## 24-L Zone J Report, Fall 2025

Date: 09/24/2025

To: District Governor Dan Visone

From: Lion Orris Hambleton, Zone Chairman – Zone J

Report for July 1, 2025, through September 15, 2025

**Zone J** meeting was held on September 15<sup>th</sup> hosted by the Shenandoah Lions Club.

Items discussed during the Zone meeting included:

- Fall Conference in Stafford, VA on Sep 27
- Tentatively established 5 January for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Zone J Meeting.
- District 24L Website
- Lions Portal & Zone J Club reporting: Announced/discussed scheduling group training and, if necessary, providing Club Report to Zone Chair via email for input to the Portal.
- Zone J Joint Service/Funding Projects:
  - o Eyeglass Recycling at Weyers Cave: Successful work during the last LY.
  - VSDB Joint Zone funding provided for Braille Challenge in January 2025.
  - o Proposal accepted to do this again for 2026 Braille Challenge and Cane Quest Events.
  - o Reinforced having Zone J Club volunteers support the Sleep in Heavenly Peace operation in Strassburg.
    - Zone J clubs agreed to begin work to expand the current coverage into the Zone J region using EAUS & other County organizations to identify & validate families in need of beds.
    - Clubs also agreed to goal of providing Zone J volunteers for a delivery team to transport and erect beds for families identified.
    - Plans will be established at the 2<sup>nd</sup> Zone Meeting scheduled for 5 January.

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