MORE VOLUNTEERS

In MORE PLACES

Then Any Other Service Club Organization

CONCORD LIONS CLUB

Serving since 1932

- Our Mission to serve our Community
- Our major project to aid the sight and hearing impaired.
 - We provide free eye examinations, eyeglasses, and medical assistance to persons in need
 - Each year we provide recreational activities to visually impaired persons living in Concord
 - Parties and picnics
 - Weeklong vacations to Camp Dogwood for the Blind
 - Fishing trips to Nags Head to attend the NC Lions Visually Impaired Fishing Tournament
- Other programs we support locally:
 - US flag display at businesses and homes on holidays
 - $\circ \text{Eyeglass recycling}$
 - $\circ\,\text{Meals}$ on Wheels
 - Salvation Army Hunger Projects
 - $_{\odot}$ W.G. Hefner VA Medical Center
 - Concord Middle School Leos
 - o .Coltrane L.I.F.E.Center
 - o 4-year Renewable Scholarships
 - Adopt a Stream

The **CONCORD LIONS CLUB** is a major contributor to programs sponsored by NC Lions Clubs. These programs include:

- Camp Dogwood for the Blind
- Lions Pediatric Eye Clinic at Duke University
- NC Lions Visually Impaired Fishing Tournament
- Lions Eye Research Clinic at Wake Forest University
- Kittner Eye Care Center at UNC
- Free mobility canes for the blind
- Governor Morehead School for the Blind
- NC Lions Mobile Eye and Hearing Screening Unit
- Woolard Educational Scholarships for sighted children of visually impaired parents, and numerous other projects

The North Carolina Lions, Incorporated is the charitable nonprofit foundation of the Lions Clubs of North Carolina. It is funded by the Lions Clubs of North Carolina and receives no government funds. With less than 7% administrative expense, it ranks among the most efficient non-profit organizations in North Carolina and the U.S. When it comes to meeting challenges, our response is simple: We Serve. In over 200+ countries, in hospitals and senior centers, in regions battered by natural disaster, in schools and in eyeglass recycling centers, Lions are at work, helping, leading, planning and supporting. Because we're local, we can serve the unique needs of the communities where we live. And because we're global, we can address challenges that go beyond borders.

We want everyone to see a better tomorrow. That's why we support sight programs and services including vision screenings, eye banks and eyeglass recycling, provide eye care services to those at risk of losing their sight, and raise donations through fundraising campaigns like Campaign SightFirst and Campaign SightFirst II

We believe everyone deserves a healthy life. From providing health programs that focus on hearing loss to supporting efforts to control and prevent diabetes, we're working to improve the health of children and adults around the world.

We empower the next generation. Whether it's providing volunteer and leadership experiences in a Leos club or sharing a message of peace through our Peace Poster contest, our youth programs invest in the future by reaching out to young people.

We serve local communities – and protect the planet. From performing hands-on service projects to providing emergency assistance, our community and environmental programs improve our communities – and protect the environment. Interested in volunteering, leading projects, meeting people and having fun? You can do all of this and more as a Lions Club member. As a Lion, you'll perform local volunteer work to improve your community – and communities around the world.

Working Together to Change Lives



<u>We Give Sight</u> - Lions helps to restore sight and prevent blindness by improving eye care.



<u>We Support Youth</u> -Through Lions sponsored projects, youth enjoy opportunities to develop and succeed.

We Provide Disaster



<u>Relief</u> - LCIF is committed to immediate and longterm assistance to rebuild communities and homes.



We Meet Humanitarian Needs - Improve health, fight measles and provide aid to the disabled and hearing impaired.



Ready to Help, Worldwide

Whenever a Lions club gets together, problems get smaller and communities get better. That's because we help where help is needed – in our own communities and around the world – with unmatched integrity and energy.

Our 48,000 clubs and 1.4 million members make us the world's largest service club organization.

We are also one of the most effective. We get the job done.



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Experience the Feeling of Service

At the heart of Lions clubs there is one constant: **service**. Giving your time and energy to others is a fantastic way to help your community. Yet, it also provides a great feeling for you that can spread and have a positive impact in your life and how you approach the world.



Concord Lions and 5th graders planting trees at a local school

Concord Lions Club

Meetings: 1st Tuesday 6:30 PM

Parkway Restaurant 834 Union Street South Concord, NC 28025

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