



PRAIRIES to PEAKS



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From DG Pauline Cooper:

Greetings from your new District Governor! Yes, I survived Toronto and made it through DGE School. There are now 750 new District Governors working together with our new International President Joe Preston. Let me tell you – he does have a lot of energy! He wrote a song about his theme – and we were all be-bopping around. (Just so you know – I will NOT be singing his song ‘Strengthen the Pride’ to you!) One thing about the theme that sticks in my mind is that in the animal lions pride, each has a role to play – the male lions, the female lions and the cubs all have a part. And that carries over to us – the Lions who serve. Each of us can serve in any capacity – and we support each other in doing that.

One really interesting thing we did in DGE School that emphasizes the connection we have with Lions around the world was an exercise where we tried to solve some problems a fictional Lions club had – we worked through some options and then we met with a group of Japanese DGEs who had been working on the same problem. Now, I have to tell you, no one in my group spoke Japanese and no one in the Japanese group spoke English, and we started off quite hesitant. But with the help of the wonderful translators, we came to realize that we face the same challenges in keeping our clubs healthy, getting new members and serving. A smile and a sincere desire go a long way in communicating! There were about 19,000 Lions from around the world at the Convention and after our experience with the Japanese group, the recognition from the crowd during the parade, and the renewing of friendships from around the world, it reinforced my belief that we are one family, bonded together in our dedication to serve others.

This new Lionistic year, 2014-2015, will be like every other Lionistic year with the challenges of keeping our clubs strong, our members interested and dedicated, reaching out to new members, and serving our communities and those in need. We have an added challenge with preparing for the redistricting of our Multiple District. We can’t do anything officially until the LCI Board makes a decision in October about our submitted plan – but we can think about what we like, what we don’t and take advantage of this opportunity to build our District in a way that reflects what we want and who we are!

There are still vacancies on my Cabinet and I welcome anyone interested in serving the Lion in District 37N. I have not received many requests for Official Visits as yet. Every club in District 37N will be visited and I would prefer that you pick the date that best meets your needs. I am the District Governor, but I was selected by **you**, to serve **you**, and to Strengthen the Pride of Lions in this amazing international District! I serve – to help you serve.

Any questions, comments, suggestions – let me know. My email address is lionpauline@gmail.com and my phone number is 403-380-3116 (leave a message). A District Directory is in the works – the information used will be from the LCI website with information provided by each club. I hope to have it available for the District Cabinet meeting that will be held on August 9th, 2014 in Lethbridge.

(In the August newsletter I will give you an explanation for the design of my personal pin and my goals for the year (other than trying to stay sane!))

This newsletter (in print and on the district website) is a communication tool for all of you. I would like to see notices for Club events and good things that happen to our Lions so we can celebrate and share.

WE SERVE...FROM PRAIRIES TO PEAKS



BE NOTICED!

Advertise in the 37-N District Directory/Website and spread word of your business, club or special event!

Cost: \$25 – business card size
\$50 – half page (5½” x 4¼”)
\$75 – full page (5½” x 8½”)

Any questions, please contact:

District Governor Pauline Cooper at lionpauline@gmail.com phone #: 403-380-3116 (leave message) or 1st Vice District Governor Cathy Anderson at canderson53@shaw.ca phone #: 403-381-2895

Please send your artwork and payment to:

1st VDG Cathy Anderson
226 Sherwood Place West, Lethbridge, AB Canada T1K 6E6.

(Cheques/checks, money orders payable to “District 37-N”)



The Lethbridge Host Lions Club

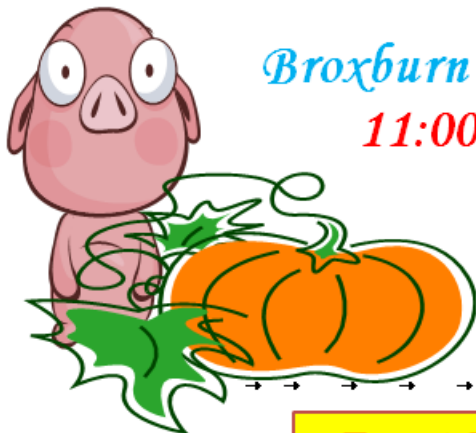
8th Annual Pig & Pumpkin Family Festival

Saturday September 20, 2014

At

Broxburn Vegetables and Café

11:00 AM to 3:00 PM



*Children's Games *Hay Rides* Bouncy Tents*

*Face Painting * Pumpkin Cannon*

*Baby Pigs * Antique Car Show * Food Booth*

Fun for The whole Family

Proceeds to:

Event Passports \$5.00 for 10 Games

Galbraith Elementary School Breakfast Program

DISTRICT 37N CABINET MEETING

When: Saturday, August 9, 2014 @ 11am – 2pm

Where: Parkbridge Estates Hall – 2928-29 St S, Lethbridge, AB (west behind Leons on Mayor Magrath Drive and north of Lethbridge College)

Il are welcome – light lunch and Zone training will be available

RSVP to Cabinet Secretary Ardith Tjornelund
by email 37n.secretary@gmail.com or phone: 403-653-4719



The Lethbridge Host Lions Club Show & Shine

Held in Conjunction with

Our 8th Annual Pig & Pumpkin Family Festival

At

Broxburn Vegetables & Café

Saturday September 20th, 2014 - 11:00 to 3:00

Registration

10:00 to 11:00 AM

Entry Fee

\$10.00

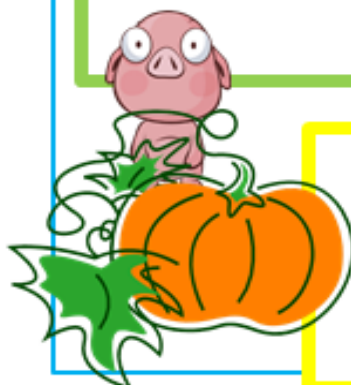
Prizes will be Awarded for
1st, 2nd, and 3rd Place

And

A People's Choice Award

For

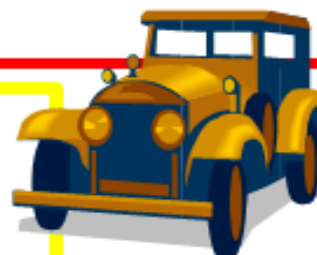
Pre -1950 Antique & Post 1950
Classic/Antique Category



For Further Information

Call Nick - 403-381-0756

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Proceeds to Galbraith Elementary School Breakfast Program

DISTRICT 37 N

2014 CONVENTION

NOVEMBER 7-8, 2014

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HOTEL & MOTOR INN
BUTTE, MONTANA

Hi Fellow Lions,

These are exciting times with many new challenges and changes in front of us.

The Butte Mile-Hi Lions Club has the honor of hosting what will be District 37N's last convention. We want to sincerely invite you to attend and to explain our host hotel. The Finlen is an historic hotel, located in uptown Butte. The hotel has been restored to its original grandeur.

Because of the historic nature of this facility, you will find many beautiful rooms to select from. Ranging in cost from ninety dollars (\$90.00) for elegant historic accommodations to sixty-eight dollars (\$68.00) for standard motel rooms, it will be important for you to make your room reservations EARLY! We only have fifty two rooms available so we are asking that you call now, discuss the type of accommodation you would like to have and then make your reservation EARLY.

In closing, you will notice that we have one of the lowest registration fees of any District Convention. Please take advantage of these savings and help our committee by registering early.

That's it for now, but look forward to a great convention. Free Tours, Free Pasty Dinner, Motivating Speakers and wonderful Lions fellowship are part of what you have to look forward to in Butte....The Can Do City....The Mining City.... The Festival City..... The Fun City!

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**District 37N Convention
November 7-8, 2014
Butte, Montana**



Name		Title	Name on Badge
Club		District	
Companion		Title	Name on Badge
Club		District	
Mailing Address			
Street			
City		Zip Code	
Telephone		E-Mail/Fax	

PLEASE FILL IN ALL boxes above as we would like the data. Thank you!

Registration (Received before September 16, 2014) _____ x \$75.00 = \$ _____
 Late Registration (Received after September 16, 2014) _____ x \$85.00 = \$ _____
 Non Registered Companion Friday evening social _____ x \$25.00 = \$ _____
 Non Registered Companion Saturday lunch _____ x \$15.00 = \$ _____
 Non Registered Companion Banquet Saturday evening _____ x \$30.00 = \$ _____

- Registration includes Friday social, Saturday Breakfast, Saturday lunch, Saturday Banquet

Cash Check Money Order Visa Master Card ALL MONIES ARE IN US FUNDS

Card # _____ Exp. Date _____ Sec Code _____

Name on Card _____

Signature: _____

*Please note: Canadian cards may be charged a \$12 (or greater) International transaction fee by your bank. If you pay by credit card it will show on your statement as Hadnagy's Frame Shop.

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Contact:
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Make checks payable to District 37 N Convention

You are responsible for your own Hotel/Motel Reservation

Convention Headquarters at the Finlen Hotel 100 E. Broadway, Butte, Mt. *(In the heart of uptown Butte)*.
1-406.723.5461 Toll Free: 1.800.729.5461 Room rates in the Lions Block (Rates vary from \$68-\$90)

Rooms on hold until October 10, 2014

REFUND Policy: If possible, have another Lion take your place. A full refund will be allowed if a written request is received prior to September 1, 2014

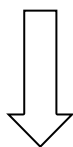
PLEASE BRING an auction item to benefit the Lions of Alberta Foundation and the Montana Lions Sight & Hearing Foundation.

We look forward to welcoming you in historic uptown Butte

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Lions Quest	VACANT		
Peace Poster Contest	VACANT		

District Governor Pauline Calendar: July – September 2014

July	1-16	DGE School, Lions International Convention, Toronto, Ontario
	26	MD 37 Council Meeting – Calgary, AB
August	9	District 37N Cabinet Meeting – Lethbridge, AB – All Welcome
	17	District 37O Cabinet Meeting – Calgary, AB
	27-31	Personal – Nova Scotia
September	1-3	Personal – Nova Scotia
	9-18	USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum - San Juan, Puerto Rico
	26-27	District 37S Convention – Ennis, MT
	28	Official Visit – Kalispell Sunrisers Lions Club



DEADLINE FOR THE AUGUST NEWSLETTER IS AUGUST 15TH. PLEASE SEND ANY ARTICLES AND PICTURES ABOUT YOUR CLUB OR ANYTHING YOU THINK WOULD BE OF INTEREST TO THE DISTRICT MEMBERS.