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January 19, 2019

Food and drink available.

Day will conclude with a banquet and prize presentation.

Entry fee - \$200 per rink.

Registration deadline - JAN. 5, 2019

TEAM DRESS IS EXPECTED.

More details inside.

YES you can HELP

The committee for the campaign to elect **Dr. Patti Hill as 3rd International Vice President of LCI.** is asking every Canadian to help.

How can you help you ask? First of all financially.

The election will be in Milan, Italy so the budget here will be enormous. Also Dr. Patti must become known worldwide - forums, speaking engagements, visits to many countries. Another large budget item.



PID Dr Patti Hill, candidate for International 3rd Vice President

The committee will not determine the size of your club's donation or the size of your contribution. They are asking you to help in whatever way you can. 5M13 Cabinet has started the Manitoba donations off with \$5,000 on your behalf (buying pins and giving cash).

Now they ask for your help. Beside financial help it is now time to talk about our candidate's readiness and ability to serve the world of Lionism.

At the same time the committee is suggesting methods to raise money in your communities. For example - a pancake breakfast, poor person's lunch (pork and beans), school band concert, stage play, turkey shoot, bingo, chase the ace, hockey night, curling, etc.

I am sure there are more ways.

As Judge Brian Stevenson says, "Now is the right time. We have the right candidate. It is our turn."

In 100 years of Lionism Canada has had just FOUR Presidents:

1924/25 Harry Newman 1949/50 Waltexr Fisher 1973/74 Tris Coffin

1987/88 Judge Brian Stevenson

Donations can be sent to: Dr. Patti Hill Campaign c/o PCC. Lynne Coulter 11305 - 103 Street Grande Prairie, AB T8V 2Y6



May the magic of Christmas fill your life with joy and peace.
Best wishes to you and your family during this holiday season.

District Governor Lion Gareth and Linda Boys



Governor Gareth's Gatherings

My last ManLion gathering painted a different picture of the harvest than what was experienced. Who knew the weather would unfortunately turn the way it did. I know our farming community will recover.

The District Convention in November was a success. There was great participation of Lions from all over the District. Lions from the US travelled a long way to be part of the convention and we thank them for that.

Thank you to all the first time convention attendees. I hope you enjoyed the experience and that you will make this an annual event. To the attendees that always attend; thank you, you are the backbone of this event.

International Director, Don Noland, and his partner Lion Betty from St. Peters, Missouri involved themselves in everything from the time they arrived.

Both spoke of membership and increasing our female percentage.

Chairperson, Lion Lorna will have a convention report elsewhere in the ManLion.

Linda and I have travelled to Morden, Waskada (rabbit feed), Austin and Flin Flon. We thank all those clubs for welcoming us as they have with accommodation, great meals and friendship. Presentations to many Lions for membership, service and Melvin Jones awards have been highlights of our visits.

Upcoming visits before Christmas include MacGregor, Melita, Swan River, Bowsman, Minitonas and Erickson. Please contact me to arrange a visit to your club as dates are filling up.

My project this year is to promote the awareness of Childhood Cancer and how we as Lions can become involved in support for a child and their families.

The District is looking for a District Childhood Cancer chairperson. Please contact me if you are interested in becoming more involved and would like more information.

International Lions President Gudrun is promoting NEW VOICES, which recognizes women in Lions in the areas of marketing, membership, service and leadership. I will be talking about this initiative at my next club visits.

Thank you to everyone who helped make the Convention at the Elkhorn Resort a success and now is the time to start planning for Russell, Birtle and Binscarth Convention in Russell in 2019.

Keep up the good work Lions. Linda and I look forward to seeing you at our next club visit.

District Governor Gareth

The Journey for Sight



January 15 - 19, 2019

Join us to help raise money for The Lions Eye Bank and enjoy a fun filled few days by becoming

a rider or support crew member.

Info contact Journey for Sight Chair Lion Brad Henderson brad3187@icloud.com or 204-877-3187

Legs from the North, South, East and West. NOTE: If not enough snow in certain areas for snowmobiles to travel, an alternate support team will be coming to your community.

WIN A 2018 Renegade Sport 600 E.S. Black

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Proceeds are going towards the Lions Eye Bank of Manitoba and Northwestern Ontario. Tickets only \$5 each. Available from riders and support crew.

Draw will be made on February 19, 2019 at the Birtle Drop In Centre in Birtle, MB. License number LGA-2430-RF-29754 • Must be 18 years of age or older to participate





District Governor Elect, Dwayne Moncur



Allow me to introduce myself. My name is Lion Dwayne Moncur, District Governor Elect.

My wife Lion Barb and I have been married for 31 years. We have two children - son Evan, wife Tracy and grandson Callum live in Calgary. Our daughter Bailey resides in Brandon.

We have been members of the Birtle Lions Club for the past eight years. In that time, I have served as President, Vice President and Zone Chair. I am the current Cabinet Secretary and look after the Journey for Sight Raffle Tickets.

Due to my job we have moved a few times. We have lived in Brandon, Boissevain, Moosehorn, and Birtle, Manitoba.

Limerick, Montmartre, Saskatoon and Redvers, Saskatchewan.

We have been in Birtle for eight years

where I work for the Twin Valley Co-op, our longest and hopefully last stop.

There have been opportunities to attend training workshops and conventions, and this has allowed us to meet many Lions from all over Manitoba and into Minnesota. I have found there are many knowledgeable Lion members that are willing to answer questions and provide guidance if needed, they are just an email away.

One of the roles of the DG is to develop a list of goals that will strengthen and promote the Lions within 5M13. That list will be completed over the next while. I am looking forward to my future role as District Governor and the opportunity for both Lion Barb and I to visit the clubs within our district.

Thank you for all you do to support Lions.

District Governor Elect, Dwayne Moncur



5M13 LIONS 2019 CURLING BONSPIEL

AT WAWANESA, MANITOBA
ONE DAY ONLY - JANUARY 19, 2019
AT WAWANESA RECREATION CENTRE

Food and drink available at the curling club. Day will conclude with a banquet and prize presentation.

Entry fee - \$200 per rink. Registration deadline - JANUARY 5, 2019
Each rink will be phoned with the time for their first game.
For additional information call Lion Mike at 204-721-0938 or Lion Jaye at 204-824-2722.
TEAM DRESS IS EXPECTED.

Entry form and \$200 entry fee payment to be mailed to Wawanesa Lions Club Box 376, Wawanesa MB ROK 2G0

by Janaury 5, 2019.

Please make cheques payable to Wawanesa Lions club

Lions Club
Rink Name
Two contacts needed (and should be easily available). name and phone and email
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Christmas at the Park

by LION LORNA HISLOP

Nestled on the edge of Riding Mountain National Park, Elkhorn Resort, Spa and Conference Centre welcomed Lions from all over Manitoba and parts of Minnesota for the 34th Annual 5M13 Lions District Convention.

What excitement in the air as Lions greeted their old friends! Friday evening was opened by Reedy Creek Rival, a Metis trio who came to us from the South of the Narrows on the west shore of Lake Manitoba. Darcy Mancheese, Sandy Campbell and Malcolm Campbell's love of the traditional country/western, bluegrass and blues music entertained the crowd. We were delighted to have a devilish imp show up!

We began our Saturday by remembering those Lion members who have passed. As "Dancing in the Sky" was played, members of the Minnedosa Lions Club hung a snowflake on the Christmas tree in their memory.



Lion Cheryl McKitrick spending time visiting with New Lions from Sandy Lake Lions Club. Lion Cheryl, Lion Mark Wahoski, Lion Sylvia Budd, Lion Blake Budd and Lion Darcy Wahoski. These wonderful Lions joined our great organization November 1, 2018. Wow, and they came to our convention. These new Lions are very eager and enthusiastic about Lions, and it was awesome being able to tell them about all the good things Lions do for people and communities in need.

We were excited to welcome 10 young people for our Speak-Off competition. This is always such a delightful part of the Convention and this year we were not disappointed. Once again, we were treated to some very good presentations. (See Lion Willie's full report). We also welcomed Mikayla Riffel, her aunt Kari and

grandmother Darcie for lunch. Mikayla was recognized for her work of collecting pop tabs for wheelchairs (see full report). It is moments like this that we know our world will be in good hands with kind and caring youth like Mikayla.

Lunch was interrupted by a band of "Mobsters and their gals" from the Birtle/

Binscarth/Russell Clubs who burst onto the scene with their guns drawn daring everyone to make an appearance at the 35th Annual Convention in Russell from November 15 – 17, 2019. You had better be prepared to show up or you could find yourselves in some trouble!!!

Our afternoon sessions brought us some information from PDG Roger Palmer about the Global Leadership team – resources readily available to all Clubs - "We Just Have To Ask!" Doug

Mackie introduced us to Men's Shed – an idea that is quickly catching on in Canada. A place where men can get together to socialize, keep busy and find the support from other men. A great project!

Saturday evening is always a special time for us! Piper

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The 5M13 Convention Committee thank the following businesses For their support of our 34th Annual District Convention:

Heritage Co-op Compass Credit Union Parkway Insurance Barnaby's Grill **Lakewood Hills Golf Course**

Minty's Moving The Clean Machine True Grit - Derek Dudman Arthur Platt. Barrister & Solictor Gord's Plumbing & Heating



Pugh's Pumping Ken Beatty Construction

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Dan Jardine piped in our Head table and the membership was treated to a delicious meal of turkey and the trimmings by Chef Dan! After our meal, the evening began with the presentation of a Melvin Iones award to Lion Greg Thompson from the Dauphin Club. Family and friends were on hand to see Lion Greg be recognized for his years of service and dedication to Lions. ID Don Noland didn't disappoint us! It was such a great pleasure to have him and Lion Betty with us this weekend.

More awards followed: Lion Helmut Neufeld was awarded the Melvin Jones award; Lion Cheryl McKitrick was given the International Gudrun Yngvadottir's Leadership Medal; Lion Sharon Brooks was presented with the President's medal in recognition of her work with Diabetes; and the International President's Certificate of Appreciation was presented to Lion Willie Brown; Lion Jaye Smale and Lion Lorna Hislop.

The evening ended with a live auction; draws for the rainbow auction and early bird registration draw.

Thank you to Rob and Sandra Lawrence from the Morden Club for donating the 10 Terry McLean plates. We were able to raise \$650 from the auction and this was donated back to LCIF. The early bird registration draw was won by Lion Don Martin. The 50/50 raffle draw was made and the winner - Dean Gunnerson from Onanole won \$3,060. Thanks to all who supported this initiative. Our rainbow auction raised \$837. The evening wasn't over with yet - oh no!! DJ Denis had more fun up his sleeve.



ID Don Noland and DG Gareth Boys (back row left) presented awards to: (left to right) Lion Greg Thompson (Melvin Jones Award), Lion Cheryl McKitrick (International Gudrun Yngvadottir's Leadership Medal), Lorna Hislop (President's Certificate of Appreciation), Jaye Smale (President's Certificate of Appreciation), Sharon Brooks (President's Medal in recognition of her work with Diabetes), Willie Brown (President's Certificate of Appreciation) and Lion Helmut Neufeld (Melvin Jones Award).

Sunday was filled with much more. ID Don shared his message about membership. This was followed by a presentation from Heather Balentine and Viva; and Tracy Dexlar and Keats - Two young moms who have children with autism and how DogGuides have impacted their families. Their powerful emotional message touched us all and there wasn't a dry eye in the hall. It is messages like this that reminds us all why we are LIONS and what we do is making an impact. A donation of \$837, raised from the Rainbow Auction, was made to DogGuides!

Congratulations to incoming DG Lion Dwayne Moncur; incoming 1st Vice – Lion Anita Hart; Incoming 2nd Vice – Lion Chris Miles and incoming 3rd Vice – Lion Denis Deslauriers!! We would also like to con-

gratulate the Wawansea Lions Club on their bid for the 2019 District Curling Bonspiel coming up in early 2019; and the Shoal Lake Lions Club on their bid for the 2019 District Golf Tournament.

We would like to thank everyone who attended the 34th Annual District Convention.

Parade of Green Totals from the District 5M13 Convention November 2018

Donations came from 37 Lions clubs and 2 Lioness club

Lions Foundation of Man. NW Ont. MAP	\$14,225.00
Lions Eyebank	1,350.00
Kid Sight	2,300.00
Journey for Sight	1,100.00
Lions Hearing	5,525.00
Diabetes	4,125.00
Cavalcade for Diabetes	3,750.00
Harry Neuman Award	800.00
Lions Foundation of Canada (Dog Guides)	11,360.00
LCIF	4,775.00
Lions Quest	2,750.00
Youth Exchange	1,350.00
Rural Housing	200.00
Total	\$53,610,00

November 16-17-18, 2019 **Elkhorn Resort**





message about membership

Thank you to DG Nadeen Lunde 5M-1 for taking photos at the convention. Well enjoyed.



PDG Lloyd McCabe



International Director Don Norland and PDG Gord Kingdon, Leadership Team Coordinator



DG Elect Lion Dwayne Moncur and PDG Bill McKitrick, Treasurer



Words from 1st Vice DG Elect **Lion Anita Hart**



PID Ben Ward asks Clubs for support for Dr Patti Hill on her campaign as Third International Vice President



Incoming 2nd Vice – Lion Chris Miles

Friday Night Christmas Ice Breaker



O FOUNDATION

PDG Lion Helmut Neufeld and Lion Ryan Kirkpatrick

Lions Don and Margaret Martin



Lion Vicki Violet, Executive Sec MD5M, 1st VDGE Lion Anita Hart, and PDG Cheryl McKitrick



Lions Willie Brown and Maria Shinnie



Lions Donna Illerbrun and Betty Noland



DG Nadeen Lunde 5M-1

Mobsters and their gals dare all to make an appearance at Russell for 2019 Convention





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And I was helped because of people like you.

Heather Ballantine and Viva, and Tracy Dexlar and Keats, thanking for what they have done to make their lives better. The foursome made a special visit at the 5M13 Lions Winter Convention, just to say 'thanks'.

These two furry four legged awesome dogs from the Autism Program, Lions Foundation of Canada, have changed the lives for two children with severe autism, and their entire families. The emotional story had a great impact on everyone in the room, and stories like this make Lions proud of the work we do, helping others!



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In Appreciation



A Melvin Jones award was presented to Lion Greg Thompson of the Dauphin Lions Club. Family and friends were on hand to see Lion Greg be recognized for his years of service and dedication to Lions.



ID Don Noland, DG Gareth Boys presenting Lion Cheryl McKitrick with International President Gudrun Yngvadottir Leadership Medal, recognizing her for the Lions support she gives all Lions in our District.



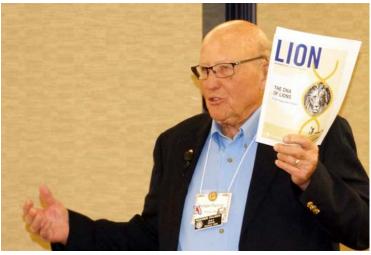
Congratulations Lion Lorna Hislop of Minnedosa Lions Club for organizing a great convention at the Elkhorn Resort and receiving the Presiden'ts Certificate of Appreciation for her hard work. A great weekend.



President's Certificate of Appreciation presented to Lion Willie Brown for his outstanding work organizing the 5M13 Lions Speak Off.



Sharon Brooks receives the President's Medal in recognition of her work campaigning for Diabetes.



PDG Roger Palmer speaks on the Global Leadership team resources readily available to all Clubs -

MD 5M13 Lions Speak-off results

The 2018–19 Speak-Off was held Saturday, November 17, 2018 at the beautiful Elkhorn Ranch Resort in conjunction with our District Convention.

As a hush settled over the Lions, the MD 5M13 Speak-ff was once again underway at the District Convention. We had 10 participants in total speaking on a wide range of topics from "Building a Bale House", to "Trailing Back in Time" and many more to numerous to mention here.

There was laughter, practical information and some thought provoking insight into the minds of our young speech writers.

One young lady when asked about her topic suggested she had been thinking about it for "years and years" which considering her age, raised a few smiles.

The participants were, grades 6-8 Nova Allen (Minnedosa Lions), Kaitlyn and Morgan Hatt (Binscarth Lions) and Justin McKee (Rapid City Lions).

Grades 9-10 Torynn Dmytriw and Elliot MacDonald



Speak-off Chair Lion Willie Brown with the 2019 5M13 Speak-off participants.

(Minnedosa Lions Club).

Grades 11- 12 Rayna Topham (Minnedosa Lions), Lauren McKee (Rapid City Lions), Tess Derksen (Stonewall Lions) and Joryn Buchanan (Crystal City Lions)

Thank you to these Lions for assisting me with the Speak Off, Time Keeper -Chad Bodnarchuk, Questioners – Betty Nolan and Cheryl McKitrick, Judges – Michelle Kaskiw, VDG Dwayne Moncur and International Director Don Nolan.

Unsung Angels, Lion Lorna Hislop and Lion Denis Deslauriers.

After much deliberation the judges, who said it was "a very difficult" task I had given them, passed me their answers to the task.

Grades 6 - 8

1st Place – Kaitlyn Hatt 2nd Place – Justin McKee 3rd Place – Nova Allen

Grades 9-10

1st Place – Torynn Dmytriw 2nd Place – Elliot MacDonald

Grades 11-12

1st Place – Tess Derksen 2nd Place – Lauren McKee 3rd Place – Rayna Topham

Special mention to Joryn Buchanan and Morgan Hatt for helping make the judges day difficult. Thank you for participating and we hope all of you can enter next years Lions Speak-Off.



International Director Don Noland and speak off Chairperson Willie Brown congratulate the Senior group on their speeches and presented the 1st place trophy to Tess Derkson of Stonewall. Second place was Lauren McKee of Rapid City (center) and 3rd place to Rayna Topham of Minnedosa (on left).



Youth collected 125 lbs of tabs





Mikayla Riffel is currently 11 years old in Grade 6 at the Onanole Elementary School.

Mikayla started tab collecting about four years ago. She was very touched by a story that a family friend told her. This friend is a care giver to a little boy from a young family. The boy was not much younger than she was at the time and was confined to a wheelchair. The little guy was growing so fast the family was having a hard time to keep up with the expense of the wheelchair replacement. She thought she had to do something to try to help.

Determination is Mikayla's middle name and the tab collection began that day!

This is 2nd "tab" donation towards the Lions Club she has made. She donated last fall to the Sandy Lake Lions Club approximately 25 lbs.

She enjoyed meeting the Lions and felt so honoured with the time and appreciation that they presented her with the Medal of Hope award. She considered that an honour which she continues to cherish.

This year she donated over 125 lbs of tabs, that she has collect-

ed. 100 lbs more than last year. The "haul of tabs" filled the entire back of her Mom's SUV. Her Dad is happy that he has the reclaimed space in his garage but knows that it will be soon filled up with probably MORE tabs next year.

Mikayla has decided to spear head this task in Onanole but she knows that she has NOT done this alone and has had the help of her wonderful community.

She wishes to specifically thank her family and friends, the OHL team, The Clear Lake Golf course, Bruce Babcyh-Wildlife committee, The McMillan Family, Scot Shellborn and countless others who keep dropping tabs by her house.

There is one very special person from Dauphin who didn't give her / his name, all she knows is he is a Dr. from Dauphin and has collected for almost 30 years providing her with approx. 65lbs alone. THANK YOU!

Thanks to the Lions Club to getting these tabs to a good cause.

See you next year, and lets see how many tabs we can collect this time!

> Written by Mikayla's Mother with Mikayla's two cents thrown in - constantly:)



MIKAYLA RIFFEL



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 still invite all Lions Clubs to submit news and photos to

info@5m13lions.org for the Manitoba Lion 5M13 online publication.

Why should we have a Canadian Executive Officer?

This is a very legitimate question as we ask Individual Lions and their clubs to contribute both time and money to the election process.

I believe we must begin by looking at the reasons we are member of this world-wide organization we call Lions Clubs International. I would suggest that we will find the reasons for membership are quite similar for those of us living in India, Korea, Iceland, Canada or any other of our over 200 countries around the world. Those common reasons are to make our communities and our world a better place in which to live. We Serve!

The very interesting fact of this global fellowship of humanitarians is that there is no mandated or common method to follow in achieving our service goals. We have differing cultural, financial, and political norms that influence our journey to serve.

For these reasons I suggest that it is of great importance to have all these differences represented, over the years, in our international leadership. Each executive officer provides five years of influence in giving direction to the Association. It is to be expected that their culture and beliefs will be reflected in their leadership. It is the melding of these differences that make for a strong global family of Lions. It is important to provide the Canadian perspective to this global development.

It is over 30 years since the world elected Judge Brian Stevenson to serve as International President. Judge Brian has been a strong voice for international service with Canadian values while sharing the values of others that have made Lions Clubs International one of the world's great non-governmental organizations.

Lion Dr. Patti Hill has a professional background in building collaboration and consensus among diverse stakeholders, a skill that she will bring to the executive officer role.

Lion Patti as stated: "I am motivated to help build an effective Association that is readily able to support our individual Lions Clubs. The Association exists to serve Clubs so that Clubs can serve communities, not the other way around." Alberta in 2000.

Since 1985, Dr. Hill has provided consulting services to hospitals, school boards, government departments, and private individuals and agencies across western Canada.

Dr. Hill has taught in Alberta and California. She is a teacher, a certified teacher of the deaf and hard of hearing, a registered psychologist, and a former principal and post-secondary instructor.

Students at the University of Alberta, Grand MacEwan Community College, Pembina Consortium and Red Deer Community College have benefited from Dr. Hill's expertise. Dr. Hill has mentored more than twenty graduate students from the University of Alberta's Deaf Education and Educational Psychology programs, City University and Yorkville University. She has supervised numerous Provisionally Registered Psychologists completing their residency hours.

Dedicated to serving her profession, Dr. Hill served on the Executive of the Alberta School Psychologist Association. In addition, she has served as a contributor to the Alberta Premier's Council on the Status of Persons with Disabilities.

Currently, Dr. Hill is the owner of a consulting firm, working with schools, families, and government agencies to design and support programs and interventions for special needs children and students. The goal: enabling others to excel.

Personal Life: Dr. Hill's professional life of service is complimented by a similar commitment to service in her personal life. Joining the Edmonton Host Lions Club in 1990 has led Patti to a life-long commitment to service and leadership at every level of this international organization. She has provided inspired leadership as a club president, a District Governor and Council Chair, and a two year term as International Director. Dr. Hill is in demand as a global leadership trainer and a motivational speaker throughout the International Association of Lions Clubs. In addition to her Lions club activities, she has served as a volunteer for



PID Dr Patti Hill, candidate for International 3rd Vice President

the Edmonton Blood Services, Heart and Stroke Foundation, and the Alberta Lung Association. She served on the Executive of the Edmonton and Area Famous Five Society, (supporting human rights and young women's leadership). Dr. Hill is a strong supporter of Hope House Orphanage in Chitwan, Nepal. Her many contributions were recognized when she was nominated as Edmonton Woman of the Year 2002.

Greg is also a Lions Club member and the Executive Director for the Lions Villages of Greater Edmonton, and a Past Director of Lions Foundation of Canada. Dr. Hill and her husband Greg Holmes have two children. Pieter is a graduate of the University of Alberta with a B.Sc. and a B.Ed. Jessica has earned a B.A., and her Masters in Information and Library Sciences.

We believe that Dr. Patti Hill has the experience, knowledge and vision to serve our Association as the Third International Vice President.



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

Where There Is A Parade, There Is A Lion





A beautiful Lions statue, the center-piece of the Float is on loan from Shoal Lake Lions Club. We are deeply grateful to Shoal Lake Lions Club, PDG Helmut Neufeld for helping facilitate the project, and also to Lions Don Hardy and Lion Dennis Doerksen for their generosity of time and effort for this project.

This newly designed float entered in the Winnipeg Santa Parade in 2018.

This float is available for any
Lions Club to use
for the only cost of picking it up in Winnipeg.

To book the float contact the Lions Foundation of Man & NW Ontario Office 1-800-552-6820 or info@Lionsfoundation.org.

We are pleased to announce that Lions Rural Housing program is now an Approved Hostel Provider with Manitoba Blue Cross.

This is an important development in lessening the financial burden that often comes with traveling to Winnipeg for medical treatment.

For additional information, contact

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Zone Chair Lion Ryan Kirkpatrick

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ZONE 5:

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Meeting Location:	
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1st	
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Meeting Time:	Dinner meeting?
Will there by 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?
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PINS AND SIGNED CERT	IFICATES READY.
Will Governor be expected to	give out Awards? Yes No
Name the Award (s)	
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Minnedosa Lions Club is proud of their continuing support for TCS breakfast program with a donation of \$1,000.

L-R: Chrissy Dufault (TCS breakfast coordinator) Donna Illerbrun (Minnedosa Lions) Shauna Price (acting TCS administrator).

Boissevain Lions give proceeds of meat draw to Jaws of Life





The Boissevain & Morton Fire Department met their fundraising goal for a new Jaws of Life with the help of many community groups, including the Boissevain Lions Club. For the month of October, the Boissevain Lions Club donated the proceeds of their October meat draw, and also the proceeds from the pancake breakfast at a summer ball tournament. Following a meat draw evening in November, Lions John Smith (left) and Blaine Mains (right) presented a cheque for \$1370 to Boissevain Fireman Mitch Oliver, Logan Graham, Jamie Turner and Fire Chief Martin Paradis.

Reston student wins local competition in Lions Peace Poster contest



Logan Flannery, a 7th grade student at the Reston School, has taken the first step to becoming an internationally recognized artist by winning a local competition sponsored by the Pipestone Lions Club.

Flannery's poster was among more than 450,000 entries submitted worldwide in the annual Lions International Peace Poster Contest. Lions Clubs International is sponsoring the contest to emphasize the importance of world peace to young people everywhere.

"Kindness is a language we can all speak and understand. To show kindness costs nothing, but means everything," the 12-yearold from Pipestone said. The poster was selected by members of the Pipestone Lions Club for its originality, artistic merit and portrayal of the contest theme, "Kindness Matters."

Pipestone Lions Club Co-ordinator, Lion Brenda Bohne, said she was impressed by the expressions and creativity of the students at the Reston School. "It is obvious that these young people have strong ideas about what peace means to them. I'm so proud that we were able to provide them with the opportunity to share their visions."

"Flannery's poster will advance to face stiff competitions through the district, multiple district and international rounds of competition if he is to be declared the international grand prize winner," Lion Bohne said.

"Our club is cheering for Logan as his poster advances in the competition, and we hope that his vision will ultimately be shared with others around the world," Lion Bohne said.

Locally, Flannery was presented with an Achievement Award and a \$50 prize; second place winner, Logan Taylor, received a Certificate of Appreciation and a \$25 prize and seven other participants were acknowledged for their participation by the Pipestone Lions Club.

Wawanesa Lions Country Children Fair









The Wawanesa Lions Country Fair for Children on August 25 was a grand event with a great turnout of children, parents, and grandparents. The enthusiasm was obvious as children visited the petting zoo, rode a horse, participated in a race or a game or bounced on an inflatable. There was a train to ride, trucks and tractors to climb on, food and cotton candy to eat and prizes to be won. The Bubble Man put on a show for everyone to enjoy.

This event was made possible thanks to sponsorship from many businesses in the community. The Lions thanked them for their support with a certificate, letter and a full page advertisement in the Lioness Express.

When the Lions started planning an event for kids for the end of summer, they knew that it would be in harvest time. They knew that they would need help. To the rescue came a group of 23 community volunteers. A big thanks went out to every volunteer, in every age group. They worked hard and many had special skills and useful connections. A special thanks went out to a teen from our community

who was not asked to volunteer. He came to the event to see what was happening. While there, he noticed some children playing a game unsupervised and he stepped in and supervised that spot for the next two hours. What a guy!!

And, of course, the fact that so many people attended was the icing on the cake. Lion Don Martin ran out of popcorn so that says something about the attendance and the enthusiasm of everyone involved. It was a great time.

LITPC to award three Scholarships at \$2500 US each

The Lions International Trading Pin Club (LITPC) has announced for the 2018-2019 school year that there will be three \$2,500 (US) scholarships awarded. Graduating Leos OR graduating sons/daughters, grandsons/grand-daughters of Lions or Lioness are eligible to apply for the LITPC Youth Scholarship. The most important aspect of the Youth Scholarship Program is to help a young person pursue his/her education and follow their dreams. The 2019 recipients will be announced at the Pin Traders Annual Breakfast in June, 2019.

Selection of the scholarship recipients will be based on academic achievement, an essay stating the student's goals, a statement of reason(s) for applying and an overview of work, community and school service, and letters of recommendation.

The current forms for the scholarships are available on line at www.litpc.org In the right column, click on LITPC Scholarship Information. Then click on Scholarship Application Form. Please follow the instructions, fill out ALL the forms neatly and correctly which includes the four essay questions (in 350 words or less) and the question about scholarships that you have been offered along with submitting a certified copy of your high school

transcript including activities. Plus you also need to attach recommendations from 2 persons (i.e. teacher, coach, clergy, employer, etc.) AND attach a recommendation letter from a Lions Club member indicating the name of the Club and state/province and country in which the Club is located.

ALL forms and letters are to be submitted by MARCH 1, 2019 to:

Lion Bill Guthrie, Scholarship Chairman 9-101st Lane NW

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