

#June 15-18,1927 11th AC Miami, FL.



*July 19-22,1932 16th AC Los Angeles, CA.



*July 11-14,1933 17th AC St. Louis, MO. 1933



*July 23-25,1935 19th AC Mexico City, Mexico.



*July 19-22,1938 22nd AC Oakland, CA.



July 18-20,1939 23rd AC Pittsburg, PA.



July 16-19,1946 29th AC Philadelphia,



July 26-29,1948 31st AC New York, NY



July 18-21,1949 32nd AC New York, NY.



July 15-20,1950 33rd AC Chicago, IL.



July 8-10,1953 36th AC Chicago, IL. Front & Back



July 7-10,1954 37th AC New York, NY.



June27-30,1956 39th AC Miami, FL



June 26-29,1957 40th AC San Francisco, CA.



July 9-12,1958 41st AC Chicago, IL.

Note Annual Convention abbreviated to AC



July 6-9,1960 43rd AC Chicago, IL.



June 21-24,1961 44th AC Atlantic City, NJ.



June 19-22,1963 46th AC Miami, FL



July 8-11,1964 47th AC Toronto, Ontario, Canada.



July 6-9,1966 49th AC New York, NY.



July 5-8,1967 50th AC Chicago, IL.



June 26-29,1968 51st AC Dallas, TX.



July 2-5,1969 52nd AC Tokyo, Japan.



June 28- July1,1972 55th AC Mexico City, Mexico.



June 27-30,1973 56th AC Miami, FL.



June 29-July 2,1977 60th AC New Orleans, LA.



June 21-24,1978 61st AC Tokyo, Japan.



July 2-5,1980 63rd AC Chicago, IL.



June 17-20,1981 64th AC Phoenix, AZ.



June 19-22,1985 68th AC Dallas, TX.



July 9-12,1986 69th AC New Orleans, LA.



July 1-4,1987 70th AC Taipei, Taiwan, ROC.



July 11-14,1990 73rd AC St. Louis, MO.



June 18-21,1991 74th AC Brisbane, Australia



June 22-26,1992 75th AC Hong Kong.



July 6-9,1993



July 4-7,1995



July 9-12,1996 76th AC Minneapolis, MN. 78th AC Seoul, Korea. 79th AC Montreal, Canada.



#June 30-July 4,2003 86th AC Denver, CO.



July 5-9,2004 87th AC Detroit, MI/ Windsor, Ontario, Canada.



*June 30-July 4,2006 89th AC Boston, MA.



July 2-6,2007 90th AC Chicago., IL.



July 6-10,2009 92nd AC Minneapolis, MN.



June 28-July 2, 2010 93rd AC Sydney, Australia.



June 28 - July 3,2018 101st AC Las Vegas, NV.



July 5-9, 2019 102nd AC Milan, Italy

June 26-30 2020 Singapore Cancelled due to COVID-19

Explanations to Ohio's Chronological Participation in International Leadership next page..

Notes: PDG Micheal Gibbs for the 1927 Medal.

*Courtesy of PDG Wayne Christen 1932,1933,1935 & 1938 Medals.

All other Medals, Ribbons and Pins courtesy of PDG Bill Keller.

1927: Horace Kerr of Columbus, Ohio elected to a three year term as Director at the 11th Annual Convention Miami, Fl.

1932: John Lloyd of Cincinnati, Ohio elected as 1st year International Director at the 16th International Convention in Los Angeles, CA.

1933: John Lloyd elected as 2nd year Director at the 17th International Convention in St. Louis, MO.

1935 : John Lloyd elected for one year to fill the unexpired term of Walter Dexter at the 19th International Convention in Mexico City, Mexico.

1938: Henry Bowers of Toledo, Ohio elected as 1st year International Director at the 22nd International Convention in Oakland, CA.

1939: Henry Bowers elected as 2nd year Director at the 23rd International Convention in Pittsburg, PA.

1945: No Convention due to the War, the board meet on September 10, 1945 and Guy W. Brentlinger of Lima, Ohio elected as 1st year Director.

1946: Guy W. Brentlinger elected as 2nd year Director at the 29th International Convention in Philadelphia, PA.

1948: A. B. Dredge of Springfield, Ohio elected as 1st year International Director at the 31st International Convention in New York, NY.

1949: A. B. Dredge elected as 2nd year Director at the 32nd International Convention in New York, NY.

1950: A. B. Dredge was defeated as 3rd VP of Lions Clubs International at the 33rd International Convention in Chicago, IL.

1953: Dr. Dan Martin of Greenville, Ohio elected as 1st year International Director at the 36th International Convention in Chicago, IL.

1954: Dr. Dan Martin elected as 2nd year Director at the 37th International Convention in New York, NY.

1956: Dr. Dan Martin was defeated as 3rd VP of Lions Clubs International at the 39th International Convention in Miami, FL.

1957: W. R. "Dick" Bryan of Doylestown, Ohio elected as 1st year International Director at the 40th International Convention in San Francisco, CA.

1958: W. R. "Dick" Bryan elected as 2nd year Director at the 41st International Convention in Chicago, IL.

1960: Ralph Blaney of Old Fort, Ohio elected as International Director at the 43rd International Convention in Chicago, IL.

1961: Ralph Blaney elected as 2nd year Director at the 44th International Convention in Atlantic City, NJ.

1963: Homer Hoover of Wooster Ohio elected as International Director at the 46th International Convention in Miami, FL.

1964: Homer Hoover elected as 2nd year Director at the 47th International Convention in Toronto, Canada.

1966: W. R. "Dick" Bryan of Doylestown, Ohio elected as 3rd VP of Lions Clubs International at the 49th International Convention in New York, NY.

1967: W. R. "Dick" Bryan elected as 2nd VP of Lions Clubs International at the 50th International Convention in Chicago, IL.

1968: W. R. "Dick" Bryan elected as 1st VP of Lions Clubs International at the 51st International Convention in Dallas, TX.

1969:W. R. "Dick" Bryan elected as President of Lions Clubs International at the 52nd International Convention in Tokyo, Japan.

1972: Merle W. Hartle of Piketon, Ohio elected as International Director at the 55th International Convention in Mexico City, Mexico.

1973: Merle W. Hartle elected as 2nd year Director at the 56th International Convention in Miami Beach, FL.

1977: William P. Leibensperger of Columbus, Ohio elected as International Director at the 60th International Convention in New Orleans, LA.

1978: William P. Leibensperger elected as 2nd year Director at the 61st International Convention in Tokyo, Japan.

1980: James T. Coffey of Toronto, Ohio elected as International Director at the 63rd International Convention in Chicago, IL.

1981: James T . Coffey elected as 2nd year Director at the 64th International Convention in Phoenix, AZ.

1985: William P. Leibensperger withdrew as a candidate for 3rd VP at the 68th International Convention Dallas, TX.

1986: Daniel W. "Dan" Cole of Marietta, Ohio elected as International Director at the 69th International Convention in New Orleans, LA.

1987: Daniel W. "Dan" Cole elected as 2nd year Director at the 70th International Convention in Taipei, Taiwan, Rep. of China.

1990: James T. Coffey of Toronto, Ohio elected as 3rd VP of Lions Clubs International at the 73rd International Convention in St. Louis, MO.

1991: James T. Coffey of Toronto, Ohio elected as 2nd VP of Lions Clubs International at the 74th International Convention in Brisbane Australia.

1992: James T. Coffey of Toronto, Ohio elected as 1st VP of Lions Clubs International at the 75th International Convention in Hong Kong.

1993: James T. Coffey of Toronto, Ohio elected as President of Lions Clubs International at the 76th International Convention in Minneapolis, MN.

1995: Floyd Newberry, Jr. of Sardinia, Ohio elected as International Director at the 78th International Convention in Seoul, Republic of Korea.

1996: Floyd Newberry, Jr. elected as 2nd year Director at the 79th International Convention in Montreal, Quebec, Canada.

2003: 2003 International Convention Medals became a pin that could be placed on the convention badge if desired to do so.

2003: Gary Brown of Urbana, Ohio elected as International Director at the 86th International Convention in Denver, CO.

2004: Gary Brown elected as 2nd year Director at the 87th International Convention in Detroit, Michigan/Windsor, Ontario, Canada.

2006: Due to Hurricane Katrina in New Orleans the International Convention was moved to Boston .

2006: Steven Sherer of New Philadelphia, Ohio elected as International Director at the 89th International Convention in Boston, MA.

2007: Steven Sherer elected as 2nd year Director at the 90th International Convention in Chicago, IL.

2009: Jerry Smith of Wauseon, Ohio elected as International Director at the 92nd International Convention in Minneapolis, MN.

2010: Jerry Smith elected as 2nd year Director at the 93rd International Convention in Sydney, Australia.

2018: Steve Thornton of Wooster, Ohio elected as International Director at the 101st International Convention in Las Vegas, NV.

2019: Steve Thornton elected as 2nd year Director at the 102nd International Convention in Milan, Italy.

2020: ID Steve Thornton serves another term. All executive officers and international directors will continue to serve through June 29, 2021 following a resolution passed in March of 2020 by the international board of directors in response to the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic and subsequent cancellation of the 2020 International Convention in Singapore.