

Family and Service Together

Lion Heather MacDonald joined the Lions organization in January 2008 and has since demonstrated unwavering commitment and leadership at both the Club and District levels. Her extensive service includes roles such as Club President, Club Secretary (an impressive nine terms), Club Membership Chair, and LCIF Coordinator (two terms).

At the District level, Lion Heather has served as District Cabinet Secretary-Treasurer for two terms, District Information & Technology Chair, Multiple District Fall Conference Chair, Multiple District GST Coordinator, and twice as District Convention Chair.

Her dedication has not gone unnoticed. Lion Heather has been recognized with multiple awards including:

- **Lion of the Year**
- **Best District Chair**
- **Four International President's Certificates of Achievement**
- **International President's Leadership Medal**
- **Certified Guiding Lion designation** from Lions Clubs International

Beyond her Lions service, Lion Heather is married to Past Council Chair Lion Stewart MacDonald. Together, they share a blended family of four sons, nine grandchildren, and one great-granddaughter.

Professionally, Lion Heather continues to serve as Office Manager for both Thandi Inc. and Singh Property Holdings Inc.

She has represented our District at two USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forums and attended the International Convention in Busan, Korea.

Lion Heather's belief in **"Family and Service Together"** shines through in everything she does. As she reflects on her journey, she reminds us that Lions are an extended family — and like any family, we may not always agree, but we must listen, forgive, support, respect, and work together.

"As Lions, we serve many people — whether through local projects or global initiatives such as Portage Atlantic, Lions Foundation of Canada, and Lions Clubs International Foundation. We serve united, because none of us can do it alone. Giving and kindness are not measured by how many you tell, but how many you help — unconditionally."

Lion Heather thanks the Lions of the District for their trust and support and looks forward to continuing to serve, alongside the District team, with compassion and dedication.