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Connect with your community and build your Lion legacy by planning a Centennial Community Legacy Project during our Centennial Celebration. Legacy Projects are visible gifts to your community that commemorate our Centennial and create a lasting legacy of your service contributions.



Your Legacy Project will serve as a reminder of just how important your club is to the community during the Centennial and beyond. All Lions clubs around the world are encouraged to complete a Legacy Project by June 30, 2018, so start planning yours today!

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Visit Lions100.org to learn more.

Lions Leadership Training

Want to get your Lions Executive year off to a great start? Join the Global Leadership Team in Austin to learn about your role as a President, Club Secretary or Treasurer.

We encourage all new and returning officers to attend. LCI is changing rapidly, so you need to learn new things every year to keep current, especially Secretary's.

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ON SUNDAY MAY 29 Binscarth Lions	Binscarth	1:00 pm	2:00 pm	Binscarth Curling Club	Helen McKay	204-534-2091	birch@mymts.net
Birtle Lions	Birtle	12:00 pm	1:00 pm	Birtle Riverside Park	Ruth Thomas	204-683-2574	ruththom@hotmail.ca
Brandon Lions Club	Brandon	9:00 am	10:00 am	Lions Park 2720 Park Ave	Kelly Semenko	204-573-3662	kellysemenko@gmail.com
Crystal City Lions Club	Crystal City	12:30 pm	1:00 pm	Crystal City Park	Cheryl McKitrick	204-873-2091	cemckit@gmail.com
Shoal Lake Lions Club	Shoal Lake	1:00 pm	2:00 pm	Drop In Centre	Rosana Neufeld	204-759-2671	mini@mts.net
Wawanesa Lions Club	Wawanesa	1:00 pm	2:00 pm	Wawanesa Lions Clubhouse	Margaret Martin	204-824-2457	dmmart@mymts.net
ON SATURDAY MAY 28 Portage, Oakville & MacGregor	Portage	9:00 am	10:00 am	Lion's Den, Island Park	Wilf Schellenberg	204-857-4309	wasdmd@mymts.net
ON SUNDAY MAY 8 Minnedosa Lions Club	Minnedosa	9:00 am	10:00 am	Minnedosa Conf. Centre	Donna Illebrun	204-867-0893	meridawn@mymts.net

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GRASSROOTS MUSINGS

LION GORD KINGDON, 1ST VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR

Hello fellow Lions, I hope you are making your day a great one!

Lion Wanda and I are returning from a very enlightening, fun and recharging weekend at the Multiple District Mid Winter Convention held in Mankato, Minnesota. Next year I hope that you will consider attending the MD convention in Bemidji, Minnesota. It will be a great event and a real good chance to meet more Lions and get to hear about the exciting

news on research and developments in the areas of diabetes, vision and hearing. The Lions support and work with these doctors. They are seeing some really exciting results. I would try to explain it here but I cannot do it justice. Why don't you come and see for yourself?

So I guess that is my segway into what I wanted to encourage you all to consider when developing your centennial projects, developing your plans for your next community project or your next Lions club meeting. Teamwork is essential along with developing a goal and setting an action plan. We all do it to some extent every single day whether we know it or not, most of the time it is automatic. You get up in the morning, all bright eyed and bushy tailed, and that's when it starts - the planning along with teamwork - how are you to spend your day and who are you going to contact or talk to about getting your plan for the day carried out.

We can do the same thing in our club and if you are going to strengthen

your club it must have a plan for where it is going to go, not only for this year but what about next years plans. I can hear you saying I'm not finished this year and you are thinking about next year! Well yeah I am, but what I am asking you to think about is

that we all need to think ahead, sometimes a little farther than the next day or the next meeting. Just keep the little plan in the back of your mind, let that little idea stew for a while, grow and develop and then talk it over with a friend, a club member or the club and let them help to brainstorm and put some more meat on it. Then you will have developed that new idea into a workable plan through teamwork and planning.

I was just thinking about this last trip we made to the Council of Governors meeting and how it is a time of mixed emotions. Perhaps it is with a little sadness that this is the last time that this set of governors will meet, in an official capacity, as a group. I salute you, the 2015 -2016 governors, for the job you have done. But it is an exciting time for Lion Wanda and I, as we begin to realize how close we are to taking up the responsibilities of the office and all the planning that we still have to do! Maybe it is panic that we are feeling, I'm not sure,

again for all you do.

At the MD convention a memorial service was held for the Lions that are no longer in this world and it was amazing when you think about how much service had been done by these Lions in their lifetime. I would like to pay tribute to all

> of our Lions that are unable to contribute their time, effort, and energy because of illness, mobility or sadly their passing. Let us not forget them, pay them the respect they deserve and include them in our thoughts and prayers. I have spent this last weekend re-

membering a very active Lion that I have gotten to know very well in the last couple of years. Her energy and passion for her family, community and the Lions club was such an inspiration. I along with many others will greatly miss Lion Wendy Wochyshyn of Rossburn. May you rest in peace, Lion Wendy.

Let's work together and move forward and make this next year the best one yet. I'm up for it. Are you?



Red Cap Award

PDG Cheryl McKitrick receiving the Red Cap Award from Past International President Joe Preston. He presented the award on behalf of the MD5M Past District Governors Association during the Multiple District Mid Winter Convention held in Mankato, Minnesota April 23 to 24. Each year the PDG Association can present two awards. Also receiving the award was Past International Director Brian Sheehan who recently made a visit to the area giving some inspiring membership presentations.

Centennial Celebration Let's work together and move

forward and make this next year the best one yet. I'm up for it. Are you?

> but we are really looking forward to working with the cabinet and all the clubs and the he most important part of the whole operation, the members.

Don't minimize your contributions to your Lions club. Your time, effort, energy and planning is the foundation upon which everything else is built, your club, your projects and all the people that you help, all depend on your contributions. So Thank You



A GREAT WEEKEND OF LIONISM

The 2016-17 Lions Convention will be held this fall November 4 to 6, 2016 in Brandon.

Hosted by Minnedosa Lions Club

Resolution passed by the delegates of the 2016 convention to have the 5M13 Annual Convention in either of the months of November, December, January or February.

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Peace, hope, determination, teamwork UNITING PEOPLE THROUGH SERVICE

Spring is here. Along with spring comes the opportunity to start new projects.

April was designated in the Global Service Action Campaign as the month for 'Protecting our Environment'. Let's join Lions around the world and organize projects in this spring that will make a difference and raise awareness about environmental issues. April 22nd was recognized as

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Earth Day. Many clubs already have environmental activities such as planting trees, roadside or playground clean-up and recycling. Let's keep up the good work. This is part of the Centennial Service Challenge.

Remember to report all your service activities through MyLCI's Online Service Activity Report. Many of our clubs are still not reporting. Check with your club's President and Secretary to ensure all service activities have been reported. If this is something the secretaries do not wish to do there may be someone who would love to complete the reports. Arrange for these Lions in your club to file the reports.

Our membership at the first part of March was 1188. During the year we have added 60 new members. Congratulationa! However the other side of this is that during the same time period we lost 69 members. As Dr. Yamada says, "The key to long term membership is keeping members happy." We became Lions in order to Serve. Clubs need to give all the members the opportunity to lead and

Spring is also the time for our club officer elections. The officer forms (PU101) need to be in to LCI by May 15. If you don't get your information in on time you may not be listed

share their ideas.

DISTRICT GOVERNOR LOUISE KERNESTED



ı DG Louise's Schedule

May 3rd Dauphin
May 16th Oak Lake
May 17th Austin

in the directory. This makes it more difficult to contact you and could result in your missing some important information or invitations to fun activities.



Club secretaries:

...please start to complete your club activities, and if you are already entering all your club activities and donations, please continue to do so

It is your work that is making the pendulum move.

LCI has almost met their goal of 100 million people served in the world! By 2017, we will have far exceeded this goal..

Awesome work Lions!

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5M13 Lions Club Directory



Austin & Area Lions Club

HOME OF THE AUSTIN THRESERMAN'S REUNION Supper meeting 3rd Tuesday at 6:30pm Pres. Don Makinson dmak@mymts.net 204-637-2533 S: Marie McKean marie.mckean@yahoo.com 573-1853

Binscarth Lions Club

VISIT BINSCARTH LIONS ON FACEBOOK Meet every 2nd & 4th Wed., Drop In Centre @ 7pm Pres . Bill Thompson, edthomps@mts.net 204-532-2307 Sec. Jean Thompson, jeanthompson44@gmail.com

Birtle & District Lions Club

MEETS 3RD TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH Birtle Drop In Centre @ 6:45pm P: Dwayne Moncur d.moncur@twinvalleycoop.ca S: Debbie Jensen 204-842-5207 debjensen@mts.net

Boissevain Lions Club

INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY IN BLOOM WINNER Meets 2nd Thurs. & 4th Thurs at 6:30 pm Pres. Ken Sanderson, 204-534-6777 Sec Larry Rainnie 204-534-6238 rainnie@mts.net

Bowsman & District Lion Club

MEETS 1ST & 3RD THURS OF EACH MONTH Bowsman Curling Rink @ 7pm (excluding summer) Pres. David Mullin, jdmullin@hotmail.com 204-734-5158 Sec Russ Grundy, russell3165@gmail.com 204-238-4627

Brandon Lions Club

CHARTERED IN 1938 (Combined Brandon / Crocus / Keystone Lions Clubs) Visit 1st & 3rd Tuesday, 6:30pm, Lions Manor Pres. Barb Hurd, manyhats@mymts.net 204-571-0620 Sec. Garry Lowdon garry@wcgwave.ca 726-1564

Brandon Prairie Pride Lions

JOIN US @ TRAILS WEST INN, 210-18 ST, N 1st & 3rd Fridays at 7:15 am - breakfast meeting Pres. BJ Hersak, bhersak@mts.net 204-570-1336 Sec Jill Hannah-Kayes cjhannah@mymts.net 725-4994

Brandon University Lions Campus Club Branch

CONTACT PRESIDENT FOR MEETING INFO AT President: Ashlyn Pearce, BdnUniLions@gmail.com

Brandon Wheat City Lions PLEASE COME PAY US A VISITATION

Noon meetings 2nd & 4th Monday. Victoria Inn Brandon Pres. Stewart Havter, 204-725-4924 Sec. Wendy McMillan wendymc@wcgwave.ca 717-0568

Crystal City Lions Club

COME JOIN US

Meet 3rd Thursday of month excluding July & August Pres. David Mutch, debdave@inethome.ca 204-873-2220 Sec. Kristal McKltrick-Bazin kbazin@mymts.net 873-2225

Dauphin Lions Club

JOIN US AT THUNDER'S COUNTRY RESTAURANT Supper meetings 1st & 3rd Tuesday @ 6:30pm Pres. Ted Wojtowicz wojo@mymts.net 204-638-9016 S: Dean Lounsbury deanlounsbury@hotmail.com

Elgin & Area Lions Club

THE RECYCLING CLUB - SMALL CLUB BIG HEART Meet 7:30pm 3rd Wed. at Lions Homes P: Connie Cameron cameronx2@mynetset.ca 769-2165 Sec. Cecile McMurray camcm@mymts.net 204-769-2152

Elphinstone Lions Club

GATEWAY TO BUFFALO PARK Meet 1st Tues. @ 7:00pm in the Lions Den Pres. Dennis Rogasky, rogasky@inethome.ca 625-5223 Sec. Lee-Ann Syganiec, lsyganiec@gmail.com 625-2846

Erickson Lions Club

'THE LAND OF THE VIKINGS" Meet 2nd & 4th Thursday of the month Pres. Bob Cuddington, bobo@prairie.ca 204-848-2575 S: Dave Walker carol.dave.walker@gmail.com 636-7803

Ethelbert Lions Club

COME JOIN US EVERY 2ND & 4TH MONDAY 7:30 pm at the Emergency Services Center Building Pres. Art Ainsworth 204-742-8841 Sec Rhonda Fillion r.fillion@hotmail.com 204-742-3312

Flin Flon Lions Club

HOME OF "FLINTY'S BOARDWALK" Meetings 2nd & 4th Wednesday at Victoria Inn Pres. Andy Stewart, isa 2 and@hotmail.com 687-5569 Sec Isabel Stewart isa_2_and@hotmail.com

Gilbert Plains Lions Club

"HEART OF THE PARKLAND"

Meet 1st & 3rd Mondays at 7:00pm EMS Building Pres. Eudene Dedio, esdedio@mts.net 204-548-2477 Sec Barry Randell bjrandell@mts.net 204-548-2502

Hamiota Lions Club

HOME OF POPE NATIONAL WILDLIFE RESERVE Meet 1st & 3rd Tues @ 7:00pm Community Hall Pres. Elgin Rogers elginrogers@msn.com 204-764-2336 Sec Gwen Argue gwenargue@gmail.com 204-838-2166

Holland & Area Lions Club

HOME OF THE "HOLLANDERS"
Meet 2nd Wed. 8:00pm @ Hollander Hotel Pres. Brad Verniest bgverniest@hotmail.com 526-7603 Sec. Hugh Fraser hjfraser@mts.net 204-526-2378

Holland & Area Lioness Club
MEET 1ST WED. @ 7PM AT MEMBERS HOMES Pres: Laurel Walker, lew13@mts.net 204-723-2354 Sec. Margaret Fraser hjfraser@mts.net 204-526-2378

Kelwood Lions Club

COME JOIN US Meeting 1st Thursday of the month Pres. Duane Stewart, dfstew@mts.net 204-967-2830 Sec Neil Fraser dnfraser@hotmail.com 204-967-2146

Kenton & Area Lions Club

Meets at Kenton Hall 2nd Tues 7:30nm Pres. Phil Graham nedrag@goinet.ca 204-838-2354 Sec Marvin Wiens mwiens@inethome.ca 204-838-2261

MacGregor Lions Club
THE HEART OF THE KEYSTONE PROVINCE Meet 2nd Tues 7:30pm/ 4th Tues supper mtg 6:30pm Pres. Dennis Burch 1976db@inetlink.ca 204-274-2448 Sec. Joanne Hovak, ihovak@mts.net 204-685-2069

Melita & Area Lions Club

COME JOIN US @ THE LEGION HALL Meet 2nd & 4th Wed. 7:30pm/Supper mtg Oct-March Pres. Jagdish Tilokani, tilokani@yahoo.com 522-3400 Sec. Eleanor Renwick ojemr@mts.net 204-522-8686

Miami & Area Lions Club

COME JOIN US AT BM OF THOMPSON OFFICE 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month Pres. Clint Lawson jclawson@cici.mb.ca 204-435-2257 Sec. Duncan Callum dcallum@cici.mb.ca 204-435-2069

Minitonas & District Lions

COME JOIN US Meets 1st & 3rd Wednesdays of the month Pres. David Petelski dpetelski@hotmail.com 525-2207 Sec. Brett Church b_wchurch@hotmail.com 281-1973

Minnedosa Lions Club

ANNUAL ROCKIN' THE FIELDS OF MINNEDOSA Meets 2nd & 4th Wed. 7pm @ the Community Hall Pres. Wanda Kingdon wkkingdon@hotmail.com 867-5804 Sec Jim Cooper thecoopers@mymts.net 204-867-3245

Morden & District Lions Club

HOME OF ANNUAL CORN AND APPLE FESTIVAL Meets 1st & 3rd Mon. 7pm @ Morden Rec Centre Pres. Jerry Nelson, jerrynelson46@yahoo.ca 822-6547 S: sandra.lawrence50@gmail.com 822-6021

Neepawa Lions Club

HOME OF THE ANNUAL LILY FESTIVAL Meets 1st & 3rd Wednesdays at 6:30pm Pres. Robert Ferguson fergnee@mts.net 204-476-5226 Sec Thomas Borsa borsatp@wcgwave.ca 204-476-3283

Oak Lake & Area Lions

HOME OF ISSAC "THE OX" Meet 1st & 3rd Mon. 7pm @ the Oak Lake Golf Club Pres. Barry Rost. 204-855-2581 Sec Travis Wallace twallace@rfnow.com 204-855-2125

Oakburn Lions Club

COME JOINS US Meets 3rd Wed. 7:30pm @ the Eager Pioneer Club Pres. Nester Leganchuk 204-625-5231 Sec. Janet Zemianski, janetz@mymts.net 204-234-5349

Oakville & Area Lions Club

A FRIENDLY FARMING COMMUNITY Meets 2nd Wed. Lions Den Community Hall @ 7:30 pm s. Don Wilkinson, dcwilkin@xplornet.ca 204-267-2075 Sec Bruce Mintenko brucemintenko@yahoo.ca 267-2577

Pine River Lions Club

COME JOIN US Meet 1st Thurs, 8:00pm @Pine River Community Centre Pres. Garry Urbanowski 204-263-2101 Sec Darlene Nakonechny tdnak@hotmail.com 648-6024

Pipestone Lions Club

COME JOIN US.

Meet 3rd Wednesday of the month. P: Ivan Reid ivanreid@tundraoilandgas.com 854-2924 S: Brenda Bohne, bohne@mymts.net 204-854-3300

Portage la Prairie Lions Club

SERVING SINCE 1938 Meet 1st & 3rd Thurs. Supper 6:30pm @ the Lions Den Pres. Ken Mark Sec. Anita Hart, ahart@mymts.net 204-625-2827

La Prairie Lioness Club

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE-COME JOIN LIS Meet 2nd Thurs.6:30pm/Supper meet 4th Thurs.7:30pm Pres. Clara Griffiths, clarag@mts.net 204-239-1475 S: sharonwilliams693@gmail.com 857-8548

Rapid City & Area Lions

COME JOIN US Meet 2nd & 4th Wednesdays of the month Pres. Daryl Andrew, dkandrew0@gmail.com 826-2007 Sec Ken Hyndman khyndman@mymts.net 204 826-2558

Rivers & Area Lions Club

HOME OF THE GRANT TRUCK BAILWAY STATION Meets 1st & 3rd Wednesdays of the month Pres. Doug Dickenson, 204-328-7508 S: bettymacdonald111@gmail.com 328-7903

Roblin & District Lions Club

VISITORS ARE WELCOME Meets 1st & 3rd Wed. at 8pm Roblin Motor Inn Pres. Marcel Gregoire, mjjrg@hotmail.com 204-937-8007 Sec. Elke Schmitt elkes65@gmail.com 204-937-4944

Rossburn Lions Club

COME JOIN US Meets 3rd Thursday of the Month @ Town Hall S: Nancy Drul, nlslim3@hotmail.com 204-796-0239

Russell & Area Lions Club

COME JOIN US AT CHICKEN CHEF Meet 2nd & 4th Thurs. 6:30pm P: Lorraine Brown, lorrainelaura7@gmail.com 773-6748 Sec. Haley Kuhl, russelllionsclub@outlook.com 583-6893

Sandy Lake Lions Club

COME VISIT OUR CAMPGROUND
Meet 1st Thursday of the month Pres. Dennis Slashinsky, same S: Kathy Slashinsky, kslashinsky@hotmail.com 585-2673

Shoal Lake Lions Club

HOME OF THE PIT ROAST BEEF DINNER Meet 2nd Wed. 7pm @ Drop In Centre Pres. Bob Brudy brudyb@mymts.net 204-759-2392 Sec Rosana Neufeld mini@mts.net 204-759-2671

Sinclair & Area Lions Club

COME JOIN US @ COMMUNITY HALL Supper meeting 4th Wed. 7pm Pres. Alan Jackson abjack@hotmail.com 204-662-4569 Sec Lloyd Hayward frog2342@hotmail.com 851-2342

Somerset Lions Club

COME JOIN US

Meets 1st & 3rd Mondays at 8:30pm Pres. Jeff Desrochers jnd@mymts.net 204-744-2150 Sec. Chuck Schmidt hedleyminer@gmail.com 744-2740

Sprucewoods & Area Lions Club

COME JOINS US

Meet 2nd & 4th Wed. 7pm Sprucewoods Comm. Hall Pres. Gerald Rubenuik, rubenk@mymts.net 761-0027 Sec Judy Foster judyjudy13@hotmail.com 721-4132

Stonewall Lions Club

HOME OF THE ANNUAL STONEWALL QUARRY DAYS DINNER MEETING 2ND & 4TH WED. 6:30PM Lions Manor Pres. Ralph Sinclair, 204-467-9600 S: Ashley Huewan ashlee__2000@hotmail.com 467-2199

Strathclair Lioness Club

COME JOIN US Meet 2nd Wednesday every month Sec. Maxine Ostash 204-365-2715

Strathclair Lions Club

COME JOIN US Meet 3rd Wed. 7:30pm @ Strathclair Municipal Hall Pres. Jim Wilson jvw@mts.net 204-365-2453 Sec. Calvin Martin, caljay88@hotmail.com 204-365-2653

Swan Lake Lions Club

WORKING HARD FOR A HEALTHY COMMUNITY Meet 1st & 3rd Tuesday
P: Geraldine Campbell, Shirley_campbell@live.ca Sec Myrna Clifford mecliff@mymts.net 204-836-2634

Swan River Lions Club

WWW.SWANRIVERLIONS.ORG Meeting 2nd Mon. 7pm/Supper meeting 4th Mon.7:30pm Pres. Wayne Markle waynescc@gmail.com 734-2780 Sec. Tanner Koistra, 204-281-2505

Teulon & Area Lions Club

COME JOIN US AT FRYDAY'S RESTAURANT Meet 2nd Tuesday at 7:00pm Pres. Larry Rutt laurencerutt@msn.com 204-886-2404 Sec Rene Bouvier reneb1961@live.ca 204-886-2961

Thompson Lions Club

WELCOME FELLOW LIONS AND VISITORS
Supper mtg 1st & 3rd Tues. Sept-June @ Clubhouse Pres. Jeffery Wedge jewedge@gmail.com 204-981-1415 Sec Daniel Hunt superdan13@hotmial.com 939-0987

Virden Lions Club

MEET 2ND TUES. DINNER MTG 4TH TUES. @ 6:30 PM Pres. Marcel Chacun, 204-748-1744 Sec Tom Makarchuk tmkarch@mvmts.net 204-748-6261

Warren & District Lions Club

COME JOIN US AT THE FIRE HALL, 1ST & 3RD WED. Pres. Stu Bangle, 204-322-5381 Sec Doug Hogg auhogg@mts.net 204-322-5679

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COME JOIN US AT THE WARREN FIRE HALL Meet 1st & 3rd Wed., 7pm Pres. Irene Tully, ditully@xplornet.com 204-375-6522 Sec Fran Lindell franpl@mymts.net 204-322-5672

Waskada Lions Club

HOME OF THE ANNUAL RABBIT FEED Meet 1st & 3rd Thurs. 7:30am @ Waskada Genesis Inn Pres. Adam McGregor, sharmac@inetlink.ca 673-2344 Sec. Ron Bertholet borody@mymts.net 204-673-2541

Wawanesa Lions Club

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President Lion Adam McGregor and charter member Lion Keith Hannah

Waskada Lions Club celebrate 50 years

Waskada Lions 50th Anniversary Celebration

On April 23, 2016, the Waskada Lions club celebrated 50 years of Lionism. The evening was well attended by the community and surrounding

area, with representation from Lions clubs from Melita, Pipestone, Boissevain, Brandon and Minnedosa. The club was chartered on March 16, 1966 with 43

members and Lion Don Millar was the first president.

The sponsoring club was Pierson. There are four Charter members still associated with the club: Keith Hannah, Murray Hannah, Jim McKinney and Bill McKinney.

> PDG Lion Roland

Hainsworth gave a historical review of the club, highlighting contributions to the Waskada community, surrounding area, nationally and internationally over the last 50 years. Hope medals were presented to Lions Bob Spence and Bill Dickinson. Guest speaker for the evening was Past International Director Ben Ward from Brandon, Man.

An excellent supper was catered to over 115 people followed by the comic, musical and magical talents of Mark Humphries and his son Thomas from Elkhorn. On display were photos, documentation and memorabilia from the past 50 years.



Lions Roar for Hearing 3rd Annual Poker Derby

Three Creeks Campground Austin Manitoba 3kms South of Austin on Hwv 34

Sunday September 11, 2016

Raising funds for the enhancement of Lions infant hearing programs

Any licenced vehicle is welcome to participate Ride leaves the campground between 11am - 1pm Donations of \$20 or more qualify the donor for free camping the night prior Raffle

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For information, pledge sheets, or a poker hand if you cannot attend the event, call; Lion Don at 204-637-2533 or Lion Marie at 204-573-1853

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Lion Wendy Wochyshyn Rossburn Lions Club



Lion Wendy was extremely active in her club and, until her illness, held the position of Zone Chair for our District. She will be sadly missed by all who knew her.

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Gleanings from club reports

Thanks, Lions, for publicizing your club activities in the Gleanings. Please continue to let District 5M13 know all the good things you are doing. I'm sure there are other clubs that have news to tell. Why not join us? It only takes a few minutes to fill out the report. Be proud of your Lions Club!

Lion Margaret Martin (dmmart@mts.net)

AUSTIN LIONS CLUB

Donations to: Manitoba Agricultural Museum Threshermen's Reunion and Stampede Rodeo sponsorship \$500; Sponsorship of Lion Cecil Jones' threshing machine of \$1000 for Harvesting Hope to be held at the Manitoba Agricultural Museum; Kidsport \$100; Gladstone Music & Arts Festival \$50

BINSCARTH LIONS CLUB

Weekly Bingos \$860

Donations to: Foxwarren Recreation Centre \$5000; Waywayseecappo Dance Competition \$200; Vagabond Theatre Group \$250; Assist resident with transportation \$200

BRANDON LIONS CLUB

Raised \$550: Pancake Breakfast at

Westman Lions Manor & Valentine's Day Flower Deliveries; Hosted Zone 9; Flipped pancakes for 89 Lions Manor residents at monthly pancake breakfast; Club members staffed the children's activities booth at the Ag. Awareness displays at the Royal Manitoba Winter Fair.

Donations totaling \$1600 to: Brandon Boy Scout Troop #23 Kar Rally; Assist individual with accommodations for medical treatment; Parade of Green at Mid Winter Convention. Donated toward short term accommodations for medical treatments

BRANDON PRAIRIE PRIDE LIONS

One member attended the Mid Winter Convention. Sponsored a High School student in the Speak-Off covering transportation costs for student & parents; Tickets sold for Journey For Sight raffle; Two members volunteered at a pavilion at the Brandon Winter Festival; Four members attended the Zone 9 meeting in Brandon March 15, 2016; Club members curled in the Lions Bonspiel at Melita in January & had a great time; Seven members delivered canvass kits to volunteers for the Canadian Cancer Society March 12, 2016 for the door to door canvass in April.

Donations at the Parade of Green to: Lions Eye Bank; Lions Foundation of MB & NW ON Medical Assistance Program; Lions Quest; Lions Foundation of Canada Dog Guides; Lions Clubs International Foundation. Donation made to Brandon Lions



Holland & Area Lions prepare food for their annual Steak Night held April 2.

Club to assist with a member's daughter. Donation made to assist an older adult with cost of a lift chair as recommended by an Occupational Therapist. Total donations \$1100

ELGIN LIONS CLUB

Collected eyeglasses & hearing aids

ERICKSON LIONS CLUB

Maintenance at Lions Duplex; Transportation of a Senior Citizen for medical appointments

HAMIOTA LIONS CLUB

Collected eyeglasses

HOLLAND LIONS CLUB

Steak night \$1500; Donation to Kidsport \$100

MINNEDOSA LIONS CLUB

Donations totaling \$1550 to: Local High School Hockey Provincial Tournament; Manitoba Kidney Foundation; Canada Ski Patrol; Local Band students to attend International Music Camp; Local family whose son required surgery away from home

OAKVILLE LIONS CLUB

Maintenance/Custodial Services in the Community Hall \$100; Three members attended the PID Sheehan presentation in Portage on April 16"; Provided free bar services for the Volunteer of the Year Gala on April 9th.

Donated \$125 to the Curling Club in lieu of bartending; summarized the Community Needs survey returns (60% returns) for Step 1 of the Club Excellence Program

PIPESTONE LIONS CLUB

Weekly Bingo; Planning for a Texas Hold 'Em Poker Tournament in June

RIVERS LIONS CLUB

Collecting batteries & other

recyclables; Collect eyeglasses & hearing aids; Annual Pickerel Fish Fry; Delivered 30 meals and served 200. Warmer weather made cooking the fish outside more pleasant.

ROSSBURN LIONS CLUB

Donation to Waywayseecappo **Community School Dance** Competition to be held in April \$100; Help with medical expenses for a local man \$530; Chamber of Commerce Visitor's Guide for 2016-2017 \$90; Pancake Breakfast in May at High School and volunteerism chat; Help at Vintage Craft Sale May 21, 2016; Project Pride in June 2016, Grade One class; Goods & Services Auction, live & silent, lunch July 2, 2016; Assistance at two weddings in April, 2016; Hosted St. Patrick Day meal for community; Donation at the Parade of Green in support of the Cavalcade for Diabetes \$200

RUSSELL LIONS CLUB

Donation of \$200 to Waywayseecappo School Rising Stars Annual Dance Competition

WARREN LIONS CLUB

Donations to: Journey for Sight \$200; Warren Collegiate Basketball Tournament \$500; LCIF \$500; MAP \$300; Diabetes \$200

WAWANESA LIONS CLUB

Reading Action Program; Volunteering at Samaritan House; Lions Club Information night; Two Meat Draws \$410; Cribbage Tournament \$70; Chase the Ace ongoing; Battery Collection ongoing.

Donations to: Local refugee family \$500 for groceries; LFC Dog Guides \$100; Western Blind Curling \$25





720 pancakes flipped for TCS Pink Day

On April 13, 2016 members of the Minnedosa Lions Club and students from Tanners Crossing School worked together to flip 720 pancakes to feed 300 students, staff and volunteers for TCS Pink Day. This is to show support and awareness for TCS anti bullying program.

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Brandon Lions keep kids busy at 2016 Royal Manitoba Winter Fair



Lion Sharon Brooks at the Coloring Corner

The Royal Manitoba Winter Fair is one of Western Canada's largest agricultural events and is the biggest event held in Brandon, MB. This year during March 28-April 2, 2016, the Keystone Centre was the hub of agricultural activity with plenty of fun and family entertainment and, as in the past, members of the Brandon Lions Club were there to pitch in and lend a hand in the Royal Farm Yard's Ag-Tivity Zone.

Attendance at this year's Fair was estimated at 110,000 and with numbers like that there was no shortage of youngsters eager to see and do it all! But we were ready for them at the Ag-Tivity Zone.



Lion Ken Robbins as the Seed Separator



Lion Erma Wyness at the Sandbox



Lions Shirley Pawlowski & Ben Ward, & volunteer Betty at the Seed Separator

Kenton Lions

host Pickerel Frv

Area Lions Club members met at

Harding, Manitoba for the Zone 7 Meeting with Omar Champigny

Zone 7 Chairman in attendance.

A delicious supper was served by

the Harding Ladies. Those clubs

in attendance were Hamiota, Rap-

id City and Rivers and Kenton.

Hall was held on a lovely spring

evening, April 17, 2016. People

enjoyed a delicious supper and a

time of visitation. A 50/50 draw

was held and the winner was Adi-

Virden was not in attendance. The Kenton and Area Lions Club All You Can Eat Pickerel Fry Supper at the Kenton Memorial

April 12, 2016 Kenton and

The Brandon Lions Club had the kiddies tractors tuned up and ready to go with plenty of space to ride. The everpopular Seed Separator kept the kids running for seed and marvelling at the process of seeing the seed being separated as they poured cup after cup of seed down the chamber.

The Coloring Corner was a popular spot for those looking to show off their coloring skills and have them pinned up for display or for those just looking for a quiet break just coloring.

And then there was the sandbox which was the scene of a whole lot of digging and packing. What youngster can pass up the chance to play in a sandbox that wasn't outside! All in all the Ag-Tivity Zone was a happening place.

It was a long and busy week but the Brandon Lions Club is proud of its involvement in the community because an event of this magnitude doesn't happen on its own.



Rossburn St. Pat's Day meal

The Rossburn Lions Club hosted a St. Patricks' Day meal at the Rossburn Drop-In Centre on March 17, 2016 with the hope of bringing the community together and perhaps generating interest in new members for the Lions club.

The menu consisted of homemade Irish stew, colcannon, Irish soda bread with cupcakes for dessert. Because there were some guests who have gluten allergy there was a gluten free stew, biscuits and cupcakes.

The club is pleased to report that the event was well attended and received by the community. Submitted by Lion Diane Maxwell, Sec. Rossburn Lions Club

The Kenton Lions appreciate all those who helped to make this event a success.

ta Elliott from Virden.



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Elgin Lions Club 9 Hamiota Lions Club 63 Binscarth Lions Club 28 Russell Lions Club 46 **Brandon Lions Club 6**

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100% Secretary Award Application

The International Association of Lions Clubs DISTRICT 5M-11

100% Secretary's Award Application for 2015-2016

100% Secretary's Award, each Club Secretary who has qualified must fill out this form and have it approved and signed by the Club President and Zone Chair. The listed criteria apply to the 2015-2016 Lions year. (July 1, 2015 – June 30, 2016)

The form is to be comp	pleted and submitted to the District Governor no later than J	uly 31, 2016.
CLUB	Submitted	, 2016
SECRETARY	Mailing Address	
	Telephone	
All Monthly Membership Rep All District Monthly Activity F Zone Chair by the last day of t	OF THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA MUST E orts mailed or filed electronically to LCI by the last day Reports (MAR) mailed or emailed to the DG, VDG'S, C the current month.) submitted to the District Governor by May 1, 2016.	of the current month.
owed to Lions International. Maintained and kept accurate	ons International paid by March, 31, 2016, with no unp minutes of all club and board meetings, attendance rec essed all club correspondence in a timely manner.	
Submit Annual LCI Activities Attend two (2) of the three (3)	LLOWING NINE (9) MUST BE FULFILLED: Report to LCI by July 1, 2016, with copy to the DG. Zone Meetings during the 2015-2016 year. Officer Training Session during the year. ::	
5M-11 MidwiLCI InternatiArrange for an Induction PerArrange for an Orientation Pr Sponsor a new member into yMake club members aware of	nter Convention SM Multiple Convention ional Convention USA/Canada Forum emony for all new Lions members of your club. escentation for all new Lions members of your club.	
Club Secretary:	Approved By: Club President:	
L	Zone Chair:	





015-2016	CLUB EXC	ELLENCE AV	VARD APP	LICATION

To qualify the club must be chartered for 6 or more months prior to the end of the fiscal year, further the objectives of the associat re to the association's constitution and by-laws and policies, and meet the requirements noted below during the fiscal year

201E 20	016 Club President's Name	Member Number
2015-20	J16 Club President's Name	Member Number
SERVICE - The club has co	onducted at least three service projects. Br	riefly describe the service activities that were conduct
Date:	Activity:	
Date:	Activity:	
Date:	Activity:	
CONTRIBUTION — The cl	ub has made a contribution to LCIF.	
		nembership (including branch club members when ientation and were properly inducted into the club.
Appropriate Commence		
	mbers: Name of sponsored	club or Branch:

Please explain briefly how the club service activities were publicized.

- ☐ LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT All officer positions were filled in accordance with the constitution and bylaws by qualified Lons, the club was represented at zone meetings and a majority of the club officers participated in a feadership training program. The training program could include training offered at the zone, district, multiple district or international level. Online courses from the Lions Learning Center, participation in a Club Excellence Process (CEP) Workshop or completion of the Certified Guiding Lion course also count toward the award.
- CLUB ACTIVITY The club has hosted regular and meaningful club events and reported Membership, Service Activities, and the New Club Officers in a timely manne
- CLUB IN GOOD STANDING the club is not in status quo and international dues and new member entrance fees have be paid in full. No more than US\$50 in any other expense due to LCI is outstanding beyond ninety (90) days.

Date	2015-2016 District Governor's Signature*	District	Member No.
	om the District Governor's registered email address will be consider		ernor. In undistricted

The completed form must be mailed to the English Language Department at International Headquarters, or email to clubexcellenceavard@lionsclubs.org. or fax to (630) 706-9273 to arrive by August 31, 2016. Request for review of award eligibility from a disqualified club shall be considered only if received at international Headquarters within 12 months after completion of the fiscal year, provided that the original application form is already field at International Headquarters. The award will be mailed to the 2016-2017 district governor for presentation. In undistricted areas the award will be mailed to the coordinating Lions or directly to the 2015-2016 club president.

For additional information about 5M13 check out our web site at

www.e-district.org/sites/5m13

The Web Site has many purposes: to share information of District activities, Club activities, announcements, and any other information that a Club or individual member wishes to share.

The Web Site includes a Calendar of events, Projects, District Executive Committee, Zone Chairs, Cabinet minutes, Cabinet members and links to Lion Sites. The site also includes links to Lions International for your information and reference.

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Remember to

record your Lions Club

work.

Forward
photos
and a short
description
of your Lions
volunteer efforts
to The
Manitoba Lion.

HOW TO SEND PHOTOS. Photos of your club's activites of Lions in action or showing projects completed with Lions are good news photos. Select one or two photos, or more if needed, and email jpgs (original size) with text explaining details. We will be glad to edit and check grammer, but we need you to provide us the details. Important - do not let your email downsize photo when attaching or sending. Forward photo in original or large size. In cheque presentations or award recognition photos, identify individuals left to right. For large group photos provide details of event to explain to readers what the activity or project is about. We prefer you DO NOT just forward link to facebook or skydrive photo albums. If doing so, identify which photos you would like us to download and provide cutline or story with your email submission.

Copy deadline is the 17th of the month for the following issue.

Note: No Manitoba Lion July and August

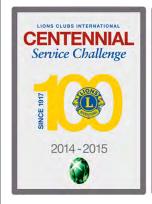
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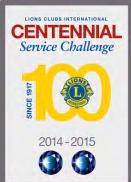
Join the CENTENNIAL

Service Challenge



Your club can earn a Centennial Banner Patch with a special gemstone design each year you support our Global Service Action campaign to impact Youth, Vision, Hunger and the Environment.









www.lions100.org

International President, Dr. Jitsuhiro Yamada recently said for nearly one hundred years, Lions have strengthened communities around the world through service.

As we have reported beginning last year, we about to celebrate our $100^{\rm th}$ anniversary. We are advised that to date more than 46 million lives have been impacted so far making our goal to serve 100 million lives well within our reach.

Every club is encouraged to host at least one service project in each of our Centennial service areas of youth, vision, hunger and the environment during this Lion year. Participating clubs can earn a Centennial banner patch but it is a mandatory that secretaries report their projects through MyLCI Service Activity Report. Not only can your club be proud of the banner batch that you may receive but also proud of the satisfaction that comes from changing a life. Several clubs in 5M13 qualified for their special banner patchs last year so lets make your club one of those for this year.

Get on board and earn a Centennial Banner Patch with a special gemstone design each year you support the Centennial Service Challenge campaigns to impact Youth, Vision, Hunger and the Environment. Each gemstone represents the number of different Centennial

Service Challenge campaigns your club participates in during the fiscal year.

The more Centennial Service Challenge campaigns your club participates in, the more gemstones you can earn for your banner patch.

Earn a diamond-level Centennial Banner Patch by participating in all four Centennial Service Challenge campaigns! Qualifying donations to Lions Clubs International Foundation will also count toward your Centennial Banner Patch.

> PDG Lloyd McCabe Centennial Coordinator

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USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum September 15-17, 2016 OMAHA Nebraska

email: registrar@lionsforum.org Phone: (605) 723-4007

In preparation for celebration of our Lions Clubs International 100th Anniversary, this year's Forum will have an additional focus on leadership training to better equip Lions in accomplishing our Centennial Service Challenge of 100 million acts of service. This will include class room hands-on training.

In addition to our normal outstanding selection of 60 leadership seminars, we have added seminars dedicated to service projects. These are designed to assist Lions at the Club and District level in better planning projects to serve their communities.

Saturday afternoon will have three large service projects. These will represent our four service campaigns of Engaging our Youth, Sharing the Vision, Relieving the Hunger and Protecting the Environment. Each attendee will be able to participate in each of the projects.

Great Speakers! Informative Seminars! Entertainment! Free Stuff!

Delicious Food! FUN!

For more information go to: http://www.lionsforum.org/

Registration Fees (US \$) Early Bird \$275; after May 31 \$295 after July 20 \$320

REGISTRATION FEE covers the cost of the seminars, four designated meals with featured speakers (Thursday evening banquet, Friday noon lunch, Saturday noon lunch, Saturday evening banquet), admission to the Forum Store and Exhibit Hall, your mobile app and transportation between designated hotels and the convention center. All attendees must pay full registration fee to participate in any of the Forum events. Individual meal function tickets will NOT be available. Hotel rooms CANNOT be assigned until registration fee and hotel deposit are received. ALL REGISTRATION AND HOTEL RESERVATIONS ARE MADE ON A FIRST-COME FIRST-SERVED BASIS.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT DGE Gord Kingdon. gord5m13@hotmail.com

Time to begin planning for Lions Project Pride

This fund raiser for the Lions Foundation of Canada provides the opportunity for local Lions to visit Grade One classrooms, spending some quality time with children, promoting Lionism and patriotism through the presentation of small Canadian flags and certificates.

To learn more about this simple project, go to **Lions Foundation of Canada Project Pride**. You will find information, how to get involved and an electronic order form. You may also phone 780-532-3027 and order that way.

The cost per student is only \$2.00 but if there are more Grade One classes than your club can afford, you might consider choosing one class this year and add another next year.

If there is no school in your community, make contact with one nearby. If you contact your MP, he/she might supply some freebies such as flag pins and bookmarks. Kids love to receive such goodies! For more information, contact

Lion Margaret Martin at 824-2457 or email dmmart@mts.net

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Complete the attached order form and mail to:

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Lions Foundation of Canada
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Grande Prairie, AB T8V 2Y6
Ldcqp@telusplanet.net • 780-532-3027

(Please include payment in full) All surplus funds will be directed to Lions Foundation of Canada Dog Guides

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Northern Pride Lions Leadership Forum



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2016 Registration Form



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Canadians are asked to

send USD money order to PDG Cheryl



Your District & Club Name:	
Name & Title	Registration form at
Address	http://www.lionsmd5m.org
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City/Town State/Prov.

Zip/Postal Phone (w / area code).

Email

Special Dietary Needs: Vegetarian, Gluten Free, Allergies _____ (circle ones that apply)

Registration Fee \$99.00 USD

Registration includes Friday evening Meet & Greet Mixer (if you are arriving then), Your choice of up to 6 of the 36 Seminars on Saturday, Saturday lunch and dinner with dynamic guest speakers: PID Brian Sheehan and PID Robert Littlefield. (Saturday Breakfast on your own, seminars start at 9 AM)

Make cheques / money orders payable to: Northern Pride Lions Leadership Forum

US residents mail to:

PDG Dave Jensen. 32549 Co Rd 11 Wendell, MN USA 56590-9771 R. 218.458.2428 C. 218.770.9410

E. oakstuff@runestone.net

Canadian residents mail to: Send USD money order



PDG Chervl McKitrick PO Box 340, Crystal City MB Canada R0K 0N0

E. cemckit@gmail.com R. 204.873.2091 C. 204.825.8073

Cancellations prior to October 31st, 2016 will have a \$25.00 fee applied, NO Cancellations after October 31st, 2016 except for Medical emergencies are accepted anytime with doctors letter (\$25.00 fee still applies).

For more Information contact: PDG Dennis W. Kelly III at cdk3inc@outlook.com

Hotel Reservations - Contact the hotel directly - Rate \$65.00 USD per night (+ taxes) Until October 30th, 2016

Shooting Star Hotel & Casino, Mahnomen, MN - call 1-800-453-STAR and ask for block #71.

This block is called "Northern Pride Lions Leadership Forum"

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SUSTEEN

Manitoba Lions memorial

The Manitoba Lions Memorial, which opened in Warren, Manitoba in August 2011, now has about 200 individual memorial plaques. Lions/Lioness and/or family members are encouraged to purchase plaques to honour deceased Lions

This is done by providing the name and life years (birth to death), Years of Lion service (joining until discontinuance), club name, and a \$100 plaque cost. The purchase price includes the cost of the engraved plaque plus tax, assistance with memorial maintenance and, following the purchase of the first ten plaques, a donation to the Medical Assistance Program.

Please honour your deceased Lions with a memorial plaque. Forward the cost and information to: Lion Craig Hughson, Manitoba Lions Memorial, Box 536, Warren, MB, R0G 3E0.

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PID Brian Sheehan gives needed punch to Lions and first timers

The Boissevain Lions Club hosted a Club membership evening on Thursday, April 15, inviting guests to learn about Lionism. Lion members and their guests enjoyed a steak dinner catered by the local Curling Club.

The evening included a presentation reviewing the history of the Boissevain Lions, highlighting the many projects the Club has supported in the community since its beginning 59 years ago either with donations or helping hands.

A special feature of the evening included a motivating presentation by Past Lions International Director Brian Sheehan from Bird Island, Minnesota. Sheehan captured the crowd's attention and inspired everyone in attendance, reinforcing the

importance Lions have to our community.

PID Brian spent the next two days firing up even more Lions in this district. He also attended Lions membership information gatherings in Brandon on Friday evening, and then to Portage on Saturday morning.

Lion Brian Sheehan presented a very lively entertaining, up-beat and active speech, all packed with the punches needed for those in attendance. Many thanks to Lion Brian and Lion Lori for coming to visit us, and also to all those who attended the information meetings, including first-timers.



Boissevain Lions Club Membership committee represtantives Lion Lorraine Houston (left) and Lion Laura Turner (on right) with Lion Brian Sheehan and his wife Lion Lori.

Hank Janssens assisted by Ken Clyne of the Boissevain Curling Club cooked up 55 steaks and 10 chicken breasts for the Boissevain Lions Club, all to perfection. The Boissevain Lions Club hosted 25 guests to an information evening to learn about Lionism and an invitation to join their Lions club.



Lions International Peace Poster Contest

Encourage the youth in your community to express their feelings of peace, while gaining exposure for your club.

Participate in this year's Lions International Peace Poster contest.

2016-2017 Theme



Order now.

With school starting up for another year, it's time to touch base with local art teachers about this year's Lions Peace Poster Contest. Its time to order a Peace Poster Contest kit from the Club Supplies Sales Department at International Headquarters. The deadline to order a kit is Oct 1.

Sponsoring a contest for local youth is an easy way to support your schools and promote your club. The process is as simple as ordering a contest kit, making contact with the appropriate art teacher and having a judge or club member select the winner. The contest is for youths age 11 - 13 (typically middle school).

Winners must be chosen and submitted to your District Governor by November 15.

A kit must be purchased for each contest sponsored. Allow 4-6 weeks for delivery.

Order Now. Call 1-800-710-7822.

To order online visit the Lions Store (Item Search: Peace Poster Kit) at www.lionsclubs.org

Hearing Aid Collection Box Contest

The Lion representatives of the Hearing Committee are having a hearing aid collection box contest.

The contest is open to all Kindergarten to Grade 12 students. We are asking for the participation of your schools to participate.

The student with the winning box will earn \$1000 for their school and their box will be used in Manitoba and North West Ontario for the collection of hearing aids to be recycled.

CONTEST RULES:

- The size of the box is the size of a 2 liter milk container
- The box must contain the LCI logo
- The box must be hearing related
- Any form of art can be used, i.e. photography, computer graphics, painting, etc.
- Contest deadline is June 1, 2016



Please submit entries to Lions Chad Bodnarchuk and Marie McKean Box 409 Austin MB R0H 0C0.

Questions call Lion Chad Bodnarchuk at 1-204-637-2462.