anniversaries

None

Celebrating our Lion Members

The Thurmont Lions Club has proudly served our community and surrounding areas since 1929. The Thurmont Lions Club is a group of community-minded men and women who have come together to enjoy each other's company, hear

interesting programs and raise funds for important local or vision and community related causes. We are succeeding because we have embraced all those committed to building a brighter future for our community and ourselves. We celebrate the following Lions on their anniversary and years of service in our club and service to the Thurmont community –

February – Lion Russ Delauter – 53 years; Lions Doug Favorite, Ed Gills – 27 years; DG Nadja Muchow – 26 years; Lions Mary Michael Rickard, Curtis Green – 11 years; Lion Allison Hazen – 6 years; Lion Julie Eiseman – 3 years

Congratulations Lions!

Important Notes and Reminders

Lions Club Social Media:

- Website Lion Doug Favorite at doug.favorite@gmail.com/MaxineTroxell at mtoxell@verizon.net
- Facebook Lion Evelyn Zimmerman at evelynzim2@gmail.com
- MyLion Lion Joyce Anthony at jananny@comcast.net
- SMS Don Keeney, Jr. at donkeeneyjr@gmail.com

- If you need an updated copy of the Committees for 2022-2023, please contact Secretary Lion Joyce Anthony
- If you need a Visitation Schedule, please contact Lions Tim Stuart or Evelyn Zimmerman
- If you are interested in purchasing Lions apparel, please contact Lion Joyce Anthony
- If you have unwanted eyeglasses or hearing aids, please bring them to any meeting for Lions Bill & Ruth Heaney OR place them in the collection boxes located at Goodwill Industries outside Dr. John Hagemann's office, Thurmont Regional Library, Senior Center or Mountain Gate Restaurant
- TLC Directory updated January 2023. If you did not receive a copy, please contact Lion Joyce Anthony

Please submit all articles for the monthly newsletter no later than the last meeting of the month or by the 25th of the month, whichever comes first, to Lion Joyce Anthony at <u>jananny@comcast.net</u>

Important "February" Dates (Holidays, Special and Wacky Days)



1 - Dark Chocolate Day
2 - Ground Hog Day
2 - National Women's Physicians Day
4 - Wear Red Day
12 - NAACP Day
14 - Valentine's Day
16 - Fat Tuesday

4 – World Cancer Day 17 – Random Acts of Kindness Day 5 – National Weatherperson Day 18 – National Caregivers Day

6 – Pay a Compliment Day 19 – Iwo Jima Day 8 – National Boy Scouts 20 – President's Day

9 – National Make a Friend Day 22 – George Washington's Birthday

12 – Abraham Lincoln's Birthday 22 – Ash Wednesday

15- International Childhood Cancer Day

Happy Valentine's Day!

Month – American Heart month ; Black History month; Chocolate month

Lion Breezes

"Live today like it's the best day of your life, because it could be"

"That is the biggest gap in sports, the difference between the winner and the loser of the Super Bowl" - John Madden "I could get lost in your arms and never be found" – Happy Valentine's Day

Joyce Anthony, Newsletter Editor

REMEMBER - Everyone is in someone's thoughts, someone's prayer and/or someone's heart - they are not alone - now or ever

Thurmont Lions Club Calendar of Events 2022-2023

Please provide corrections/additions promptly to Lion Joyce - Updated February 1, 2023

ALL MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS WILL BE HELD AT ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH BEGINNING 6:30 PM
UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED

July 2022

July 2 - Pit Sandwich Sale, Bell Hill

July 13 – Regular Meeting – Program: DG Official Visit

July 15 – Paint & Sip Night – Amvets beginning 6:00 pm

July 18 – Board Meeting, Kountry Kitchen, 6:30 pm

July 20 – Frederick Lions Club 100th Charter Anniversary Celebration

July 27 – Membership Meeting – Service Project – Thank you cards for the Veterans

July 30 – Change of Banner – Myersville Fire Dept.

August 2022

August 2 – National Night Out (Police Dept)

August 6 – Pit Sandwich Sale

August 10 - Membership Meeting - Program: Partners in Care, Speaker Kerry Fair

August 12-13 – 100th Anniversary Celebration of Multiple District 22, Hunt Valley, MD

August 15 - Board Meeting, Kountry Kitchen, 6:30 pm

August 20 - Candy Bingo - Thurmont American Legion Post 168 - 7:00 pm

August 20 – First Cabinet Meeting, Region I - LaVale

August 24 – Membership Meeting - Club Picnic, Ole Mink Farm Campground

August 25 – Mobile Van Fundraiser – Roy Rogers Restaurants

September 2022

September 3 – Pit Sandwich Sale, Bell Hill

September 11 - 9/11 Memorial Celebration

September 14 - Membership Meeting – Speaker Cindy McGrew – Service Project (Possibly Care Bags)

September 15-17 – USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum, Calgary, Alberta, Canada

September 19 - Board Meeting - Kountry Kitchen, 6:30 pm

September 17 - Pit Sandwich Sale, Bell Hill

September 27 – Orientation - FSK

September 28 – Membership Meeting – Program: Cunningham Falls State Park – Speaker Mark Spurrier

October 2022

October 1 – District 22-W Social – Cortland Mansion in Hagerstown

October 12 – Membership Meeting – Ambulance & Fire Members – Bring already baked cookies to the meeting for packaging

October 7 – Colorfest Setup

October 8-9 – Colorfest

October 17 – Candidates Forum, Thurmont Middle School, 7-9:15 pm

October 19 - Board Meeting, Kountry Kitchen, 6:30 pm

October 22 – Make a Difference Day

October 26 – Membership Meeting – Charter Night

November 2022

November 5-6 – Weekend at Camp Merrick

November 6 – Daylight Savings Time Ends

November 9 – Membership Meeting – Service Project – Stuffing Christmas Stockings for Autumn Lake Healthcare at Glade Valley

November 12 – Second Cabinet Meeting, Region III

November 14 - Second Cabinet Meeting

November 16 - Board Meeting, Kountry Kitchen, 6:30 pm

November 19 – LVRF Rally

November 23 – No meeting (Thanksgiving Eve)

November 24 - Thanksgiving

December 2022

December 3 – Christmas House Tour (4-8 pm) Benefit Maryland Patriot Guard, Heroes Ridge, Sons of the American Revolution

December 14 – Membership Meeting – Christmas Party at the Senior Center

December 21 - Board Meeting, Kountry Kitchen, 6:30 pm

December 17 – Wreaths across America, 12 noon

December 25 – Christmas Day

December 28 – No Membership Meeting

December 31 – New Year's Eve

January 2023

January 1 - New Year's Day

January 7 – Christmas House Tour (4-8 pm) – Benefit Childhood Cancer Research

January 11 – Membership Meeting – Speaker Mayor John Kinnaird – Service Project, Stuff the Frig

January 13 – Melvin Jones Birthday

January 14 – Third Cabinet Meeting, Region III

January 18 – Board Meeting, Kountry Kitchen, 6:30 pm

January 25 – Membership Meeting – Program: Children of Incarcerated Parents (Service Project)

February 2023

February 8 – Membership Meeting – Fundraiser dinner for Administrative Account

February 15 – Board Meeting, Kountry Kitchen, 6:30 pm

February 22 – Membership Meeting - Program: Youth Night

March 2023

March 8 – No meeting (See March 9)

March 9 - Membership Meeting – Joint Meeting with Emmitsburg Lions Club at Emmitsburg

March 11 – Bingo

March 11 - Fourth Cabinet Meeting

March 15 - Board Meeting, Kountry Kitchen, 6:30 pm

March 22 - Membership Meeting - Program: Barter Night

April 2023

April 9 – Easter

April 9 – Easter Egg Hunt – Community Park 2:00 pm

April 12 - Program: Service Project making dog and cat toys for Frederick Animal Rescue

April 19 – Board Meeting, Kountry Kitchen, 6:30 pm

April 20-23 - Multiple District 22 Convention, Ocean City, MD

April 26 – Education Night

May 2023

May 6 - Health Fair, American Legion

May 10- No Membership Meeting - Leader Dog Banquet hosted by Thurmont Lions Club

May 17 – Board Meeting, Kountry Kitchen, 6:30 pm

May 23 - Pit Sandwich Sale, Bell Hill

May 24 – Membership Meeting – Program: Community Night

June 2023

June 1 – Helen Keller Day

June 14 – Membership Meeting – Program: Scout Night – Scouts hosting a picnic

June 19 - Juneteenth

June 21 – Board Meeting, Kountry Kitchen, 6:30 pm

June 28 – Membership Meeting – Presentation of Awards; Installation of Officers/Turnover Meeting

July 2023

July 1 – Pit Sandwich Sale – Bell Hill

July 7-11 – International Convention, Boston, Mass.

September 2023

September 2 - Pit Sandwich Sale - Bell Hill

September 14-16 – USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum – Reno, Nevada

November 2023

November 11 - Bingo





Thurmont Lions Club "WE SERVE"

Chartered: October 23, 1929











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Kansas City Chiefs

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The Super Bowl is like a great movie, and the Quarter Back is the leading man!

"Mankind must put an end to war - or war will put an end to mankind" John F. Keenedy