



Lions Clubs International District 201T1 **LIONS TASMANIA**



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District Governors Brief - October 2023

Thankyou Lions, for another solid month working in your community. I know as we lead up to the end of another year that all our clubs are getting busier with projects.

Coming up is your District Convention, commencing on Friday 10th of November with the usual "Meet and Greet" at the Lions Club of Kings Meadows clubrooms. This is followed with the opening and first business session on Saturday 11th, at the Tramsheds, Invermay. While that is taking place, partners can enjoy a stroll around the QVMAG next door, taking in Arts and Crafts, followed by a quiet coffee and returning to the main function for our "Leo of the Year" presentation by International Leo of the Year - Leada Blackie from King Island.

Jan Bennett will be our keynote guest speaker, talking on "Community Passion and Vision". During the day you will also hear from Lion David Skinner (MD Legal Officer), and Toby Crawford on "Club Growth Plus", and not forgetting David Horne from Hearing Dogs.

The Saturday Night Gala event is a "Wild West Night" starting at 6.30 for 7.00pm at The Tramsheds. The band is the same as last year - so come along and mix with friends and have a great night with food and drinks. Fancy Dress is the way to go. Time to relax Dance and catchup.

The Remembrance Ceremony is held Sunday morning, so please make sure you have registered any Lion that has "passed" from your Club with the Cabinet Secretary, and where possible, include a photo. Please also have a Lion along to represent your club for the remembrance ceremony.

It is expected that we will have you heading home before lunch on Sunday. Please be there, as a lot of work goes into organizing this convention. Please get your registration in asap.

Leadership - Having a role in your Club or on Cabinet is always a rewarding experience. This year you will see some short flyers on what is involved in being a leader, starting with "Club Support Zone Chairs", and will be followed by flyers on Club President, Secretary, Treasurer and Membership Chair, with one per issue going forward. Please check out these flyers, and remember there's other Lions happy to help you. Give it a go.

Service - Having visited some of our clubs, I can see that all the clubs are busy supporting their community. I would ask that all that time and effort be reported on MyLion, as it is your Clubs' history, and also helps us work out what Lions are worth to this great State of Tasmania. This helps us with funding, requesting grants and lobbying.

Membership - Our District numbers are positive after steadily decreasing over the last 14 years. I would like to say two things. #1 -Thankyou to all those Lions trying hard to increase their Club growth. Please note - Cabinet and the team are always here to help. Just Ask. #2 if you have any great ideas that are working, please let us know.

District Projects - Cakes, Mints, Youth of the Year, LEPH and the others, please support them wherever you can.

Big Welcome to all new members, including our newest Lions in the "Tasmanian Online Club". Thank you for being part of our great team.

Delegates - Please be sure your Club has registered you to vote at the Convention.

Thank you all for your help

Rob Batchelor, DG



Our District Count

July 2023

Clubs: 49

Membership: 954

Membership @ August 2023

YTD ADD 42

YTD DROP 35

YTD NET GROWTH 7

YTD NET GROWTH % 0.74%

Status "Transitional"

(24 mths)



LIONS INTERNATIONAL

PEACE

POSTER

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#peaceposter



TASMANIAN ONLINE LIONS CLUB

SPRING RAFFLE 2023

**Tickets \$5 available
online - just follow the
link in this post**



1st prize

Beautiful contemporary original handcrafted quilt, valued at \$500

2nd prize

Two-night stay at the iconic Glen Derwent Retreat, valued at \$440

3rd prize

Agrarian Kitchen package - a \$200 voucher, apron and cookbook, valued at \$290

4th prize

High tea for 2 at Glen Derwent Tea Rooms, valued at \$132

5th prize

\$50 voucher for The Art House Cafe

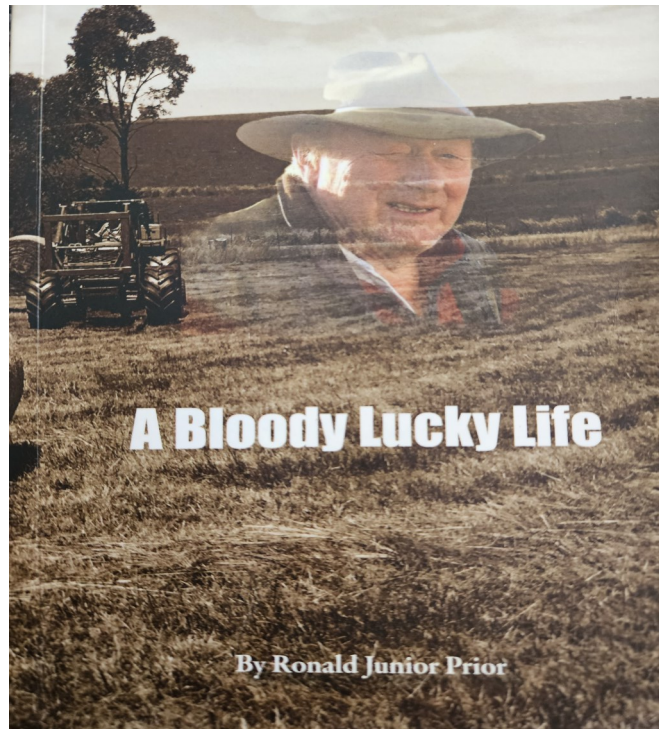


DRAWN FRIDAY NOVEMBER 1

Club News & Activities

The Rocky Cape Lions Club continues to Champaign the idea of a Skin Cancer Spot Check Vehicle and are right behind it becoming a district project at convention. So far we have raised \$10,000 towards this worthwhile project. Our oldest member, Ron Prior, has written an autobiography and has been donating all sales to the Skin Cancer Vehicle fund. The book, "A Bloody Lucky Life" sells for \$20 and will be for sale on the Visibility Team's table. We hope all members will get behind the book and the project as a great one for our district. It's a bloody good read!

Victoria Cochrane
Rocky Cape.



The Rocky Cape Lions Club held a working bee to tidy up rubbish and foliage at Myoora Park at Detention River on Sunday 8th October. The club are custodians of the park, which is a very popular and well-used picnic, fishing and boating spot.



ROCKY CAPE CONT:

She Shed Spirit Cloth Workshop.

The Rocky Cape Lions Club She Shed held a natural dye workshop on Saturday 7th October. Thanks to regular presenter Di Baldock for leading us through a beautiful morning creating our own spirit cloths. We had 7 people from outside Lions attend with two ladies expressing an interest in learning more about our club! Another successful Rocky Cape Lions Club She Shed workshop!

Victoria Cochrane



Kindness Matters Service Award:

Lions Club of Kingborough was recently judged the winner of Kindness Matters Service Award, for 201T1, 2023.

Kingborough Lions club created a memorial garden for residents especially for those with dementia at Christian Homes Snug Village. A garden of yesteryear was created with circular pathways to accommodate wheel chairs and mobility walkers. Placed around the garden in between the sensory shrubbery were memory objects, which included a bright red post-box, roadside telephone box, a bus shelter with metro sign, a decorative windmill, a water feature, fernery, and covered gazebo. Along the paths are 3 bench seats so the visitors can sit, relax, and enjoy the gardens.

Numerous local business donated time, materials, and expertise, to create this garden. Kingborough's nomination has been submitted to Multiple District for judging on 15th October, and then the National winners, nomination is sent to LCI for International judging.

Pictures next page:



Leo Club King Island won the Leo section of Kindness Matters with their “Freedom To Feel Fantastic” project. It is a signature youth project promoted by the Australian Lions Wellness Foundation (ALWF). “Freedom” is a national body image and self esteem campaign designed to help young people feel good about the skin they’re in. The project was organised by Leos, who ran activities at their local District High School on a nominated day, and endorsed by the teaching staff. Students were allowed to wear free dress and were invited to make a gold coin donation, which Leos forwarded to ALWF. The message of being kind to yourself was played out with students aiming water balloons at a SPLAT WALL, which was decorated with negative body image messages. Younger students made photo frames designed with positive messages to “reframe their thinking” Lions Club members prepared a sausage sizzle for the whole school. This is the second year Leos have run this activity which proved very popular with staff and students.

Congratulations to Lions Club Kingborough and Leo Club King Island for winning this award and I hope you both do well at Multiple District judging. I also sincerely thank the other nominations for their extremely worthwhile projects, which are also greatly helping others and making greatly enhancing the lives of others in our community.

Amanda Olson

Global Service Team District Coordinator



*Lions Club of Kingborough...Our latest project.
A 75th Lions Memorial Garden
at Christian Homes Snug Village.*



*Designing the pathways. Pumping concrete for the paths
Boxing the paths.*



Finishing the pathways. Creating a fountain feature.





Hazell Bros concrete being pumped over the trees onto the pathways.

The paths are designed to meander through the beds.



Design consultancy with the Home.



Recycling excess foliage into mulch.



As a sensory garden for the people living at the Christian Homes Snug Village, Lions are undertaking to recreate the garden to include a bus stop and shelter, a public phone box, a mail box, a perennial planting station that will accommodate wheel-chairs, a fountain and decorative wind mill along with appropriate flowering shrubs and plantings that will stimulate many past memories for those living there



Batchelor Civil Contracting in association with Groombridge Civil Pty Ltd. created and laid the pathways, spread the mulch and prepared the garden beds for planting.

This is an ongoing project by the Lions Club of Kingborough as part of our commitment to our Community... you are welcome to join us in serving your Community.

Just ask a Lion, our many varied projects need new members in our Community service.



Saturday 13th May a combined crew from the Channel Mens Shed erecting the bus shelter along with Lions planting shrubs and forming the lawn edging. The fabrication of recycled doors into a phone box.



The raised perennial plant station that allows better wheel-chair accessibility.



Tassie Online Club Chartered

A day graced with almost perfect weather at Miena on Sunday, September 24, provided the perfect setting for the celebration of the charter of the Tasmanian Online Lions Club. The official date of charter is August 15.

Forty-six guests from across Tasmania attended to show their support for the newly formed Club.

Past District Governor, Toby Crawford, hosted the event and introduced Mayor of the Central Highlands, Loueen Triffitt, for the Acknowledgement of Country.

Guests were then welcomed by Club President, Julie Triffitt. The Club vision was read by member Tanya Brooks-Cooper and Club Ethics by member Nicola Rouleston.

Guests then heard from current District Governor, Rob Batchelor and Immediate Past District Governor, Paul Cairnduff, both of whom showed their strong support for, and promotion of, the new Club.

Past DG
Toby
Crawford
was a
relaxed and
humorous
MC



President
Julie Triffitt
welcomed
guests and
expressed
the Club's
appreciation
for
support
from Tassie
Lions



The Great
Lake Hotel
created a
warm and
welcoming
venue



District
Governor,
Rob
Batchelor,
once again
showed his
wonderful
support for
the Club



During the event, experienced Lions, James Redgrave, Julie Crawford and Phil Robinson spoke about their personal Lions journeys as they welcomed new members to the Lions family. Julie, was delighted with the event, "We very much appreciate the good wishes, statements of support and donations that flowed throughout the event." Chair of the Tasmanian Lions Foundation, Philip Viney and Barry Ling, President of the Lions Club of Penguin (the sponsoring club), in particular, presented significant donations on the day. Prior to this event, Lions Clubs of Huon, Lilydale, Kingborough, Kings Meadows, Glenorchy and Penguin had also made donations.

"We are very grateful to The Great Lake (Yingina) Hotel who not only, worked with us so well in the lead up to and during the event but also donated a \$100 gift voucher for the Charter day raffle. A big thank you to everyone involved."





Do you know about the Lions Tasmania Facebook page?

Why not follow us to stay informed and help us showcase the many diverse and wonderful projects and activities of Lions Clubs across Tasmania?

We follow your Club Facebook pages and we love to share your stories and photos.



**TUNE IN NOT OUT Program
with King Island Leos**



**Glenorchy City Lions fighting food insecurity by
donating food to local community houses**



**Opening of the Lions Bridport
half basketball court**



**LEHP Children's Eye Screening
Program, Kentish Lions**



Christmas is coming!

Have you started thinking about Christmas presents yet? We have some exciting new merchandise in stock for you to purchase – whether that be for friends and family, guest speakers at local events, or people in your community who support your Lions activities. (Plus, it all goes to a good cause!)



PRICES

NEW Dog Christmas Stockings \$8 each

2024 Calendar \$10

Puppy Xmas Cards (5 for \$5 or 10 for \$10)

Keyrings \$5

And much more available – visit our shop online at

www.lionshearingdogs.com.au/shop

CLARENCE LIONS CLUB



Clarence Lions have been helping people in need in our community for 58 years. One of the most effective ways the club has raised funds is by doing barbeques. Bunnings at Mornington have been a vital part of Clarence Lions fundraising efforts. In recognition of Bunnings support,

Club president Peter Goldstone-James presented Dale Barr and Lindy Jackson from Bunnings with a plaque thanking them for their support.

People in photograph left to right

Leon Spencer, Peter Arnott, Christine Tilyard, Prue Spencer, Rod Wright, Lindy Jackson, Dale Barr, Peter Goldstone-James, Di Sherwood



**Reward a Lion or
Community Member**



\$2000



\$1000



\$500



\$250

Current Award Application forms can be found on our Website www.alf.org.au or contact

Awards Chairperson

PDG Lesley Lyons

PO Box 303 Wynnum, QLD 4178



Phone M: 0419 796 022 : Email: alf.awards@lions.org.au

PLEASE ALLOW 4 WEEKS FOR DELIVERY OF AWARDS

LOOKING FOR A CHALLENGE?

**THE
LIONS
CLUB
IS LOOKING
FOR YOU!**

ASK SOMEONE YOU
KNOW OR MESSAGE
THE LIONS PAGE YOU
SAW THIS ON TO LEARN
MORE ABOUT WHAT IT
MEANS TO BE A LION
AND HOW TO GET
INVOLVED





The President & Members
of the Lions Club of Sorell

invite you to our

Celebration Dinner

At Tasmania Golf Club

Friday 1st December

6.30 for 7pm

2 courses \$45

complimentary birthday cake dessert

Dress: jacket & tie/smart casual, ladies after 5

RSVP Wednesday Nov 22nd 2023

Ken 0409 979 183, Dawn 0438652 366

Or Email Geoff :geoff49@bigpond.net.au

Forth Valley Lions Club News



The Forth Valley Lions Club are as always, living up to their motto "The Achievers". Working in our community & preparing the club for our busy months leading up to Christmas's.

* 4 local Heritage and pioneer Cemeteries to be Mowed, sprayed and kept in order to curb the spring growth.

*We became aware of a family in our area, Cathrin & Jason and their 2 boys needing community support. Ryder has Leukodystrophy. An incurable condition with a life expectancy between 6

months to 4 years. A difficult time for the family. We organised a Helicopter ride over Devonport and surrounding area. Also a family portrait folder was done around the family home at Upper Castra. A great experience for the young family and fond memories to keep. Lots of thanks to Tasmanian Helicopters' staff and pilot as they waived the fee for the trip. Also Flick photography for an excellent job at way below cost. All done without any expectations. Exceptional community members.

*What great morning when our club organised the Westpac Rescue Helicopter to land at the Forth valley Primary School. We saw happiness that morning when 200 odd kids waved in awe of a Helicopter landing on their school oval and 4 members alighted in full rescue working uniforms. I must admit the parents, teachers and Lions members were just as excited. The crew included a pilot, paramedic and 2 police persons, who gave an excellent address and answered all the students questions. One student was heard comment. "Even all kids got to sit in the pilots seat and all, cool. I'm going to be a paramedic." Sums up the day.

* We were lucky to have a visit from the District Governor, Rob Batchelor & Zone chairperson Dee Dawson who officiated the induction of a new member & his support dog Ted. (who had full understanding of his roll in Lions as he has been practicing at Retirement homes and Kindergartens for some time.) Our District Governor gave an inspirational speech on Lions International projects and his aspirations for Tasmania's role in Lions.

*Also some 20 Christmas trees have been made out of pallets. When painted and staged with lights and decorations are to be set up around Forth for the month of December. Again this year more solar lights will be set up along the bridge and Main Street of Forth. Santa and sleigh piled with presents coupled to 3 reindeer will be on display in the centre of the Village. All will help promote the town and may inspire a local or two to join the club.



"The Achievers"

Month Of September



LIONS CLUB OF BICHENO

Members were proud to have donated their time in assisting a very successful local fundraising day recently held in Bicheno.



**‘Golf For A Cause’ was held
at Bicheno Golf Club.**

Lions Club of Bicheno members
was proud to have been
associated with this highly
successful event.



Visibility Team's Recommended Easy Social Media Templates to Use

Sourced September 2023

1. [pptx] [Social Media Post Templates - Facebook](#)

Customizable social media posts for **Facebook**

<https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/v2/resource/download/102882221%20>

A series of slides ready for editing according to your club's activities.



2. [pptx] [Success Story Webinar Facebook Advertisement](#)

Use these **templates** to advertise your webinars on **Facebook**



Results of the Visibility Team's Surveys into the IT and Social Media Learning Needs

Thank you to all clubs and cabinet members who completed the recent surveys from the Visibility Team. The needs identified are listed below – it makes for interesting reading!

Key areas for Executive Team (% neutral or not confident in):

1. Social media 60% own ability, 60% explaining to others.
2. MyLion 60% own ability, 40% explaining to others.
3. Zoom 40% own ability, 40% explaining to others.

Key areas for District Chairs (% neutral or not confident in):

1. MyLion 50% own ability, 50% explaining to others.
2. Social media 40% own ability, 50% explaining to others.

FRIDAY FORUM

Every Friday morning we'll post a question. During the week that follows, share your thoughts and ideas with other members and clubs in our district by commenting below



Have you seen our weekly Friday Forum on the Lions Tasmania FB Page?

Every Friday, one of our admins posts up a discussion question to help members to learn more about latest events and to share their knowledge.

To get involved go to
www.facebook.com/Lions201T1

3. Zoom 20% own ability, 50% explaining to others.

Key District Chair comments:

- Accurate list of duties expected.
- Dropbox procedures.
- Requirements, chiefly emanating from LCI and MD, are rapidly making it prohibitively expensive to be an active Lion.
- Need more How To guides.

Key areas for Region/Club Support (% neutral or not confident in):

1. MyLion 77% own ability, 88% explaining to others.
2. Dropbox 77% own ability, 77% explaining to others.
3. Lions Resources 66% own ability, 88% explaining to others.
4. Zoom 55% own ability, 66% explaining to others.
5. Social media 44% own ability, 77% explaining to others.

Key Region/Club Support comments:

Immediate support needed:

- Zone chair training.
- Basic instructions, prefer printed form so I can refer to easily.
- Finding information quickly and confidently.
- One to one to show me how to find information online.

Future training requirements:

- The ability to advise other lions how to access information.
- To show and answer my questions that I don't understand.
- Computer skills.
- Managing files on google drive and on online storage.
- Dropbox and MyLion.
- Info about how the district works.

Key areas for Clubs:

1. My Lion
2. Accessing/Using Lions Resources
3. Website (6 clubs)

From the 1st VDG VICTORIA COCHRANE

Club President's Training Video

For those of you who missed the Club President's training on our club development day, I have recorded it for you. Copy and paste this link, below, into your browser then download the link so you can open it.

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1GDYp-bjRYvT-Zhu1IWzR_q8nNDmhRhCP/view?usp=drive_link

District Convention

Why go to convention? Well, why not! It's a chance to learn, find out about the wonderful activities our foundations and clubs are doing, listen to guest speakers and enjoy fun, fellowship and get to know each other better. Plus, you get to hear the upcoming DG team and the plans we have to lead our district into greater growth and vibrancy, building on the work that clubs and cabinet are already doing. Be bold, register and come and be a part of it.

See you there!

What Does a Zone (Club Support) Chairperson Do?

According to the District Constitution, "The zone chairperson, subject to the supervision and direction of the district governor and/or region chairperson, shall be the chief administrative officer in his/her zone. The Zone Chairperson is a member of the District Global Action Team.

" Essentially, they are the link between clubs and cabinet."

The main roles and responsibilities are:

- Visit each club (one visit only to each club is required by LCI per year) as arranged with the clubs.

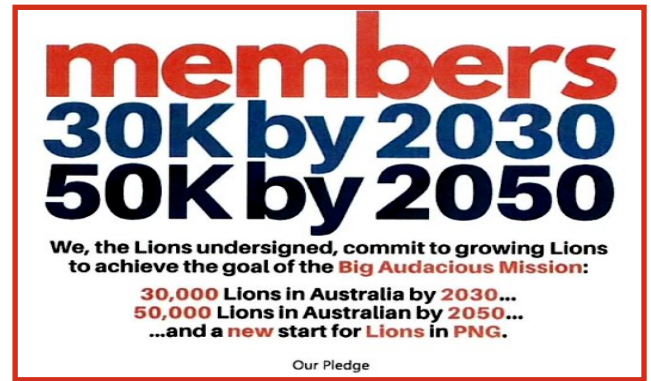
- Keep in monthly contact with presidents and secretaries, sharing information where and when required.

- Ensure all clubs are aware of leadership, service and membership opportunities in the district and multi-district.

- Serve as the first port of call when conflict or problems arise in clubs.

- Hold regular District Governor Advisory (Zone) meetings with club to report on activities and share ideas.

The Club Zone Chairperson is the eyes and ears of the District Governor and reports each visit to the DG team. It is really helpful if Club Support Chairs can identify future leaders in the club in their report.



Public Relations.

Contact was made with "WIN TV" regarding Television Advertisements and while the details are still being finalised it looks promising.

Further discussions are taking place this week and I will be able to make a presentation to District Cabinet on Sunday for consideration.

Sad so few Lions attended the Charter of the Online Club at the Great Lakes, it was a special day after so many years. How proud our new Lions family were, may it go from strength to strength in the coming years.

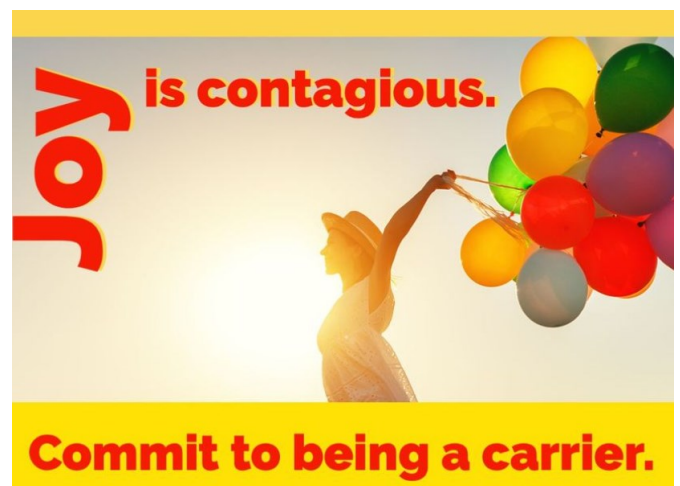
Extension.

Membership and Extension must be embraced as a project of every Lions Club.

Growth is continuing in the District but more needs to be done.

Bruny Island is an ongoing project and I am in discussions with a Lifestyle Village in Clarence and the Nepalese Society in Moonah. At this stage both have shown interest, I was out of my comfort zone when the President said his aim would focus on Suicide prevention, Domestic violence and Unemployment. Not areas Lions are familiar with but important issues of great importance. It would be a challenge but not impossible.

PCC Rod Wright.



From the Cabinet Treasurer



**Dear intended
conventioners**

**For those who have as yet
not registered, please be
advised that the deadline
for convention registrations
is COB Friday October
27th.**

Kind regards

Erik Madsen

2023 Convention Registrar

Mob 0414 808 634



**A Warm
Welcome**

PID Tony Benbow OAM
Host Committee Chairperson

The countdown is officially on for LCICON24 and it's time for the convention committee and our ambassadors to start spreading the word. It is such a privilege to be the host of a Lions International Convention which attract more than 14,000 delegates from all around the Lion world each year.

For any Lions or Leos in Australia who have never attended a National or International Convention, LCICON24 in Melbourne is the perfect time to do so.

This is a unique opportunity for our members to connect with Lions leaders, members and Leos from across the globe. Attendees are sure to be inspired, entertained and meet new friends.

The last time an International Convention was held in Australia was in Sydney in the year of 2010. Those of you who attended you will know first-hand the unique experience and privilege it is to host an event of this kind. We are sure our convention in Melbourne will be bigger and better than ever and an important part of this success is the support of you, our wonderful ambassadors. *In coming weeks and months we would love it if you could start spreading the word within your districts and networks particularly with new members who may not have been to a Lions convention before.*

There are some real opportunities to get

involved. This is an incredibly exciting time for Lions in Australia and all Australians as we prepare to welcome guests from across the globe and come together to celebrate the magic of community service.

Myself and the host committee will continue to share updates with you along the way and cannot wait to work with you all on what we know will be an incredible event.

Thank you for your support.

Convention Details

Save The Date

Friday 21st June 2024 – Sunday 23rd June 2024

Host City . Melbourne

Creativity and innovation come together to deliver real change and great events, exciting places to explore and cutting-edge advancements that are globally acclaimed. Explore Melbourne on foot or via its extensive transport network and discover its creative culture, expressed in its food, fashion, events, arts and music scene. For those wanting to explore further afield, the unique natural beauty of regional Victoria is just a short trip away.

Venue

Melbourne Exhibition & Convention Centre

Lions 44th District Convention Launceston Tramsheds

“Community, Passion, Vision”

10th - 12th November 2023

Closing date for registration is Friday Oct. 27th 2023

Office Use Only

Date Pd

Date Rec

ID Num.

Club Name

Club Number

Registrant Details

Title

Given Name

Surname

First Convention

Registrant

Partner

Guest

Street / PO Box

City / Town

Post Code

Home Phone

Mobile Phone

Email Address

Emergency Contact Name

Emergency Phone No.

Please indicate any specific dietary or other needs.

Day	Date	Hospitality Description	Cost \$	Num	Total \$
Fri	10th	Meet & Greet at Kings Meadows Club 6:00 – 8:00pm	17.00		
Sat	11th	Morning Tea at Tramsheds - Sponsored	0.00		
Sat	11th	Lunch at Tramsheds	27.00		
Sat	11th	Afternoon Tea at Tramsheds - Sponsored	0.00		
Sat	11th	Dinner (Western theme) at Tramsheds	65.00		
Sun	12th	Coffee / Tea on arrival at Tramsheds - Sponsored	0.00		
		Total			

EFT to BSB 037 015, Acc. No 303 783 is the preferred payment method for hospitality

Please attach copy of e-banking receipt with the registration form.

Else, cheque made payable to District Convention and mailed to the Treasurer with the Registration form OR, pay at any Westpac Bank to the above BSB & Account and mail receipt with Registration forms.

Chairman

Secretary

Treasurer

Alan Pretyman

Sue Johns

Erik Madsen

General Correspondence:

The Secretary

44th District Convention

PO Box 495

Kingston TAS 7051

e: convention@lionstasmania.org

Registrations sent to:

The Treasurer

44th District Convention

49 Diamond Drive

Blackmans Bay TAS 7052

e: madsensve@gmail.com

The Convention Registration Form is also available for download on the District Web Site under resources

The Ulverstone Lions Club inducted a new member **John Bakker** on 19th September taking our membership to 48.

From left: President Lion Phil Viney, new Member Lion John Bakker and Sponsor Lion Greg Morton



Lions are active. Our motto is "We Serve". Lions are part of a global service network, doing whatever is necessary to help our local communities. For more about Lions Clubs, go to www.lionsclubs.org

Expressions of Interest

The DG team would love to hear from any club members who would like to secure a position on the 2024-25 District Cabinet.

Please write a short statement, with your name, club, positions held in the club and any relevant skills or areas of interest. If you have a preferred role or pillar of service, please also state that. Please note that Zone (Club Support) and Regional Chairs must have held or be in the process of holding the position of Club President.

Send your application to the Cabinet Secretary annandphil@bigpond.com

Christmas is only a few weeks away - has your Club placed an order for their Lions Christmas Cakes and puddings yet?

Just in case you haven't placed an order yet a few things you need to know.

Order Discount Period finishes on 31 October 2023.

Orders must be delivered and paid for in order to receive the discount. The last date that you can place an order is **16 October 2023** to allow order processing and delivery before **31 October 2023**. There are no exceptions to this rule!

How do I get an Order Form?

Order forms are two sided. Please read the instructions on the form carefully. **orders should not be handwritten.**

Log onto the Lions Australia Website – www.lionsclubs.org.au use the password **westons2020** and complete the order form. Save the form to your computer. Then email to Traditional Foods and they will send a return email confirming receipt of your order.

Remember! Password: westons2020

Orders on Account – finishes 31 December 2023

*Orders that are placed without payment must be paid in full by **25 January 2024**. There are no exceptions to the rule.* Clubs will receive an invoice via email approximately three weeks after order placement. Invoices are sent to the email address as listed on the order form at the time of order placement.

Order cut-off date for pre- Christmas delivery is Friday 8 December 2023.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any problems or concerns.

Linda Dilworth

T1 Merchandising Chair



LION MINTS NEWSLETTER

September Edition

Stock Update

GREAT NEWS ... We are now back on top of orders and have stock on hand of all products!!!



Peppermint Drops

These are not available yet for clubs to order. We will communicate when it has become available!



Display Items

Please note that the display items can only be purchased together with a Stock Order.

75 UNTIL CHRISTMAS!!



PO BOX 267 PAKENHAM VIC 3810

admin@dollarsweets.com

03 5945 0500 / Mon to Thurs 11am - 3pm



LION MINTS NEWSLETTER



Lions Clubs International
FOUNDATION

Mint Order Fact Sheet

Please review the Mint Order Fact Sheet before placing your next order, as there have been changes made.



Damaged or Lost in Transit Products

If a product is damaged during transit, contact Dollar Sweets. You will need to provide details of the extent and type of damage and the quantity and type of goods affected. Dollar Sweets will lodge a complaint with the freight company on behalf of the relevant Lions Club. Photographic evidence of damaged goods may be requested so it is advised to hold onto any damaged goods until you have spoken to Dollar Sweets.

Goods lost in transit will only be replaced once confirmation has been received from the courier that the order is unrecoverable. Once confirmation has been received, replacement goods will be sent on the next available dispatch day.

Dollar Sweets must be notified as soon as possible of any damaged or lost in transit goods. Credits claims may be rejected if too much time has lapsed.

PO BOX 267 PAKENHAM VIC 3810

admin@dollarsweets.com

03 5945 0500 / Mon to Thurs 11am - 3pm



We NEED YOUR SUPPORT



Worldwide as an Organization with over 1.4 Million members, all committed to serving their LOCAL Community, there is a need to expand our membership in being able to continue our service work to those in NEED.

“Together we can Change the World”

World President, Dr. Patti Hill, Lions Clubs International.

Every journey begins with a single step.

One act of service, one encouraging word,
one gift of generosity is often all it takes to
bring hope where it is needed most.



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Eye
Health



Environment

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If you and your friends would like to JOIN US in serving the local COMMUNITY.

CONTACT your local CLUB _____ Phone _____

E mail: cabsec@lionstasmania.org Facebook:  Lions Clubs Tasmania

Make a Difference in your COMMUNITY

Dear Lions and LEO's of Multiple District 201 T1 Tasmania.

Following the recent Boston Convention, Melbourne is now on track and underway with its planning and supporting of LCI requirements to the International Convention.

Our Lions 2024 Multiple District Convention Team did a fantastic job in Boston, advertising our Melbourne Convention with over 500 early bird registrations made. This is above the expectations for a Convention early on, so hopefully this trend will continue. Individual "early bird" registrations are open on the LCI website - so register early at a reduced price.

Now is the time! for us locally, to display, plan, start and encourage Tasmanian Lions to consider attending the 106th Lions International Conventions in Melbourne, Friday 21st June through to Monday 25th June 2024.

Communications will be very important, there will be updated information coming through on a regular basis as matters are confirmed and made available by LCI. These updates will come directly from our Communications Team.

Please encourage all Lions and LEO's throughout our Island State of Tasmania to attend and take this superb opportunity to help celebrate 1st Vice District Governor Victoria and Lion Richie Cochrane of the Lions Club of Rocky Cape take the oath of office before accepting her role as District Governor 2024 – 2025 for Lions District 201T1 Tasmania. **Note** - Please view and scan the Convention Registration Details by scanning QR Code!

Registration Details

Volunteer Registration Details

Volunteering will also be a big part of the Convention, so please encourage everyone to consider volunteering in some way. This is a great opportunity to meet Lions and Leos from around the world and show them the real "Australian Hospitality".

The International Convention is a big job, and we would love the help of our local Lions. From greeters, transport and convention guides to a range of projects in the lead-up to the convention, there are some fantastic opportunities for Lions and Leos to volunteer and make some special memories that will last a lifetime. Please help us spread the word and encourage anyone interested to register their interest here. **NOTE** - Please view and scan the Volunteer Registration Details by scanning the QR Code!

OR **Visit Our Registration Page**

melbourne2024.org.au/volunteers-and-supporters

Again, thank you for supporting our Melbourne 2024 Convention. It is not just a Melbourne Convention, but a "Lions Australia Convention" showcasing our country to the Lions of the World. I will keep you informed as information comes from the planning group and Lions Clubs International.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me on:

MOBILE 0418 544 836 or **EMAIL** dtriffet@bigpond.net.au

Best Wishes -Please follow the links provided for Registration and Volunteer details.

PCC David Triffett
District Ambassador



When & Where?

Host City
Melbourne, Australia
Date Fri 21st June 2024 – Tues 25th June 2024
Venue Melbourne Exhibition & Convention Centre

Stay Updated!!!

Email
melb2024host.comms@lions.org.au

Social Media

Facebook: facebook.com/groups/lciconmelb2024/
Instagram: instagram.com/lciconmelb2024/

Website
lionsclubs.org

Registration:

via link
lionscon.lionsclubs.org/registration-information/individual-registration/

OR

scan qrcode



SAVE THE DATE

On 5 August 2023 Kentish members, along with two Penguin Lions Club members and a Rotarian from Smithton, attended a Lions Eye Health workshop where they undertook training to become accredited vision screeners.

On 6/7 September, as part of the accreditation process and guided by the Lions Club of Rocky Cape's experienced screeners, they jointly delivered the Lions Eye Health Program to Montello Primary School in Upper Burnie.

Although a bit nervous at the beginning, they acquitted themselves well and thoroughly enjoyed the experience. The school was very impressed with the program and has requested it again for next year.

For privacy reasons we have no contact with parents for feedback. However, the Principal of Montello has asked the school nurse to do this, which we are very pleased with. This is a first, and positive responses (or otherwise) will endorse the value of the program and/or let us know where improvements can be made.

Thanks to all the dedicated Rocky Cape screeners and welcome to the new screeners. I am sure you will enjoy your future screenings and have fun doing them.

ANNE FAGG
LEHP FACILITATOR

NOTE TO EDITOR:

Don Thwaites guided by Larry Kennedy RCLC

Harry Harris guided by Dorothy Harvey, Facilitator RCLC

Chris Hearle was guided by Chris Fagg (not in picture), Facilitator



Lions
Eye Health Program
Australia



Great ways to grow our Leo Clubs



Do you have young family members taking an interest in your Lions activities?

Grandchildren, nieces, nephews, 2nd cousins twice removed?

Perhaps they could consider the following opportunities....

1: Become an Alpha Leo through REMOTE MEMBERSHIP with the King Island Leo Club

King Island has the only Alpha Leo Club in Tasmania. Alpha Leos are 12—18 years old. We would welcome your family members and their friends to become **REMOTE LEOS**—special members of our club. This would mean they become fully fledged members of a real Leo Club, receiving a uniform, a badge and a certificate. We would keep in touch with them through whatever communication channel works best. They could be involved in service activities with your Lions Club or we could help them with suggestions for their own Leo service.

2: Join the ON-LINE Omega Leo Club sponsored by LC Penguin

Omega Leos are 18–30 year olds. As young adults, they could also be of great assistance to your Club activities, but they should have their own ideas for fun events in the name of service. Leos need to enjoy themselves and usually come with great energy and enthusiasm. They would probably meet via zoom or a similar system and while such meetings are necessary now and then, the focus would be on getting out into a community somewhere and physically performing some service.

If we can grow our membership in this way, there may come a time when there are enough Leos in a certain town or area to form a regular club. Please reach out to either—

ALPHA Leo Advisor & 201T1 Leo Chair Linda Payne ph 0488 566 448 or email kingisland@lionstasmania.org

OMEGA Leo Advisor Vicki Greig ph 0417 211 073 or email penguinleos@lionstasmania.org



King Island Leos ran their 3rd **FREEDOM TO FEEL FANTASTIC DAY** at their school, complete with Lion mascot and dinosaur! **LIONS** worked with **LEOS** to deliver a sausage and cupcake to all students, including the Prep class pictured top right.



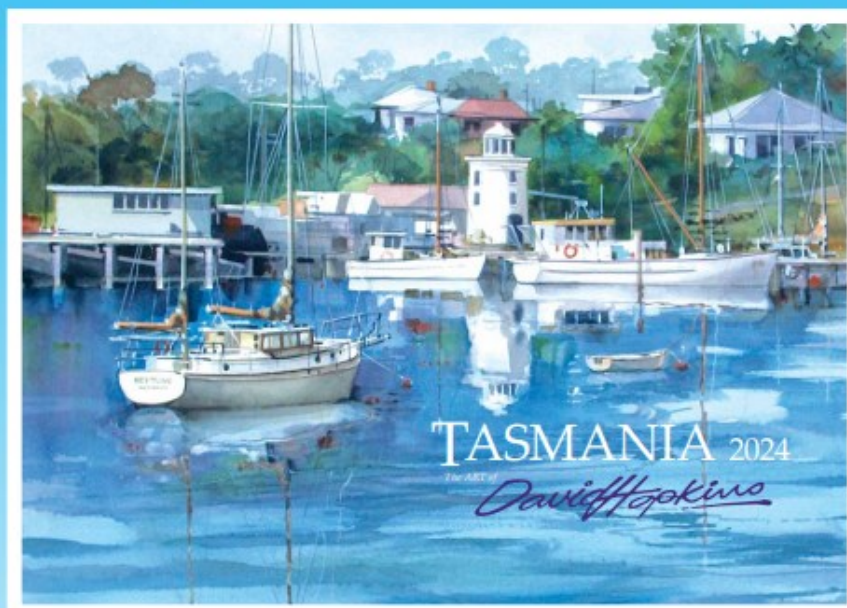
This is a project of the Australian Lions Wellness Foundation and is designed to promote positive messages for young people relating to body image and self esteem. We also drew on the resources of the Butterfly Foundation, which supports youth with body image issues. Funds raised from students wearing casual clothes were shared between the ALWF and The Smith Family Charity, to give disadvantaged youth better opportunities.

PARKINSON'S Disease is now more PREVALENT as our population AGES!



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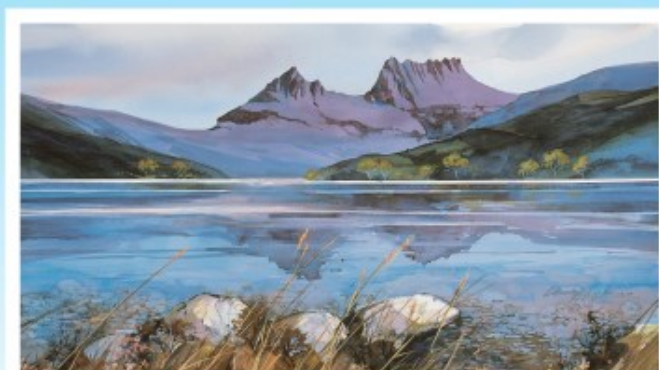
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Please forward (where possible) photos and newspaper cuttings with your article.

Scanned images should be of high quality (300dpi).

Deadline for next issue is 10th NOVEMBER 2023



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As you get older - Vision Changes

90% of Vision Loss is Preventable or Treatable - if detected early!

If left undiagnosed, many conditions can lead to Irreversible Vision Loss

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