

The Lion's Roar

Fair Grove Lions Club

"We Serve"

May 2011



Lions at Forefront of Aid to Tornado Victims

On Wednesday, April 27, another deadly tornado outbreak in the U.S. killed upwards of 300 people (with several still unaccounted for and that number sadly expected to rise), left thousands homeless and caused millions of dollars in damage.

As always, our members and Foundation are bringing aid to the people affected by this disaster. Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF) has awarded 11 emergency grants to districts in Alabama, North Carolina, Virginia, Mississippi and Missouri. Local Lions will use these grants to provide immediate relief supplies, including food, water, clothing and medication.

LCIF has also established a designated fund for donations, the U.S. Southern States Tornado Disaster Fund.

The recent tornados that passed through our state have left a lot of damage to the woodlands and homes in North Carolina and left people in communities in Eastern North Carolina in need of

assistance. Lions Clubs international Foundation has already sent \$10,000 each to the District Governors in 31-F, G, H, and J to assist people in those areas to recover from the tornado's that tore through our state.

Local Lions clubs will provide basic necessities -- such as food, clothing, blankets, bottled water, and medical supplies. Anyone wishing to assist persons in these communities may do so by sending a contribution to the North Carolina Lions Foundation, PO Box 39, Sherrills Ford, NC. Make checks payable to the NC Lions Foundation and designate it for NC Tornado relief. If you would like to designate the funds to a specific community, list the name of the community on your check. All funds received will be sent to the appropriate District Governor for distribution. Funds not designated for a specific community will be distributed equally to Districts 31- F, G, H and J.



Special Points of Interest:

Reminder:

We're quickly closing in on the deadline for selling Camp Dogwood tickets. Please make every effort to get your quota of books sold so we can meet our goal this year!!!

"Courage is contagious. When a brave man takes a stand, the spines of others are often stiffened."

Billy Graham

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Monthly FGLC Bingo
Thursdays, 6:30 PM
 May 12, 2011
 June 9, 2011
 July 21, 2011



2010 – 2011
FGLC White Cane
Goal
\$6,000

2010 - 2011
District 31-E
White Cane Goal
\$167,000

As of 04/26/11

\$ 122,279.91
73.2%

May 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 Lions	3	4	5 VIP Debbie Fritts BD!	6	7 Yard Sale Tville Funeral- 8 am until
8 Happy Mother's Day! 	9 Lions	10	11	12 Bingo!	13	14
15	16 Lions	17	18	19	20	21
22	23 Lions HB Maryann M!	24 Happy Anniv Wilsons!	25	26	27 HB C.L. E!	28
29	30  No mtg. VIP Frankie Sexton BD!	31				

Lions International Convention in the “Emerald City”



The Lions Clubs 94th International Convention will be held from July 4-8, 2011 for the first time ever in the dynamic city of Seattle, Washington, USA.

July is a wonderful time to be in Seattle. The cosmopolitan "Emerald City," surrounded by mountains and water, is the quintessential destination where visitors can enjoy abundant sightseeing attractions, cultural activities, shopping and international cuisine in the heart of a scenic and vibrant city. Seattle's "Essential Hits," which include the Space Needle, Puget Sound, and Pike Place Market, are among the many favorites not to be missed.

The convention week will be packed with lively business sessions, special events, and get-togethers that are sure to energize and entertain attendees of all ages. The rousing International Parade of Nations, a gala international show, and the installation of LCI's 2011-2012 International President are but a few.

In our ever-changing world, Lions from all walks of life represent a Beacon of Hope in their commitment to touch the lives of those in need. And that is what we are all about. You can still sign up to join us in Seattle as we gather together to celebrate yesterday's achievements and plan for an even better tomorrow.