LIONS CODE OF ETHICS

TO SHOW my faith in the worthiness of my vocation by industrious application to the end that I may merit a reputation for quality of service.

TO SEEK success and to demand all fair remuneration or profit as my just due, but to accept no profit or success at the price of my own self-respect lost because of unfair or because of questionable acts on my part.

TO REMEMBER that in building up my business, it is not necessary to tear down another's, to be loyal to my clients or customers and true to myself.

WHENEVER a doubt arises as to the right or ethics of my position or action towards my fellow men, to resolve such doubt against myself.

TO HOLD friendship as an end and not a means. To hold that true friendship exists not on account of the service preformed by one to another, but accepts service in the spirit in which it is given.

ALWAYS bear in mind my obligations as a citizen to my nation, my state, and my community, and to give them my unswerving loyalty in word, act and deed. To give them freely of my time, labor, and means.

TO AID my fellow men by giving my sympathy to those in distress, my aid to the weak, and my substance to the needy.

TO BE CAREFUL with my criticism and liberal with my praise, to build up and not destroy.

PORTRAIT OF A LION

Nominee _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Criteria for Quality Members:

- ★ Good Moral Character
- ★ Volunteer Time
- ★ Willingness to Serve
- ★ Good Reputation in Community
- ★ Initiative & Expertise
- ★ Leadership Potential
- ★ Positive Attitude

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LEECHBURG - GILPIN LIONS CLUB

Pennsylvania | District 14N

"We Serve"

Chartered 1948

Leechburg-Gilpin Lions Club

The Leechburg-Gilpin Lions Club is a member of Lions District 14N and Lions International.

Benefit of Membership

- ★ Community service
- ★ Personal growth
- ★ Prestige of belonging to the world's largest service organization
- ★ Develop leadership skills
- ★ Fellowship
- ★ Enlarge your circle of friends
- ★ Networking opportunity

For the Club

- ★ Increased membership
- ★ New ideas
- ★ More "hands" for service
- ★ Greater opportunity and potential
- ★ Increased talent/skills
- ★ Greater impact
- ★ Expansion of fund raising capabilities
- ★ Expansion of community service
- ★ Recipient of your unique talents, knowledge and expertise
- ★ Another representative in the community to promote the concept of giving and serving

Membership Requirements

- ★ Sponsorship by a fellow Leechburg-Gilpin Lions member
- ★ Approval by the Board
- ★ Payment of initiation fee and yearly dues
- ★ Attend meetings
- ★ Willingness for commitment and involvement in club and community activities

Club Sponsorships and Donations

The Club has several fundraising events throughout the year. All members are expected to participate in these events. The monies collected are distributed to various charitable organizations within the community.

- ★ Student of the Month
- ★ Leo Club
- ★ 5K Run/Walk
- ★ Make-A-Wish
- ★ High School Scholarships
- ★ Leechburg School District Sports & Events
- ★ Collection and Reuse of Used Eyeglasses
- ★ Optometric Services to Humanity
- ★ Leechburg Area Disaster Fund
- ★ District Governor's Major Projects
- ★ Butler County Association for the Blind
- ★ Haven collection of used cell phones
- ★ Beacon Lodge 365 Club
- ★ Leechburg Food Bank
- ★ Red Cross Blood Drives
- ★ Purchase of new eyeglasses
- ★ Progressive Workshops
- ★ Beacon Lodge
- ★ Community parades
- ★ MTI Photoscreening
- ★ Supporting fellow clubs in Need

District 14N Major Projects

- ★ Beacon Lodge Camp for the Blind
- ★ Leader Dogs for the Blind
- ★ Hearing Research Foundation
- ★ Eye Research & Diabetes Research
- ★ PA. State Foundation
- ★ W. PA. Lions Hearing Foundation
- ★ Lions Youth Outreach Program
- ★ Camp Sports Vision

MISSION STATEMENT

Lions Clubs are non-political, non- sectarian service clubs composed of caring members of the community. The purpose of a Lions Club is more than good fellowship and club social life, important though these are. It is to recognize community needs and develop means of meeting them, either through its own effort or in cooperation with other agencies. Lionism is an active and efficient medium for national and world service, exerting tremendous influence for national welfare, international amity and peace, and human progress socially, culturally and economically.

Lions Clubs Objectives

- ★ To create and foster a spirit of understanding among the people of the world.
- ★ To promote the principles of good government and good citizenship.
- ★ To take an active interest in the civic, cultural, social, and moral welfare of the community.
- ★ To unite the clubs in the bonds of friendship, good fellowship, and mutual understanding.
- ★ To provide a forum for the open discussion of all matters of public interest, provided, however, that partisan politics and sectarian religion shall not be debated by club members.
- ★ To encourage service-minded people to serve their community without personal financial reward, and to encourage efficiency and promote high ethical standards in commerce, industry, professions, public works and private endeavors.

Lions Clubs International