



Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs Charitable Trust



March 2018

MEMO

Patron: PCC David Gault

Chairman Comments

Again my sincere thanks to Lions Clubs for their continued support.

At this time of our Lions year your District Trustees and myself take the opportunity to give a gentle reminder to Clubs who have not contributed to our Capital Fund to consider doing so with a Club Recognition or with recognition of a members(s) of your Club with Life Membership, Honoured Recognition or a Friend of the Trust.

With Changeover nights ONLY 4 months away what a great occasion it would be to pay tribute to a member for their service to your Club and your community.

The money that your Club donates is deposited in the CAPITAL FUND and accrues interest under your member's name for perpetuity. It will be a constant legacy of their selfless contribution to helping those in need. Growth in the Capital Fund = growth in interest = more money available for your Lions projects as we only can use the interest for Grant/Loan applications.

At our last meeting we discussed at length rebranding the Trust name and logo.

The legal name of The Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs Charitable Trust will be retained but as Lions we will refer to the Trust with a shorter name ie. Lloyd Morgan Trust or similar. However these two items (name and logo) will be finalised at our meeting in August and be forwarded to MD Council for ratification.

The Bright Eyes Brochure is now being referred to as "**YOUR TRUST**" brochure.

In the last Memo, (November), I noted changes of Lions for three District Trustees and also the Legal Counsel.

The Trustees until June 30 are recorded last page in this Memo. As there are three District elections occurring during last and this month there will again be some changes in the new Lions year which will be recorded in the Multiple District Directory.

Having new Trustees we will be saying farewell to others. After six years Sandy Carmichael (202F) is leaving the Trust Board. Sandy, on behalf of the Board and Lions I thank you for your service, your time, effort and your dedication which you have contributed so freely to the Trust. Your passion for this Trust has been very apparent and I know you will be sadly missed at the meetings.

The Grants and Loans Committee has been kept very busy during the past months with applications. The committee has been very vigilant in the amount of money that we can grant for Clubs' projects and hopefully have assisted in bringing the Income fund to a more equitable level for all workings of the Trust.

This Trust is **YOUR** trust.

Please help us to help you to continue to help others.

Lucie Armstrong (PID)

Districts Happening's

A brief newsletter of what has happened in your District recently.

F **A**t our recent Lions Club of Invercargill Host Meeting, we had as our guests, PDG Sandra Carmichael and her husband John, along with Lion Graeme Wilson (MD202 Council Chair).

Unbeknown to Lion Kevin Wall, Sandra was there in her capacity of Trustee for the Lloyd Morgan Lions Club Charitable Trust to present Lions Kevin and Linda Wall with a Certificate of Appreciation for all the work they have done over the many years for Lions. Unfortunately, Lion Linda Wall was unable to attend our Meeting this evening.

In 1987 Kevin Wall was elected District Governor of Lions District 202F. The following year, 1988-1989 Kevin was elected the Multiple District Council Chairman and assumed his position as a Board Member of the Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs Charitable Trust. His past success in charitable work in the Southland area ensured he would be a great asset to the Trust and he had an immediate impact on the thinking and workings of the Trust.

In 1989 Kevin Wall was appointed a Trustee of the LMLCCT representing Lions Districts 202F and 202J. The Trust was in its infant years and he was instrumental in developing much of the material used to promote the Trust. He developed a folder containing all the Trust information required to understand the Trust. He then assembled enough of these to be distributed widely to all the Zone Chairmen and others in the Multiple District. Kevin served as 202F and 202J Regional Trustee from 1989 until 1995. He was also involved locally in many fund raising activities particularly for those requiring urgent surgery for life threatening situations. This surgery in most instances required travelling off shore at costs exceeding \$100,000.00. This was very challenging to Clubs deciding to accept such a challenge. Kevin decided to influence Government and have these types of operations performed locally.

After many refusals, Kevin approached Auckland Hospital who agreed to partner the Trust in establishing a Liver Transplant Unit. Kevin undertook the chairmanship of the fundraising committee and it was his drive and ability which saw this project to its successful conclusion. Kevin is still the Lions representative on the N.Z. Liver Transplant Service.

In 1995 Kevin was asked to serve on the Board as an Advisory Trustee, a position he held for the next five years. Kevin was a Trustee for twelve years.

His contribution to the Trust was immense.

He was a keen advocate for projects assisting those in need and his administrative ability made him a valuable member of the Trust Board. Linda was a keen supporter of Kevin and the Trust and it is with great pleasure to have Kevin and Linda awarded the:

**Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs
Charitable Trust
Certificate
of Appreciation**



*PDG Sandra Carmichael and Lion Kevin Wall.
Kevin and Linda are the 10th recipients of the
Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs Charitable Trust Certificate of Appreciation*

Centennial Projects



Wigram Lions Club

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Burnside BBQ - Years in the planning and almost scuttled at the last hurdle this magnificent BBQ at Burnside Park, Christchurch is certainly a credit to the Wigram Lions Club with the help from the Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs Charitable Trust.

November 24th the Community board hosted a function where President PDG Raewyn Clearwater transferred the Clubs interest in the project to the Community of Christchurch.





Clutha Valley Lions Club



Type 1 diabetes - continuous glucose monitoring (CGM) system

A young Clutha family recently discovered that both of their children aged 6 years and 18 months had **Type 1 diabetes**, a diagnosis that was completely unexpected. This is extremely rare in New Zealand to have two diagnosed in the same family on the same day.

As a result of the diagnosis and the severity of the condition of the young patients requiring 24/7 monitoring of their blood glucose highs and lows. This put an tremendous pressure on the family. In a well drafted and informative letter Gareth and Paula (Parents) ask the Clutha Valley Lions Club for assistance with the purchase of the **CGM System**.

The Dexcom G4 PLATINUM continuous glucose monitoring (CGM) system measures interstitial glucose levels 24 hours a day to reveal a complete view of glucose highs, lows and rates of change over time.

Unlike finger sticks that give a number for a single point in time, CGM provides dynamic glucose information by showing you, every 5 minutes, where the glucose is, where it's going and how fast it's getting there.

The Clutha Valley Lions Club with a Grant of \$5,200.00 from the Lloyd Morgan Lions Club Charitable Trust were able to provide the family with the funding to purchase a Dexcom CGM System.

This has allowed the family greater flexibility with their life decisions from schooling to sports days, swimming and travel arrangements .



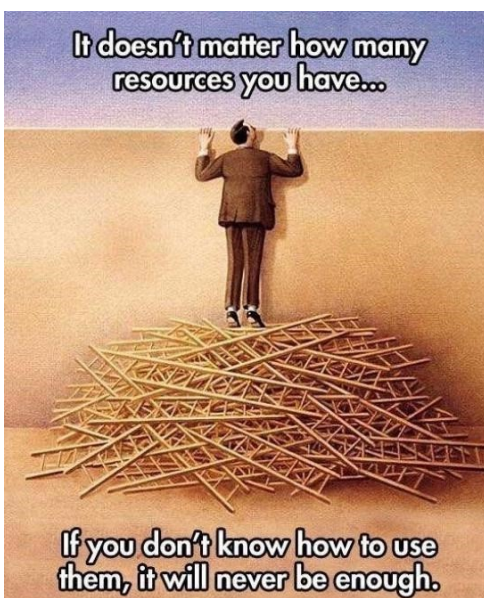
Applicator: Using this applicator a tiny sensor is placed under the skin in a similar way to an infusion site and is worn up to 7 days at a time.



The transmitter is then clipped on the sensor pad and transmits information to the receiver and/or cell phone



The glucose sensor will then continuously measure interstitial glucose levels (in the fluid space between the cells) and through the transmitter, will send information wirelessly to either the receiver, cellphone or insulin pump.



Mission Statement

“To assist Lions Clubs to fulfil humanitarian needs.”



Mayfield & District Lions Club

The stone gateway into the Mayfield Domain, built in the 1920s was dangerous and too narrow for a modern vehicle entranceway plus it has been damaged over the years and was due for replacement.

The Mayfield Hall committee and Domain Board asked the Mayfield Lions to demolish the existing gateway and build a new, wider gateway and stone wall including a pedestrian gate.

The Mayfield Lions decided (unanimously) to support this as a Centennial Legacy Project and approached The Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs Charitable Trust for support.

Donations of money, product and labour were sought from the community and a Club project raised additional funding required to complete the project.

Work was expected to start July 2017 and be completed August 2017 when a "fun filled" community opening day was planned for in the spring.



The Mayfield Lions Club were given the rights to attach a "Lions" plaque on the pedestrian gate for this "Centennial Project."

07 March 2018

Capital Fund \$5,576,397
 Recognition Income \$90,523
 Income Fund \$141,503
 Income from Investments \$139,637
 Grants \$94,594
 Special Trusts \$886,880
 Funds managed on behalf of Others \$225,371

STATE of the TRUST



Please read the
 Annual Financial Report
 2016 - 2017
 on the LMLCCT Web site

<http://members.lionsclubs.org.nz/Clubs/Lloyd-Morgan/Pages?id=311433>

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"I seek to have PDG Neil and his late wife Peggie, awarded the Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs Charitable Trust "Certificate of Appreciation" in recognition of the time and effort afforded the Trust over many years." *wrote Peter Knox to the Trust.*

In 2000 Neil Motion was elected by Lions District 202I to represent them as District Trustee on the Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs Charitable Trust. This was a two-year appointment and Neil immediately immersed himself in learning as much as he could about the Trust.

He quickly grasped the concept the Trust was promoting and set about implementing it within his Lion's District.

At the end of his two-year term, Neil was re-elected by his District for a second term as their District Trustee. The results achieved by his District during his four-year tenure were quite outstanding. Importantly, Neil nurtured a Trust Team within in his District and encouraged others to become involved. Neil ensured his replacement shared his own love of the Trust.

Neil's District success and his wise counsel at the Board table had not gone unnoticed, and in 2004, after four years as District Trustee, he was elected by the Board to serve the Board as an Advisory Trustee.

Neil served a total of four years as an Advisory Trustee chairing the Promotion and Publicity Committee.



L to R ~ 202-L District Trustee Peter Knox, LMLCCT Chairman PID Lucie Armstrong, Award Recipient PDG Neil Motion, 202-L District Governor Arvind Raman.

In 2006 Neil was appointed Trust Newsletter Editor, a task he accomplished with great success, ensuring there were regular monthly issues. This kept the Board and the Multiple District well informed as to awards, donations, grants and the general progress of the Trust. Neil served as Trust Newsletter/Memo Editor for three years which included the introduction to the digital age. In 2003-2004 Neil served his District as District Governor during which time he continued to serve the Trust. A truly remarkable achievement.

After the passing of Lloyd Morgan, Neil assumed care giver to Lloyd's wife Ngaire who was Trust Patron, spending many hours with her and taking her to many Lion's meetings and functions. Neil is a Life Member of the Trust.

It is my wish that Peggie Motion, Neil's late wife, be included in this request as Peggie was an integral part of Neil's ten years' service on the Trust Board. Peggie supported Neil in all of his Trust endeavours, was a gracious lady and a firm favourite of the Trust Board.

Peter J Knox
202L District Trustee

Supporting the Trust

New Zealand Lions Christmas Cake Committee



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4 February 2018

The Chair and Trustees
Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs Charitable Trust
C/- Administration Officer PDG Brian Watt
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Palmerston North 4440

Dear Lucie & Trustees

2017 Grant arising from Lions Christmas Cake sales nationwide

Sales or alternative charitable donations of Lions Christmas Cakes by Lions Clubs nationwide arising from the 2017 Christmas season amounted to 15,810 cakes. Accordingly, the agreed grant payable to LMLCCT is:

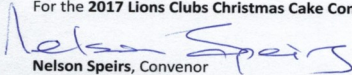
Cakes sold or donated to charities:	15,810
Grant payable to LMLCCT at the agreed \$0.17c per cake:	\$2,687.70

Accordingly, we enclose our cheque for \$2,687.70 as a grant to LMLCCT, to be used by the Trustees in any way the Trustees see fit in furthering the objectives of the Trust.

We are hopeful that the coming 2018 season will again be fruitful in furthering the activities of Lions nationally in both our combined Christmas Cake fundraising activities and our overall charitable objectives. Any support that LMLCCT can offer in pursuing that end will be greatly appreciated, particularly with reference to acknowledging this grant of \$2,687.70 amongst the Lions Clubs fraternity around the country, both at senior administrative and club levels.

With best wishes to all those actively involved in the administration and activities of LMLCCT in the furtherance of the Trust's overall objectives.

For the 2017 Lions Clubs Christmas Cake Committee


Nelson Speirs, Convenor



At the Trust's February meeting held in Wellington, Administration Officer PDG Brian Watt (right) presented a cheque for \$2,687.70 to The Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs Charitable Trust, Chairman PID Lucie Armstrong (Left)

This was as a result of 15,810 Christmas Cakes being sold by Lions throughout New Zealand.
\$0.17 for each Cake was donated to the Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs Charitable.

The Great Christmas Cake "Give Away"

For the past 12 years the Otumoetai Lions have been "Giving Away" Lions Christmas Cakes to the Local Pensioner Villagers.

It is a easy project and not a great expense to the Club.

Method: On a paper plate, place a 1/4 piece of Lions Christmas Cake, a Candy Cane and a couple of Chocolate Santas'. Wrap in cellophane, label with a "Seasons Greetings" and Deliver .

For more information about this project contact:
Robert 07 576-8445 or syderstone@xtra.co.nz



Discover the Lions Web Site and The Lloyd Morgan Trust site

<http://www.lionsclubs.org.nz/Clubs/Lloyd-Morgan>

Fillable Form

Now available on the LMLCCT Website the "Your Trust" broacher that can be filled in while on line.

Clubs can now fill out the form and forward it to the Administration Officer without having to print it first.



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Exciting things to discover at the
Lloyd Morgan Trust web site.

Landing page changed regularly
Photos - Awards Register - History - Grants & Loans List -
Financial Reports - LOTS & LOTS of information
Take the time and read about "YOUR TRUST"

From the NZ Lions website
landing page
Click on this icon →



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District Trustees — Don't forget to setup Dropbox on your computer. This will allow you to move large files freely between Trust members.
Once you have achieved this task send me (Robert) your email address and I will set you up with access.

Special Thanks to:

All the LMLCCT Trustees who summited articles and information to enable this issue of the MEMO to be published. Editor

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