

PDG Stephen Finger, Convention Chairperson
206 Forest DR
LaVale, MD 21502-1911

Multiple District 22
93nd Annual Convention



Dover, Delaware
May 18 – 21, 2015



To: Lions, Lioness and Leos
Club Presidents and Secretaries
Past International President Dr Clement F. Kusiak
Past International Directors
District Governors
First & Second Vice District Governors
Past District Governors
Multiple District Committee Chairs and Coordinators
District MD 22 Convention Chairs

Subject: Multiple District 22 (MD22) Convention:

The Council of Governors invite you, your club members and guests to attend the 93rd MD 22 Convention on **May 18-21, 2015** in Dover, Delaware.

The Convention theme this year will be **“Strengthen the Pride”**. Enclosed you will find the material to order event tickets, arrange for hotel rooms, rent exhibit booths and pin trader tables, and register for the convention, golf tournament and miniature golf tournament.

You can begin the convention playing in the golf tournament at the **Maple Dale Country Club** on Monday, May 18, 2015 and end with the Victory Luncheon on Thursday, May 21, 2015.

Please share this information with your club members and encourage them to attend as this is a convention for all Lions, Lioness, Leos and guests. We are looking forward to seeing you at the convention in Dover, DE.

Yours in Lionism.

Multiple District 22 Convention Committee.

PDG Stephen Finger, Chair, 301-722-3104, sfinger@atlanticbb.net

PDG Harold Boccia, Vice Chair, 410-569-2478, hboccia50@verizon.net

PCC John Lawrence, Treasurer, 410-725-0150, lions@johnlawrence.name

Reasons to Attend.

- Meet and network with Lions, Lionesses and Leos from around the Multiple District. Meet International President Joe Preston.
- Attend enlightening seminars that provide opportunities to share ideas and meet today's challenges of membership in your club.
- Participate in the business of MD 22 and districts in electing District Governors and Vice District Governors.

Plan to attend and BRING your new members.

Convention Hotel

Discounted hotel rates have been negotiated by the convention committee and are available only if you **identify yourself as being with the MD 22 Lions Convention.**

Dover Downs Hotel and Casino (Headquarters Hotel)

1131 N. DuPont Highway, Dover, DE 19903

King or Double	\$135.00 plus 8% Tax and \$6.00 fee
Junior/Executive Suite	\$195.00 plus 8% Tax and \$6.00 fee
Series 25 Suite	\$275.00 plus 8% Tax and \$6.00 fee

CUT-OFF DATE For Rate Guarantee Reservation is April 17, 2015

Registration Process:

Here are the instructions for booking hotel rooms:

Option 1: Call Reservations Department at 800-711-5882 and reference **Group Code GMD2215.**

Option 2: Book online

- 1) Go to website www.doverdowns.com and click **Hotel Reservations (left side of page)**
- 2) Enter code **lions2015** in **Special Code Offer** box, and click -Get Ratesø
- 3) Enter **password: lions2015** and click -submitø (all lowercase)
- 4) Select desired check-in date, number of nights, bed type, etc. and click -Get Ratesø
- 5) Select room option preference and click -Book Itø
- 6) Complete transaction.

JOIN THE FUN!

SPONSOR A HOLE AT THE
MD22 GOLF TOURNAMENT
MAY 18, 2015
Dover, Delaware

FOR ONLY \$50.00 YOU OR YOUR CLUB
CAN BE PART OF THE TOURNAMENT

An 11" X 17" SIGN WILL BE POSTED
ON THE GREEN
WITH YOUR CLUB'S NAME, LIONS LOGO
AND YOUR DISTRICT

PLEASE CALL OR SEND YOUR CHECK TO:
MD22 CONVENTION COMMITTEE- GOLF
PDG Harold Boccia
505 Country Walk Court
Bel Air, MD 21015
410-569-2478



Our Convention Service Project will be for EACH REGISTRANT to
bring one children's' book to the Convention. Second Vice District
Governors will be in charge of making this happen!

Schedule of Events

Monday, May 18, 2015

	<u>Time</u>
Golf Tournament at Maple Dale Country Club	11:00 am
Registration, Exhibits, Merchandise & Ticket Sales	1:00 ó 5:00 pm
Rollins Center at Dover Downs Hotel	
Council of Governors Reception and Dinner (by invitation)	5:45 ó 7:45 pm
Dover Downs Hotel	
PreóConvention Social	8:00 pm
Rollins Center Ballroom	

Tuesday, May 19, 2015

	Rollins Center at Dover Downs Hotel
Opening Business Session	9:00 am
Registration, Exhibits, Merchandise & Ticket Sales	9:00 am ó 12:00 noon
Melvin Jones Luncheon	12:00 Noon ó 1:30 pm
Seminars	1:30 pm ó 4:30 pm
Registration, Exhibits, Merchandise & Ticket Sales	1:00 pm ó 5:00 pm
MD22 Banquet	Social 6:00 pm Dinner 7:00 pm

Wednesday, May 20, 2015

	Rollins Center at Dover Downs Hotel
PDG Breakfast	7:00 am ó 8:00 am
Registration, Exhibits, Merchandise & Ticket Sales	9:00 am ó 10:45 am
Seminars	9:00 am ó 10:30 am
Memorial Service (Registration and exhibit booths closed during service)	11:00 am - 12:00 Noon
District Luncheons	12:30 pm ó 2:00 pm
District Meetings	2:00 pm ó 4:00 pm
Exhibits and Merchandise	2:00 pm ó 5:00 pm
Registration and Ticket Sales	3:00 pm ó 5:00 pm
Hospitality Eventó Ballroom at Rollins Center	7:30 pm ó 10:00 pm
<i>Meet the candidates for elected office, share fun and fellowship</i>	

Thursday, May 21, 2015

	Rollins Center at Dover Downs Hotel
LYF Breakfast	7:00 am- 8:00 am
Registration and Ticket Sales	8:00 am-10:00 am
Exhibits and Merchandise	9:00 am-11:00 am
Second Business Session	9:00 am
District Business Meetings and Elections	11:00 am
Victory Luncheon	12:30 pm

**Maple Dale Country Club
180 Maple Dale Circle
Dover, DE 19904
2015 MD Convention Golf Tournament**

Monday, May 18, 2015
11:00 a.m. Registration/Lunch
12:30 Noon Shotgun Start
Cost \$75.00
Price includes green fee, cart, prizes & lunch
Deadline: May 11, 2015
(putting contest and mulligans extra)

Format: Four Person Scramble

Annual Governor's Cup Trophy and Silver Fox (over 50 years old) for all Lions teams.

ONLY ALL LIONS TEAMS ARE ELIGIBLE TO WIN THE TROPHY!

All golfers will be eligible for all other prizes.

Awards for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place, closest to the pin, longest drive, and straightest drive are open to all teams. Putting Contest.

**Multiple District 22 Convention
Dover Delaware May 18, 2015
Golf Tournament Registration Form**

Please enter me in the Lions Multiple District 22 Convention Golf Tournament.

Enclosed is a check made payable to MD 22 Convention Committee.

No. of Golfers ____ @ \$75.00 each = \$_____ Tee Time 12:30 p.m.

Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Telephone: _____

I wish to play with _____

(You will be assigned to a foursome if no choice is indicated)

Please make check payable to: MD 22 Convention Committee

Send form and check to:

**PDG Harold Boccia
505 Country Walk Court
Bel Air, MD 21015**

Exhibit Booths and Pin Trader Tables

Reservations must be made by May 11, 2015

Lions and Lioness Clubs, Lions organizations non-profits and commercial exhibitors are invited to reserve exhibit space and/or pin trader tables at the 93rd Multiple District 22 Convention.

We expect approximately 700 Lions, Lioness, Leos and guests to attend the convention giving an excellent opportunity to sell raffle tickets, provide information and material about your service projects, sell products and services.

Booth space is as follows:

Each exhibit booth is 10 feet wide, 8 feet high. Each exhibit booth will have one 6' cloth covered table and two chairs, unless requested otherwise.

Exhibit hours are as follows:

Monday, May 18	1:00 pm to 5:00 pm
Tuesday, May 19	9:00 am to 12:00 noon; 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm
Wednesday, May 20	9:00 am to 10:45 am; 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm
Thursday, May 21	9:00 am to 11:00 am

**Multiple District 22 Convention
Dover Downs Hotel and Casino
Dover, Delaware, May 18-21, 2015
Exhibit Booth & Pin Trader Table Order Form**

Organization: _____

Contact Person: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Telephone Number: _____ E-Mail: _____

Exhibit Category

_____ Commercial	\$200 for 8'x 10' space with 6' table
_____ Lions Organization	\$75 for 8'x 10' space with 6' table
_____ Pin Trader Table	\$50 6' table
_____ Electricity	\$35
_____ Pipe and Drape	\$35

Total Remitted: \$ _____

Please make check payable to: MD 22 Convention Committee

Send form and check to:

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Bel Air, MD 21015**

Pre – Convention Social

The Pre Convention Social will be on Monday, May 18, 2015, at 8:00 pm. at the Rollins Center, Dover Downs Hotel, Ballroom. **This year the Convention Committee would like to start your convention fun at The Lions Den Night Club.** What better time to wind down from your long drive or not so long drive, with friends you have not seen in a while, and just enjoy the evening. Don't forget to bring your new members and your families. Cash Bar, Live Act, Music.

Seminars

Seminars are educational and interesting. The information obtained at the seminars can provide personal growth and help to enhance the operation of our Lions organization. **It's a great place to bring your new members and officers to educate them on Lionism.**

The schedule for the seminars has not been determined but the hours will be 1:30pm to 4:30 pm on Tuesday, May 19, 2015 and 9:00 am to 10:30 am on Wednesday, May 20, 2015.

Plan to attend the seminars to help yourself, your club and Lionism.

Candidate Hospitality Night

Candidate Hospitality Night will be Wednesday, May 20, 2015, from 7:30 to 10:00 pm. Candidate Hospitality tables for District Governor, First and Second Vice District Governors, and International Director will be setup in the Ballroom of the Rollins Center. Enjoy great fellowship and friendship at this event. Come and visit with old friends, meet new friends and meet the candidates.

Instructions for Registering & Ordering Event Tickets

Use the form on the reverse side to **Register** and/or **Order Event Tickets**. **Even if you are not ordering tickets to any events you need to send it in to register for the Convention.** This form may be reproduced as needed.

The form may be used by an individual registrant or a couple purchasing tickets or registering together. Please **do not use this form for more than two people**. Forms with more than two names will be returned.

All registrations and orders are to be sent to the Convention Committee Treasurer, **PCC John Lawrence 105 Acorn DR, Chestertown, MD 21620**. Note: No e-mail orders will be accepted. **Payment must accompany orders.**

Hospitality Book - Tickets included in the hospitality book are for the Multiple District Banquet, District Luncheons and the Victory Luncheon.

Tail Twister Sticker - For \$4 per registrant you can order a tail twister sticker to provide exemption from tail twister fines at each event.

Check or Money Order only for the function tickets and tail twister stickers ordered. Orders without payment will be returned. Orders may be grouped and covered by one check (preferably a club check); however, **each participant must have an individual registration form**. The check should be made payable to MD 22 Convention Committee.

Multiple District Banquet seating will be assigned in the order of receipt of your order. To ensure being seated together, please send all orders (with payment) in one envelope. Each table seats ten persons.

Registration Packets - Hospitality books and tickets will not be mailed to the Lions or the clubs. An envelope for each individual or couple will be available for pickup at your District registration desk. This envelope will contain your name badge(s), hospitality book(s), tickets and tail twister stickers ordered.

Golfer's Note: Your registration package will be at the golf course unless you specify that you want to pick it up at the Rollins Center, Dover Downs Hotel.

All questions concerning hospitality books, tickets, and tail twister stickers should be addressed to **PCC John Lawrence, 105 Acorn DR, Chestertown, MD 21620 410-725-0150, or lions@johnlawrence.name**.

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Dover, Delaware

Registration and Ticket Order Form

Provide this information to pre-register even if no tickets are ordered.

DEADLINE: May 11, 2015, to be received by Treasurer

Form may be duplicated

Registrant No 1

Name: Lion-Lioness-Leo _____ Nickname _____
 (Circle one only) Last First
 Street or P.O. Box _____ Home Phone _____
 City/State/Zip _____ Club _____
 Email Address _____ District A B C D W (Circle one only)
 MEDICAL Food Allergy/Restriction _____

Registrant No 2

Name: Lion-Lioness-Leo-Guest _____ Nickname _____
 (Circle one only) Last First
 Street or P.O. Box _____ Home Phone _____
 City/State/Zip _____ Club _____
 Email Address _____ District - A B C D W (Circle one only)
 MEDICAL Food Allergy/Restriction _____

Hospitality Book and/or Tickets	Price	Registrant No 1	Registrant No 2	Amount
Hospitality Book (Includes MD Banquet, Sub-District Luncheon, Victory Lunch) Select entree for Victory Luncheon in boxes below.	\$97			
Pre-Convention Entertainment and Cash Bar Monday, May 18, 2015 8:00 pm	\$10			
Melvin Jones Luncheon - Plated (Fellows + one guest) Tuesday, May 19, 2015, 12:00 noon-1:30 pm	\$32 each			
PDG Breakfast ó will be contacted separately	xx	xxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxx
LYF Breakfast ó Chairperson PDG Bob Disinger	xx	xxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxx
District Luncheon - Buffet (if ordered separately) Wednesday, May 20, 2015, 12:30 pm-2:00 pm	\$32			
Multiple District Banquet (if ordered separately) Tuesday May 19, 2015, Social @ 6:00 p.m., Dinner @ 7:00 p.m.	\$43			
Victory Luncheon ó Plated (if ordered separately) Thursday, May 21, 2015, 12:30 p.m. Pick ONE Choice: Three Cheese Meatloaf (B), or Vegetarian Baked Stuffed Bell Pepper (V), or Flounder Roulade w/Seafood Supreme (F)	\$28	() B () V () F	() B () V () F	
Tail Twister Immunity Stickers - Provides immunity from the Tail Twisters at events	\$4			

Total Amount

Mail orders to: **PCC John Lawrence**
 105 Acorn DR
 Chestertown, MD 21620

Make checks payable to:
Multiple District 22 Convention Committee
NO REFUNDS AFTER May 11, 2015