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DISTRICT 5M-13

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SEPTEMBER 2019

It has been two months since induction in Milan, Italy, and even though most clubs take the summer off, it has been busy.

I attended a Council of Governors meeting in St Cloud, MN and the District Cabinet Meeting in Brandon.

We have set our goals for the year and the Zone Chairs and Cabinet members will be presenting them to you as they attend your meetings.

Training will continue to be a priority as those Lions that attend the courses appreciate the information



they get from the Lions presenting the course.

There is much taking place regarding Lions ie: Campaign 100 and Canada's 100 Anniversary in Lions. As the information becomes available, we will keep you posted.

Please contact myself if you would like me to attend any club meetings as some dates are booked. dmoncur60lions@gmail.com 204-773-6543.

I look forward to visiting you and any feedback you may have.

DG Dwayne Moncur

WANTED

GANGSTERS + MOLLS

To join the mob and attend the
5M13 Lions Convention



November 15 - 17, 2019

Russell, Manitoba

Hosted by Binscarth, Birtle and Russell Lions Clubs held at George P. Buleziuk Centre, Russell, Manitoba

Registration form inside.

Money, Moonshine & Mayhem

Hello Gentle Lions. The Birtle, Binscarth and Russell Lions Clubs have been working hard on the 5M13 District Convention, Nov. 15-17, 2019.

The Gangster Friday evening event will be all about Money, Moonshine, and Mayhem. Be warned attendees that if you show up for our Friday evening not in the spirit of the party, you will likely end up behind bars. We have already had some Lions trying to figure out what the fines or punishments may be. As your convention is only a couple of weeks after Halloween, you should be able to scoop some bargains.

Vocal entertainment will be a local performer, Mike Oakley from Binscarth, and our very own Lion Denis Delaurier from Portage will be with us guaranteeing a fun evening.

What would a Gangster night be without a bit of money? We will see who will be the big winner at the casino games – come prepared to win – blackjack, poker and other games of chance, or is it skill?

Oh, and get this, as you are a Lion, we have, at great expense, made arrangements to meet your namesake. Pictures can be taken. You might hear a roar or two. Don't forget your camera. Final arrangements are underway to have the agenda nailed down, however as a bit of a teaser we will be having a STARS VIP from Russell chat with us, as well we will have the STARS Mobile Education Unit on hand (now that is something to see).

The amazing youth "Speak Off" will blow your socks off as it does every year.

We are hoping to send someone home with pockets full of cash due to the 50/50 raffle draw on Saturday evening. Someone will take home up to \$3,000. If any questions drop me a line to wlbrown@mymts.net or call me at 204-773-6360.

Registration forms are on the 5M13 District website and inside this issue.

Lion Willie Brown



Congratulations PID Dr Patti Hill, Elected International 3rd Vice President at Milan, Italy

We witnessed history in Milan, Italy in July 5-9, 2019 when our very own Canadian Candidate of Edmonton, Dr. Patti Hill was elected 3rd Vice President of Lions Clubs International. The room was electric when the rally stepped off! It was an incredible experience to have so many different countries join in with us as we marched with 100 Canadian Flags and hundreds of Patti placards in support of our candidate. It truly was a sea of red!

Psychologist and educator Dr. Patti Hill earned her PhD from the University of Alberta in 2000. Dr. Hill has taught in Alberta and California. She is a teacher, a cer-



tified teacher of the deaf and hard of hearing, a registered psychologist, and a former principal and post-secondary instructor.

She believes that, "The ultimate role of

every leader is to mentor the leadership development of those around them."



**Lion DG Dwayne Moncur with Lion Barb at Milan, Italy,
The official start of role as District Governor of 5M13 for 2019-2020**

Upcoming Governors Agenda:

- Oct 15: Austin Lions
- Oct 18-20: COG Mtg, Mahnommen MN
- Nov 7: Waskada Lions
- Nov 15-17: 5M13 District Convention, Russell
- Dec 11: Melita Lions

Please contact myself or use the form to the right to book a visit with your club. I look forward to visiting you.

Club Request for Governor's Visit

Club Name _____

Contact name _____

Phone number _____

email _____

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.

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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 **DG DWAYNE MONCUR**
Box 24, Birtle, MB, MB R0M 0C0
R: 204-773-6543
dmoncur60lions@gmail.com

Yours in Lionism, DGDwayne Moncur

Message from 1st Vice District Governor Anita Hart

Welcome to another wonderful Lions year!

My name is Lion Anita Hart, and I have the honour of being your Vice District Governor this year. I started in Lions in June of 2010, in Beausejour, Manitoba. My first club was in District 5M11, the Beausejour Lions. At the time, I had been a Constable with the RCMP. I was transferred to the Wasagaming detachment in 2011, and I moved over to the Elphinstone Lions at that time. I held the position of club secretary while part of this club.

Another move with the RCMP had me heading down to Portage la Prairie in 2014. I transferred into the Portage la Prairie Lions club right away. After a year with this club, I held the office of secretary (2015-2017) and vice president (2016-2017). I became club president during the 2016-2017 year and held that office for the remainder of that year and the next (2017-2018). I became a zone chair in 2016.

I've been fortunate to have been able to attend different training weekends with the Lions. I've attended Regional Lions Leadership Institute, Advanced Lions Leadership Institute and Faculty Development Institute. I would encourage everyone to take advantage of the amazing training that we have available to us. It gives us tools to use in our personal/work/volunteer lives.

I've also attended the Northern Pride weekend and many district conventions and multiple district conventions. This year, I was able to attend my first International Convention for Lions Clubs International, in Milan, Italy. What an experience! I would really recommend that everyone attend at least one international convention.

I'm very passionate about Lions. I love what we do and love hearing about everyone's projects. Please let me know what you are doing. I'd love to share it with others in our district/multiple and around the world. I'm so



1st VDG Anita Hart with Lions of England at the International Convention in Milan Italy, July 5-9, 2019

proud of the Lions of 5M13. I'm also interested in helping clubs gain new members and looking for new communities to start a club. If you know of a location, would like for me to help with a membership drive,

help with a project, give me a ring. If I can, I'd love to help you out. Even if it is putting on coveralls and helping with garbage pick up on the side of the highway. I want to learn about your clubs and what is important to all of you.

If you have any questions, would like for me to attend an event/project/meeting, please contact me at:

lionanitahart@gmail.com
or 204-333-7622.

I would like to help you in any way I can and look forward to working with you all this year.

Thank you for all that you do.

*Yours in Lionism,
Lion Anita*



PDG Gareth Boys, 1st VDG Anita Hart and DG Dwayne Moncur

District Governor/Vice District Governor Assistance Fund

Report for 2018-2019

Submitted by District Treasurer, Lion Bill McKittrick, PDG

REVENUE: (992 members x \$5.00/year)	\$4960.00
EXPENSES:	
1. District Governor	\$1929.91
2. 1 st Vice District Governor	\$1387.57
3. 2 nd Vice District Governor	<u>\$1558.83</u>
Total Expenses;	<u>\$4876.31</u>
BALANCE IN ACCOUNT	\$ 83.69

For additional information about 5M13 check out our web site at **www.5m13lions.org**

Int. Director Lion Mark Lyon to attend 5M13 Conventon at Russell, November 15 - 17, 2019

We are excited to have International Director Lion Mark S. Lyon attend our convention in Russell, November 15 - 17, 2019

Lion Mark has served our International Association of Lions Clubs in many capacities for over 21 years. A proud member of the Brookfield Lions Club since 1996, Lion Mark has a great appreciation for what our local Lions Clubs do every day to improve the wellbeing of their communities through active service.

Lion Mark and his wife Lion Lyn have been married for over 35 years, and are the proud parents of three daughters. They are a recognized part of their community, not just for their Lions activities, but also for their past and present involvement in local church and school groups. Both are career-minded professionals – Lion Mark in legal and financial services and Lion Lyn in accounting and operations. In their occasional free moments, Lion Lyn enjoys crafting and crocheting, while Lion Mark is a cyclist, golfer, and has been a guitar player and singer in local bands.



Don't Cry Lions – Its not that scary to sponsor youth into the 5M13 District Speak Off



Now is the time for your Lions Club to participate in Speak Off 2019.

This is your opportunity to have your local youth be participants in the contest.

This is a fun event and our young people never fail to amaze me with their passion and insight to this world we live in, the topics are endless.

With the Convention being held in early November time is short, however with a little concentrated effort and a willingness to help, we can pull this off.

Speak Off will provide students from our communities an opportunity to:

- Think about important current issues.
- Organize, present and defend their thoughts and ideas.
- Present these ideas publicly and effectively
- Develop and practice effective public speaking skills
- Build self confidence and enhance self image
- Meet and interact with peers from other areas of the District

Speak Off will provide members from our clubs to feel what it is like to be young again, that life is worth living, to learn about a subject that has never in your life crossed your mind and to believe the future and the communities we are building will be in capable hands.

Your club has the rules for the District Speak Off and I suggest you follow these guidelines when having Speak Off at club level.

Depending on the number of participants there may be a zone Speak Off required. Clubs are responsible for prizes offered at club level be they monetary or recognition awards.

Over the past couple of years the top winners have chosen to participate in the Youth Exchange option and have travelled to the United Kingdom, Austria and Japan. The life skills and the experiences afforded these youth by Lions Clubs will never be forgotten and will forever be a testament of the differences that Lions make in the lives of others.

As the chair for Speak Off I want to look you in the eye and thank you in advance for being part of the team that will make Speak Off a success this year. (That may be my picture at the right) Now lets Talk about Speak Off in your communities.

I can be reached at wlbrown@mymts.net or at 204 773 6360 for questions, comments, suggestions or more information.

Lion Willie Brown

Please talk with your local schools and youth clubs to have your youth registered and qualify to participate in the Lions 5M13 District Speak Off to be held at the annual winter convention, November 15-17, 2019.

*The Speak Off is a highlight of the convention.
Rules and entry form on page 6.*



Lion's MD5M13 35th Midwinter Convention

REGISTRATION FORM
November 15 – 17, 2019



AT GEORGE P. BULEZIUK CENTRE
106 SHELL RIVER AVE, RUSSELL, MB
HOSTED BY BINSARTH, BIRTLE AND RUSSELL LION'S CLUB

PLEASE PRINT NAMES CLEARLY TO AVOID SPELLING ERRORS

Name: _____
 Lion Lioness Leo Guest
 Club: _____
 Address: _____
 Email: _____
 Contact No. _____
 Food Allergies/Dietary Needs: _____

Check if this is your first Mid-Winter Convention
 Are you interested in a New Members Orientation?
 Yes No

Registrant #1

Full Convention \$150
 Banquet Only \$60
 Partners Program \$50

Name: _____
 Lion Lioness Leo Guest
 Club: _____
 Address: _____
 Email: _____
 Contact No. _____
 Food Allergies/Dietary Needs: _____

Check if this is your first Mid-Winter Convention
 Are you interested in a New Members Orientation?
 Yes No

Registrant #2

Full Convention \$150
 Banquet Only \$60
 Partners Program \$50

Registration Forms received by September 30/19 will be entered into a draw for a FREE REGISTRATION!
 November 1 - Registration Deadline

Forward registration forms with cheque/money order in Canadian Funds, payable to:
 Russell and Area Lions C/O Lion Ron Wauer Box 1131 Russell, Mb R0J 1W0 Ph (204) 821-0252

Need a Hotel? Please call either:

Russell Inn Hotel and Conference Centre
 Hwy 16 & 83, Russell, Mb
 1-800-665-0678 (Rates Start at \$114)

Desjard Inn (Lion Steve)
 832 Main Street, Birtle, Mb
 1-204-842-3889 (Rates Start at \$79)
 Email desjardinn@gmail.com

Official convention hashtag #Liongangster2019
Like our Facebook Page - Lion Gangsters 2019

It is Speak Off time and we want to hear you

Are you in Grades 6-8, 9-10, 11-12?

Do you have a passion you need to let the world know about? We are listening!

Your local Lions Club wants to hear your message.

Enter Speak Off and be given that opportunity. Prizes range from \$50.00 - \$100.00 - \$150.00 and for the grade 12 winner the prize can be \$1,000.00 towards a Lions Club Youth Exchange. Previous winners have travelled to England, Japan, Austria.

This might be your time.

For more details or to enter contact your local Lions Club



Speak-off competition rules

Co-educational contest available at three levels:

- Grades 6-8,
- Grades 9&10
- Grades 11&12

- participants must be attending a Manitoba Department of Education sanctioned school
- speeches of 4-6 minutes
- 5 point deduction for each half minute or portion thereof to be assessed.
- contestants may use notes (excessive reading to be penalized)
- speakers are expected to use the microphone supplied
- speeches must be original, on a topic of speaker's choice
- at end of speech, two questioners will pose questions to the contestant, based on the speaker's topic
- order of speaking by assigned numbers drawn prior to contest
- speeches will be evaluated in four categories:
 1. Delivery
 2. Material
 3. Response to questions
 4. Language & grammar.

Each of the following will be scored out of a possible 10 points:

Voice/modulation; enunciation; pace; poise/confidence; organization; clarity of message; speaker's passion for topic; grammar/language; response to questions adequate and logical, and made in a clear and fluent manner.

A speaker's resume is required for introductory purposes. Please include: name, age, grade, school, name of parent(s), address, phone numbers and email, sponsoring Lions Club, hobbies, career aspirations and other relevant information.

Prizes for each age category will be:

- 1st \$150
- 2nd \$100
- 3rd \$50

... with grades 11 & 12 winner having the option of a \$1,000 prize towards the Lions Youth Exchange Program.

Participant Entry Form / Resume

(Please supply as much information as possible)

Contestant's Name _____

Topic _____

Grade _____

School _____

Community _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Guardian _____

Sponsoring Lions Club Zone/Region _____

Teacher Advisor _____

Guests accompanying speaker _____

Have you previously entered any type of Speak Off? _____

If yes, provide details: _____

Tell something about yourself (hobbies, future plans, goals, awards, or something interesting or funny)

Submit entries to:
Lion Willie Brown, Speak Off Chair
wlbrown@mymts.net or 204.773 .6360



Brandon Lions hold wind-up

On June 18 the Brandon Lions Club had their final meeting and windup for the 2018/19 year, joined by members of the Sprucewoods Branch Lions Club. There was a bbq potluck supplied by the club and members. The members got to enjoy a miniature horse show put on by Lion Larry Mennie, his family and his miniature horses. It was a great show! This was followed by a clydesdale drawn wagon ride around the yard.



Lions Kathryn Geisbrecht and Lion Carl Johanson were presented with Certificates of Appreciation for everything they had done for the Brandon Lions Club in the previous year.



During the Brandon Lions Clubs wind-up, the winning ticket for their annual 50/50 was drawn. The winner was Jim Christie of Brandon and he was presented with a cheque for \$18,150.00.

Holland Lions donate to \$4,300 to Friendship committee



Holland & Area Lion president Brad Verniest presents a cheque for \$4300 from the Chase the Ace funds to members of the executive, Emma Shwaykosky and Ivy Bryson, of the Holland Friendship committee.



Members of Holland & Area Lions Club busy over the grill at Holland community July 1 celebrations.

Guiding Lion Graduate



DG Dwayne presenting 1VDG Lion Anita Hart with her Guiding Lion Course Certificate.

Wawanesa Lions Club honour Beth Smale - “Lion of the Year”

Lion Beth Smale was surprised with a very special award at the wind-up (or “turn-down” as Jaime called it) for the Wawanesa Lions Club when Vice-President Lion Jaime Kelloway congratulated her as “Lion of the Year”. She received a keepsake trophy to remind her of this well-deserved honour.

Lion Beth is the organizer behind the Wawanesa Lions Club. As Secretary she keeps accurate records of all meetings, informs the members of important correspondence from the Lions organization and the local community and submits reports to Lions International at all levels. It is because of her diligence that the Wawanesa Lions Club is highly regarded and even, envied, by other Lions clubs! An example of how seriously she takes her duties occurred recently when she discovered that she was the only Secretary filing monthly reports to the District, no longer necessary with today’s technology. Because she is so well-prepared, Lion Beth also does an admirable job of keeping the President (or whoever is chairing the



meeting) on track – not always an easy task!

In addition to her secretarial duties, Lion Beth is in charge of publicity for the club. She reports to the *Lioness Express* regularly so that the community and surrounding area is aware of the activities of the Wawanesa Lions Club thus increasing the support received. She has also perfected her social media skills with regular posts on Facebook where she publicizes Lions events such as “Chase the Ace” and informs the public of Lions projects both local and beyond.

All Lions projects are supported by Lion Beth because she believes in giving back to the community. Often these projects involve the youth in our community such as the Children’s

Fair (held on August 24), the Lion’s Art Sale, the Lions District Speak-Off and the Lions Reading Action Program, ongoing for eight years. I might add that Lion Beth’s energy is not limited to Lion’s activities alone, as she is actively involved in other areas of the community and area as well.

As you can see, Lion Beth is most deserving of the title of “Lion of the Year” and the Wawanesa Lions Club appreciates her devotion. If you meet Lion Beth on the street or at a Lions function, please congratulate her and thank her for being a Lion.



Lion Margaret Martin is a busy member of the Wawanesa Lions Club. She is active in every project. However, as a retired teacher, it seems that she has a special interest in youth projects and leads her club in doing Project Pride, Peace Poster contest, Reading Action Program and supporting Speak Off. In June, her club presented her with a Hope Medal.

**The Manitoba Lion 5M13
Newsletter has gone digital.**

Visit 5m13lions.org
to download the bi-monthly newsletter
or sign up to receive email updates.

We invite all Lions Clubs
to submit news and photos to
info@5m13lions.org
for the Manitoba Lion
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On Friday, June 7, members of the Wawanesa Lions Club and the grade one class of Wawanesa School met together at the Lions Clubhouse to celebrate the 2019 edition of Lions Project Pride. This special event raises funds for the Lions Foundation of Canada Dog Guides through the sale of flags which are presented to Grade One students all across Canada, thus promoting respect for our flag and pride in being a Canadian. The children also received pins and other goodies to remind them of this special day. After popcorn treats and photos, the students headed back to school having extended the very special bond they have with the Lions through the Reading Action Program, now well established in both grades one and two.

Lion Margaret Martin, Wawanesa Lions Club



Project Pride

Crystal City Lions speaking to the grade one class in Crystal City Early Years about our great country, Canada. This is a Lions service that we do for the grade one class every year. The students have an interactive session with a Lion talking about the Canadian Flag, then each student receives a Canadian Flag, Canada lapel pin and a printed certificate. Submitted by Lion Cheryl McKitrick



Lion Bill McKitrick, Lion Cheryl McKitrick and Lioness Jane Grice of Crystal City Lions Club doing the annual Kindergarten finger printing for each student in CCEY.



Lions Foundation of Canada Dog Guides Interim Chief Operating Officers

The Board of Directors of Lions Foundation Canada/Dog Guides Canada wishes to advise you, that effective September 1, 2019, Ms. Julie Jelinek, Director of Development and Mr. Dan Marlatt, Controller, will be leading the day to day operations of LFC as Interim Chief Operating Officers. This will continue until a new executive director has been appointed by the Board of Directors, which should be later this fall.

Dan and Julie will lead this transition period as they jointly take on the duties of the executive director position while continuing the responsibilities of their current positions within the organization.

We thank our current executive director for her dedication and support as we move forward during this interim period. Sandy Turney will continue in a part time role as capital campaign coordinator effective September 1st.

Julie can be contacted at:

jjelinek@dogguides.com or 905.842.2891, ext. 223

Dan can be contacted at:

dmarlatt@dogguides.com or 905.842.2891, ext. 229

DISTRICT 5M-13 CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

Annual General Meeting - Russell, Manitoba November 16, 2019

RESOLUTIONS

CONSTITUTION

1. ARTICLE IV, Section I, K - Page 6

Whereas, the Protocol, Lion Tamer, and Sergeant of Arms positions are no longer combined,

Whereas, Article V, Section IV (Page 12) specifies such appointments, and

Whereas, the Protocol chairperson's position is necessary,

BE IT RESOLVED THAT only the Protocol position be retained to read: "The International Protocol position be held by the highest ranking District Lion".

2. ARTICLE IV, Section 1, L - Page 6

Whereas, clarification is needed regarding the Global Action Team (GAT),

BE IT RESOLVED THAT "The Global Action Team (GAT) involves the Global Membership Team (GMT), the Global Leadership Team (GLT), and the Global Service Team (GST)".

3. ARTICLE IV, Section IV, C. - Page 7

Whereas, the Constitution and By-Law Committee is responsible for the 5M-13 Constitution and By-Laws,

BE IT RESOLVED THAT in the fourth line drop the word "various" and the letter "s" on the plural of constitutions.

The item will then read:

"The Past District Governor's Association of District 5M-13 shall be the District's Constitution and By-Laws Committee. It shall maintain the Constitution of the District and present the changes to the membership as required . . ."

ARTICLE V, Section I, e) - Page 8/9

Whereas a chartered club may fail to meet the obligations of this Association,

BE IT RESOLVED THAT any chartered club which shall fail to meet any obligation to this Association may, at the direction of the International Board of Directors and in consultation with the District Governor, be placed on status quo, or have its charter cancelled. Any club placed on status quo shall forfeit all rights and privileges pending final determination of its status by said Board.

1.

5. ARTICLE V, Section I, f) - Page 8/9

Whereas a chartered club may seek acceptance from the International Board of Directors for club resignation,

BE IT RESOLVED THAT any chartered club may resign from this Association and said resignation shall become effective upon acceptance thereof by the International Board of Directors. This board may withhold acceptance; however, until all indebtedness has been paid, all club funds and property disposed of, the club charter has been returned, and all rights to the use of the name "LIONS", the emblem and other insignia of this association has been surrendered.

6. ARTICLE V, Section VI - Page 11

Whereas Districts are no longer required to send their financial statements to Lions International and the Multiple District Office, and

Whereas procedures may change which necessitates a different approach,

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the District Finance Committee shall appoint a qualified individual to complete an annual review of the books and accounts of the Cabinet Secretary/Treasurer. A financial statement shall be made available to each club in the District if required.

BY-LAWS

7. ARTICLE I, Section V - Page 17

The first sentence reads: "The District Governor shall cause an election for Directors on the Lions Foundation of Manitoba and Northwestern Ontario, Inc." and the Lions Foundation of Manitoba and Northwestern Ontario, Inc. at each District Convention."

Whereas larger areas from which to select officers has become more common, and

Whereas one area would not require obtaining a Director from a designated area,

BE IT RESOLVED THAT Section B (Directors elected from areas), C (the three areas) and D (rotation of election) be deleted, and

FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT Article I, Section V, with B, C, and D dropped, replace them with a new B. to read: "One Director to be elected annually at the District Convention"."

2.

8. ARTICLE I, Section V, E. - Page 18

This section presently reads: *The existing Lions Foundation of Manitoba and Northwestern Ontario and the Lions Eye Bank of Manitoba and Northwest Ontario be hereafter referred to as "The Lions Eye Bank of Manitoba and Northwest Ontario, Inc." and "The Lions Eye Bank of Manitoba and Northwestern Ontario, Inc." These two organizations remain as two branches of the new umbrella name and the improvements to the organization includes, but not limited to" one employee, one Board of Directors - three from the Canadian portion of each District, 5M10, 5M11 and 5M13, administrative costs in the range of 12-14 percent, a policy manual including an annual review, and a revised employee job description.*

Whereas District 5M-13 should not have anything to do with the structure of the Lions Foundation and Lions Eye Bank as this is in their By-Laws (Article VIII, Item 8.1 - Page 7),

BE IT RESOLVED THAT Article I, Section V, E. be deleted from the District 5M-13 Constitution and By-Laws.

9. ARTICLE I, Section V, F. - Page 18

This Section presently reads: *District 5M-13 approves the Constitution and by-laws for The Lions Eye Bank of Manitoba and Northwest Ontario, Inc. and The Lions Foundation of Manitoba and Northwestern Ontario, Inc.*

Whereas District 5M-13 has a policy regarding constitution and by-law changes (Article VIII, Section I - Page 15), and

Whereas additional wording further clarifies the approval process,

BE IT RESOLVED THAT requests for changes to the constitution and by-laws be forwarded to the District 5M-13 Cabinet, which presents resolutions to its delegates at the Annual General Meeting, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the delegates at the 5M-13 District Convention approve changes/amendments to the constitution, including those for The Lions Foundation of Manitoba and Northwestern Ontario, Inc. and The Lions Eye Bank of Manitoba and Northwest Ontario, Inc

10. ARTICLE II, Section I, B- Page 18

The present wording reads: *Promote the knowledge of Lions and Lions activities through a newsletter to each Lion member in District 5M-13. The newsletter is to be known as the "District 5M13 Manitoba Lion" and to have no less than ten (10) issues per year".*

Whereas further clarification of the publication process is helpful,

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the following

change replace the present wording:

“Promote the knowledge of Lions and Lion activities through a newsletter that will be emailed to each club member in District 5M13 whose email address has been shared with the publisher. The newsletter is to be known as “District 5M13 Manitoba Lion”. Each club will receive two (2) mailed copies per issue, and each member who has shared their email address with the publisher will receive emails with current information between issues as required”.

3.

11. ARTICLE II, Section I, G d) - Page 18

Whereas the “Audit/Review” from Section VI on page 11 has been removed (Resolution 6),

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the word “Ensure” replaces the word “Provide”.

Item G. d) will then read: *“Ensure for an annual (or more frequent) audit of the books and accounts of the cabinet Treasurer and/or secretary and set up a definite schedule of dates, times, and places of Cabinet meetings to be held during the year”.*

12. ARTICLE II, Section II, III and IV - Pages 19 & 20

Whereas it would be more effective to have the Vice District Governors as members of the Global Action Team,

BE IT RESOLVED THAT in Section II, g) - First Vice District Governor - replace the words “Work with” with “Be a member of” to read:

“Be a member of the Global Action Team (GAT) which includes the Global Membership Team (GMT), Global Leadership Team (GLT), Global Service Team (GST), and the Convention Committee and assist them in reaching their goals for the year”, and

FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT in Section III, b) - Second Vice District Governor - replace the words “Work with” with “Be a member of” to read:

“Be a member of the Global Action Team (GAT) which includes the Global Membership Team (GMT), Global Leadership Team (GLT), Global Service Team (GST), and the Convention Committee and assist them in reaching their goals for the year”, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT in Section IV, b) - Third Vice District Governor - replace the word “Assist” with “Be a member of” to read:

“Be a member of the Global Action Team (GAT), and assist the Global Membership Team (GMT) and Global Leadership Team (GLT) in the areas of effective membership growth, new club organization, member retention, leadership development and member orientation”.

13. ARTICLE II, Section V, a. - Page 20

Whereas Lions International no longer requires Cabinet minutes,

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the words “and the office of Lions International” be dropped”.

This item Section V, a. of the cabinet secretary would then read:

“Keep an accurate record of the proceedings of all meetings of the Cabinet, and written fifteen (15) days after each meeting forward copies of the same to all members of the cabinet”.

4.

14. ARTICLE II, Section V, b. - Page 20

Whereas the distribution of Cabinet minutes have changed, **BE IT RESOLVED THAT** after District Convention add the words “Business Meeting” and drop the rest of the statement.

The item Article II, Section V. b. would then read:

“Take and keep minutes of the District Convention Business Meeting”.

15. ARTICLE II, Section V, f. - a new item for Page 21

Whereas both Multiple District 5M and Lions Clubs International require the names of the incoming District Governor and the Vice District Governors,

BE IT RESOLVED THAT a new item “f.” be added to read:

Complete and send Form DA-901, which is the Multiple Office reporting Form (incoming District Governor and Vice District Governors) to the Multiple District Executive Secretary and to Lions Clubs International immediately following the District Conventions.

16. Add a new Section VI for the “District Administrator” and change the following Section numbers accordingly.

ARTICLE II, Section VI - Page 21

Whereas a District may appoint a District Administrator to assist the District Governor, “Article II - Duties” needs to include a description for this position,

BE IT RESOLVED THAT a new Section VI - District Administrator be added and if the District Governor decides to appoint someone to act as the District Administrator the “Access to MYLCI Form” needs to be sent to Lions clubs International (LCI) by the District Governor Elect by mid June, so that the position can take immediate effect after the International Convention in July.

The job description includes the following:

a) Assist the District Governor and Club Secretaries as requested.

b) Forward emails to clubs from the District Governor as requested.

c) Assist club secretaries with reporting procedures and give online training as requested

d) Correspond with LCI if requested by clubs with their concerns.

e) Annually in March, start working with club secretaries to collect “New Officers” information for the coming Lions year. When correct, update the member profile in MYLCI.

f) Assist and update club member’s information in MYLCI as requested by the Club Secretaries.

g) Follow up monthly with clubs who are not reporting to MYLCI and MyLion.

h) Monitor the “Monthly Club Health Record and RECAP of Accounts Form” and share with the Global Action Team the clubs that are in arrears.

i) Send reminders to clubs who qualify for the “Club Excellence Award”.

j) Present at District Leadership seminars if requested by the Global Action Team.

Lions Quest Fellowship

Lions Clubs around the world live by the motto WE SERVE. We address big issues like hunger and devastation and we address smaller issues like vision and hearing screening and eye glasses. One issue that we are all aware of is the increase of bullying and violence within in our world. Social media gives people anonymity to say hurtful and hateful things. No surprise then, that our children and youth are learning the same distressing behaviours. Lions do not have a solution to this BUT we do have a way to assist other adults and community members to help us to help our children and youth recognize that there are alternative behaviours that they can learn so that they do not have to grow up with the bullying and violence.

We often say that young people are our future but we often forget that they are also our present. What are we doing to give them a better environment than they currently have? Lions around the world are just now discovering the power of what we have had in Canada for over 35 years - Lions Quest. Our Lions and Clubs need to rediscover it.

The Lions in 5M13 can help!

We need the financial support of every Lions Club in District 5M13. If each club would include financial support of Lions Quest Canada in the yearly budget, we could be assured that this programme and workshops can and will grow and change lives. Your Club can make a direct contribution to Lions Quest Canada, donate at the Parade of Green, or purchase a Lions Quest Fellowship in honour of some Lion or community member who is currently making a difference in the lives of children and youth. It could be a dedicated coach or volunteer school helper or Sunday School Teacher or any other adult who helps our children and youth. The Fellowship costs \$500 and is beautiful tribute to someone who is living our motto of WE SERVE by working with our children and youth.

Lions Quest Fellowship

Supporting Lions Quest Canada with a donation or the purchase of a Fellowship helps Canadian Lions ensure that our Lions Quest programs are meeting the curriculum outcomes of Canadian school systems.



Please make Lions Quest Canada a regular budget line every year so that our children learn that bullying and violence both physical and verbal do not need to be a part of their future. As Helen Keller told us, "Alone we can do so little, together we can do so much."

How can I support the Lions Quest Program in Canada?

The Lions Quest Fellowship was established in 2003 to recognize Lions and Lioness Club members and other deserving recipients who truly care about Canadian children, regardless of the challenges they may face or the gifts they may possess. Lions Quest Fellows will receive the new award pictured above and a lapel pin.

The Lions Quest Fellowship funds will be used to promote, enhance and expand the work being done to 'empower adults to develop healthy, capable young people of strong character' – our Mission.

Who can receive a Lions Quest Fellowship?

The Fellowship is an honour given to individuals for a contribution of \$500 in support of Lions Quest Programs in Canada. The Fellowship may be given in memory of a deceased individual and is prepared for presentation based on the information provided by the donor.

Contributions to the Lions Quest Fellowship can be made in installments over a period of three years at a minimum amount of \$100 per installment. Contributions can be made to the Fellowship by individuals including non-Lions Club members, clubs, districts or multiple districts. Please allow 4-6 weeks for delivery.

How can I apply for a Lions Quest Fellowship?

On the reverse you will find the application form. Please complete the application and mail it along with your payment to – Lions Quest Fellowship, Lions Quest Canada, 427 Elgin St North, Unit 1, Cambridge, ON N1R 8G4.

Who do I contact if I need more information?

Please feel free to write to us at the address provided above or contact us via telephone at 800.265.2680, fax at 519.624.3354 or email at qbear@lionsquest.ca.

Lions Quest Fellowship
Lions Quest Canada, 427 Elgin Street N, Unit 1, Cambridge, ON N1R 8G4
www.lionsquest.ca

The Lions Quest Fellowship Application

1. Recipient

Check here if the recipient is to be named later []

Name _____
(exactly as name should appear on Fellowship)

Address _____

Is the recipient a Lion/Lioness?
(please circle if so)

Club Name _____

District _____

Check if the recipient is deceased []
If recipient is deceased, please print the name and address of the individual to whom the Fellowship is to be presented.

Name _____

Address _____

2. Donor

Complete this portion only if the donor is different from the recipient.

Donation made by (please circle):

Individual Club District

Multiple District Other

Club Name _____

District _____

Is the donor a Lion/Lioness?
(please circle if so)

Donor Name _____

Donor Address _____

Note: If there is more than one donor, please attach a list of donors and the amount contributed by each.

For office use only –

SA _____

E _____

S _____

3. Payment (please check all that apply)

[] Cheque/bank draft/money order payable to **Lions Quest Canada**

[] Installment – minimum of \$100 – must be completed in 3 years from first installment date.

[] Use Lions Quest Fellowship funds previously donated for an unnamed recipient as received from _____

Credit Card: Visa [] Mastercard []

Card Number _____

Expiry Date _____

In the amount of \$ _____

Print the name of cardholder as it appears on the card

Signature of cardholder

4. Shipping Instructions

Print name, address (street number and name only please), telephone, fax and email information of individuals to whom the Fellowship is to be sent. **Please allow 4-6 weeks for delivery.**

Name _____

Address _____

Daytime Telephone Number _____

Fax Number _____

Email _____

5. Special Instructions

Please note the date if the Fellowship is being awarded in conjunction with a special event.

5M13 Lions Quest workshop in Brandon, October 25

Sponsored by: Lions District 5M13



DATE:

Friday, October 25, 2019

LOCATION:

Victoria Inn Conference Centre
3550 Victoria Ave.
Brandon, MB

TIME:

9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Who Should Attend?

Educators and others who deliver regular programming to children and youth from JK to Grade 12.

To Register and for more information, please contact:

Lion Gwen Argue
Email: gwenargue@gmail.com
Phone: 204-764-0167

Registration Deadline:

Friday, September 27, 2019
Space is limited - register early to avoid disappointment!

Positive Practical Powerful

Lions Quest JK to Grade 12 Workshop Social Emotional Learning



\$50.00 (\$395 value)

Generously sponsored by the Lions Clubs of District 5M13

Lions Quest is a Social Emotional Learning program in use by educators in over 90 countries around the world. Lessons take only 20-30 minutes per week and the professional development workshops are active, engaging, fun, and effective.

Learn how to create a relationship-centred learning community to help students:

- Develop positive behaviours such as self-discipline, good judgement, and responsibility
- Practice Skills and strategies to resolve conflicts peacefully
- Learn the importance of respecting others
- Celebrate Diversity
- Embrace a healthy, drug-free approach to life

A Professional Development Opportunity Facilitated by:

www.lionsquest.ca





DR. PATTI HILL ZONE CHAIR AWARD

PHYSICAL AWARD

Boxed set of Dr. Patti Hill Campaign pins.

HOW AWARDED

ZONE CHAIR presents

ONE AWARD to ONE CLUB within ONE'S ZONE

for every year DR. PATTI HILL is a LIONS CLUB INTERNATIONAL OFFICER.
(5 years, starting with the 2019-2020 Lions year.)

CRITERIA FOR PRESENTING AWARD

This list is a guide for determining the winner BUT only a guide to compare clubs.

- one major community project
- one fund-raising project
- one community volunteer project
- attendance at Zone Meetings
- attendance at District Convention
- support for District Projects (financially or otherwise) ie; The Lions Foundation of Manitoba & Northwestern Ontario Inc. - any/all of (Medical Assistance Program (MAP), Hearing, Rural Housing, KidSight), The Lions Eye Bank of Manitoba & Northwest Ontario Inc., LCIF., Lions Speak Off, District Golf, Dog Guides, Diabetes, District Curling, & Memorial Park

PRESENTATION

Award to be presented at the District Convention one year after the determination year.
ie. 2019 - 2020 winner to be presented at 2020 - 2021 Convention.

NOTE: This is to continue as long as the District Convention is held in November.

5M13 Lions Club Directory



AUSTIN & AREA LIONS CLUB

P: Doug Hodgins; S: Chad Bobnarchuk

BINSCARTH LIONS CLUB

P: Megan Kowalchuk; S: Jean Thompson

BIRTLE & DISTRICT LIONS CLUB

P: Fred Barteaux; S: Sherri Juba

BOISSEVAIN LIONS CLUB

P: Murray Fingus; S: Melanie Beard

BOWSMAN & DISTRICT LION CLUB

P: Keith Behrmann; S: Karen Cleaver

BRANDON LIONS CLUB

P: Larry Mennie; S: Carl Wlock

BRANDON WHEAT CITY LIONS

P: Dennis Hunt; S: Jeff Sim

CRYSTAL CITY LIONS CLUB

P: Mark Fallis; S: Cheryl McKitrick

DAUPHIN LIONS CLUB

P: Russell Yakubchak; S: Fred Taylor

ELPHINSTONE LIONS CLUB

P: Dennis Rogasky; S: Lee-Ann Syganiec

ERICKSON LIONS CLUB

P: Lloyd Babcock; S: Arthur Platt

ETHELBERT LIONS CLUB

P: Art Ainsworth; S: Rhonda Fillion

FLIN FLON LIONS CLUB

P: Alan French; S: Debbie Kuzub

GILBERT PLAINS LIONS CLUB

P: Harley Grouette; S: Frank Grogan

HAMIOTA LIONS CLUB

P: Ryan Hamilton; S: Elgin Rogers

HOLLAND & AREA LIONS CLUB

P: Bradley Verniest; S: Brian Drummond

HOLLAND & AREA LIONESS CLUB

P: Laurel Walker; S: Margaret Fraser

KELWOOD LIONS CLUB

P: Duane Stewart; S: Trici Dash

KENTON & AREA LIONS CLUB

P: Ross Butler; S: Marvin Wiens

MACGREGOR LIONS CLUB

P: Ken Hodge; S: Myrna Miles

MELITA & AREA LIONS CLUB

P: Jagdish Tilokani; S: Eleanor Renwick

MINITONAS & DISTRICT LIONS

P: Brett Church; S: Steffan Adamchuck

MINNEDOSA LIONS CLUB

P: Catharina Gijbers; S: Lorna Hislop

MORDEN & DISTRICT LIONS CLUB

P: Lorraine Holenski; S: Cheryl Peters

NEEPAWA LIONS CLUB

P: Thomas Borsa; S: Donald Chubey

OAK LAKE & AREA LIONS

P: Omer Champigny; S: Travis Wallace

OAKBURN LIONS CLUB

P: Kevin Stebeleski; S: Devon Mackie

OAKVILLE & AREA LIONS CLUB

P: Kenji Otsuji; S: Robert Erickson

PINE RIVER LIONS CLUB

P: Garry Urbanowski; S: Darlene Nakonechny

PIPESTONE LIONS CLUB

P: Garth Elliott; S: Brenda Bohne

PLUMAS LIONS CLUB

P: Sharni Schettler; S: Doreen Smith

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE LIONS CLUB

P: Kathleen Barteaux; S: Catherine Humphrey

LA PRAIRIE LIONESS CLUB

P: Anne Peters; S: Sharon Williams

RAPID CITY & AREA LIONS

P: Ken Black; S: Ken Hyndman

RIVERS & AREA LIONS CLUB

P: Don Montague; S: Deborah Webster

ROSSBURN LIONS CLUB

P: Mark Wood; S: Nancy Drul

RUSSELL & AREA LIONS CLUB

P: Roger Cochrane; S: Haley Kuhl

SANDY LAKE LIONS CLUB

P: Garth Andrew; S: Sylvia Budd

SHOAL LAKE LIONS CLUB

P: Rosana Neufeld; S: Isobel Basso

SINCLAIR & AREA LIONS CLUB

P: Bradley Henderson; S: Logan Jackson

SOMERSET LIONS CLUB

P: Jeff Desrochers; S: Vacant

STONEWALL LIONS CLUB

P: Shohn Godin; S: Ashley Huewan

STRATHCLAIR LIONESS CLUB

P: Diane Arnfinson

STRATHCLAIR LIONS CLUB

P: Jim Wilson; S: Wayne Pearen

SWAN LAKE LIONS CLUB

P: Geraldine Campbell; S: Corinna Delaquis

SWAN RIVER LIONS CLUB

P: Alvin Karton; S: Glen McKenzie

TEULON & AREA LIONS CLUB

P: Wray Whitmore; S: Rene Bouvier]

THOMPSON LIONS CLUB

P: Keith MacDonald; S: Daniel Hunt

VIRDEN LIONS CLUB

P: Jack Forsyth; S: Paula Brazil

WARREN & DISTRICT LIONS CLUB

P: Stu Bangle; S: Doug Hogg

WARREN HERIZON LIONS CLUB

P: Irene Tully; S: Sharon Neely

WASKADA LIONS CLUB

P: Linda Hainsworth; S: Audrey Dickinson

WAWANESA LIONS CLUB

P: John Peters; S: Beth Smale

DISTRICT 5M13 EXECUTIVE 2018-2019

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Lion Gord Kingdon

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ZONE 5: Gareth Boys
ZONE 6: Paula Brazil
ZONE 7: ----
ZONE 8: Barb Hurd
ZONE 9: Anita Hart
ZONE 10: Cheryl McKitrick
ZONE 11: Anita Hart

Global Leadership: Gord Kingdon
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McKitrick

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Lions Hearing, Can. Div:
Shannon Dueck, Helmut Neufeld
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Lions Quest: Gwen Argue
Peace Poster: DG Lion Gareth Boys
Speak Off: Willie Brown
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