



**Celebrating the Fruits of Service in Wenatchee this weekend!**

Looking forward to seeing all the Lions from our District and our Multiple District at the **MD19 Annual Convention** this coming weekend in Wenatchee, Washington. We have **well over 100 years** of gathering for this convention, and this year we are delighted to welcome our incoming **Lions International President Mark Lyon** as our special guest.

Did you know our Multiple District has 473 Lions Club with over 9,000 Lions? Find out more about the history and the growth of our Multiple District by [clicking here](#).

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**Some quick stuff.....**

Please note the corrected date of the following Zoom training and information session:  
**Tuesday, May 19th at 7:00pm:**

**Accessibility: Foundations of Blind & Low Vision Friendly Virtual Event Design.**

**Amy Amantea, Associate Director, VocalEye**, is an accessibility educator and creative access strategist with over 15 years of experience advancing inclusion across the arts and cultural sector. She specializes in audio description, access design, and integrated

approaches that embed accessibility into the creative process from the outset. Explore how to design and host online events that are accessible and inclusive for people who are blind or low vision. Participants will **learn practical tools and techniques**, from clear verbal facilitation and visual description to accessible materials and platform settings, that can be implemented right away.

[Click here for the Zoom meeting training page and the link](#)

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### **We're Taking New Member Kits Out of the Box and Onto the Screen.**

Starting in July, your new members will get a great digital welcoming experience from Lions International, and you will have the opportunity to customize materials and order pins and certificates to create the perfect welcome to your club. That's cool!

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**Time Is Running Out**

Don't miss your chance to add to your LCIF presidential supporter pin collection with limited-edition International President A.P. Singh recognition.

**DONATE NOW**

LCIF Presidential Supporter A.P. SINGH

[Click here](#) to go to the Main donation page. Pins are awarded with a \$50, \$100 or \$200 donation.

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**LCIF is going to the dogs, and cats.....**

Stay tuned for some exciting and fun developments from LCIF with a brand new way to support our Foundation and recognize our other family members; our pets! The LCIF Board of Trustees is working on a plan where if you make a donation to LCIF you can designate your fur baby to be the recipient, and you'll receive a cute bandana for your pet. We are sure to see more on this soon!



**Events around our District this past week....**

On May 10, 2026, the first **Mother's Day Charity Arts Festival** was successfully held in Richmond, co-hosted by the **Richmond Lahoo Lions Club**, **Richmond Lahoo Leo Club**, and the North America Women's Federation, with support from Vichi Education.

The event brought together around 80 guests to celebrate Mother's Day through music and art while raising **CAD \$1,500** for the Lions Club **Hunger Relief Program**.



Welcome two new members to the **Fort Langley Lions Club!**

L-R: Lion Lynn Montgomery sponsored **Debbie Scott** and **Wendy Bowles** sponsored by her dad PDG John Bowles. DG September also presented PDG John with his 50 year Chevron that night!

The weather was lovely and the Lions were in full force as the **Surrey Central Lions Club** entered a float in the Cloverdale Parade on May 16<sup>th</sup>!

Parades are fun and a great way to increase your visibility in your community.



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Please support our MD19 CARE project if you haven't done so already. Make a donation, purchase a Gordon F. Smith Fellowship for a deserving club member; many ways to help, and it's so important. [Click here](#) to learn more about our current project. NOTE FOR CANADIAN CLUBS: When sending in your donations to CARE, use the Canadian mailing address for MD19. Send to PO Box 1621, Aldergrove, BC, V4W 2V1

Learn more about Camp Horizon, one of our longest running District projects. [Click here](#) to check it out!

Need some help with marketing? Have we got a resource for you! [Click here](#) to go straight to the Grow With Us page on our Multiple District 19 website. We are currently working with a Marketing Grant from LCI to help grow our clubs, and it's all available to you to use.

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# ≡Upcoming Events≡

Batter Up! Don't miss Lions Day in Seattle on July 4th

**4th of July**

- Mariners vs Blue Jays
- T-Mobile Park

Ticket includes official  
Mariners Lions Club Day t shirt  
& official Mariners bucket hat!  
(Mystery design)



**LIONS CLUB DAY**

Use the QR code to get your tickets!! Share with your friends, and have a great day at the ball park for what is sure to be an exciting match up between the Seattle Mariners and the Toronto Blue Jays!

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## 🐾 TAILTWISTING TIP OF THE WEEK 🐾

Don't underestimate what your members will do when you're planning some fun at your next meeting. Sometimes the simplest thing can create the most smiles. How about planning a Jeans and T-shirt night, and give cute prizes. These make great photo ops, too!



[Click here](#) for the MD19 May and June online training sessions, lots to choose, with **NEW** topics, and all on ZOOM!

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Have a wonderful week, Lions, go out and make it great!

Lions Clubs of District 190

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