



Glendale Evening - Longhaven Lions Club



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We are pleased to publish the first quarterly newsletter from our club. We hope that you will read it with interest as we endeavor to inform you of what activities our club is working on, our other activities, and things we have found useful in preparing for and promoting activities. It is part of our new promotion agenda to promote our club as well as Lionism in the community. We encourage you to participate and look forward to seeing you soon.

Lion Jack Schabow, President

Point of Interest:

Our club recently finished our "Glendale Glitter & Glow" fundraiser. It was great we had plenty of help and everyone had a great time. Part of our monies will go toward our scholarship project and to our activities account which will be shared into the community for various charities, and last but not least our ongoing eyeglass project.

We recently had a joint effort with the Phoenix West Elks Lodge #2729. This has been on going for the last 4 years and we have raised nearly \$9000 which we have donated to the West Side Special Olympics. We have used a variety of fund raisers from Silent Auctions to Raffles that paid out dollars. There was a dinner dance and all proceeds went to the project as well.



It is not to early to start to decide who financially benefit from your fund raiser.. While you are planning don't forget the State Projects.

"Did you know that you can smooth rough harden calluses by massaging with 3 parts baking soda to 1 part water."

WE SERVE



What Our Club Does

Our club has screened the eyesight and hearing of over 140 thousand children in the local schools. In earlier years we screened up to 13 thousand per year. The last several years we have averaged around 25 hundred mostly due to our smaller membership. This is a very rewarding program as we detect many children who really have a serious problem which restrict their ability to learn. If your club or members would like to participate in the this very worthy project, we always need more volunteer help. We can train the volunteers in the proper screening procedures. The volunteers do not have to be Lions. Just contact Lion Al Coir 623-341-0604.

There has been a increased demand for assistance for help from the 30 schools that our club serves for eyeglasses. In the last two years the club has paid for the examination and eyeglasses for 120 children for over 42 hundred dollars. We hope each club has a active eyeglass for schoolchildren program, as there are many schools that do not have a club to help their students.



Lions meet the needs of local communities and the world. We now have 1.35 million members of our organization in 206 countries and geographic areas

Calendar of events:

Feb 11., 8:-11:00 am	Pancake breakfast	K of C Hall NW corner of Northern & 49th Ave Glendale
Feb 24 & 25 th	21A Convention	Grace Inn @ Ahwatukee AZ
Feb 17	Flags for 1st graders	Landmark School Glendale
Mar 10. 11am-4pm	Spaghetti Dinner	Salvation Army Northern Ave & 61st Ave Glendale
May 28. 10 am	Memorial Day Ceremony	Longhaven Mobile Home Resort 5210 W Camelback Rd. Phx

Reg. Meetings 6:30 pm 2nd and 4th Thurs. of Month *@ Bitzee Mama's Restaurant 7023 N 58th Ave Glendale
Board Meetings 6 pm 1st Thurs. of month @ Longhaven Mobile Home Resort 5210 W Camelback Rd. Phx

* No regular meetings July and August.

Call or contact: [Lion Al Coir](#) for details on getting tickets to our club events only @ 623-341-0604