The Melvin Jones Fellowship Program was established in 1973 in honor of Melvin Jones, the founder of Lions Clubs International. The MJF program recognizes donations of US\$1,000 to Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF). The Melvin Jones Fellowship (MJF) is the backbone of the Lions Clubs International Foundation. Presented to those who donate US\$1,000 to LCIF or to people for whom a donation was made by others, it's a tremendous contribution to humanity and to the legacy of our founder, Melvin Jones. There are more than 440,000 MJF recipients worldwide and more than 89,000 PMJF recipients worldwide. The Melvin Jones Fellowship Program is a generous way to show commitment to the humanitarian work of LCIF. A person can be recognized additional times with a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellowship.

Almost every year the Signal Mountain Lions Club will recognize a deserving member for their humanitarian service to the club and community with a Melvin Jones or Progressive Melvin Jones Award. Recipients of these awards are listed below:

RECIPIENTS OF THE MELVIN JONES FELLOWSHIP

CHARLES N ADAMS Jr. 12/14/2007

J FRANK ADKINS 12/14/2007

LAWRENCE N BASCOM 11/14/2013

JAMES T BILLINGSLEY 03/11/1999

STANLEY G. BORN 05/04/1994

McGregor Cauthen 11/15/2019

CHRISTOPHER LEE COLE 06/30/2005 - PMJF 12/28/2011

Winborn C. Cooke Jr. 03/22/2021

DENNIS S. CRAIG JR 12/07/1993

George W Davenport 10/31/2014

OSCAR L DAVIS Jr. 05/28/1997

VERNON E DEAL 05/04/1994

Brian R. Eades 12/28/2011

ROBERT E EISENBRANDT 06/11/2001

RODERICK A GALLAHER 02/07/2013

JACK E GILLELAND 11/19/2008

CLAUDE W GRIFFITH 05/27/2003 - PMJF 11/04/2010

CURTISS HEWLETT 05/10/2001 - PMJF 11/16/2009

BENTON B HOLT III 11/19/2008

Emily R Irby 01/19/2016

PHILIP R JOHNSON 05/04/1994 - PMJF 11/16/2009

Frank S. Kalinowski II 11/14/2013

PATRICIA I KERNS 05/05/1994

JOHN M KINGTON 11/04/2010

JEFFREY LASETER 02/08/1990

William O. Leonard 12/28/2011

JOHN M. LONG 03/03/2000

Gary Lowder 11/07/2018

Ralph V Mann 11/07/2018

CLINTON C. MOORE 04/30/1987

John Niemeyer 11/07/2018

RONALD M NUDO 11/19/2008

Jerry Pala 03/28/2006 - PMJF 12/28/2011

IRBY M PARK 12/07/1993

FAYE PARK 09/11/1989

J L ROBERTS Jr. 05/12/2004

SILAS M ROBERTSON Jr. 02/08/1994

JOHN L ROSE JR 03/11/1999 - PMJF 11/16/2009

Daniel R. Saieed Jr. 11/16/2015

JAMES A SIMPKINS 11/04/2010

ELLIS A SMITH Jr. 11/27/1991 - PMJF 10/01/2009

JAMES T SMITH 06/02/1994 - PMJF 12/03/2009

Y SMITH 02/09/1996- PMJF 11/16/2009

Donald W Swisher 11/04/2010

Mel E Tryon 07/05/2007 - PMJF 11/02/2011

JIM F WADE 11/04/2010

MARCELLOS MOSS WHITE 05/04/1994 - PMJF 01/2009

MARVIN P WOODARD 02/08/1994

The Lindsey-Jennings Fellowship was created in honor of two of Tennessee's most prominent Lions and their commitment to humanitarian projects in Tennessee, specifically the founding of Tennessee Lions Charities and our KidSight Outreach vision screening program.

The Tennessee Lions have a unique opportunity to honor individuals who have distinguished themselves through humanitarian service in their local communities by naming them a Lindsey-Jennings Fellow. The Lindsey-Jennings Fellowship is the highest honor that the Lions of Tennessee use to recognize individuals who have demonstrated their unselfish service to mankind.

This fellowship is named in honor of two Tennessee Lions who served as International Presidents of the International Association of Lions Clubs, Edward M. Lindsey (1966-1967) and Austin P. Jennings (1988-1989). Their long, dedicated, and innovative lives of Lionistic service to humanity is an enduring profile of the Lions motto, *We Serve.*

RECIPIENTS OF THE LINDSEY JENNINGS FELLOWSHIP

Hankins, Steve 12-O 11/07/12

Pala, Jerry 12-O 08/09/10

Patterson, Vince 12-O 11/19/15

Rittenberry, Pete 12-O 10/31/14

Tryon, Mel 12-O 10/24/13

(As of April 2021)