



GRAND RAPIDS LIONS CLUB

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Happy New Year Fellow Lions! Our lunches and great events continue in 2022!
See below for the latest.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **JANUARY 1: HAPPY NEW YEAR!**
- **JANUARY 4: LUNCH MEETING**
RSVP TO CHERYL ANDERSON BY
WEDNESDAY 12-29-21
ANDERSOC@GVSU.EDU
- **JANUARY 18: LUNCH MEETING**
RSVP TO CHERYL ANDERSON BY
FRIDAY JANUARY 14 2022
ANDERSOC@GVSU.EDU
- **JANUARY 25: FULL BOARD MEETING**

Happy New Year

WHO WAS MELVIN JONES?

FOUNDER OF LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL



Name: Melvin Jones (January 13, 1879 – June 1, 1961)

Profession: Insurance Sales, Lions Clubs International Founder

Years as a Lion: 1917-1961

We hear the name Melvin Jones a lot in the club and at Lion functions; including an annual award that bears his name. How many of us really know that much about Melvin Jones and the history of Lions Clubs International?

Known as the father of all Lions Clubs, Melvin Jones had quite a history before founding the international humanitarian organization known today at Lions Clubs International. In celebration of his birthday January 13 1879, watch this wonderful video Lions Clubs International has assembled on Melvin Jones.

visit this link:

<https://youtu.be/mETBeW4Y6lc>



MEMBER UPDATES:

UPDATES OUR MEMBERS WOULD LIKE TO SHARE

Fellow Lions: Have something new in your life you would like to share? We are looking to be sure that if you have something you would like the Grand Rapids Lions Club family to know about - please let us know. Examples might be:

- New additions and happening with your family: Kids, grandkids, pets etc, Marriages, Births
- New addresses - if you have moved and would like to the club members to have your new address,
- Illness or reason you need some extra support - we are here for you!!!



You can email, or call or text me anytime:



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Yours in Lionism,

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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.lionsdistrict11c1.org/>



Curious about eyeglass recycling locations around town?

We have the perfect "site" to restore your sight For an

interactive map visit:

<https://www.grandrapidlionsclub.org/glasses-drop-off/>

STATE LION NEWS

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:

<https://lionsclubs.org/en/resources-for-members/lions-events-calendar>

**"The bad news is time flies.
The good news is you're the pilot."**

– Michael Altshuler

Happy Birthday!

RENEE MIKA 12/1

KYLE TRAVIS 12/4

EDDIE KLEINFELD 12/6

TOM DANDRIDGE 12/21

JIM SCHUYLER 12/27

AARON PLAFKIN 12/30

RICHARD NELSON 1/4

JOHN RICE 1/4

COLLEEN MULDER 1/9

MELVIN JONES 1/13

WAYNE BEUSCHEL 1/15

JOE ANNORENO 1/20

LYNN DANDRIDGE 1/24

DON JAKEL 1/31

BOB WINCHESTER 1/31



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