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Winter Greetings from 5SKS DG Page Newton

Greetings, 5SKS Lions! Welcome to winter! Hard to believe we are almost halfway through our Lions year. To date, I've had the opportunity to visit with 21 Clubs. This truly is my favourite part of this role – I love learning about the many ways we working together to serve our communities! Please reach out to me directly so we can line up a Club visit.

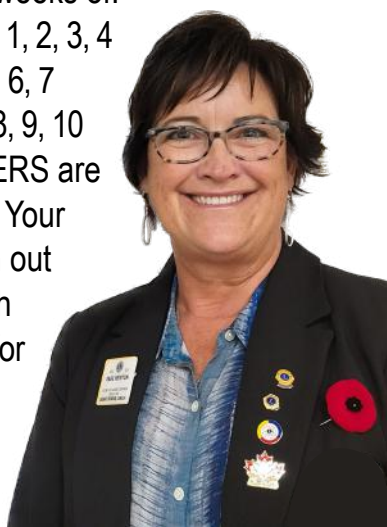
In the new year, our District – with the help of our Zone Chairs – has decided to ramp up and combine our DG visits with our Zone Rallies. This is an opportunity to "localize" our Lions gatherings.

Here, you can meet up with Lions in "your" neighbourhood, share ideas, and have fun with a little training. To accommodate busy schedules, we've moved away from weekends and will host these during the weeks of:

- Jan 19 – 22: Zones 1, 2, 3, 4
- Feb 2 – 4: Zones 5, 6, 7
- Feb 9 – 11: Zones 8, 9, 10

ALL LIONS MEMBERS are encouraged to attend. Your Zone Chairs will reach out to Club executives with details. See Page 26 for more information.

I look forward to seeing you there! Wishing you all a Merry Christmas and all the best for a wonderful New Year!



Happy Holidays,
-Lion Page Newton,
5SKS District Governor 2025-2026

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Saskatchewan Lions Foundation to Auction Truck Mid-December



The above former Saskatoon Lions Band truck will be sold at auction on December 16th, 2025, with proceeds going to the Saskatchewan Lions Foundation.

If you are interested in bidding, you can find more photos and information online here:
<https://tinyurl.com/StoonLionsBandTruckAuction>

December Greetings from 5SKN District Governor Brian Starkell

The month of November was busy as usual. I'm hoping that our American friends had an enjoyable Thanksgiving. I attended the jointed Eye Bank/ Saskatchewan Lions Foundation meeting held in Rosthern. Along with PDG Beryl Bauer, I attended the Melfort Lions Club November meeting which was mainly focused on preparing for their Charter Night on November 22nd. Together we helped fine-tune the event details with Charter Night Chairperson, Lion Jocelyn Gerwing. She, along with the Club officers and other members, contributed to finalizing the event so that by the end of the meeting, Charter Night planning was completed.

My highlight of the month was the actual Charter Night. It was great to see a great number of representatives from surrounding clubs. Members from sponsoring Lake Lenore LC, Saskatoon Millennium LC, Rosthern LC, Macdowall LC, Prince Albert LC, and Nipawin LC were in attendance and strongly supported the 50-50 draw and their Silent Auction.

Guest speaker PID Garnet gave great examples of the valuable service Lions do in their communities and communities around the world. In addition to pointing out the local community benefits of having a Lions club, he highlighted three specific significant Lions International projects supported by the Lions International Foundation that strongly resonated with all in attendance.

Sixteen of the 21 Charter members were able to attend and all were inducted by me. They received the special Lions Charter pins and certificates as well as a package of items from Lions International.

Though we have lost several Lions Clubs in the last few years, Membership Chair Beryl Bauer and his team have help charter two new Clubs which have started off very strong in their communities. With Lions International striving to hit 1.5 million members by June 30th, 2027, the district can be proud of its efforts to add new Clubs and new members. Keep up the effort, try to do meaningful service, and have some fun serving.

In other news, I am getting some District Governor Visitation dates set. Zones or Clubs should start focusing on setting a date if they



DG Brian Starkell presents Charter pin and Certificate to Melfort Lions Club President Lorana McComber at the November 22nd Charter Night.

haven't already done that so I can try to accommodate their needs. My current calendar of events is as follows:

- Spirtwood: January 15th, 2026
- Lloydminster: January 26th, 2026
- Turtleford: January 27th, 2026
- Saskatoon: January 28th, 2026
- Esterhazy: March 7th, 2026
- Cabinet Meeting (Zoom): March 14th, 2026
- Council of Governors Meeting (Zoom): March 21st, 2026
- Dorintosh: April 18th, 2026
- Shell Lake: May 4th, 2026
- Aberdeen MD5 Convention: May 28th-30th, 2026
- Rosthern Cabinet Meeting: June 6th, 2026
- Wadena: June 13th, 2026

Don't forget the deadline for ordering chocolate Easter bunnies is December 15th. See below for important info.

Clubs should also be planning a specific LCIF fundraiser as requested by our district LCIF coordinator.

Wishing everyone a very Merry Christmas season and a great 2026!

-Lion Brian Starkell,
5SKN District Governor 2025-2026,
Nipawin Lions Club

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NOTICE re: the Easter Bunny Campaign

This year, we have asked Clubs to place their orders by December 15th with payment to be received no later than January 15th, 2026. After an October email to past participating Clubs, I've only received two orders. **If we don't receive more orders in the next two weeks, we will have to cancel the campaign this year.** So here's to rubbing a rabbit's foot that orders start flooding in these next few days! Please contact Lion Garry Beaudry (PA Lions Club) for more info: 1-306-940-9675. He's more than happy to discuss your needs.

The bunnies come in two different sizes. Milk Chocolate & Dark Chocolate are 175g, and Clubs pay \$115/case of 24. The Milk, Dark, and White Chocolate also come in a 100g size, selling at \$90/case of 24. Unfortunately, the supplier probably won't be making the "no sugar added" this year, but if so, the 100g sizes are \$90/case of 24. *Prices include the freight & delivery fee ~ if you're not off the beaten track and have ordered more than 15 cases. Lions Clubs set the price they sell the bunnies for themselves.*



LIONS EVENT FOLLOW-UP

Provincial Lions Curling Bonspiel November 21, 22, 23 2025 in Carlyle, SK



The Carlyle District Lions Club hosted the Provincial Lions Curling Bonspiel at the Carlyle Curling Club on the weekend of November 21st to 23rd. Eight teams participated in the event representing Alida and District, Bienfait, Burstall District, Carlyle District, Carnduff District, Eston, and Wawota District Lions.

Games began on Friday afternoon followed by a banquet and two guest speakers. The first was Justine Kyle, a Grade 2 teacher in Carlyle, who spoke about using the Lions Quest Program. The second speaker was Chaelynn Stewart, a curler who spoke about her two-time journey to the Scotties – once when they were in the bubble during Covid and there were no fans, and a second time, this past year, when she played third for Nancy Martin.

Friday evening also included a trivia game and a pie auction, with pies donated by PDG Lion Dennis Feduk (the Pie Man). A total of \$590 was raised for the Dog Guides Difference Campaign.

Games continued Saturday and Sunday morning. The four teams who made the finals were Wawota vs. Bienfait, and Burstall vs. Carlyle. The Bienfait Lions clinched first place with a 5-ender in the 6th end of play. The trophy – which has been held by the Burstall District Lions since 2019 – was awarded along with money prizes for the winners.

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Difference Campaign.”
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A special thank you to Lions Craig Savill and Duncan Brown for organizing the event, to the many Carlyle Lions who helped out, the community groups who provided food and tended bar, the Curling Club for donating the use of the rink, and to all of the teams who travelled to Carlyle to make the weekend such a success! It was wonderful to see this event happen once again.

We will look forward to next year and hope to see many more of you there.

- submitted by
PDG Heather Vermeersch



**Team Bienfait placed first at the
2025 Provincial Lions Curling Bonspiel!**



Craig Savill, the Past President of the Carlyle District Lions Club, presents two trophies following the Bonspiel: “The Best Sweeper” went to Eston Lion Terran Johnson (left photo) and “The Happy Curler” to Alida Lion Lloyd East (right photo).



Lions Bonspiel finalists, Team Carlyle!



Team Burstall made the finals but ended up losing, giving up the trophy which they had held since 2019!



Lions Bonspiel finalists, Team Wawota!

Saskatchewan Lions Convention 2025

Thank You Notes & Acknowledgements

Special thanks go out to those that helped make this convention a success. To our Gold Sponsors – the Saskatoon Lions Club and Cabri Lions Club. To the Lloydminster Lions Club for providing games, prizes, and fun on game night. Thanks to PDG Ellie Mae Bishop for rounding up extra prizes. Lion Aaron Simpkins won 'best costume' for looking like a dashing pirate. Lions Cricket Reynoldson and Gloria Gysler, PDG Tom Armstrong rounded up Silent Auction items, and various Clubs and individuals contributed as well. Lions Gloria and Cricket ran the Silent Auction through the weekend, and raised \$2,127.82 for the Lions Foundation of Canada. PDG Ken Grummett and Lion Brooklyn Newton manned the registration tables, while Lion Blair Nixon and PDG Tom Armstrong looked after the Audio/Visual needs.

Lion Paula Meeres, with assistance from PCC Rick Pockett and PDG Tom Armstrong, gave a lovely Memorial Presentation of members who have passed in the last Lions' year.

Westend Dental, Lions Eye Bank, City Center Bingo, Glen Scrimshaw, and Lion Brenda Armstrong provided guest bag items for attendees. The bags were put together by a student earning volunteer hours. She also came to assist with the Service Project. The Hospitality Room was hosted by PDG Rob and Freda Hill. Food was supplied by City Center Bingo and Sami's Sunshine Grill.

The Saskatoon Police gave interesting presentations on the topic of Fraud, and the Police Plane. Gwen Schindler kept the program organized as MC, and we were fortunate to have a very personable International Director Debbie Cantrell, who gave an insight to her past life and her happier present one. PID Garnett Davis and Lion Mary Ellen Davis hosted ID Debbie and her husband Kevin. PCC Tim Haight and PDG Rob Hill organized and MC'd the Hall of Fame Presentations.

The 50/50 draw was organized by DG Brian Starkell and Lion Karla Bernesky who ran it and it raised \$790. The winner was PDG Alvin Matechuk and the other half of the proceeds went to the Saskatchewan Lions Foundation. PDG Beryl Bauer and Lion Eric Gerwing took care of organizing and running the "Liquor Wheelbarrow" Draw. The draw raised \$2,070 for LCIF funds, with DG Brian Starkell winning and giving away all of the bottles but two to the attendees!

The Leadership Training game with DG Page Newton and PDG Gail Haight proved to be a fun way to learn. PDG Beryl Bauer applied and received an LCIF Community Caring Grant (over US\$1,200) which provided for all of the items needed to put together 150 Special Occasion Cake packages – and extra cake mixes – which were spread across provincial food banks by the convention attendees. The Saskatoon Millennium Lions ran the project.

The Travelodge generously gave us last year's prices on both the rooms and meals. The food was plentiful and the staff was exceptional. PDG Gail Haight had a busy job looking after the finances, registering attendees, and sorting out name tags, and programs. She gave a lot of her time and deserves a lot of recognition for this commitment. The Prince Albert Lions assisted with parts of this.

Everyone seemed to have a good time and learn some new things – and the financials showed a profit. Big thanks to my partner in service, Lion Brenda, and to those who contributed, assisted, and attended.

- PDG Tom Armstrong,
Convention Chair



MULTIPLE DISTRICT 5 LIONS NEWS

MD5 Christmas Service Project

PDG Lion Krisha Ashby, the MD5 Service coordinator, has organized a small, but powerful MD5 service project for this holiday season!

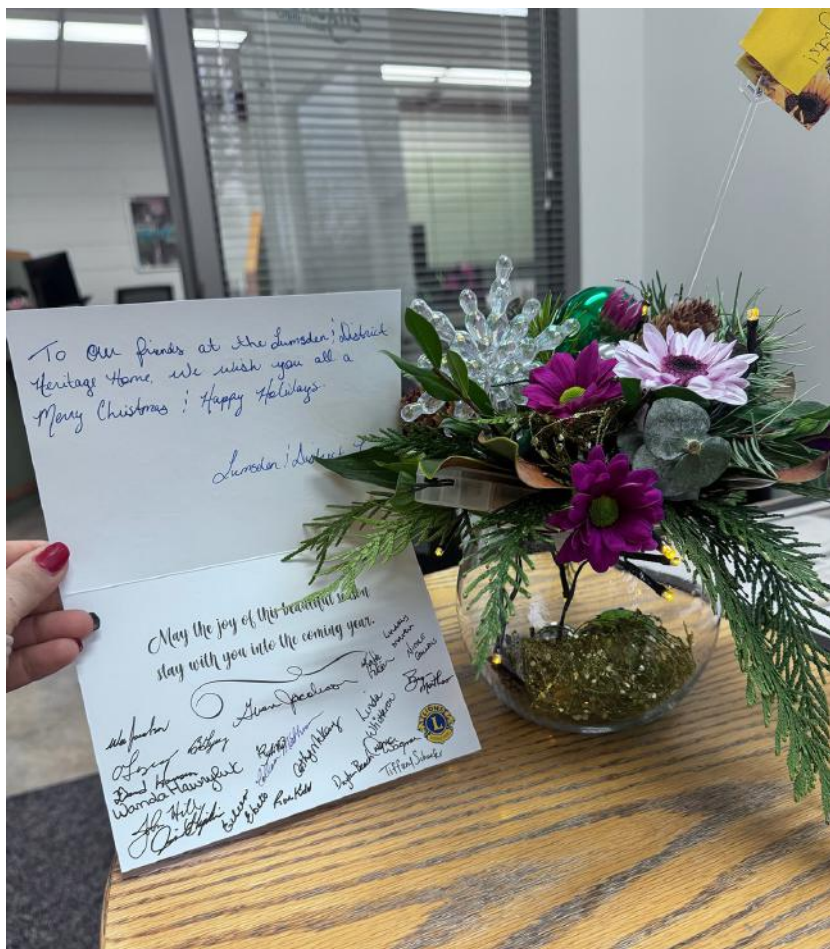
Lion Krisha ordered holiday cards and added a Lions logo sticker to each one. Cards were delivered to each State and Provincial Convention in MD5. These cards were then distributed to all the Clubs in 5SKS and 5SKN at the Saskatchewan Lions Convention in October.

Clubs will be filling out the cards with warm wishes for the holiday season and delivering them to nursing homes in their district, as a small act of kindness. At the Convention, the Clubs were also encouraged to create a simple/creative centrepiece as part of the service, if possible.

Lion Krisha will be sharing this information on social media to spread the word so that all Lions can take part in this uplifting project.

**-submitted by Lion Nicole Gallais,
GST 5SKS**

At left: the Lumsden & District Lions have already started spreading holiday cheer; the Christmas card and floral centrepiece were recently delivered to the Lumsden & District Heritage Home.



UPCOMING LIONS EVENTS



Memphis sign on Mud Island.

Photo © Alex Shansky



100 Days of Blues billboard on Beale Street.

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Elvis statue at Memphis Welcome Center.

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The Lions of MD5 are hosting an International Camp this summer from July 12 to July 18, 2026 in Saskatchewan, Canada. We would love to have the support of local Lions clubs by sponsoring a youth aged 14 to 18 to attend our camp. We are expecting 40 youth from around the world.

The cost of camp is \$400 USD or \$550 CAD.

We will be renting a bus and adventuring through beautiful Saskatchewan. Ziplining, Paintball, Mini-Golf, Boating, Swimming and Cultural Events and Arts.

If you or someone you know would like to support or attend our Lions camp, please contact us for further information or to request an application.

Lion Darryl Oster
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**Visit our upcoming
Website at:
youthcamplions.org**





2026 MD5 Lions Convention: Lions & Lions & Lions (Oh My!)

May 28th - 30th, 2026

Best Western Aberdeen Hotel & Events Center
Aberdeen, SD

Please join us for the Multiple District 5 convention in Aberdeen, S.D. This will be two great days of learning about Lions, service, the South Dakota School for the Blind and Visually Impaired and other aspects of life in Aberdeen.

The conference kicks off with an optional social Thursday evening with trivia and games as people arrive.

Friday and Saturday are full of great programs and break-out sessions.

Join us Friday evening for a picnic out at Storybook Land* or find a favourite restaurant out in the community.

The whole event is capped off with a banquet to celebrate the Lions of MD5, but not the tigers or bears (oh my!).

Hotel accommodations can be made by calling the Best Western Aberdeen Hotel & Events Center at 605-229-4040. Standard rooms are available for US\$139.99 per night, as long as reservations are made by April 28th, 2026. Additional lodging can be found at VisitAberdeenSD.com/stay.

**Storybook Land picnic tickets capped at 60. Picnic will take place inside the Storybook Land Visitor Center. Picnic tickets include a Jimmy John's boxed meal and a ticket to ride any ride at Storybook Land. Food orders will be taken via email closer to the event.*

2026 MD5 Convention

LIONS & LIONS & LIONS (OH MY!)

STORYBOOK LAND PICNIC

LEARN ABOUT THE SD SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND & VISUALLY IMPAIRED

MAY 28-30, 2026

Through Jan. 31, use code **SECONDMOUSE** for \$25 off your registration!

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Register Today!



Sask Lions’ Blue Jays Weekend Raffle

Results of ticket sales so far for the Blue Jays Weekend Raffle have been very encouraging – about \$2,000 ahead of last year’s record totals. Clubs are generally selling more tickets than before and a new record looks like a distinct possibility. Good on all of you!

The first Early bird Draw for \$500 will take place on December 14th and a total of 65 Saskatchewan Lions Clubs have already returned ticket stubs and payments of just over \$14,000.

Clubs are reminded to include the name of an individual on each ticket stub, as per Sask Liquor & Gaming directives. Thanks to all Clubs who have sent in money and tickets.

Newly-participating Clubs since last month include the following:

Wawota, Dodsland, Glenbain, Shell Lake, Loreburn, Meadow Lake, Wolseley, Eatonia, Humboldt, Lampman, Melville, Oxbow, Bredenbury, Piapot, Dorintosh, North Battleford, Stoughton, Unity, Wiseton, Prince Albert, Meota Lakeshore, Spiritwood, Goodsoil, Broadview, Pilot Butte, Moose Mountain, Preeceville, Neudorf, Leader, Glenavon, MacNutt, Regina 35, Turtleford, Middle Lake, Lemberg, Mantario, Bienfait, Nipawin, Harris, Springside, Montmartre, Moose Jaw Early Bird, Gainsborough, Moosomin, Lloydminster, Richmond, Rhein, and Wakaw.



-Gordon Ziegler, Saskatchewan Difference Campaign Committee Member



New Members

• DISTRICTS 5SKN & 5SKS •



MISSION 1.5

Lions International has a goal of reaching a membership number of 1.5 million by the end of the 2027 Lions year. This 4-year campaign, known as **MISSION 1.5**, is not just about a number – more members mean more service! *Brag about the newest members of your Clubs here each month!*

DISTRICT 5SKN (as of November 30, 2025)

CLUB	NEW MEMBER NAMES	# of NEW MEMBERS
HUMBOLDT	Samantha Schmidt	1
MACDOWALL & DISTRICT	Alan Vredegoor	2
MELFORT	Olanrewaju Olukosi	1
TURTLEFORD & DISTRICT	Jonathan Conacher	1
UNITY	Jefferson Velasco	1
TOTAL # OF NEW LIONS		5

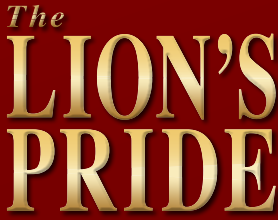
DISTRICT 5SKS (as of November 30, 2025)

CLUB	NEW MEMBER NAMES	# of NEW MEMBERS
BURSTALL BORDERTOWN.	Jackie Jassman	1
CARNDUFF DISTRICT	Barrett Dumaine, Dillan Plews.....	2
ESTON 95	Brealynn Minchin.....	1
FORT QU’APPELLE DISTRICT	Lee Finishen, Nolan Sveinbjornson	2
GAINSBOROUGH & DISTRICT.....	Eric Alarie, Gordie Howden, Nick Pirie, Tyson Storie, Brendan Thoring	5
LAMPMAN DISTRICT	Luke Crosby, Nicole Crosby.....	2
LEADER.....	Blake Bennett, Devindes Jeet Singh.....	2
LUMSDEN DISTRICT	Ethel Ljubic.....	1
MOOSE MOUNTAIN	Ghislaine Carter, Darren Gedak	2
PILOT BUTTE & DISTRICT	Gerry Steranko	1
REGINA BEACH.....	Susan Ackerman	1
TOTAL # OF NEW LIONS		20



REPORT your NEW MEMBERS so they can be published!

Report member info on My LCI, and send the info (and photos, too!) to The Lion’s Pride newsletter



LFC Dog Guides Update for December 2025

On this same weekend in 2024, I received a mammogram test result that said, “Urgent Workup Recommended”. Further testing resulted in a diagnosis of early-stage breast cancer which has now been successfully treated with surgery, chemo, and radiation. It has been a rough year, but I’m grateful to be here and to continue to advocate for our province on behalf of Saskatchewan Lions on the Board of Lions Foundation of Canada Dog Guides.

First, I need to express my thanks for all the good wishes, messages, and prayers during the last year. The support and caring expressed by so many of you has meant more than you know.

Secondly, support from the Lions of Saskatchewan with the Dog Guides capital campaign has been outstanding. You have answered the call generously and unselfishly. I cannot thank you enough. Special thanks go to the Regina Lakeside Lions for their \$25,000 contribution to the Lions Matching Challenge.

Together, Lions across Canada have contributed \$189,851 to The Difference Campaign, unlocking \$100,000 in matching funds, 25 percent of which

came from the Regina Lakeside Lions. Well done!
Our Giving Tuesday campaign was also a great success, with over \$200,000 being donated in less than 24 hours. While that was slightly less than the 2024 total, it is awesome to think the Giving Tuesday campaign would do that well in view of the additional funds Lions Clubs and individuals have already committed to *The Difference* Campaign in 2025. To all those who participated in Giving Tuesday campaign donations, thank you.

As many of you know, the Richmond Lions are once again selling Blue Jays Weekend Raffle tickets with proceeds for placement of a Dog Guide in Saskatchewan. One of the Early Bird draws is coming up on December 14th. Thanks to all of the Lions and Clubs who support this fundraiser, and please get your sold tickets in as soon as possible to qualify for the Early Bird draw.

We have a meeting of the full Board of Dog Guides scheduled via Zoom next week and we anticipate that updated information on construction and funding will be released soon.



-Marianne Kramchynsky,
LFC Dog Guides
Saskatchewan Director



And finally, I wish all of you Merry Christmas, Happy Holidays and all the best in 2026.

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WEEKS
OF SERVICE

The Weeks of Service centre around significant international days, highlighting the impact of Lions around the world. Lions are encouraged to do service that greatly impacts their communities while also finding sustainable ways to increase service impact & visibility of the Lions brand through consistent periods of service.

HUNGER

LIONS SERVICE WEEK WILL BE FROM
JANUARY 3-11, 2026

ENVIRONMENT

LIONS SERVICE WEEK WILL BE FROM
APRIL 18-26, 2026

RICHMOND LIONS CLUB

GRAND PRIZE

Approx. value
\$4,000

LFC BLUE JAYS
WEEKEND RAFFLE

LFC BLUE JAYS
WEEKEND RAFFLE

In Support of Lions Foundation of Canada

Free Dog Guides for Saskatchewan Residents

Two (2)
Early Bird Draws

• December 14, 2025 (\$500)

• February 13, 2026 (\$500 Roughrider Gift Card)

Dec. 14 draw: 7:00 PM | Feb. 13 draw: 2:00 PM | FINAL DRAW: 2:00 PM on May 17, 2026

All draws take place: Richmond Community Hall, 204 Hwy 371 N., Richmond, SK S0N 2E0

GRAND PRIZE

A weekend for two in Toronto, including:

- Return airfare for two to Toronto
- Three nights' accommodation
- Two tickets to a Toronto Blue Jays game at Rogers Centre
- Tour of Lions Foundation of Canada Dog Guides facilities

Approximate value: \$4,000

OR \$3,000 cash prize

Ticket sales start
September 1, 2025

Tickets:
\$5 ea

Questions? Need more tickets?
Contact Lion Gordon Ziegler:
306-669-2023, bgziegler@gmail.com

Cheques must be made out to Richmond Lions Club and returned with ticket stubs AND unsold tickets to:
Lion Gordon Ziegler, Box 43, Richmond, SK S0N 2E0 "Blue Jays Weekend Raffle" may be included in the memo

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6,200 tickets printed

NOTICE: raffle tickets shall not be sold to a person under 18 years of age

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New Melfort Lions Club Celebrates Charter Night

The Melfort Lions Club was awarded its charter on June 19th, 2025. Summer delayed its Charter Night, but November 22nd settled that. The gala celebration was held at the Melfort Legion with over 80 people in attendance. City of Melfort Mayor, Glenn George, and his wife, Peggy, along with Past International Director Garnet Davis were honoured guests. 2025-2025 5SKN PDG Ray Tatro and his wife Shelley travelled all the way from Lloydminster to take part in the ceremonies. As mentioned in DG Brian's news, many district Lions Clubs attended to show their support of the new Club.

Following a delicious supper, Charter ceremonies began with greetings and congratulations from the Honourable Todd Goudy, Melfort MLA and current Speaker of the Legislature. Mayor Glenn then spoke on behalf of the city about the value of another community-minded service club in Melfort. PID Garnet Davis gave a very heartwarming and meaningful address outlining some of the great causes Lions support. His examples of on-the-ground Lions Foundation benefit touched the hearts of those in attendance and showed how Lions truly serve not only their communities, but the broader world as well.

His address was followed by a Charter member induction ceremony. New members were introduced by MC PDG Beryl Bauer, while 5SKN DG Brian Starkell presented all of the new Lions with their Charter pins, certificates, and Lions International items. DG Brian officially welcomed them all into Lions on behalf of the District. A new Lions banner and the official Lions Charter – which lists the founding Charter members – was presented.

Melfort Lions Club President Lorana McComber then spoke, thanking all in attendance especially those who helped make the evening possible. She mentioned some of the service already done by the Melfort Lions, such as a food bank fundraiser, a school hot dog fundraiser, wildfire assistance efforts for many evacuees that came to Melfort in June and July, and the Club's great support of the Mega Cash Draw. She recognized the many local citizens, members, district Lions, and businesses who contributed to a successful Silent Auction. She also informed attendees that more new members were soon to be joining and the future of the Club is looking good.

The Charter Night concluded with entertainment by the Diamond Trio, as well as visiting, and dancing.

-5SKN PDG Beryl Bauer



The current members of the new Melfort Lions Club with their official Lions Charter on November 22nd at the Melfort Legion, the night of their gala celebrations.



At left:

A new Lions banner was officially presented to Melfort Club President Lion Lorana McComber by 2024-2025 5SKN PDG Ray Tatro.

Below:

The official Lions Charter, which lists the founding Charter members of the new Melfort Lions Club was presented by sponsoring Club Lake Lenore Lions' Past President, Lion Gerry Gerwing.



Sovereign Lions' Food Bank Raffle Kicks Off

The Sovereign Lions Club is currently selling tickets for a raffle to benefit their local food bank.

Tickets are \$10 each and can be purchased before December 22nd, 2025 by contacting Club President Max Linklater.

**Sovereign
Lions Club**

**December 2025
Raffle**



Lloydminster Lions News

November was an awesome month. Club President Darryl laid our wreath at the Remembrance Day service, our Grey Cup tickets sold out – thanks to all who donated their time to sell tickets, and our Grey Cup Watch Party was a success. Eight Club members made the trip to the Vermilion Lions meeting to present their cheque for bartending for the Medieval Feast.

The Sock Drive has officially started. We had the biggest of four casinos this season – great job by Lion Rick and his crew. The 24th was our social with an evening service project of “crafting” festive centerpieces for the senior facilities in town. Lion Dawn and I delivered those the next day to some very appreciative homes. November 28th was our Wainwright Casino. Another busy month!

- Lion Shelley



The artists and their festive creations.



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Nov. 20th – Dec. 20th, 2025



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**Northern Factory Workwear
& Clearance Store
Legacy Centre
Exhaust Masters**

**Socks will be distributed to organizations such as the
Men's Shelter / Drop-Inn Centre, and Interval Home / Spark.**

Questions? Please email us at LloydminsterLions@gmail.com

- Everyone Deserves Warm Feet -

Lakeland Lions Club's Chase the Ace Fundraiser Allows for Several Local Donations

As the 2025 holiday season ramps up, the Lakeland Lions happily delivered some early monetary presents to local organizations and institutions. Donations ranged in amounts from \$1,829 all the way up to \$10,000 and *Chase the Ace* chairperson Lion Daryl Bogner recently presented those funds to the following: Royal Canadian Legion #159, Helping Hands, Christopher Lake Public Library, Christopher Lake Public School, Lakeland Tree Dodgers Snowmobile Club, and the District of Lakeland for the Lions Park at Spruce Point!

The Lakeland Lions are thankful to all those who supported their *Chase the Ace* fundraiser throughout the months. The Club is now getting ready to hibernate for the holidays!



The Christopher Lake Royal Canadian Legion #159 received \$2,488 from Chase the Ace, plus an additional donation from the Lakeland Lions totalling \$10,000! Above, Marlene Williams accepts the cheque from Lion Daryl Bogner.



The Lakeland Lions were proud to donate \$5,488 to Helping Hands, a local initiative through St. Mary and St. Christopher churches that ensures every local family has a Merry Christmas. Helping Hands also steps up when tragedy strikes. Above, Margaret Boettcher received the cheque from Lion Daryl Bogner who is also the Chase The Ace chairperson.



Lion Harvey Boettcher presented Cheryl Bauer Hyde with a cheque for \$1,829 cheque made out to the Christopher Lake Library.



A cheque for \$1,829 went to the District of Lakeland for the Lions Park at Spruce Point.



Christopher Lake Public School received a donation of \$1,829. The Lakeland Lions are always happy to support our local youth



The Lakeland Tree Dodgers Snowmobile Club received \$1,829, presented by Lion Harvey Boettcher to Nancy Carruthers.

Saskatoon Lions Partner Up to Benefit Unhoused Citizens

In November, the Saskatoon Lions partnered with Good Shepherd Lutheran to host a concert to benefit the unhoused in Saskatoon.

Stephen Maguire, the Irish-born, Saskatoon-based singer/songwriter (Memory Lane) organized the performers who put on an excellent concert, donating their time and talents.

The members of Lions and Good Shepherd Lutheran filled five SUVs with much needed blankets, pillows, clothes, winter gear, boots, etc all donated from concert attendees.

Over 100 people braved the icy streets to attend. The Lions are grateful to Stephen Maguire and performers Brent Tbone Blazieko, Rhonda Gallant-Morari, Stan Garchinski, Gabe Penna, and Darcie Lich, as well as Good Shepherd Lutheran, and everyone who brought items.



Above: the Lions efficiently sorted and loaded many, many bags of items that were distributed to the Saskatoon unhoused over the following two weeks. At right: all that was left after Saskatoon Lions Jenny and Dave went out to drop off items at The Saskatoon Indian and Metis Friendship Centre. Afterwards, they served lunch to 127 people at Station 20.



LAKE LENORE LIONS DONATE TO FOOD BANK –

The Lake Lenore Lions recently presented their Provincial Convention Service Project Cake Ingredients to the Humboldt Food Bank.



16th Annual

Fishing Huts & Electronics are Allowed!

Over \$25,000 in Cash & Prizes to be Won!





- 50% CASH payout
Based on entry fees
- \$500 EXTRA Payout for Largest Walleye
Sponsored by Horizon Fertilizers
- \$250 Largest Perche Prize
Sponsored by Lakeview Insurance Brokers

Lenore Lake - LUNG'S BEACH (BIG LAKE)

REGISTRATIONS & FISHING TBA

Stay up to date:
<https://www.facebook.com/LLDerby/>

NO FOOD OR BEVERAGES WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE ON THE LAKE

PRE-REGISTRATIONS

Online Entry Fee: \$75/person

Online Registration Closes Friday, Jan 16 @ 6:00pm
(\$100/per person registered at the gate)

SATURDAY, JANUARY 17TH

Homemade Meal and Local Entertainment for MacNutt Seniors

Sunday, December 7th saw the MacNutt Lions Club members cook for their local seniors, serving up a yummy homecooked meal. Attendees also enjoyed entertainment by local musicians, Amy and Ed.



Spiritwood Lions Club Christmas Craft Sale

The Spiritwood Lions held their Christmas Craft Sale on November 22nd, where several vendors were set up for shoppers, and the Lions provided hot lunch options and homemade pies.

The Lions were on hand to greet attendees at the door, where they also collected used eyeglasses for CLERC and sold \$1,000 draw tickets.



Thank you to the Makwa Lions Club for donating the candy for our treat bags, given out during our Toy Bingo event on December 5th!

Wishing everyone a safe and Happy Holiday Season!

MERRY CHRISTMAS!!

~Makwa Recreation

Meota Lakeshore Lions Christmas Lighting Contest

Judging to take place
Wednesday - December 17th 2025
7pm to 9pm
MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL
Have Your Christmas Lights On!!!
Winners of 2024

Marvin & Leah Uhl Derek & Alex Wellford John Tinio
"We Serve"

Meota Lions BINGO MERRY CHRISTMAS

Ham & Turkey
Thursday December 18, 2025
Meota Community Complex
Doors Open at 6:30pm
Bingo Starts at 7:00pm
3 Up Books \$10.00
Bonanza \$1.00

All Proceeds go to the many Projects
The Lions Support
In and around
The Community

"We Serve"

TISDALE LIONS CLUB POKER TOURNAMENT

Golden Age Centre
1117 - 97th Street - Tisdale

Friday, Nov. 14 Friday, Jan. 23 Friday, Feb. 20 Friday, Mar. 20
6:45 pm Registration -- 7:00 pm Start
\$50.00 Buy-In
One re-buy or top up for same amount

Licensed bar for beverages
Smokies will be sold
Maximum of 60 players

Esterhazy Lions' Recent Club News

Lunch Counter at the Craft Sale

The Esterhazy Lions have had a lot going on as the Christmas season gets into full swing.



In mid-November, they were busy making the best sandwiches, soups, and homemade pies to sell at the lunch counter during the Craft Sale.

Christmas Hamper Donation

Then, at the Club's November meeting, the Lions members made a \$2,000 donation to the Esterhazy and Area Christmas Hampers. The Club thanks Janice once again – along with the Hamper Committee – for their hard work and dedication to this important campaign.



New Members Inducted

The last weekend of November saw the Esterhazy Lions welcome four new members into their Club. The candlelight induction ceremony is a beautiful, inspirational ceremony that reminds us all about not only our responsibilities of being a Lion, but also the satisfaction of serving our community.

Welcome to the Club, Wes, Ishia, Hayley, and Colleen. We look forward to working with you, as well as celebrating our achievements with you.



Chase the Ace fundraiser

The Club's December 5th *Chase the Ace* evening ended with Karen Petracek winning the weekly draw. Her proxy drew the 7 of Diamonds and her winnings totalled \$324.

Congrats, Karen! And thanks to everyone for supporting the Lions Club when you buy your *Chase the Ace* tickets each week.



LCIF Coordinator's Year-End Note

Hopefully all District Clubs have LCIF on their radar. All Clubs should have received a Giving Tuesday reminder note sent out by Lion Shelley. Yes, this time of year seems to have numerous requests for good causes, but all Lions are aware of LCIF, its 8 great areas of support (causes), and the never-ending needs in those cause areas.

I have had several articles in the *Pride* outlining

the many recent grants that Saskatchewan has received in the last 10 years (totalling over \$700,00 to multiple communities in the Districts). If you haven't seen the list, let me know and I'd be happy to share it with your Club. Saskatchewan Lions have been great supporters of LCIF over the same period, but contributions haven't been anywhere near that of the LCIF grants awarded. We live in a great province that is known for its giving. Needs will never end so fundraising needs to carry on.



- PDG Beryl Bauer

E: bbauer@sasktel.net
Ph: 306-231-9987

I've suggested all Clubs have JUST ONE dedicated LCIF fundraiser during the Lions year. (A few clubs have already had one as of this report date.) If you are having one or have had one, I ask that you advise me somehow. We can share your success and maybe share ideas on what works. Let's plan in the new year to join the District team taking on this task. Our target is raising \$28,000 in this Lions year! It will take action by ALL Clubs to achieve this target.

I am available to come to Club – or multiple Club – meetings (Zone meetings) if requested, barring other commitments. Please contact me if you'd like a presentation.

In the meantime, our family wishes everyone a safe, fun and fulfilling Christmas season and a Happy New Year.



2025-2026

TRIP OF THE MONTH

\$100/ticket

350 tickets sold



TRIP OF THE MONTH DRAW

SPONSORED BY
Balcarres Lions & Lioness Clubs

ONLY 350 TICKETS SOLD
\$20,000 in prizes

TICKETS: \$100 EACH
PROCEEDS TO:
Balcarres Ball Diamonds
Balcarres & Community
Foundation
Balcarres Hall
Balcarres Lions Park
School Scholarships
First draw made at 8:00pm
on January 13th, 2026
at Balcarres Golden Age Centre.
Following draws made
at 8:00pm on the second
Tuesday of each month

CREATE YOUR CUSTOM VACATION \$5,000 Cash Prize JANUARY 13, 2026 Max Value \$5,000	CREATE YOUR CUSTOM VACATION \$1,500 Cash Prize FEBRUARY 10, 2026 Max Value \$1,500
CREATE YOUR CUSTOM VACATION \$1,500 Cash Prize MARCH 10, 2026 Max Value \$1,500	CREATE YOUR CUSTOM VACATION \$1,500 Cash Prize APRIL 14, 2026 Max Value \$1,500
CREATE YOUR CUSTOM VACATION \$1,500 Cash Prize MAY 12, 2026 Max Value \$1,500	CREATE YOUR CUSTOM VACATION \$1,500 Cash Prize JUNE 09, 2026 Max Value \$1,500
CREATE YOUR CUSTOM VACATION \$1,500 Cash Prize JULY 14, 2026 Max Value \$1,500	CREATE YOUR CUSTOM VACATION \$1,500 Cash Prize AUGUST 11, 2026 Max Value \$1,500
CREATE YOUR CUSTOM VACATION \$1,500 Cash Prize SEPTEMBER 08, 2026 Max Value \$1,500	CREATE YOUR CUSTOM VACATION \$3,000 Cash Prize OCTOBER 13, 2026 Max Value \$3,000

Get your ticket before they sell out!

Please contact a Balcarres Lion or Lioness member, or the Balcarres town office for tickets before it's too late!



Bredenbury Lions Club

Christmas Hamper Raffle

Appetizers, Christmas ham with all the trimmings
desserts, drinks, games and more!

Estimated value of \$300

Tickets \$5 each

Draw on December 20th, 2025

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Santa Joins Churchbridge Lions' Family Fun Night

Friday, December 5th saw Churchbridge and area residents head out to the local rink for the Lions' Family Fun Night. Families enjoyed free public skating, as well as hot dogs and a hot drink (thanks to Legacy Co-op) for a small donation, free horse-drawn sleigh rides, and then the big attraction – photos with Santa!

The night was a community service project for the Club, and they are always looking for new faces to join in and help out with events like these! Thanks to all who supported – especially to Santa and Mrs Claus, and Doug Buchberger with his team of horses.



LEGACY CO-OP PRESENTS

LEGACY WONDERS OF WINTER

A YORKTON LIONS CLUB PROJECT
NOV 28 – JAN 5 | 5:30 PM – 10:00 PM

YORKTON'S DRIVE-THROUGH CHRISTMAS LIGHT DISPLAY

Yorkton's favourite holiday tradition returns! Join the Yorkton Lions Club and Legacy Co-op for the annual Legacy Wonders of Winter, a dazzling drive-through Christmas light display at the Yorkton City Campground.

From November 28th, 2025, to January 5th, 2026, the park transforms into a glowing wonderland of twinkling lights, festive music, and community spirit. Bring your family, friends, or coworkers — and enjoy the magic from the warmth of your car.

ADMISSION –

- \$20 per vehicle at the gate; \$15 advance tickets available at all Legacy Co-op locations
- FREE for: school and senior bus groups coordinated through Good Spirit, Christ the Teacher School Divisions, Yorkton Tribal Council, and seniors from The Bentley, CrossMills, and local care homes

Every visit supports Yorkton Lions Club community projects – helping local youth, families, and initiatives all year long.

Ring in the New Year with us!

CHURCHBRIDGE LIONESS PRESENTS

NEW YEAR'S CABARET

MUSIC ENTERTAINMENT BY FAST LANE

Midnight lunch provided!

Tickets \$30 in advance or at the door

(Buy tickets at Churchbridge Credit Union)

19+ ONLY

Four Regina Lakeside Lions Recognized



The visitation of PID Marvin Chambers, LCIF Trustee, was used as an occasion to recognize four Regina Lakeside Lions for their personal contributions to LCIF. These Lions, among others from Regina Lakeside Lions, regularly make personal contributions to the Lions Clubs International Foundation.

*- submitted by PID Garnet Davis,
Regina Lakeside Lions Club
Club Publicity Chair*

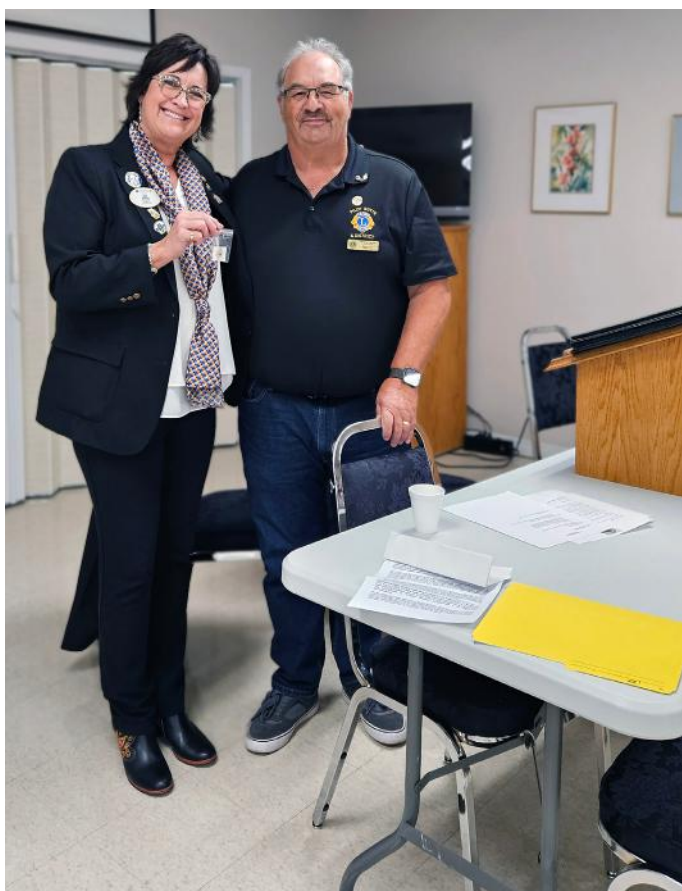
From left to right are PID and LCIF Trustee Marvin Chambers, now of Medicine Hat, Alberta, PDG John Tokarcsik (LCIF Gold Presidential Supporter Pin), Lion Anita Ford (LCIF Gold Presidential Supporter Pin), Club President Lion Wendy Deibert (LCIF Silver Presidential Supporter Pin), and PCC Rick Pockett (LCIF Gold Presidential Supporter Pin).

Pilot Butte Lions Club Makes Donation, Sees Longtime Members Presented with Awards

District Governor Page Newton visited the Pilot Butte & District Lions Club for their November 25th Club meeting. While there, Club President, Lion Ray Cordick presented DG Page Newton with a donation for District 5SKS Lions' charities.

DG Page Newton also presented awards to Lions Ken Zabiaka (Chevron Award for 40 years of service) and Ray Cordick (Membership Key).

- submitted by Lion Gloria Miller, Secretary, Pilot Butte & District Lions Club



DG Page Newton presents Pilot Butte & District Lions Club President Ray Cordick with his Membership Key.



DG Page Newton presents Pilot Butte & District Lion Ken Zabiaka with his Chevron Award in recognition of his 40 years of service.



Pilot Butte & District Lions Club President Ray Cordick presents DG Page Newton with a cheque for charities in District 5SKS.



Carlyle & District Lions Club News

3 New Members

The Carlyle & District Lions Club is pleased to announce that three new members have been recently inducted. Lion Michelle Cooper sponsored Amy Wainman, Lion Gord Paulley sponsored Jeremy Schubert, and Lion Duncan Brown sponsored Mike Makelki.



Left to right: Lion Michelle Cooper and sponsored new member Amy Wainman, Lion Gord Paulley and sponsored new member Jeremy Schubert, and Lion Duncan Brown and sponsored new member Mike Makelki, along with Carlyle & District Lions Club President Tim Sedor, and 5SKS District Governor Page Newton.

Marvin Chambers Progressive Fellowships

An amazing 9 Carlyle & District Lions Club Members and 2 Community Icons recently received prestigious Marvin Chambers Progressive Fellowship Awards for outstanding community service. Congratulations to all nine!



Five deserving Lions Members, from left: Bertha Isleifson, Sheran Fontaine, Candy Bye, Michelle Cooper, and Danielle Benjamin. The Marvin Chambers Progressive Fellowship Awards were presented by Past President Craig Savill and District Governor Page Newton.

Carlyle Lions Don Corrigan and Gerald Clark received their very deserving Marvin Chambers Progressive Fellowship Awards. Pictured at left with Past President Craig Savill and District Governor Page Newton.



Left: Lions Ken and Sheila Colpitts received prestigious Marvin Chambers Awards. Ken was instrumental in making Lions Pride Estates a reality in the late 1990s. Sheila is longtime book-keeper/accountant/ambassador of Lions Pride.

Right: Club Past-President Wayne Wilson and Current President Tim Sedor received Marvin Chambers Awards.



Spreading Holiday Cheer

Christmas came early for three local organizations, as the Carlyle District Lions Club spread some holiday cheer in late November!

An impressive \$7,000 was handed out to the Carlyle & District Food Bank, the Dickens Festival committee volunteers, and to the Carlyle Happy Gang.



Lion Kelvin Luedtke presenting a cheque to both Lions and Dickens Festival committee volunteers Dianne Twietmeyer and Shannon Klatt.



Carlyle District Lions Club President Lion Tim Sedor presents a cheque to the Carlyle Happy Gang, accepted by Lions member and Happy Gang volunteer Sheran Fontaine.



Lions Larry Brady and Duncan Brown presents a cheque to Nedra Clark, local representative of the Carlyle & District Food Bank.

Katepwa and District Lions' Craft and Bake Sale Proceeds to Qu'Appelle Haven

The Katepwa and District Lions' Craft and Bake Sale was the best-ever! It netted over \$1,000 which will be donated to Qu'Appelle Haven and used to purchase gifts, treats, and clothes for the families who are in residence on Christmas Day.

On December 25th, we will be hosting a soup and turkey sandwich social! See the fun details below.

- Lion Debi,
Katepwa and District Lions Club



Katepwa and District Lions' Craft and Bake Sale attendees young and old enjoyed shopping and taking their photo with Santa!

Lion Richard Barnsley Mourned by Balcarres and District Lions



Lion Richard was a member of the Balcarres and District Lions Club for 27 years (1998-2025) and had served multiple terms on the executive as President, Secretary, and Membership Champion. He rarely missed a work party for Club events and sometimes held his own work party – cutting grass and doing other maintenance work at the Balcarres Cemetery on behalf of the Club.

Lion Richard was also a key figure in organizing the Club's first Spring Supper and Auction. The annual event put his auctioneering skills to great use, and almost \$1 million has been raised over the past 26 years – monies which have been invested in the community. When Richard thought that auction items were going for too low, he would not be too shy to remind all that, "if you're not paying more than retail, you're not actually making a donation."

Lion Richard passed away peacefully on November 22nd, 2025 in the presence of family.



Katepwa and District Lions Christmas Day Soup and Sandwich Dec. 25th 1 - 3 PM at the Library



Please join us on Christmas Day from 1 - 3 PM
Homemade soup and turkey sandwiches

Classic movies, sing-a-long and the great company of friends and neighbours.



There will be a coin collection for the Food Bank.
There is no cost for lunch.



Lions Club 6th Annual



Christmas
LIGHT
CHALLENGE

Help us light up Avonlea for the Holidays!

Prizes:
1st place - \$400
2nd place - \$300
Student Choice - \$300

The students at Avonlea school will vote on their top 10 houses Dec. 10 and then the Lions club will also go to judge houses on December 17. The house with the most student votes will win the "Students Choice" award!

ELROSE LIONS
CLUB




CHRISTMAS TREE SALES

MEYERS SPRUCE - \$80
BALSAM FIR - \$90

THE LIONS CLUB THANKS YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

PLEASE SEE STAFF AT ELROSE PHARMACY OR
MILLS AGENCIES FOR PAYMENT

MERRY CHRISTMAS!



THE KATEPWA AND DISTRICT
LIONS CLUB

Cordially invites ALL Katepwa District
Residents to the

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS POTLUCK
SOCIAL

Katepwa Center/Library
December 13, 2025

Doors open at 5:30pm
Dinner will be served starting at 5:45pm
Entertainment starts at 6:30pm
(selfie photo booth, Xmas bingo, scavenger hunt
and Xmas carol singalong)

Bring your favorite Potluck (appies, mains,
salads, desserts) to share and dress in your
best (or ugliest) Xmas Sweater, PJ's, etc. to
win a prize.

Around 9,000 Pairs of Eyeglasses Packed up at White City Emerald Park Lions Club-Hosted Event

On November 23rd, 2025, 20 Lions from six Clubs and three Zones gathered for an eyeglass packing event! This event was hosted by the White City Lion's Club and consisted of a short presentation, where Lions were able to learn about Calgary's CLERC and the impact it has made over many years, and then the Lions spent the next two hours sorting and packing 36 banker's boxes with approximately 9,500 pairs of eyeglasses!

Many thanks to Lion Terry Parsons for his leadership related to this activity; his years of experience and dedication to this service activity are admirable! Many thanks, also to the Ramada by Wyndham Emerald Park / East Regina, and the White City Lion's Club for hosting this event. *Where there is a need, there is a Lion.*

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Vision care is one of the Key Global Causes of LCIF, with a history dating back to 1925, when Helen Keller called upon the Lions to serve as Knights of the Blind. Since that time, there have been numerous

Lions programs to assist the blind and visually-impaired, and to partner with organizations around the world to fight the major causes of preventable and reversible blindness.

CLERC is the Canadian Lions Eyeglass Recycling Centre. It is located in Calgary, AB and is fully run by volunteers. The centre receives eyeglasses, which they then sanitize, inspect, and sort. They then package them for distribution throughout the world to people who otherwise would not have access to eyeglasses. You can check out the website, clerc.ca for more information and a short video to learn more about the program!

**-submitted by Lion Nicole Gallais,
GST 5SKS**



5SKS District Lions busy packing used eyeglasses for the Canadian Eyeglasses Recycle for Sight program. Many hands make light work, and this was certainly true, as seen here in a room at the Ramada by Wyndham Emerald Park / East Regina.



LAMPMAN LIONS CLUB

Enjoy a Magical Christmas Glo-Skate with us!!

Join us on December 13th at the Saxon Family Community Complex for some glo-skating, movies in the lobby, snacks in the kitchen and Christmas Music on the ice!

Dec 13th, 2025
2:00 - 8:00 pm

Christmas Glo-Skate is being sponsored by the Lampman Lions!

Lumsden Lions' Final CTA Jackpot Winner



Wow! What an exciting night at the Lumsden Lions Club's final 2025 Chase the Ace. They began with 42 cards at the start of the evening The first name out of the drum was Drew Gibson, and he took home \$2,227 when he didn't find the Ace of Spades. Forty names later, and with two cards left, Bobbi Machuik (pictured far left) finally found the Ace of Spades and won the \$11,742 jackpot! The Club thanks the community for their support and hopes to see them back for their first draw of 2026 on February 5th.

Food Drive, Santa Visit & More with Kipling Lions

The Kipling and District Lions are thankful for all of the support shown to them in recent weeks. A great example of that support – shown also to the firefighters and the local food bank – was the success of the Food Drive held on Sunday, December 7th. Volunteers canvassed the Town of Kipling, and folks donated directly at the Library from 11:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m.

Santa made a visit at the library as well! Families took the opportunity to have pictures taken with the man in red!

The Club had their monthly meeting in mid-November, which was when they did their monthly Lottery Draw. The winners for the month of November were Kim & Tenille Fischer, Carol Anderson, Marlene Tarr, and Roger Niebergall.



The Kipling and District Lions are very thankful for the Kipling Long Term Care and Acute staff for the amazing amount of donations to the Kipling Food Bank Food Drive. The Club and firefighters were able to collect 12 full boxes of food and toiletries – plus \$210 in cash!

CHRISTMAS
Light
CONTEST

SPONSORED BY THE
GAINSBOROUGH AND
AREA LIONS

FIRST-
PLACE
PRIZE

\$100

GIFT CARD TO A LOCAL BUSINESS

JUDGING BEGINS
DECEMBER 17

MAKE SURE THOSE LIGHTS ARE ON!

ATTENTION PAST PRESIDENTS AND SECRETARIES

District 5SKS is seeking
2 ZONE CHAIRS
for the 2025 year

Mileage
coverage &
compensation
for Club visits

Zones 1 & 5

Have you served as a President or Secretary of a Club? Are you able to talk to people?
Can you communicate using email? Would you be willing to do a Zoom meeting
once a month? Are you willing to travel a bit & visit fellow Lions who live in your area?

We need your help!!!

Please get in touch for more information:

District Governor Page Newton – 403-376-0760 | LionPageNewton@gmail.com
1st Vice District Governor Elect Shelley Carroll – 306-421-0409 | ShelleyCarroll39@gmail.com

THANK YOU in advance for stepping up to serve in a leadership role!

Broadview & District Lions Club Find Final 2025 Chase the Ace Winner

Two winners named Ken took home cash on the evening of November 21st – the Broadview & District Lions Club's final Chase the Ace lottery draw of 2025.

The first ticket out of the drum belonged to Ken Keller, and he ended up winning \$339, the weekly pot, after choosing envelope 8 which contained the 9 of Diamonds.

The Club continued pulling tickets, looking for the Ace of Spades to be found by ticket holders. It wasn't until the 35th ticket that they got a winner; Ken Ecklund chose envelope 41 which contained the Ace of Spades! He won the Chase the Ace Jackpot totalling \$3,201.

LIONS
INTERNATIONAL

BROADVIEW & DISTRICT LIONS CLUB
54th Annual Weekly Lottery

NET PROCEEDS IN AID OF COMMUNITY PROJECTS

It's that time of year when our club gets busy selling our Annual Lottery tickets
TICKETS GO ON SALE NOVEMBER 1, 2025 AND END JANUARY 1, 2026
Weekly Draws are every Friday commencing January 2, 2026 and ending December 24, 2026

Draws will be made at 8am every Friday at
Holloway & Son Plumbing & Heating Ltd., 608 Main St., Broadview, SK

To purchase tickets contact Lion Dennis Edwards at 306-696-7773
OR
E-transfer your payment to broadviewlionsclub52@gmail.com

E-transfers must include mailing address and contact phone number
Payment must arrive before January 2, 2026 to ensure your ticket is entered for the first draw

THERE WILL BE A MAXIMUM OF 400 TICKETS SOLD

Through this lottery
we have awarded
\$519,400 in prizes

PRIZES	
48 draws of	\$100
1/4 year draw of	\$500
1/2 year draw of	\$1,000
3/4 year draw of	\$1,500
Final draw of	\$2,000

Tickets
\$52 each
(Each Ticket is Good For 52 Draws)

ALL WEEKLY WINNING TICKETS WILL BE RETURNED TO THE DRAW BARREL TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE REMAINING PRIZES

OUR CLUB SINCERELY APPRECIATES YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT
THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!

Get that special person in your life an awesome weekly gift and help support
Broadview & District Lions Club Community Projects

Annual Lottery
Jackpot Winner
A MAXIMUM
OF 400 TICKETS
AVAILABLE

PARTICIPANTS MUST BE 19 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER AND A RESIDENT OF SASKATCHEWAN
TICKETS MAY ONLY BE PURCHASED OR SOLD IN SASKATCHEWAN
SLGA License Number: RIR25-0324

Fort Qu'Appelle & District Lions Raise Funds & Donate



TOYS AND FOOD DONATIONS –

At the December 4th Christmas Party held by the Fort Qu'Appelle & District Lions Club, toys and food items were collected. The Club's 1VP Lion Alvin Matechuk dropped the items off, with plenty of time before Christmas.



CHOIR DONATION TO THE TUNE OF \$500 –

At the beginning of December, Fort Qu'Appelle Lions President Jerry Whiting presented a cheque in the amount of \$500 to Calling Lakes Community Choir Vice-President Darlene Clarke, and executive members Jean Ashcroft and Aileen May Lindsey.



SPAGHETTI NIGHT FUNDRAISER FUN –

The Fort Qu'Appelle & District Lions held a Spaghetti Night Fundraiser on November 17th in support of the Sunshine Learning Centre. There were 229 meals served and attendees had a blast!



You are invited by the Fort Qu'Appelle & District Lions Club

SENIOR'S CHRISTMAS SUPPER

Tuesday, December 16th, 2025
ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION

Reception 4:30pm Supper 5:00 pm Doors Open 4:00pm
To attend you must live alone, be 65+ and have a Fort Qu'Appelle address

Free Invitations to be picked up at Krause Care Pharmacy and Beaches Pet Store

(Note: If you live in a senior Building, there is a sign up sheet there. No need to pick up an invitation.)

Maryfield Lions News

Eye Glass Cases Wanted

Maryfield District Lions are doing a project that will reuse eyeglass cases by filling them with a variety of items that people need in day-to-day life. We have several ideas in mind but our first phase of the project will be kits that contain Dental Essentials – toothbrush, toothpaste, dental floss, dental picks, and tongue cleaners. These kits will then be given to those in need. The Maryfield Lions have partnered with the Moosomin Dental Centre to purchase the items needed.

If you have any eyeglass cases you no longer need/want, please drop them off in the eyeglass collection boxes at the clinic, Harmony Centre or Sunrise Villa or to Barb at 307 Barrows Street.

Lions Birthday Calendar

Maryfield District Lions will be canvassing to get orders for the 2026-27 birthday calendar. If you have had one in the past, a Lion will be reaching out to you to confirm your order. If you are new to the community or have never had a calendar, reach out to Rob Hill (306-646-7990) or Barb Swallow (306-646-7725) to get one ordered.



PASTA SUPPER PROCEEDS PRESENTED –

The Fort Qu'Appelle & District Lions presented a cheque for over \$1,700 to the Sunshine Learning Centre, thanks to the proceeds from the Club's Spaghetti Night Fundraiser.

Montmartre Lions Donate Towards Health Centre Outdoor Upgrade



\$7,600 was donated to the Montmartre Health Centre for their new patio awning, which will provide residents much-needed shade while enjoying time on the patio.



Gainsborough Lions host Annual Seniors' Supper



The end of November saw the Gainsborough and District Lions Club host their annual Seniors' Supper. The event has been a long-standing tradition for the Club and one of the nights that they look forward to each year. The Gainsborough Lions thank all who attended! It was a great evening full of delicious food, entertainment and fellowship!



Redvers & District Lions Club

TICKET OF THE MONTH
WINNERS

November 2025

\$100- ROB & LINDY YEO
\$700- HOLLY & GEORGE DAUVIN

We would like to thank everyone for their continued support. Money raised from this fundraiser gets donated back to organizations within the town of Redvers & surrounding communities

LIONS
FREE SWIM

SPONSORED BY LIONS CLUB

WIBIT INCLUDED

EVERY 1ST SATURDAY
OF THE MONTH
OCT 04, 2025 - APR 04, 2026
1:00PM - 5:00PM

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Esteron
Leisure Services

ESTEVAN LIONS CLUB

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Richmond Lions Club Ready for Festive Fun

Christmas Lights Contest 2025

The Richmond Lions are excited that it's once again time to light up their community and spread some Christmas cheer! No sign-up needed – residents are asked to decorate their home and have their lights on for judging. Judges will be touring the community and the surrounding area the week before Christmas. Make sure your display is glowing bright! There will be festive surprises and bragging rights for the top Christmas displays!

The Lions encourage folks to make Richmond and the whole community sparkle this holiday season! Share the fun and encourage your neighbours to join in!



A bit of a preview of some festive lights in Richmond, SK – including this farm's outdoor lights. The owner took this photo showcasing the Northern Lights above. WOW!

Christmas Supper 2025

The Richmond Lions are serving up turkey and ALL the trimmings on Sunday, December 14th from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. at Richmond Community Hall. Their Christmas Supper evening will also include a visit from Santa and some goodie bags! Everyone is welcome.

Advanced tickets prices: families – \$50, adults – \$25. Tickets at the door: families – \$60, adults – \$30. Children under 5 years of age are free, while those 12 and under are \$10.

To purchase your tickets ahead of time, contact Lion Debbie at 306-330-9446.

Eston 95 Lions' Drive-By Soup Sale



The Eston 95 Lions held a Drive-By Soup Sale on November 19th. Folks came out to pick up their lunch for a good cause, purchasing hamburger soup and corn chowder by the litre for \$15.

– ESTON 95 LIONS –

Christmas Ring RAFFLE 2025

This beauty could be yours!

Tickets are \$5 each.

Contact an
Eston 95 Lions member
today to get your tickets!

Join us for the

VAL MARIE LIONS Boxing Day DANCE

December | 26 | At 8:00 P.M.

Val Marie Community Hall
Friday, December 26th, 2025. Doors open at 8:00 P.M.
\$20.00 Admission
Midnight lunch will be served
Hit the floor this Boxing Day as Mark Flannigan keeps the party going with non-stop tunes!
Minors must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian
Let's Celebrate!

Join Donate

LEAVING A LION LEGACY

Greetings Lions!

Tis' the season for giving! Have you ever considered leaving a Lion legacy? There are many ways to make a lasting difference by including a gift to Lions of Canada Fund for Lions Clubs International Foundation in your estate plan.

In 1917, Melvin Jones realized his resources could offer tremendous hope. Yours can too! You could deliver kindness and compassion to those in great need for generations to come.

If this is something you would like to do or something you would like more information about, please contact:

Lions of Canada Fund for LCIF
c/o Peter Oswald
22 Dundana Avenue
Dundas, ON L9H 4E6 Canada
Email: legacy@lionsclubs.org

Wishing you the best of the holiday season –
thank you for your dedication to Lionism.

PDG Heather Vermeersch – LCIF Coordinator, 5SKS
Ph: 306-471-8215

Regina 35 Lions Club News

Annual Service Projects

The Regina 35 Lions are busy once again carrying out one of their annual service projects – participating in the Salvation Army Christmas Kettle program in Regina.

Our Lions are manning kettles in the Southland Mall, Canadian Tire South, and Northgate Mall. The two-hour shifts allow us to greet shoppers and make them aware of this very important Christmas tradition.

Regina 35 Lions Club – *WE SERVE!*



Regina Lions Clubs 74th Joint Sight Christmas Dinner

The Regina Lions’ 74th Joint Sight Christmas Dinner was held at the Hungarian Cultural Club on Wednesday, December 3rd, 2025. This is a joint effort annually sponsored and organized by the Regina Central Lions Club, Regina Lakeside Lions Club, and Regina 35 Lions Club.

This year’s event was organized by Regina Central Lions Club President PDG Lion Herb Harrison with assistance by Lion Debbi Ross of the Regina 35 Lions Club. Lion Doug Ross of the Regina 35 Lions Club was the evenings emcee for the event.

Representatives from the CNIB were also in attendance, as were the presidents of all three Regina Lions Clubs, and the President of the Canadian Council of the Blind – Regina Chapter.

A great meal and good fun were shared by all during the evening with a medley of Christmas carols sung by all attendees, lead by Lions Doug Ross, Barry Lyon, and Linda Ratzlaff.

Thanks to all who helped to organize this special event – *Merry Christmas to all!*



News from the Bethune Lions Club

On November 1st, the Bethune Lions Club held their Fall Cribbage Tournament with 22 teams participating.

Then on the 29th, the Club held their 43rd Annual Seniors’ Supper. Sixty seniors attended and enjoyed a lovely meal, along with music and fellowship.

The Bethune Lions have also been busy with donations; 100 pairs of socks were given to their local elementary school (Clive Draycott) for their Toasty Toes program, as well as a monetary donation to the school’s Community Council for their Breakfast program.

The Bethune Lions still hold their “Kiss the Queen” Lottery every Friday night at Willy’s Roadhouse Bar.

Most recently, Club members worked the monthly Bingo in Regina, where there were a total of 135 players with an average \$170 spent per person.

-submitted by
Lion Al Sullivan

Tugaske Lions Club – 3 Upcoming Events in 2026

TUGASKE LIONS CLUB ANNUAL CRIBBAGE TOURNAMENT




WHEN: TUESDAY NIGHT STARTING JANUARY 13th, 2026
WHERE: TUGASKE COMMUNITY CENTRE
TIME: 7:00PM
FINAL NIGHT: TUESDAY NIGHT FEBRUARY 17th, 2026
COST: \$25.00 per person

TO ENTER YOUR TEAM OR AS A SINGLE PLAYER CONTACT
SHANE BRYAN 306 796 7317

BAR OPEN 7:00pm-11:00pm
SNACKS AVAILABLE

Tugaske Lions Club Annual Snowmobile Derby
Saturday, January 31st, 2026
Tugaske Community Centre



RIDER HANDS \$25.00
NON-RIDER HANDS \$25.00
FIRST RIDER OUT 11:00am
LAST RIDER OUT 2:00pm

KITCHEN OPEN ALL DAY
SUPPER 5:00pm-7:00pm
BAR OPENS 2:00pm

HALFWAY POINT
SMOKIES & REFRESHMENTS
RAFFLE PRIZES

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT GEORGE 306 631 8316
TO DONATE A PRIZE, CONTACT ANY LIONS MEMBER

TUGASKE LIONS ANNUAL FISH FRY AND GOLDFISH RACES
SATURDAY, MARCH 14th, 2026
TUGASKE COMMUNITY CENTRE

TICKETS \$25.00
FISH, FRIES, SALAD



CHICKEN STRIPS AVAILABLE IN PLACE OF FISH

GOLDFISH RACES 7:00pm



Moose Mountain Lions Club Co-hosts ‘Happy Hour for Hunger’ Evening

The Moose Mountain Lions, along with the Kenosee Four Seasons Board, held a Happy Hour for Hunger evening at the end of November. All ages were welcome, and attendees were treated to a yummy taco bar, and excellent live music in exchange for the entrance fee (silver donation or food bank items).

The Lions thank all those in the generous community

of Kenosee Lake for making the event possible, and all who came out to the Happy Hour for Hunger evening, which had a great turnout.

It was a fun evening and everyone was so generous!

In the end, the Moose Mountain Lions Club was able to make a \$5,000 donation to the Carlyle & District Food Bank.

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Food Bank...”



White City Emerald Park & District (WCEP&D) Lions Club's

**INAUGURAL PAR 3,
18-HOLE, HOLE-IN-ONE Fundraising Tournament**

**THERE WILL BE
OVER \$750,000
IN PRIZES TO BE WON**

Saturday, July 18th, 2026
Aspen Links Golf Club ■ Emerald Park, SK

**Registration fee
for golfers – \$200**
*(includes golf, cart, an amazing meal
and a yet-to-be determined gift)*

Register –
Contact Lion Ken Morris,
Treasurer, WCEP&D Lions Club:
WCEPLionsTreasurer@gmail.com
*(Provide name or the names of your team of 4
and Ken will get back on how to e-transfer your fee)*

Hole Sponsorship / Tournament Information –
Contact Lion Steve Hordos, Tournament Chair:
steve@hordosinsurancebrokers.ca

**REGISTER
SOON!**
We expect
to be sold out
early!



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SHORTENED HOLES
Each hole will be shortened to 145 yards (men) and 135 yards (ladies), for the best opportunity to win.

HOLE-IN-ONE PRIZES
Each INITIAL Hole-In-One Winner receives \$21,000 (or sponsored item with same value) plus \$250 to spend in the Pro Shop.

THAT'S NOT ALL! If won, the \$21,000 prize is reinstated once, so a second Hole-In-One winner on the same hole can also win.

This is available on ALL 18 holes!

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AGAIN – THAT'S A TOTAL OF OVER \$750,000 AVAILABLE TO BE WON!

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HOLE-IN-ONE PRIZES
Prizes for Closest to the Pin (men's & ladies), and Longest Putt (men's & ladies).

HOLE-IN-ONE PRIZES
Longest Drive Contest (TBD) may also be held driving range – \$10 per player per shot entry fee, with 50% of collected monies to the winner.

PLUS MUCH, MUCH MORE!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS
Santa is visiting 5 SKS!



Glenavon Lions

12TH DEC.

Christmas Party

SLEIGH RIDES, SANTA & DANCE

- 6:30 - SLEIGH RIDES & HOT DOGS
- 8PM - SANTA ARRIVES
- 9PM - DANCE MINORS ALLOWED WITH A PARENT

Cash Bar / Midnight Luch
GLENAVON HALL

LIONS

Richmound Lions Community

Christmas Supper

Turkey and ALL the trimmings!
4:30 - 6:30pm
Sunday December 14th 2025

Advance Tickets:	At the Door:
Family \$50	Family \$60
Adults \$25	Adults \$30
Children under 12 - \$10 Under 5 FREE	

Santa & Goodie Bags
All Welcome

For advance tickets call Debbie
 306.330.9446

FORT QU'APPELLE SPARKLE TOUR 2025

Join the Fort Qu'Appelle Lions on December 18th at the Rec Centre for a reverse parade, as we tour up and down almost every street in town.

Decorate your vehicle and come have some fun!

The parade will be leaving at 7 PM sharp.

See you there!

MERRY CHRISTMAS

BURSTALL BORDERTOWN LIONS & BURSTALL LIONS

ANNUAL COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS SUPPER

Burstall and District Community Center
 Sunday December 14th
 Doors open @ 4:30 Supper served at 5:00

Santa may stop by????
50/50 Draw

To take part in the turkey feast and all the fun you MUST have a ticket!

RSVP no later than December 8th with your mailing address
 Valerie Kraft text 403 866 2148 or email valmur@sasktel.net
 Kym Nekurak text 306 301 1247 or email nekuraks@gmail.com

There will be a non-transferable ticket issued, with the ticket holders name on it.

No Ticket...No Admittance.
There is no charge for tickets.
You must have a mailbox in Burstall to qualify for a ticket.
 Any donations will be used by the Lions Clubs for the betterment of our community.
 No receipts will be issued.

SPONSORED BY THE WINDTHORST LIONS CLUB

Santa Day

DECEMBER 20 AT 2:00PM
Windthorst Community Arena

SLEIGH RIDES
SKATING
HOT DOGS & TREAT BAGS
HOT CHOCOLATE & MORE
SANTA ARRIVING AT 4:00!

JOIN US FOR AN EXCITING SERIES OF

DG Evenings & Zone Rallies

DATES & LOCATIONS

Zone 1: Jan. 19 – Gravelbourg

Zone 2: Jan. 22 – Leader

Zone 3: Jan. 20 – Sovereign

Zone 4: Jan. 21 – Piapot

Zone 5: Feb. 2 – Moose Jaw

Zone 6: Feb. 3 – TBD

Zone 7: Feb. 4 – TBD

Zone 8: Feb. 11 – Fort Qu'Appelle

Zone 9: Feb. 9 – Fillmore

Zone 10: Feb. 10 – Kipling

Don't Miss Out!

RSVP to your Zone Chair 1 week prior



In the new year, District 5SKS – with the help of our Zone Chairs – has decided to ramp up and combine our DG visits with our Zone Rallies.

This is an opportunity to “localize” our Lions gatherings. Here you can meet up with Lions in “your” neighbourhood, share ideas and have fun with a little training.

To accommodate busy schedules, we’ve moved away from weekends and will host these during the weeks.

A typical DG Evening & Zone Rally will look something like the following:

- 5:00 – 6:00.....Happy Hour and Mingle
- 6:00 – 6:05.....Welcome – Zone Chair
- 6:05 – 6:30.....Introductions & Club Success Stories – President
- 6:30 – 7:15.....Supper (\$10 per member)
- 7:15 – 8:00.....“Up Your Leadership Game” – Lion Brian Nekurak, GLT
- 8:00 – 8:30.....Keynote Address – Lion Page Newton, DG
- 8:30 – 8:45.....New Member Inductions
- 8:45 – 9:00.....Any additional items YOU want to discuss?

Please bring a food item for the local food bank.

Everyone welcome!

— NOTICES —

WE WILL Remember



RICHARD BARNSELEY

*Passed away
November 22, 2025*

Lion Richard was a member of the Balcarres and District Lions Club (5SKS) and a volunteer with the Katepwa and District Lions Club (5SKS).

VICTOR WICKSTROM

*Passed away
November 18, 2025*

Vic had been a member of the Tompkins Lions Club (5SKS).



GARY HAIGHT

*Passed away
October 23, 2025*

Gary had been a dedicated member of the Nipawin Lions Club (5SKS).

ROBERT JACKSON

Passed away November 14, 2025

Lion Robert was a member of the Cabri Lions Club, and proud to receive a Life Membership in 2022. Lion Robert had perfect attendance as long as he was able.



5SKN & 5SKS LIONS

MENTAL HEALTH IS IMPORTANT

If you or someone you know is in crisis and is in need of help, resources are available.

In case of an emergency, please call 911.

The following all offer ways for getting help:

- Canadian Association for Suicide Prevention
- Depression Hurts
- Kids Help Phone (1-800-668-6868)

For a directory of support services in your area, visit the

Canadian Association for Suicide Prevention



5SKN & 5SKS Lions Clubs who have
RECENTLY HAD A CLUB MEMBER PASS AWAY can **HONOUR THEM**
with inclusion in the monthly “We Will Remember” section.

Simply get in touch: LionsPrideSask@gmail.com



5SKN & 5SKS CLUB BIRTHDAYS



DECEMBER 2025

Meadow Lake Lions (5SKN).....62 years (Dec. 5)
 Middle Lake Lions (5SKN) 42 years (Dec. 6)
 Leader Lions (5SKS) 65 years (Dec. 7)
 Indian Head Lions (5SKS).....45 years (Dec. 10)
 Tisdale Lions (5SKN) 77 years (Dec. 11)
 Wiseton Lions (5SKS) 56 years (Dec. 11)
 Swift Current Lions (5SKS).....78 years (Dec. 12)

Dorintosh Lions (5SKN)..... 48 years (Dec. 13)
 Tompkins Lions (5SKS) 24 years (Dec. 13)
 Val Marie Lions (5SKS) 41 years (Dec. 14)
 Lacadena Lions (5SKS)..... 39 years (Dec. 26)
 Rhein Lions (5SKN)..... 68 years (Dec. 27)
 Bethune Lions (5SKS)..... 44 years (Dec. 29)
 Willowbrook Lions (5SKN)..... 39 years (Dec. 31)

JANUARY 2026

Meadow Lake Lions (5SKN).....63 years (Dec. 5)
 N. B'ford Bonaventure Lions (5SKN).... 32 years (Jan. 8)
 Cabri Lions (5SKS)..... 66 years (Jan. 21)
 Rosthern Lions (5SKN) 68 years (Jan. 22)
 Southey Lions (5SKN)..... 60 years (Jan. 26)

Pilot Butte Lions (5SKS) 40 years (Jan. 27)
 Regina Central Lions (5SKS) 96 years (Jan. 28)
 Climax Lions (5SKS) 50 years (Jan. 28)
 Churchbridge Lions (5SKN)..... 47 years (Jan. 31)



Lions Foundation of Canada Difference Campaign — DISTRICT CHALLENGE —

Lions Districts across Canada are challenged by *The Difference Campaign* (for a new dog guide facility) to achieve Gold, Silver, or Bronze status in percentage of Clubs donating \$250 or more to campaign.

SASKATCHEWAN STANDINGS ARE:

- District 5SKN = Bronze with 25/74 (46%) Clubs eligible (only 2!!! more for Silver status)
- District 5SKS = Bronze with 27/72 (38%) Clubs eligible (just 9 more for Silver status)

CANADA'S 29 DISTRICTS:

- Bronze: 14 Clubs; Silver: 7; Gold: 1.

Many Clubs have donated much more than \$250 but this challenge makes it easier for more Clubs to gain recognition for their Districts. Results will be permanently displayed at the new LFC Facility.

Please help spread the word; the dogs need us!

-PCC Gordon Ziegler,
 Saskatchewan Difference Committee Representative



PLEASE SEND IN YOUR SASKATCHEWAN LIONS FOUNDATION DONATIONS

TO:

Saskatchewan
Lions Foundation

Box 789
Wadena, SK
S0A 4J0



LIONS PROJECT MAPLE LEAF



Lions of Alberta Foundation is proud to announce "Lions Project Maple Leaf" (formerly known as Lions Project Pride). For acquiring Canada flags and certificates, the cost and procedure has not changed – Clubs can simply use the new order form, attach your cheque made payable to "Lions of Alberta Foundation", and mail to:

Lion Lynne Coulter,
11305-103 St.,
Grande Prairie, AB T8V 2Y6

Please discard or recycle
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- Lion Lynne Coulter, PCC

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E: Ldcgp@telusplanet.net



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SASKATCHEWAN DISTRICT CABINET COMMUNICATIONS SECRETARIES:

5SKN: Lion Shelley Tatro –
Email: shejen_62@hotmail.com

5SKS: Lion Ann Barnsley –
Email: katepwalionann@gmail.com

QUESTIONS?

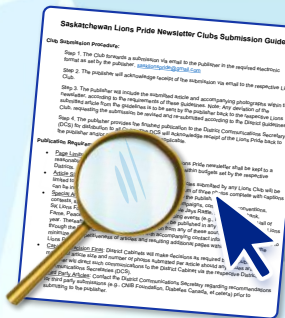
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you are submitting.

NOTE: the correct
email address is
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SUBMITTING TO THE LION'S PRIDE:

Please submit your 5SKN / 5SKS
Club news articles, photos,
upcoming event posters, past
event details, thank you notes,
or updates as soon as possible
to ensure they can be included
in the upcoming issue. You may
also REQUEST SPACE AHEAD
OF TIME to be held if you require
an extra day or two to get
information sent in.

*NOTE: please send your Lions news to your
Communications Secretary first if you feel
your submission may need approval.



NEXT SUBMISSION DEADLINE:

Monday,
JAN. 5TH,
2026

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HAPPY HOLIDAYS



CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations, Lions of 5SKN and 5SKS!
You have all accomplished so much over the past several months. Your service has been noticed, appreciated, and admired! A pat on the back is in order, and some rest during the Christmas season is well-deserved!



ALL THE BEST TO YOU!

From everyone behind the scenes of the *Lion's Pride*, we wish you all the best in 2026! Here's to many more great things to come!

Warmest wishes!
Teri Degenstien & Family