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Journey for Sight and raffle raise \$105,000

Ian Mullin of the Bowsman Lions Club and coordinator for the Journey for Sight makes a cheque presentation to Bill McKittrick, Board Chairman of the Lions Eye Bank of Manitoba & Northwest Ontario Inc.

Under Mullin's leadership and guidance, the Journey for Sight raised \$78,573.00 along with the Morden Lions Club fundraiser. The snowmachine raffle organized by the Bowsman Lions Club raised \$25,000. A total of \$105,000 was raised in 2014. Quite an achievement.

On behalf of the Board of Directors, we look forward to working together to "Share a Vision"



Strengthen the Pride Through Membership Development



Longtime friends, Longtime Lions

This group of Lions (and sometimes a few more) get together every summer for a visit. They became friends when they were all members of the Keystone Lions Club. They are still active Lions members and are proud to say they have been President a number of times in various clubs in our District. Of course, they have held many other offices as well. From left to right, Lion Glen Rogers, Keystone Lions; Lion Jaye Smale, Wawanesa Lions; Lion Gareth Boys, Minnedosa Lions; Lion Stewart Hayter, Wheat City Lions; Lion Keith Privat, Keystone Lions; and Lion Joe Stadnyk, Keystone Lions.

Our focus is on service, but our strength is directly tied to our members. The expression "there is strength in numbers" applies directly to our association. The more members we have the more service we can provide. We have been fortunate to sustain growth over the past six years. That growth must continue – even escalate – if we are to maintain our premier role as the global leader in humanitarian service.

Countless times as I approach neighbours, friends and associates posing the question "why aren't you a Lion?" the response has been "because I've never been asked." I'm sure many of you have had similar experiences. It comes down to a simple principle – ask.



My membership initiative this year adheres to that principle. I call it "Ask One."

Just imagine if each and every Lions member – all 1.35 million – asked just one person to join their club. It's that simple – and Lions already have great tools to help them invite new members, such as the "Just Ask" brochure. Or you may want to develop your own strategy tailored to people you know.

But make it a meaningful ask. A genuine ask. The expression "it takes one to know one" can be applied to many things, not the least of which is Lions. It TAKES a Lion to KNOW a Lion – to know whether someone has the desire and passion to serve. After all, the single most important characteristic to be a Lion is the desire to serve others. It really is that simple. So ask one. Or two. Or three.

It is my goal this year to have our Lions make more membership invitations than we've ever had, resulting in more new members than we've ever had. Just ASK!

Joe Preston, President
Lions Club International

Strengthen the Pride



BY DISTRICT GOVERNOR
OMER CHAMPIGNY

Hola from Puerto Rico!

I write this column fresh from Puerto Rico where Dale and I attended the USA/Canada Forum In San Juan. There, we attended seminars on various topics. This symposium exposed us to highly motivated presenters which inspired us to continue in our efforts of serving those in need.

Fellow Lions, we do not have the luxury to let our guard down in our efforts to maintain our numbers. Our District dropped 20 members this past July, I have not had the opportunity to determine why we lost these members. I hope to ascertain why we lost them upon my return.

This drop in numbers is a great concern to me and ultimately, the District. This reinforces our need to implement President Joe Preston's initiative "Ask 1" by asking a friend, a relative, or a neighbour to join Lions. We can build up our numbers and give someone new the opportunity to "Serve" others as we have.

I ask those clubs that dropped members, whatever the reason, to replace them as quickly as possible. By increasing our numbers, we will "Strengthen the Pride", lighten the load and enable us to continue in our efforts to "Serve".

I know that 5M13 can do it as we're no strangers to overcoming tough times. So, come on Lions of 5M13, get out there and



District Governor Calendar

October	2015
7 Thompson Lions Annual visit	January
8 Flin Flon Lions Annual visit	23 5M4 District Mid-Winter Conv. - Willmar, MN
11 St-Anne Charter Night	24 5M10 District Mid-Winter Conv. - Duluth, MN
18 Council of Governors Meeting – Detroit Lakes, MN	February
22 Teulon & Area Lions Annual visit	6 5M8 District Mid-Winter Conv. - St-Cloud, MN
November	20-22 5M13 Mid-Winter Conv.- Virden, MB
19 Elgin Lions Annual visit	March
22 5M13 Cabinet Meeting – Brandon	14 Council of Governors Mtg. - Brooklyn Center, MN
December	
7 Crystal City Lions Annual visit	
13 Lions Eye Bank Meeting – Winnipeg	

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.

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 Omer Champigny**
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Yours in Lionism,
District Governor Omer Champigny



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2014-2015 Lions District 5M13

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 & logical and made in a clear & fluent manner.

A speaker's resume is required for introductory purposes. Please include: name, age, grade, school, name of parent(s), address, phone numbers & 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 \$1000 prize towards the Lions Youth Exchange Program

Entries to be submitted to Lion Margaret Martin dmmart@mts.net 204-824-2457 or Lion Beth Smale rjsmale@xplornet.com 204-824-2722 by January 15, 2015.

Contest will be held at the 5M13 Mid-Winter Convention at Virden on February 21, 2015. – Depending on the number of entries in each category, elimination competitions may need to be held to determine entries for the final Speak-Off.

Have you ever been asked what Lions do?

Lions Clubs International is the world's largest service club organization. We have 1.35 million members in more than 46,000 clubs worldwide.

Lions are everywhere. We're men and women who are active in community projects in over 200 countries and geographical areas.

Lions have a dynamic history. Founded in 1917, we are best known for fighting

blindness – it's part of our history as well as our work today. But we also perform volunteer work for many different kinds of community projects – including caring for the environment, feeding the hungry and aiding seniors and the disabled.

Lions are active. Our motto is "We Serve". Lions are part of a global service network, doing what is necessary to help our local communities.

Lions give sight. By conducting vision screenings, equipping hospitals and clinics, distributing medicine and raising awareness of eye disease, Lions work toward their mission of providing vision for all. We have extended our commitment to sight conservation through countless local community projects that work to eradicate blindness. The same kind of initiative is being extended to improve hearing for those afflicted with hearing

loss.

Lions serve youth. Our community projects often support local children and schools through scholarships, recreation and mentoring. Internationally, we offer many programs, including the Peace Poster Contest, the Reading Action Program, Youth Camps and Exchange and Lions Quest. Our Leo Program provides personal development through youth volunteer opportunities. There are approximately 160,000 Leos and 5,700 Leo clubs in more than 140 countries worldwide.

Lions award grants. Since 1968, the Lions Clubs International Foundation has awarded more than US\$700 million in grants to support Lions humanitarian community projects around the world. Together, our Foundation and Lions are helping communities following natural disasters by providing for immediate needs such as food, water, clothing and medical supplies – and aiding in long-term reconstruction.

Lion Margaret Martin
District 5M13
Public Relations Chair

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Sec. Bev Makinson 204-637-2533 dmak@mts.net

Binscarth Lions Club

VISIT BINS CART LIONS ON FACEBOOK
Meet every 2nd & 4th Wed., Drop In Centre @ 7pm
Pres. Harvey Kingdon 204-532-2443 kingdon@mts.net
Sec. Phlyp Birch 204-532-2484 birch@mymts.net

Birtle & District Lions Club

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

Bowsman & District Lion Club

MEETS 1ST & 3RD THURS OF EACH MONTH
Bowsman Curling Rink @ 7pm (excluding summer)
Pres. Bruce Kirkpatrick 204-734-9723
Sec. Kevin Silverthorn oksilverthorn@mynetset.ca

Boissevain Lions Club

INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY IN BLOOM WINNER
Meets 2nd Thurs. at 6:30pm (supper) 4th Thurs. @7pm
Pres. John Smith 204-534-6161 rconway1@mymts.net
Sec. Larry Rainnie 204-534-6238 rainnie@mts.net

Brandon Lions Club

CHARTERED IN 1938
Supper meeting at 6:30pm 2nd & 4th Thurs. Lions Manor
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Sec. Lloyd Morrice 204-724-4422 llmorice@hotmail.com

Brandon Crocus Lions Club

OVER 20 YEARS OF SERVICE Meeting 2nd & 4th
Tues. 6:30pm Lions Manor.
Pres. Janice Ward 726-8719
Sec. Wilma Pawluk pawlukme@wgcwave.ca

Brandon Keystone Lions Club

JOIN US AT THE LIONS MANOR 7:00PM DIAL 001
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Sec. Carl Wlock 204-726-0498 casw@inethome.ca

Brandon University Lions Campus Club Branch

Meetings 2nd & 4th Monday at BU
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Sec. Lonna Drummond 204-526-7881 lcdrum@mts.net

Brandon Prairie Pride Lions

JOIN US @ TRAILS WEST INN, 210-18 ST. N
1st & 3rd Fridays at 7:15 am - breakfast meeting
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Sec. Jill Hannah-Kayes cjhannah@mts.net

Brandon Wheat City Lions

PLEASE COME PAY US A VISITATION
Noon meetings 2nd & 4th Mon. Victoria Inn Brandon
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Crystal City Lions Club

COME JOIN US
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Dauphin Lions Club

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Elphinstone Lions Club

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Sec. Anita Hart 204-625-2827 ahart@mymts.net

Elgin & Area Lions Club

THE RECYCLING CLUB - SMALL CLUB BIG HEART
Meet 7:30pm 3rd Wed. at member's homes
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Sec. Cecile McMurray 204-769-2152 camcm@mymts.net

Erickson Lions Club

"THE LAND OF THE VIKINGS"
Meet 2nd & 4th Thursday of the month
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Sec. Dave Walker carol.dave.walker@gmail.com

Ethelbert Lions Club

COME JOIN US EVERY 2ND & 4TH MONDAY
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Flin Flon Lions Club

HOME OF "FLINTY'S BOARDWALK"
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Gilbert Plains Lions Club

"HEART OF THE PARKLAND"
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Hamiota Lions Club

HOME OF POPE NATIONAL WILDLIFE RESERVE
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Holland & Area Lions Club

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Holland & Area Lioness Club

HOME OF THE FIDDLE CONTEST
Meet 1st Wednesday @ 7pm at members homes
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Kelwood Lions Club

COME JOIN US
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Kenton & Area Lions Club

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MacGregor Lions Club

THE HEART OF THE KEYSTONE PROVINCE
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Melita & Area Lions Club

COME JOIN US @ THE LEGION HALL
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Morden & District Lions Club

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Oakville & Area Lions Club

"A FRIENDLY FARMING COMMUNITY"
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Oakburn Lions Club

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Oak Lake & Area Lions Club

HOME OF ISAAC "THE OX"
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Pierson Lions Club

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Portage la Prairie Lions Club

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Portage La Prairie Lioness Club

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Rivers & Area Lions Club

HOME OF THE GRANT TRUCK RAILWAY STATION
Meets 1st & 3rd Wednesdays of the month
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Roblin & District Lions Club

VISITORS ARE WELCOME
Meets 1st & 3rd Wed. at 8pm Roblin Motor Inn
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Rossburn Lions Club

COME JOIN US
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COME JOIN US AT CHICKEN CHEF
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Sandy Lake Lions Club

HOME OF THE ANNUAL CRAZY GOLF TOURNAMENT
Meet 1st & 3rd Tues/Supper on 3rd
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Shoal Lake Lions Club

HOME OF THE ANNUAL MUD BOG
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Snow Lake Lions Club

COME JOIN US
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Somerset Lions Club

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Sinclair & Area Lions Club

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HOME OF THE SWINGING BRIDGE
Supper meeting 1st & 3rd Thurs. 7pm Chicken Chef
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Sprucewoods & Area Lions Club

COME JOINS US
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Sec Judy Foster 721-4132 judyjudy13@hotmail.com

Stonewall Lions Club

HOME OF THE ANNUAL STONEWALL QUARRY DAYS
Dinner meeting 2nd & 4th Wed. 6:30pm Lions Manor
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Sec Ashley Huewan ashlee__2000@hotmail.com

Strathclair Lioness Club

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

Strathclair Lions Club

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Meet 3rd Wed. 7:30pm @ Strathclair Municipal Hall
Pres. Jim Wilson 204-365-2453 jvw@mts.net
Sec Fraser Moffat 204-356-5302 raikman@goinet.ca

Swan Lake Lions Club

WORKING HARD FOR A HEALTHY COMMUNITY
Meet 1st & 3rd Tuesday
Pres. Geraldine Campbell 204-836-2358
Sec Myrna Clifford 204-836-2634 mecliff@mymts.net

Swan River Lions Club

WWW.SWANRIVERLIONS.ORG
Meeting 2nd Mon. 7pm/Supper meeting 4th Mon.7:30pm
Pres. Wayne Markle 734-2780 waynesco@gmail.com
Sec Nic MacDonald 204-734-7193 njmacd@mymts.net

Teulon & Area Lions Club

COME JOIN US AT FRYDAY'S RESTAURANT
Meet 2nd Tuesday at 7:00pm
Pres. Larry Rutt 204-886-2404 laurencerrutt@msn.com
Sec Rene Bouvier 204-886-3445 reneb1961@live.ca

Thompson Lions Club

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

Virden Lions Club

THURS NIGHT BINGO \$1000 GUARANTEED PAYOUT
Meet 2nd Tues. Dinner meeting 4th Tues.
Pres. Allan McAulay 204-855-2830
Sec Tom Makarchuk 204-748-6261 tmkarch@mymts.net

Warren Herizon Lions Club

COME JOIN US AT THE WARREN FIRE HALL
Meet 1st & 3rd Wed., 7pm
Pres. Lorraine Boyd 204-383-5825
Sec Fran Lindell 204-322-5672 franpl@mymts.net

Waskada Lions Club

HOME OF THE ANNUAL RABBIT FEED
Meet 1st & 3rd Thurs. 7:30am @ Waskada Genisis Inn
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Sec. Ron Bertholet 204-673-2541 borody@mymts.net

Warren & District Lions Club

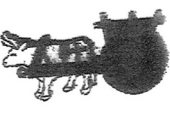
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Please make cheques payable to the
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See you all in Virden - February 20 to 22, 2015
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Elgin Lions Club Lion	Lion Brenda Dooley	Connie Cameron
Crystal City Lions Club	Lion Brodie Richardson	Lion Laurel Leonard

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The 'NEW' and
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were turned around
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Shoal Lake Lions

On July 16, 2014 the Shoal Lake Lions Club participated in the annual Ag Day by preparing and serving the event supper just prior to the musical concert. They assisted in the serving of the Pit Roast Beef dinner by members of the Shoal Lake Fire Department and by many of the spouses of Lions Club members. A great thanks goes out to all who helped. A special thank you to Theresa for all her help.

The dinner was very well attended with near 250 meals served and great satisfaction expressed over the quality and quantity of food served. The Lions were overwhelmed with the attendance and if asked for the next year plan on increasing quantities.

The Lions motto is WE SERVE and so the funds raised at the dinner were designated to go to the Fire Department to assist in the purchase of a new fire truck to serve the community. On September 18th the club presented the Fire Department with a cheque for \$2000 (two thousand dollars) in a short ceremony at the fire hall. The Lions and the Fire Department wish to offer their gratitude to all who attended and made the dinner a success.

Gleanings FROM CLUB REPORTS

Club Secretaries - Complete your monthly club report online
bookmark this link ... www.e-district.org/sites/5m13
select: Links to Lions Sites & Reporting

Please have reports in by the 17th of the month
for items to appear in the "Gleanings".

BINSCARTH LIONS CLUB

Weekly Bingo \$2310 – Canada Day wiener roast postponed to August long weekend, free hot dogs for the community \$184 – Bought annual 4-H steer, cut & wrapped for donation to community organizations to be used for fund raising suppers \$4735

BOISSEVAIN LIONS CLUB

Helped the family of the late Lion Miles Phillips organize and carry out his "Celebration of Life"

BRANDON CROCUS LIONS CLUB

Hot dog sale at local grocery store

FLIN FLON LIONS CLUB

August 23 Flin Flon Lions Club BBQ for Motorcycle Run for Cancer. Wrapped & loaded 37,900 pounds of beef.

MacGREGOR LIONS CLUB

Tended bar at an all-day Beach Volleyball Tournament \$415 – Looked after MacGregor Lions Campground. Earned more than \$6000 in camping fees over the summer. Donated and installed a new computer system to the MacGregor/North Norfolk Archives, an all-volunteer group digitizing local history in documents

and photographs.

ROSSBURN LIONS CLUB

July 19 Lions Day with lunch, silent auction and live auction \$7200 – August 16 Pancake Breakfast at Rossburn Dukefest weekend \$200 – Peace Poster judging at Rossburn Elementary School to be done by October 30th – Lions Day lunch at Rossburn Elementary School to show how Lions are involved in the community

SANDY LAKE LIONS CLUB

Hosted Zone wind-up in June – Float in "Western Days" Parade – Organized & served refreshments for Terry Fox Run September 14th – Flea Market \$435 – "Western Days" Perogie Supper and Raffle ticket sales \$1135 – Lions Campground maintenance for the season.

Donations to: Country Kitchen project \$2000; Local family (house fire) \$648; Erickson Collegiate Institute Graduation \$300; Lions Roar for Hearing 2 campground passes \$100; Tag Day for Diabetes \$250; Local accident victim's family \$500

STONEWALL LIONS CLUB

Quarry Days Parade featured Lions Train filled with children from local gymnastics club & a child previously helped by Lions, accompanied by mascot, Simba, and members who distributed PR pamphlets. – Sold Break-Open tickets at Quarry Days Fair. – Sponsored five weeks of summer day camps for special needs children, aged 12 – 18, featuring crafts, baking, field trips & other activities.

WARREN LIONS CLUB

Built and installed wheelchair ramp – Worked with High School students to redesign and enlarge skate board park – Maintained Lions Park – Served Prairie Dog Central passengers each weekend – Two Bursaries to local Collegiate \$3000

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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 activities 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 grammar, 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 outline 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

Send photos to manlion@therecorder.ca

**For additional information
about 5M13
check out our web site at
www.-edistrict.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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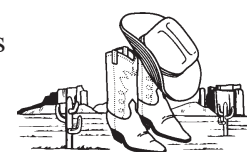
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Students wanted: For travel, fun and new experiences! A three week commitment to make new friends, have fun and see a different country (of your choice) somewhere in the world. You'll only have 107 different camps to choose from. No parents allowed!

Does that sound like something you and your community would be interested in?

As Lions clubs, you have the opportunity to provide that for a youth in your community! Male or female, between the ages of 16 and 22, and a desire to meet and learn about

new people of the world, that is all they need. Well maybe a passport too.

As a Lions club your club can support them in different ways but in the past some of the clubs have provided each student with a monetary assistance package but there is no set amount or type of assistance that you have to provide. There is also no limit on the number of students you can send!!

It is easier to get the students into the exchange and camp of their choice the earlier we put the applications into the various

YCE chairpersons, so don't wait tooo long to get the applications to me. (Hopefully I will have another chairperson learning the ropes and we will do it together!!) There is a listing of the exchanges and camps available on the LCI website – just type in “youth camp” in the upper right corner of the MYLCI webpage. The application forms are also available on the website.

Give me a call if you have more questions or need some help with it.

Lion Gord, YCE chair, 5M13 District

5M13 Youth Camp & Exchange Program

How would you like to show off Canada to the rest of the world?

New Chairperson needed!

Well 3 years has gone by pretty quickly and things change, so I have decided to move forward and with that come new challenges and responsibilities. For that reason I'm on the hunt for a new Chairperson for the 5M13 Youth Camp and Exchange program!

This position is an exciting one and does require some time and effort throughout the year, there is no getting around it, but it is also very rewarding as you deal with Lions around the world and the young people from many different cultures.

Every year you get to learn about somewhere new and develop new friendships with these young people. I have been more involved on a personal basis than some like to be but that is also part of the uniqueness of this program, you can be as involved

as you want to be in the actual day to day part of the exchange and camp. You work with Manitobans to set up some activities and you won't believe how much we have in this province until you start working to try to choose which ones to include in your program. WOW it is just amazing how rich we are here, with so many things to do and see.

The chairperson is responsible for running the budget, reviewing, selecting applicants, identifying host families and arranging some of the activities of the camp and exchange. There is lots of information about your responsibilities in the long range planning book, put together by the district and on the LCI website. You will also communicate with the District Governor and LCI through reports throughout the year. You won't be alone! If I learned it, you certainly can.

I am prepared to work with the new chair of the YCE through this Lions year of 2014-2015 and assist them getting a handle on the ropes. I would like to concentrate on promoting the outgoing side of the program and speak to the clubs about sponsoring a Manitoban youth on an exchange.

Thank you to all the Lions and their families that have taken in an exchange student and showed off Canadian life and Manitoba sights and sounds.

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