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Ocoee Lions Club Newsletter
President Lion Melissa Tanner

February 2020
Editor Lion Melissa Tanner

Current Calendar (new dates highlighted in yellow)

02/03/20 – Club Meeting at 7PM (Guest Speaker: Rachel Bell-Project Street Light)

02/17/20 - Club Meeting at 7PM

02/22/20 – Eyeglass Sort at the Ocoee Lions Club at 9AM

02/28/20 – March 1st – 2019-2020 Council of Governors Multi-district Spring Conference. Lion Melissa will be presenting on MyLion. See flier for more information:

https://gallery.mailchimp.com/ccd0c4dd9241a5f641fb6c3c9/files/cb81b9c2-af9d-41ca-9f8a-37946755d45d/SPRING_CONFERENCE_2020.pdf

Future Event Calendar

03/07/20 – 1st Annual District 35-O Women's Symposium in Maitland. Lion Melissa will be presenting on Embracing Diversity. For more information:

<https://www.dropbox.com/s/6cl6z4rf7plkm07/New%20Voices%20March%207%20flyer.pdf?dl=0>

03/14/20 – 2nd Annual Shred to Protect from 9AM to Noon

03/28/20 – Ocoee Spring Fling

05/18/20 – Zone Meeting at 7PM at the Ocoee Lions Club

February Birthdays, Anniversaries, and Holidays

2/1 – Lion Fred Wilsen (Anniversary – 24 years)

2/3 – Lion Karen Wheeler (Anniversary – 6 years)

2/20 – Lion Jim Sills (Birthday)



Ocoee Lions Club Meetings

The Ocoee Lions Club hosts regular meetings on the 1st and 3rd Monday nights of each month, excluding holidays. The meetings are hosted at the Ocoee Lions Club building (old train station) at 108 Taylor Street in Ocoee. Meetings start at 7 pm and normally we serve dinner for \$6. **Please join us!!!**

Greetings from King Lion Melissa Tanner

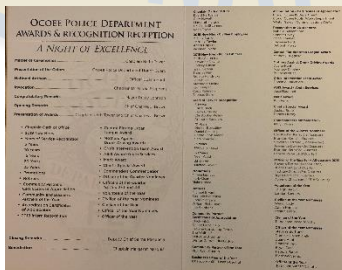
Hello fellow Lions and friends. In January we received some exciting news that the Ocoee Police Department was recognizing the Ocoee Lion Club for all the hard work we do in the community with the first annual Community Partner Certificate of Appreciation. We were in good company with the other recipients being Chick-Fil-A, Crowne Consulting Group, The Wolf 103.1, VMG Construction, Inc. and Winter Garden Elks Lodge. Attending the ceremony from the club were SVDG Lion Steven Van Varick, his Partner in Service and wife Lynn Van Varick, Lion Cathy Sills, Lion Jim Sills, Lion Britannia Rodney, Lion Tracey Tanner, and myself. It was great to see all of the officers, department staff, volunteers, and community leaders get recognized. Great job Lions...you've earned this!

In January, the District held the 3rd District Advisory Meeting in Clermont. There was a lot of information shared at the event and I'll have it with me at the meeting on February 3rd to review. The biggest takeaway is the Quest Candy Bar Fundraiser. The Multi-District is working together to raise money to be able to apply for a \$80,000 grant for the Quest Program. If you could help sell the candy bars it would be appreciated. You can reach out to me or SVDG Lion Steven to learn more.

We have a lot going on this spring. I look forward to working with everyone in Lionism.



Lynn, Lion Melissa, and Lion Tracey



List of Awards from the Ocoee Awards and Recognition Reception



Community Partner Certificate of Appreciation

Upcoming Events



SHRED to Protect
Identity Theft / Fraud Prevention / Awareness Event
Shred Your Confidential Documents Safely

SPONSORED BY
ORLANDO HEALTH Saturday, March 14, 2020
9 a.m. – Noon
The event will not take home, just shred for good and free!

HOSTED BY
Ocoee Police Department
646 Ocoee Commerce Pkwy, Ocoee, FL 34761
1 box* free, suggested donation of \$5 per box after, limit 5 boxes.
*If you need to shred more than 5 boxes, please contact: polymaintenance@ocoeefl.com.

Items accepted:
• Papers
• Folders
• Stamps
• No other items will be accepted.

Items NOT accepted:
• No liquids
• Paper clips
• No other items will be accepted.

Rotary Club of Ocoee
Ocoee Lions Club
The Ocoee Lions Club is proud to support this event.

Donations Benefit Local Charities
All Donations Welcome



Project Right to Sight Eyeglass Sort on February 22nd

SPRING Fling

Hosted by the City of Ocoee on March 28th

Dinner out on the
Town on March 30th



"LET THE WORLD HEAR YOU RAWR"
Sheraton Orlando North
600 North Lake Destiny Road
Maitland, FL 32751
Saturday, March 7th
9 AM to 3 PM
Rooms Joyce I & II
\$25 Includes Lunch
Hosted by District

District 35-O 2019 – 2020 Leadership

District Governor Lion Greg Evans LionGregEvans@gmail.com

1st Vice District Governor Lion Harry Williams lionhwilliams01@gmail.com

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Cabinet Secretary Lion Bobbie Cheh ormondbob@aol.com

Cabinet Treasurer Lion Joe Langello joelangello@yahoo.com

Zone 4 Chair Lion Glenn Brown drglennbrown@hotmail.com

District 35-O Website: <http://www.e-district.org/sites/35o/index.php>

District 35-O Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/FloridaLionsDistrict35O/>

District Directory: https://drive.google.com/file/d/16t-AYKuFbnby_8nrbgA-f8rStYTgv6tL/view?ts=5d40ac9e

Ocoee Lions Club Social Media

The Ocoee Lions Club has the following Social Media presence:

Website: <https://www.ocoeelionsclub.com/>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/ocoeelionsclub/>

Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/ocoeelionsclub/>

Twitter: <https://twitter.com/OcoeeLionsClub>



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