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# Port City Lions Club

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## District Governor Visit

The Lions of Savannah Port City are honored to receive District Governor Jerry Kaiser this evening who will present his program on Lionism. "United, Nothing is Impossible" is his theme this year. In the last two District Newsletters Lion Jerry has mentioned a team of Mules. Can you name all six of them? Answers later.

## Charter Night Gala Planned

A Charter application for the Statesboro Noon Lions Club was filed June 25<sup>th</sup>, 2002. The initial application shows 23 Lions, and there are several more planning on joining the new club. A Charter Night Banquet is planned for 6:30 p.m., Sept. 7<sup>th</sup>, 2002 at the Statesboro Primitive Baptist Church Social Hall in Statesboro. The keynote speaker will be 'Our President' Lion James E. "Jim" Ervin. PDG, Lighthouse President and Judge Haynes Townsend will provide his unique twist of 'accountability and atonement', otherwise know as Tail Twisting.

Plan now to join us in Statesboro to celebrate the birth of another Lions Club in MD18 and to enjoy the fun and fellowship of District 18B. Cost is \$15.00 per person. Please RSVP to CC Jack Kennedy.

## LCIF Update

*Help the Blind See!*

A small donation to LCIF makes a big difference. Did you know that a \$20 donation to LCIF can restore a person's sight through cataract surgery in developing countries and a \$50 donation supports an eye exam? Or that a \$100 donation can pay for an eye exam in a developed country? Please support LCIF by becoming a Contributing Member.

## September 11, 2002 - A Way To Honor Our Nation Together

September 11, 2002 is soon approaching. On that day, please wear red, white and blue to work or school to show your support for those who lost their lives on 9-11-01, those heroes who worked to save them, and the families left behind.

At noon your time on September 11, 2002, no matter where you are or what you are doing, stop, put your hand on your heart, and say the Pledge of Allegiance out loud or to yourself and say a prayer for our nation. If all of us do this together in every time zone around the world, we will have a powerful chain of thoughts surrounding us.

Please keep this going to your friends and family. By September 11, 2002 hopefully enough people will have read this and will join together in unity.  
—Submitted by Chuck Shurtleff, PDG



## SightFirst Releases Statistics

The SightFirst program has made tremendous strides in the battle against blindness: more than 36 million treatments for river blindness, more than three million cataract surgeries and nearly 13,000 eye doctors and nurses trained.

## LCIF Helps a Hospice in England

Terminally ill patients at a hospice in England lacked the comfort a hospice was supposed to provide. Then LCIF and local Lions teamed up to ease the suffering of patients.

## Bloodmobile Saves Lives in Israel

In Israel, struck by mounting terrorist attacks, a single pint of blood often means the difference between life and death. Thanks to LCIF, a new state-of-the-art bloodmobile is saving lives.

<b>Birthdays and Anniversaries</b>	
<b>Anniversary</b> Jon Alan Lichner	September 7
<b>Birthday</b> Richard S. Mizell	September 16