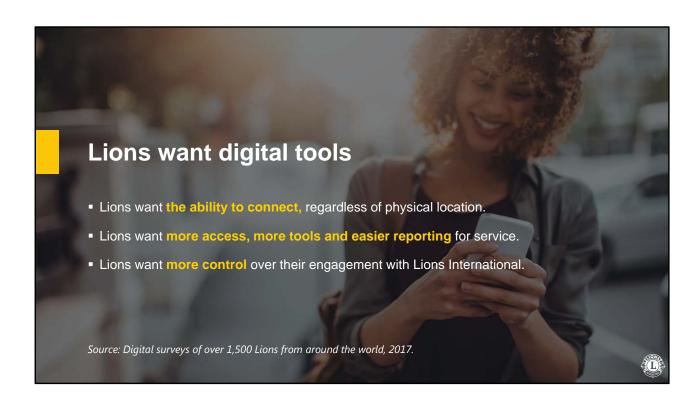


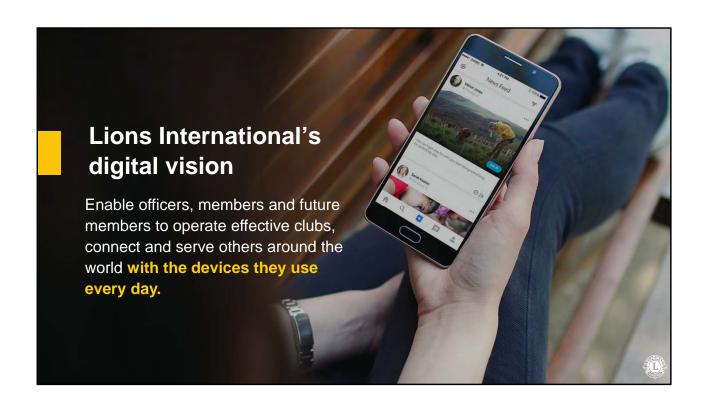


The world has gone digital. Almost 5 billion people have access to a digital device and that number continues to grow every day.

We look at our electronic devices 200 times a day, be it tweeting, logging into Facebook, searching Google, messaging one another, and so much more.

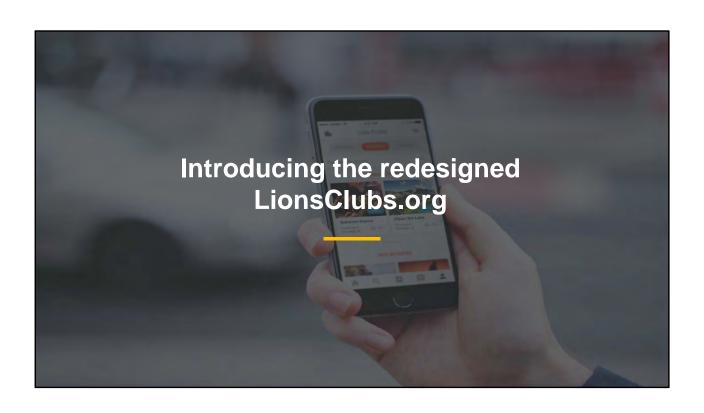
Digital tools are how we communicate with each other, manage our days, and participate in our local and global communities.





This feedback led to LCI's digital vision:

"Enable officers, members, and future members to operate effective clubs, connect and serve others around the world with the devices they use every day.



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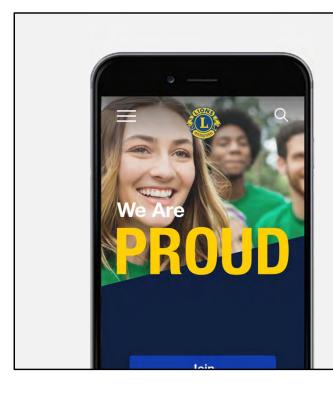
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- Enhance global service impact
- Increase member acquisition
- Increase LCIF fundraising

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The new website will adhere strictly to our strategic goals: Increase member retention, increase member acquisition, enhance our global service impact, and increase LCIF fundraising. The summarize the impact of this redesign in one sentence, "The new and improved website will reshape the public face of Lions and enhance the member experience."



Key milestones

- Oct 12, 2017: Discovery Phase Begins
- Jan 2: Design Phase Begins
- Jan 12: Platform Selection
- Feb 12-Apr 30: Content Development
- May 1-July 31: Page Production
- Aug-Sept: Quality Assurance
- Oct, 2018: Global Release

Here is a brief overview of our process and timeline.

In October 2017, Hero Digital kicked off the Discover phase, spending the next couple months meeting with LCI/LCIF staff and Lions focus groups from around the world. They even attended a few club meetings in their community! Their goal was to learn as much as possible about our needs, strategic objectives, and our audiences before they even began to design the website.

In January, we kicked off the design phase. Also in January, we selected the new platform that our website will be built upon. This platform will empower staff to build beautiful, multi-functional, even regionalized web pages with no development experience.

Between February and April, we met with every department in the building and actually wrote all of the content for the website. In May, June, and July, we were building out those web pages on our new platform. And in August-September, we are doing extensive testing of our website with staff and Lion audiences to catch bugs and make enhancements to the website before it launches. The new website will launch in mid-October!

A new direction

- The new website will be built around the concept of **Perpetual Action**—there is always something more to learn, discover, and do.
- The website will focus on telling the story of Lions and Leos, sharing our impact, and inspiring members and prospects to take action (join, donate, serve).
- LCI and LCIF will be integrated seamlessly throughout the site.
- Access to all member resources (PDFs, DOCs, PPTs, etc.) will be centralized in the Resource Center, a powerful search and discovery tool.

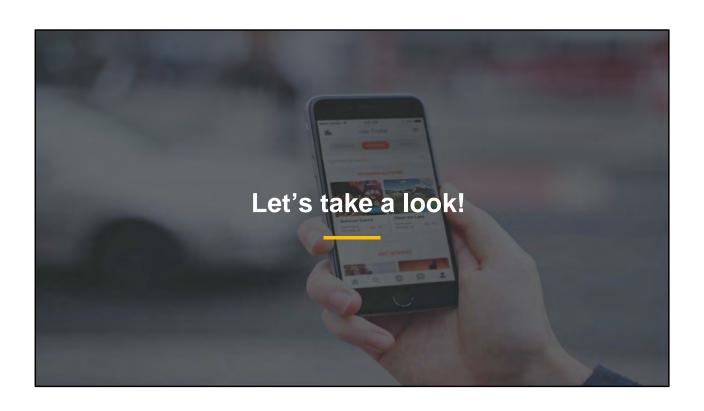
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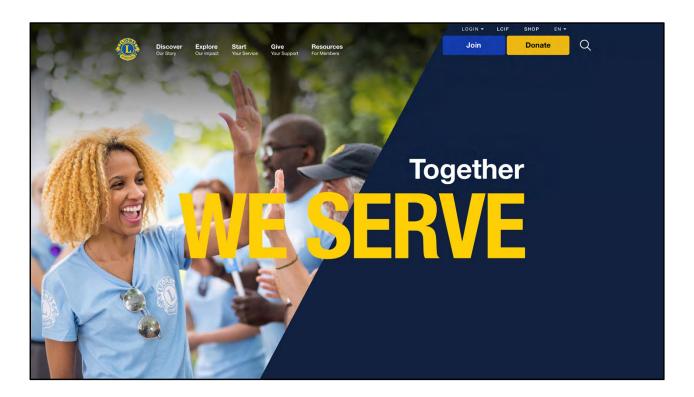
Before we show you a couple key pages, I'd like to cover some of the guiding principles we have followed while building this website.

This is a big change for us: LCI and LCIF will be integrated seamlessly throughout the site. Instead of having two, separate sites, the Foundation will be treated to equal billing as LCI by sharing the same website (lionsclubs.org). We will still own LCIF.org, and can use that URL for campaigns. The base URL will redirect to the LCIF landing page on lionsclubs.org.

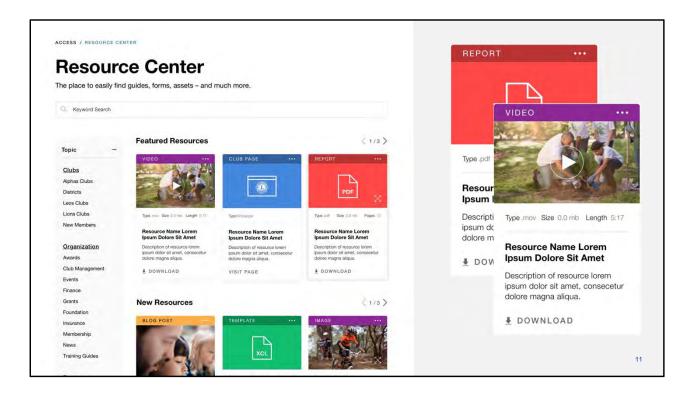
We built this website around the concept of Perpetual Action. The idea that there is always something more to learn, discover, and do. You will see that every page on the new website has many call-to-action (CTA) buttons guiding users to other areas of the site. Additionally, there are two CTA buttons (Join and Donate) that will stay at the top of the browser window as users scroll—no matter what page they are on.

Our website will do a better job of telling the stories of Lions, Leos, and their Foundation. We built a beautiful article template that we will fill with long-form editorial stories, complete with images and videos. We have also made it much easier for users to find resources on our website—this is the single most important challenge that Lions asked us to fix. Access to all member resources (PDFs, DOCs, PPTs, etc.) will be centralized in the Resource Center, a powerful search and discovery tool.

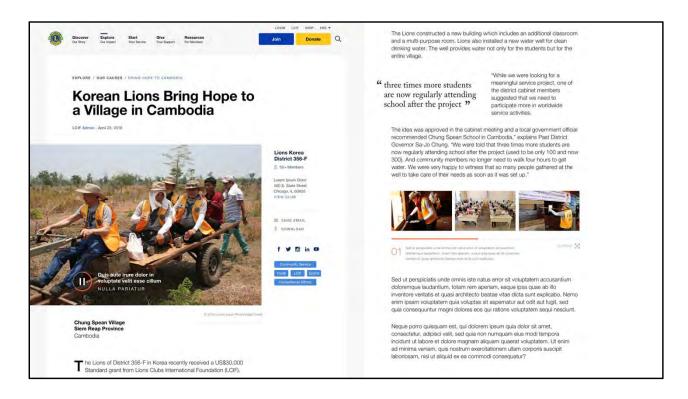




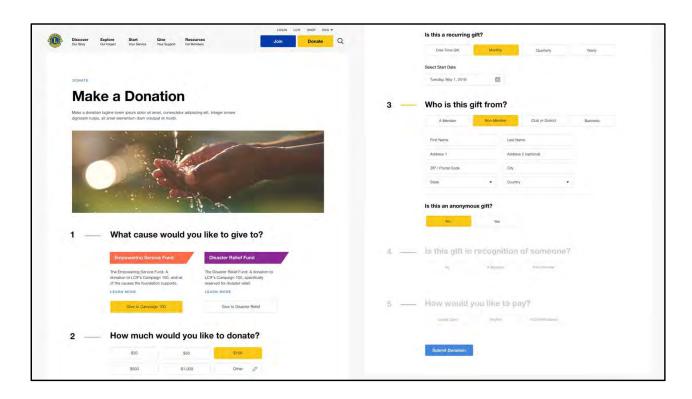
- Our new design is bold, energetic, and action-oriented.
- The first thing visitors will see is a bold brand statement: We are PROUD, We are LIONS, We SERVE.
- As you scroll, the focus shifts from member pride to our global impact.
- Two key calls-to-action—JOIN and DONATE—will always be situated in the upper right corner of the screen.



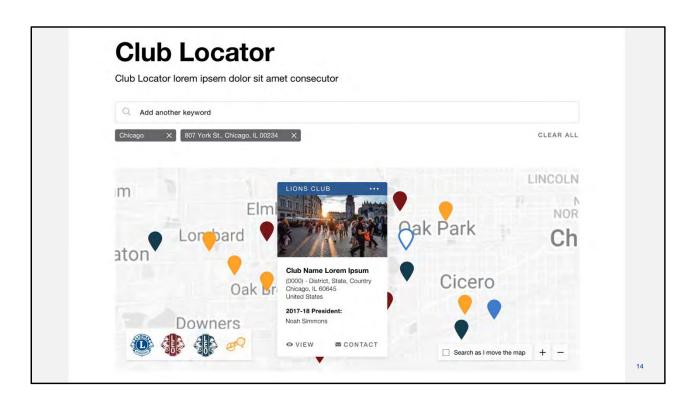
- The Resource Center is now the one-stop shop for all resources available to Lions: PDFs, DOCs, PPTs, videos, images, blog posts, and more!
- Unlike our current website's search function, the Resource Center will feature a smart search tool. Every resource will be tagged according to title, type, topic, etc.
- Don't know what you're looking for? Use the filters on the left side of the screen to explore by subject.
- All resources are displayed as cards—just like clubs in the club locator.
 Each card features a proper name, short description, image, file type, file size, and a download link.



Lions asked us to do a better job telling their stories. That's why we devoted an entire section of the site to sharing full-length, editorial-style articles, complete with full-screen videos and high resolution image carousels.



Now we're going to show you the new donations flow! If you've ever donated to LCIF by credit card online, you have probably encountered a frustrating experience. The current donation process is seven pages long and you have to enter the same information multiple times. We have simplified the donation process to one, streamlined page that makes giving to Campaign 100 easy and enjoyable.

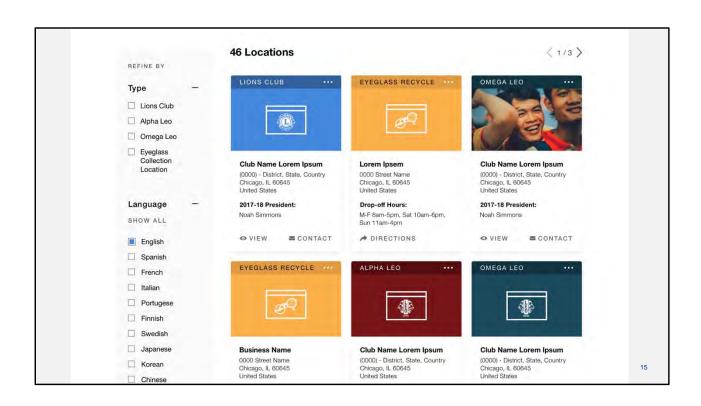


Another great feature of our new website is its club locator. Using the club locator you can:

- Search by club name, club type, and location (city, state, zip, country).
- Explore clubs with an interactive map that displays search results as pins

The club locator also connects to MyLion mobile and web (coming in October). Clubs using our new service platform will see the most benefit from this page!

 Club images, activities, and "About" section will all be sourced from MyLion.





So much more

We hope you enjoyed this sneak peek at our new website!

Other features include:

- Service Launchpad—an interactive questionnaire that matches users to newly designed Project Planners.
- Redesigned prospective member flow.

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If you have questions, concerns, or comments, contact your Global Action Team representatives or the Member Support Center. You can also join the conversation on the MyLion Support Forum on Facebook.

