## LIONS OF ILLINOIS MD-1 CONVENTION MAY 18TH - 21ST, 2023



### This year's Honored Guest is PIP Judge Brian Stevenson

The 2023 State Convention kicks off on Friday with a talent show. The Hospitality room will open after the show. Saturday is action packed with Plenary Sessions, the State Awards Luncheon, Workshops, & the State Banquet. Sunday morning will begin with voting followed by the LIF Breakfast and Meeting, and the Closing Plenary Session with the announcement of the voting results and 2023-2024 Chairperson selections. there also will be Exhibitors, Pin Traders, auctions, and so much more!

Don't miss out on the fun, food, fellowship, & festivities! Register and reserve your guest room today!

LIONS OF ILLINOIS

102nd Annual

MD-1 STATE CONVENTION

And

Lions of Illinois Foundation 49th

Annual Membership Meeting

May 18th -21st, 2023

PRESIDENT ABRAHAM LINCOLN HOTEL & CONFERENCE CENTER

701 EAST ADAMS ST SPRINGFIELD, IL 62701 (217) 544-8800



#### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

#### Lodging

Lodging reservations at the President Abraham Lincoln Hotel must be made by May 3rd, 2023. Please call (217) 544-8800 to reserve your guest room. Guest rooms can be reserved online with the hotel by using this link:

Hotel Reservation

It is also located on the MD-1 website's "State Convention" page. The MD-1 State Convention guest room rate is \$102.00 per night (plus 13% tax) and includes overnight self-parking in the garage attached to the hotel. When you make your guest room reservation by phone, you must tell them you are with the Lions of Illinois to receive this discounted room rate.

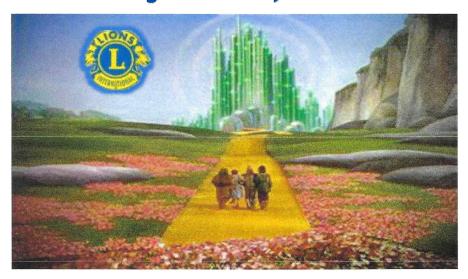
#### Meals

This year's Convention features a State Luncheon at Noon on Saturday, along with the State Banquet on Saturday evening. The LIF Breakfast will be held Sunday morning followed by the State Closing Plenary Session. Don't miss out on the fun, food, and entertainment ... or the savings with the "All Inclusive 3-Meal Package" deal!!

#### **Registration Fees**

All participants must Register and pay the registration fee of \$20.00

# MD-1 State Convention May 19-21, 2023



## Follow the yellow brick road to the

## **President Abraham Lincoln Hotel**

701 E. Adams St., Springfield, IL (217) 544-8800

Rooms are \$102 plus tax per night

## To reserve your room and to get this rate by May 3, 2023:

**Call** the hotel and mention the special "Lions of IL" group rate **OR** 

Online at <a href="https://www.my-event.hilton.com/lionsofillinoismd1convention/">www.my-event.hilton.com/lionsofillinoismd1convention/</a>

**HANDICAP ASSESSIBLE ROOMS:** There are only a limited number of these rooms available in our block and are on a first come, first serve basis. You will need to CALL the hotel to reserve one of these rooms!

# Send with all Fees to: Lions of Illinois, Inc. 828 South 2<sup>nd</sup> St. #101, Springfield, Il 62704 Registration Deadline is May 3rd, 2023

Questions? Please contact Lion Barb Stewart at lionbarbstewart@gmail.com

Lions Title: <u>Circle one</u> (Lion, Guest, CC, DG, FVDG, SVDG, PC		Fitle: <u>Circle One</u> on, Guest, CC, DG, FVDG, SVE	DG, PCC, PDG, PID)	
Are you a Delegate		Are you a Delegate		
Name:	Name			
Street Address:	Street	Address:		
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Phone/Email:				
District: 1- Club				
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Registration Fee	\$20.00 per person			
Required (All attendees must pay the	e registration fee)	\$	\$	
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3-Meal Deal Package \$100. Consists of: State Luncheon, State Banque Please mark your State Luncheon and Babelow. (DOES NOT INCLUDE REGISTRATE)	uet, & LIF Breakfast. anquet entrée choices	\$	\$	
Individual Meals				
Please mark your meal entrée choice(s) below. (DOES NOT INCLUDE RI	EGISTRATION FEE)			
State Luncheon	\$35.00 per person	\$	\$	
State Banquet	\$45.00 per person	\$	\$	
LIF Breakfast	\$26.00 per person	\$	\$	
My State Luncheon entrée choice is:				
Both entrée selections are served with salad, seasonal vegetables, potatoes, and cheesecake for dessert.  Coffee/Tea		☐ Roasted Turkey	☐ Roasted Turkey	
		☐ Pasta Primavera	☐ Pasta Primavera	
Please mark only one lunch entrée for ea	ach person			
My State Banquet entrée choice is:		☐ Roast Beef	☐ Roast Beef	
All entrée selections are served with salad, seasonal vegetable, potatoes, bread basket, and flourless chocolate cake for dessert. Coffee/Tea		☐ Roasted King Salmon	☐ Roasted King Salmon	
		☐ Vegetable Stir Fry	☐ Vegetable Stir Fry	
Please mark only one banquet entrée choice for each person				
LIF Breakfast: Cage-free scrambled egg- easoned red potato wedges. Coffee/Tea	s with chives, ham,			
SPECIAL DIETARY NEEDS:				

TO REGISTER ONLINE CLICK HERE

CHECK TOTAL: \$

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## 2023 MD-1 CONVENTION BOOK ADS

Lions, Clubs, Districts, or Lions Affiliate: Ads for the 2023 MD-1 Convention Book are now available for purchase!

- ❖ Full Page is \$100 and is approximately 5" wide x 8.5" high
- ❖ Half Page is \$50 and is approximately 5" wide x 4.25" high
- ❖ Business card is \$25 and is approximately 2.25" wide x 2" high

### Please submit your ad(s) as follows:

- \*Submit your ad electronically in a ".jpg" file format in the exact size as listed above along with a copy of the form to lionbarbstewart@gmail.com
- \*No fax or hard copy information will not be accepted
- \*Submissions should be in black and white
- \*Mail payment (cash or check) along with a copy of the form below to: Lions of Illinois, Inc, 828 South 2nd Street #101, Springfield IL 62704
- \*Make checks payable to Lions of Illinois
- \*Ads and payment must be received by Friday, Feb. 3, 2023 in order to be included in the Convention book

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Convention Chair Lion Barb Stewart at lionbarbstewart@gmail.com.					
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2023 State Convention Book Submission Form					
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Contact Person (if clu	ub or organization)				
I wish to purchase:	Full Page - \$100	Half Page - \$50	Business Card - \$25		
Enclosed is my paym	ent of \$	_	Check #		



# **EXHIBITORS WANTED**

Lions do you or someone you know have a product or service that you would like to share with your fellow Lions? The Lions of Illinois State Convention is looking for exhibitors. Consider joining us on Friday, May 19 and Saturday May 20, 2023, at the Abraham Lincoln Convention Center in Springfield, Illinois

Lions from around the State as well as visitors will be there to see what you have to offer.

For more information or an exhibitors packet, please contact Lion Bonnie Bradbury, <a href="mailto:bonnie@aol.com">bonnielionbonnie@aol.com</a> or 847.857.0179