



# Multiple District 21 State Convention Friday, June 12 to Sunday, June 14, 2026

WELCOMING LIONS INTERNATIONAL  
FIRST VICE PRESIDENT MARK LYON



EVENT REGISTRATION FORM- print for clarity

Lion \_\_\_\_\_ LEO \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

Current Highest Office \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_ Club \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

**EARLY BIRD Registration Rates**  
Rec'd on/before 5/20/2026

**Late Registration Rates**  
Rec'd on 5/21/2026 or after

**LEO Workshop Registration** with incoming Lions International  
Pres. Mark Lyon, Saturday, 1pm to 5pm; registration only for LEOs. # \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 5\* each \$ \_\_\_\_\_ # \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$10\* each \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Convention Registration includes Saturday (June 13) Buffet  
Lunch with LI 2025-2026 First Vice President Mark Lyon**

Traditional Caesar Salad, Garlic & Herb Breadsticks, Chicken & Mushroom Marsala, Wild Mushroom Risotto, Buttered Penne Pasta, Bolognese & Alfredo Sauce, Italian Roasted Vegetables, Mini Tiramisu Cakes

# \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$70\* each \$ \_\_\_\_\_ # \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$85\* each \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Friday Night (6/12) Business-Casual Dinner Buffet – Lions  
Q&A with LI 2025-2026 First Vice President Mark Lyon**

Garden green salad; Warm Rolls; Pan Seared Chicken Breast with Lemon Thyme Jus Honey & Mint Glazed Carrots; White Truffle Mac 'n Cheese; Individual Lemon & Lime Tarts

# \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$50\* each \$ \_\_\_\_\_ # \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$65\* each \$ \_\_\_\_\_

<i>EARLY Friday Dinner Only</i>	<i>LATE Friday Dinner Only</i>
# _____ @ \$75* each \$ _____	# _____ @ \$90* each \$ _____

**Saturday Night (6/13) Semi formal Int'l Dinner Buffet  
with LI 2026-2027 Int'l. President Elect Mark Lyon**

Pan Seared Salmon with Lemon Caper Cream or Mushroom & Beer Braised Boneless Short Ribs; Herb Roasted Yukon Gold Potatoes, Lemon Scented Asparagus, Roasted Vegetable Medley, Assorted Dessert Bars.

# \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$60\* each \$ \_\_\_\_\_ # \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$75\* each \$ \_\_\_\_\_

<i>EARLY Saturday Dinner Only</i>	<i>LATE Saturday Dinner Only</i>
# _____ @ \$85* each \$ _____	# _____ @ \$100* each \$ _____

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Any Special Dietary Needs?  
\_\_\_\_\_

Total Early Reg - \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Total Late Reg - \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**\*CANCELLATION POLICIES & FEES: NO FULL REFUNDS AFTER JUNE 4, 2026.**

Registration and lunch cancelled after June 4, 2026 (date of food commitment), subject to \$25.00 administrative fee;  
Each Dinner reservation cancelled after June 4, 2026, subject to \$10.00 administrative fee each.

**Registration forms without check payment or Zelle Receipt will not be processed. Read instructions carefully:**

\*MAIL registration form & your check payable to: **Lions Clubs Int'l MD21 AZ** or Zelle receipt to Registration chair:  
**Sandi Sterker 25011 S Golfview Drive Sun Lakes, AZ 85248** I Paid by Check # \_\_\_\_\_

\*EMAIL Registration form & your Zelle receipt copy to the registration chair: I Paid by Zelle on \_\_\_\_\_  
Sandi Sterker at: **SterkerSandi@gmail.com**

\*\*ZELLE payments must be sent to the MD21 Convention Acct's Zelle address: **MD21CouncilTreasurer.Conv@gmail.com**  
*Double Check Before Sending Your ZELLE To Be Sure You Are Using The Correct EMAIL Address*

**Include the following info in your Zelle payment description so the funds can be processed correctly to the correct individual:**  
*Attendee Names; Club; Payment for what; Amt paid* – example: Sandi Sterker; Chandler; Reg/Lunch, Fri-Dinner, Sat-Dinner; \$185  
If Zelle sender is different than the attendee registering – enter that name here: \_\_\_\_\_

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\*\*Following each of the dinners, all are welcome to visit the various hospitality rooms at the hotel; check the program.

Our Friday night (June 12) Business Casual Dinner Buffet will be a more relaxed meal with LI First Vice President Mark Lyon from CT, USA, who will be participating in the evening's "Town Hall Forum," an open, casual discussion and open-microphone Q&A session, moderated by MD21 Council Chair Ken Leja. Think about what you would like to know and bring your questions.

Our Saturday night (June 13) Semi-formal Dinner Buffet will be more structured to honor our guest, LI First Vice President Mark Lyon and our soon to be elected 2026-27 Lions International President. FVP Lyon will present final comments for this MD weekend and present the International President awards and recognitions on behalf of this year's International President A.P. Singh. The appropriate attire is business suits and cocktail style apparel as respect for the Office of FVP at this Int'l semi-formal dinner.

### **\*\* MD21 STATE CONVENTION INFORMATION CONTACTS \*\***

Convention Chair	PDG Fred Garmeson	480-766-0950	<a href="mailto:GarmesonFAZ@aol.com">GarmesonFAZ@aol.com</a>
Convention Co-Chair	IPDG Maribel Dillard	480-452-6551	<a href="mailto:MariDillard2@gmail.com">MariDillard2@gmail.com</a>
Program Book ADS-Tucson Downtown	Lion Becky Fassett	727-243-5725	<a href="mailto:BSFL72@gmail.com">BSFL72@gmail.com</a>
Convention Registration-Chandler	MD CS Sandi Sterker	808-639-9631	<a href="mailto:SterkerSandi@gmail.com">SterkerSandi@gmail.com</a>
Zelle Info only-no payments to this email	MD CT Linda Finley	602-999-5797	<a href="mailto:AmigoRose@aol.com">AmigoRose@aol.com</a>

### **\*\* Room Reservation Rates and Availability ONLY Guaranteed through 11:59 pm - MAY 20, 2026 \*\***

**Room Reservations:** DoubleTree by Hilton PHX/Mesa – 1011 W. Holmes Avenue, Mesa 85210.

Our Lions negotiated convention rate is **\$109.00** plus tax per night for (\$124.56 per night) and you must make your room reservations online or with the hotel before **11:59 on May 20, 2026**.

**Please do not wait too long – MAKE your room reservations now.** All remaining room nights in our block that are not reserved by **May 20, 2026** will be returned to the hotel. Should you wait and want a room after May 20, you will pay the current rack rate (if any rooms are available); currently, the hotel's online room rates are \$50-\$60 more per night than our Lions rate of \$109.00.

**ONLINE** - You need to make your own Hotel Arrangements, either online or call the hotel, (480) 833-5555; Group Code Lions

**Copy this online link - <https://www.hilton.com/en/attend-my-event/meswhdt-lio-d65f9cd1-678e-4544-a4a8-dada47985dae/>**

\*Verify your arrival and departure dates when reserving online. If you made a mistake, call Marge immediately to assist.

**\*Our Lions block of rooms is set for a two-night stay - Friday, June 12 & Saturday, June 13; depart Sunday, June 14.**

\*If you want to arrive earlier or leave later than what is available online, after you have made your initial reservation, please contact our onsite hotel contact: Marge Wakley, Sales & Group Coordinator, 480-844-6013, to assist with your date changes. Be advised, it is a courtesy and at the hotel's discretion and availability if they are able to extend your stay dates at our group rate.

**HOTEL** - You can call the Hotel directly at (480) 833-5555. The front desk may be able to help; give them the Group Code "Lio" the first three letters of LIONS. If the front desk is busy, they will transfer you to the corporate reservations. And/or if you use the automatic prompt to make a reservation, you will be transferred to corporate reservations. Use the same group code for all.

\*\*The credit card you provide will only be a **guarantee for one night's room and tax** and will only be charged when you check in.

**HOTEL CANCEL FEES** - You need to know that there is an early departure fee and a cancellation fee of one night's room and tax if you arrive late or depart early or your room is not cancelled **24 hours prior** to your arrival day, that translates: you must either change your stay dates or cancel your reservation no later than **11:59 pm, Wednesday, June 10**, to assure you will not be charged.

**SHOULD YOU NEED TO CANCEL A ROOM RESERVATION AFTER THE MAY 20 DEADLINE DATE** - please contact MD CT/21N CST Linda Finley first before you cancel your room reservation at 602-999-5797 or email: [amigorose@aol.com](mailto:amigorose@aol.com). There may be a wait list of Lions and Linda may be able to assist and transfer your room reservation to another Lion needing overnight accommodations.

### **\*\* DIRECTIONS TO THE DOUBLETREE by HILTON PHOENIX/MESA \*\***

#### **From the South:**

Take I-10 north, exit eastbound onto the US HWY 60. Exit onto Alma School Road; turn left, cross over freeway to first right; turn onto West Holmes Ave. DoubleTree by Hilton ahead on right.

#### **From the North and West:**

Take I-10 east/south to the US HWY 60 exit eastbound. Exit onto Alma School Road; turn left, cross over freeway to first right; turn onto West Holmes Ave. DoubleTree by Hilton ahead on right.

#### **From the East:**

Take US HWY 60 westbound. Exit onto Alma School Road; turn right then turn right on the first street onto West Holmes Ave. DoubleTree by Hilton ahead on right.