



### MARCH/APRIL 2022

Good bye March - Hello April! Here we are with Spring in full swing - join us for great events this month!!!

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

- APRIL 5 LUNCH MEETING LUNCH AT THE UNIVERSITY CLUB RSVP NEEDS TO BE TO CHERYL ANDERSON (ANDERSOC@GVSU.EDU) BY FRIDAY APRIL 1 (FOR REAL - NO FOOLIN' ☺)
- APRIL 19 GUEST DAY/ OPEN HOUSE LUNCH AT THE UNIVERSITY CLUB RSVP NEEDS TO BE TO CHERYL ANDERSON (ANDERSOC@GVSU.EDU) BY FRIDAY ARPIL 15 - SEE DETAILS ON PAGE 2
- APRIL 26 EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING



**GRAND RAPIDS LIONS CLUB PRESENTS:** 

# APRIL 19 2022 LUNCH & LEARN



### LEARN HOW YOU CAN JOIN WITH US IN HELPING OUR COMMUNITY

Meet & greet club members,
enjoy lunch, and learn about
how together we can continue
to help our community to be
strong and thrive!

JOIN US APRIL 19 12:15PM-1:30PM

- University Club Grand Rapids
- 111 Lyon St NW # 1025,
- Grand Rapids, MI 49503

#### **RSVP HERE:**

https://www.grandrapidslionsclub.org/2022/03/09/april-19-2022-guest-day/



### **RECAP FOR MARCH 16 VOLUNTEER DAY**

On March 16th, 10 Lions members gathered to assemble water filters for Village Water Filters. Club secretary, Cheryl Anderson assembled the following about the event: We had a small, 10 person but fun group work for almost 2 hours and create approx 800 water filters. Thank you to the following Lions for their time:

Jeff & Jean Kraai, Tom & Lynn Dandridge, Ben, Sherah, Reagan, Taylor Eavey, Gary & Cheryl Anderson

You can view the full report here:

https://www.grandrapidslionsclub.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/03/March-Service-Project-Recap.pdf







NUDA VERITAS

### **ANDERSONS TRAVEL TO NY FOR UN MEETING**

Club Secretary Cheryl Anderson had a few words to share about their experience: We are so excited to participate in Lions Day at the United Nations event this year! PID Dr Gary Anderson was on the panel explaining the Vision Campaign part (Kidsight) Lions Clubs International has worked with the United Nations since its founding in 1945 to bring help to people in need around the globe."







Welcome 44<sup>th</sup>Annual Lions Day with the United Nations





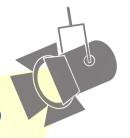
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### **MEMBER SPOTLIGHT:**

HIGHLIGHTING A MEMBER OF THE GRAND RAPIDS LIONS CLUB



Name: Matt Hulswit **Profession:** Project Manager at **Owen-Ames-Kimball** (Commercial Construction) Years as a Lion: 4 years Spouse/family: Jill Hulswit



#### Q: What is your favorite thing about being a Lion?

• **MH:** I like the lunches when I'm able to join to catch up with fellow Lion members.

#### Q: If you were talking with someone considering being a Lion, what advice would you have to share?

• MH: Its a great way to meet people outside your regular circle of contacts.

#### Q: When not at Lions, what do you like to do for fun?

• MH: Fly fish, grill, hang with the family, be outside.

### **MEMBER UPDATES:**

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
- Business Happenings, Awards, Career Updates
- 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!!!

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.lionsdistrictllcl.org/

### STATE LION NEWS

To find out more about news in our Michigan Lions visit: <u>http://lionsofmi.com/lions-of-michigan-</u> member/

### LIONS INTERNATIONAL 🚳

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



Curious about eyeglass recycling locations around town? We have the perfect "site" to restore your sight .... For an interactive map visit: <u>https://www.grandrapid</u> <u>slionsclub.org/glassesdrop-off/</u>

""The earth laughs in flowers." " –Ralph Waldo Emerson

Happy Birthday!

MARCH:APRIL:BOB YOUNGER 3/6MATT HULSWITJAMES BAIRD 3/18SCOTT EMBREETONY ZOELLNER 3/20JEAN KRAAI 4/18ANN ZOELLNER 3/27GAIL JUNOD 4/24

APRIL: MATT HULSWIT 4/2 SCOTT EMBREE 4/6 JEAN KRAAI 4/18 GAIL JUNOD 4/24 JACQUELINE SMART-PARRISH 4/24

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