Lions Tasmania 201T1







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DG Vere's Thoughts - May 2019 Cheryl and I have recently returned from the Council of Governors meeting and the three day Geelong Multiple District Convention.



The Child Safe policies for all our Youth programs have been brought into line with those used for Youth Exchange, following Council accepting a submission on this matter from Toby Crawford, the new MD Youth and Community Affairs Chair. The ban on Youth aged 16 and 17 going overseas on Youth Exchange, has been lifted for several overseas destinations that have child safe policies equivalent to Australia's requirements.

Hannah Bowden from Western Australia is the MD Youth of the Year winner. The District was represented by Kings Meadows Lions Club winner Ethan Hamilton, of Scotch Oakburn College. Ethan is pictured to the right with DG Vere at the Blazer Presentation breakfast. Logo for Print and Electronic Communications The three logos on the left (below) are the only official logos that clubs/districts/MDs should be using in print and in electronic format (anywhere online, such as websites and social media, as well as emails, presentations, etc.) The full-colour emblem (right with the red tongue

and gray shadowing) should not be used electronically or for print. Per Section 2.6 of the Graphic Identity Manual in regard to the full-color emblem: "Usage should be limited to embroidered patches and other club supplies items. It should never be used in print or Web applications." This has been in effect since 2008.

> Please take the time to update the logo on letterheads, newsletters etc and ensure this logo is used on orders of new clothing and signage.

http://members.lionsclubs.org/EN/resources/logos/index.php

LIONS LOGO

District Governor (Elect) David Triffett will be formally inducted as the 201T1 District Governor during the Milan Lions Clubs International Convention. David and Carolyn are shown (at right) at the MD Convention, in their Australian green and gold uniforms.

Club Development Days

The Southern Club Development Day was held on Saturday 11th May using a one stream approach for new board members and also other interested members. An abbreviated coverage of the Cabinet positions was provided along with online references for more detailed information.

The **Northern Club Development Day** will be held on Saturday 1st June at the Kings Meadows Lions Clubrooms in Merino Street. The **Northwest** one will be on Sunday 2nd June at Penguin High School. The one stream approach will again be utilised.



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DG Vere's May Report continued

.A key aspect will be ensuring that attendees can log onto **the** new Lion Account, which comprises the LCI Digital Ecosystem, of MyLCI, MyLion, the US Lions store and Insights. Only **leaders** will be able to access all of these databases. It may take **some** time for the system **to** respond to your logon request.



DG Vere Cooper ADVANCE CHANGE





MAY

19 Sunday Cabinet Meeting & GAT Meeting, Kings Meadows

24-25 Sat-Sun GAT Coordinators Training, Melbourne

JUNE

1 Saturday Region 2 (North) Club Development Day

2 Sunday Region 1 (North West) Club Development Day

JULY

5 Friday DGE Training, Milan

6-8 Sat-Mon International Convention, Milan

27 Saturday GAT Meeting pm TBA

27 Saturday District Dinner TBA

28 Sunday Cabinet Meeting Kings Meadows



Lions Clubs International - Submission of current constitutions by Tasmanian Lions Clubs

It has recently become apparent that some clubs have not been updating their club constitutions to take into account annual changes that have been approved at the international convention.

Clubs are asked to adopt the current standard form Lions Club International model club constitution, each year at their annual general meeting, and include the budgeted membership and joining fees for that Lions year. This revised constitution should then be forwarded by the Public Officer to the relevant government department.

Clubs are asked to resolve that the current Lions Clubs International **Standard** Form **Club Constitution and By-Laws** shall govern the **club**, unless otherwise amended, so as not to conflict with the district (single, sub- or multiple)

The current club constitution, as amended on 28th June 2018, may be found at:

https://temp.lionsclubs.org/EN/pdfs/la2.pdf

(LA-2. Revised June 28, 2018. Page 1. The International Association of Lions Clubs. CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS. STANDARD CLUB. Fiscal Year 2018- 2019 ...) DG Vere 29 March 2019

MD Convention Motions

Here is an abbreviated description of the convention motions considered by MD Convention and the voting results. Lions Australia will issue a detailed report in due course.

MD Constitution

	Council		ernors (CoG)	Incorporation of	changes	APPROVED
CNM2	CoG		Inclusio	on of GS	T Funding Costs	in budget	APPROVED
СММЗ	CoG		Add re	ference	to 3rd Internation	onal VP	APPROVED
CNM4	District	C1	White	shirts in	Australian unifo	orm	Withdrawn
CNM5	District	V2	Include	e 4 to 8	PDGs in CoG	Lay on Table u	ntil next Convention
CNM6	District	V2	Electio	n of Cou	uncil Chair Lay or	n Table until ne	t Convention
CNM7	District	V2	All trav	el over	1200 km to be p	oaid at 12c/km	Defeated
Project Motions (one Cat B project spot available)							
PRNM8	BDistrict	Q1	Cat B	Lions S	tory Dogs exten	sion	Withdrawn
PRNMS	District	V6	Cat B	Lions J	unior Public Spe	aking extensior	1
						Conditionally	Adopted
PRNM1	L O	District	V3	Cat B	Need for Feed	Conditionally	Adopted
PRNM1	11	District	V1-4	Cat C	Lions Rheumat	ism and Arthriti	is Research
Foundation Australia until 6/2022 APPROVED							
A vote to determine which of the two conditionally approved Category B projects would be approved, resulted in PRNM9 Junior Public Speaking being endorsed as a Category B							

DG Vere

Project until June 2022.

Welcome to our Lions Family...



BICHENO LIONS CLUB IAN CUNLIFFE Sponsor: PETER WARNER

NICHOLAS GRAHAM Sponsor: PETER WARNER

ELLIOTT MCCABE Sponsor: PETER WARNER

ROBERT POLMEAR Sponsor: PETER WARNER

TIM POLMEAR Sponsor: PETER WARNER

NIC WARDLAW Sponsor: PETER WARNER

SCOTT WILLIAMS Sponsor: PETER WARNER

BRIGHTON LIONS CLUB BERNADETTE L HORNBURG Sponsor: KATIE DERMODY

PAUL C HORNBURG Sponsor: LINDA RANSLEY

BRADLEY L HORNBURGH Sponsor: KATIE DERMODY

DEVONPORT MERSEY LIONS CLUB ROSLYN JOY ROBERTS Sponsor: MARGARET FAY

FORTH VALLEY LIONS CLUB JUDITH LAIDLAW Sponsor: DIANNE ROBB

HADSPEN SOUTH ESK LIONS CLUB GEOFF BARTLEY Sponsor: PAUL MALERBI

KING ISLAND LIONS CLUB PAULA DENBY Sponsor: JENNIFER MARSHALL

SMITHTON-CIRCULAR HEAD LIONS CLUB JULIA BROOKE GALE Sponsor: CAROLYN GALE

ULVERSTONE LIONS CLUB MARK LEWIS Sponsor: PETER KURRLE



WATCH THIS SPACE Lions Clubs International District 201T1

Incorporating IPDG Vere Cooper Appreciation And Incoming DG David Triffett Induction and Installation 2019 – 20 District Cabinet

To Be Held Saturday 27th July District Cabinet Change Over And Sunday 28th July Cabinet Meeting

<u>NOTE</u> Details of times and location will be advised shortly!

Our District Count

30th April 2019

Clubs: 49

Membership: 1145

Same Time Last Year 1177

YTD ADD 80

YTD DROP 99

YTD GROWTH -19 members

Status: DISTRICT IN TRANSITION

Full Steam A(Circular)Head

The April edition of the N4 (Central NSW) newsletter features a large article and many photos covering the transport of hay from the **Smithton Circular Head Lions** to Eden and onto "Old Station" near Gollan, where the N4 Geurie Lions club distributed the hay. The N2 Pambula Merimbula Lions Club, near Eden, organised the unloading of the vessel and reloading of the hay onto a truck convoy. Tasmania's donation of hay to drought relief was greatly appreciated and Smithton-Circular Head Lions worked incredibly hard to achieve this.





LC Smithton-Circular Head raised \$1500 from their Leukaemia Shave For A Cure event. Pictured below are brave Lions Celia Thomas and President Sheryl Robson.

LC Smithton are pleased to welcome a new, younger family member, recently inducted by busy President Sheryl Robson. Pictured are new member Julia Gale and her mother, sponsor Carolyn Gale. Lions John and Eddy are also pictured.



GREAT SALE – CENTENNARY GOLD TINS

This is a great opportunity for Clubs to purchase the Centennary Gold tins at a heavily reduced price and it is up to the Club what price they wish to sell these at. There will be no restriction to the number of cartons Clubs can order, although the minimum buy of 3 cartons still applies.

Purchase price for a carton of 6 Centennary Gold tins is now 66.00 and orders must be sent prior to 30^{th} June, 2019 and must be paid for when ordered.

As there is a limited number of cartons left, it is a first in first served arrangement. The current order form has been changed to represent the new costing for the carton.

Cakes have a Best Before Date of 20th December 2019.

Sue Johns Retiring Cake Chairman





District Convention 2020 -21

LCIF Progress Report

Looking Forward with 20/20 Vision

It is time to start planning our District's Convention for next year! As your potential District Governor for the Lions Year 2020 – 21, I will start the ball rolling – as it is in my court!

Some clubs may be aware of the current situation where no Club has nominated to Host the 2020 Convention, and that the FOLLOWING year (2021 -22) Convention will be hosted by the Riverside Lions Club, with a venue in the Riverside area.

Ideally the 2020 Convention will be held in the rural area south of Launceston.



I am NOT naming any club at this stage, but I welcome any positive offers of help from any club or clubs in the Launceston, Meander Valley or Northern Midlands municipal area to host the convention or assist the host club with any aspects of the Convention.

Potential venues may be Rutherglen (now marketed as Entally Lodge) or Josef Chromy Vineyard or similar venues. Other area ideas are most welcome.

The venue should be -:

- capable of holding 100 150 people with more at Saturday night Banquet Dinner
- adequate Car parking without costs or time limits
- in the central North area Deloraine to Relbia or Southern Launceston
- Onsite or close by AFFORDABLE accommodation including RV / Caravan park
- Easy road access to allow for day only attendees.

The above suggestions should NOT preclude any other submissions and I am open to ANY alternate suggestions from any District T1 Lions Club - especially from the Far North West where there has not been a Convention since the 31st in Burnie.

Byron Dilworth

2VDG / 1VDG Elect

DONATION TARGET

We are still slowly progressing towards our District target of US\$15,870 but a long way to go. As at 30 April the total raised



was **US\$6742 from 16 Clubs**, however an additional AU\$1200 has been donated but not credited to the donor Clubs.

As we progress to the end of the Lions year Clubs are again reminded that part of the Club Excellence Award requires a donation to LCIF. For donations to qualify for the award they need to be processed through the system by the end of May. Please ensure that donations are received in time.

MELVIN JONES FELLOWSHIPS

At the time of writing 7 MJF /PMJFs have been sought by Clubs. Again as we come towards the end of the Lions Year it is appropriate to consider recognition or further recognition of outstanding Club Members or even members of the community. Many Clubs have considerable funds in credit for MJFs. If unsure of your Club's credit status please contact me [email lcif@lionstasmania.org or vsbtas@bigpond.com.au]. Some Clubs may need a further donation to make up the US\$1,000 for an MJF.

PERSONAL DONATIONS

Included in the donations recorded to date are 7 personal donations by Lions Club members. These donations have been in the range of \$100 - \$200 and the donors have been recognised by receiving a special 'Lions Share' pin.



John Gillham LCIF Coordinator

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Faculty Development Institute: A Reflection

This year I was asked to apply for and was accepted into the **Faculty Development Institute (FDI) in Melbourne.** There were 20 participants from around Australia, New Zealand, Indonesia and New Caledonia and the course ran for three days.

The purpose of the FDI is to **become an accredited facilitator of training within Lions;** we received a certificate at the end of the course but will not be officially recognized as a training facilitator until we have been assessed 'on the job' within six months of the course.



Looking around, I was feeling grateful to have been accepted, as I was in the company of DG's, past DG's, GAT members and other very experienced Lions. It became apparent, however, that we were all in the same boat as far as nerves went, and by the end of the Institute we had all formed new bonds and friendships. We were thrown right in, starting with a 3 minute one about ourselves on the first day, building up with a 7 minute presentation of half a module on Day 2 and finishing with a 25 minute presentation of the full module on Day 3.

The course was well-scaffolded, providing us with training on all of the elements needed to give training and presentations to participants, including voice tone and pitch, eye contact, active listening and many strategies for engaging and managing an audience; the ice-breakers were by far the best fun! On the first day we were broken into two equal presentation groups, which allowed each group to form strong support networks for each other. The mornings were taken up with our training modules as a whole and the afternoons saw us practicing our presentations in front of each other in our groups of ten. We were filmed on the first day and again on the last day so we could see our growth. By the last day we could all notice a huge improvement in not just our own performances but everyone else's as well.

I didn't realise how much information Lions International has available for presenters and facilitators in terms of Powerpoint presentations, manuals and online resources. I learnt a great deal on the FDI weekend and I am looking forward to doing my first training facilitation for incoming officers on the NW Coast in June; one of many I hope. I highly recommend the FDI to anyone who wishes to become a training facilitator in their district or for people who lack confidence in speaking to an audience. You'll never look back.



Victoria Cochrane

President Rocky Cape Lions Club

Brave Young Men... The young man (pictured standing below left) is a Penguin Leo who chose to spend his 18th birthday at the Geelong convention. Below Right and seated at extreme left, is AJ Wright representing Penguin & Tasmania in the Leo Final. AJ spoke about fear and we held our breath as he grappled with stage fright. AJ is a prime example of Courage, developed with the support of Lions. Despite his nerve-racking experience, AJ enjoyed Convention.







Lionsonoz-Nundle Goes For Gold

When the call goes out for help in a Lions project Lionsonoz members are there to help.

The Nundle (NSW) Lions knew they were going to need assistance in catering for the hundreds of people expected to be at this year's "Go for Gold" festival so asked for help. Lionsonoz member PDG Peter Willis-Jones answered the call and together with another PDG Lion John Davis of Tamworth Lions Club soon found themselves in the kitchen section of the Nundle Lions catering caravan covered in sweat as they cooked hundreds of steak and sausage sandwiches for the hungry crowd of visitors.



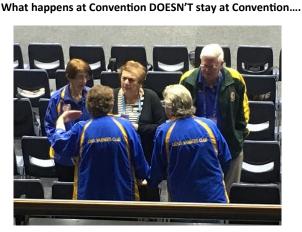


Australian Lionsonoz does not conduct any service or fundraising projects but instead members are very willing to assist "main stream" Lions clubs in their projects when they are available.

The Nundle "Go for Gold" festival is a yearly event conducted on the Easter weekend and highlights the Chinese influence in Nundle's development with demonstrations of Chinese dancing, music and entertainment as well as gold panning demonstrations and participating in all sorts of gold mining experiences. There are many stalls and other amusements and lots of people put this event in their diaries as a "must see" each year.

Pictured above: PDG Lion John Davis with Lionsonoz member PDG Peter Willis-Jones and the President of Nundle Lions club Lion Michael Chamberlain hard at work in Nundle Lions Club's catering van.

By PDG Warren White.



These Lions Vanners Club members enjoyed catching up at the MD Convention. *Vanners* are full members of their respective Lions Club and hold their AGM immediately before or after the MD Convention. Full credit to these young band members who have never played the **Icelandic National Anthem** before! Gudrun would be proud. Pictured in their maroon and yellow shirts are members of the Penguin Leo Club. They represent Tasmania so well.



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Save The Date 2020

"Run the Beaches"

A Great Run for a Great Cause

Looking for a friendly Stroll or competitive Run along a Beach?

The Lions Club of Clarence has the event for you. Come and join us next year on the 1st of March 2020 to be part of Bendigo Bank "Run the Beaches".

The event includes a 5K, and a 2K Run/Walk along the picturesque shoreline of Bellerive and Howrah and a 50 metre dash for toddlers and children with a disability. A Community Health and Wellness Expo. Runs alongside. Something for everyone!!!

All this activity and excitement raises funds for the Australian Lions Children's Mobility Foundation. It has only been running for two years and already it has raised close to \$6000

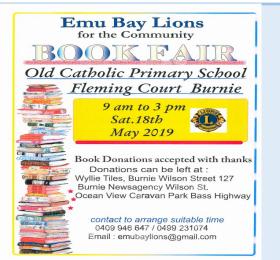
Please support us to raise more funds "for such a great cause" by liking and sharing our Facebook page. Or better still !! Lock in the date!!!

"Run the Beaches" Facebook Page





Beth Kennelly LC Clarence



The Emu Bay Lions club will be opening the doors to their GIANT Book Fair for one day only in May this year, due to overwhelming demand from the public. Come along and stock up on some new reading material to enjoy over the cold winter months. We would also welcome donations of your pre-loved books, DVD's, games etc. We are happy to collect your donations (NW only) if you are unable to deliver. We hope to see you there!

Carmel Williams Emu Bay Lions Club 0437 731618

EVENTS	May 18 May 19 June 1 June 2	LC Burnie Emu Bay Book Fair Cabinet Meeting Club Devt Day NORTH Club Devt Day N.WEST
UP COMING	Aug 3-4 Aug 4 Sept 5-8 Oct 26	LC King Island 50th Charter TLF Meeting ANZI Pacific Forum, Jakarta LC Smithton 50th Charter

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