How to get in contact with us if you are interested in becoming a member

If you would like more information please feel free to visit the international organization's web site at:

### www.lionsclubs.org

Or our local club website at:

### www.eastalbanylionsclub.org

If you already know a member of the East Albany Lions Club please feel free to contact them directly. If you do not know a member you may contact the membership director listed below by phone or email:

# **Contact Information**

**Membership** Director

- ⇒ Bill Scheler 541-926-7422
- ⇒ E-mail schcorp@comcast.net







Lions Club

Helping our Community through teamwork, friendship, and a bit of hard work

## The Lions Club Needs You ......

## You Need Us

If you are the type of person that likes to have fun while doing things to help the community the East Albany Lions Club may be the right organization for you.

The Albany club was chartered in 1951 as a way for local, hard working people to give back to their community. The Lions Clubs International emphasis is on sight and hearing. The East Albany Club contributes a great deal to the Albany community beyond sight and hearing. We raise funds as a team and make significant financial contributions where it is needed the most. Last year we raised over \$50,000 and gave 100% to our community. Since we were chartered in 1951 we have given over \$2,100,000 to sight and hearing and the needs of the Albany community

Here is a list of our typical donation recipients:

**ABC House Albany Boys and Girls Club Albany General Hospital - Diabetes Foundation Albany Helping Hands Albany Public School Foundation** Altrusa - KidzShop **Camp Taloali** CASA **Children's Farm Home Dogs for the Deaf Evergreen Hospice FISH of Albany** Habitat for Humanity **Interfaith Care Givers** Local Eye Care - Hundreds of Patients Assisted **Oregon Lions Sight and Hearing Albany School - Multiple Projects Christmas Storybook Land** 



The Club's Fund Raisers

We raise funds as a club and a team in four ways each year:

• Our primary fund raiser is the Lumberjack Breakfast held over the 4th of July weekend at Timber Linn Park.



We also sell raffle tickets for some great prizes with the

drawing for the winners on the last day of the Lumberjack Breakfast.

We put on a premier Sportsman and Gun Show each year in January at the Linn County Fair and Expo Center.

East Albany Lions Club Sportsman and Gun Show 2022 January 15 9-5 January 16 9-3 S§ Adults, S\$ Active Retired Military Children under 12 get FREE

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# **Our Meetings**

We meet as a local club on the second and forth Tuesday of every month starting in September and wrapping up in June. We take the July and August months off from our regular meetings. We meet at Pop's Branding Iron



at 6:30 and have dinner and socialize before the meeting. Speakers are invited in to each meeting from the community to inform us and generate important dialogue about community issues.

# <u>Social Events</u>

Being a member of the East Albany Lions Club is more than giving back to the community. The members of this club know how to have fun together. Being a member gives you an opportunity





to make new friends and join in on the clubs social events.

## <u>Information about</u> Lions Clubs International

Lions are an international network of 1.4 million men and women and 48,000 clubs in 207 countries and geographic areas who work together to answer the needs that challenge communities around the world.

Known for working to end preventable blindness, Lions participate in a vast variety of projects important to their communities. These projects range from cleaning up local parks to providing supplies to victims of natural disasters.

Beginning in 1917, the association of Lions clubs has provided millions of people with the opportunity to give something back to their communities.

#### **Vision Statement**

To be the global leader in community and humanitarian service.

#### **Mission Statement**

To empower volunteers to serve their communities, meet humanitarian needs, encourage peace and promote international understanding through Lions clubs.



