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Crown Royal produced solely at Gimli Distillery will be featured at MidWinter Convention hospitality room PG 5



1200 batteries turn into donation dollars

courtesy of Anne Davison
Virden Empire Advance

Virden Lions Club members get satisfaction reclaiming environmentally hazardous discarded batteries, and turning them into dollars to donate to needy causes in the community.

About 15 Lions pitched in to parcel up nearly 1,200 batteries in cardboard containment, to make the second recycling

shipment this year.

The morning's work takes place on Garnet Goodridge's land near Virden. He is the Lions Club treasurer and an organizer of the drive, along with president of the Lions, John Carefoot, who is one of the major collectors.

At 50 battery packages, two levels deep per skid Goodridge says emphatically,

"We appreciate the use of Bruce Bailey's fork lift," he adds, "Valleyview Co-op loaned us the pallet jack for moving the packages in the trailer."

After the job is done Virginia Goodridge and Shirley Carefoot supplied the lunch for the hungry crew.

The semi load of batteries is hauled to Winnipeg where the lead, zinc and even the acid is

extracted for re-use.

The Lions pick-up provides a real service for the likes of farmers, and recycling them is an environmental must.

Ten used radiators also make up the load. Rich in valuable copper, these are more than just junk.

The Club has a fund account for the cash they make. They have donated tens of thousands

of dollars over the years to community needs and to cancer research.

Another act of compassion, Goodrich explains is a donation of \$500 from the Lions, to anyone unfortunate enough to have suffered destruction of home or property in a fire, such as the four-plex residents, recently burned out of their residences on Queen Street.

Manitoba Memorial Park for deceased Lions

The Manitoba Lions Memorial was officially opened on August 27, 2011 in Warren, Manitoba. All clubs and/or individuals are encouraged to purchase for \$100 a memorial plaque for deceased Lions. The following financial statement was submitted by the chairperson - Lion Craig Hughson, Warren Lions.

INCOME		
34 Memory Plaques purchased	\$3,400.00	\$3,400.00
EXPENSES		
Cost of Plaques	930.58	
Warren Lions Park (portion of 1st 10 plaques)	726.30	
Warren Lions Park (portion of remaining 24 plaques)	1,143.12	
Donation to Medical Assistance Fund	\$ 600.00	
		\$3,400.00



Message from Vice District Governor



VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR LLOYD MCCABE

It is my pleasure to introduce myself, VDG Lion Lloyd McCabe and my wife Lion Bev to Lions of 5M13.

We reside in Brandon and I have lived here since 1962 and we are both members of the Brandon Wheat City Lions Club. I have been a member since 1985 and Bev was first a Lioness and then became a Lion in 2011.

I have met many of you through opportunities presented while serving on the GLT team with PDG Cheryl McKittrick and Lion Margaret Martin. Our training sessions took us to Zone meetings in Austin, Morden, Birtle and Minnedosa. I also had the pleasure of attending

Zone meetings in Carberry with PDG Wayne Preston and in Virden with PDG Lion John Fehr. I was requested to speak to Rivers Lions and guests at a recognition dinner for community volunteers. Bev & I attended a meeting in Erickson and inducted new Lions, Bruce Aitken and Lloyd Babcock. Congratulations to them and to the Erickson Club. We also installed their new executive for 2012/2013. Their President, Lion Reg Nylen was presented with the Ben Ward Fellowship. Bev & I were also asked to attend the Keystone Lions Club windup which was held at Lion Carl and Kerri Wlock's place. There again a new Lion was inducted, Diane May. I also installed their new slate of Officers for 2012/2013. We also attend the CNIB picnic which the Keystone Lions Club sponsors on a yearly basis.

I will be chairing the Hearing Foundation - Canadian Division for one more year and look forward to working with new members from 5M10 (Lions Ivan Pollock & Peggy Michels) and from 5M11 (Lions John Sinclair and Tim Saunders). Lions don't forget to collect

those used hearing aids as we have been able to accommodate over a dozen citizens with new hearing aids through our recycle program with Horizon Hearing.

The new Lion Year got off to a great start as Bev & I attended a BBQ at Lion Frank Crew's place in Birtle along with DG Willie Brown. We look forward to attending other Club gatherings as the year progresses and learn about all the great projects each Club in our District have taken on. I attended a planning meeting with the GLT (Lions Cheryl McKittrick, Omer Champigny & Margaret Martin)/GMT (Lions Rick Plaisier, Lloyd McCabe & Bill McKittrick) teams in preparation for the coming year. The GLT/GMT teams then held a special training day on Aug 27 for the Zone Chairs.

I look forward to attending Wawanesa's 55th anniversary on Oct 11 as well attending Zone 7 meeting in Melita with Zone Chair Lion Cecile McMurray.

Once again Lion Bev and I wish to thank our sponsoring Club, the Brandon Wheat City Lions for their support and encouragement. We continue to be active with them in their many projects in their service to the community and I'm sure they will understand when we are away attending other functions in the District.

Lions Bev & Lloyd

WANTED: **YOU!!**

FOR: **AN UNBELIEVABLE OPPORTUNITY**

WHAT: **2013 MD5M Regional Lions Leadership Institute**

WHEN: **April 18-21, 2013**

WHERE: **Shooting Star Convention Center in Mahnomon, MN**

We are looking for Lions from the district to attend the 2013 MD5M Regional Lions Leadership Institute! Lions that are selected as participants in the Institute must be in good standing in a Lions Club and may not be a 1st Vice District Governor, District Governor, Past District Governor, International Director, or Past Int. Director.

The \$150 fee for the Leadership Institute includes the cost of materials, facility, staff, and three (3) meals. Room costs and additional meals are not included. However, a \$100 rebate from MD5M, through a grant from LCI, will be given to each participant that completes the program. Participants MUST be available to attend ALL sessions beginning on Thursday evening and ending Sunday afternoon.

(Contact DG Willie Brown about cost subsidy from the 5M13 district) Each district has the

opportunity to send six (6) participants; however, if other districts do not meet their allotment, your district may send additional Lions. The Institute will have a maximum of 72 participants.

Applications are available from your District Governor or on the MD5M Website and are due (without fees) by December 1, 2012. Your District Governor will then make the final participant selection.

Institute graduates from your district will tell you that the Regional Lions Leadership Institute is beneficial for you in every facet of your life and not just in your role as a Lion.

If you have questions concerning the Institute, please feel free to contact:

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That's when the little club that could,
the little club that would
and the little club that did
will be celebrating their 25th anniversary.

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of service*

Saturday, October 13, 2012

at SPRUCE WOOD COMMUNITY HALL
SPRUCEWOOD, MANITOBA

Meet and Greet, cocktails - 5:30
Roast Beef Supper - 6:30
Speeches and entertainment to follow.
Tickets: \$15.00 each **RSVP by October 7**

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D.G. Digest ...we are Roaring Along

DISTRICT GOVERNOR WILLIE BROWN



Hello fellow Lions... it has been a busy month to be a District Governor.

We did our first training sessions for Zone Chairs and I was very pleased to have most of our Zone Chairs able to attend. The ones who were unable to attend will receive the training package so they will not miss out on some important information distributed.

The first Cabinet Meeting was held on Aug 25th, and I would like to thank all the cabinet committee chairs for submitting their reports ahead of time to allow us to do the cabinet meeting in one day.

We had three delegations make presentations to us, CNIB, Lion Gunther Zienn and our very own Mid-Winter host committee. More info will follow in the future on items discussed. I do however wish to let you in on a secret, book early for the Mid-Winter as I know it will fill fast. The Lakeview Resort and Conference Centre where the Teulon Lions Club are hosting the Mid-Winter is a fantastic resort, and the prices that the committee have secured are VERY good ... and the entertainment second to none.

My travels this month took me to the USA / Canada Lions Leadership Forum which was held in Tampa Bay Florida.

It was the 36th Forum and I met many Lions and lots of old friends while attending. Lions Polly Voon, Patti Hill, Terry Graham, Doug Alexander, Phil Nathan, Dick Sawyer to name a few, asked that I pass along their best wishes to their friends in 5M13. The Seminars were varied and interesting and I would like to see more

from our district attend the forums as they are a great way to learn more about the impact Lions clubs have on their communities. I think I needed three or four heads for there were over 70 seminars over the three days. I also attended the Mid-West breakfast hosted by our multiple district and we had the pleasure of International President Wayne Madden attend who gave us a small pit stop update. Past International President Wing-Kum Tam and 1st Vice President Barry Palmer also attended.

I attended the Lions Eye Bank and the Lions Foundation of Manitoba and Northwest Ontario quarterly meeting and was quite amazed at the scope of work and just what is accomplished by our foundation. Discussion was held on the wait list for needs, and how this wait list may be shortened up.

The Medical Assistance Program is a well used program for the clubs from 5M13, there were two clubs applied for assistance and they were approved, but as a gentle reminder, this program is supported by fundraisers and

donations from Lions Clubs and they need your ongoing support to ensure needs are met. You will see elsewhere in the Manitoba Lion details on the Foundation.

I have been reviewing the reports given by our district clubs and I want to take my hat off to the Miami club for their fund-raising efforts for their community.

We need to concentrate on membership, but with most clubs just starting to meet, I would like clubs to remember this years theme "in a world of

service". So Club Presidents I ask that you consider doing a new service project or having some of your club members participate in the Reading Action Program as a way to raise the profile of your club. If we are seen in the community doing service and having fun it will encourage people to want to be with a fun crowd of Lions.

DG Willie Brown
"acta non verba"

Club Request for Governor's Visit

Club Name _____

Meeting Location: _____

Requested date of visitation in order of preference.

1st _____

2nd _____

Meeting Time: _____ Dinner meeting? _____

Will there be any other clubs visiting? _____. If so name them: _____

Will Governor be expected to speak? Yes ____ No ____

Will Governor be expected to install officers? Yes ____ No ____

If yes, please have information ready for the Governor, printed clearly.

Will Governor be expected to induct new members?

Yes ____ No ____ If yes, please have the LCI NEW MEMBER

KITS WITH PINS AND SIGNED CERTIFICATES READY.

Will Governor be expected to give out Awards? Yes ____ No ____

Name the Award (s) _____

If yes, please have the information prepared for the Governor prior to his arrival.

Please return this request form ASAP, so I can schedule my club visits. I will correspond to your club as to which date works well for me. Remember the earlier I receive your request, the easier it is for me to fulfill your first choice.

Please forward this form to
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Yours in Lionism,
District Governor, Willie Brown



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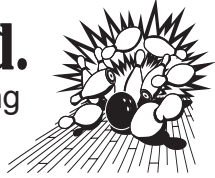
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CLUB ACTIVITY REPORT *Lions* in the community

Crystal City Lions

Donated \$25.00 to Western Blind Curling, \$225.00 cost of hall rental for the arena board steak fry.

Brandon Wheat City Lions

Harvested approx. 700 pumpkins for sale. Bagged donated load of potatoes, approx. 25,000 lbs, bagged and ready for sale. Started on Grey Cup Pool Raffle. Donated \$25.00 to Western Blind Curling.

Wawanesa Lions

Sponsored a blood donor clinic July 16th. Six Lions worked total of 25 hrs and provided snacks for the participants. Delivered Peace Poster information to local schools. Ongoing battery collection. Planning the Wawanesa Lions Club 55th anniversary for October 11th.

Warren & District Lions

Warren Park maintenance, routine maintenance of gardens and lawns. Food services for Vintage Train – BBQ for tourists. Supper of Univ. of Manitoba Agriculture students. Raised \$2,000.00. Donated \$100.00 to Lions Foundation of Canada. Assistance for local woman with head injuries - \$200.00

Roblin & District Lions

Working – Meals on Wheels – delivery of meals to seniors. Birthday party – members served birthday cake & ice cream to the residents of Crocus Court. Project Pride – flags and certificates were given to elementary students. Fundraising – participated in Tag Day, handed out info about the MAP program. Helped with traffic control and worked the booth at the annual Cavalcade for Diabetes. Took orders and delivered calendars upon arrival. Received a grant from the Youth in Philanthropy to help with the costs of purchasing a defibrillator for the Community Hall. Also rec'd a grant from the Roblin & District Community Foundation. Had a backyard year end windup. Members attended the annual BBQ in Birtle. Make and served pancakes to approx. 350 people at their annual pancake breakfast. Worked selling tickets at the Fair Dance. Put a float in the parade. Total raised: \$6,820.00. Donated to Roblin & District Chamber of Commerce, made donation to high school student to help with costs for her trip to Ottawa to attend Encounter Canada. Set aside bursary money.

Pipestone Lions

Worked weekly Bingos. Participating in Peace Poster program.

Warren Herizon District Lions

Gardening at Lions Memorial Park. Assisted Warren Lions at Prairie Dog food booth. Sold CNIB tickets. Catered dinner to "Fabulous 50s & 60s car rally. Raised \$700.00.

Elgin & Area Lions

Recycling

Austin & Area Lions

Donated \$500.00 to Normac Handi-Van. Donated \$100.00 to Austin

cemetery in memory of Albert Jaeger.

Birtle Lions Club

Project: Phase 2 Birtle Park flower garden. Worked weekly Bingos. Bamford Furniture move, helped move furniture from basement to garage. Raised \$100.00. Donated to Cycle of Hope Bike Ride - \$200.00 and donated \$250.00 to Lions Quest.

Oakville & Area Lions

Hall maintenance and Sports Park maintenance. Raised \$100.00. Built garden shed to be raffled off in October. Built shed for local resident.

Teulon & Area Lions

Planning 5M13 convention in Gimli in February 2013. Currently picking out new vests for the club.

Holland & Area Lioness

Lioness Annual Jamboree, fiddling contest and mini-mall in November. Donated total of \$950.00 to: Tiger Hills Art Gallery, Lions Newsletter, Western Canadian Matching Dog Guide program and to local resident

for medical expenses.

Holland & Area Lions

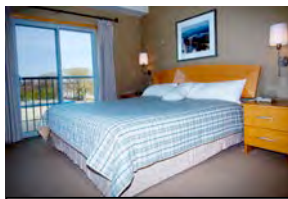
Donated \$100.00 for Lions Newsletter and \$500.00 towards MAP for Holland youth.

Minnedosa Lions

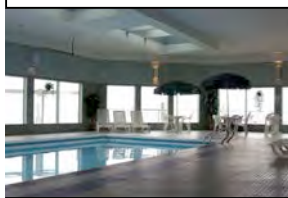
Donated a total of \$700.00 to St-Vincent youth camp and to Youth rugby. Collected eyeglasses.

Oak Lake & Area Lions

Operated campground from May long weekend to mid-September. Worked Oak Lake Fair food booth. Worked Oak Lake High School Rodeo food booth.



Guest Room



Swimming Pool



Conference Room



Dining Room



Town of Gimli



Greetings Fellow Lions,

I am very pleased you have marked your calendar for Feb. 22, 23 and 24, 2013 to attend the 5M13 Midwinter Convention. Many rooms have already been booked and to refresh your memory from the last article that appeared in the September issue with the registration form; 37 Double rooms have been reserved at \$89.00 plus appropriate tax, 29 Standard Suites have been reserved at \$109.00 and 9 Deluxe Suites at \$119.00. The suites have a bedroom and a hide a bed in the living room plus extras. These suites can be economical for two couples or family members sharing accommodations.

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Great entertainment has been arranged for Friday night to make it a very fun and enjoyable evening. We will provide this information in the next Manitoba Lion. We welcome you to the new Iceland.a

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3rd Tuesday
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2nd & 4th Mondays each Month -12 noon
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Community Hall
Pres: Edith Caldwell
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We Serve

Morden & District Lions Club
Meet at Morden Rec. Centre, Lions Room
1st and 3rd Mondays at 7:00 pm
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Secretary Neil Fraser
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4th Tuesday 7pm Supper Mtg
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OAK LAKE AND AREA LIONS CLUB
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MacGregor Lions Club
Regular meeting @ 7:30 on 2nd Tuesday
Supper meeting @ 6:30 on 4th Tuesday @ TBA
President - Luc Gamache
lucgamache2@mymts.net ph 204.685.2574



The Pas Northern Lites Lions
Supper meeting 1st Tuesday of the month
President: Sandra Andersen
204-623-3759 sanderse@mts.net

BRANDON LIONS CLUB
Supper Meeting at 6:30 p.m. - 2nd and 4th Thursday at the Lions Manor - in the Lions Den
Chartered in 1938
Secretary: Ben Ward 204-725-4422 ward1@mts.net

Erickson Lions Club
Meet 2nd & 4th Thursday
President: Arthur Platt



Melita & Area Lions Club
Meet 2nd and 4th Wednesday 7:30 p.m. at the Melita Legion Hall
Except supper meetings Oct. - March
SEC.: Eleanor Renwick
204-522-8686, ojemr@mts.net




PIERSON LIONS CLUB
Meet at Pierson Community Hall
1st and 3rd Wednesday @ 8pm
Sec. Angus Lee, 204-634-2243, anguslee@mts.net


BRANDON CROCUS LIONS CLUB
Over 20 Years of Service
Meeting - 2nd & 4th Tuesday of each month 6:30 pm at Lions Manor - in the Lions Den
Sec.: Wilma Pawluk • 204-571-0522 • pawluk@westman.wave.ca



Ethelbert Lions Club
Pres: Art Ainsworth Meet every 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month at 7:30 p.m. at Emergency Services Center Building
204-742-8841



Miami & Area Lions Clubz
Meet 1st and 3rd Monday 7:30 pm at R.M. of Thompson Office
President: Duncan Callum
204-435-2069 dcallum@cici.mb.ca




PIPESTONE LIONS CLUB
PRESIDENT - LION AUREL VODON
avranch@hotmail.com
Phone 204.748.6004
MEET EVERY 3RD WEDNESDAY




Keystone Lions Club
1st Tuesday - Supper Meeting
3rd Tuesday - Business Meeting
Lions Manor - 7:00 p.m. dial - 001
Pres. Ken Al-Molky
204-726-1991


Flin Flon Lions Club
President Roger Poirier
204-687-6717 poirier1@mts.net
Executive mtgs first Wednesday of the month
Dinner meetings 2nd & 4th Wednesday of the month
Green Room of the Flin Flon Community Centre



MINNEDOSA LIONS CLUB
Meets every 2nd & 4th Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.
Minnedosa Community Hall
PRES. Gareth Boys



Portage la Prairie Lions Club
Meets 1st and 3rd Thursday
Supper 6:30 pm at Lions Den
Pres. Dennis Dupont
204-857-9444
duserv@mts.net



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BRANDON Prairie Pride LIONS CLUB
1st & 3rd Fridays
Mum's Restaurant
(Wheat City Golf Course)
Pres. Brent Allum
204-761-0409
Brentallum@gmail.com

GILBERT PLAINS & DISTRICT LIONS CLUB
MEET 1ST AND 3RD MONDAYS AT 6:30 P.M.
at the EMS Building • Gilbert Plains, Manitoba R0L 0X0
President Lawrence Robak
204-548-4101

MINITONAS & DISTRICT LIONS CLUB
Box 490, Minitonas, MB R0L 1G0
Meet 1st and 3rd Wednesday
Pres. Lion Randy Colbert
Sec. Lion Brett Church
b_wchurch@hotmail.com




We Serve

LA PRAIRIE LIONESS CLUB
Portage La Prairie
Meet 2nd Thursday at 6:30 pm at Lion's Den - Supper meeting
Lions Manor 4th Thursday 7:30 pm
Betty King
PRESIDENT
204-857-8259
daking2@shaw.ca



Lions Club Directory

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Our District ... The World

PINE RIVER LIONS
Meet at
Pine River Community Center
1st Thursday 8pm

Pres. Garry Urbanowski 204-263-2101


Sinclair
& Area
Lions Club
Pres. Brad Henderson
ph: 204-877-3187
bhenderson327@yahoo.com
Supper meeting
4th Wednesday 7pm
Borderline Cafe

Virден Lions Club
Business Meeting 2nd Tuesday
Dinner Meeting 4th Tuesday
Bingo every Thursday \$1,000 guaranteed payout
Secretary: Ron De La Hey
204-748-3370, heyron@mts.net

Warren & District Lions Club
Meet 1st & 3rd Wednesday
at 7 pm at Firehall
Pres. Ray W. Walker
204-461-1896
rwwalker@mymts.net


RAPID CITY AND AREA LIONS CLUB
Box 53, Rapid City, MB R0K 1W0
Meetings - 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month
President Amber Brown
Secretary Pat Dixon
204-826-2488 opknox@hotmail.com


SOURIS LIONS CLUB
Meet 1st and 3rd Thursdays at 7:00 p.m.
Supper Meetings
Held at Chicken Chef
PRES.: Lorie Howe
204-483-2939 lhowe@wcgwave.ca

Meetings 1st and 3rd Wednesdays
7:00 pm Warren Fire Hall
Warren, Manitoba
Pres. Rosemary Dzus
204-322-5625
rosemary.dzus@gmail.com
WARREN HORIZON DISTRICT LIONS CLUB


The Lions Club of Wawanesa
Meets Second & Fourth Thursdays
at the Lions Club Room,
7:30 pm., 132-5th Street
Enjoy camping, swimming,
fishing at the Lions Park
President Jaye Smale
204-824-2722, rjsmale@explornet.com



Rivers & Area Lions Club
Meet 1st and 3rd Wednesday
President: Tanya Cameron
Secretary: Lawrence McFarlane


Sprucewoods & Area Lions Club
Meet at 7 p.m. every
2nd & 4th Wednesday
at the Sprucewood Community Hall
Woods Ave, Sprucewoods
Pres: Gerry Rubeniuk, 204-761-0027, rubenk@mymts.net



Waskada Lions Club
1st Thursday 7:30 pm
Waskada Genesis Inn
SECRETARY RONALD BERTHOLET
204-673-2541
borody@mymts.net
Come visit anytime.
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Winkler Lions Club
Meet at Smitty's Restaurant
4th Tuesday at 6:30 pm
Secretary: Lion Ray Downey
204-254-0107 • rmdowney@mymts.net

ROBLIN & DISTRICT LIONS CLUB
Meet 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 8:00 p.m.
Roblin Motor Inn - 236 Main St. NW, Roblin
Supper at 6:00 pm
Lion visitors are welcome.

Stonewall & District Lions Club
Meets 2nd & 4th Wednesday
at Stonewall Lions Manor
Dinner 6:30 pm • Meeting 7:30 pm
Pres: Richard Slatcher
204-467-8951
dickslatcher@hotmail.com


ROSSBURN LIONS CLUB
Meets 1st Thursday and
3rd Thursday of Month - Town Hall
President: Shirley Kalyniuk
204-859-2429 • shirkal@hotmail.com

STRATHCLAIR LIONESS CLUB
2nd Wednesday every month
Secretary: Mary McDonald
204-365-2659
mcduckg@gmail.com



Russell & Area Lions Club
VISITORS WELCOME
2nd and 4th Thursdays
6:30 Chicken Chef
Pres. Louise Dwankiw
204-773-2727, pewankiw@wificountry.ca


Strathclair Lions Club
3rd Wednesday @ 7:30 p.m.
Strathclair Municipal Hall
President: Lion Jim Wilson
204-365-2453 jw@mts.net


Sandy Lake Lions Club
Meet 1st and 3rd Tuesday
Supper on 3rd Tuesday
Visit our Lion's Campground
President Douglas Davies 204-585-2649
Sec Kathy Slashinsky kslashinsky@hotmail.com



Swan Lake Lions Club
Working hard for a
healthy neighbourhood
Meet 1st and 3rd Tuesday
each month at Fire Hall (5th St.)
Pres: Geraldine Campbell
204-836-2358 shirley_campbell@live.com


Shoal Lake Lions Club
Meet 2nd Wednesday of every month.
at Handi-Cats Cafe
Supper meeting at 7:00 pm
President: Trevor Hagyard
204-759-3094, tbah@mts.net


Swan River Lions Club
General Mtg every 2nd Monday @7:00pm
Supper Mtgs every 4th Monday @ 7:30pm
at Swan Valley Plaza, 217 6th Ave. South
President Rick Frazer, 204-734-4573, rfraser1@mts.net
www.swanriverlions.org


Snow Lake Lions Club
Meetings held second Tuesdays
at 7:00 p.m.
Basement of USWA building
President David Roberts
204-358-3864 • hill@mts.net

Teulon & Area Lions Club
Meet at the Lecnik House
2nd Wednesdays at 7 pm
Pres. Lory M. Wolk
204-886-3882
lwolk@mymts.net


SOMERSET LIONS CLUB
Meet 1st and 3rd Monday at 8:30 pm
Secretary Wes Friesen
204-744-2109 friesenw@hotmail.com


The Lions Club of Thompson
Welcome Fellow Lions and visitors to our City
During your stay, please join us at the Lions Centre
and share our bi-weekly supper meeting the
1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month from Sept-June at 6:30 pm
Club House: 509 Station Rd.
Pres.: Larry Galick, 204-677-3379, lgalick@mts.net




LION'S 5M-13

MIDWINTER CONVENTION

REGISTRATION FORM

February 22-23-24, 2013

Gimli, Manitoba

at the **Lakeview Resort and Conference Centre**
10th Street, Gimli, Manitoba
HOSTED BY TEULON AND AREA LIONS CLUB

PLEASE PRINT NAMES CLEARLY TO AVOID SPELLING ERRORS

(1) Name: _____
 Lion Lioness Leo Guest: _____
 Club: _____
 Address: _____
 Phone: _____ email: _____
 Special / Dietary Needs _____
 Check if this is your first mi-winter convention
 Registrant #1 Before February 1, 2012 After February 1, 2013
 Full Convention \$110.00 Cdn \$120.00 Cd
 Banquet Only \$50.00 Cdn \$60.00 Cd

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Forward registration forms with cheque/money order in Canadian Funds, payable to:
Teulon Lions - District Convention, c/o Lion Steven Shinnie
Box 149, Teulon, MB, R0C 3B0 Phone: (204) 886-4657

Refunds will be subject to a \$20.00 administration fee.. No refunds will be given after February 1, 2013

HOTEL RESERVATIONS
Please make your own reservations by calling the
Lakeview Resort and Conference Centre, toll free at 1-877-355-3500.
Convention Rate is \$89.00 per night for a Double Room, \$109.00 per night for a Suite,
or \$119.00 per night for a Deluxe Suite.
Ask for the Lions Midwinter Convention Rate. Rooms are blocked until January 25, 2013.
The Lakeview Resort and Conference Centre is a smoke free facility.



DISTRICT 5M-13

ManitobaLion



How best to send The Lion newspaper to members?

The 5M13 Manitoba Lion newspaper is beginning its 27th year of publication. In our planning, we are looking for ways to produce and distribute the "Manitoba Lion Newspaper" in a cost efficient and effective manner.

We want to reach all of our clubs and members on a regular basis and this is where we need your help.

Each of the 10 issues for the year cost \$1200.00 to produce and mail to all of our clubs. Revenue generated from the club directory ads (\$100.00/year/club) and business advertisements totals \$8,800.00 for the year.

We have three options to either reduce costs or generate more revenue, but would like to hear from Lions Clubs for their input as to what they feel would serve their members the best.

Please give us direction how your club and members would best like to receive and distribute the 5M13 Manitoba Lion. Any comments and suggestions will be most appreciated. If each club and / or member would contact Editor Lion Bill McKitrick in the next few weeks, it would be most appreciated.

Option One: To continue with the same format we would need to increase revenue OR reduce costs or a combination of both. If we increase the costs of the club directory and business advertisements from \$100.00 to \$150.00/year we would have enough revenue to continue printing the Manitoba Lion and distributing copies to clubs for their members.

Option two: We could reduce the number of papers that are mailed to each club to only 2 or 3 per issue. We could also send each issue electronically and have a club member print copies for the rest of the club members as required. This could be done without an increase in advertisement prices.

Option three: Could be to produce an electronic paper only, that would be available for everyone to access on their computer via the 5M13 e-district clubhouse website. This would reduce the mailing and printing costs to the district substantially and might result in a reduction in the advertising costs to approximately \$50.00 per year. The draw back would be that a club member would have to print copies for their members who do not have access to the internet.

Send comments to
Box 340, Crystal City, MB R0K 0N0
Ph 204-873-2091 Cell 204-325-2455
or email: 5M13@inetlink.ca

Thank you to those who have already replied.

to view a digital version of The Manitoba Lion go to
www.e-district.org/sites/5m13

An electronic version will also be emailed to your club secretary or president to be forwarded to club members.

Happy Reading