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Chambersburg Rotary Club and Noontime Lions Partner for 28th Annual Trout Derby

CHAMBERSBURG, PA – The Chambersburg Rotary Club and the Chambersburg Noontime Lions are proud to announce their partnership in hosting the 28th Annual Chambersburg Trout Derby, scheduled for May 3 and 4, 2025.

For nearly three decades, this family-friendly tradition has brought together anglers of all ages for a weekend of fun, friendly competition, and community giving. Since its inception, the Chambersburg Trout Derby has raised nearly \$550,000 to benefit a wide range of charitable causes. Proceeds have supported vital services including vision exams and eyeglasses, scholarships for local students, state and international initiatives, and local non-profit charitable contributions, including Franklin County Library System, Meals on Wheels, United Way, Chambersburg YMCA, American Cancer Society, Boy & Girls Scouts, and many others.

"This event has become more than just a fishing derby—it's a community tradition that fuels meaningful impact year after year," stated John Nogle, a joint spokesperson from the Rotary Club and Noontime Lions. "We're proud to work together to make a difference, both here at home and beyond."

The 2025 Trout Derby promises to be another exciting year, with thousands of dollars in prizes and tagged fish. Whether you're an experienced angler or just looking for a great way to enjoy the outdoors while giving back, this event is not to be missed.

Event Details:

Dates: Saturday, May 3 & Sunday, May 4, 2025

Check In Station: 125 West Washington Street, Chambersburg, PA 17201

Registration and Information: Visit <u>www.troutderby.com</u>

Incoming Rotary Club President, Jackie Fisher, stated, "our clubs invite local and regional anglers to attend this year's event and hope the Rotary Club of Chambersburg and Noontime Lions Club partnership leads to the biggest event attendance yet."

About the Chambersburg Rotary Club



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The Chambersburg Rotary Club is part of Rotary International, a global network of community volunteers dedicated to service above self. Locally, the club supports numerous educational, health, and humanitarian projects.

About the Chambersburg Noontime Lions

The Noontime Lions are part of Lions Clubs International, the world's largest service club organization. With a strong focus on vision care, the club also supports a variety of charitable efforts at the local, state, and global levels.