



**October 11, 2022 – Memories Restaurant The Four County Lions Club / NEW MEMBER INDUCTION CEREMONY L-R Kevin Dunne Sponsoring Lion & Past President, New Member Keri Richard in the middle, and the Club’s current President Jim McNeill – The current Club Membership is 74 Members / Great job to Membership Committee Chairs Kevin Dunne and Ray Miller**

**VISION**

- Ever since Helen Keller inspired us to champion the cause in 1925, we’ve served and advocated for the blind and visually impaired. Nearly a century later, this long-standing mission continues unhindered. 253 million people are blind or have moderate to severe distance vision impairment (MSVI)
- 1.1 billion have near-vision impairment simply because they don’t have a pair of glasses
- >75% of all blindness and MSVI is avoidable
- 89% of people with visual impairment live in developing countries



September 24, 2022 the Four County Lions Club Sponsored and participated at Oktoberfest - Pictured third from left is Lion Gina Kline with some great friends at the Main Street Event – main goal and objective is raising funds for the Watkins Playplace located in Watkins Park in Mount Airy.

MOUNT AIRY  
*Oktoberfest*  
MARYLAND

 Saturday, September 24, 2022 





October 11, 2022 the Four County Lions Club President Jim McNeill Presented Kathy Siggins (L) with a One Thousand Dollar Donation toward her recent Alzheimer's Association Fundraiser; Lion Marilyn Hancock (R)

Ms. Higgins presented a broad overview of her program including providing in depth summary of a Congressional Bill, that included designing and adopting a National Alzheimer's Federal Stamp Fundraising Program that required meeting with Maryland Members for many years to obtain approval in both the House and Senate. Great job Kathy!

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Date October 11, 2022

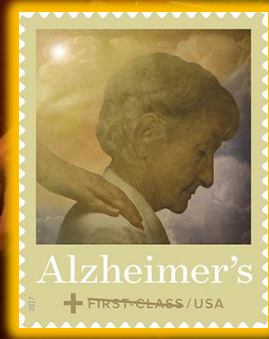
4 County Lions Club  
Mount Airy, Maryland

Pay to the Order Of Alzheimers Association \$ 1000.00

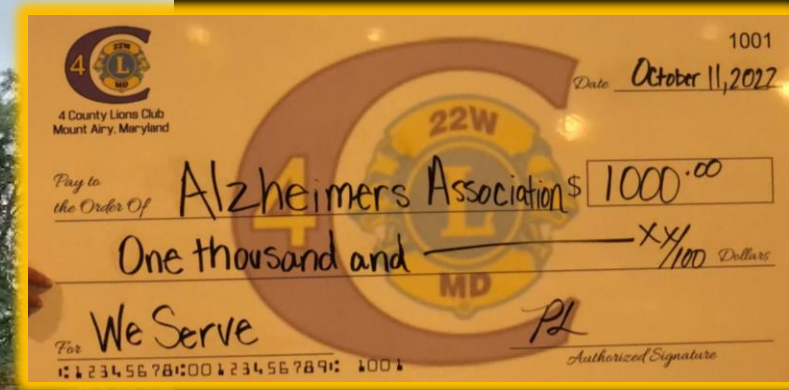
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For We Serve PL  
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# Alzheimer's Association Western Maryland Walk to End Alzheimer's Sunday, October 9, 2022 – Downtown Frederick





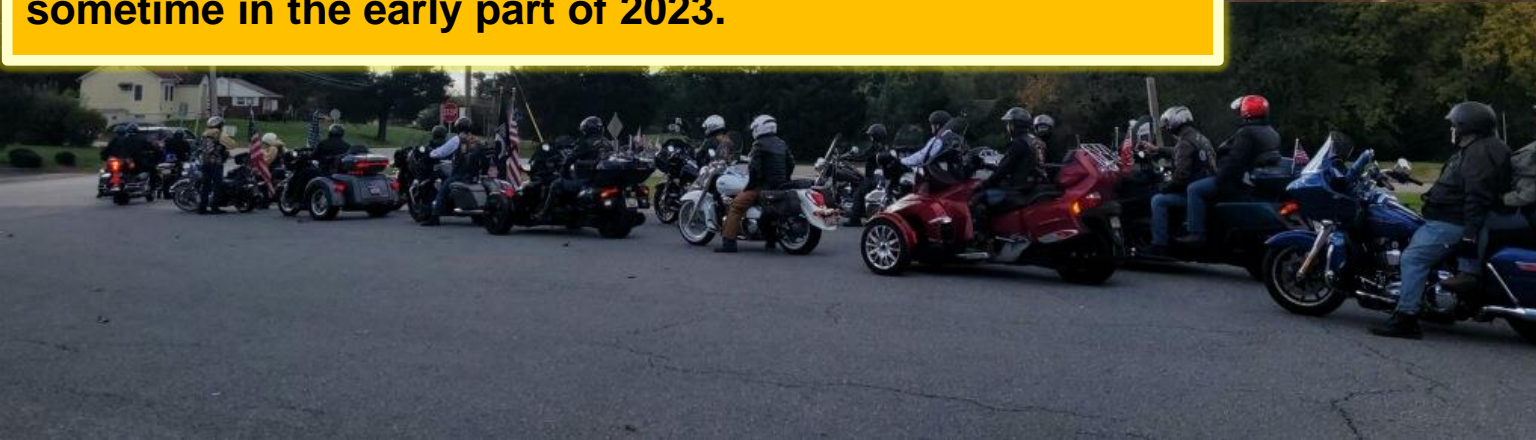
**Part of the Four County Lions Club Mission is to prepare our youth for their part in the community and the practice of giving back and by doing so we take great pride in being able to help give our youth a helping hand. Recently we were honored to present FCPS CTC with a Trade Scholarship of One Thousand One Hundred Dollars by program coordinator Lion Wendy Rimbej (R) This is one very small step we believe could be the catalyst of raising and growing feature leaders.**

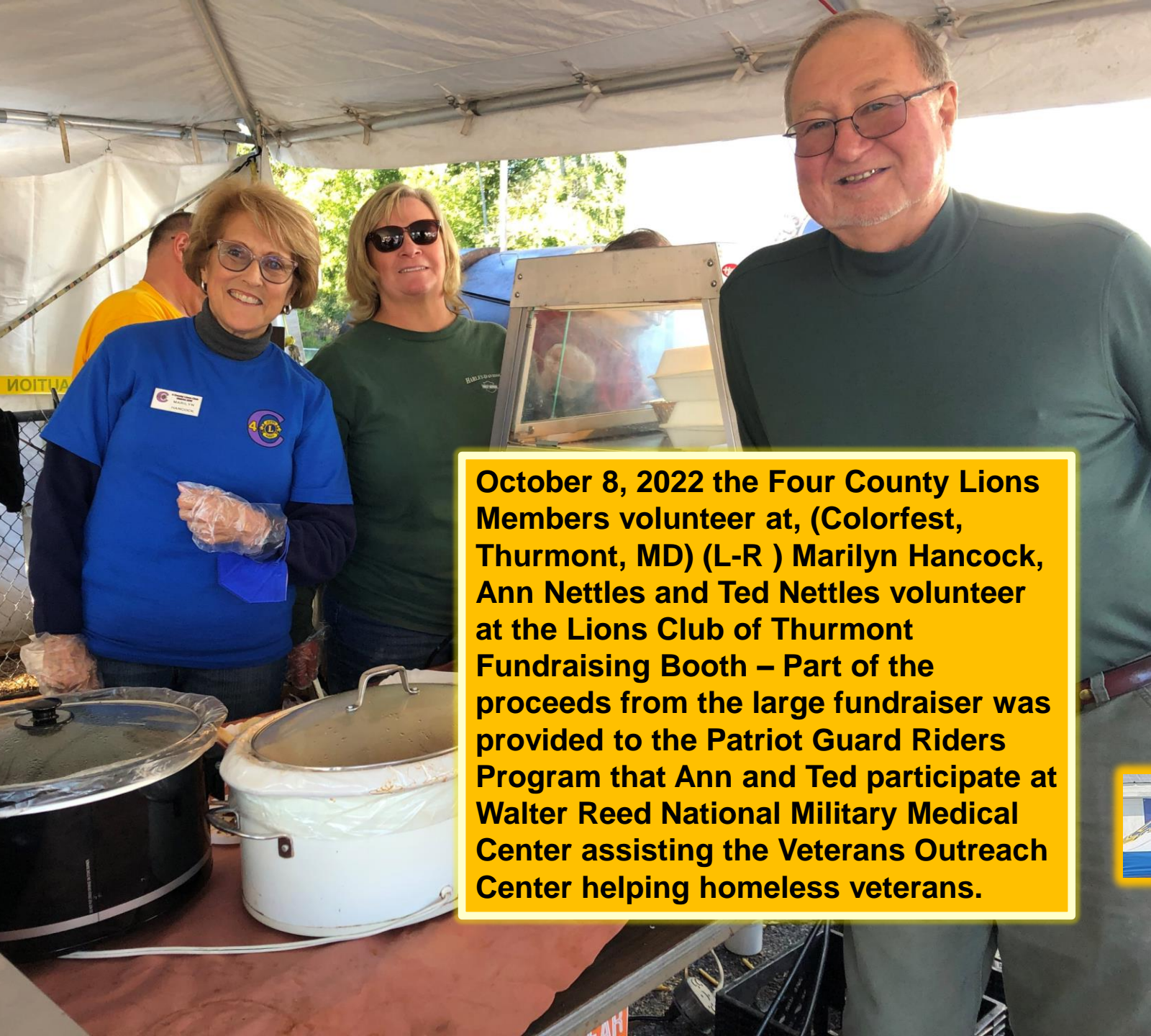


On October 8, 2022, The Patriot Guard Riders including Four County Lions Ann and Ted Nettles were honored to escort Homes For Our Troops adaptive home recipient SGT Brandon Huff and his wife Netta to the kickoff welcoming them to the community of Woodbine, MD. The escort involved motorcycles, American Legion riders, cars, trucks, Howard County police and Lisbon fire department vehicles. There were approximately 30 - 40 vehicles in the procession which left from Woodbine Park & Ride and ended at Lisbon Elementary School where the kickoff event was held. There were several guest speakers including a past home recipient from Texas, local politicians, SGT Huff & his wife, Netta, & Homes for our Troops Director. Lunch was provided by Texas Roadhouse. Many local citizens came out to show their patriotism and support for SGT Huff & Netta, cheering and waving flags as the escort rolled up in front of the school. The home is in the process of being built and should be completed sometime in the early part of 2023.



Four County Lion  
Nancy Wise





**October 8, 2022 the Four County Lions Members volunteer at, (Colorfest, Thurmont, MD) (L-R ) Marilyn Hancock, Ann Nettles and Ted Nettles volunteer at the Lions Club of Thurmont Fundraising Booth – Part of the proceeds from the large fundraiser was provided to the Patriot Guard Riders Program that Ann and Ted participate at Walter Reed National Military Medical Center assisting the Veterans Outreach Center helping homeless veterans.**



## District 22-W Social - October 1, 2022

Four County Lions Club Immediate Past President Ann Nettles receives an International Presidential Award for her outstanding year leading the recruiting team that obtained the most lions in District 22-W....2021-22 Lions Year – 16 New Members. Her and husband Ted Nettles was also recognized for stellar participation and leadership in the State of Maryland Patriot Riders Veterans Service Program, main goal and objective is volunteering at the Walter Reed Medical Hospital therefore honoring disabled veterans that served.

Past International Director Jennifer Ware that presented the award to the Nettles was from Rapid River, Michigan was the District 22-W visiting officer from Lions Club International. The Social was held at Hagerstown Courtland Mansion.



*Congratulations*

