



# LIONS PRIDE

Milford Lions Club



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Dinner meetings are the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month. Board meetings are the Monday preceding the scheduled dinner meeting. The following procedure applies at all regular dinner meetings to provide Shawnee CC with an accurate meal count. **You must call Lion Tom Greenlee (422-7253) by noon Tuesday, the week of the meeting if:**

- **You will be absent for a dinner meeting and you are an Active, Life or Associate Member.** If you do not call, you will be charged for a meal.
- **You plan to attend a dinner meeting and you are a Privileged, Honorary, Affiliate, or a Member at Large.** If you do not call, you may not be served a meal.
- **You plan to bring a guest.** If you do not call, your guest may not be served a meal.

## October Calendar

- Sep 29- NASCAR Dover Downs  
 Oct 02  
 04 Boscov's Friends HELPING Friends 25% Off Day  
 10 Board meeting, *Milford Library*, 6:30PM  
 13 Dinner meeting, Shawnee Country Club, 6:30PM  
 - Silent Auction to Support Lion Grave Marker Project  
 22 LVRF "Aim For Sight"  
 23 DLF Auction - Sheraton, Dover Noon-2PM  
 24 Board meeting, *Milford Library*, 6:30PM  
 27 Dinner meeting, *Milford Carlisle Fire Hall*, 6:30PM  
 - Wear **Purple & Gold** Night  
 29 **Milford Social: "Night of Intrigue" at Sunny Brea Mansion, 7PM-10PM**

## November Calendar

- 07 Board meeting, Milford Library, 6:30PM  
 10 Dinner meeting, Shawnee Country Club, 6:30PM  
 - Army-Navy Raffle Drawing  
 21 Board meeting, Milford Library, 6:30PM  
 24 Dinner meeting cancelled for Thanksgiving

## Happy Birthday Lions – Bring a Gift for Auction

Roland Beebe	10/14
Tom Reiss	10/14
Bruce Hermann	10/15
Rich Vican	10/23
Joe Palermo	10/28

Bring a birthday gift to be auctioned off for your birthday. The money collected is used to help defray the cost of our club social activities.

## 2nd October Dinner Meeting at Carlisle Fire Hall: Must Sign Up

The Shawnee Country club is not available for our October 27th dinner meeting. The dinner meeting will be held at the Carlisle Fire Hall. You must sign-up if plan to attend.

**Bethany Betts Thanks Milford Lions for New Contact Implants.** Thanks to PKL Randy Harp, the Milford Lions and the Delaware Lions Foundation, Bethany Betts now has 20–35 vision. At our September 8<sup>th</sup> dinner meeting, Bethany came to speak to our club about her eye operation and to thank the Lions for their assistance.



## Bethany Betts and her parents (Don and Sherri Betts) thank KL Bob Clendaniel for new implants

Bethany had been declared legally blind without glasses. She could no longer wear contacts, which she had  
*(See Bethany page 2)*

## Milford Lions Club History: Did you know?

On October 24, 1981, our club held a Humpty Dumpty Halloween Party at the Slaughter Beach Fire Hall. Ask Superman Lion Rob Craig for details.



## ***(BETHANY: PKL Randy Harp Provides Assistance***

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worn since 3<sup>rd</sup> grade, and had to wear glasses which caused her to have extreme headaches. Milford ophthalmologist Dr. John Stump, MD, referred Bethany the Wills Eye Institute in Philadelphia. The institute determined they could implant a special contact into each eye.

Lion Randy, who had taught Bethany in 5<sup>th</sup> grade, learned of Bethany's condition from her mother, Sherri Betts, who was substituting at Banneker Elementary. That is when Sherri told Lion Randy that Bethany needed to have an operation on her eyes. The cost would be \$6,000 and like all of us she and her husband Don had no idea how they were going to come up with that kind of money. Lion Randy told her he would go to a Milford Lions board meeting and she would have the \$6,000. The board without hesitation approved a check for \$3,000 and requested a grant for \$3,000 from the Delaware Lions Foundation. With the help of PKL Gail Watkins-Berry, the grant application was submitted and the check was received a few weeks later from the Delaware Lions Foundation.



**Tail Twister's Corner:** October brings Purple & Gold Night, a Pop Quiz and a Tail Twister Ode

- October 27th, a Night to wear **Purple** and **Gold**. Jewelry will not count.
- Pop Quiz Questions, Research Required:
  - What was the first international country to join the Lions?
  - When did the Lions officially admit women as members?
- Ode To A Tail Twister:

To bring a quarter is your T/T's wish to pay for a question you may have missed.

It's just a quarter this may be true, but it helps the club that belongs to me & you!

### **October 13th Silent Auction: Support Lion Grave Marker Project**

Roland Beebe will be holding a Silent auction again at the October 13th Meeting.

At the end of the meeting money will be collected from the winners and items will be distributed. The money goes toward the Lion grave marker project.



***Be sure to introduce yourself to new Lion Sam Burrows.***

## **Future Events**

<b>Month</b>	<b>Day</b>	<b>Yr</b>	<b>Event</b>
Dec	1	11	Vision Impaired Party Region 2
Dec	3	11	Governors Ball 22-D
Dec	15	11	<b>Milford Lions Christmas Party</b>
Jan	7	12	Melvin Jones Breakfast
Feb	5	12	Polar Bear Plunge
Feb	17-19	12	Leadership (Emmitsburg, MD)
Feb	23	12	District Governor Milford Visitation
Mar	3	12	DLF Breakfast
<b>Mar</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>Milford Lions Spaghetti Dinner - Milford High School</b>
Mar	20	12	Delaware State Lions Day
Mar	24	12	Mid-Winter Social 22-D
Mar	27	12	Bowling Tournament
Mar	27	12	Leader Dog South
<b>Apr</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>Milford Charter Night</b>
Apr	29	12	DLF Walk - Rehoboth
May	3	12	District Leadership School
May	9-12	12	Multiple 22 Convention – Salisbury, MD
May	28	12	Washington DC Parade
Jun	22-26	12	LCI Convention: Busan, Korea
Jun	23	12	Blue-Gold Football Game
Sep	13-15	12	USA-Canada Leadership Forum, Tampa Bay, Florida