Reduced rate for 'First Timers' for 5M13 Mid winter Convention

Brandon, February 21 to 23, 2014

The Brandon Wheat City Lions Club organizing committee for the 5M13 Midwinter convention has been working hard putting together a weekend for you filled with fun, information and opportunity to grow in Lions.

The 2013 5M13 Midwinter convention will be held at the Victoria Inn in Brandon, Manitoba from February 21-23, 2014. Registration desk will be open around 1pm on Friday, February 21 for those wanting to get settled in and registered early. The cabinet meeting is scheduled for the afternoon.

Be here for the Friday evening ice breaker starting around 7 pm. The evening entertainment will be of "international" flavour along with a show stopper band sure to keep the evening hopping.

Saturday has a full agenda from early morning to mid afternoon with speakers and information sessions.
Saturday evening Gala Dinner will be sure to please your taste buds. Sunday starts early as well, and with a wrap up to get you on the road back home in good time.

Be sure to get your registrations forms to us early to get your pre January 21st discount and get your hotel reservations booked as well at the Vic Inn in Brandon.

If you have never attended a Lions Mid Winter convention before why not make Brandon 2014 your first. We are offering a special 'First Timers' rate. Come out and join us.

Please make cheques payable to the Wheat City Lions Club and mailed to the address on the registration form. See registration form on page 12.

See you in Brandon!



The Morden Lions Club welcomed supporters to 'Paws for Cause' as the club hosted the Purina Walk for Dog Guides this past Sunday (Sept. 29) in support of the work of the Lions Foundation Canada Dog Guides established in 1985 by the Lions Clubs of Canada. The mission is to assist Canadians with a medical or physical disability by providing them with dog guides. It costs about \$20,000 to raise and train each dog, and these dog guides are provided at no cost to eligible Canadians. The Purina Walk is the largest fundraiser of its kind in Canada. All of the funds from the Purina Walk go directly towards raising, training and providing dog guides. The Lions Foundation of Canada Dog Guides is now the largest school of it's kind in Canada, operating two training facilities. Photos couretsesy of Andrew Pruden / Morden Times



Purina Walk for Dog Guides

Thank you to the 12 Lions, Lioness and LEO Clubs who held Dog Walks this year, and raised over \$15,500.00 for Dog Guides. This includes two new communities that held walks this year, and I would especially like to thank them for getting involved in this very worthwhile project.

Hopefully next year more clubs will decide to get involved in the "Purina Walk for

Dog Guides" which is set for Sunday, May 25, 2014.

For more information, please contact Lion Bill McKitrick 204-873-2091 5m13@inetlink.ca You can also access the Gog Guides website: www.dogguides.com

Lions Foundation of Canada District Chair, Lion Bill McKitrick



Follow your dream and make it happen

DISTRICT GOVERNOR LLOYD MCCABE

Greetings to all. Here we are with Halloween just past and the harvest complete. We all need to give thanks for the ample year that we have been blessed with.

On a Lions note we are already into our 2nd quarter of our Lion year. For a lot of clubs their initial meetings have just been completed. I know all clubs will be addressing their goals and actions plans to meet their "Dreams".

I was able to attend a couple of Zone meetings this past month. Zone Chair Lion Jim Boles organized a golf tournament in Oak Lake to kick off his 1st zone meeting for the year. Hamiota, Kenton, Virden, Rapid City, Oak Lake and Rivers were in attendance. All presented excellent reports with past activities and future goals. Rapid City announced that they had three potential new members following fun and good fellowship. The energy in the room was infectious. Zone Chair Lion Gord Kingdon chaired a meeting in Neepawa with Neepawa, Minnedosa and Kelwood in attendance. Excellent reports by each club on their activities. Both Minnedosa and Kelwood reported that they had several potential new members in the wings. Great work!

I know several other Zone meetings have been held with

very positive reports coming forward.

I accompanied Lion Bev to a MD Hearing Foundation meeting in St Cloud and on our way home we attended a 50th Anniversary of the Parkers Prairie Lions Club in Parkers Prairie with approximately 500 in attendance. PID Brian Sheehan was the guest speaker who will be our guest speaker at our Mid-Winter Convention. This Lion takes motivational speaking to a new level.

An exciting event will

have just passed as you read this, the potential formation of a Campus Club at Brandon University. LCI Lion Paul Baker along with several Lions, led the process and I will be reporting the outcome in the next issue of the Lion.

PDG Lion Cheryl
McKitrick and Lion Chad
Bodnarchuk lead a CEP with
Warren, Warren Herizon
and Stonewall Lions clubs
participating. I know only
positive results will be the
outcome. I strongly encourage
other clubs to pick up the reigns
to make your club a stronger
entity in your communities.

Now that we are well into our Lion year I would encourage each and every club consider the "Club Excellence Award". These service projects and positive membership gains makes your club more vibrant and focused.

Our District is a great team and volunteers come from surprising places. Maria Shinnie from Teulon, has volunteered to be our official photographer at our Mid-Winter Convention in Brandon and I thank her very much for that. I know she will produce some quality pictures. Come and join us February 21 -23 and be in the picture.

Service is more than a dream . . . it's our identity and our reality!

DG Lloyd



DG Lloyd presenting a Key award to Lion Fran Lindell of the Warren Herizon Lions Club.

District Governor Calendar

November

- 1-2 Cabinet meeting Brandon
 - 6 Minnedosa visitation
 - 7 Waskada DG visitation
- 13 Holland visitation
- 16 Peace Poster Contest deadline
- 19 Austin Visitation
- 20 Peace Poster judging
- 20 Elgin Visitation
- 26 Mac Gregor Visitation

December

- 1 Crystal City visitation
- 8 Roblin visitation
- 10 Birtle visitation
- 11 Melita visitation
- 13 Hearing Foundation Winnipeg
- 4 EyeBank/MAP Winnipeg

January

- 3/4/5 5M9 Mid-Winter
 - 14 Zone Chairs Conference call
 - 15 Pipestone visitation
- 17-18-19 5M10 Mid-Winter
 - 28 Cabinet Executive meeting

February

- 14 Boissevain visitation
- 17 Oak Lake visitation
- 21-22-23 Mid-Winter Convention in Brandon



DG visitation in Warren, with Stonewall, Teulon, Warren and Warren Herizon Lions Clubs attending.

Club Request for Governor's Visit SEE FORM ON PAGE 7

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DG Lloyd McCabe at the Lions Memorial in Warren. In photo right Lions Rene Bouvier, Judy Dedrick-Williams and Dennis Hawkins.

Can you host youth for two weeks for Lions Int. Student Exchange

short update on the Lions In-Ashort update on Aternational Student Exchange

I have received some response to my request for Lions members to step forward to act as host families for 2014 exchange and camp.

I'm still looking for more so if you are thinking about it and have some questions or concerns please feel free to give me a call or e-mail, and perhaps we can address them and help with the

Please don't wait too long as I will be receiving student applications very soon and I need to know how many Lions are willing to participate. Maybe your club can arrange to be hosts and have the student(s) stay with a couple of families in the community over the two week

Once again to give you an idea what the time frame is for the exchange and camp. The students will be arriving in Winnipeg around the 20th of July and will be with host families until after the August long weekend and then will spend approximately 4 days at a wilderness campout and then be returning to their home countries. We hope to do some group activities during the host family stays so there will be a day or two where they are away for the day, but that will all be present at the pre-arrival host family get together and information session.

Thank you for participation

> Lion Gord Kingdon (gkingdon1@hotmail.com)

Sponsor a local student in the **Lions District 5M13 Speak-Off**

ions Clubs in District 5M13 are encouraged to sponsor Lestudents in the Speak-Off competition. Here are the rules for your information and if you need more explanation, please contact Lion Margaret Martin dmmart@mts.net 204-824-2457 or Lion Beth Smale rjsmale@xplornet.com 204-824-2722. We will be glad to help. Also notify us as soon as possible who your club's competitors will be.

Lion Margaret Martin

2014 LIONS DISTRICT 5M13 SPEAK-OFF **COMPETITION RULES**

- co-educational contest available at three levels: Middle Years (Grade 6-8) Senior 1&2 (Grade 9&10) Senior 3&4 (Grade 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)
- speeches must be original on a topic of speaker's choice
- at end of speech, two questioners will pose questions to the contestant
- order of speaking will be by assigned numbers drawn prior
- 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 Senior 1 & 2 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, 2014.

Contest will be held at the 5M13 Mid-Winter Convention at Brandon on February 22, 2014.

- Depending on the number of entries in each category. elimination competitions may need to be held to determine entries for the final Speak-Off.

Constitution & By-law revision

... to use e-mail and web for communication with your Lions

ur Lion club's Constitution and By-laws require periodic revision. Lions Clubs International recommends that clubs conduct some, or all, of their business on line. To do this, the constitution needs an amendment. Following is a sample resolution.

WHEREAS the use of the internet has become a valuable source of information; and WHEREAS

communication using e-mail, club Web sites, social networking sites and e-newsletters allow

for club business, member information and public club promotion to be done;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that

Club may transact business via the internet, provided that no such action shall be effective until approved in writing by the majority of the members of the club, but votes thereon to be valid, must be received by the secretary within ten days of the original e-mail.

See other revisions page 9.



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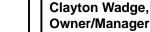
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It is \$200.00 CAD for the tree, planting and services. Lions Foundation's Memorial Forest is located in Breslau, Ontario, at the Dog Guide-training and breeding centre. Each tree will be marked with the name of the deceased.

The family of the deceased will receive an "In Memoriam" card stating that a tree has been planted in memory of their loved one.

Recognition will take place at an annual dedication ceremony on the 2nd Saturday of June. Order deadline is May 9, 2014 for the June 14, 2014 Dedication Service.

This program is not restricted

to Lions. Anyone may purchase a tree.

More than one tree can be planted in memory of an individual.

Donate to Lions Foundation of Canada in memory of a loved one. The knowledge that this gift will aid others can be a comfort.

Pet Memorial Wall

The Pet Memorial Wall provides a unique opportunity to commemorate the life of your pet. In life, you loved and cared for you pet; in death you are creating a lasting tribute. Funds from the Memorial Wall will assist Lions Foundation in providing Dog Guides.

The plaques are inscribed with the family name and the per's name. The families are invited to the annual Pet Memorial service on the 2nd Saturday in June, where they can visit the wall.

The Pet Memorial Wall is located in Breslau, Ontario, on the grounds of the Dog Guide training centre, where many of our puppies begin their lives. Each plaque costs \$150.00 CAD.

Application forms can be found online. Please consider this type of donation.



Funds for Fido

Eighteen people and their pooches came out for the Morden Lions Club's very fi rst Purina Walk for Dog Guides last Sunday. The group raised \$1,140 for the Lions Foundation of Canada's Dog Guide program. It's a good start for an event the Lions hope to host annually from now on, organizer Sandra Lawrence said. "We're very happy. We wanted to bring attention to the fact that if somebody was interested in getting a guide dog, they can contact the Lions Club or the foundation." For more information on the quide dog program, go to dogquides.com.

Photo courtesy of Peter Cantelon / The Winkler Morden Voice

5M13 TAG DAY very sucessful

Whe held the annual TAG DAY for Diabetes on Saturday, September 21st and I was very pleased with the results. A big thank you to the Crocus, Sprucewood, Minnedosa and Crystal City Lions Clubs for their participation. Also a thank you to the Shilo Inn Motel for allowing us to tag on the



Lion Helen Villeneuve of Sprucewood Lions Club and Derron Ford of Sprucewoods



Jessica McGregor from Griswold and her Grandmother Ruth McGregor from Cottonwoods tagging at Walmart.

Friday of their famous smorgasbord.

I attended the Lions/CDA

National Liaison Committee meeting in Edmonton on September 29th and it was my pleasure to turn over funds to them and advise our total was \$1,766.65

Following our meeting in Edmonton, we were treated to a tour of the STARS facility. They are very appreciative of the support they receive from the Lions.

> Lion Sharon Brooks Diabetes Awareness Chair



Lions tour STARS facility in Edmonton. Back row (I-r) Lions Calvin Bachmeir, Sask. Al Beamer, ON, Jennifer Hutchings, Newfoundand/Labrador,Bob Rasmus, BC, Betty Robson, Alberta.

Front row: Fred deFinna, CDA Rep, Lions Harold Borden, New Brunswick, Committee Chair, Bev Wrta, ON, Sharon Brooks Manitoba/NW ON, Paul Guatier, P.E.I.

(Missing) Charles Certwell, Nova Scotia.

Logos on Helicopter are placed in order of donations, the more an organization makes, the higher their logo - note the Lions' Logo

Send in your photos and news of your club

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Copy deadline is the 17th of each month

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Binscarth Lions Club

VISIT BINSCART LIONS ON FACEBOOK Meet every 2nd & 4th Wed., Drop In Centre @ 7pm Pres. Roy Graham Itgraham@mymts.net

Birtle & District Lions Club

MEETS 3RD TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH Birtle Drop In Centre @ 6:45pm Sec. Debbie Jensen 204-842-5207 ljensen@mymts.net

Bowsman & District Lion Club

MEETS 1ST & 3RD THURS OF EACH MONTH Bowsman Curling Rink @ 7pm (excluding summer) President Calvin Pierrepont, 204-238-4304

Boissevain Lions Club

INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY IN BLOOM WINNER Meets 2nd Thurs, at 6:30pm (supper) 4th Thurs, @7pm Pres. Hugh McRuer 204-534-6364

Brandon Lions Club

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

Brandon Crocus Lions Club

OVER 20 YEARS OF SERVICE Meeting 2nd & 4th Tues. 6:30pm Lions Manor. Sec.Wilma Pawluk 204-571-0522 pawluk@westman.wave.ca

Keystone Lions Club

JOIN US AT THE LIONS MANOR 7:00PM DIAL 001 Supper meeting 1st Tues/Business meeting 3rd Tues Pres.Keith Privat 1439vks@mymts.net 204-761-0409

Brandon Prairie Pride Lions

JOIN US @ BRANDONS WHEAT CITY GOLF COURSE 1st & 3rd Fridays in Mum's Restaurant
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Brandon Wheat City Lions

PLEASE COME PAY US A VISITATION Noon meetings 2nd & 4th Mon. Victoria Inn Brandon Sec. Greg Merritt 204-717-0307 gnejra@hotmail.com

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COME JOIN US Meetings 3rd Thursday of every month Pres.Harold Tresiak 204-873-2169 htresiak@mymts.net

Dauphin Lions Club

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Elphinstone Lions Club

GATEWAY TO BUFFALO PARK Meet 1st & 3rd Tues. @ 7:00pm in the Lions Den Sec. Anita Hart ahart@mts.net Pres. Dennis Roganksy

Elgin & Area Lions Club

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

Erickson Lions Club

"THE LAND OF THE VIKINGS" Meet 2nd & 4th Thursday of the month President: George Cadigan cadigan@mymts.net

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5M13 Membership Net Gain Target

District 5M13 is under the gun. As of July 1, 2013 our membership was 1203. We are in the third year below the minimum number of 1250 members which constitutes a

This puts us in transition and we will lose our privileges as a district if we do not reach the minimum of 1250 by June 30, 2014.

We all must play our part and I know we will accomplish our "DREAM". If each of our 61 Clubs had a minimum net gain of 1 we would easily reach the lofty target.

Ethelbert Lions Club

COME JOIN US EVERY 2ND & 4TH MONDAY 7:30 pm at the Emergency Services Center Building President: Art Ainsworth 204-742-8841 Pres. Glen Lloyd 204-685-3125 gl44@shaw.ca

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HOME OF POPE NATIONAL WILDLIFE RESERVE Meet 1st & 3rd Tues @ 7:00pm Community Hall Pres. Edith Caldwell lcaldwell@mymts.net

Holland & Area Lions Club

HOME OF THE "HOLLANDERS" Meet 2nd Wed. 8:00pm @ Holland Elementary School Sec. Hugh Fraser 204-526-2378 hjfraser@mts.net

Holland & Area Lioness Club

HOME OF THE FIDDLE CONTEST Meet 1st Wednesday @ 7pm at Holland Motor Hotel Sec. Margaret Fraser 204-526-2378 hjfraser@mts.net

Kelwood Lions Club

COME JOIN US Meeting 1st Thursday of the month President Andy Aucoin Secretary Neil Fraser

Kenton & Area Lions Club

COME JOIN US Meets at Kenton Hall 2nd Tues 7:30pm 4th Tues 7pm Pres. Phil Graham 204-838-2354 nedrag@goinetlink.ca

MacGregor Lions Club

THE HEART OF THE KEYSTONE PROVINCE Meet 2nd Tues 7:30pm/ 4th Tues supper mtg 6:30pm

Melita & Area Lions Club

COME JOIN US @ THE LEGION HALL Meet 2nd & 4th Wed. 7:30pm/Supper mtg Oct-March Sec. Eleanor Renwick 204-522-8686 ojemr@mts.net

Miami & Area Lions Club

COME JOIN US AT R.M OF THOMPSON OFFICE 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month Pres. Duncan Callum 204-435-2069 dcallum@cici.mb.ca

Minnedosa Lions Club

ANNUAL ROCKIN' THE FIELDS OF MINNEDOSA Meets 2nd & 4th Wed. 7pm @ the Community Hall President: Gareth Boys

Minitonas & District Lions

Meets 1st & 3rd Wednesdays of the month Sec. Lion Brett Church b wchurch@hotmail.com

Morden & District Lions Club

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Oakville & Area Lions Club

" A FRIENDLY FARMING COMMUNITY" Meets 2nd & 4th Wed. Lions Den Community Hall Pres. Stuart Boyd 204-267-2505 stboyd@mts.net

Oakburn Lions Club

COME JOINS US Meets 3rd Wed. 7:30pm @ the Eager Pioneer Club Pres.John Derhak 204-234-5464 iohnder@live.com

Oak Lake & Area Lions Club

HOME OF ISAAC "THE OX" Meet 1st & 3rd Mon. 7pm @ the Oak Lake Golf Club Pres. Rick Plaisier 204-855-2207 rplaiseir@mymts.net

The Pas Northern Lites Lions

HOME OF THE ANNUAL TRAPPERS FESTIVAL Meet 1st Wed. 7pm at the Super 8 Hotel P-Jean Helstrom 204-623-7545 fjhelstrom@hotmail.com

Pierson Lions Club

COME JOIN US Meet 1st & 3rd Wed. 8pm @ Pierson Community Hall Sec. Angus Lee 204-634-2243 anguslee@mts.net

Pipestone Lions Club

COME JOIN US. Meet 3rd Wednesday of the month. Pres. Michale Decock 204-858-2397 threedranch@xplornet.com

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Pine River Lions Club

COME JOIN US Meet 1st Thurs. 8:00pm @Pine River Community Centre Pres. Gary Urbanowski 204-263-2101

Rapid City & Area Lions

COME JOIN US Meet 2nd & 4th Wednesdays of the month
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Rivers & Area Lions Club

HOME OF THE GRANT TRUCK RAILWAY STATION Meets 1st & 3rd Wednesdays of the month Pres. Tanya Cameron Sec. Lawrence McFarlane

Roblin & District Lions Club

VISITORS ARE WELCOME Meets 1st & 3rd Wed. at 8pm Roblin Motor Inn Supper at 6:00pm

Rossburn Lions Club

COME JOIN US Meets 1st & 3rd Thursdays of the Month @ Town Hall Pres.Shirley Kalyniuk 859-2429 shirkal@hotmail.com

Russell & Area Lions Club

COME JOIN US AT CHICKEN CHEF Meet 2nd & 4th Thurs. 6:30pm Pres.Don Betke 204-773-3247 don@crosstownmotors.com

Sandy Lake Lions Club

HOME OF THE ANNUAL CRAZY GOLF TOURNAMENT Meet 1st & 3rd Tues/Supper on 3rd Sec. Kathy Slashinsky kslashinksy @hotmail.com

Shoal Lake Lions Club

HOME OF THE ANNUAL MUD BOG Meet 2nd Wed. 7pm @ Shoal Lake Motor Inn Pres. Helmut Neufeld 204-759-2671 mini@mts.net

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Snow Lake Lions Club

COME JOIN US Meet 2nd Tuesdays @7pm Basement of USWA Building Pres. David Roberts 204-358-3864 hill@mts.net

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COME JOIN US Meets 1st & 3rd Mondays at 8:30pm Sec. Wes Friesen 204-744-2109 friesenw@hotmail.com

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COME JOIN US @ BORDERLINE CAFE Supper meeting 4th Wed. 7pm Pres. Allan Jackson 204-662-4429 abiack@hotmail.ca

Souris Lions Club

HOME OF THE SWINGING BRIDGE Supper meeting 1st & 3rd Thurs. 7pm Chicken Chef Pres. Lorie Howe 204-483-2939 lhowe@wcqwaye.ca

Sprucewoods & Area Lions Club

COME JOINS US
Meet 2nd & 4th Wed. 7pm Sprucewoods Comm. Hall
Pres. Gerry Rubeniuk 204-761-0027 rubenk@mymts.net

Stonewall Lions Club

HOME OF THE ANNUAL STONEWALL QUARRY DAYS Dinner meeting 2nd & 4th Wed. 6:30pm Lions Manor Pres.William Ridgeway 467-2695 billrid@hotmail.com

Strathclair Lioness Club

COME JOIN US Meet 2nd Wednesday every month Sec. Mary McDonald 204-365-2659 mduckg@gmail.com

Strathclair Lions Club

COME JOIN US Meet 3rd Wed. 7:30pm @ Strathclair Municipal Hall Pres. Jim Wilson 204-365-2453 jvw@mts.net

Swan Lake Lions Club

WORKING HARD FOR A HEALTHY COMMUNITY Meet 1st & 3rd Tuesday Pres.Geraldine Campbell 204-836-2358 shirley_campbell@live.com

Swan River Lions Club

WWW.SWANRIVERLIONS.ORG
Meeting 2nd Mon. 7pm/Supper meeting 4th Mon.7:30pm
P-Wayne Markle 204-734-42780 waynesco@gmail.com

Teulon & Area Lions Club

COME JOIN US AT FRYDAY'S RESTAURANT Meet 2nd Tuesday at 7:00pm P-Judy Dedrick Williams 886-2536 jdw192@gmail.com

Thompson Lions Club

WELCOME FELLOW LIONS AND VISITORS Supper mtg 1st & 3rd Tues. Sept-June @ Clubhouse Pres. Larry Galick 204-677-3379 Igalick@mts.net

Virden Lions Club

THURS NIGHT BINGO \$1000 GUARANTEED PAYOUT Meet 2nd Tues. Dinner meeting 4th Tues. Sec. Alex Grieve 748-6595 arawanaacres@wcgwave.ca

Warren Herizon Lions Club

COME JOIN US AT THE WARREN FIRE HALL Meet 1st & 3rd Wed., 7pm Pres, Sharon Neely 204-322-5725 neely@mts.net

Waskada Lions Club

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

Warren & District Lions Club

COME JOIN US AT THE FIREHALL
Meet 1st & 3rd Wed. 7:00pm Pres. Murray Scott
204-322-5201 mursansc@mts.net

Wawanesa Lions Club

CAMPING, SWIMMING FISHING AT LIONS PARK Meet 2nd & 4th Thurs. at the Lions Club Room Pres.Jaye Smale 204-824-2722 rjsmale@explornet.com

Please forward changes and updates to the Lions Club Directory

manlion@therecorder.ca or call Bill McKitrick Res. 204-873-2091

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 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?
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 you request, the easier it is for me to fulfill your first choice.
Please forward this form to Lloyd McCabe 46 Kensington Cres., Brandon, Manitoba R7A 6M1 Res. 204-726-5367 blmccabe@mts.net
Vours in Lionism

District Governor Lloyd McCabe

District 5M13 Public Relations

Let community know about your Lions club

As Public Relations Chair for Lions District 5M13, it is my responsibility to encourage all clubs to make the public aware that Lions, Leo & Lioness Clubs do exist!

Let your community know about your activities and the services you provide or are available through Lions International. We have a wonderful publicity tool in our "Manitoba Lion" so make sure to publicize your club activities by submitting articles and pictures. Send in District Reports on a regular basis and I will include your happenings in the "Gleanings" section.

Make use of your local newspaper, if you have one, and come up with creative ideas for publicity. In order to accomplish all these things, I would suggest that each club appoint a Public Relations Chair and let me know who that person is so I can provide leadership and guidance.

Lion Margaret Martin 204-824-2457 dmmart@mts.net

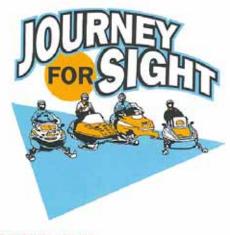
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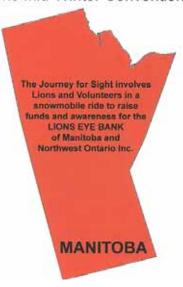


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Info contact Lion Ian Mullin, **Bowsman** 204-236-4478. ianmullin@xplornet.ca

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Remember to purchase tickets for the 2014 SkiDoo snowmobile raffle

If need tickets contact the Bowsman Lions Club

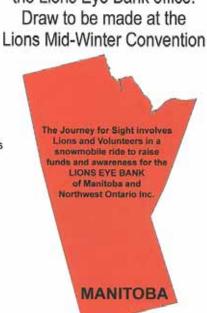
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You can help make the Journey for Sight a success by making a financial donation through the Lions Club in your area. A tax deductible receipt will be issued for contributions of \$10.00 or more. Your gift is important.

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Proposed changes to Constitution and By-Laws

DISTRICT 5M-13 RESOLUTIONS OCTOBER, 2013

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE III – MEMBERSHIP SECTION 1V —Page 5

Proposed change to -

B. District Governor's Honourary Committee

WHEREAS the District 5M-13 Past District Governors' Association has undertaken the role of the

District Governor's Advisory Committee.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT A NEW TITLE: "B. Past District Governors' Association", replace the

present title: "B. District Governor's Honourary Committee'; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the following wording, replace the present wording, to read:

"The District 5M-13 Past District Governors' Association", comprised of the Past District Governors of Lions Clubs International who are members in good sanding of clubs located within the District assist in:

- a) Encouraging Lions to be both knowledgeable of and a supporting part of Lions clubs International (LCI):
- b) Encourage the District to provide positive contributions at the

Multiple District level; and

c) Further the interests of Lionism in District 5M-13 by identifying areas of concern and providing recommendations – the basic purpose of the Past District Governors' Association."

Proposed change for

"C. Constitution and By-Laws Committee"

WHEREAS clarification is required with the last sentence in "C".

BE IT RESOLVED that the last two lines of "C" be replaced with: "The Chairman, appointed by the District Governor, shall represent 5M-13 on the MD-5M Constitution & By-Laws Committee".

ARTICLE IV – DISTRICT ORGANIZATION

Proposed changes to

Section II – District Cabinet Meetings – Page 4

B. Special

(b) Internet Business Transactions WHEREAS, the use of the internet has become a valuable source of information; and

WHEREAS, the communication

using e- mail, club Web sites, social networking sites and e-newsletters allows for District business, member information and public promotion;

BE IT RESOLVED that District 5M-13 may transact business via the internet, provided that no such action shall be effective until approved in writing by the majority of the members of Cabinet. Such action may be initiated by the District Governor, but votes thereon to be valid, must be received by the secretary within ten days of the original e-mail.

WHEREAS an additional item has been added to this category,

BE IT RESOLVED that the subheading (a) "Additional Meetings" be included prior to the present wording; and

FURTHERMORE be it resolved that the subheading (b) "Internet Business Transactions" follow the original paragraph of this section.

ARTICLE V – FINANCES Section 1 - Page 7

Proposed changes to F. Newsletter Costs

WHERAS, LCI no longer provides

financial assistance towards District newsletter expenses;

BE IT RESOLVED that F. a) which

states, "The Governor's Newsletter Allowance from Lions International", be deleted; and

FURTHERMORE, that the old item b) "The Governor's Newsletter Allowance from District 5M-13",

become the new item a); and

FURTHERMORE, that the old item c) "The sale of advertising", becomes the new item b) and the old item c) be dropped.

F. The District newsletter costs will be provided for as follows:

a) The Governor's Newsletter Allowance from District 5M-13; and b) The sale of advertising.

> ARTICLE VII – DISTRICT CONVENTION FUND Section II - Page 11

WHEREAS the wording for "C." was prepared but not included in the 5M-13 changes to the Constitution and By-Laws, and a club could lose money on hosting the District 5M-13 convention;

BE IT RESOLVELD that the wording, "In case of a deficit the Cabinet will review and give consideration for some degree of compensation" becomes the "C" in Section II.

(This has been corrected in the present wording)

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Rossburn Lions Club was involved with Rossburn Elementary School with the annual Peace Poster Contest with students age 11-13. This year's theme was 'Peace Our World Our Future'. Artwork was handed in from 17 students all showing their idea of peace in the world and the future. The winners were as follow 1st place Robyn Yaremchuk, 2nd Emma Charney, 3rd Jon Lawless. Cash prizes were given to these top 3 winners. Robyn's poster will now go on to compete with our Lions Division and possibly on

to National and International Level. The Rossburn Lions will again return to the school at the end of November for Lions Theme Day where students will learn what Lionism is all about and serving and volunteering in ones community. This will finish off with a lunch provided by the club.

(I-r) Jon Lawless, Lion Denise Melnyk, Emma Charney, Lion Calvin Melnyk, Robyn Yaremchuk. Submitted by Lion Wendy secretary of Rossburn Lions Club

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

Binscarth Lions Club

Watered and weeded trees at golf course, gopher & insect control. Appreciation supper and social evening for former members; Sent newsletter to local mailbox holders outlining past year's activities and a call for new members. Weekly Bingo \$4180

Donations to: Eye Bank Supper Tickets \$30; Lions Quest Tickets \$250; Local Tourism advertising; Russell High School Rodeo \$200; STARS Helicopter Ambulance \$1000

Purchased a new BBQ/grill for Canada Day Pancake Breakfast

Birtle Lions Club

4 weekly Bingos \$2000

Donation for Cable TV for Birtle Hospital & Personal Care Home \$1500

Brandon Crocus Lions Club

Hot Dog sales at Co-op Store shared with Brandon Lions Club

Crystal City Lions Club

Eyeglasses/Hearing Aids collected 50

Elgin Lions Club

Auction Lunch and Barbecue \$160 Donation to Community Park \$600

Ethelbert Lions Club

6 Bingos for Seniors; Valentine's Tea for Seniors

Donations to: Lions Eye Bank \$500; Medical needs \$1150

Hamiota Lions Club

Total of \$1455 raised from Food Booth at Fair; Wedding Catering; Bartending

Donations totaling \$1400 to: Hamiota Aquatic Centre; Hamiota District Sports Centre; Hamiota Collegiate Scholarship; Hamiota Elementary Crossing Guards; Hamiota Elementary Kids Fund; LCI Oklahoma Relief

Holland Lioness Club

Allan Mitchell

Mini Mall November 23

Donations to: Tiger Hills Arts Association Membership \$35; Tiger Hills Handi-Transit Chili Cook-Off \$50; Tammy Mahon Mural Project \$500

MacGregor Lions Club

Total of \$4174 raised from Campground Registrations/ Maintenance; Pancake Breakfast for Helping Hands

Donations to: Helping Hands for Manitobans with Breast Cancer; STARS Air Ambulance 853; Medical Assistance for a lady who had a stroke \$300

Collected 110 eyeglasses

Melita Lions Club

Two new members - Debra Richard and Allan Mitchel; Purchased scooter for Seniors' Home; Harvested canola crop; Collecting batteries

Donations of \$500 to STARS Ambulance and Mental Health

Collected 75 eyeglasses/hearing aids

Minnedosa Lions Club

Highway cleanup.

Raised \$765 at Tag Day for Diabetes and selling Lions Mints

Pipestone Lions Club

Weekly Community Bingo

Repairs to Community Hall caused by July tornado

Portage la prairie lions club

Eight Lions & Lioness attended Brandon Lions 75th Anniversary; Lions Prairie Manor Harvest Luncheon, helped prepare & sold 50/50 raffle tickets; Supplied juice & cookies for Blood Donor Clinic, served by Lioness; "200 Club" Draw, prizes of \$1000 and \$600; Sears Mail Order Catalogue Delivery

Rapid City Lions Club

Donations to: Terry Fox Run \$150; Royal Canadian Legion \$100

Roblin Lions Club

Donation to Hospital Auxilliary \$250

Shoal Lake Lions Club

Lunchtime BBQ \$900

Thompson Lions Club

Collected 50 eyeglasses/hearing aids

We Serve

Rossburn Lions Club

Peace Poster Contest; October Vision Month posters encouraging donations of glasses & hearing aids; Battery Collection.

Donations to: Family who had a house fire; STARS Ambulance Program; Rossburn Chamber of Commerce membership fee

Collected 45 eyeglasses/ hearing aids

Virden Lions Club

Virden Rodeo Daze Breakfast (proceeds to rodeo committee); Child Safe ID kits for area schools; Peace Poster Contest; Lions Campground. Bingo.

Donations to: MAP; STARS; Peace Poster prizes



The Minnedosa lions Club assisted Mr.Ted Clarke in partial finance of a wheelchair ramp joining his house and garage. He suffered a stroke a few years ago and cannot get around easily but can drive a vehicle. The club donated \$350.00 and an additional \$350.00 was received from M.A.P. Lion Alf Iverson of the Minnedosa Lions Club with Ted on his new ramp.

Warren Lions Club

Ron King Memorial Fiddle Fest \$2000; Provided food for passengers on Prairie Dog Central June - August \$4000

Donations to: Family with terminal illness \$500; Individual with serious illness \$150

Waskada Lions Club

Preparing to harvest Lions Club Crop Project; Poker Tournament

Wawanesa Lions Club

Planning recycling pick-up as a result of Community Needs Assessment; Sponsoring a Peace Poster Contest; Four Lions attended Brandon Lions 75th Anniversary; Entertained Boissevain Crown Jewels Ladies at the Lions Art Mart; Sponsored a Blood Donor Clinic; Ongoing Battery Collection; Lions volunteers for hire for Recreation Centre Concession shifts; Lions Art Mart \$150.

Donation from Lion President Jaye, payment for flower delivery for Brandon Bloom Box \$275.

Donations to: STARS Ambulance Program \$100; Lions Foundation Fundraiser tickets \$30; Manitoba Lion Ad \$100



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NEW LION

10th edition of Bowsman Bull-A-Rama

espite rumours of wanted outlaw "Bad Bart" coming there to cause trouble, well over four hundred people took their chances and came to the Bowsman Curling Rink to enjoy the Old Western Family BBQ on Saturday, October 5th.

The Wild West Show was only part of the 12 hours of entertainment put on by the Bowsman and District Lions Club as part of their celebration of the 10th anniversary of the Bowsman Bull-A-Rama.

Their annual fundraising rodeo event had a change in the Canadian Cowboy Association circuit calendar and was held for the first time on a Saturday instead of Friday night. This gave the Bowsman Lions a chance to provide more fun and entertainment with the addition of a third event this year, the Old Western Family Steak BBQ and Saloon.

With fun for the whole family being the focus of the day, the Lions had local actors (some of which were Bowsman Lions) dressed up in Western costumes to greet and interact with the crowd. Then towards the end of the BBQ, the actors had a "shoot out" inside the Bowsman Curling Rink complete with an undertaker and coffin for the deceased. Wagon rides were also available and music was provided by the Ken Thompson Band.

An eager crowd then filled the Bowsman Arena for the main event, the 10th anniversary of the Bowsman Bull-A-Rama Rough Stock Rodeo. MC

Emery Erickson who was also celebrating his 30th year as rodeo announcer filled the ring with flames and fireworks to start the show. A special presentation on the big screen was also given on Lion Albert Outhwaite's rodeo history and him joining the Bowsman Lions to start and serve as Chair of the Bowsman Bull-A-Rama Committee all these years. This year was also the 50th anniversary of the Canadian Cowboy Association and the 10th anniversary of livestock provider Prime Time Rodeos. In honour of all these special anniversaries, the Bowsman Lions were able to provide the spectators with a "special version" of the RCMP Musical Ride. Then it was time for what everyone came to see, the three exciting Rough Stock Rodeo events of Saddle Bronc, Bareback, and Bullriding with riders from



Actors for the Wild West Show included Lion Dennis Hodgson as the Undertaker, Lion Kevin Silverthorn as the Sheriff, and Lion Earl Hrappstead as "Bad Bart"



The Bowsman Lions were able to provide the spectators with a "special version" of the RCMP Musical Ride as part of the 10th anniversary celebrations.

who helped us out with our 2013 Bowsman Bull-A-Rama whose proceeds go towards the purchase of the Swan Valley Cataract Equipment. Over the past nine years, with just the proceeds raised from the past Bull-A-Rama's alone, the Bowsman Lions have donated approximately \$85,000 to the local area. These have included donations towards various medical assistance needs, the Bowsman Arena, Swan River Lions Skateboard Park, and once again the Swan Valley Lions Clubs commitment of over \$300,000 towards the purchase of the Swan Valley Cataract Equipment.

To see the videos, more photos, and the Rodeo results, go to the Bowsman Lions Facebook page at http://www.facebook.com/bowsmanlions or website at http://e-clubhouse.org/sites/bowsman/



Lion Albert Outhwaite, Chair of the Bowsman Bull-A-Rama Committee received a special presentation on the big screen about his rodeo history and the ten years of Bull-A-Rama - with MC Emery Erickson who was also celebrating his 30th year as rodeo announcer

as far away as Alberta trying get their points up during the last week of the season to get into the CCA Finals Rodeo. New entertainment this year during Bull-A-Rama was the Wild Horse Race, where the teams had to catch a horse and ride it, and the Fantastic Four Trick Riders, one of whom was only four years old.

After the Bull-A-Rama event was over, an All Ages Dance was held back at the Bowsman Curling Rink. Music was provided again by the Ken Thompson Band and later on headliners "Sonny and the Hurricanes" to finish off the night.

The Bowsman Lions would like to thank everyone who came out to the events, the sponsors, and everyone else



Lion John Mullin (wearing apron) and Lion Harold Proppe preparing steaks for the BBQ

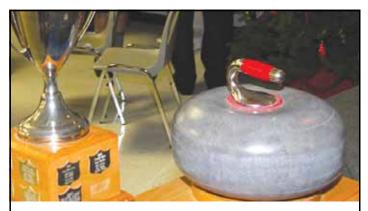
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