



## WE SERVE IN LION COUNTRY

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ZONE CHAIR LION DEBBIE BOSTOCK

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### ZC Debbie's Remarks

Thank You! My first Month as your Zone Chair is off to a terrific start. Even in these challenging times 3 of the 5 clubs in our zone were able to do some service in the community. 4 of the 5 got the MMR entered on MyLCI. Now that we are into the second month of what seems to be a continuation of restrictions and challenges, we can still make it work. We need to think outside the box and come up with innovative ways to still help in what ever way we can in our communities.

I do want to hold a Zone Meeting in September but at this moment I am not sure if it will be in person or via virtual meeting. If we hold a virtual meeting via Zoom or Go To, it could be in the evening of a week day or on the weekend. If you have a preference, please let me know. The Zone Meetings are for you, and I would like to have the first meeting be about Service, brainstorming ideas or if your club has held a successful service project we want to hear about it.

The first Cabinet Meeting is on **August 29<sup>th</sup>** virtually via Zoom. If you would like to 'sit in' I am sure we can get you the link up information, just drop me an email and I will see what I can do.

The USA/Canada Leadership Forum is going ahead virtually **September 25-27, 2020**. This is a great opportunity for you to attend. There is a registration fee of only \$20.00 U.S. You will have access to 19 educational seminars, be inspired by and motivated by the keynote speakers and get a sneak peek at next year's venue. Check the Forum's website, [www.lionsforum.org](http://www.lionsforum.org) for registration and more info.

The MD19 Annual Convention will also be held virtually, the dates to be confirmed. If you have never attended a Convention, this will be a unique way to see what happens at one. There will be panels for club officers as well as panels on various other topics. More info to come.

Your club should have received the semi annual dues statement from Lions Clubs International (LCI) as well as MD19. If you have not, please let me know as I have copies of MD19 dues and can get the LCI dues for you as well. These dues need to be paid asap.

The Peace Poster contest this year is *Peace Through Service*. Kits need to be ordered by October 1<sup>st</sup> from LCI. Due to the challenges we face this year, if you know a youth ages 11, 12 or 13 as of November 15<sup>th</sup>, consider having your club sponsor them in the contest. It is a great way for us to be involved in our young people. And through them, you may find a future Leo or even a parent who might become a Lion! You can find the full rules and further information on LCI's website [www.lionsclubs.org](http://www.lionsclubs.org)

There is another contest that I do not think clubs know about. It is the Lions at Work photo contest which replaces the environmental photo contest. The photo is from a single club of an activity showing Lions in action in either service or fundraising. I know some of you are active in both, so take a photo and submit it. Full rules and info can be found on the MD19 website click on Awards and scroll down to the appropriate item.

ZC Debbie

## Lions Quest

District Chair PDG Norma Bent would like to have a Lions Quest chair in each club, if your club has a chair please email the name to [bentnj41@shaw.ca](mailto:bentnj41@shaw.ca)

### VIRTUAL WORKSHOP IN ZONES D-10, D-8 AND D-3.

There is still time to register for the workshop to be held on August 20th 10 am. If you are interested, or no someone in the community who would like to attend, please let me know so we can contact you or individual with the information.

## Officer Training Opportunity

If you have not been able to attend any of the last 4 online training sessions, there is still time to take in a session. This is for all club officers and will be via Zoom.

Saturday September 12<sup>th</sup>, 2020 9:00 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Register by September 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020 by emailing your name, club, and position to PID Anne Smarsh [t.smarsh@att.net](mailto:t.smarsh@att.net) There will be pre assignments and the zoom link sent a few days prior.

There is a wealth of information to be found on LCI website as well as the MD19 website. If you have not checked them out, now is the perfect time to do so.

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If you have an event, project, function or program that you would like to promote, send it to me and I will put it in the bulletin. [debbie.bostock@gmail.com](mailto:debbie.bostock@gmail.com)

*You're in trouble at a football game if you think a quarterback is a refund!!*

### Websites:

- MD19 <https://lionsmd19.org>
- District D <https://e-district.org/sites/19d>
- LCI <https://lionsclubs.org>
- Border Crossing <https://lionsmd19.org/newsletters.php>

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## Kamloops Paddlewheelers Lions Club Service Project

The club was thinking what could they do for a service project during these different times. One of the members, Lion Angela, mentioned her experience she had noticed at some of the Senior Facilities in the City. She noticed that they did not have any I pads for the residents to use to keep in touch with their families. This leads to a tremendous sense of isolation. So Lion Angela and Lion Gerry checked out the homes and then priced I pads from different businesses in town. The result of this was the club purchased 5 I pads and a friend of Angela and Gerry's donated the money for a 6<sup>th</sup> one. These were delivered to the following Homes in Kamloops. If your club would like to do something like this make sure you contact the Activities Director in the various Residences.



Pine Grove - Lion Angela  
Wendy Romanowski



Gemstone – Lion Angela, Crystal Clark



Riverbend – Lion Angela, Anne LaFrance  
Lion Gerry



Ridgeview – Kiara Jenzen  
Lions Angela & Gerry



Hamlets – Lions Gerry & Angela  
Tammi North



Active Care – Lion Gerry, Andrea Holt  
Lion Angela