

# Let's Embrace Change As We Serve

## District I Bulletin

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### DG MIKE'S MESSAGE

Hello District I Good bye District D and E. We had a good run but change has come. We have a new area and a new group of friends, however we will not change what we do. We will continue to serve our communities, Our Country and our world as we have since our clubs chartered and became part of Lions Clubs International. We will continue our long history of helping when disaster threatens or help is needed. LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL and LCIF have been there when that help was requested or as needed. Earthquakes in Turkey, fires in British Columbia and Washington State, floods, the many natural disasters, help for the displaced victims of violence and war, lions and LCIF are there for those impacted. Lions will continue doing what we do best. WE SERVE.

International president Dr Patti Hill's theme is CHANGING THE WORLD. Change doesn't happen all at once. It happens through many small choices. With every act of kindness, we change a life. With every Lions club and Leo club, we change a community. When we change our communities, we change the world.

### REACHING OUR FULL POTENTIAL

President Hill's programs and initiatives will focus on four key priorities for Lions International that are critical to our mission of service.

1. Creating a greener, cleaner environment
2. Sharing our stories with the world
3. Reaching our full potential as Lions and leaders
4. Supporting our global foundation, LCIF

### 1<sup>ST</sup> VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR JENNIFER EDGAR

Hello Lions! By the time this month's newsletter is sent out, LCI will have approved the newly merged district called '19-I'.

I wish to congratulate District Governor Michael Livingstone from Okanagan Falls Lions and Second vice District Governor Chuck Robinson from Lake Chelan Lions as they take over their new Leadership positions. And introduce myself to you – I am First vice District Governor Jennifer Edgar from Nelson Lions.

This year, DG Michael will have the help of 2<sup>nd</sup> VDG Chuck and myself with District Governor Visitations. DG Michael will visit Lions in the US and the East/West Kootenays. 2<sup>nd</sup> VDG Chuck will be visiting in the Okanagan and I look forward to visiting Lions from Kamloops to Prince George.

Our Lions depend upon Club Executives for Good Leadership, and this in turn creates Resilient Clubs.

For that reason, I encourage new and continuing officers to participate in the MD19 Officer training. Next sessions are Thursday, July 27 & Saturday, August 26. This training is well put together – it's informative – and FUN! Please follow the instructions below & get registered in advance. Thank you 🎉🎉

I hope you all enjoy a Wonderful Summer, and you manage some time with your friends and family at the Beach & the Great Outdoors!

All the best, 1<sup>st</sup> VDG Jennifer

Take a minute to review these events:

July 27 (THURSDAY): 2nd Club Office Training, ZOOM, 5:30-9:30 (Registration Required) **copy & paste the link below**

<https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZwsc-isqDloG9wqE9Cn9N7y0R-kUehCMjaW>

Aug 26 (Sat): 3rd & Final Club Officer Training, ZOOM, 9:00-1:00 (Registration Required) **Copy & paste the link below**

<https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZEIc2opz0sH9cNp6CdKBf4CNN-Hr6gbzhz>

August 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023 10 a.m. – 1<sup>st</sup> Cabinet Meeting in Penticton at Penticton Lions Den, Skaha Sunrise Centre, #134-2872 Skaha Lake Rd. & via zoom

September 21-23, 2023 - USA/Canada Leadership Forum, Reno, NV

October 13-15, 2023 - MD19 Annual Convention, Surrey, BC

April 26-27, 2024 – District 'I' Conference in Kelowna BC at the Ramada.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR CHUCK ROBINSON

I was born and raised in Washington State for most of my life. I lived in Idaho for 5 years. And spent 4 years in the US Navy. I served in Vietnam aboard USS Midway.

My wife Georgina and I were married in 1971. We Have 1 son and 1 daughter, 5 grandchildren 1 great grandchild. We owned and operated a NAPA Auto parts store for 21 years. We love camping in our RV. We also like to travel by car around our great country. I am looking forward to visiting with the clubs in the Okanogan this Lions year.

I became a lion in 1998 and have served in most of the offices of the Lake Chelan Lions club in our new numbered zone 7..

Our DG team is very excited to work with everyone in District I.

## SERVICE CHAIR PDG JOYCE STEVENS

I send summer greetings to all the District 19 I Lions. I am so excited to start our new Lions year as District 19 I, and now we have new Zone Designations. I will be serving as your District Service Chairperson, and in that role, I will assist clubs with both the reporting of the service that you complete, but also offer suggestions for adding new service projects that other clubs are already doing. Last spring I asked 19 D clubs to send me a description of a service project that their club embraces, and there were several great ones. I will summarize those that were sent and I will email that summary to each club sometime in August. In the meantime, it's not too late to share a project that your club is involved with. Send me your descriptions, along with a few photos, so Lions can see how the project unfolds. It is helpful to include how long it took to plan the project, how many Lions were involved with the planning, and with the actual doing the project. If it was also a fundraiser, include how much \$ was raised, and where the funds were donated. Some projects are only service oriented, some are only raising funds, but there are some that fit both categories, such as providing coffee to travelers at rest areas. The service of providing coffee to keep travelers alert but they often give an unsolicited donation for the coffee which becomes a fundraiser.

How many clubs are involved with some form of a 'community clean up'? This is good environmental service. Please report that service on MyLion.

If you have any questions about entering service on MyLion, PLEASE reach out to me. I am happy to coach anyone through the process, usually over a phone call.

Enjoy the rest of summer.

PDG Joyce Stevens, Leavenworth Lions Club

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## INTERESTING JULY FACT:

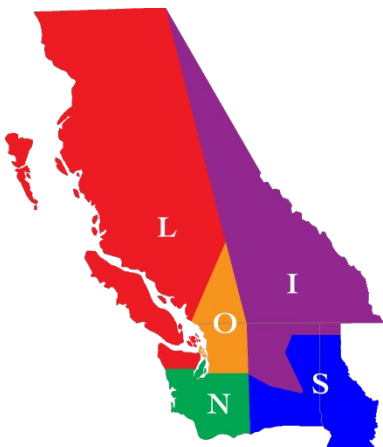


*The Romans originally referred to **July** as **Quintiles**, which was the month of the fifth season. It was the fifth month of the year until January and February were added in 450 BC. The Latin word for fifth gave it its name.*

*Later the name was changed to **Julius** in honor of **Julius Caesar**, the famous Roman general and politician. Caesar was born on **July 12th**, and the month was named in his honor after he became dictator of Rome in 47 BC*

### NEW ZONE NUMBERS

District I Zone #	Former Zone #	Club Names
I-1	E-10	Fairmont & District, Golden & District, Lake Windemere, Wasa
I-2	E-6	Elkford, Fernie, Sand Creek, Sparwood
I-3	E-4	Cranbrook, Creston, Kootenay Lake, Mark Creek
I-4	E-8	Kootenay Slocan, Nelson, Salmo, North Pend Oreille Valley (WA)
I-5	E-5	Beaver Valley, Northport (WA), Rossland
I-6	D-5	Ephrata, Mattawa Desert Aire, Moses Lake, Moses Lake Lioness Lions, Quincy Valley
I-7	D-2	Lake Chelan, Leavenworth, Mansfield, Tonasket Okanagon Valley, Waterville, Wenatchee Central, Wenatchee Valley
I-8	D-9	Penticton, Oliver, Okanagan Falls, Midway Greenwood Kettle River
I-9	D-7	Peachland, Kelowna Okanagan Mission, Westbank
I-10	D-1	Armstrong, Enderby, Lake Country Winfield, Lumby, Vernon
I-11	D-8	Chase, Sorrento, North Kamloops, Barriere, North Shuswap, Valemount
I-12	D-3	Logan Lake, Kamloops Brock Central, Kamloops Aberdeen, Kamloops Paddlewheelers, Ashcroft & District
I-13	D-10	100 Mile House, 108 Mile House, Forest Grove, Quesnel, Prince George, Williams Lake



Map of the NewMD19 Districts



# SYCAMORE STRING QUARTET

Playing a blend of classical musical selections from Franz Joseph Hayden to Imant Raminsh. The second half of the concert will include music from beloved and iconic movies of this past century.

PRESENTED BY  
North Shuswap Lions  
Celista Estate Winery  
Arts Immensus

**TICKETS**

**\$25** Adult Includes a glass of Celista Estate Winery wine and a chance to win a 4 pack selection of wine.

**\$15** Youth Includes a beverage.

TICKET SALES (Max 200)  
Celista Estate Winery  
The Hub  
Call Lions Marlene @ 250-955-0378  
Payment by e-transfer lionsclubns@gmail.com  
Any tickets available after August 31<sup>st</sup>, will be sold at the event for cash or credit card



CVETOZAR VUTEV  
SANDRA WILMOT  
ASHLEY KROECHER  
MARTIN KRATKY

## SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 3<sup>RD</sup> @ 2PM

Celista Estate Winery  
2319 Beguelin Road, Celista, BC

60 MINUTE PERFORMANCE  
WITH RECEPTION TO FOLLOW



MUSICIAN GOLD SPONSOR  
Scotch Creek Hub

MUSICIAN SPONSORS  
Advantage Gutters (2023) Inc.  
Anglemont Marina  
Anglemont Men's Golf Club  
Century 21 Lakeside  
CharlotteHall.ca  
L&S Garage  
Lakeside Technical Solutions Inc.  
Maxtech Industry  
PharmaChoice Pharmacy  
Red Truck Foods  
Ross Creek Country Store  
Service Master Kamloops  
Spooner Electric Ltd.

**BRING YOUR OWN LAWN CHAIR  
NOT SUITABLE FOR YOUNG CHILDREN**  
*In the event of inclement weather, the concert  
will be moved to Celista Community Hall*

ALL PROCEEDS GO TO SUPPORT  
North Shuswap Lions Youth Fund  
North Shuswap Community Hall  
Lakeview Community Centre

No one's going to give a damn in **July** if you lost a game in March. (Earl Weaver)

Hot **July** brings cooling showers, Apricots and gilly flowers. (Sara Coleridge)

## EYE GLASSES COLLECTION BOX

The pictures below are of an collection box made from an old mail box, the stand is separate so it is 2 pieces. This was located in one of the malls in Kamloops and it is no longer allowed there. If there is a club that would like to have this and has somewhere it can be put up it is yours for the asking. It is currently at PZC Myron Wizniak's home and he would like to see it back in use somewhere. You can contact Myron at 250 376 3251 or email him at [m-wizniak@shaw.ca](mailto:m-wizniak@shaw.ca)



*The sun looks out from her brazen tower, through the flashing bars of July. (Francis Thompson)*

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Canadian clubs mailing anything to MD19 Office please use following mailing address:  
Multiple District 19, Lions International, P.O. Box 1621, Aldergrove, BC V4W 2V1

**If you have anything you would like published in the District Governor's Bulletin, please have it to me by the 10<sup>th</sup> of the month. I will endeavor to have the bulletin out by the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month.**

**Thank you  
Debbie**