

THE HUNGER REPORT
For District I Cabinet Meeting
Friday, April 26th, Kelowna BC, Canada

To My Fellow Cabinet Members in District I,

DG Chuck Robinson has asked me to once again be Hunger Chair in the upcoming Lion's year. As I contemplate what might be an effective way to inform clubs and initiate action on the issue of hunger, I look back on this year, and what remains, wondering how efficiently clubs have met hunger in their communities.

First, a recap of what has been suggested for clubs:

- ❖ Food Club Initiative, information through LCI
- ❖ Hunger Grants, information through LCI
- ❖ Direct Food Service, information through LCI

- The message of hunger has been in our District I Bulletin (thanks Debbie!)
- Zone Chairs & Officers have been encouraged to forward info to clubs.
- The Leavenworth Lions Club has been an example of a successful food drive.

Communication remains the largest obstacle to knowing what clubs are doing as regards hunger programs. A shout out to the Lake Chelan Lions for participating in the Feed the Starving

Children program, which was shared at a Zone Meeting. The Leavenworth Lions are planning a food drive in May, chaired by a former grocer and not too active Lion, but with this project, we've got him hooked!!

As regards communication, I am going to ask our club administrator, PDG Joyce Stevens, to share with me any food related service activity that she sees being reported in the district. It's important to encourage our clubs in feeding the hungry.

I've enjoyed the role of Hunger Chair for District 1 and look forward to another year. Let no one go hungry.....We Serve!

Lion Dorothy Nilles, Hunger Chair for District 1