



# Lake Shore Lincoln Lines

Newsletter - Lake Shore Region - Lincoln & Continental Owners Club

November/December 2023

## A Message from the Director



Hi to all,

The Geneva Concours d' Elegance was a wonderful show as you will see on page 12. Lake Shore member Jack Bowser took home a Carl Benz Class Award trophy for his stunning Mark II.

By the time you read this newsletter, all of the Lincoln National Meets are over for 2023. Hopefully, those of you who attended one or all of them have made some new friends and have wonderful memories. See pages 15-20 for more information of the LCOC Mid-America National Meet in Springfield, IL.

As the November 5th (new date) Membership Meeting and Meal at White Fence Farm is our only event for the month, I hope you will join us not only for the meeting but for the great food too! See page 10 for more information. This event is your chance to express your ideas and opinions to help the LSR Board set up the events and activities you would like to have scheduled for the upcoming year.

Speaking of that, the Board members would like to hear from you if you know of a new activity or event that we could add to the calendar. Please fill out and send in the survey on page 6.

Your regional membership dues are to be paid in January. See the 2024 membership application on page 5. Send your check for \$25.00 and also the filled out form to Terry Burns, Treasurer. Be sure to send in the filled out application even if there are no changes from last year.

January 20, 2024 is the date chosen for our Winter Party at the Makray Memorial Golf Club in Barrington, IL. This is a beautiful club and the views are outstanding of a winter wonderland overlooking the golf course. The meal information and order sheet can be found on page 11. Hope many of you will join us for a great meal, friendly conversation and the raffle! Please remember to wear your name tags.

Before long this winter will be but a memory and we'll all be back behind the wheel of our Lincolns. I hope all of you will enjoy a wonderful holiday season with your family and friends and I wish you a happy, healthy New Year.

Barb Esdale  
Lake Shore Region Director

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## ‘Round and About...

*Remember....you heard it here first!!*

*Did you know.....*

### **Stars who have made Lincoln automobile commercials.**

Since the 1940's when the first car commercials started airing. Many stars have appeared in the Lincoln Automobile commercials.

- Serena Williams did a commercial for the 2023 Lincoln Navigator, the brand's full-size, flagship SUV.
- Matthew McConaughey, who has been the face of Lincoln since 2014 and has appeared in several ads for the brand, such as the ones for the MKC, MKZ, Continental, and Nautilus models.
- Jon Batiste, who is a musician and the bandleader of The Late Show with Stephen Colbert. He starred in a 2021 ad for the Lincoln Nautilus, where he played his original song "Ivory Steps" on a piano in the backseat of the SUV.
- John Slattery, who is an actor best known for his role as Roger Sterling in Mad Men. He was featured in a 2010 ad for the Lincoln MKX, where he drove around New York City and talked about the features of the crossover.
- Stevie Wonder, who is a legendary singer and songwriter. He appeared in a 2006 ad for the Lincoln MKZ, where he praised the sound system and the voice-activated navigation of the sedan.
- Tom Selleck, who is an actor and producer best known for his role as Magnum P.I. He appeared in a 1997 ad for the Lincoln Navigator, where he narrated the features and benefits of the full-size luxury SUV.
- Richard Mulligan who was an actor and best known for his role in Soap and empty nest. He was featured in a 1972 Lincoln Continental Commercials.
- Frank Sinatra, who was one of the most popular and influential musical artists of the 20th century. He was featured in a 1970 ad for the Lincoln Continental Mark III, where he drove around Las Vegas and talked about the elegance and performance of the car.
- Dean Martin, who was a famous singer and actor. He starred in a 1968 ad for the Lincoln Continental Mark III, where he sang a jingle about the luxury and comfort of the car.

**Sources: Microsoft Bing AI chat bot.**

## Lake Shore Lincoln Lines Editor's Corner



Hi everyone!

As always, let's hear from all of you. Send me via email or mail...your stories along with pictures of your love of the automobile, how you got your first Lincoln, your trips with your car... or anything pertaining to Lincolns or the club. Or just send me a picture of your car or cars with a caption. I would love to hear from you. Below is my contact information:

**Also new TO LSR Lincoln Lines is the Recipe Corner. Have a favorite recipe you would like to share with everyone, please submit to the information provided below.**

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Until the next issue...

Laura Cielenski – Editor

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## LSR – LCOC MEMBERSHIP NEWS!

Rather than spotlight one of our members, as is the usual case, I thought I would step back and look at LSR membership in a general sense. As defined by Dictionary.com, membership is “the state of being a member, as in a society or club.” This all sounds very obvious, so let's drill down a bit and see what specific benefits of benefit a Lake Shore Member.

At our national meet a few weeks ago, I saw some clear examples of why it's good to be a member and why we should spread the word to others who enjoy our Lincolns and get them to join.

First let's look at technical advice. As an example, Dick Koop, from St. Louis gave an excellent presentation on the preservation of leather seating. Were you aware that Dick also is our Club Technical Services Director, which oversees a series a knowledgeable people who can help a member through a very specific issue with a very specific car? This is invaluable information!

Secondly, our local club is a great conduit to find a car or to sell a car. Not a month goes by where I don't get a call asking me, “my so and so just died and left me his car.....can you help me sell it”? Of course, it works the other way too, that is I have people ask me how can I find a Lincoln. Being a member will give you great access to Lincolns showing up locally for sale.

(Membership continued on page 7...)

# Lake Shore Region Event Schedule

November	
5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	Annual Membership Meeting <b>DATE CHANGE</b> See page 10 for more details. White Fence Farm – 1376 Joliet Road, Romeoville, IL. Noon
December	
	No Events or Activities planned. Enjoy the time with your Friends and Family.
January	
20 <sup>th</sup> Saturday	<b>WINTER PARTY</b> See page 11 for more details Makray Memorial Golf Club 1010 S. Northwest Hwy, Barrington, IL <b>RESERVATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY JANUARY 7, 2024</b>
February	
	No events or activities planned as of yet.
March	
	No events or activities planned as of yet.
2024 LCOC National Events	





*Lake Shore Region*  
**LINCOLN & CONTINENTAL OWNERS CLUB**  
6121 247<sup>th</sup> Avenue Paddock Lake WI 53168

Lake Shore Region 2024 Membership Application

*Please Print Clearly...*

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ LCOC Membership # \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
First Last

Spouse/Partner: \_\_\_\_\_  
First Last

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Apt / Suite #  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Cellular or Alternate Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Birthday Month and Day \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ Anniversary Month and Day \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Lincolns owned:

Year	Model	Edition (if applicable)	Body Style
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Regional membership dues are \$25 annually. Our newsletter is sent out via email only. **If you are a new LCOC National member, there will be no charge for your LSR dues for the first year.** LCOC National Club membership application forms can be obtained from [www.lcoc.org](http://www.lcoc.org) or from the regional treasurer (262) 206-2644, membership chairperson (847) 997-9944. **Lake Shore Regional membership requires national LCOC membership.**

**MAKE YOUR CHECK PAYABLE TO "Lake Shore Region – LCOC" and send it WITH THIS FORM to:**

Terry Burns  
Treasurer LSR-LCOC  
6121 247<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Salem, WI 53168



# LAKE SHORE REGION MEMBER SURVEY

This is a survey that the Lake Shore Region Board members would like your input so we can do more of the activities and events that you would be interested in attending.

1) Are you a member of more than one region?

Yes \_\_\_ No\_\_\_

2) How many regional (not national) events have you attended in the last five years?

0\_\_\_ 1\_\_\_ 2\_\_\_ 3\_\_\_ 4\_\_\_ 5+\_\_\_

3) Are there any activities that you would like to see added to your regional events? Here are a few suggestions. Add more of your ideas.

Technical presentations & "how to" seminars.

Local car events but not exclusive to Lincolns.

Repair/restoration shops that specialize in older vehicles.

Events that do not have to be related to cars.

More driving tours with destination and meal.

Gathering of any type of vintage cars & pizza meal.

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RETURN YOUR IDEAS AND REQUESTS TO  
Barb Esdale ezzy4112@yahoo.com

*Lake Shore Lincoln Lines*  
**LSR – LCOC MEMBERSHIP**  
**NEWS! (cont.. from page 3)**

Only a few months ago, Jack Bowser helped our newest member, Mr. Bill Honiotes of Elburn purchase a Mark II, a car he had been considering. Jack was able point out what to look for when inspecting these beautiful cars. Only with membership is this kind of communication possible.

Lastly, our club is a social club. I have to write that most of my close friendships are related to the Lincoln Club. When we gather, it is a sincere interest and personal warmth that comes from years of good times. We talk, we tell stories, we eat and we laugh. Even new members, like those I met for the first time in Springfield, felt like friends by the time we all departed for home.

So, while we are not as large as we were several years ago, we are still a very cohesive group that shares a common interest and has a lot of fun in the process. So, please spread the word that being a member of the Lake Shore Region is a great idea. Should you have someone in mind, I would be happy to call them to speak about joining us, 847-997-9944.

John McCarthy  
Lake Shore Region  
Membership Chairman



L I N C O L N



*With the Holidays approaching, homemade cranberry sauce is so easy to make and better than anything from a can.*

## **Homemade Cranberry Sauce**

Submitted by Laura Cielenski

### **Ingredients:**

- 12oz fresh cranberries
- 1 cup granulated sugar
- 1 cup fresh orange juice

### **Directions:**

Place cranberries in a strainer and rinse. Then pick through for any bad cranberries. Remove any sticks/stems.

Combine ingredients in a large saucepan over medium-high heat, stirring occasionally. As the cranberry sauce comes to a boil, the berries will begin to burst, about 5-7 minutes.

Reduce the heat to simmer. Stir occasionally as the cranberry sauce thickens, about 3 minutes. Refrigerate and serve cold or at room temperature.

**NOTES:** If you prefer your cranberry sauce smooth, you can use a stick blender in the pot and blend until smooth. You can also transfer the sauce to a blender and blend until smooth.



November

Tom O'Donnell

7



December

John Mc Carthy

20



November

Joe & Barb Esdale

9



December

None





Three Lake Shore Region Board members are up for re-election each year. This year they are Harry Came, Barb Esdale and Joe Russo. Should any other Lake Shore Region member in good standing wish to run for a seat on the Board, they should notify John McCarthy by October 25th.

### **WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!**



**Steve & Jodie Koch  
Chatham, Il.  
&  
Bill & Mary Honiotes  
Elburn, IL**





## MEMBERSHIP MEETING & DINNER



**Sunday, November 5th @ NOON**

**1376 Joliet Road, Romeoville, IL**

**Phone: (630) 739-1720**

Looking forward to seeing you on Sunday, November 5th for our annual Lake Shore Region membership meeting.

Choose your lunch choice from a special menu. Pay for your own meal and bar drinks. Lunch will commence at noontime and the meeting will follow afterwards.

This membership meeting is great for sharing stories, doing a little tire-kicking and having some good food. This is a special event because members find out what is going on in the club and will also get to express their opinions and ideas to the Board members. Your participation is important to all members and the club.

**THIS IS A VERY IMPORTANT EVENT, so please don't miss it.**

*Please R.S.V.P. to Joe Russo by October 27<sup>th</sup> so we can tell the restaurant our total numbers in advance.*

*219-707-6427      pantera351@yahoo.com*

**REMEMBER TO CHANGE YOUR CLOCKS TO DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME!**



# Winter Party



**Saturday, January 20<sup>th</sup>, 2024 @ 12:00 P.M.**

Makray Memorial Golf Club, 1010 S. Northwest Hwy., Barrington, IL



## MENU



**HOUSE SALAD** with Honey Mustard Dressing

**Choice of:** - (Fill out the reservation form below.)

**PETITE FILET** – 4 oz. grilled petite filet topped with garlic herb butter, Yukon Gold mashed potatoes and balsamic marinated vegetables with broccolini.

**CHICKEN ROMESCO** – Lightly breaded and sauteed chicken breast with a tomato red bell pepper almond sauce, served over basil & pesto aioli angel hair pasta and seasonal vegetables.

**CEDAR PLANK HADDOCK** – Placed on warm Jasmine rice, marinated seasonal vegetables. Topped with smoked tomato butter sauce.

**DESSERT** – Chocolate Decadence

Includes Fresh Rolls & Butter

Coffee Service Included

Cash bar.

**COST PER MEAL \$35.00/person** (Lake Shore will pay the tax and gratuity)

**KIDS MENU** – Includes drink \$10.00 (ages 4-12)

Cheese Pizza Chicken Tenders with Fries Hot Dog with Fries Cheeseburger with Fries



**RESERVATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY JANUARY 7, 2024.**

Clip the form below and mail along with your check.



NAME

ENTRÉE CHOICE

\$ AMOUNT

Beef, Chicken, Fish or Kids Item


**Total** \_\_\_\_\_

**Make check payable to LAKE SHORE REGION LCOC and mail to  
Barbara Esdale, at 1769 Eastwood Ave., Highland Park, IL. 60035-2111**

## GENEVA CONCOURS *d'Elegance*

By Barb Esdale



The 2023 Geneva Concours d' Elegance was held on what had to be a near perfect day, weather-wise. The theme this year and feature cars were the Springfield Rolls Royce, Edsel Ford's dream car the Continental, Cars of the Classic Era, Micro cars and Tuner cars. Here was yet another opportunity to see automotive history, rub elbows with the car collecting elite, and generally view, close up, some incredible examples of motoring luxury from yester-year. Several of our Lake Shore members proudly displayed their cars in this outstanding display of vehicles. This fantastic week-end should be a "must see" event on your calendar for next year.

*John Mc Carthy's 1948 Lincoln Continental.  
The color is Grotto Blue and it's one of only  
412 produced in 1948.*



*Jack Bowser's 1956 Mark II that was awarded a  
Carl Benz Class Award trophy at the Geneva  
Concours d'Elegance.*



## Lincolns on the Lake Part III

By Terry Burns

For those of you that were unable to attend our third annual “Lincolns at the Lake”, you missed out on perfect weather and a great gathering of Lincolns. As in years past we were positioned right at the beach area with beautiful scenic Paddock Lake in the background for a relaxing day at the beach. This year we had seven Lincolns total making a great local presence of the car we all enjoy. Many of the vehicles enjoyed many onlookers especially Harry Cames’ 1963 Continental Convertible displayed in “Swiss army knife” fashion and Jack Bowser’s concourse winning 1956 Mark II.



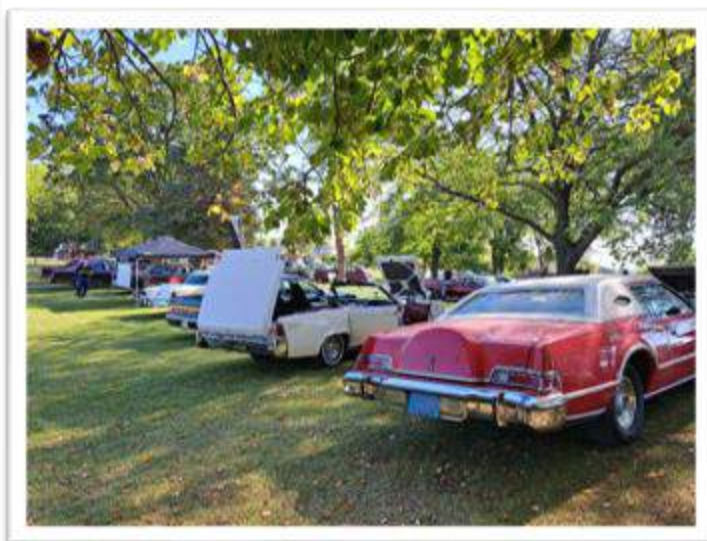
2023 marked the 12<sup>th</sup> annual of the Paddock Lake Oktoberfest to which our event corresponds with. This year our newly built band pavilion hosting authentic German dancing and bands. As usual there were many food vendors to appeal to anyone’s food taste. The setting is truly that of the Bavarian Alps in Germany.



As the new tradition, the Alphorn Blowers once again came down lakeside to play several tunes for everyone’s enjoyment. Club members present this year were the afore-mentioned Harry Came and Jack Bowser. Also present were Bill and Patty Nawrot and I. Charles Reynold’s brought his Lipstick Edition Mark IV, but could not enjoy the day with

us due to a prior engagement. There were also two newcomers that I invited. As of this writing, one has joined LCOC. All in all, the car show brought in 118 classic cars by my quick walk through the show field. This was an outstanding showing given the construction getting into the park this year. Road construction aside, once again it was a great way to spend a pleasant Saturday relatively close to home.

## *Lake Shore Lincoln Lines - Events (Lincoln's by the Lake cont...)*





## 2023 Mid-America Meet

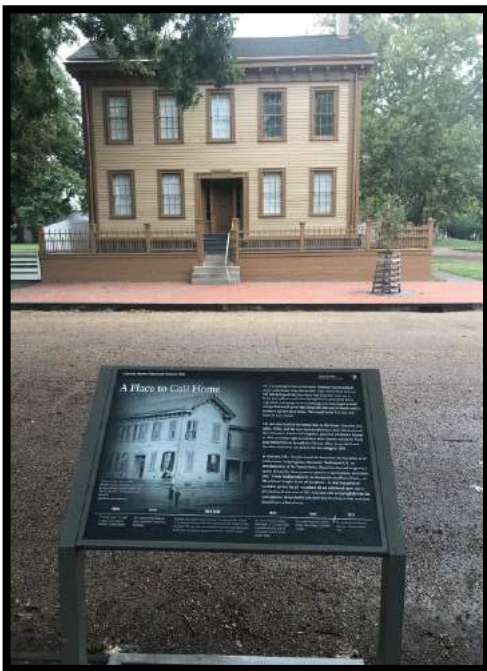
By John Mc Carthy

The 2023 Mid-America Meet is in the books and I must write it was a great success at all levels, in this man's opinion. We did have some rain issues, but when the weather HAD to be perfect, it was. More perfect weather on show day would not be possible with temps in the mid '80's.

Activities began for most folks on Wednesday with a bus tour over to the Dana-Thomas House, a Frank Lloyd Wright masterpiece completed in the early 20th Century. The home, both inside and out, was a cohesive mix of classic Prairie Style that was simply amazing. Dinner on Wednesday night was at the top of our hotel, providing a terrific view over Springfield.



*Dana Thomas Home*



*Abe Lincoln's Home*

The following day included another bus tour. This time we toured Abraham Lincoln's home and the Lincoln Presidential Museum. Abe's home was the only home he would own and is perfectly maintained. The Museum, which is named after him, is simply fantastic with many Lincoln artifacts and three-dimensional displays. The evening concluded with a spectacular event at the local Lincoln store, Green Lincoln of Springfield! At about 5:30 PM, we all lined up and drove the 5 miles or so to the Green Lincoln dealership. The skies were threatening, but outside of a slight mist, we were blessed with a delightful evening which included dinner, jazz music and drinks. Mr. Colin Liss and his fine staff really rolled out the red carpet for us! Abraham Lincoln even made a surprise visit! Honest Abe seemed to really love so many cars named after him.

Friday morning, we left early to take in the beautiful private collection of Bob and Vicki Henley. It was a warm clear morning as we began the tour, but rain was called for, so instead of driving my '48 Continental, which leaks from everywhere in the rain, I decided to take my LT Lincoln pickup truck and I'm glad I did! While we were all having lunch at the famous restaurant, Motorheads Garage, the sky opened up and it poured and poured!

## *Lake Shore Lincoln Lines - Events (Mid America Event cont...)*

Back at the hotel, our own Dick Koop gave an excellent presentation on the restoration and preservation of leather seating. Afterwards, we prepared for our Italian dinner and auction. It was well attended and the club made a lot of money, but the star of the event was the “Sail America” poster and other related items donated by our own Dick Nelson. After two individuals started bidding on these, the final sold number was \$1,250!!



*Donated items from Dick*

Saturday, of course is show day and the weather could not have been more perfect. 80 degrees and plenty of sun, it was just delightful. The cars were spectacular and while there were too many to note here, almost every generation was represented, from the 1930's to the 2000's.



*John Mc Carthy speaking at the awards dinner.*

The awards dinner went off without a hitch and we even had four cars in the dining room, including Joe Russo's gorgeous Mark IV Lipstick Edition. Mr. Colin Liss spoke to the crowd about his personal experiences with Green Lincoln. We all enjoyed the evening and returned to the hospitality suite to review the great day.

Sunday morning, we all said our goodbyes and headed for home, filled with great memories and a sense of fellowship that only a Lincoln Club can provide.



*Wednesday Night Early Bird Dinner*



*Green Lincoln Event*



## *Lake Shore Lincoln Lines - Events (Mid America Event cont...)*



*Green Lincoln Event*



*Abe Lincoln checking out the vehicles at the Green Lincoln Event.*



*Green Lincoln Event Dinner.*



*Lunch on Friday at Motorheads Restaurant.*

## *Lake Shore Lincoln Lines - Events (Mid America Event cont...)*



*John Mc Carthy's Lincoln being judged on Saturday.*



*Tim Wilson of Ohio displays his '61 Lincoln Continental Convertible.*



*Saturday Night Awards Dinner with Editor of the LCOC Lincoln & Continental Comments Jeff Shively, Photographer John Walcek and other LCOC members.*



*Attendees enjoying the Saturday night awards event.*



## Green Lincoln Dealer Night for the LCOC

By Terry Burns

As part of the four-day festivities of the recently held Springfield Meet in Springfield Illinois, Thursday night had the group invited to the local Lincoln dealer. Green Lincoln and General Manager Collin Liss held a buffet style dinner for the LCOC members, Green customers and friends. Mr. Liss also was our guest at the LCOC banquet on Saturday night. Though it rained in the afternoon, the skies parted, and the sun came out making for a great sunset sky. The cast of light on the rows of Lincolns made for some exciting images. My favorite was of me and Abe Lincoln just as the sun was caught between the trees behind us. I hope you enjoy them as much as I enjoyed taking them.



## *Lake Shore Lincoln Lines - Events (Green Mile Event cont...)*





# FOR SALE

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**If you would like to place a “For Sale” ad, please see the last page for more information on ad space.**

**Want to keep up to date with what’s going on in the Lake Shore Region of the Lincoln and Continental Owner’s Club? Like our Facebook Page @ Lake Shore Region - Lincoln Continental Owners Club. See current information of upcoming events, pictures and other items of interest.**



**HAPPY  
HOLIDAYS!**



## Lake Shore Lincoln Lines

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This newsletter is issued bi-monthly to provide information to the Lake Shore Region membership.

Members are encouraged to submit articles and photos of their cars which will be utilized and edited as space will allow.

**FOR SALE ads** are free for region members for first issue. Nonmembers, please see "FOR SALE" Box to the right for pricing.

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## FOR SALE

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## ORDER YOUR NAME BADGES TODAY



Did you miss the first order opportunity? You can still order your magnetic backed name badges for only \$12 each. The best part of this club is the friends you meet. *Help them remember you.* PRINT the names you want carefully on a sheet of paper along with your address and send with a check payable to "**Lake Shore Region LCOC**", to Terry Burns, Treasurer, 6121 247<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Salem, WI 53168. Order an extra set of badges to have in your car so that you can be ready for fun any time! Members who have just joined will receive one new name badge if requested along with their application. Each additional name badge will be \$12.

### Notice:

In order to be a member of the Lake Shore Region of LCOC, you must also join the national LCOC organization.

To become a member of the Lincoln & Continental Owners Club (LCOC) call the LCOC Membership

Office at (763) 420-7829

or go to <https://lcoc.org/join-lcoc/>