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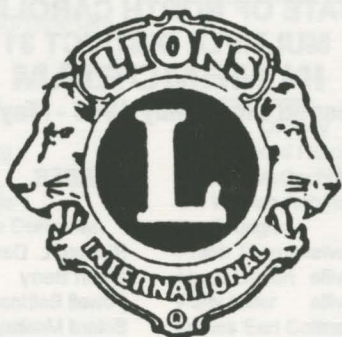
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North Carolina Lions

72nd Annual State Convention

Service of Remembrance



We Serve

1917 - 1995

78 Years of Lionism

Sheraton Imperial Hotel
Sunday, May 28, 1995

REMEMBRANCE SERVICE

Call to Worship Ed West
 District Governor 31-A
 Hymn of Praise "Holy, Holy, Holy"
 Song Leader Monroe Gardner, PDG
 District 31-G
 Pianist Betty C. Wall
 Invocation J.A. "Jim" Garrett, PDG
 District 31-F
 Reading of the Necrology Vice District Governors
 Scripture and Message Ed West
 District Governor 31-A
 Hymn of Benediction "Blest Be the Tie That Binds"
 Benediction John A. Samuel

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA MULTIPLE DISTRICT 31 IN MEMORIAM Deceased Lions May 1994 - May 1995

MEMBER

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DISTRICT 31-A

Ben Fielder
 P. Greer Johnson
 George Matthews
 William Dudak
 Roy A. Taylor-PDG
 Loranzo Smathers
 Carl Bryson
 Jometa Thomas
 Rankin Allison
 George Jarvis
 David Duncan
 Joseph N. Salerno
 Bill Whitten
 Homer Tomberlin
 Rant T. Gibson
 Robert A. Parker
 Riley W. Smith

Andrews
 Asheville
 Asheville
 Biltmore
 Black Mt.
 Canton
 Cashiers/Glennville
 Davidson River
 Etowah
 Fletcher
 Haw Creek
 Hendersonville
 Hot Springs
 Mars Hill
 Pigeon Community
 Upper Transylvania
 West Asheville

Richard L. Davis
 Albert Berry
 Powell Ball
 Bolard Moore
 Fred Arnold
 John Lee Rogers
 Wayman Barnes
 Thomas P. Wood
 Eugene Maloney-PDG
 Loren Fairbank
 Claude Patterson
 Ray Rauch
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 Dave Moody
 Bryant Phillips
 Claude Rogers

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 Black Mountain
 Brevard
 Cashiers/Glennville
 Clyde
 Erwin District
 Etowah
 Haw Creek
 Highlands
 Hendersonville Daybreak
 Lake Junaluska
 Murphy
 Upper Hominy
 Waynesville

DISTRICT 31-B

Lamar Little
 Harry Hallyburton
 Earl Joyce
 Harold Biggerstaff
 Shaw Brown
 Chester Brailey
 Lloyd Turner
 Marsall Williams

Claremont
 Drexel
 Drexel
 Maiden
 Mooresville
 Morganton
 Morganton
 Newton

Ralph Woods
 James Ogle
 Kress Clodfelter
 David Hallman
 Roy Boggs
 Steve Hager
 Bruce Brandon
 Clinton Holdsclaw

Rutherford College
 St. Stephens
 South Iredell
 South Iredell
 Valdese
 West Iredell
 Morganton
 Mooresville

DISTRICT 31-C

Joe Bohannon	Dallas	James Blakely	Cornelius/Lake Norman
Louie Dan Lynch	Bessemer City	Charles Lamm	Charlotte Central
Miles Carpenter	Matthews	Ollie McKnight	Belmont
Joseph Wright	Shelvy	Marshall Moore	Mint Hill
John Manos	Charlotte Southpark	James Cornwell	Lattimore
C.C. Horn	Shelby	Paul L. Yost -PDG	Charlotte Eastern

DISTRICT 31-D

Charles R. Alexander	Elkin	David T. Arnold	Eden
Robert "Bob" Benton	Hornetown	Bernard Bynum	Oak Ridge
Charles Carrol	Asheboro	Wiley Chandler	Oak View
Foy Clark	Mount Airy	Cletus Fitzgerald	Kernersville
J. B. Griffith	Liberty	Charles Jackson	Dobson
Ronnie Lamb	Archdale-Trinity	Martin Lassiter	Elkin
Roy E. Law	Eden Evening	W.H. Long	Greensboro Host
Charles C. Mackintosh	High Point Host	Sam McKinney	High Point Host
Robert L. Medlin	Oak View	Dean W. Mitchell	High Point Host
Eddie Morrison	Boonville	Robert E. Patton, Sr.	Greensboro Glenwood
A.K. Pearson	Greensboro Host	Fred C. Rich	Greensboro Host
Wade Small	Tabernacle	Edgar Schmickle	Oak Ridge
John A. Scotton	Liberty	Paul J. Shaver	Oak View
C.J. Southerland	Madison	Terry C. Stanford	High Point Host
Wendell Whitaker	Dobson	Mark D. White	Dobson
Goley Yow	Greensboro Gate City		

DISTRICT 31-E

James Dry	Aquadale	Howard Regan	Central
Dan S. Alexander	Concord	Elmer L. Chaney	Concord
Gary Curtis Dulin	Harrisburg	James Lloyd Harrison	Hasty
Russell H. Marshall	Hasty	Samuel McCachren	Jackson Park
J.W. Phillips	Kannapolis	Dr. William Robinson	Kannapolis
William R. Saunders	Lexington Downtown	Leo Munger	Locust
Stacey C. Pressley	Midland	Frank Thornton	Midland
J.S. Tucker	Midland	Hugh Larson	Monroe
Robert L. Blaney	Mt. Pleasant	Patty Miller	Mount Ulla
W. C. Irby, Jr.	N. Kannapolis	James Earl Collins	Norwood
T.W. Coble	Oakboro	Theodore Bowers	Pilot
W.R. Byerly	Pilot	G.W. Hamilton	Salisbury
Clyde Mickle	Salisbury	Frank B. Shaver	Salisbury
Harold G. Henderson	Spencer	Hugh S. Young	Spencer
Jesse H. Dedmond	Thomasville	M.C. Hamrick	Thomasville
Carl Wilson	Tyro	Clifton Brasington	Wadesboro
Rupert Kiker	Wadesboro	Paul Franklin Nail	W. Lexington
Edgar W. Younts	Southmont	Wayne Younts	Southmont
Alan E. Over	Waxhaw	Luther Vance Parker	Waxhaw
Jerry A. Rodgers	Waxhaw	Charlie Sides	Concord
Wayne Barnes	Lexington Downtown	Earl Broadway	Wilmar Park
C.T. Sherrill, Sr.	Wilmar Park	Wayne Wagoner	Misenheimer
Glen Palmer	Thomasville	G.H. Spry, Jr.	Salisbury

DISTRICT 31-F

George Becker	Whiteville	Redwin David	Whiteville
W. Stuart Evans	Robbins	Alfred C. Gent	Sandhills
J. William Gore	Pinehurst	Luther Hughes	Sanford
Lew Jernigan	Sandhills	Kennith C. Lancaster	Fayetteville Host
E.L. Pechmann	Fayetteville Haymount	Hubert Russell	W. Montgomery
Herman Stuve	Vass	Jesse R. Tippet	Godwin
Earl Ward	Whiteville	Wallace Warren	Godwin
Dock Williams	Rockingham	Carl Wilson	Ellerbe

DISTRICT 31-G

Hays A. Brooks	Burlington	Dr. M.L. Cherry	Durham
Francis Walker-PDG	Durham	Tollie Smith	Epsom
J. Relue Arnold	Fuquay-Varina	Thomas R. Ashworth	Fuquay-Varina
John M. Mays	Fuquay-Varina	Ralph Smith	Fuquay-Varina
Dr. Robert J. Murphy	Hillsborough	Edgar B. Trent	Knightdale
G. Clayton Melling	Littleton	Walter Hughes, Jr.	Oxford
E.V. Strother	Oxford	Dennis Sullivan	Oxford
John Y. Hornbuckle	Raleigh Host	John G. Johnson	Raleigh Host
David T. Lambert	Raleigh Host	Frank T. Colvert-PDG	Raleigh Sir Walter
J. Moffett Moore	Raleigh Sir Walter	Wilbur C. Hales-PDG	Wake Community
Edwin S. Underwood	Wake Community	D.F. Blaylock	Warrenton
John W. Britt, Jr.	Warrenton	J. Allen Tucker	Warrenton
Wyatt T. Painter	Wendell	James E. Bradley	Youngsville
C. Dewey Higgins	Youngsville	William Thorne	Littleton
George T. Wilson	Townsville	Robert E. Seely	Littleton

DISTRICT 31-H

Edward H. Ayling	Carolina Beach	Fred Bost	Carolina Beach
P.A. Bradley	Grifton	Chester D. Brown	Goldsboro Downtown
Walker T. Brown	Wrightsville Beach	Jim Burton	Carolina Beach
James Congleton	Smithfield	Orren E. Dowd, Sr.	Greenville Host
George M. Eckman	Jacksonville New River	Jack P. Fairley	Southport
Paul Huffman	Bolivia	Arthur Huntley	Southport
David B. Lee	Deep Run Southern Lenoir	Gordon Malpass	Faison
Harold L. McSwain	Wilmington	Lewis L. Murray	Faison
A.T. Odom	Wilmington Cape Fear	Jerald Oliver	Kinston
Harry L. Oswald	Wallace	Donald L. Pack, Sr.	Jacksonville Host
V.H. Reynolds	Kenansville	Albert M. Salem	Havelock
U.E. "Red" Simonton	Wilmington	Edward Sutton	Bogue Banks
Ben Parrott-PDG	Kinston		

DISTRICT 31-J

Clinton E. Overby	Ahoskie	Godwin D. Smith	Ahoskie
Herbert L. Filbert, Jr.	Bath	William H. Brockett	Elizabeth City
Apollos c. Owens	Elizabeth City	C.J. Leonard	Enfield
John McGnigan	Enfield	Howard Winslow	Hertford
W.E. Cobb, Jr.	Pinetops	E.J. Lane	Pinetops
G.W. Tharrington	Rocky Mount Evening	Fenton J. Blytheon	Rocky Mount Luncheon
James R. Bradley	Seaboard	M. Thomas Flythe	Seaboard
Rooney W. Pierce	First Flight	Louis P. Owens	Currituck
Edward H. Ronald	River City	William L. Taylor	Tarboro

**1998 North Carolina Lions
State Convention**



**District Governors
Banquet**

Special Guest:

**Past International President
James T. Coffey**

**Benton Convention Center
May 23, 1998
7:00 P.M.**

Program

Master of Ceremonies Ralph Holmes, DG, 31-D
State Council Chairman

Pledge of Allegiance David Smoot, DG, 31-E

Invocation Hazel Box, DG, 31-G

Dinner

Introduction of District Governors,
District Governors Elect,
and International Family Allan Thompson
State Secretary/Treasurer

Introduction of the Honored Guest . . William L. Woolard,
Past International President

Address James T. Coffey,
Past International President

Presentations Ralph Holmes, DG, 31-D
State Council Chairman

Announcements Jim Holloman
Co-Convention Chair.

Benediction Bob Cole, DG, 31-B



Multiple District 31 Council of Governors 1997-1998

District A	Tom Parsons
District B	Bob Cole
District C	Don Crawford
District D	Ralph Holmes
District E	David Smoot
District F	Terry Kerr
District G	Hazel Box
District H	Preston Spence
District J	Bob McKoy



ATTITUDE

By Charles Swindoll

"The longer I live, the more I realize the impact of attitude on life. Attitude, to me, is more important than facts. It is more important than the past, than education, than money, than circumstances, than failures, than successes, than what other people think or say or do. It is more important than appearance, giftedness or skill. It will make or break a company...a church... a home (a Lions club). The remarkable thing is we have a choice every day regarding the attitude we will embrace for that day. We cannot change the past...we cannot change the fact that people will act in a certain way. We cannot change the inevitable. The only thing we can do is play on the one string we have, and that is our attitude...I am convinced that life is 10% what happens to me and 90% how I react to it. And so it is with you...we are in charge of our attitudes.

1998 NC Lions State Convention Committee

Host Clubs

Winston-Salem Host - Michael Day, President
Winston-Salem Konnoak Hills - Cladie Loggins, President
Winston-Salem Twin City - Jack Welsh, President
Walkertown - John Samuel, President

Convention Co-Chairs

Jim Holloman
John B. Wall, PDG

Sub-Committee Chairs

Convention Ads

John Hamilton, PDG
Clyde Rudd, PDG
Charlie Linville
Renea Bennett
Ron Huber, PID
Jane Huber
John Wall, PDG
Jim Holloman

Signs and Publicity

Jim Deviney

Tours

Julian Stith
Dick Sullivan

Registration

John Wall, PDG

Meal Reservations

Johnny Stuart

Golf

Marvin Doub, PDG

Committee members

Michael Day	Fred Mangum	Dewey Bowman	Wayne Waters
Ollie Wood	Mark Case	Brad Wall	Robert Bennett
Harold Warner	Greg Wiles	Cladie Loggins	Renea Bennett
Red Jackson	Sharon Cobler	Ray Warren	Buddy Guerry
Milt Price	Bill Russell	Bud Kimball	Allan Lambert
John Pugh	Bob Clayton	Clifton Berrier	Gerald Goforth
Paul Gilgo	Fred Smith	Ann Goforth	Joe Berrier
Faye Gilgo	Audrey Welsh	Bill Bowman	Alexander Cooper
Robert Heflin	Jim Robertson	Howard Jordon	Willie Davis, PDG
Chip Pulliam	Russell Plyar	Avis Larrimore	Walt Wilson
Conley Smith	Jim Ellis		

NOTE: The flower arrangements, corsages and boutonniere were donated by George Walker's Florists of Winston-Salem.

**LIONS DISTRICT 31-D
AWARDS BANQUET**

JUNE 20, 1998

"HONORED TO SERVE"



"31-D LIONS ON THE MOVE"

The Womens Club of High Point

4106 Johnson Street

High Point, NC

CALL TO ORDER	DG Ralph Holmes
PLEDGE OF ALLEGINACE	DGE Doc Shaver
SONG	"God Bless America"
INVOCATION	Dr. Willie Davis, PDG
DINNER	
ENTERTAINMENT	"Roy Morgan Trio"
PRESENTATION OF AWARDS	DG Ralph Holmes and
PEACE POSTER	PDG John Kelly,
DISTRICT:	Cabinet Sec./Treas.
Club Attendance	
Overall Attendance	
Best Bulletin	
Blind Activities	
Community Service	
Club Points	
Membership	
INDIVIDUAL:	
Cabinet	
Zone Chairs	
100% Secretaries	
SPECIAL:	
Boys & Girls Home	Bill Thompson
Club Special	Dr. Wilford Lyerly, PDG
Dist. Jack Stickley	Lion Norma Edwards
Dist. Melvin Jones	Lion Gene Hassell
Clinical Eye Res.	PDG John Wall
BEST CLUB IN DISTRICT	DG Ralph Holmes

CLOSING COMMENTS:

DISTRICT GOVERNOR ELECT.....Lion Doc Shaver

CABINET SECRETARY.....Lion John Kelly

DISTRICT GOVERNOR.....Lion Ralph Holmes

**CLOSING SONG: "God Be With You 'Til We Meet
Again"**

GOD BLESS AMERICA

God bless America, land that I love,

Stand beside Her and guide Her through the night,

with the Light from above,

From the mountains to the prairies, to the oceans

bright with foam,

God bless America, my home sweet home,

God bless America, my home sweet home.

GOD BE WITH YOU 'TIL WE MEET AGAIN

God be with you 'til we meet again, By His counsel's

guide uphold you, with His arms securely fold you,

God be with you 'til we meet again.....AMEN.

**GOOD NIGHT EVERYONE!!
DON'T FORGET, "WE SERVE!!"**

LIONS CLUBS OF DISTRICT 31-D

Asheboro

MOCKSVILLE

Alamance Community

Madison

Archdale-Trinity

Mayodan

Boonville

McLeansville

Coleridge

Mount Airy

Dobson

Mount Airy Foothills

Eden

Oak Ridge

Eden Evening

Oakview

Elkin

Oldtown

Farmer

Piedmont Triad

Forsyth

Pinnacle

Gibsonville

Pleasant Garden

Grays Chapel

Ramseur

Greensboro Four Seasons

Randleman

Greensboro Gate City

Reidsville

Greensboro Hamilton Lakes

Rural Hall Area

Greensboro Host

Seagrove

Guilford College

Tabernacle

High Point Host

Walkertown

Horneytown

Walnut Cove

Jamestown

Winston-Salem Central

Julian

Winston-Salem Host

Kernersville

Winston-Salem Konnoak Hills

King

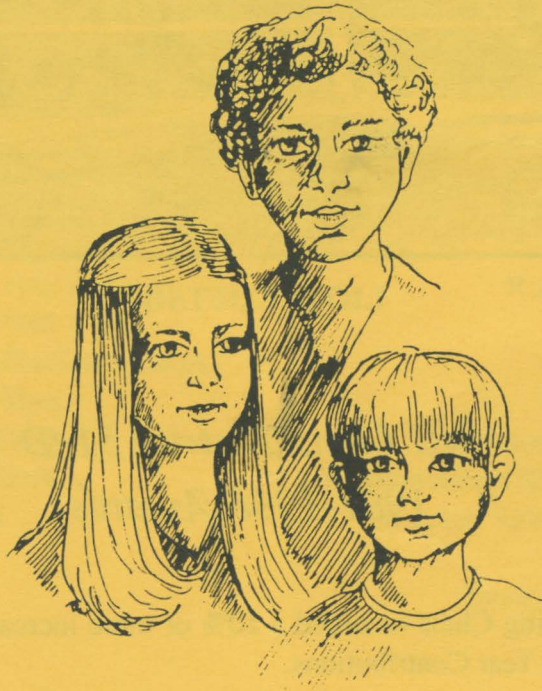
Winston-Salem Twin City

Liberty

Yadkinville

DON'T FORGET "WE SERVE!"

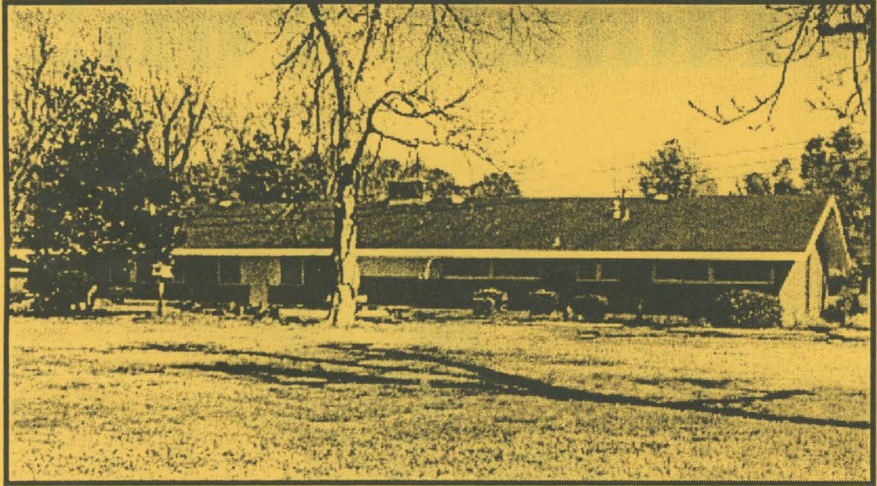
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A Special Thanks to

**NORTH CAROLINA LIONS
DISTRICT 31-D**

*From the Children of
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LIONS COTTAGE

NC Lions District 31-D
1997-1998 Awards

The following Clubs recorded a 10% or more increase over 1996-1997 Lions Year Contributions.

FORSYTH
GUILFORD COLLEGE
MOCKSVILLE
WALKERTOWN

The following clubs averaged \$25.00 or more per member in contributions during the 1997-1998 Lions Year.

ASHEBORO LIONS
Nelson Rowland, President

NC Lions District 31-D

These clubs were credited with a contribution during the 1997-1998 Lions Year.

Alamance Community	Mayodan
Archdale Trinity	McLeansville
Asheboro	Mocksville
Boonville	Mount Airy
Coleridge	Mount Airy Foothills
Dobson	Oakview
Eden	Piedmont Triad
Forsyth	Pleasant Garden
Gibsonville	Reidsville
Greensboro Four Seasons	Rural Hall Area
Greensboro Gate City	Seagrove
Greensboro Hamilton Lakes	Walkertown
Greensboro Host	Walnut Cove
Guilford College	Winston Salem Host
High Point Host	Winston Salem Konnoak Hills
Horneytown	Winston Salem Twin City
Julian	Yadkinville
King	Tabernacle Lioness
Liberty	









CLUB / CIVIC NOTES



LIONS DONATION: Mike Stanley, president of the Dobson Lions Club, presents a check for \$1,000 from the organization to Pam Clement, civic chairperson of the Surry County Domestic Violence Task Force. The Task Force is in the process of securing a shelter in Surry County for domestic violence cases.

LIONS PLAN YARD SALE

The Dobson Lions Club will again sponsor a yard sale on the lawn of the First Baptist Church of Dobson on July 17-18, during the Piedmont Berry Festival.

The club is accepting items anyone would like to donate for the sale. Those wishing to donate items may call any member of the club or Jap Cook, 386-8894, Charlie Cook, 386-8976, or Charles Earnest, 386-8386, for pick up.

Proceeds from the yard sale will be used for community betterment and to assist those in need.

DOBSON LIONS CLUB MEETS

The Dobson Lions Club met recently with Mike Stanley, president, officiating.

It was announced that the club collected \$1,225 during the White Cane Drive on June 12. The club will contribute \$2,827 to White Cane for 1997-1998, an increase of \$150 over the \$2,677 contributed last year.

John Norman was chairman of the project.

Five Dobson Lions attended the District 31-D awards banquet June 20 when the club received recognition as "Best Bulletin" and tops in membership growth. Lions and their wives attending were Mike and Peggy Stanley, Dr. Gray and Julia Hall, Gene and Pat Everette, Rodney and Pam Clement and John and Eleanor Norman.

Individual Lions recognized were Gene Everette, "100 Percent Secretary;" John Norman, "District White Cane Chairman;" and Mike Stanley, "Zone 2 Chairman."

John was also awarded a district "Jack Stickley Fellow." Stickley, of Charlotte, was a former Lions International president.

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LIONS CLUB AWARDS: Displaying awards received by the Dobson Lions Club at the recent district convention are (l-r) Mike Stanley, Gene Everette, Dr. J. Gray Hall, Rodney Clement and John Norman. **Surry Scene, Thursday, July 2, 1998**

COMMUNITY NOTES



CLUB OFFICERS: Newly-installed officers of the Dobson Lions Club are (l-r) Rodney Clement, Brian Gates, Todd Dockery, William Hamlin and Gene Everette.

Dobson



Hester
Jackson

386-8766

LIONS INSTALL OFFICERS

Dobson Lions Club recently held its annual picnic at the picnic shelter at the First Baptist Church. A delicious barbecue chicken

supper and watermelon were enjoyed. Don Snow served as chef.

Highlighting the event was the installation of officers by Bill Smith of Elkin, Zone Two chairman of District 32-D.

Rodney Clement was installed as president; Brian Gates, first vice president; Todd Dockery, second vice president; William Hamlin, third vice president; Gene Everette, secretary-treasurer; Jasper Cook, Lion tamer; Ralph O. Lanier, membership chairman; Cecil McMillion, tail-twister; and Larry Wilmoth, assistant tail-twister.

Two-year directors installed were James

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Surry Scene, Thursday, July 23, 1998

COMMUNITY NOTES

Bledsoe, Wayne Hothem, Charles Earnest and Kenneth Snow, while Wayne Atkins, Dr. J.G. Hall, Dwayne Simmons and Van Whitaker were installed as one-year directors.

Mike Stanley had served as president of the Dobson Lions for the past two years and as chairman of Zone Two this past year. He was remembered with an engraved plaque of appreciation.

Four members were honored for outstanding service and presented pins. They were George Pendergraft, Leo International Award; Charlie Cook, President's Appreciation Medal; John Norman, District White Cane chairman, President's Appreciation Medal; and Jasper Cook, International Appreciation Award.

Named as honorary members of the club were Buck Yarborough, Time Warner Cable; Greg Seivers, Davis and Son Funeral Home; and Mac Sexton, Sexton Trucking.

CLUB / CIVIC NOTES



STANLEY HONORED: Mike Stanley (right), outgoing president of the Dobson Lions Club, is presented an engraved plaque of appreciation from Rodney Clement, on behalf of the club. The presentation was made during the club's recent annual picnic and installation service held at the First Baptist Church in Dobson. Clement was installed as the new president.

Lions Clubs International
District 31-D
Cabinet Installation
1998 - 1999



Serving Together - Helping Others
in Harmony

Tuesday, July 28, 1998
6:30 P.M.

Konnoak Moravian Church
Winston-Salem, NC

PROGRAM

- Welcome F. L. "Doc" Shaver, DG
- Pledge to the Flag Danny L. Jefferson, VDG
Greensboro Host Lions Club
- Song Clifton Berrier
District 31-D Song Leader
- Invocation Rev. Roger W. Kimball
District 31-D Chaplain

DINNER

Entertainment - Music with a Message

- Recognition of Special Guests Jim F. Holloman
Master of Ceremonies
- Introduction of Speaker John B. Wall
District Cabinet Secretary / Treasurer
- Address and Installation of District Cabinet Ronald L. "Ron" Huber
Past International Director
- Remarks F. L. "Doc" Shaver, DG
- Presentation of District Governor's Banner Ralph Holmes, PDG
President, Jamestown - Union Hill Lions Club
- Acceptance of the District Governor's Banner Allan D. Lambert
President, Konnoak Hills Lions Club
- Special Presentations F. L. "Doc" Shaver, DG
- Benediction Rev. Roger W. Kimball
District 31-D Chaplain

1998 - 1998 DISTRICT CABINET AND COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS

District Governor F. L. "Doc" Shaver
District Cabinet Secretary / Treasurer John B. Wall, PDG
Vice District Governor Danny L. Jefferson

REGIONAL CHAIRPERSONS

Region 1 Robert Bennett
Region 2 Wayne Waters
Region 3 Harold Francis
Region 4 Johnny Stuart
Region 5 Jane Huber
Region 6 Harold Rabb

ZONE CHAIRPERSONS

Zone 1 Chris Jones
Zone 2 Bill Smith
Zone 3 George Withers
Zone 4 Jimmy Myers
Zone 5 Jimmy Roberts
Zone 6 Robert Gwyn
Zone 7 Ross Hunt
Zone 8 Ted Wommack
Zone 9 Stewart Wooten
Zone 10 Judy Butler



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Hearing	John A. Samuel
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Properties	Jim Holloman
Research & Lg Range Planning	Johnny Parker, PDG
Sight Conservation & Services for the Blind	Mike Martin
Sight Screening Vehicle	Grady R. Chip Pulliam, III Ronald L. "Ron" Huber, PID
State Convention	Ralph Holmes, PDG
Jack Stickley Fellow	H. Z. "Red" Jackson

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The Lions Clubs of District 31-G
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Charlie Nottingham, Trustee

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Tom Gervase, Duke Childrens Classic
Don Lacefield, Duke Childrens Classic
Steve Rum, Duke Childrens Classic
Enos "Country" Slaughter, Duke Childrens Classic

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Don Shea, Sports Information

LIONS

Lion Marvin Doub, PDG District 31-D
Lion Gene English, Governor District 31-G
Lion Gene Everett, District 31-D Membership Chair
Lion John Hamilton, PDG District 31-D
Lion Ralph Holmes, IPDG 31-D Council Chair
Lion Jim Irvin, President NC Lions Foundation(NCLF)
Lion Terry Kerr, PDG District 31-|?
Lion F. L. "Doc" Shaver, Governor District 31-D
Lion Sid Scruggs PDG 31-?, State Extension Chair
and Judy Scruggs
Lion Steve Walker, Executive Director, NCLF
Lion Harvey Whitley, PDG 31- Treasurer NCLF
and Diane Whitley

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BULL CREEK GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB
LOUISBURG NC
MONDAY OCTOBER 5, 1998
LUNCH AT 11:30 AM
Provided by Tri-Arc Foods
(BoJangles)

SHOTGUN START
TEE TIME 12:00 NOON
BAR-B-QUE AT 5:30 PM
(Chicken provided by Gold Kist Poultry)

Official Photographers: Casper Holyrod Anne Presnell

NORTH RALEIGH LIONS CLUB

Dick Lienneweber	26	Curt Barnhill	22
Glenn Suggs	20	D.C. "Ivy" Iverson	25

OXFORD LIONS

Steve Timberlake	30	Walter Wilson	10
John Mackie	20	John Simonton	10

PILOT LIONS

Glen Lewis	14	Johny Alford	16
Rocky Winstead	20		

PBF INC.

Bill Draper	11	Wes Hare	13
Art Hall	22	Trent Lawson	13

RALEIGH HOST TEAM #4

Joe Hoffman	20	Larry Varireis	30
Harry Nichols	26	A.C. Dawson	

RALEIGH HOST TEAM #2

Paul Morgan	19	Lacy Presnell III	14
Willis Lee, Jr.	14	Graham Tannery	20

RALEIGH HOST TEAM #5

Lacy Presnell Jr.	14	Bob Surratt	9
Harry Brown	12	Jerry Collins	4

RALEIGH HOST TEAM #3

Mort Congleton	9	George Cosby	11
Rudy Ofcharick	24	Chip Brown	

HOME SAVINGS BANK OF SILER CITY, INC. SSB

Edwin Bridge	23	Lee Harvey	20
Johnny Lemons	20	Ray Epley	2

WRENN BROS.

Joe Harris	7	Howard Frazier	8
Steve Palmer	9	Jerry Kidd	10

TOWNSVILLE LIONS

Bubba O'Geary	7	Ray Davis	14
Randy Ulmstead	24	Gary Lee	16

PETE" BURROWS TEAM

Pete Burrows	21	Carl Coats Jr.	6
Monroe Gardner	18	Tom Watson	18

ROBERT CARROLL TEAM

Gerry Kurowski	22	Jimmie Roberts	18
Robert Ross	10	Robert Carroll	30

TOMMY ROSS TEAM

Tommy Ross	19	Macon Robertson	21
Walter Gardner	19	Jerry Abbott	21

APEX #1

Harold Trulove		Dwayne Vaughn	
Dwight Jones		John Bryson	

APEX #2

Dave Lawrence		W.C. Mills	
James Herndon		Irv Ellington	

BURLINGTON LIONS CLUB #1

Buster Freeman	3	Woody Skillman	28
Horace Freeman	30	Bob Gunderson	32

BURLINGTON LIONS CLUB #2

Bud Page	19	Bill Dunn	27
Bill Merideth	30	Charles Litzenberg	32

BURLINGTON LIONS CLUB #3

Chuck Harris	27	Claude Ward	26
Ray Tatum	32	Charles Hall	30

CARY LIONS

Richard Schaefer	35	George Wildung	35
Julie Burton	28	Chris Newcomer	

DURHAM #1

Jim Cronin	28	Hank Scherich	18
Davis Montgomery	15	David Zimmerman	16

DURHAM #2

Ken Kemodle	28	Tim Hoke	15
Gene Lee	24	Tommy Little	10

DREAM TEAM

David Epley	3	Allen Elise	10
David Thomas	5	Bobby Moss	13

FARM BUREAU

Bill Matthews	18	Jimmy Twisdale	5
Macy Foster	9	Danny Twisdale	18

EPSOM TIGERS

Hoyle Little	18	Billy Ayscue	15
Joe Riffle	24	Sam Jernigan	24

GRAHAM LIONS CLUB

Chris Rollins	30	Marty Wilson	20
Heith Hall	36	Mike Suggs	

LA KE GASTON LIONS CLUB #1

David Harris	20	Jack Houston	30
Sid Peele	22	Bob Peele	14

LA KE GASTON LIONS CLUB #2

John Burns	14	Don Henry	15
Kenny Whichard	17	Duayne Summerlin	21

LOUISBURG LIONS CLUB

Mike Knause	6	Victor Bethea	30
Gene Allen	23	Monty Riggs	30

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DONATION: Lion Rodney Clement, President of the Dobson Lions Club presents a \$1000 check check to Stephanie Brooks, Director of the Children's Center of Surry County, Inc. Proceeds from the Lions Annual Golf Tournament at Cross Creek Country Club. Lion Bill Hamlin, Chairman of the Golf Tournament, looks on.

Surry Scene, Thursday, July 23, 1998

COMMUNITY NOTES

Bledsoe, Wayne Hothem, Charles Earnest and Kenneth Snow, while Wayne Atkins, Dr. J.G. Hall, Dwayne Simmons and Van Whitaker were installed as one-year directors.

Mike Stanley had served as president of the Dobson Lions for the past two years and as chairman of Zone Two this past year. He was remembered with an engraved plaque of appreciation.

Four members were honored for outstanding service and presented pins. They were George Pendergraft, Leo International Award; Charlie Cook, President's Appreciation Medal; John Norman, District White Cane chairman, President's Appreciation Medal; and Jasper Cook, International Appreciation Award.

Named as honorary members of the club were Buck Yarborough, Time Warner Cable; Greg Seivers, Davis and Son Funeral Home; and Mac Sexton, Sexton Trucking.

LIONS PLAN YARD SALE

The Dobson Lions Club will again sponsor a yard sale on the lawn of the First Baptist Church of Dobson on July 17-18, during the Piedmont Berry Festival.

The club is accepting items anyone would like to donate for the sale. Those wishing to donate items may call any member of the club or Jap Cook, 386-8894, Charlie Cook, 386-8976, or Charles Earnest, 386-8386, for pick up.

Proceeds from the yard sale will be used for community betterment and to assist those in need.

DOBSON LIONS CLUB MEETS

The Dobson Lions Club met recently with Mike Stanley, president, officiating.

It was announced that the club collected \$1,225 during the White Cane Drive on June 12. The club will contribute \$2,827 to White Cane for 1997-1998, an increase of \$150 over the \$2,677 contributed last year.

John Norman was chairman of the project.

Five Dobson Lions attended the District 31-D awards banquet June 20 when the club received recognition as "Best Bulletin" and tops in membership growth. Lions and their wives attending were Mike and Peggy Stanley, Dr. Gray and Julia Hall, Gene and Pat Everette, Rodney and Pam Clement and John and Eleanor Norman.

Individual Lions recognized were Gene Everette, "100 Percent Secretary;" John Norman, "District White Cane Chairman;" and Mike Stanley, "Zone 2 Chairman."

John was also awarded a district "Jack Stickley Fellow." Stickley, of Charlotte, was a former Lions International president.

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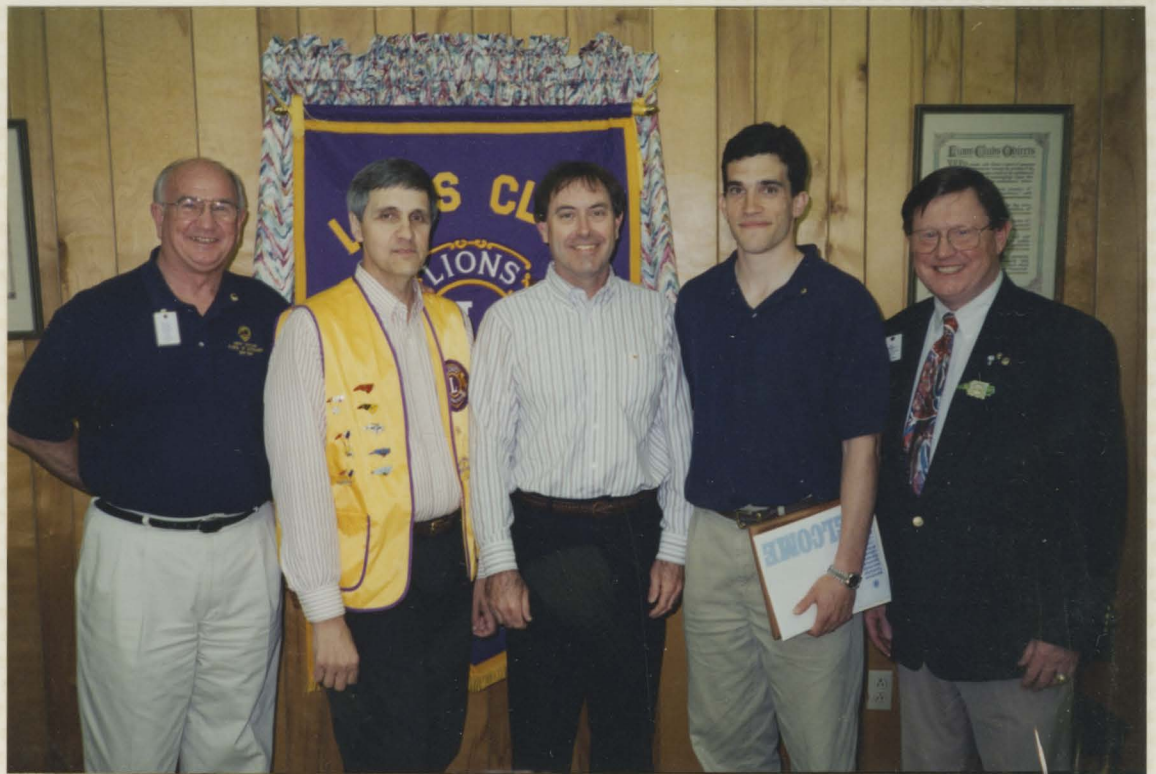


LIONS CLUB AWARDS: Displaying awards received by the Dobson Lions Club at the recent district convention are (l-r) Mike Stanley, Gene Everette, Dr. J. Gray Hall, Rodney Clement and John Norman. **Surry Scene, Thursday, July 2, 1998**





















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In Children's Eye Care







Wednesday, June 23, 1999

Local Lions Feast On Awards



Eleanor Powell/The Mount Airy News

CLUB HONORS: Members of the Dobson Lions Club display awards presented during a Saturday banquet in Winston-Salem. They are (left to right) Mike Stanley, John H. Norman, Rodney Clement, George Pendergraft and Gene Everette.

Dobson Group Is No. 1 In District

From Staff Reports

Delegates from the Dobson Lions Club gleamed with pride Saturday evening as they were named No. 1 Club in District 31-D of the Lions Club of North Carolina.

Club President Rodney Clement accepted the engraved plaque which designated them as tops among 53 clubs for their overall activities, and club participation in local, district and state levels.

Clement said he was pleased to accept the award and attributed the work of the

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Eleanor Powell/The Mount Airy News
JACK STICKLEY FELLOW: Mike Stanley (right) was presented the coveted Stickley award by the North Carolina Lions Foundation. F.L. "Doc" Shaver (left), district governor of 31-D, congratulates Stanley and his wife, Peggy, at the awards dinner in Winston-Salem.

said David Oringderff, head of the San Antonio-based pagan group that sponsors Ms. Palmer's Fort Hood Open Circle.

"There's no accounting for fear and agony," Oringderff said.

An estimated 50,000 Americans practice Wicca, a form of polytheistic nature worship. Its core ethical statement, the "Wiccan Rede,"

See WITCHES, page 2B

Teacher At Pa. Hospital Is A Real Dummy

By DAVID KINNEY
Associated Press Writer

HERSHEY, Pa. — Everybody's first encounter with Stan D. Ardman is the

Medical simulators like Stan, introduced five years ago, are rapidly finding their way into hospitals from Stanford to Sydney. They are

Flight simulators came about because airlines and the military figured it would be cheaper for a pilot to crash a virtual aircraft than a

The idea is similar in patient simulator to kill a dummy than a patient.

as people prepare with fire drills and raining, we want medical students to at it's like before it happens," says Dr.

Wojnar, a Penn State professor who simulator.

First commercial dummies actually were flight simulators. They

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are optional. In groups of six, participants work an emergency, focusing not on medical technique, but on group dynamics. Do the right doctors take the lead? Do the first people on the scene call in specialists soon enough?

The procedure is videotaped, and the group uses it to discuss what they could have done better. "They can practice all the uncommon events, the crises," says W. Bosseau Murray, who runs the lab.

In the same way, medical students and residents can come into the lab and work through traumas a dozen times. The other way to learn? "On real live patients," Murray says. "On you, your wife or

"The senior residents are tied up in a meeting. There you are in the unit by yourself," she says. "What do you do?"

Using stethoscopes, the students probe Stan's chest. They feel for a pulse and ask Wojnar questions.

Chest X-ray? "Not done."

Medical history? "Yeah, actually, somebody gave him peanuts at school today."

His breathing and heart rates fall. First, they try "bagging" him, forcing air into his lungs with a pump. Nothing changes. They look down his throat and see it is blocked.

"What are you going to do? You're losing him," Wojnar warns.

They try a procedure called a tri-

Because the simulator has limitations, the test lacks the urgency of true emergency. The simulator can talk, for one thing. The other difficulties are human: These students are unfamiliar with how the dummy works, and Wojnar is still learning how she can use it to push her students. But she's satisfied.

"It's not all reality, because it's still a simulation," she says. "But it's close."

Lions

entire membership in making it possible.

The presentation was made during the annual Lions Awards Banquet for District 3LD at Advent Moravian Church, Winston-Salem. Clubs were represented by members from eight counties in the district, including Surry, Yadkin, Forsyth, Guilford, Alamance, Randolph, Rockingham and Stokes.

The club also received recognition as a 100 percent club and was one of two clubs in the district receiving that honor.

Mike Stanley, a past president of the Dobson Lions for two years, was presented the coveted Jack Stickley Fellow which is awarded by the North Carolina Lions Foundation. The award is named for Stickley, the first international president from North Carolina.

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In addition to serving as president, Stanley has been zone chairman this past year.

Clement was also presented the 100 percent President's Award and Gene Everette was honored with the district secretary's award.

Everett and Van Whitaker also received the District Governor's Challenge Award.

The Dobson Club, which is in Category C, received a membership award for having attained 11 new members this year and increasing its membership to 61. They also re-

ceived an award for the best bulletin and for their contributions to the Boys and Girls Home at Lake Waccamaw.

District Governor F.L. "Doc" Shaver presided during the evening, with Bill Thompson, director of development at Lake Waccamaw, as guest speaker.

Assisting with the presentations was John B. Wall, state secretary/treasurer. Danny Jefferson of Greensboro, incoming district director, also addressed the group.

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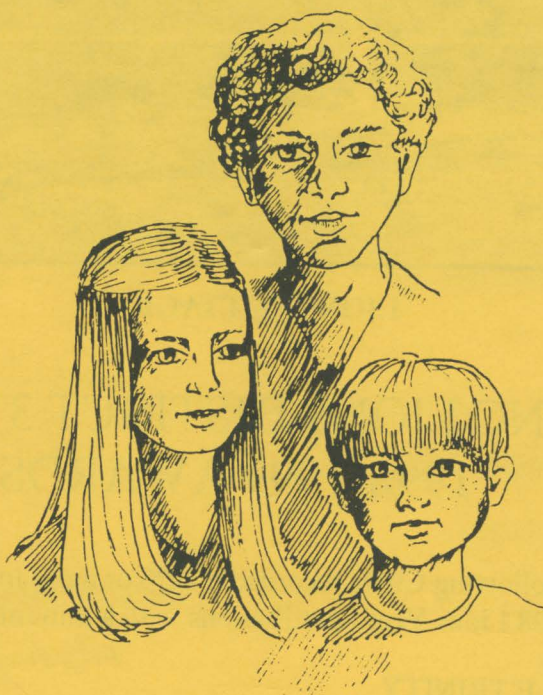
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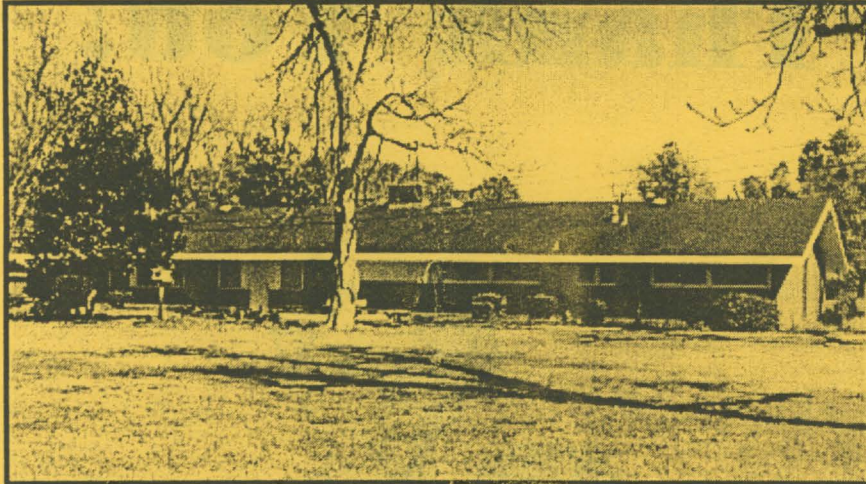


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NC LIONS DISTRICT 31-D 1998-1999 AWARDS

The following Clubs recorded a 10% or more increase over 1997-1998 Lions Year contributions with a minimum of \$125.00.

ARCHDALE TRINITY	TABERNACLE
COLERIDGE	WALKERTOWN
DOBSON	YADKINVILLE
ELKIN	GREENSBORO GATE CITY
REIDSVILLE	WINSTON SALEM KONNOAK HILLS
SEAGROVE	

The following clubs averaged \$25.00 or more in contributions during the 1998-1999 Lions Year.

ASHEBORO	WALKERTOWN
TABERNACLE	WINSTON SALEM KONNOAK HILLS

These clubs were credited with a contribution to Boy and Girls Homes during the 1998-1999 Lions Year as of May 31, 1999.

ALAMANCE COMMUNITY	KERNERSVILLE
ARCHDALE TRINITY	LIBERTY
ASHEBORO	MADISON
COLERIDGE	McLEANSVILLE
DOBSON	MOCKSVILLE
EDEN	MOUNT AIRY
EDEN EVENING	MOUNT AIRY FOOTHILLS
ELKIN	OAKVIEW
FARMER	OLDTOWN
FORSYTH	PIEDMONT TRIAD
GIBSONVILLE	PLEASANT GARDEN
GREENSBORO FOUR SEASONS	RAMSEUR
GREENSBORO GATE CITY	RANDLEMAN
GREENSBORO HAMILTON LAKES	REIDSVILLE
GREENSBORO HOST	SEAGROVE
GUILFORD COLLEGE	TABERNACLE
HIGH POINT HOST	WALKERTOWN
JAMESTOWN-UNION HILL	WALNUT COVE
JULIAN	WINSTON SALEM KONNOAK HILLS
	YADKINVILLE

Lions Clubs International
District 31-D
District Governor's Banquet



*Serving Together - Helping Others
In Harmony*

**Eleventh Annual
Mid-Winter Convention**

Saturday, January 8, 2000
6:30 p.m.
Greensboro, NC

PROGRAM

Master of Ceremonies	Danny Jefferson, DG
Welcome	Stewart Wooten, Convention Chair
Pledge to the Flag	F.L. "Doc" Shaver, PDG
Song	Nelson Roland Asheboro Lions
Parade of Banners	Walt Wilson District Cabinet Secretary
Invocation	PDG Dr. Willie Davis

DINNER

Roll Call of Lions Clubs	Walt Wilson District Cabinet Secretary
Recognition of Special Guests	Danny Jefferson, DG
Introduction of Speaker	PDG Sid Scruggs, III International Director Candidate
Address	C. Connie de la Garza International Director
Remarks and Special Presentations	Danny Jefferson, DG
Benediction	PDG Dr. Willie Davis District 31-D Chaplain

1999-2000 DISTRICT CABINET AND COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS

District Governor	Danny Jefferson
District Cabinet Secretary	Walt Wilson
District Governor Elect	Stewart Wooten
Immediate Past District Governor	F.L. "Doc" Shaver
District Cabinet Treasurer	Marvin Doub

REGIONAL CHAIRPERSONS

Region 1	Bill Smith
Region 2	Jimmy Myers
Region 3	Harold Francis
Region 4	Robert F. Gwyn
Region 5	Ted Womack
Region 6	Darrell Williams

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Zone 1	Barbara Lane
Zone 2	Rodney Clement
Zone 3	Paul Gilgo
Zone 4	Janet Doub
Zone 5	Walt Williams
Zone 6	Dave Osborne
Zone 7	Ronnie Breedlove
Zone 8	J. J. Warren
Zone 9	Mike Macon
Zone 10	Clifton Black

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Mid-Winter Convention	Stewart Wooten
Newsletter	Bailey Hobgood
Nominations	John Hamilton
Peace Poster	Bill Presock
Promotions	Doc Shaver, PDG
Properties	Ron Huber, PDG
Public Relations	Gene Hassell
Research and Long Range Planning	Doc Shaver, PDG
Sight Conservation/Services for Blind	Harry Allen
Sight Screening Vehicle	Doc Shaver, PDG
State Convention	Doc Shaver, PDG
Chaplain	Dr. Willie Davis, PDC
Sergeant-at-Arms	Johnny Stuart
Tailtwister	Lu Johnson

Mid-Winter - JAN, 2000











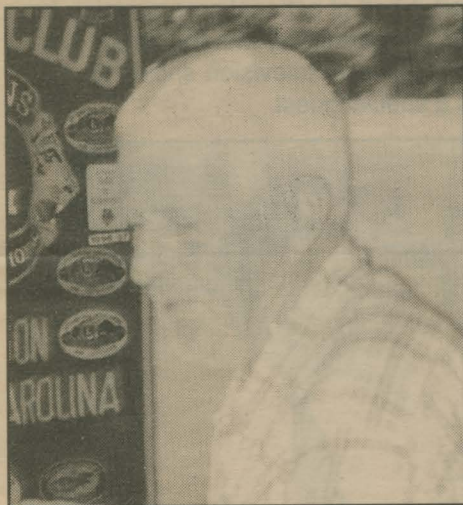
Surry Scene Thursday, Aug. 3, 2000

Dobson Lions Club

Honors Outstanding Members



GATES HONORED: Bill Hamlin (right, president-elect of the Dobson Lions Club, presents the past presidents award to Brian Gates, who also received the 100 percent presidents award from Lions International.



...Wayne Hothem (left) and Shannon Hamm received the President's Appreciation Medal...



...Ralph O. Lanier (left) was presented with the distinguished N.C. Lions Foundation Jack Stickley Fellows Award. Aubrey Moore was recognized with his 55-year Chevron pin. He is the only charter member of the Dobson Lions Club...





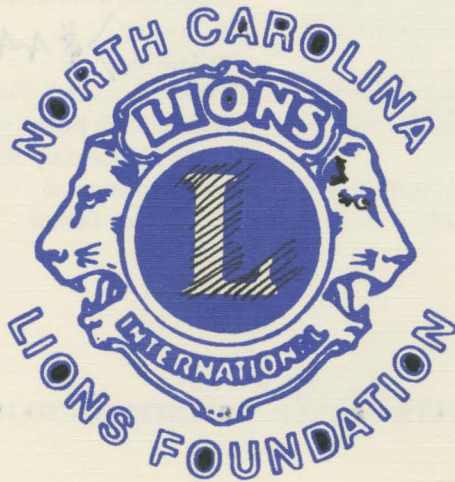






**North Carolina
Lions Foundation, Inc.**

*NCLF TRAINING
FR Vol. June 10th in
Durlington
@ 10 pm*



RECOGNITION BANQUET

6:30 pm

**Saturday, May 6, 2000
Days Inn
Conover, NC**

NCLF COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

- | | |
|-----------------------|--|
| ● Luther V. Creel | Agencies f/t Blind and Deaf |
| ● Bennie Pugh | Budget & Finance |
| ● John J. O'Malley | By-Laws |
| ● John T. Miller, III | Camp Dogwood |
| ● Robert M. Ward | Clinical Eye Research |
| ● Robert T. Loeblein | Eye Bank |
| ● Marvin C. Doub | Hearing |
| ● Robert A. Shook | Humanitarian/White Cane |
| ● Woody Huggins | Memorials/Honorariums |
| ● Dave Butler | Pin Trading |
| Joe Shumate | Pin Trading > \$44,000.00 |
| ● Dr. Willie Davis | Properties |
| ● Daniel H. Schmidt | Public Info. & Education |
| Jan Tindal | See the 21 st Century Screen Unit |
| ● Robert E. Spencer | Sight Conservation |
| C. Allen Reinhardt | Jack Stickley Fellow |
| ● Gene Everette | Volunteers |

STATE COUNCIL COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

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| Billy L. Mason | Boys & Girls Homes |
| ● John J. O'Malley | Constitution & By-Laws |
| ● Sid L. Scruggs, III | Extension |
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| ● Doc Shaver | Promotions |
| ● Daniel H. Schmidt | Research & Long Range Plan. |
| Robert A. Benson | State Convention |
| ● A. Paul Smith | Youth Exchange |
| ● Terry Kerr | Youth Outreach |

North Carolina Lions Foundation, Inc.

RECOGNITION BANQUET

- | | |
|--------------------------------------|--|
| Call to Order | Jerry L. Austin
President |
| Pledge of Allegiance | Ralph E. Hester
First Vice-President |
| Introductions | James M. Irvin
Immediate Past President |
| Recognition of Jack Stickley Fellows | Robert L. Ham
Second Vice-President |
| Invocation | Ron L. Staley
Treasurer |

< Dinner >

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|---|--|
| State Council Awards | Edward D. Shivers, III
Council Chairman |
| Committee Chairmen, Board Members
and Officers | Ralph L. Holmes
Secretary |
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1 ST - " Jerry L. Austin " : Bob Spencer
Kelvin Jones Fellow: G. Austin |
| Closing Remarks | Jerry L. Austin
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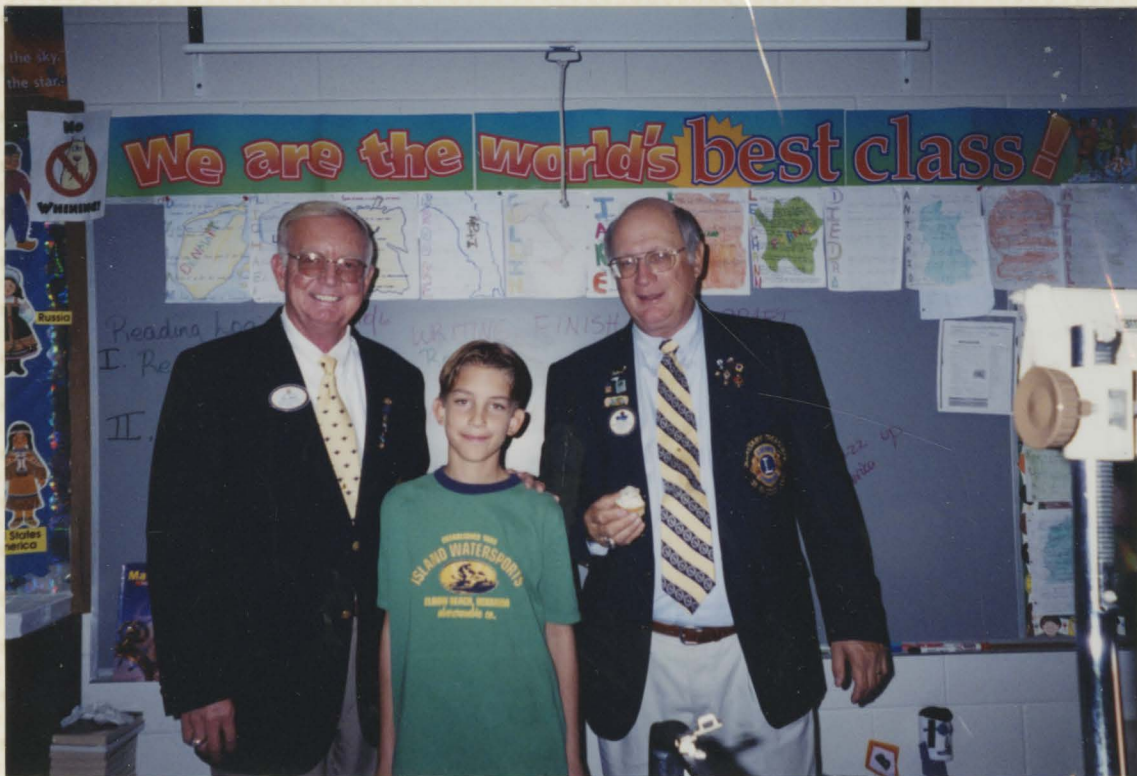
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Robert H. Carroll	31-G
Edward D. Shivers, III	31-H
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● Chip Pulliam	31-D
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Jim Davis (IPP) —	
Carroll Gardner —	

Program

Opening

Song	Lion Carroll Gardner
Pledge of Allegiance	Lion Tyco Wood
Invocation	Lion Russell Vass

Dinner

Welcome Members & Guests Lion Jim Davis

Entertainment Tracy Greenwood

Presidents Award Lion President Jim Davis

Installation Of 2000/2001 Officers

Lion Gene Everette (Dobson Lions)

Comments New Lion President Jack Loftis



Dobson Lions Club President Shanon Hamm presents a \$1,000 Check to Sheriff Connie Watson and DARE Instructor Graham Atkinson.



Lions Club International
District 31-D
District Governor's Banquet



*Serving Together - Helping Others
In Harmony*

**Twelfth Annual
Mid-Winter Convention**

MARRIOTT HOTEL
Saturday, January 13, 2001
6:30 p.m.
Greensboro, NC

Program

Master of Ceremonies	Stewart Wooten, Jr., DG
Welcome	Bill Smith, VDG Convention Chair
Pledge to the Flag	Danny Jefferson, PDG
National Anthem	Rev. Marion Swann Boonville Lions Club
Parade of Banners	B.B. Oliver District Cabinet Secretary
Invocation	Dr. Willie Davis, PDG

Dinner

Roll Call of Lions	B.B. Oliver District Cabinet Secretary
Recognition of Special Guests	Stewart Wooten, Jr. DG
Introduction of Speaker	Sid Scruggs, III International Director
Address	Larry G. Schrodtt International Director
Remarks and Special Presentations	Stewart Wooten, Jr., DG
Benediction	Dr. Willie Davis, PDG District 31-D Chaplin

2000-2001 District Cabinet & Committee Chairpersons

District Governor	Stewart Wooten, Jr.
District Cabinet Secretary	B.B. Oliver
District Governor Elect	Bill Smith
Immediate Past District Governor	Danny L. Jefferson
District Cabinet Treasurer	H. Paul Gilgo

Regional Chairpersons

Region 1	Mike Stanley
Region 2	Jimmy Myers
Region 3	James Roberts
Region 4	Robert F. Gywn
Region 5	Ted Womack
Region 6	Darrell Williams

Zone Chairpersons

Zone 1	Max Briggs
Zone 2	Daniel Dixon
Zone 3	June Moore
Zone 4	Dr. G. Kimberly
Zone 5	Ken Barrett
Zone 6	Paul Marth
Zone 7	Ronnie Bredlove
Zone 8	Joseph A. Stone
Zone 9	Mike Macon
Zone 10	Joe Hardin

District 31-D Chairpersons

Agencies for the Blind and Deaf	Gene Hassell
Boys and Girls Homes	David Osborne
Budget and Finance (District)	Doc Shaver, PDG
Budget and Finance (NCLF)	Doc Shaver, PDG
Camp Dogwood	Jim Holloman
Camp Dogwood Volunteerism	Robert "Bob" Meacham
Canine Assistance	Ralph Holmes, PDG
Clinical Research	Dr. Sashi Sethi
Constitution and By-Laws	Dr. Johnny Parker, PDG
Extension	Raleigh D. Ellis, PDG
Eye and Human Tissue Bank	Dr. John Yoakum
Historian	A.Z. Wright
Memorials and Honoraria	Walt Wilson
Humanitarian/White Cane	Mark Vickers
Jack Stickley-Fellow	Johnny Stuart
Leo / Youth Outreach and Exchange	Mark Gaylord
Leadership Development	Robin Richards
Lions Eye Health Program (LEHP)	Dr. Steve Yokeley
Lions Information and Education	John T. Miller, III
Lioness Clubs	Jeanette Lain
Membership	Eugene "Gene" Everette
Mid-Winter Convention	Bill Smith
Newsletter	Marlene Wooten
Nominations	Danny Jefferson, PDG
Peace Posters	Tim Jarrell
Promotions	Danny Jefferson, PDG
Properties	Ron Huber, PID
Public Relations	Roy Blake
Research and Long Range Planning	Alfred Horney
Sight Conservation / Services for Blind	Bill Joyce
Sight Screening Vehicle	Doc Shaver, PDG
State Convention	Danny Jefferson, PDG
Chaplin	Dr. Willie Davis, PDG
Sergeant-at-Arms	Johnny Stuart
Tailtwister	Andy Kearns

Mount Airy Happenings

Groups Enjoy Holiday Dinner Celebrations



...Gene Everette and his wife, Pat, chat with Ruth Freeman, a special guest...



...Dr. Steve Yokeley and Ann Lowry diner with Dr. Gray and Julia Hall...



...enjoying the occasion are (front, left to right) Vonda and Bob Comer and Mary Lou Sidden. Standing are Wayne and Margaret Hothem, Sally and Cecil Johnson and Wayne Sidden...



...Jo and Larry Wilmoth enjoy a laugh with Jerry and Anne Weaver...

Surry Scene Thursday, Jan. 7, 2001

Mount Airy Happenings (Continued)



DOBSON LIONS DINNER: Darrell and Chris Hauser (standing) stop to chat with Cecil and Bessie McMillion and Era Snow and Hester Jackson at the club's annual dinner party at Cross Creek Country Club. Mike and Peggy Stanley are pictured above.



LIONS CELEBRATION: Bill Hamlin, president of the Dobson Lions Club, and his wife, Janet, enjoyed the recent dinner party held at Cross Creek Country Club. About 70 members and guests attended the event.



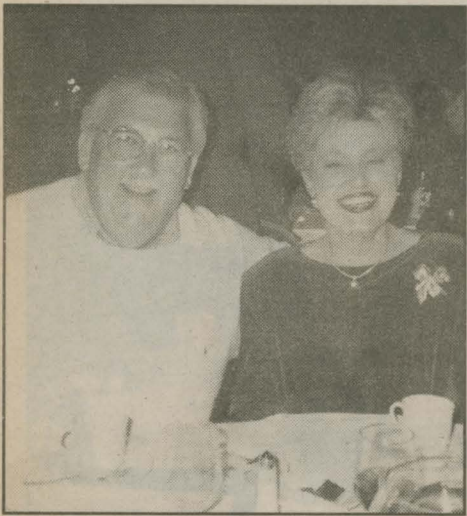
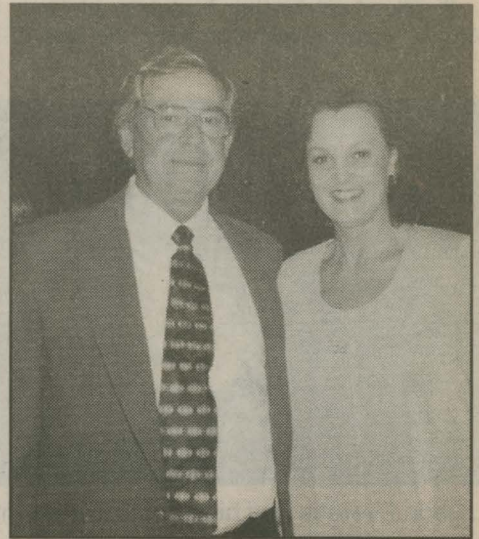
...seated at a nearby table were Fred and Ann Patterson and Camilla and Jasper Cooke. Standing are Charles and Rachel Earnest. Shown to the left is Pauline Eades.



...Dobson Mayor Jimmie Davis and Barbara (left) with Forris and Judy Thompson...



...B.J. and Lois Hodges and Wayne and Glenda Atkins...



...Mickey and D.M. Dalton...



...R.O. Lanier, Don and Hazel Wilmoth, Kathy Curren. Standing Tom Flippin, Reva McDivitt and Jim Curren...



...Brian Gates and Sherry with Tracy and Drew Poindexter...











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DOBSON LIONS CLUB: Ten members of the Dobson Lions Club attended the 78th North Carolina Lions Club Convention May 18-20 at the Hickory Metro Center in Hickory. Seated (left to right) are Bill Hamlin, president; Rodney Clement, immediate past president; Dr. Steve Yokeley, director; and Gene Everette, secretary/treasurer and state membership chairman. Standing: John H. Norman, district Leos chairman; Larry Covington, new member; and Shanon Hamm, president-elect. Also attending the convention, but not pictured, were Don Wilmoth, Tom Flippin and Jerry Weaver. About 600 Lions and guests from throughout the state attended the event.

-Surry Scene Thursday, March 1, 2001

COMMUNITY NEWS

Dobson News

The Dobson Lions Club is such a vital force in this community that we are always please to have their news. First, the Club and the community are deeply saddened by the death of Charlie Cook on January 31st, 2001. Charlie was one of the most active members of the club that he joined in 1972. He served right at thirty years. He followed faithfully the motto "We Serve" and thoroughly enjoyed every moment of it.

Charlie received many Lions Club Awards including Key Member. And he served in many chairmanships. His favorite of these was the flag project, which he helped to start. This project was to put the American Flag up in the appropriate places on National holidays. The Lion's Club does it.

Charlie always went to the Lions Club Conventions and was well known in District 31-D. He will be missed! The club expresses a big thank you to Fred Patterson, Club Chaplain, for the outstanding Eulogy he gave at Charlie's service.

The Lions Club sends get well wishes to Bob Comer who was hospitalized, but is now out and doing well.

Two new members were inducted into the cub by Club President Bill Hamlin recently. They were Larry Covington, sponsored by Gene Everette, and Debbie Simmons sponsored by Shanon Hamm. At the induction, Gene gave a short history of the local and International club.

Contributions

The Dobson Club has approved has approved giving \$250 to help provide Mel Jones Fellows in District 31-D. The Dobson Club will be able to nominate a member for this award.

Also, the lifeline Connection has been

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renewed for an elderly lady in the Siloam area. The Club has done this for her the last five years at \$420.00 per year. She is very appreciative.

A contribution of \$250 was made to the Crohns and Colitis Foundation in Support of Tyler Payne who was selected as Youth Ambassador for North Carolina for this Foundation.

Tyler is the grandson of Cecil McMillion, a Dobson Lion, and Troy and Becky Payne of Mount Airy. Tyler has Crohns Disease but is able to continue a full life and is very active in sports playing varsity basketball and varsity Gold. Last year, he was All-Conference in golf and he also excels academically.

Conventions

On May 18-20, the NC Lions State Convention will meet in Hickory at the Metro Convention Center. Please let the secretary know as soon as possible because reservations should be made early in order to get a motel near the convention center. Please let the club secretary know as soon as possible.

The Lions Club International will meet in Indianapolis, Ind., July 2-6. Reservations must be made early in order to assure a place in the hotel for North Carolina.

DOBSON NEWS

Birthday Celebration

Sharon Bowman Leagan, of Dobson, celebrated her 40th birthday on Sunday, Aug. 19 at Fisher River Park. It was a surprise celebration with family and friends.

Sharon received many gifts, and was wearing a party hat, eye glasses and pens.

The guests included her mother, Sally Bowman; her brother and his family, Ricky and Lori Bowman and Scott and Lyndsay; her sisters and their families, Annette, Winford, Sheena and Shana Draughn, and Teresa, Fred, Scarlett, Freddie and Sampson Parker.

Other guest were Calvin and Rosie Bowman, Clayton and Shelly Bowman, Lewis and Paula, Savanna and Grace Bowman, Stan and Sheila Wilson and Nick, Gary and Teresa Hodges, and Kenny, Timmy, Coley, Dennis and Carolyn Bullin, and Jeremy. Special guest were Walt and Millie Wilson, Kathy and Kacie Reece and Weston Payne, and Kelly Vanhoy.

The Fisher River Park shelter was decorated with black balloons, black streamers, 40 and over-the-hill banner and dead flower arrangements, complements of her brother, Ricky and sister-in-law Lori.

Dobson Lions Meeting

The Dobson Lions Club meeting was held on Tuesday, Aug. 14 with President Shannon Hamm presiding.

Guest recognized were the Cabinet Secretary/Treasurer Geen Everette of the Dobson Lions Club; Regional Chariman Dan Dixon of the Mount Airy Lions Club, District Committee Chairmen John Norman, a member of the Dobson Lions Club who serves as the Leo Club Chairman, Steven Yokeley of the Dobson Lions Club who is the LEHP Chairman, and Johnsie Smith of Elkin Lions Club, who serves as the Public Relations Chairman.

Lion Gene Everette reported on the Cabinet meeting that was held in Archdale. Those attending the Archedale meeting were Lion Donald Lee Wimoth, Lion Gene Everette and Lion John Norman.

The Zone Chariman, Vernon Luffman of the Elkins Lions, introduced the District Governor Lion Bill Smith. Lion Smith was the featured speaker.

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soap making, butter making, and how housewives did washing and ironing in the early days. In the kitchen, students saw examples of canned vegetables and meat as it was preserved.

Rachel Earnest gave the students a tour of the two rooms upstairs and showed how the rooms were furnished. They again got to see examples of the materials used in building the house.

The ladies enjoyed the time spent explaining the house, and the students were attentive and asked some good questions.

Lions Club News

Lion Tom Flippin, Guiding Lion for the Campus Club, is hard at work trying to coordinate the organizing of the club. He is to meet with Dr. Steve Atkins, Student Advi-

sor, and make plans to meet with the students who have signed up.

They also plan to set another sign-up date at Surry Community College. If 20 members cannot be obtained soon, the Lions may start with a Branch Campus Club, and then apply for a charter when 20 members have signed up.

The Dobson Lions Club Board of Directors approved \$400 to purchase a park bench to be placed at Fisher River Park. The bench will bear the Lions name as sponsor/supporter of the park. Lion Jerry Weaver made the recommendation to the board for the purchase of the bench.

The next Lions 31-D Cabinet meeting will be hosted by the Dobson Lions at Surry Community College on Nov. 18 at 2:30 p.m. Lion Jerry Weaver has secured the main conference room for the meeting. We encourage all Dobson Lions to attend.

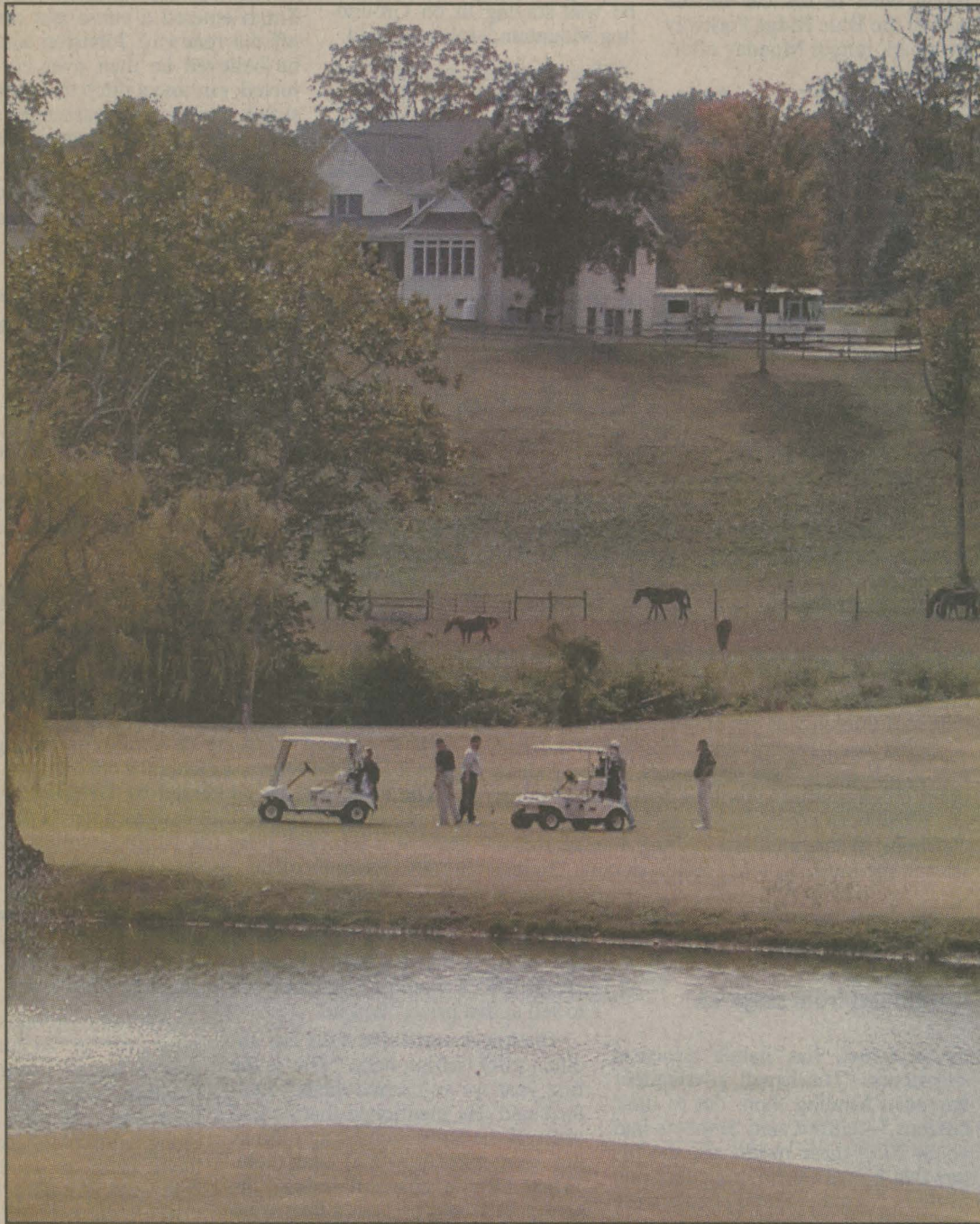
The Dobson Lions Club will hold a yard sale on Oct. 25, 26 and 27 on the vacant lot between Dr. Warren's office and Neighbors on Main Street. Yard sale items will be picked up on Thursday. Lion Jasper Cook urges all Lions to bring their pickups to deliver all the goodies and help set up on Thursday.

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SCENIC BENEFIT: Golfers in the Dobson Lion Club's benefit tournament Wednesday afternoon at Cross Creek Country Club enjoy the perfect combination of wonderful fall weather and a surrounding beauty. The tournament was expected to raise \$1,000 for Surry County D.A.R.E. and another \$1,000 for the Surry Children's Center.

2001 North Carolina Lions State Convention



District Governors Banquet

Special Guest:

**Past International President
Everett J. Grindstaff**

Hickory Metro Convention Center
May 19, 2001
7:00 P.M.

Program

Master of Ceremonies James H. Sasser, DG, 31-C
State Council Chairman

Pledge of Allegiance Martha Butler, DG, 31-A
Vice Council Chairman

Invocation Hamilton A. Slate, DG, 31-F
Council Chaplain
Dinner - Entertainment

Introduction of District Governors,
District Governors Elect,
and International Family John B. Wall, PDG
State Secretary/Treasurer

Introduction of the Honored Guest . . William L. Woolard
Past International President

Address Everett J. Grindstaff
Past International President

Presentations James H. Sasser, DG, 31-H
State Council Chairman

Announcements Allen Reinhardt, PDG
Convention Chair

Benediction Hamilton A. Slate, DG, 31-F



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Multiple District 31 Council of Governors 2000-2001

District A Martha Butler
District B Lenual P. Forsyth
District C James H. Sasser
District D J. Stewart Wooten
District E James R. Walker
District F Hamilton A. Slate
District G Herbert A. Justice
District H Carlton V. Metts
District J George W. "Tim" Land



Lions Clubs International Mission Statement

TO CREATE AND FOSTER
a spirit of understanding among all people
for humanitarian needs
by providing voluntary services
through community involvement
and
international cooperation

Council Statewide Committee Chairs

Boys and Girls Homes
PDG C. W. "Woody" Huggins

Constitution and By-Laws
PDG Johnny R. Parker

Extension
Lion Gene Everette

Historian
PDG James M. Irvin

Leadership Development
PDG Harvey F. Whitley

LCIF / SightFirst
PDG Thomas G. Price

Membership
PDG J. Dennis Alcock

Nominating
PDG Claude R. Nelon

Promotions
PDG Larry F. Gasperson

Research & Long Range Planning
PDG John J. O'Malley

State Convention
Lion Robert A. "Bob" Benson

Youth Exchange
PDG A. Paul Smith

Youth Outreach
PDG Terry Kerr

Leo Clubs

Lion Bernard Shear

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GETTING READY: Pam Marion takes a few practice swings while husband Donnie looks on before heading out to the greens during the Dobson Lion's Club Golf Tournament held Wednesday at Cross Creek Country Club.

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TIM LAND '03

November 26, 2001

Lion Gene Everette
PO Box 473
Dobson, NC 27017

Dear Lion Gene:

Welcome to the William L. Woolard "Partner-in-Service" Program. As a Friend you have taken the third step in providing needed services to the blind and visually impaired in North Carolina. Each year the programs and services of the North Carolina Lions Foundation touch the lives of thousands of individuals. Your contribution will immediately go to work supporting those individuals.

Some of the programs and services supported by your contribution are: Support and Mobility Canes, the Vision Van, Camp Dogwood, Educational Grants and the Matching Funds Program.

A portion of your contribution will be placed in an endowment fund. The earnings from this endowment will ensure that the programs and services of the Foundation will continue forever.

Your participation reflects your desire to help those who are less fortunate and affirms our motto "We Serve." Please wear your Friend Pin with pride as a reminder of those we serve.

Yours truly,

Robert L. Ham
President

COMMUNITY NOTES



CLUB OFFICERS: Newly-installed officers of the Dobson Lions Club are (l-r) Rodney Clement, Brian Gates, Todd Dockery, William Hamlin and Gene Everette.

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LIONS INSTALL OFFICERS

Dobson Lions Club recently held its annual picnic at the picnic shelter at the First Baptist Church. A delicious barbecue chicken

supper and watermelon were enjoyed. Don Snow served as chef.

Highlighting the event was the installation of officers by Bill Smith of Elkin, Zone Two chairman of District 32-D.

Rodney Clement was installed as president; Brian Gates, first vice president; Todd Dockery, second vice president; William Hamlin, third vice president; Gene Everette, secretary-treasurer; Jasper Cook, Lion tamer; Ralph O. Lanier, membership chairman; Cecil McMillion, tail-twister; and Larry Wilmoth, assistant tail-twister.

Two-year directors installed were James

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Gene Everette passes out collection buckets to Drew Poindexter, R.O. Lanier and Dr. Gray Hall.



Tom Flippen accepts a donation from a driver during the White Cane Drive.



STATE LIONS CONVENTION: Bill Smith (left), of Elkin, director of Lions Club District 31-D, is shown with a group of Dobson Lions Club members during the North Carolina Lions Convention in Winston-Salem. They are (left to right) Dr. Steve Yokeley, Ann Yokley, Hugh Edmonds, Larry Covington, John and Eleanor Norman and Gene Everette.

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WHITE CANE DRIVE: Twice a year the Dobson Lions Club members collect money at the intersections in Dobson for their White Cane Drive. This year 22 members participated between the hours of noon and 5 p.m. the money collected goes to support various programs that benefit the blind. Pictured here is Jim Current, this year's chairman, receiving a donation from a young student.







CAMP DOGWOOD VOLUNTEER
WEEK - 2002







DISTRICT 31-D
CABINET MEETIN
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2002



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DIABETES



OUR LIONS DEN
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CLUB NEWS



District 31-D governor-elect Ralph Holmes, District 31-D governor Bill Smith, vice president Kay Fukushima, Denise Fukushima, international director Sid Scruggs and Multiple District 31-D state secretary/treasurer John Wall pose for photos at the convention.

Lions Clubs official is keynote speaker at state convention

First vice president Kay Fukushima of Sacramento, Calif., representing Lions Clubs International, was the honored guest and keynote speaker at the North Carolina Lions Clubs 79th State Convention held at Adam's Mark Hotel in Winston-Salem May 17-19.

District 31-D Governor Bill Smith of State Road and his district was the host district for the convention. Special guests in attendance were also Denise Fukushima, wife of VP Fukushima, International Director Sid Scruggs III and wife, Judy, from Vass.

VP Fukushima addressed over 500 Lions and guests in attendance at the banquet on May 18. He discussed his goals and some of his changes that he will implement in his program for the year 2002-2003. Fukushima will become Lions Clubs International President at the association's 85th International Convention held in Japan July 8-12. His motto is "one world one heart building a better tomorrow."

Two well-deserving Lions received top honors from District



Vice president Kay Fukushima pins the Presidential Medal on District 31-D cabinet/secretary Gene Everette.

31-D. Multiple District 31 State Secretary/Treasurer John Wall of Walkertown received an International President's Certificate of Appreciation from President Frank Moore III and a progressive Jack Stickley Fellowship Award from the North Carolina Lions Foundation. District 31-D Cabinet

Secretary/Treasurer Gene Everette of Dobson received one of the highest awards from Lions Clubs International from President Frank Moore III, the Presidential Medal. He also received a Certificate of Appreciation as the Statewide Extension Committee Chairman 2001-2002 from the North Carolina Lions Foundation.

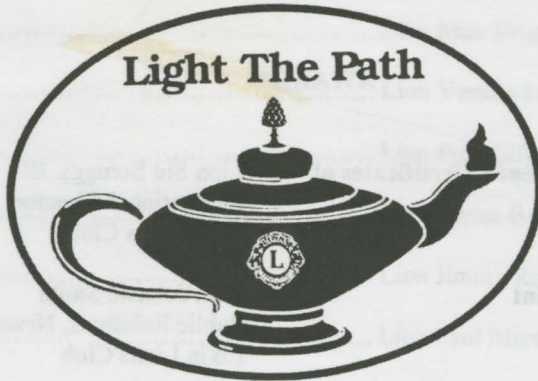
LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL

DISTRICT 31 – D

AWARDS BANQUET



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SATURDAY, JUNE 8, 2002

6:30 P.M.

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JONESVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA**

DISTRICT 31 – D AWARDS BANQUET

**2001 – 2002
DISTRICT 31 – D**

~~~~~ OFFICERS ~~~~~

Welcome Lion Bill Smith, DG
Elkin Lions Club

Pledge of Allegiance Lion Bob Norton, President
Elkin Lions Club

National Anthem Tonya Smith

Invocation Lion Dr. Willie Davis, PDG
Chaplain 31-D
W-S Twin City Host Lions Club

DINNER

Master of Ceremonies Lion Bill Smith, DG
Elkin Lions Club

Introduction of Guests Lion John Wall, PDG
State Secretary/Treasurer MD-31
Walkertown Lions Club

AWARDS

International President's Certificates of Appreciation Lion Sid Scruggs, III
International Director
Vass Lions Club

Bob Timberlake Print Lion Johnsie Smith
Public Relations, Newsletter 31-D
Elkin Lions Club

Special Presentations & Remarks Lion Bill Smith, DG
Elkin Lions Club

Benediction Lion Dr. Willie Davis, PDG
Chaplain 31-D
W-S Twin City Host Lions Club

Because you've given so much, so often, may you receive more blessings than you'll ever be able to imagine as you continue to "Light the Path to Service".

District Governor Lion Bill Smith
Cabinet Secretary/Treasurer Lion Gene Everette

REGION CHAIRPERSONS

Region 1..... Lion Daniel B. Dixon
Region 2..... Lion Jimmy Myers
Region 3..... Lion Jimmy Roberts
Region 4..... Lion Robert E. Gwyn
Region 5..... Lion Joseph A. Stone
Region 6..... Lion Mike Macon

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Zone 1..... Lion Max Briggs
Zone 2..... Lion Vernon Luffman
Zone 3..... Lion Paul Gilgo
Zone 4..... Lion Renea Bennett
Zone 5..... Lion Jimmy Roberts
Zone 6..... Lion Paul Marth
Zone 7..... Lion Ronnie Breedlove
Zone 8..... Lion Bobby Skidmore
Zone 9..... Lion Thomas Curtis
Zone 10..... Lion Joe Hardin

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State Convention, Nom., and Promotions.....	Stewart Wooten, Jr., PDG
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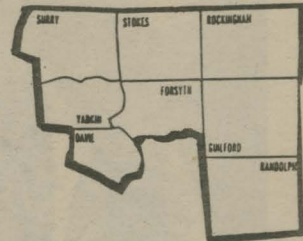
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APPOINTMENTS

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Tailwister.....	Andy Kearns

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BOARD OF
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AUBREY MOORE
"Charter"
Member
1946

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AUBREY MOORE
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2002 - Lion
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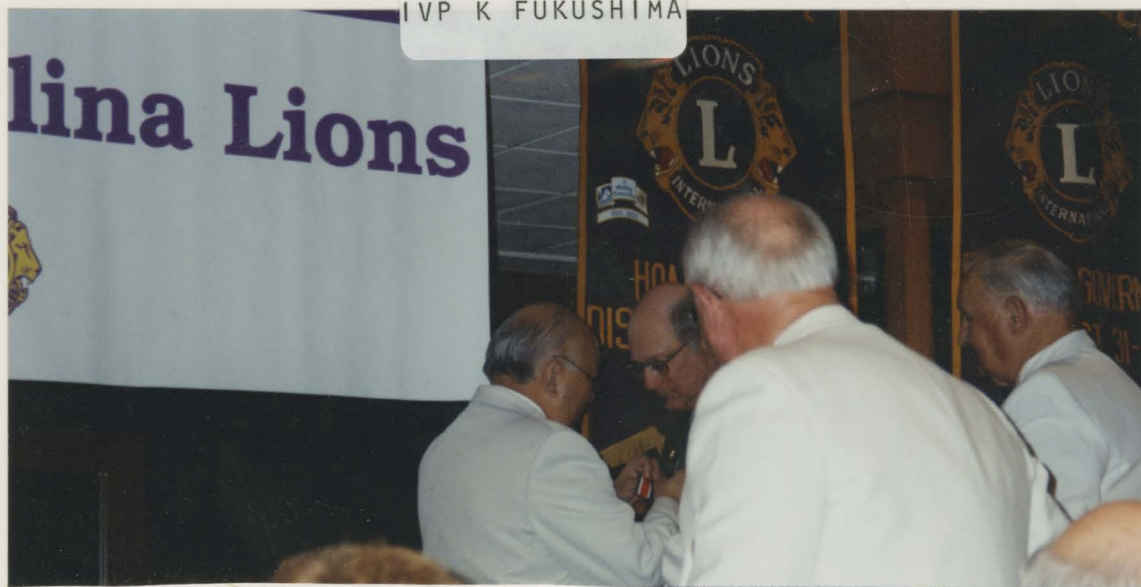
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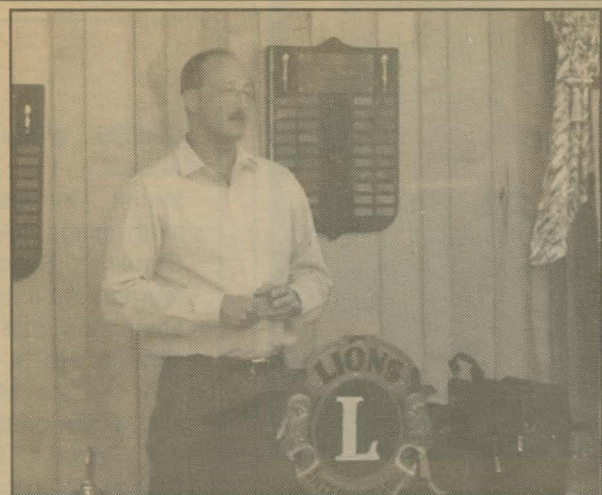


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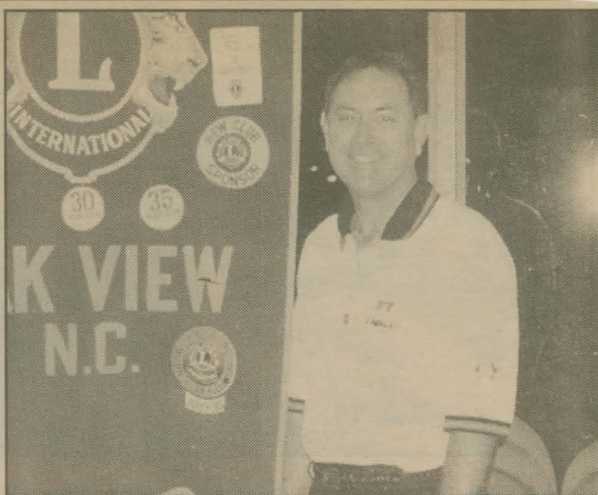








GUEST SPEAKER: Gary Bowers presented a program to the Dobson Lions Club on Meniere's Disease Awareness. Meniere's Disease is a disease of the inner ear severely affecting a person's balance.



EYE HEALTH PROGRAM: Dr. Steve Yokeley gave a presentation on the Lions Eye Health Program – eye diseases associated with diabetes and glaucoma – to the Lions Club of Oak View, N.C.

Win a free trip to Camp

By *Gene Everette*
Volunteers Committee Chairman

A **NNOUNCEMENT:** The 10,000 plus Lions of Multiple District 31 have "WON" the opportunity to enjoy several free days of lodging and meals at Camp Dogwood on Lake Norman during the week of April 3 thru 9.

Mark your calendar now so you can plan to take advantage of this week where you can have fun, fellowship, and the opportunity to express your creative talents in arts - crafts - nature excursions and exercise your physical attributes.



Gene Everette

NCLF is hosting a special week for Lion volunteers and you can take advantage of these days...either one day, two days, or as many days in the week as you desire ... at **NO COST** to you. You probably attended summer camp during your teen years; so now you can relive those days at Camp Dogwood with fellow Lions.

Realistically, this week is being designed to get YOUR CAMP ready for the Visually Impaired summer attendees. Clean-up and maintenance repairs have been identified and listed according to the priorities which include:

Painting (inside/outside) build-

ing; landscaping (around buildings); electrical repairs (light fixtures replaced); boat dock repairs; nature trail (cleaned, cut, gravel); wire screens replaced on dorm porches; new park benches for outside areas.

Nineteen projects have been identified listing time needed to complete project, tools needed, and materials required. Materials will be furnished by the camp; however, if you have tools you may wish to bring them with you. Paint brushes and drop cloths will be furnished, but if you have a ladder bring it with you.

The district volunteer chairmen have a packet of the project forms and will contact each club.

Lions, the "key to success" of this special volunteer week depends on coordination between ALL involved:

Our primary goals are to give our Camp a fresh face-lift and make it a safer place for our campers, plus the financial savings we will provide to NCLF. Remember "Service to Humanity is the Best Work of Life."



*The Bright Glow
of Winter*

Dobson Lions Improve



VOLUNTEERS: Camp Dogwood, located on Lake Norman, is a camp for the blind supported by the Lions Clubs of North Carolina. Each April, Lions statewide volunteer their time and talents to make the facility ready for the campers who begin arriving in May. Jobs included cutting and hauling off brush, mowing, painting curbing and parking lanes, spreading mulch and landscaping to name a few. Shown here are (seated) Ann Yokeley. Standing (left to right) are Steve Yokeley, Gene Everette, Jasper Cook and Larry Covington.



...Jasper Cook assisted in mowing the grass. Other club members participating in the clean-up were Jim Current, Gray Hall and Don Wilmoth. Dan Dixon attended from the Mount Airy Lions Club...

The Mount Airy News-Surry Scene Thursday, May 2, 2002

Camp Dogwood For The Blind



...Steve Yokeley and other Lions help spread the mulch...



...Gene Everette and Larry Covington paint the curbing...



...Ann and Steve Yokeley paint the parking lanes...













Lion Gene Everette, Cabinet Sec/Treas.

Lion Frank Moore, Lions International
President

Lion Bill Smith, District Governor

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Met at the USA/Canada Lions Forum
held in Halifax, Nova Scotia.





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Presentation





2002
Awards Night









2002 - 2003 INSTALLATION
of Cabinet Members
DISTRICT 31-D



LION RALPH HOLMES
DISTRICT GOVERNOR 31-D
2002 - 2003



INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR
Lion Sid Scruggs
and wife
Judy



2002
DGov. Ralph & Amanda Holmes
District 31D

2002 - FOREIGN EXCHANGE STUDENTS
LIONS YOUTH EXCHANGE PROGRAM

COUNTRIES REPRESENTED: Austria - Croatia - Germany - Hungary - Israel - Italy - Peru - Poland - Netherlands - Spain - Switzerland.

HOST FAMILIES: Dr. Steve and Ann Yokeley - Cecil and Sally Johnson - James and Rosemary Bledsoe - Jerry and Ann Weaver - Bob and Lydia Taylor - Michael and Peggy Stanley - D.M. and Mickey Dalton - Wayne and Margaret Hothem - Hugh and Pat Edmonds - Gene and Pat Everette. Lions John Hamilton - Steve Taylor - Joe Bill Woodruff helped with conducting the tour of Mayberry from the Mt. Airy Lions.











Lions Host Foreign Exchange Students

The Dobson and Mount Airy Lions Clubs hosted 11 foreign exchange students recently, plus their two advisors Lion Paul Smith from Charlotte and Lion Terry Kerr from Vass. The exchange students were sponsored by Lions Clubs International Youth Exchange Program.

The exchange students had been touring the state of North Carolina for three weeks when they arrived, and will complete their tour on Aug. 3. This summer the students have toured the Western part of the state. Last year's students toured the Eastern part.

The foreign exchange students represented the following countries: Austria, Croatia, Germany, Hungary, Israel, Italy, Peru, Poland, Netherlands, Spain and Switzerland.

A cookout for the exchange students was provided by Lion Jerry and Ann Weaver on their farm upon their arrival. Lion President Drew Poindexter welcomed the group to Dobson. Following the cookout, each exchange student gave a brief talk on their respective country and how they got involved in the Youth Exchange Program.

Lions and their families from Dobson who hosted the students overnight in their homes were: Dr. Steve and Ann Yokeley, Cecil and Sally Johnson, James and Rosemary Bledsoe, Jerry and Ann Weaver, Bob and Lydia Taylor, Michael and Peggy Stanley, D.M. and Mickey Dalton, Wayne and Mary Margaret Hothem, Hugh, Pat and Breanna Edmonds (Leo Club President), Gene and Pat Everette.

Lions John Hamilton and Steve Taylor from the Mount Airy Lions Club attended the cookout and explained to the students what the Mount Airy Lions had planned for the following day. A tour of "Mayber-

Dobson



Hester Jackson

ry," Granite Quarry and other interesting sites, plus Lion Joe Bill Woodruff had made plans for the students to have lunch at the Mayberry "Snappy Lunch."

Following the tour of "Mayberry" and the Visitors Center it was noted by the exchange students that they were more familiar with Andy Griffith playing "Mallock" rather than Sheriff Taylor in Mayberry and Ron Howard playing in "Happy Days" rather than playing Opie.

After leaving Mount Airy the exchange students traveled to Camp Dogwood located at Lake Norman, visited the camp and stayed a couple of days. They are scheduled to leave on Aug. 3 to return home.

Dobson Lion's Club

The Lion's Club family picnic was a great success. A total of 72 attended the picnic and enjoyed the barbecue and chicken plus watermelon.

The new officers of the club were installed by Cabinet Secretary/Treasurer Lion Gene Everette. Outgoing President Lion Shanon Hamm gave a brief report on the yearly activities of our club and thanked all the Lions for their continued support throughout the year.

Incoming President Lion Drew Poindexter presented Lion Shanon with a past-president pin and congratulated her on

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NEWS



... everyone enjoying the cookout held at Lion Jerry and Ann Weaver's farm.



...Foreign exchange students

her leadership during the year. Lion Drew Poindexter received his president's pin from his wife, Tracy who pinned it upon his lapel. Lion Drew expressed his appreciation to the Lions for their confidence in him to serve as president of the club.

The President's Appreciation Medal was presented by Lion Shanon Hamm to Lion Forris Thompson. She noted his outstanding service and support of the Dobson Lions Club and expressed appreciation of

his sponsoring the flag project and all the work involved in getting the project underway.

Lions Jasper Cook and Don Wilmoth were recognized and awarded the new Bill Willard Partnership and Service Fellowship Awards. The awards were presented by District Chairman Lion Bill Hammond. Lion Jasper Cook was recognized for his

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outstanding service to the club through his work with the yard sales, candy mint display sponsors, fruit sales, Camp Dogwood volunteer work and serving as our Lion Tamer as well as being supportive of all Lions' projects. Lion Don Wilmoth was recognized with his outstanding work with the flag chairmanship project, his service to the board of directors, Camp Dogwood volunteer work, white cane work and for sponsoring two new members as well as being active at all the Lions' projects throughout the year. Each received a nice framed certificate and pin from the North Carolina Lions.

Dobson Library Donation

The Dobson Community Library has been notified that Barnes & Noble have announced that on Sept. 18, 19 and 20, at any of their Barnes & Nobles Bookstores in

North Carolina, people may purchase books, music and magazines with a voucher and a percentage of the sales, before tax, will be donated back to state libraries.

For this purpose, vouchers are being sent to libraries across North Carolina for the patrons to pick up and use during their shopping trip to Barnes & Noble. The libraries will receive their vouchers sometime in August.

This is a plus for the libraries and the Dobson Library is included and will receive some of the proceeds that is to be divided equally among all libraries participating statewide. Usually the percentage given to the benefiting organization is figured on a sliding scale, but adding all the sales together benefits libraries because it guarantees a 25 percent will be given to the libraries.



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A wonderful time was had by all.



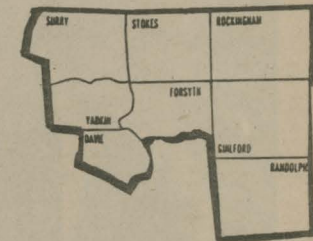
Students and Lions, along with their families, discuss cultures during the cookout.



Bill Smith

District 31-D

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Extraordinary job by extraordinary lions

*By Bill Smith
District Governor*

What a great year! We are privileged to celebrate a year of extraordinary accomplishments for our district. Together you Lions have had the determination in making sure our priorities were in the right places and our goals were accomplished.

Our district has been a busy one this year. The Triad Information Reading Service for the Blind in Winston-Salem celebrates a year of broadcasting made available by obtaining matching funds from Lions International. Volunteers broadcast four hours a day and the other 20 hours are via satellite programming from New York.



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The **Greater Greensboro Lions Clubs** with matching funds from **Lions International** built the Habitat House for Humanity. The project was started on Sept. 15, 2001 and completed by Christmas Day.

The **Mocksville Lions Club** officially chartered a new Leo club on March 27, at Davie High School. The eye care clinic at the Community Care Center in Winston-Salem was dedicated on April 18.

This is another project made possible through securing matching

funds from **Lions International**. I am truly proud of all **District 31-D** Lions for your accomplishments and projects done for the less fortunate.

Lion Johnsie and I consider it a privilege to have served you this year. A special thank you to Cabinet/Secretary Gene Everette for all that he has done. You're a great district and a great group of Lions!



Mike Schwartz Photo



(Above photo) Gov. Bill Smith presenting President Danny Highfill, Mayodan Lions Club, with a lapel pin for sponsoring five new members this year. He also received the International President's Bronze, Silver and Gold Certificates of Sponsorship.

(Photo to left) Gene Everette of Dobson Lions Club, center, was one of three people awarded the International Presidential Medal. He received it from International President-Elect Kay Fukushima and International Director Sid Scruggs during ceremonies at the 79th Annual state Lions Club Convention.

(Photo to right) Lion Bill Hunnicutt, Hamilton Lakes Lions Club, is busy working a machine in the Screening Van at The Urban Ministry in Greensboro.

