



# YOUTH ACTIVITIES

## LIONS INTERNATIONAL - NEW ZEALAND



Application & Indemnity Forms  
Multiple District 202 New Zealand Lions

District 202   
(D to M)

### YEAR 2018 YOUNG SPEECHMAKER CONTEST

This application form is ONLY to be used for the Young Speechmaker Contest

***I. APPLICANT'S DATA (Please print ALL details clearly, including email address)***

Surname:.....  Male  Female  
 Forenames:..... called by.....  
 Address:.....  
 Email:.....  
(Please Write Clearly)  
 Phone STD(.....) ..... Date of Birth ..... Age .....  
 \*Must have had 17th birthday and not be over 21 by 1st December 2018

State of Health ..... Height ..... M .....

Do you speak any other languages ?  No  Yes if so, which ? .....

Hobbies and other interests .....

Sporting interests .....

Present field of Study or Occupation: .....  Secondary  Tertiary  Working

School/University .....

Career Objectives ..... Any special dietary requirements ?.....

***II. APPLICANTS FAMILY DATA***

Fathers name ..... Occupation .....

Mothers name ..... Occupation .....

Parents' address .....

Phone STD (.....) ..... Fax (if available) Std (.....) ..... Email: .....

***III. SPONSOR CLUB DATA***

Sponsor Club.....

Email.....

How was applicant selected .....

**IV. INDEMNITY FORM**

I/We the Parent(s) or Guardian(s) of .....have discussed the NEW ZEALAND LIONS YOUNG SPEECHMAKER CONTEST with him/her and he/she has our permission to apply for participation in the programme. We the undersigned Parent(s)/Guardian(s) of the above named Applicant here by grant permission for our son/daughter to travel abroad under the Terms and Rules of the Charter for Lions Clubs International Youth Exchange (see below) and further state we have read the Rules of said Charter and agree to abide by them (see below). We further certify to agree to relieve any Lions Club Member or Host Family, Lions Club, Lions Club District or Lions Club International of any financial or other responsibility in the case of his/her illness or death, except that furnished by the insurance policy provided for this particular Exchange Programme, so far as may be applicable to imdemnify them in respect of expenses incurred. I/We do agree that our son/daughter will not be permitted to drive a Motor Vehicle whilst away under this Youth Exchange Programme. Our son/daughter will remain at all times with Host or other such accommodation arrangements made by the Lions organisers and we agree that any breach will result in the youth’s immediate return home, any extra travel costs being our absolute responsibility. I/We the Parent(s) Guardian(s) give legal consent for a Lion Member of the Club hosting our youth or Lions Multiple District or District Youth Chairman or Committee Member to take immediate action in Surgical or Medical Emergencies, when time does not permit the obtaining of consent by me/us.

Date:..... Signed: Mr ..... Mrs .....

**V. OBLIGATIONS OF THE APPLICANT**

I the undersigned applicant, hereby acknowledge that I have read the Terms and Rules of the Charter for Lions Club International Youth Exchange Programme (see below) and agree to be bounded by them without exception. I further understand that during my period of residence with the Host Families, I will be under full control and responsibility of the adults of the Host Family. I further agree that during all the time I am away from my home, I will not drive a Motor Vehicle.

Date:..... Signature of Applicant:.....

**EXCERPTS FROM THE CHARTER FOR THE LIONS INTERNATIONAL YOUTH EXCHANGE**

Youth shall be selected under the responsibility and reputation of a Lions or Lioness Club and should co-operate to the full in the Programme having an adequate understanding of Lionism. Preference should be given to the youths who have “international” vision and can promote understanding, goodwill, friendship and co-operation. All youths must be active and display a willingness to make every effort to mingle with the people of the country which they will visit. Youths must understand, appreciate and practice proper courtesy at all times. Youths should appreciate the real purpose of the Youth Exchange Programme, which is to be a good ambassador for their own country and Lions Club International, to foster new friendships as a matter of course and to make the exchange experience one which will improve his/her life in the future. Youths must make a definite effort to understand the laws of the country which they will visit and abide by them. Participants must resolve within themselves to make every effort not to cause the slightest trouble, embarrassment, or unpleasantness to the Host Family with whom they will be living. All Youths must be healthy both mentally and physically, with no problems which might cause worry or concern. Any health problems should be disclosed for the Organisers to decide if it will prevent participation. Youths must attend Orientation and Instruction Days and must put into practice whatever guidance they may receive. Youths must be prepared to speak about their experiences upon their return to their home country.

*Footnote: Successful applicants will receive a copy of the MD202 NZ Lions YE Handbook “Making a Trip Through Lions”, (usually at Orientation). This should be read thoroughly. The “Guidelines of the Programmes” should be noted and adhered to, where applicable.*

**VI. SIGNATURES**

- 1. Applicant:..... Date of application:.....
- 2. Sponsor Lions Club President or Secretary:..... Date .....
- 3. Sponsoring Club:..... Date .....
- 4. District Youth Exchange Chairman:..... Date .....
- 5. MD Youth Activities Co-ordinator:..... Date .....