



# District 19E Newsletter



District 19E  
2020 – 2021 Cabinet

## District Governor's Message

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*August*  
2020

## RESILIENCY

Among millions of words that can describe Lions, the one word that stands out is resilient. We've had members and clubs come and go, but we are resilient. We are there when our communities need us. We SERVE! We've been serving since 1917, when Melvin Jones asked us to serve. What an honor.

Think about it! In the 103 years Lions have been around, we have dealt with too many hurricanes to list by name, tornadoes, fires, earthquakes, floods, two world wars, pandemics, diseases, and we have survived. Why? WE SERVE! And, through it all, we are RESILIENT. How many other service organizations can say the same?

Clubs have been completing the usual projects from having food drivers to cutting wood for needy families and collecting glasses to recycling and everything in between. However, clubs have also been performing other service projects while protecting those who serve, from holding outdoor movie night to support three local foodbanks in one club to another raising and straightening gravestones in a local cemetery to raise funds. Why? WE SERVE!

We may not be able to meet as we have prior to this pandemic, but we still find ways to SERVE, because we are RESILIENT and SERVING is our passion. When this pandemic is over, we will still be here. Why? We are RESILIENT AND WE SERVE! Keep up the good work.

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**District Governor’s Visitation Schedule**

<b><i>AUGUST</i></b>		
<b>8th</b>	Saturday	Cabinet Meeting
<b>11th</b>	Tuesday	Castlegar Selkirk
<b>18th</b>	<b>Cancelled</b>	Kootenai Lake
<b>20th</b>	Thursday	Creston
<b><i>SEPTEMBER</i></b>		
<b>7th</b>	Monday	Lake Windermere
<b>10th</b>	Thursday	Medical Lake
<b>14th</b>	Monday	Fairmont
<b>15th</b>	Tuesday	Nelson
<b>16th</b>	Wednesday	Kootenia Slocan
<b>21st</b>	Monday	Coeur d'Alene
<b>22nd</b>	Tuesday	Pinehurst
<b>23rd</b>	Wednesday	Post Falls
<b>24th</b>	<b>Cancelled</b>	NWLLI
<b>28th</b>	Monday	Cranbrook
<b><i>OCTOBER</i></b>		
<b>1st</b>	Thursday	Fernie/Elkford/ <b>Sand Creek</b>
<b>2nd</b>	Friday	Priest River
<b>3rd</b>	Saturday	River City Chili Cook-off
<b>5th</b>	Monday	Osburn
<b>6th</b>	Tuesday	Wasa
<b>7th</b>	Wednesday	Golden
<b>8th</b>	Thursday	Northport
<b>12th</b>	Monday	Sandpoint
<b>13th</b>	Tuesday	Spokane Central
<b>13th</b>	Tuesday	Spokane Shadle
<b>14th - 17th</b>	Wed.-Sat.	COG & Convention Penticton
<b>19th</b>	Monday	Rear dan
<b>20th</b>	Tuesday	Nelson
<b>21st</b>	Wednesday	Liberty Lake
<b>21st</b>	Wednesday	Chewelah
<b>24th</b>	Saturday	Spokane Central Pig Roast
<b>26th</b>	Monday	Spokane Valley
<b>27th</b>	Tuesday	Rockford
<b>28th</b>	Wednesday	Mark Creek

**District 19E Clubs**

- Zone E-1:**  
Airway Heights  
Cheney  
Centennial  
Medical Lake  
Rosalia  
Spokane Central  
Spokane Shadle North
- Zone E-2:**  
Almira  
Davenport  
Grand Coulee Dam  
Rear dan  
Wilbur
- Zone E-3:**  
Coeur d'Alene  
Hauser  
Osburn  
Pinehurst Kingston  
Post Falls  
Rathdrum  
Smeltonville
- Zone E-4:**  
Cranbrook  
Creston  
Kootenay Lake  
Mark Creek
- Zone E-5:**  
Beaver Valley  
Northport  
Rossland-Golden City  
Trail
- Zone E-6:**  
Elkford  
Fernie  
Sand Creek  
Sparwood
- Zone E-8:**  
Castlegar-Selkirk  
Kootenay Slocan  
Nelson  
North Pend Oreille Valley  
Salmo
- Zone E-9:**  
Chewelah Valley  
Liberty Lake  
Rockford  
Spokane Valley
- Zone E-10:**  
Fairmont & District  
Golden & District  
Lake Windermere  
Wasa
- Zone E-11:**  
Priest River  
Priest Lake Kaniksu  
Sandpoint

Please submit all District Newsletter articles to:

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Pictures need to be in jpeg format and text needs to be in either .docx or .rtf format. Deadline for submission is the 25<sup>th</sup> of the month. Please send corrections or additional information to the above email address

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***IPDG Frank Bega***

While we were not able to hold our Spring Conference this year, all of our Lions continued to serve their communities and be the responsible people they are. With that in mind I along with the assistance of PDG Laura and PZC Cheryl scheduled a District 19E Awards Picnic. It was postponed once or twice, then a firm date was established and with the assistance of several others, an actual picnic was held on Sunday, July 26<sup>th</sup>. We sorely missed the attendance of our Canadian Clubs due to much confusion concerning border crossings and quarantine issues. Nonetheless, a good time was had by all who attended and several members received their awards or gifts. I still have many to deliver to those not able to attend. I promise that I will get your awards to you.

We held the drawing for the Quilt that so many of you donated to this past year to support Camps Stix and Winfield. The winning ticket was purchased by Mary Volk of the Cranbrook Lions Club. She has been notified and arrangements will be made to deliver the quilt and accessories. Just so you know how much you helped our diabetes camps, we raised \$1341.00 in Washington and Idaho, and \$884.30 from our Canadian Clubs.

A great lunch was had by all and gathering, reminiscing, chatting, all while either observing the 6 foot separation or by wearing a mask. I was very happy to see how we managed to observe the rules and still have a great time.

Thanks again for allowing me to be your District Governor for the past year.

**District 19E Newsletter**

***Global Leadership Team Coordinator (GLT)***

***IPDG Frank Bega***

Coming to a computer screen near you soon!!! The District 19E Club Officer Training Session will be held on Saturday, August 15<sup>th</sup>, starting at 08:30 A.M. (PDT) and ending at roughly 12:30 P.M. Training will be directed at and for all club officers assuming a position in their club for the upcoming year. The emphasis is on training the officers as a team, as that is the most effective way to lead your clubs. Incoming and returning officers you have been elected to lead your club, please take this opportunity to go the extra mile to ensure that your club is being led by the best. If you have not registered for this training session, please contact me at [frankbega@frontier.com](mailto:frankbega@frontier.com) of (208) 659-1446. If you are not comfortable using the Zoom meeting or cannot log-on, please let me know and I will make other arrangements.

**FROM THE DESK OF THE DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION ASSISTANT  
DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION TIDBITS**

Hello Lions District Members. We are off to a really good start. DG Peggy is pleased with this early showing by clubs. There are only a few clubs to report their membership totals to LCI by the end of the July. Several clubs have also reported their service projects. Let's keep all this good work rolling.

For the upcoming year, 8 out of 10 zones have Zone Chairpersons. There has been several individuals volunteering to serve where the district did not have Zone Chairpersons. Please work with them, they are there to give of their knowledge. Among other items they will be assisting clubs with membership and service report filing. If you are having issues with the MyLCI/MyLion website, they will assist you. If they have not already been in contact with you, I am sure they soon will be.

For the 2 zones that do not have Zone Chairperson, similar to last year I will be working with you assisting with membership and service report filing. For any member/officer please feel free to contact me with your questions, difficulties with MyLCI/MyLion website. Additionally, club service chairpersons may contact PDG Kim DiRienz with questions regarding service projects.

***PDG Harry Lippincott***

19E District Administration Assistant

**PUBLIC SPEAKING**

***PDG Lyndon Harriman, Extension Chair***

One of the major concerns of everyone aspiring to higher office is public speaking. Public speaking is a fear almost everyone has, and many allow it to hold them back from their aspirations, dreams and goals. No one needs to succumb to the fear and trepidation of public speaking.

Making speeches should come naturally and easily to almost everyone. That's because everyone is an expert in something, has an expertise or an experience no one else does. The willingness and ability to share this information must be allowed to come forth. It doesn't because people allow fears to stop them from sharing their gifts, talents and information.

The number one fear people have concerning giving speeches is; "I'll make a mistake" and look foolish. Well guess what, NO ONE KNOWS WHAT YOU ARE GOING TO SAY! Misspeak, make a mistake, skip over a point, no one will know because only you know what you're going to say and the order you are going to say it in.

The second major fear people have is that they will freeze, like a deer in headlights. The way to combat that is PRACTICE, practice, practice. Write your speech, then condense it onto note cards. Always use note cards, they will help with point one as well as point two.

Finally, plan your engagement. You don't have to be the best dressed person there, but you don't want to be the worst either. Plan ahead, know your audience and where you'll be speaking; details help to gain and maintain confidence.

Practice, planning, and foresight will help your speech be a huge success. Remember no one knows what you're going to say, only you. ***So, go for it!***

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## **Lions Foundation of Canada**

Greetings All:

Last year we had 14 out of 19 clubs donating to Lions Foundation of Canada and I would like to thank those 14 clubs. My goal this year is to try and get 100% participation. By sending out information about all 6 current programs and other foundation news I hope to achieve this goal.

If any of the Canadian 19E clubs would like me to visit their clubs for more information I will be happy to do so. I do have some videos and slide show presentations I can offer.

Yours in Lions,

***PDG Glen Barry***

District Chairperson

Lions Foundation of Canada



**We Serve**

## **RETENTION** ***Marge Bega, Chair***

As Retention Chairperson I would like each Zone Chairperson to let me know when they have had members dropped from any of their clubs. I in turn will send The Zone Chairperson a FORMER MEMBER QUESTIONNAIRE to be given to the club secretary or president and filled out by the dropped member. By using these reports the clubs can see where changes could be made and hopefully by making changes the member who is thinking of quieting or has quit will change their minds and give being a Lion another shot.

## **Information Technology** **(Website/Facebook)**

I have the new cabinet listed on the website. If there are changes please let me know. I have pictures for a lot of the cabinet members but I would really like to have everyone's picture. Instead of using an old picture for myself, I just reversed the camera on my phone and took a selfie. If you don't have your cabinet picture up yet I'd encourage you to do the same. You can send me a jpg image and I'll adjust the size so it fits.

For Zone Chairs and club officers I would really appreciate getting current names of club presidents to put on the club list. I think the MD-19 list is pretty correct but I'd really like it from the "horse's mouth." Also, I'd like to add how you are meeting during this Coronavirus time. If you are meeting via Zoom or any other way let me know so visitors can find you.

Finally, the club websites and Facebook pages need to show some activity. I take care of the Spokane Central site and have had people contact me to say that Central was the only club that showed any activity (not entirely true). Let's show our communities we are ready to provide service and show some little tidbits of what we do. I can help with the e-clubhouse websites and would like to start with a photo of a club activity or the current president. Most of them are way out of date. Let's show our communities we're still around.

***PZC John Wilson***

Website: [www.e-district.org/sites/19e](http://www.e-district.org/sites/19e) FB: [www.facebook.com/LionsDistrict19E](https://www.facebook.com/LionsDistrict19E)

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## **GLOBAL MEMBERSHIP TEAM (GMT)**

The start of this new lion's year is much different than we have experienced in all our years of Lionism. COVID 19 has changed the world and the way we operate. We need to look at new ways we service and attract new members.

Our service and membership reports are one of the ways we can tell what and how our clubs are doing. Clubs are encouraged to take pride in completing these reports before the last week in the month. This gives others time to compile the information for other reports that must be delivered monthly. We respect your time as a volunteer and appreciate this promptness.

Thanks to all clubs that were able to build their memberships this past year. As our clubs age we need to enlist newer, younger, energetic, members to replace us. We have an excellent district with many outstanding members. We should be honored in our service and our ability to serve. Our goal for this coming year will be to add a club and have an additional increase in membership.

There are plans for membership chairs that submit a growth plan in the first quarter, report it quarterly to the GMT, and show the highest percentage of gain in new members in lions, to receive a stipend given back to their club. Club membership chairs should be receiving a list of their duties.

Keep as busy as you can throughout the summer, report those volunteer hours, be safe, and enjoy.

Yours in Lions,  
**PDG Brian Ross**  
GMT 19E

## **GLOBAL SERVICE TEAM (GST)**

**PDG Kim DiRienz**

### **2019-2020 District Service Award Winners Announced**

A review of metrics provided by MyLion for District 19E revealed that five clubs had completed service projects in each of the global causes (Hunger, Environment, Diabetes, Vision, and Childhood Cancer). Those clubs are: Castlegar-Selkirk, Green Bluff, Hauser, Nelson and North Pend Oreille Valley. It was discovered, unfortunately after the drawing was completed, that Chewelah Valley Lions Club should have qualified as well but had reported a project for Childhood Cancer incorrectly.

The three clubs selected in a random drawing were Castlegar-Selkirk, Hauser and Nelson Lions Clubs. All clubs have been notified and are now required to submit documentation in order to receive up to \$200 each to help defray some of the projects they had completed.

The Castlegar Selkirk Lions Club has chosen to use their \$200 prize to help with the costs of projects the club completed to combat hunger.



The Nelson Lions Club chose to submit their Adopt-a-Highway project for reimbursement. That service project was proposed by President Paul Bogaard, and after consultation with the Highways Ministry, a stretch of highway just outside of Nelson was selected. 2020 was the inaugural year and this project will be a Signature

Activity for the club in future years. The Club makes no money whatsoever from this effort and had voted to purchase safety vests in order to provide visibility for our members during litter pick-up. Their \$200 prize will help to defray that expense.



## ENVIRONMENT

### Off, Get Wet and Provide Service to the Environment

It looks like Summer is finally here and we can go outside to get some fresh air and sunshine. During the hot days, many Lions will be looking for a way to cool off. Here's an idea for a new club project that can do just that. Consider adopting a stream or waterway and conducting a cleanup project.

The following stream cleanup tips are taken from the Adopt-a-Stream Foundation ([www.streamkeeper.org](http://www.streamkeeper.org)):

#### The Starting Point – A Little Research

Before jumping into a creek and removing all debris, litter, logs, and anything else that catches your eye, ask yourself if you are doing more harm than good. All stream clean-up activities should be planned and carried out to help you realize your goal of improving the environment.

Wholesale removal of all materials in the streambed can actually cause damage. Pools form behind logs and other large organic debris, providing shade and resting places for migrating fish and other creatures. Even human-made material embedded in a stream may be performing a valuable function. When you consider doing a stream cleanup, we recommend that you be very selective in the material you choose to remove. A simple rule of thumb: if the object is more than half buried and a great deal of sediment would be stirred up by its removal, leave it there.

Occasionally you may encounter some items that could pose potential health hazards. If you come across 55 gallon barrels containing unknown substances, transformers from telephone/utility poles (these contain PCB's), syringes, or any other suspicious items, DO NOT TOUCH THEM. Contact your local Health District Office or State Environmental Department for assistance.

#### Before You “Get Your Feet Wet”

The following are key tasks to be completed before the stream cleanup:

1. Obtain the property owner's permission to access your adopted stream.
2. Obtain a permit approval from your local Department of Fisheries and Wildlife if required.
3. Arrange for garbage cans and bins at the clean-up site. Also ask people to bring trucks and wheelbarrows to haul trash and debris.
4. Find temporary locations for storing collected debris near the stream and secure the property owner's permission for that purpose.
5. Arrange in advance for the ultimate destination of the debris collected and the means to get it there. (Your friends' and neighbors' pick-up trucks generally work quite well.) If an entire community or neighborhood is involved, your city or county solid waste departments may provide assistance and free disposal. Contact them well before the event to enlist their help and cooperation.
6. Advertise the clean-up to your community. Send press releases to your local media. You may end up recruiting more help and support.

#### On the Day of the Clean-up

1. Pick a “staging area” and keep it staffed at all times. Keep first aid supplies, water, and, if possible, provide rest room facilities.
2. Have the volunteers sign in as they arrive. Get names and addresses.
3. Make everyone aware of safety issues, such as:  
work in pairs, wear rubber gloves, don't pick up hazardous wastes, lift with your legs not your back, don't pick up things that are too heavy, don't walk in the stream in water higher than your knees, etc.
4. Make a map of where people will be working and keep track of everyone involved in the clean-up.
5. Make the volunteer effort as festive as possible. Bring refreshments and other treats for when the work is done. Take pictures of the stream and your volunteers before, during, and after the event.
6. Keep the day down to about 4 hours.

### **Cool Off, Get Wet and Provide Service to the Environment (Cont.)**

#### **After You “Dry Your Feet Off”**

1. Follow up by recording, in simple terms, the amount and types of debris collected (i.e. truckloads or tons of debris). Take photographs.
2. Provide this information to the media in a press release. This last step will likely result in a well deserved pat on the back for the people who helped in the project and make the public more aware that we should not use our streams as dumping grounds.
3. Send thank you notes to your volunteers.
4. Set up a “Watershed Watch” to prevent more garbage from being dumped into your creek.  
Sounds like a great way to cool off and chalk up another successful service project.

Yours in Service,

***PDG Kim Di Rienz***

District 19E Environment Chair

### **CHILDHOOD CANCER**

It's been 20 years since I heard the words “I'm so sorry, your child has cancer”, and I can still feel the stab of terror that zapped through my whole being. I vividly remember the stress and worries over the next 7 years, not just about Amanda's health, but also the tremendous strain on our finances. I also remember the amazing emotional and financial support from family, friends, complete strangers and several very caring non-profit organizations that helped us through that nightmare.

With that in mind, my heart goes out to families currently facing similar challenges with the added complications of the Covid-19 pandemic. While many of us are getting tired of months of isolation, having to wear masks, having raw hands from constant washing and using hand sanitizer, and some struggling with loss of income, childhood cancer families have been dealing with these issues for years while their child is in treatment and beyond. Treatment protocols can last several years, and too often stretch into 6 or more years due to relapses. Long-term isolation is common due to the child's compromised immune system. Even very young children frequently have to wear a mask. Many times parents have to quit their job to stay with their sick child. The stories I've heard firsthand over the years are truly heartbreaking. Even after treatment, 2/3 of childhood cancer survivors will have long-lasting, chronic conditions from treatments, including heart and lung damage, growth deficits, hearing loss, infertility and second cancers.

And now they have the added fear and stress of a highly contagious virus that would most likely be disastrous for their child and possibly the rest of the family. To make matters worse, they're cut off from support systems crucial to their ability to cope with this family trauma. Sometimes only one parent can stay in the hospital with their child, and siblings and other family and friends can't visit. Hospitals and non-profits that serve these families have had to find new ways to provide support that will minimize the families' exposure to the coronavirus. Just one challenging aspect has been how to offer toys and play activities for distraction and cheer. At Sacred Heart Children's Hospital in Spokane, the playroom has been stripped of all toys, books and craft supplies. Some of these items can be delivered to patient rooms on request after being sanitized.

I've just touched on some of the challenges these special kids and their families face during “normal” times and the current extraordinary times. For National Childhood Cancer Awareness Month, next month I'll give additional pediatric cancer statistics and feature a wonderful nonprofit that provides invaluable assistance to Inland NW families.

***Lion Connie Hill-Bunch***, Chair

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### **Lions Club International Foundation (LCIF) 2019-2020 Final Figures**

The final figures for club and individual donations came out this past week. While this past fiscal year we all experienced the difficulties of dealing with Covid-19, the Lions of District 19 again raised to the occasion. Total donations for the district were \$39,284 which is the best year yet in supporting our premier Foundation. This is an increase of \$22,542 the last 4 years, FANTASTIC!!!!. The district had 43 members donate a total of \$9000 which is an average of \$203.30 per donating member. Thank You from myself, LCIF and all the you have helped locally\* and around the world.

For a \$100.00 donation, 100 children can be vaccinated against measles, 18 at risk individuals are tested for diabetes, provides cataract surgery for two individuals. Eight hundred million people go to bed hungry every night. A \$100.00 donation will feed 14 disabled, elderly, low income individuals on a regular basis.

I want to encourage those clubs to put LCIF in your budgets or plan a special fundraising event with proceeds going to LCIF. District Governor Peggy Harriman has a goal for all clubs to donate to LCIF this year. Let's all help her achieve this goal.

\*The district received an emergency grant for just under \$10,000. These funds are being used to purchase PPEs that will be distributed to nursing homes, senior centers, Spokane Veterans Home and more.

Thank You

***PDG Bob yeoman***

LCIF Chair

### **Cooperative for Assistance and Relief Everywhere (CARE)**

During the past 4+ months our lives have been changed dramatically by Covid-19. It has changed how we meet, shop, visit, worship and more. Covid-19 has also had a devastating effect on the people of Honduras which is our CARE project for this year. Please read how the people of Honduras have been affected and why we are shifting our emphasis from planting gardens to supplying food.

In the dry corridor of Honduras, where there is the highest concentration of poverty in the country, the rates of malnutrition among children are very high. There is limited availability of food due to recurrent droughts in the region. Through this project, Multiple District 19 Lions have chosen to fund CARE's work to increase nutrition through the establishment of school gardens. Now, because of the COVID-19 pandemic and spread of the virus, there is an added urgency to address hunger in the targeted communities.

The incorporation of humanitarian actions into the project will benefit families in El Paraiso with school-age children who currently are unable to access food due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The MD19 grant will benefit families from four schools in the municipalities of Soledad, Vado Ancho and Texiguat, within the dry corridor. In addition to providing food to families, the grant from MD19 Lions will also be used to provide education about the coronavirus and how to prevent the spread of the virus, such as by implementing good hygiene practices.

As the District CARE Chair I am encouraging all clubs to give generously to CARE. Mail your checks to the MD 19 office in Bellingham. On the memo line please enter CARE.

Thank You

***Barb Yeoman***

CARE Chair

## Multiple District Nineteen Lions Clubs International

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07/29/2020

*Re: Musings to be shared*

Dear District Governors:

This month I would like to take a moment and share with your members the reminder that the Council of Governors voted to cancel the 2020 in person version Convention that was to be held in Penticton October 12-13-14. The Council felt that as conditions are expected to worsen and with the uncertainty of the international border crossing, that it was better to transition to a virtual event.

Watch for the details that will be posted on our website [www.lionsmd19.org](http://www.lionsmd19.org). One detail we can shout out now, is that we are looking for seminars from your club members, that can be produced, recorded and shared.

Subject matter is wide open, tie it to Lions if you want, or give us something different. Not all of those submitted will be made available, but yours just might

So please join me this October as we do things that we've always done, but we're going to be doing them just a little differently.

Sincerely,

Peter Anderson, Executive Director  
Multiple District 19  
Lions Clubs International  
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## Out and About in the District

### **CDA LIONS      4th Annual "Dinner in the Dark", Silent Auction & Raffle**

**Date: Saturday, October 10, 2020**

**Theme: 'Walk of Fame'**

**Location: Lake City Center, 1916 Lakewood Drive, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho**

**Time: 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. (Happy Hour from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.)**

**Tickets: \$40.00 per person (or \$35.00 each for a table of 8 = \$280.00)**

**Menu: Catered by Rustler's Roost**

**Raffle Tickets: 1 for \$1.00 or 6 for \$5.00**

**To Purchase Dinner Tickets, Raffle Tickets or have Questions: Call PDG Ken at 208-964-0181**

COVID 19 Guidelines will be followed: social distancing, masks, and hand washing a priority. Guests that come together will eat together. Tables will be 6 ft. apart and hand sanitizer will be available to all guests.



### **RATHRDRUM LIONS**

**Building Upgrade:** The building has been power washed (thank you Ben and Sheena), the outside wiring has been relocated (thank you Fred and Lonnie), damaged trim and fascia has been replaced (thank you Ben and Sheena), the new stove is in and the three bad stoves removed (thank you Ben, Lonnie, Frank, Ken, Joe, Mary. Fred) and all signs removed from the building (thank you Lonnie). Painting is waiting on the weather to be agreeable. Under coating has been started. On July 3<sup>rd</sup>, the building was painted.



**Cemetery Fence:** The old fence was taken down and Frank cut all the railings in half with the chain saw and Lonnie took the old fence to the Pleasant View Transfer Station. Maximum of 8' for the rails is allowed so Frank cut them all in half. The wood was purchased from North Idaho Post & Poles and they knocked off \$150. Gravel was donated by Daniels Landscaping. Work party began at 10:00 on the 3<sup>rd</sup>. Gary, Ben, Fred, Sheena, Lonnie, Mary, Matthew and Frank did the work. Well, part of the work. The holes were dug deeper by Matthew and gravel was put in by Mary. The first three posts were put in and the rails added. At the same time we all realized Lonnie's mistake. He ordered 4 corner posts with 90 degree holes (for a rectangle) and what was needed were 8 posts with 45 degree angles (for an octagon shape). After Lonnie was tarred and feathered, he cleaned himself up and said he would get the right stuff on Monday and we'll start again.

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WHILE EMBRACING DIVERSITY"*

## Out and About in the District

**NELSON LIONS CLUB** recently held a Drive-In Movie event on June 28 & 29.

This opportunity came to us from Fresh Air Cinema (Vancouver based firm) who have been contracted by Fortis BC (BC based hydro company) to hold Drive-In events in 30 locations this summer – all in aid of local food banks.

Our annual Canada Day 67<sup>th</sup> Pancake Breakfast was cancelled due to COVID so our Club was excited to give the Drive-In movie a try.

The Club managed to prepare and hold this event on a very short timeline of 3 weeks. The location was secured, a community partner (our local credit union) agreed to match gate receipts. And we offered 30 second video spots to local businesses for \$500 per spot.

The gate receipts, plus the matching credit union grant raised a total of \$4,365. Each of the 3 local food banks received \$1,455.

In addition to the sale of preshow video spots, the Club received other local grants, donations and the offer of complementary portable toilets from a local firm – a total of \$2,400 which came directly to the Club. We had a few expenses but were pleased to raise about \$1,500.

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IN NELSON @ THE FOOT OF BAKER STREET

**SUNDAY JUNE 28**  
ONWARD (2020)  
GATES OPEN AT 8:15PM  
(Movie starts at dusk, approx. 9:15PM)

**MONDAY JUNE 29**  
STAR WARS: THE RISE OF SKYWALKER (2019)  
GATES OPEN AT 8:15PM  
(Movie starts at dusk, approx. 9:15PM)

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