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Port City Lions Club Monthly News

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Health Care Fair

The Community Health Care Fair is being scheduled for September. Plans are underway to set up various health screenings and displays. Members are urged to help where possible in the setup of this event. The purpose of this event is to promote good health in our community plus provide name recognition for Lionism and our club in the Savannah area.

District Meeting

Many thanks to the members of the Port City Lions who attended the District Cabinet Meeting last Saturday. We had seven Lions in attendance which is probably the largest of any club.

From Lions in Action lionsclubs.org

John's Angels Benefit Camp

What began as the brainchild of Lion John Wilburn has turned into a club project of the Sun City 79ers Lions Club in Arizona. Wilburn carves small angles from wood that stand on a platform with either a cross, heart, flame or star of David which the club then sells to raise money for Camp Tatiyee, the Arizona Lions summer camp for disabled children.

The angels are designed after an angel etched in stone that hangs in the Valley of the Sun Hospice in Phoenix where Wilburn's son died nearly 10 years ago. Wilburn created the angels to ease his grief but has found they bring solace to others as well.

Lions do not have a set price for each angel, instead they ask for a donation, receiving anywhere from \$20 to \$100 each. Even, Oprah, Elton John and Tom Brokaw have an angel of their own.



Birthdays and Anniversaries

Anniversary

Jennifer & Scott Eisenhart August 24

Birthday

Linda Larson August 5

Christopher A. Barbieri August 18

Lions Facts: Past and Present Quiz

1. What year was the first convention of Lions Clubs International held?
a) 1912 b) 1917 c) 1922
2. Circle the statistic that comes closest to the current figures of Lions Clubs International.
a) 29,000 clubs with 1,100,000 members in over 130 countries and geographical areas.
b) 39,000 clubs with 1,350,000 members in over 165 countries and geographical areas.
c) 44,000 clubs with 1,400,000 members in over 185 countries and geographical areas.
3. The LION magazine, which first appeared in 1918, is now printed in how many languages?
a) 11 b) 15 c) 21
4. A Lion may transfer to any club in the world providing the new club accepts him or her.
a) True b) False
5. Since a club follows the principles of the association and the international constitution, it may not adopt its own club constitution to suit its particular requirements.
a) True b) False
6. What is the major international service commitment of Lions?
a) Sight First b) Youth Exchange c) Lions-Quest
7. A majority of districts are composed of a minimum of 35 clubs with a total of 1,250 members.
a) True b) False
8. In which country was the first club formed outside of the United States?
a) Mexico b) Canada c) England
9. In which country was the first club formed outside of North America?
a) China b) England c) Brazil