WE SERVE



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April 2022

From the sandy beaches of Golden Bay, across the fertile Waimea Plains, over the Richmond Ranges to the port of Picton and the vast vineyards of Marlborough, the District extends down the East Coast via the coastal tourist town of Kaikōura and rural North Canterbury to the garden city of Christchurch and the Canterbury hinterland as far south as the Rakaia River. On the West Coast the District extends down through Greymouth, Hokitika and the unique rainforests to Haast in South Westland. We extend a warm welcome to like-minded people who wish to join us and help make a positive difference to the lives of others in our communities as together in Lionism WE SERVE. We are District 202E.



Rangiora High School Leo Club - Congratulations to Holly Prickett from RHS Leos for winning Leo of the Year for District 202E! Holly was a founding member and always happy to help quietly in the background, then progressing into leadership being President in 2020 and speaking at the Rangiora Lions Convention. Now part of Omega Leos for 18-30 year olds, she continues to volunteer in her community. Well done Holly! left to right - Rebecca Barnett, Lisa Barnett, Holly Prickett, Tayla Mellish, Kirstyn Barnett and Lila Wright.

What an exciting and interesting month we have had. We, of course, had our "Claytons Convention" which was really something quite different.

I have to extend a huge thank you to IPDG Paul O'Connor for all the work that he put into arranging this at very short notice. From all accounts it was very well received by all who either tuned in or attended in person.

All District Governors have been likewise affected this year and its been interesting watching the other conventions and how we have all varied aspects of the event to fit into time frames and locations. Fingers crossed that next year we might be able to meet in person again.

As I have said, it was a successful event and I would like to send my congratulations to the following for 1) stepping up and 2) being voting into their respective positions and wish them well for their upcoming year:

- Hugh Curry Ferrymead District Governor Elect
- John Bilderbeck Nelson Host
 1 Vice District Governor Elect
- Pam Harvey Amberley District
 Vice District Governor

It is going to be an interesting and exciting time ahead for a District and I ask you all to stand alongside your "management" team. You have elected them into the position of running the District on your behalf and they make sacrifices and give up a lot of personal time to do this on your behalf. Like you, they are volunteers too.

"Respect is how to treat everyone, not just those you want to impress" – Richard Branson

Another Convention that is affected by COVID and its restrictions is the Multiple District Convention next month in Wellington. This, too, is going to be presented on a hybrid platform with some of us being present at the event and others via virtual attendance. It looks like this may be the new norm for some time to come yet.

The Cabinet for Lions year 2022-23 are already working together on projects such as increasing and retaining membership; training opportunities; and ways of assisting Clubs in these uncertain times – so stay tuned for more news.

As the number of Omicron cases increases within our District I ask that you all take care of yourselves and those around you.

"There is no greater thing you can do with your life and your work than follow your passions – in a way that serves the world and you"

- Richard Branson

Stay safe and well

Tracy Henderson

District Governor 202E



"Together We Will Serve"







District 202E Officers 2021 - 2022









IPDG Paul



VDG Hugh



2VDG John



Secretary Ian



Treasurer Ian

April is Worldwide Induction Day, an exciting global membership celebration held annually on the last Saturday in April, to unite clubs around the world in welcoming new members. As demand for Lion service continues, so does the demand for quality members to fulfil the association's "We Serve" motto to helping those in need. Worldwide Induction Day is a symbolic statement to Lions in your area and the general public that Lions Clubs International is committed to recruiting new members and meeting community needs. Participating in Worldwide Induction Day will not only stimulate membership growth, it will also increase public awareness for your club and its activities.

Since its founding in 1917, LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL members have volunteered time in their communities to helping humanitarian causes. We continue to celebrate, among new and long-standing members, their proud legacy and commitment to helping others.

ASK another Club who is successful in growing their membership. ASK what their strategies are. e.g. Blenheim, Oxford, Seddon, Cheviot, Kaikōura, Amuri, ...

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Eyeglass / spectacle Collection Project Please give these to your Zone Chair.

Important - information listed in your Lions Directory is confidential and for the use of Lions Clubs members exclusively. Under no circumstances should it be used by members for commercial purposes, nor should they allow its use by others.



DG Elect Hugh Curry

Congratulations to DG Tracy and PDG Paul for running a great hybrid AGM.

The combination of an attended and virtual format worked well with everything being on time and with no glitches. For those of us who did attend, it was a good chance to catch up with those we hadn't seen for a while. It was a pity that after all their hard work organising it, the Richmond Lions Club were

unable to host their convention in the Tasman District. We will have to save our trip to their wonderful part of the country for another time, when hopefully Covid is history.

Thank you for electing me as your District Governor for the 2022-23 year. It will be an honour and a pleasure to be the coordinator of you, the Lions and Leos of District 202E. It will be my role to supervise the proposed Cabinet and ensure it operates for the benefit of clubs and within budget. However, the Cabinet is not the District. It is you Lions and Leos who are District 202E. It is you Lions and Leos who get out there and do the projects and raise the money. It is you Lions and Leos who the public see out there in your Lions' vests with your Lions' tear drop flags and signs making us visible and putting "We Serve" into practice.

I will be proud to be your District Governor.

Yours in Lionism Hugh.





VDG Elect John Bilderbeck

Thank you for your vote in me to allow for 1VDGE, the position I am most grateful to accept.



Congratulations to all those who received awards from IPDG Paul. These were truly deserved and for some unexpected. To be in to win yes, we must put in an application form. There are clubs out there who are doing an amazing job and could benefit from the accolades and some good publicity. Congratulations to IPDG Paul for the effort and the time, he put in to getting the hybrid/virtual convention up and running. The various timelines we received was an indication that the time and effort was going in.

I think that we would all agree that it was a success. Congratulations also to Hugh Curry DGE and Pam Harvey 2VDGE for the success they achieved in taking on the challenges for next year. I look forward to collaborating with them in creating District 202E a leader in New Zealand.

As Pam put it "the dream team has arrived."

At the convention meeting I made this promise so I would like to repeat it to those Lions that did not attend, as my commitment to Lions for the years ahead and part of my vision and the team approach.

My Promise to you, A promise to value you as an individual because you matter.

A promise to celebrate diversity because your experience makes us better.

A promise to have real conversations about issues that are important to you.

A promise to encourage you to share ideas and recognize that the best idea wins.

A promise to make opportunities accessible to support your growth and development.

A promise to live our Lions brand and its values and let them guide all that we can do.

What a great organisation we are, to have Lions like Lynda Halverson as part of the team! Congratulations to her on receiving the International President's Medal, one that she deserves for the work she has done and the continuing effort she puts in. An example of this was on Sunday when she put together a zoom meeting "Identifying Potential Leaders and Succession Planning" what an inspirational meeting! If one of us takes one idea out of this and puts it into an action plan, how strong would this make our district and clubs.

Congratulations to those Lions in the district who attended, namely Brian Rollinson, Tracy Henderson, Mike Bloom, Pam Harvey, Helen Williams, Ian Cameron, and Yvonne Bilderbeck. I would love to hear what action plan you will adopt for your club.

Please get hold of me if I can help in any way email 202e.2vdg@lionsclubs.org.nz or phone 027 547 9136

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Just Ask1 Welcome to our New Members

March ²22

MEMBER
John Phillips
Chris McRae
Glenmark
Mark Allen
Kevin Fourie
Motueka
Allanah May Simpson
South Woo

SPONSOR Martin Hall

Transfer - Rakaia Chris McRae

Michael Brown

Allanah-May Simpson South Westland Abyee Williams

Extention of Charter and entrance fees until 30th June 2022.

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1250+ June 2022

31 May 22

1 July '21

Our deepest sympathy goes out to family and friends of:

Graham Campion

Akaroa & Bays

Diane Stuart Motueka Lioness Lions



Club Excellence Awards 2021 - 2022 year - the criteria

- 1. Membership net growth in 2021-22 year
- 2. SERVICE *Contributed to LCIF *Started a new service project. *List Three projects on MyLion.
- 3. LEADERSHIP & ORGANIZATIONAL EXCELLENCE
 - *Club is in Good Standing. outstanding 90 days or more. *Reported Club Officers to LCI *Key Officers participate in District Training &/or online (LCI) training.
- 4. MARKETING AND COMMUNICATION
 - *The club has publicized its service activities through local media or social media.

To qualify for the Club Excellence Award, clubs must meet specific requirements in four categories: Membership, Service, Leadership & Organizational Excellence, and Marketing & Communication.

Applications must be signed by the current district governor. If sent from the district governor's email, it qualifies as signature on application submitted electronically Due by: August 31, 2022

Send to: clubexcellenceaward@lionsclubs.org or fax to (630) 468-6828

(Awards mailed to: 2022-2023 District Governor)

For questions, inquiries or to submit your Club Excellence Award Application you may contact us by email clubexcellenceaward@lionsclubs.org

DID YOU KNOW ... Rolleston Lions

That our very own Lion Brian Fennessy celebrated 40 years of his ordination as a priest last weekend. He has had an amazing career as he hasn't just stayed in one parish but travelled a lot as an army chaplain and underwent full army training including weapons. Served in Afghanistan. Has been a Lion for a number of years. He would actually be the most approachable priest I have ever met. Heather Power (We also celebrate Father Brian's 30 years Service as a Lion.)



members into the oldest Lions Club in the South Island is every current members' responsibility. How do you go about it? Talk Lions - to family, friends, neighbours, those in other groups with you, in fact, anyone and everyone. Tell them why you became a Lion, what you get out of membership, what you can give back to the community - here at home but also around the

World. Wear your little Lions lapel badge whenever you are out. Sooner or later, someone will ask about it. Pop a Lions symbol in the window of your car - it will get noticed, and I find that because I am "advertising" Lions as I drive, I make sure I drive well. Collect some of those little leaflets that I bring to every meeting, and pop them in letterboxes - put your own contact details on them if you like.

We're proud of our Club and what we do in the community - think how much more we could do if we increased our membership - perhaps we can even double it!

Remember - Where there's a need, there's a Lion. Let that Lion be one of us. JUST ASK!! Marion (PDG Marion McWha - Christchurch Host Lions Bulletin.)

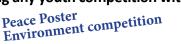
District 202E Awards 2020 - 2021 IPDG Paul O'Connor

- 1. SightFirst Trophy. Awarded to the club that excells in promoting/allieviating sight issues in the previous year. Not presented (One of LCI's core causes.)
- 2. MtCook Trophy (Outstanding Community Service) Oxford & Districts Lions Club. (Runner up in Constitutional area 7 for the most outstanding food production to feed in excess of 2400 people. Also ran Oxford Big Day out where a community of 2200 people approx. attended. "Truly a community minded Club."
- 3. Peter Tallott Trophy (Outstanding Lion in 202E) Neville Lawson Blenheim Lions Club. Neville in his 80's, has tirelessly supported the Club and community. With some 33 years as a Lion, Club President and responsibilities particularly around youth. Our outstanding Lion for 2020 - 2021.
- 4. District Club Bulletin Award Brian McLennan, South Westland Lions Club. Thirty year's this Club's editor, format is bright, consistent and informative. This Club's area is one of the largest in the country; some 200 km. long, where such form of communication is integral to Club's survival, with its bright yellow masthead and importance to its members.
- 5. Electronic Bulletin Award Lou Smith 202E District Editor. This bulletin in the past has been awarded to the Bulletin with the widest publication and sent out mainly by email. It's not an easy task to solicit information for any Club Bulletin, let alone one that has to keep the District informed and up to date with current Lions information. 2020-2021 saw a new Editor to our District Bulletin and it has continued to be a must read each month in our District.:)
- 6. Syme Family Trophy "Best Club Project" Lions Club of Hawarden-Waikari Balmoral Lookout, Outstanding project that has an impact on the local community and greater region. A restoration project honoured at the Canterbury Heritage Awards and driven by this one Club with assistance of others. The project has evolved over the years with a large proportion of the membership being involved with walkways, fencing, and ongoing maintenance. A well deserved project!
- 7. Membership Trophy awarded to Seddon Lions.
- 8. Pollitt Family Trophy "InterClub Visitation Cup" (more than one Lion and not to the same club.) Beavertown Blenheim Lions Club. Noted here, 'this award should have been contested by more clubs as this is the spirit of Lions in friendship and Camaraderie. With only 5 clubs in their area and and visiting them all.'
- 9. lan Drewett Memorial Trophy (Outstanding "Excellence in Lionism") Becca Bayton, Lions Club of New Brighton. This award is given to the Lion who has excelled in the spirit of giving, arranged outings to participate in activities they would not normally be able to do. As a member of her Club, she has organised beach fun days and other sponsored events and driver of the District Peace Poster. Becca has dedicated her efforts to youth in this District, a well deserved recipient of this award.
- 10.McWha Award for outstanding Leadership Alastair Rankin, Lions Club of New Brighton. Alaistair has displayed Outstanding Club Leadership over many years, including President since 2019 conducting effective and efficient interesting Club meetings, encouraging maximum member participation at meetings and projects. He has been awarded the LCI Presidents Excellence Award He sets high standards as a LCI member and attends Zone meetings and Conventions.
- 11. Stuart Barr "District Youth Award" Lions Club of Selwyn
- 12. Marion McWha Trophy "Leo of the Year Trophy" Holly Pricketts Rangiora High School Leos. 'Leos of the Lions organisation are the door to membership to our clubs and provide the future to our organisation.' Holly was a charter member of her Leo Club and has been a member for 5 years. 2019 Vice President and 2020 President, Holly was the driving force pushing the Peace Poster and gave an insight into social media to the older Lions. She has completed a Stand & Deliver course, assisted with training and has attended Leo forums. Holly is a confident, capable leader happy to help - qualities of a great Lion.
- 13: Club Excellence Awards Criteria goals to achieve see page 5. Clubs have achieved this in the 2019-2020 year, the Presidents and members are to be congratulated. Halswell & District, Christchurch Host, Amuri and Havelock. (plus those awaiting for LCI.)
- 14. Tailtwisting Trophy Jennifer Reeves Lions Club of Beavertown Blenheim.
- 15. Best Presented Club at Convention Havelock Lions Club

202e Speechmaker Competition for 2022 is postponed until 2023.

... Let's work on holding an amazing competition for 2023, with an abundance of clubs requesting to hold our district's speech contest! Thank you for your input and dedication. Please feel free to make contact with me regarding any youth competition within our district.

Becca Baynton Youth Chair 202e





District Diary

AprilMonth Leo Club Awareness

Month Environmental Awareness

22 Earth Day

24 Lions Worldwide Induction Day

25 Anzac Day

28 Malvern Lions Golf Tournament

May 1 Hawarden-Waikari Trailbike ride.

Month Strengthen Membership month

June 1 Helen Keller Day

World Environment / Arbour DayLions Clubs International Birthday

20 World Refugee Day

24-28 103rd International Convention



Christchurch South Lions - sign of the times BBQ

at TOPEC in Taranaki. The camp is for youth 12 to 16 years of Age. Applications close 7 May. Poster, Application and Health Declaration are available in the website.

Any questions contact Youth Exchange Pam Harvey - 202e.youthexchange@lionsclubs.org.nz



Revitalising Membership in District 202E

You will all have heard by now about the new membership initiative that is coming in July 2022 (next Lion's year) called the Global Membership Approach or as it will be known in District 202E **Project VITAL**

Membership is the life blood of our great organisation. We are not alone in experiencing difficulties of recruiting and retaining members. This membership programme, while is has come out of LCI, differs in many ways from any previous attempts to grow member numbers:

- 1. We are not being told what to do, we are being given a logical process to help.
- 2. At its centre is an acknowledgement that local people know what will work in their own communities.
- 3. The process is aimed at getting a team of people together from throughout our district to work together, share experiences and come up with a plan that is right for our clubs. The programme has four main areas of focus to grow membership. These are:



This is a Team approach, and the District is looking for people who are passionate about what Lions do in our communities and are keen to help ensure this work continues by growing the number of people who are proud to call themselves Lions. If this sounds like something you could be interested in, please contact your District Governor Elect Hugh Curry or Project Vital - GMT Coordinator Brian Attenborough.

KANTABS for Kidney Kids - "the rules"



We are a non-for-profit organisation that was founded in 1990 to provide emotional support and to help parents of children with kidney disorders.

We collect - Please see below 'The Rules'

*** Only aluminium *** Kan-tabs *** Wine bottle tops *** Aluminium cans *** Any scrap aluminium We do not collect

*** Beer bottle tops *** Steel *** Pull tags with steel wire *** Bread tags Points to note

*** Raewyn and Peter DO NOT SORT BAGS *** Do NOT collect beer bottle tops

*** Collect wine bottle tops – check that there is nothing else but wine tops in the bag ***Do NOT collect beer bottle tops

*** Remove pull tags from RTDs and ginger beer etc that have a steel ring – check with a magnet

*** Do not mix Kan-tabs with wine bottle tops and cans *** Remove the Kan-tabs from the cans

*** SQUASH the cans [do not just squeeze them – squash them]

*** When we find "contamination" [eg beer bottle tops], we bin the whole bag!

*** Please leave some ID with your drop-off at Hornby or Shirley



Kaikoura Seaward Lions - Our knitting project. Thanks to the board for the \$200 to purchase wool.

Thanks to Anne Grant and Julie Syme for the knitting. We could still do with volunteers to knit, as there is a small amount of wool remaining.

Leos Update as we celebrate Leos Awareness Month

District Cabinet meetings are held regularly through the year and are preceded on the day by 3 forums. The one allotted to Leos is under the chairmanship of the District's Global Leadership Team Coordinator. Others attending include Youth, Youth Exchange, Heads Up 4 Kids, Camp Quality coordinator, Child Mobility, Kantabs, Christchurch Music Festival to name a few. During discussions I challenged several to think about a Community Leo Club under their Lions Club and a surprising reply was "I have never given a Leo Club any thought at all". How many other Lions think the same way?

In my Cabinet report I put in a report from Christchurch Seaview Lions who have the QEII Leo Club and this is a community Club of around 8 members and growing. Last year's older Leos have transferred into the Lions Club. This is the same for Rai Valley Leos. They not only bolster numbers but more importantly bring in new ideas that keep both Clubs invigorated.

The Leo of the year is Holly Prickett from Rangiora High School Leo Club. Holly was a charter member, President and part of last year's Leo Advisor training team. She was also a leader in many other areas including rowing. Holly has now transferred into the Canterbury Omega Leo Club to continue her association with Leos.

If any Lion is keen on starting up a Leo Club in their vicinity please make contact with the writer via email initially 202e.leos@lionsclubs.org.nz

Wayne Paulin
District 202E & MD202 Leo Coordinator



International President Douglas X. Alexander

President Alexander's programs and initiatives will focus on four key key priorities for Lions International that are critical to our mission of service. Building our capacity to serve, Supporting our global Foundation, LCIF. Putting our hearts into our service, Communicating with our communities and each other.



Our Causes

Dear Lion,



You always give what it takes to make a difference in your community. And in these final months of Campaign 100, every one of us has an opportunity to give just a little more to ensure that the people and causes that matter most will always have the support they need.



This has been a difficult year for many, but I am asking those of you who are able, to give a gift that will make a difference for many others. Because every contribution to Campaign 100 is a part of our promise to fight hunger, keep families and neighbours healthy, protect the environment and so much more. And only together, can we deliver on that promise to our communities and the world.



Yours in Service, Douglas X. Alexander International President



How can we recognise the Service of our fellow Lions?



Donations to Campaign 100 are eligible for Melvin Jones Fellow (MJF), Progressive MJF (PMJF), and Lions Share and Leo Lions Share credits. (projects account)
Donations also count toward limited-edition Campaign 100 recognition and ongoing LCIF recognition, such as 100% MJF, 100% PMJF, 100% Lions and Leos Share Participation, and per-member average banner patches.

They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old: Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn. At the going down of the sun and in the morning We will remember them. fourth verse from Laurence Binyon's 'For The Fallen'.



nzac Day is observed on 25 April, commemorating New Zealanders and Australians killed in war and honouring returned and serving servicemen and women.

Anzac day marks the anniversary of the first big military action by Australian and New Zealand soldiers in World War I on April 25, 1915.

Anzac Day is a day for commemoration, for thanking the veterans and it's also part of our national story. We say or write 'lest we forget' in commemorations to remember always the service and sacrifice of people who have served in wars, conflicts and peacekeeping operations. Thank you.

CELEBRATING 202E CONVENTION 2022



Clubs Honour Service



Greymouth Lions - President Ada presented Peter Reedy with Club appreciation certificates. Peter and Carol have moved to Christchurch and Peter has Transferred to Wigram Lions and will be an asset to their Club.

Zone Chair Charlie presented Peter with his 45 year Chevron pin.



Blenheim Lions recently recognised the Service of Graeme Kendrew and Roy Ramsay by presenting them with a Lloyd Morgan Honoured award.



Glenmark Lions honoured Service recently, when Zone Chair Lou presented seven Lions with their long service Chevrons. left-right Roger Wilton, John Brown, Trevor Bunting, John Harrison, John Shepherd, PDG Errol Blatchford and Brian Gardner.





Nelson Lioness Lions - 2VDG John Bilderbeck presented Lion Colleen Matheson with her 30 year Chevron. Melvin Jones Fellowship to Jillian Jary, first Lioness to receive one in the club a great achievement.

Service of Remembrance March 2021



AHAURA GREY VALLEY LIONS CLUB John David Becker (D. 18 March 2021)

AMBERLEY DISTRICT LIONS CLUB Robert Smith (D 25 June 2021)

AMURI LIONS CLUB

Ian Edward FRIZZELL (D. 24 March 2021)

BEAVERTOWN BLENHEIM LIONS CLUB Marion McCormick (D.31 March 2021)

BLENHEIM LIONS CLUB

Philip Cowe (D. 17 December 2021)

BLENHEIM PAKEKE LIONS CLUB Randall C. Jordan (D. 15 May 2021)

CHEVIOT LIONS CLUB

David Denison McGiffert (D. 9 February 2021)

CHRISTCHURCH HOST LIONS CLUB Peter Rudolf Hentschel (D. 21 December 2021)

GLENMARK LIONS CLUB Keith Joseph Berry (D. 1 September 2021











HOKITIKA LIONS CLUB Brian Nixon (D 1 October 2021) HOKITIKA LIONS CLUB Jack Renton (D 5 May 2021) **KAIKOURA LIONS CLUB Bryan T. Seddon (D. 22 May 2021) MALVERN LIONS CLUB**

Gavin King (D. 24 September 2021) **NELSON LIONESS LIONS CLUB** Linda Lockyer (D. 10 October 2021)

Frank Idiens (D. 20 October 2021) **RENWICK LIONS CLUB**

Alan Simpson (D 18 April 2021)

PICTON LIONS CLUB

SEDDON LIONS CLUB T. Jack Taylor (D. 27 December 2021)

















100% Club Excellence Award - some clubs did not have representatives at Convention, so Zone Chairs will be delivering them.



Christchurch South Lions - enjoyed a great meeting Ellesmere Lions - relaxing over a well earned beer combined with partners and DG Tracy.



12,800 small and 470 medium squares baled.

Updates from Cabinet 11 March 2022

- 1. As at Friday 11th March, our Cabinet Treasurer has received Donation details from 15 clubs for 2020 21. Donations totalled \$269,000 from these clubs broken down to e.g. \$24,600 Camp Quality, \$18,000 Wellington Playscape. These are impressive numbers, just imagine if we had the figures from all 44 clubs to sell Lions to the public.
- 2. If any Clubs are wanting information or direction on how they can bring their Constitution and Trust deeds up to date, please request help from PDG John Whyte jwwhyte@gmail.com
- 3. All clubs should have a Privacy Officer in place.
- 4. National Youth Camp 202D. July 22. Further info. contact Pam Harvey 202e.youthexchange@lionsclubs.org.nz
- 5. Scams remind clubs to urge care, be it for Ukraine etc. All Lions donations for disaster etc go through LCIF.
- 6. Top Service Club awards MD info. to clubs. District closing date will be 30th September in each year in respect of the immediately preceding Lions fiscal year. We have so many club service projects that need to be in 202E & MD awards.
- 7. Generic Emails for Clubs. Extremely important to not use private addresses, if God forbid, one of your Club officers die, your Club has no access to emails. Ask our 202E.websiteadmin@lionsclubs.org.nz to show you how to set them up.
- 8. Valedictories are to stay at between 50 80 words with the rider that the Cabinet has the right to edit.
- 9. Youth special request from the Zone Chair to ask Clubs who their Youth Chair is and what schools they are responsible for in their area. These are forwarded to Becca.
- 10. Heads Up 4 Kids Have you got Resene cans on counters? Has your Club applied for available grants?
- 11. District Bulletin electronically does your Club need a printable version? It's a District expense that maybe shaved somewhat.
- 12. Value of Leos to Lions Clubs we have had a number of Leos inducted into our Lions clubs. Youth are the lifeblood of Lions. Their fellow peers are seeing and learning by example.
- 13. Schools Music Festival please remember in this, we are investing in our children / youth one of our Causes.
- 14. Peace Poster clubs purchase ONE KIT from Lions MD head office contains all relevant info. and correct ENTRY STICKER (with all the correct information written correctly on that sticker) for the back of ONE ENTRY PER CLUB, to be given to our D.G. postmarked 5 November. Clubs may supply the CORRECT paper and Please stress to schools The RULES. 15. Have you heard of Friends of Lions and Episodic Volunteers? If you see them as helpers or potential future members manage it well. A point here, if you have non-Lions help at working bees or other events, please ensure that you have a robust Health & Safety Plan in place for them, as well as your members.



Oxford & Districts Lions - Congratulations to Alistair Houston - 45 years Service Chevron and Geoff Rountree a Membership Advancement Key for his success in growing our membership. Presented by Zone Chair Bernie.



Nelson Lioness Lions - we drove the visually impaired in Nelson, Stoke and Richmond to their first meeting since May last year. We were also able to serve them the High Tea that had been planned for their AGM last July.



Beavertown Blenheim Lions - recently unveiled a memorium seat for Barbara Harragan.





Wigram Lions - clean up working Bee at the Lions Den.

Wow what can happen in a month.

* Floods in Australia * War in the Ukraine



Has there not been a better time for the Lions to set up and be involved in the humanitarian effort on both, please consider



giving money to LCIF as a way of showing your support, every dollar counts. If you require any more information then please get hold of me. I have sent out as much as I know at this stage.

Update on Tonga, District K appeal has started. Their intention is to build a shelter on higher ground, which will have about 60000 litres of water. This will cost between \$100,000 to \$150,000 for three shelters on three different islands. I will update you on this as soon as I get more information.

Don't forget the Lions Share Supporter. An idea from one club was to honour their last years president with a pin, this may be worth looking at for your club. I have challenged all PDGs in our District to contribute. Will we let them contribute more than our club members - the challenge is there.











One Star NZD \$75 Two Stars NZD \$100 Three Stars NZD \$300





Malvern Lions - President Tony Thwaites and Golf Tournament Convenor Hamish Milner attended the official handing over of the keys to the Malvern Community Patrol at the Darfield Police Station. The vehicle purchased for the patrol, was from funds raised at last year's golf tournament (our Club donated \$16,000) and Four Winds donation also. Policeman Bryan McQueen, Malvern President Tony Thwaites, Four Winds Secretary Robyn Tsukigawa and President Harvey Polglase and Malvern Lions Golf Convenor Hamish Milner.



Glenmark Lions - 14 members had a busy but enjoyable afternoon, splitting 25 tonne of pine firewood to be sold throughout Amberley.



Christchurch Host Lions - did two working bees to tidy up the boundary shrubs, flower beds and a lawn mow for a very appreciative gentleman. (Service can still be done during these tough times.)



Amuri Lions received this framed 'thank you' from Canty. W. Coast Air Rescue for their continued support of this very worthy cause. Amuri Lions have previously made a \$15,000 donation and do annual donations.

Orientation 101 Our Structure - THE LIONS CLUB

You may be surprised to know that you are not technically a member of the International Association of Lions Clubs! You are a member of your local club, and the club is a member of the association. This is as it should be.

The Lions club is the fundamental unit of Lionism. It is the structure upon which all else is built. The clubs are where the work gets done. It is clubs that make a difference in their communities. The association exists to serve and support your club and the 45,000 like it around the world.

As you know, Lions clubs are made up of men and women who want to improve their communities and are committed to the work that will make that happen. Our volunteers serve their communities and communities around the world with unmatched integrity and enthusiasm. That is why wherever a Lions club gets together, problems get smaller, and communities get better.

You have every reason to be proud to be a Lion. Lions club membership is by invitation only, open to persons of legal majority, of good moral character and good reputation in the community. As a Lion, you have become an active volunteer in a respected international organisation. You are a leader in your community and a friend to people in need.

As a chartered member of the International Association of Lions Clubs, your club has pledged to abide by the International Constitution and Bylaws. It is important to familiarise yourself with this document which may be downloaded at the Lions Clubs International Web site.

The officers of your club are elected annually for a term coinciding with the association's fiscal year (July 1-June 30). Most work in Lions clubs is done in committees appointed by the president. In many clubs, every member is assigned to a committee. Your committee assignment is an important part of your membership and deserves your best effort.

Administrative committees may include attendance, constitution and by-laws, convention, finance, Lions information, membership, programs, public relations, greeter and leadership development. Activity committees generally conform to the major Lion activities.

Each club, district, and multiple district set its own annual dues to cover administrative costs. In addition, the club collects international dues to cover member benefits. Money raised from the public must never be used to defray administrative expenses. Every dollar raised by Lions goes directly back into the community.

Jo Cameron - GMT (District M - March Bulletin.)

FACE MASKS \$7.50

Mask with three fabric layers, internal pocket to allow insertion of filters, adjustable ear straps and squeeze tight secure nose clip.

Imagine, being out and about wearing this mask - I did and the punters stared trying to read it. What publicity for Lions!!!

'Masks: The Club has purchased masks with the Lions logo on for all members.' (Club Bulletin.)

https://www.lionsclubs.org.nz/shop





GREAT Lions advertising!



From Kaikoura Seaward Lions bulletin.

DIANE J TOOK A LARGE AMOUNT OF OLD COINS TO RESINE. THE 2 BOXES WEIGHED IN AT 21.99KG; CONTAINED 3612 COINS AND 4 BANK NOTES AND WAS VALUED AT \$371.45

REGARDS ROY AND JOHN (Counting Room)

Who was LLOYD MORGAN? What legacy has he left?





Lloyd Morgan, was the only New Zealander to have led our 1.4 million-strong Lions Clubs International, as our International President in 1979-80. (only I.P. from 'down under' until Barry Palmer - Australia, in 2013.)

Lloyd Morgan was introduced to Lionism in 1960, when a friend took him to a meeting of the Wellington (Host) Lions Club. He was impressed with the fellowship that existed among the members. Soon after the Club sponsored a new Lions Club in Lower Hutt, and Lloyd was asked to join. He rose very quickly through the ranks until becoming our World President in July 1979.

Lloyd, a true "people person" with an engaging personality, passed away in August 2001. An inspiration to all who knew him, and thoroughly deserved the high degree of respect and admiration accorded him by members of the Lions Family and at all levels of our International Association.

The beginnings of the "Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs Charitable Trust". It had been the custom, at the end of an International President's year, for his Multiple District to present him with the keys of a new car. International President Lloyd Morgan had always made it very clear that he did not want a gift.

It was suggested that a Charitable Trust in Lloyd's name would be more appropriate. The two Lions who convened the fund raising efforts were PDG John Armstrong (N.I) and PDG Ray Carter (S.I.) Clubs donated the initial capital of over \$36,000 and the Trust was duly presented to Lloyd Morgan by Council Chairman (1980-1981) Pat Ryan at the final plenary session of the International Convention in Chicago in 1980.

As patron of the Lloyd Morgan Lions Charitable Trust - set up in his honour in 1980 - he helped raise millions of dollars for charitable causes in New Zealand and the South Pacific.



The Lloyd Morgan Lions Club Charitable Trust team, (note our District Trustee Ian Lennie back right.)

Categories of Honours

Life

This is the highest honour and is available to all Lions and member of their families and, at the discretion of the Trustees, such other persons whose contributions to Lions deserves special recognition.

Framed Certificate & Lapel Pin. - Donation \$600

Honoured

Honoured recognition is available for award to Lions and to other members of the community, to include posthumous award, to recognise outstanding service to Lions or the community at large.

Framed Certificate & Lapel Pin. - Donation \$300

Friend of the Trust

Available to all Lions and partners or those who wish to show their belief in the value of the Trust. Lapel pin is issued. - Donation \$100

Benefactor

Benefactor recognition is available to any organisation, family or individual that has supported the principals, ideals and objectives of the Lloyd Morgan Trust. A Framed Certificate is issued.

Company Benefactor donation \$600

Club wishing to recognise an individual, family or company - donation \$300

Honour Roll

The Honour Roll is available on this website and also displayed at District and Multiple District Conventions. The roll is open to all those who have been Lions, Lionesses or members of their families. The Roll of Honour perpetuates the memory of those who gave so much of themselves to their Club and the welfare of others. When requested a framed certificate is presented.

> "To assist Lions clubs to fulfil Humanitarian needs"

Now is the time to be thinking who you could award a Lloyd Morgan to at changeover.

Who are our Leos?

Alpha Leos are 12 - 18 years old.
Alpha clubs focus on the individual and social developments of teens.





Omega Leos are 18 - 30 years old.

Omega clubs focus on the personal and professional development of young adults.

Bulletins received by District Bulletin Editor 1/7/21 - 30/6/22

Zone 1:

Ahaura Grey Valley Greymouth ' Hokitika



Zone 2:

Golden Bay BBB Motueka FBBBBBBBB Motueka Lioness Lions BBB Murchison Nelson Host FBBBBBBBB Nelson Lioness Lions FBBBBBBBB Richmond

Zone 3:

Beavertown Blenheim FBBBBBBBB Blenheim W FBBBBBBB Havelock FBBBBBBB B Picton **FBBBBBBBB** Renwick Seddon FBBBBBBBB Marlb. Boys College Leos Marlb. Girls College Leos Rai Valley Area Leos

Zone 4:

Amuri FB Cheviot FBBBBBBBB Glenmark FBBBBBBBB Hanmer Springs F Hawarden Waikari W F WFBBBBBBBB Kaikoura Kaikoura Seaward WFBBBBBBBB

Zone 5:

Amberley FBBBBBBBB Oxford & Districts FBBBBBBBB Rangiora WF BBBBBBB Rangiora Lioness Lions Woodend Pegasus - B Rangiora High School Leos W Canterbury Leos Omega Club W

Ch. City Breakfast BBBBB Christchurch Host FBBBBBBB Wigram Skies Area W B Ch. Chinese

Zone 7:

Ch. Ferrymead FBBBBBBBB Ch. Pegasus FBBBBBBBB Ch.South **BBBBBBB** Ch. Seaview **New Brighton WFBBBBBBB**

Akaroa & Bays FBBBBBBB **FBBBBBBB** Ellesmere Halswell & Districts F BBBBBBBB Selwyn FBBBBBBBB Wigram FBBBBBBBB

B = Club Bulletin received

W = Website - if I have missed yours let me know. **F** = Facebook



Malvern Lions - Zone Chair Brian and President Tony Thwaites presented Chevrons to members: 10 Years: Les Clement and Tony Mitchell. 15 Years: John Morten and Graeme Roberts. 25 Years: Brian Hawkins and Brian Davidson. 30 Years: Ron Glassey. Three members not in attendance Rangiora High School Leo Holly Pricketts was presented with Chair Brian.



20 Years: Bob Scott. 40 Years: Graham Taege. 50 Years: a certificate on her completion of the Stand & Deliver Rodger James. Left to right - Brian Hawkins, Brian Davidson course by Wayne Paulin (MD & 202E Leo Coordinator). received their 25 year Service Chevrons from Zone Tini Lawry the Rangiora Lions President who is also the Rangiora High School Leo helper added her support.

Editor's Spot

It's been a very busy few days in this household and mostly to do with Lions. Lions Club Secretary, Lions P.A. Secretary, Lions Zone, and of course trawling through countless and amazing club bulletins. They say women are great lateral thinkers or should I say jugglers,

and I have to agree! (also men are great housekeepers - thank you :)

Members have also been amazing at forwarding articles and photos to keep OUR District Bulletin interesting. You will see that I tend to favour colourful and 'active' photos. It is my intention to make this bulletin informative and one that you will all want to read. This month, I have tried to focus on Leos - our future. It is Leos Awareness month. Did you know that District 202E has 65 Leos working with their fellow Leos, with other Lions clubs and as individuals to Serve. Their volunteer work is equal to our Lions members with perhaps a trifle more energy. Take care and stay safe. Lou



Lion Digby Prosser - Christchurch Host Bulletin Editor.



What kind of world do we live in?

My daily newspaper suggests a world in which we have world-wide covid and numerous spaces dominated by war. Refugees are common expression of some countries' experience. And now a crisis in eastern Europe.

Sport is dominated by nationalism or vast amounts of funding. We are constantly responding to technology change and social media has become a norm.

For many of us in Lions we have seen a societal change from a community centered existence to a responsive environment in employment that is international in context. Socialist solutions to meeting the needs of all have been shouldered aside by individualism. Some might suggest we have become more self-interested than community focused.

The NZ protests have become a standard means of expressing dissatisfaction. This pattern of dissatisfaction has often been a response to perceptions of entitlement created by idealism or a failure of an economic system to deliver equitably.

Recent events in eastern Europe have raised again the spectre of a war that may impact beyond the communities impacted directly by bombs and weapons. As Vietnam. did for our generation, the conflict in Kiev and Ukraine reminds us of the conflict between those who see power unevenly balanced between those accustomed to a place among the great powers and those dependent on harmony between nations. Ideally a United Nations should stem these conflicts.

Lions was founded in the post war era of the Great War. UN was a legacy of the second World war. Both were attempts to build more harmony in the world. Both require members to ally themselves with those objectives that build communities. Dictatorships don't seem to always seem to achieve that.

Maybe that's our job?

(Thank you Digby. I have given up asking Digby, but rather chosen to keep sharing these thought provoking Editorials, words that his fellow Club members are privileged to read monthly and now us.)

Do you attend Board Meetings?

Have you put your hand up to be on your Club Board?

'Remember, the Board is merely a delegated group of the club's members who have responsibility to act as the Executive of the club. Another opportunity for all members to join the Board is coming your way in June.' Have you volunteered to help your Club in this way, this year? To be a Vice President, a Director, or a

NZ Lions have partnerships with:

Camp Quality, Cancer Society, Diabetes NZ, Kidney Kids, NZ Liver Transplant Service, Hearing Dogs.