



### MARCH 10

UNIVERSITY CLUB GRAND RAPIDS MI

Join us for lunch and fellowship at the University Club including club business covering up coming opportunities for members. Additionally we will be covering some Lions International Information from the LCI site - a great way to learn more about our great organization and how to "Lion" around the world!

## **MARCH 17 - DAVID BURCH**

AUTHOR - "POCKET FULL OF DREAMS"

David Burch joins us today, author of "Pocket Full of Dreams." In his book David shares, "You don't have to settle for the cards you have been dealt. Rearrange your hand and look at your options." David will share stories from and his process of writing his book "Pocket Full of Dreams."

#### TOP EVENTS

UNIVERSITY CLUB | DOWNTOWN GRAND RAPIDS LUNCHEON MEETINGS BEGIN AT 12:15 P.M. UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.

#### MARCH 10

 LUNCH MEETING SPEAKER TBD

#### MARCH 17

- "WEAR GREEN"
- DAVID BURCH AUTHOR

#### MARCH 24

• LUNCH MEETING SPEAKER TBD

#### MARCH 31

NO LUNCH MEETING







## **BLIND DINNER DATE MARCH 24 2020**

15TH ANNIVERSARY

When: Tuesday, March 24, 2020

Where: The B.O.B.

**DEADLINE FOR SPONSORSHIPS: FRIDAY MARCH 13 2020** 

There are many ways in which all Lion members can help make this a success.

Committee chair, Ben Eavey, has stated the team really needs help "recruiting sponsors and getting the word out."

All the funds raised through the Blind Dinner Date provide:

- **eye care** to all ages through the Grand Rapids Lions Club Vision Clinic at Cherry Health, including children with special needs;
- **rehabilitation** services to individuals with visual impairment or blindness through the Association for the Blind & Visually Impaired.

To view the involvement levels and sign up you can visit:

https://www.grandrapidslionsclub.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/2020-Sponsor-Packet.dft2-1.pdf



### **LIONS SOCIAL FUN:**

Join us for fun and the opportunity to get to know each other better.

**Bowling on Mondays -** Northfield Lanes 4:45PM Substitute Bowlers always welcome.

\*NOTE: You do NOT have be be a good bowler\* 2222 Plainfield Ave NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49505

**Tuesday Lunch Meetings -** Looking for a great speaker, great lunch with great people? Join us Tuesdays (every Tuesday but the last Tuesday of every month Sept - May. Share a meal with your fellow members and listen to a great speaker.

Eye Glass Recycling: UPDATE: The Eyeglasses Recycling Center will open mid-late March and be open every Tuesday night from 6 till 8. More information to follow as we get close to opening the doors again to our Club's Service Project 4060 29th Street, Grand Rapids.

## 100 YEAR CELEBRATION UPDATE

UPDATE FROM 100TH CELEBRATION NOVEMBER 6 2019

President Ed Thauer has reported we raised \$42, 250 from the 100th event. We spent \$33, 114 with a net profit of approx. \$13,000 (\$500 still outstanding). Profits all going to the GR Lions Foundation.

During the event a wonderful video highlighting 100 years of service was share. You can watch the video here: <a href="https://youtu.be/O8-3107S6bY">https://youtu.be/O8-3107S6bY</a>





### OPPORTUNITIES:

Engage & Enjoy

#### **BLIND DINNER DATE**

• MARCH 24

## DISTRICT & MD11 CONVENTION

 MAY 15 & 16 HOLLAND MI DOUBLETREE HOTEL

#### **ANNUAL MEETING**

 STAY TUNED FOR DATE & INVITE

#### **DRIVE FOR VISION**

JUNE 15

## INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION

• JUNE 25-29 SINGAPORE

#### **CARS FOR A CAUSE**

• STAY TUNED FOR DATE

#### USA/CANADA LIONS FORUM

• SEPT 17-19 LOUISVILLE KY

#### DID YOU KNOW?

Lion Clubs International Foundation (LCIF) organizes international efforts into 8 categories of focus.

#### They are:

- Vision
- Youth
- Disaster Relief
- Humanitarian
- Diabetes
- Hunger
- Environment
- Childhood Cancer

#### **NUDA VERITAS**

# LIONS: BE IN THE KNOW

### **DISTRICT 11-C1 NEWS**

To find out more about news in our Lions Club District 11-C1 covering Lions in Allegan, Barry, Ionia, Kent, Muskegon, and Ottawa visit

http://www.lionsdistrictllcl.org/





To find out more about news in our Michigan Lions visit:

http://lionsofmi.com/lions-of-michigan-member/



## LIONS INTERNATIONAL ®

To find out more about news in Lions International visit: <a href="https://lionsclubs.org/en/resources-for-members/lions-events-calendar">https://lionsclubs.org/en/resources-for-members/lions-events-calendar</a>



Curious about eyeglass recycling locations around town?
We have the perfect "site" to restore your sight .... For an interactive map visit: <a href="https://www.grandrapidslionsclub.org/glasses-drop-off/">https://www.grandrapidslionsclub.org/glasses-drop-off/</a>

"Non nobis solum nati sumus."

"(Not for ourselves alone are we born.)"

- Marcus Tullius Cicero



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