

The Southern Flyer



202F District Newsletter



Issue 143

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Lions Clubs International District 202F



We Serve

DG Dave Saunders



Welcome fellow Lions to the DG's fortnightly Blog

Well , all things with Lions has flown by so fast I can hardly believe its December.

I have enjoyed my time so far in meeting some of our 202F fellow Lions. Putting a face to the name and getting to know people on a personal level makes a world of difference .

One gets to know what is happening at the coalface so to speak. A great many club members really soak up and embrace Lions information ,where as other members choose to just concentrate on serving their respective local areas this does not in any shape or form take away from their passion for serving others .

We are as a collective are in good heart and relatively strong in our member numbers. Keep up the great work you all do, and please be mindful not to let our membership fall. We all as clubs need to increase our membership by a minimum of three per year this allows for individuals passing on, members leaving or transferring out, this would allow an increase of a net one per year for the club.

Speaking of new members when you induct them hang onto them with both your hands and do not let them slip away. Please get them involved in your club projects quickly this allows individuals to integrate quickly , to see how things work in the club dynamics, and allows them to settle in and become a valued and more relaxed member of the club.

Another good tip is to buddy them up with a more experienced club member for the first year of their membership (it is a known fact that new members will leave within the first year ,either because they can feel somewhat alienated or thrust into a club boards or general speaking at tea meetings. This can be very stressful and daunting for the new member)

Have a very festive Christmas and great new year celebrations

Yours in Lionism

DG DAVE

PS: Congratulations to the clubs that I have read about in the bulletins, inducting new members.!!!!



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Please Note

**The February Cabinet Meeting date at Owaka
Has had to be changed to Saturday 15th February**

202F Convention- Please Note.
Saturday day functions at Clyde Primary School
Saturday evening at Orchard Gardens
Sunday function at Clyde Primary School
More information to follow in the New Year.



DG Dave swapping banners
President of Otatau.

DG Dave presenting banner to the
President of Te Anau Kepler



Two I chatted with,
No room for stories



DG Dave with
lead singer Jackie
Knowles.
Jeremy Knowles
on the drum.
This was the best
Entertainment I
have heard for
some time!!!!!!



View from motel in
Manapouri (Thks Jo)



DG presenting the 55 years
Certificate of service to Tom
Roberts.
Right-President Sandy Tee



Christmas display Hawea
Big thanks to Barb Mac.

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TAONGA FROM THE TREASURER

Happy Christmas

At this time of the year many of our Clubs are going into recess until some time in late January or early February (at least they do up north here as that's when the best fishing is happening).

So, a couple of pointers:

A. Payments can be made for individual and district levies or accounts without Board approval, pending ratification at the next Club Board meeting.

B. You have until the 31st December to file your Charities return and the return to the Incorporated Societies Registrar.

(Yes, two separate returns to two separate Government departments.) If you miss the deadline you run the risk of deregistration.

C. Use the holiday break to think about e.bank solutions that are going to work for your Club.

As from February next year your choices reduce so talk to your Bank and see what's possible.

Have a safe and productive break and welcome (almost) to the next decade.

Steve Bennett
MD 202 Treasurer



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District Governor Dave & Ann Saunders
along with

Clyde & Districts Lions Club
are proud to invite you to the

202F District Convention

20th - 22nd March 2020
Clyde



Fruits of Gold & Power

Enquires to Lyn McCall
Phone: 0274159232

202f.conchair@lionsclubs.org.nz
Facebook: Lions District 202F



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202F DISTRICT CONVENTION

21 – 22 MARCH 2020

CLYDE, CENTRAL OTAGO



Register before Friday 14 February to go in to a draw at the Convention to receive your full registration back – 1 draw only

Lions Registration Form Only

Important – Each Lion must complete a separate Registration Form (please print clearly)

Surname		First Name	
Club		District	Date
Lion <input type="checkbox"/> Leo <input type="checkbox"/>	Office Held	Delegate:	Yes / No
Postal Address			
Mobile Number		Post Code	
Email Address		Home Phone	
Special Dietary Requirements			

REGISTRATION & FUNCTIONS	COST	TOTAL
Convention Registration: Lion (non-refundable) <i>(Discounted to \$20 if paid by 14 February 2020)</i>	\$30.00	
Saturday Business – AGM	No Charge	N/A
Saturday Morning Tea	\$6.00	
Saturday Lunch	\$20.00	
Saturday Evening - Dinner & Dance <i>Gold, Glitz & Glamour</i>	\$50.00	
Sunday Rededication & Remembrance Service	No Charge	N/A
Sunday Lunch	\$20.00	
Convention Pin	\$10.00	
Convention Raffle – 3 tickets for \$5.00	\$5.00	
TOTAL TO PAY		\$

REGISTRATION & PAYMENT OPTIONS	Registrations close Saturday 7 March		
EMAIL: Attach your scanned Registration Form with your Partner form and email it to: maysimm00@gmail.com			
INTERNET BANKING: 03 1733 0000205 001	Particulars: <i>Registration</i>	Code: <i>Your Club Name</i>	Reference: <i>Your Name</i>
POST & CHEQUE: Make Cheques Payable to the: Lions Club of Clyde & Districts – 202F Convention 2020 and post with registration forms to: D Simms - 4 Rapuke Street, Alexandra 9320			
<i>An acknowledgement of receipt of your registration will be emailed or posted promptly. Please ensure your email address is printed clearly and keep a copy for your records. Please make contact if no acknowledgment is received to Dennise 027 245 1671 or Trish 027 431 8241.</i>			

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202F DISTRICT CONVENTION

21 – 22 MARCH 2020
CLYDE, CENTRAL OTAGO



Partner Registration Form Only

Surname		First Name	
Partner's Name		Partner's Club	
Postal Address			
Mobile Number		Post Code	
Email Address		Home Phone	
Special Dietary Requirements			

REGISTRATION & FUNCTIONS	COST	TOTAL
Convention Registration: Partner (non-refundable) <i>(Discounted to \$15 if paid by 14 February 2020)</i>	\$25.00	
Saturday Business – AGM	No Charge	N/A
Saturday Morning Tea	\$6.00	
Saturday Partners Programme & Lunch	40.00	
Saturday Evening - Dinner & Dance <i>Gold, Glitz & Glamour</i>	\$50.00	
Sunday Rededication & Remembrance Service	No Charge	N/A
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Copy of Clyde_Alex Accom.xlsx

NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE NO	CEL NO	EMAIL	WWW
ALEXANDRA					
Alex Park View Motel	12 Bantry Street, Alexandra	0800 448740		alparkview@callipius.net.nz	www.alparkviewmotel.co.nz
Alexandra Backpackers	10 Skird Street, Alexandra	03 448 7170	021 0581120	alexandrabackpackers@hotmail.com	
Alexandra Criterion Hotel	13 Tarbert St, Alexandra	03 448 7204			
Alexandra Garden Court Motel	51 Manuherikia Road, Alexandra	0800 736 116		alex.gardencourt@xtra.co.nz	www.alexgardencourtmotel.co.nz
Alexandra Heights	125 Centennial Ave, Alexandra	03 448 6366	0800 862 539	info@alexandraheights.co.nz	www.alexandraheights.co.nz
Alexandra Holiday Park	44 Manuherikia Rd, Alexandra	03 448 8297		info@ahp.nz	www.ahp.nz
Alexandra Motor Lodge Motel	85 Centennial Ave, Alexandra	03 448 7580	0800 929555	alexmotorlodge@xtra.co.nz	www.alexandramotorlodge.co.nz
Alexandra Tourist Park	31 Ngapara Street, Alexandra	03 448 8861		alex.touristpark@xtra.co.nz	www.alexandratouristpark.co.nz
Almond Court Motel	53 Killiarney street, Alexandra	03 448 7667	0800 256 663	info@almondcourtmotel.co.nz	www.almondcourtmotel.co.nz
Asure Avenue Motel	117 Centennial Avenue, Alexandra	03 448 6919	0800 75 88 99	avenue.motel@xtra.co.nz	www.avenue-motel.co.nz
Centennial Court Motor Inn	96 Centennial Avenue, Alexandra	03 448 6482	0800 802 909	bookings@centennialcourt.co.nz	www.centennialcourt.co.nz
Last Chance Lodge	319 Earnscleugh Road, Alexandra	03 449 3223			
Mari's Place	5 Theyers Street, Alexandra	03 448 7098		info@marisplace.co.nz	www.marisplace.co.nz
Mirabell Chalets	13 Airport Road, Alexandra	03 448 7571	027 247 9595	andy.family@xtra.co.nz	www.mirabell.co.nz
Twobobs BnB	33 Marshall Road, Alexandra	03 449 3188	027 657 0479	twobobs@xtra.co.nz	www.twobobsBnB.co.nz
Weaver Estate	381 Alexandra-Clyde Rd, Alexandra 9301	3 448 6335		stay@weaverwines.co.nz	https://www.weaverwines.co.nz/
CLYDE					
Antique Lodge Motel	56 Sunderland Street, Clyde	03 449 2709	0800 992 266	stay@antiquelodgemotel.co.nz	http://www.antiquelodgemotel.co.nz
Clyde Backpackers-Hartley Arms	25 Sunderland Street, Clyde	03 449 2700	027 634 3864	info@hartleyarms.co.nz	www.hartleyarms.co.nz
Clyde Holiday and Sporting Complex	10 Whitby Street, Clyde	03 449 2713			www.clydeholidaypark.co.nz
Clyde Motel (Clyde Apartments)	116 Sunderland Street, Clyde	03 449 2845		clydeapartments@gmail.com	www.clydeapartments.co.nz
Olivers Central Otago Lodge and Stables	34 Sunderland Street, Clyde	03 449 2600	0800 131 070	enquiries@oliverscentralotago.co.nz	www.oliverscentralotago.co.nz
Dunstan House	29 Sunderland Street, Clyde	3 449 2295		info@dunstanhouse.co.nz	https://www.dunstanhouse.co.nz/
Clyde Holiday Home - sleeps 6-8	Within walking distance of venue	027 296 2773		Sue	
Plus Many Air BnB's					

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Calling all Cake Decorators

Entries are invited from Lions Clubs of District 202F to enter a decorated cake auction, to be held at the District 202F Convention, 21 March 2019, in Clyde

Theme:

GOLD, GLITZ & GLAMOUR

Base Size no larger than 9" (23cm)
No more than 2 tiers

Cakes will be on display at the school during the day on Saturday to be judged by popular vote. At the evening function at Orchard Garden the cakes will be auctioned and Funds raised will go to The Child Cancer Foundation and Chemo Crazy's.

Please make an effort to raise funds for your team to bid at auction for this most worthy cause!



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LIONS ACCIDENT, INCIDENT & HAZARD INVESTIGATION FORM

Please circle one:ACCIDENT.....INCIDENT.....HAZARD

LIONS ACTIVITY/EVENT:

.....
.....

LOCATION, DATE & TIME:

.....
.....

INJURED PARTY:

NAME:

ADDRESS:

.....

DATE OF BIRTH:

RELATIONSHIP TO EVENT:

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.....

DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT:

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..

POSSIBLE CAUSES OF THE INCIDENT:

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.....

ACTION TAKEN TO SECURE THE AREA/ELIMINATE CAUSE:

.....
.....

WAS ANY EMERGENCY SERVICE REQUIRED/ADVISED:

.....
WAS THE SAFETY ACTION PLAN FILED FOR THE EVENT: (YES)..... (NO).....

**WAS THE INCIDENT RECOGNISED AS A POSSIBLE RISK IN THE SAFETY ACTION PLAN:
(YES)..... (NO).....**

WHAT WAS THE SUGGESTED "CONTROL":

.....
WAS THE DISTRICT H & S OFFICER NOTIFIED: (YES).....(NO).....

SIGNED BY EVENT PROJECT LEADER:

FOLLOW UP BY LIONS CLUB HEALTH & SAFETY OFFICER:

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE H & S OFFICER / CLUB PRESIDENT:

.....
.....

SIGNED OFF BY CLUB PRESIDENT AND/OR SECRETARY: DATE:

.....



LIONS SAFETY ACTION PLAN

Activity: Date: Safety Officer:

Project Leader: No. of Lions: Location:

Event start.....Event finish.....Approved by (Lion):..... (Organiser):.....

	Possible Hazards	Risk	Control
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			
6.			
7.			
8.			
9.			
10.			

SPECIFIC EVENT REQUIREMENTS:

ORGANISER..... PERMITS..... FIRST AID KIT..... FIRE EXTINGUISHER..... POWER CABLES & BOXES..... WATER..... HI VIZ JACKETS..... Traffic Management Plan (TMP)*..... TRAILER..... MARQUEES..... BBQ & ACCESSORIES..... MEMBERS NAMES & CONTACT NUMBERS (on file).....

Non-Members Names & numbers:..... (attached list).

Members and Non-members requiring special consideration:

.....

Comments:

.....

Note: All Lion members and non-members to be advised of all hazards/risk and H & S procedures.

*For events which involve roads to be closed / traffic to be diverted refer to the website www.lionsclubs.org.nz/resources. Go to Health & Safety for further information.

Lions Clubs International Statement, Dues and Payments Frequently Asked Questions



Frequently Asked Questions

Q: How do I view the club's outstanding balance?

A: From the My Lions Club menu, select Statements/ Dues. The top half of the Statements page shows the club's current balance

Q: How do I print a statement?

A: From the My Lions Club menu, select Statements/ Dues. From the bottom half of the Statements page, click the View/ Print link associated with the Statement you would like to print. The Statement will display in the browser. To print the statement, click on the browser print icon. It may be necessary to adjust your print option. Depending on your browser, select the "Actual size" print option or set your Page Scaling option to "None" before clicking Print.

After printing your statement, click the back button on your browser to return to the Statements page.

Club Treasurers will see a Pay Now link on the top half of the Statements page. The treasurer will click the "Pay Now" link to process a payment online. If the payment will be mailed, click "Payment Instructions" from the Support Center panel for information on where to send the payment.

Q: How do I avoid receiving statements in the mail?

A: Club Treasurers are able to avoid receiving mailed statements. From the My Lions Club menu, select Statements/ Dues. From the middle of the page, select "Opt out of Paper Statements" to stop receiving statements in the mail. This option will need to be re-specified at the start of the Treasurer's term.



Lions Clubs International Statement, Dues and Payments Frequently Asked Questions



- Q:** How do I ensure that I am notified when monthly statements are available on MyLCI?
- A:** All club treasurers with an e-mail address specified in the MyLCI member record will receive notification by e-mail when monthly statements are available in MyLCI. To check your member record, select Members from the My Lions Club menu. Scroll to find the treasurer's name in the list of members. The e-mail address will display under the member name along with other contact information. Club presidents and secretaries are able to update member information.

Hi Everyone,

We are trying to reduce errors in the processing of transactions recorded in the LCI bank account by the MD office.

It would assist us greatly if club treasurers were able to access their LCI statements online and check each month if any payment they made in the prior month has been credited to their account.

Some clubs may be doing this already but for those that are unsure how to we have attached a document from LCI explaining how to access the online statements and would appreciate it if this was forwarded on to them.

Many thanks.

Regards

Rhonda Kaire

MD202 Secretary

Lions Clubs New Zealand & Islands of the South Pacific

ph: 0800 546 672

mob: 021 712 235

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District 202-F Club LCIF Coordinators,

Greetings from headquarters in Oak Brook, Illinois. First, I would like to thank each of you for serving as a Club LCIF Coordinator this year. As you may know, Lions Clubs International Foundation has served our Lions communities, both locally and globally, since 1968. And each of you may be familiar with *Campaign 100: Empowering Service*, the Foundation's current initiative to increase our service impact, fight diabetes, and expand our global causes.

Many of you have reached out to me to ask about the role of the Club LCIF Coordinator, and what types of tools are available to each of you that would support your work in promoting LCIF. In response, I have created brief presentations on the Foundation that can be shared with members in your club, covering topics such as:

- A general overview of LCIF
- Campaign 100
- The District and Club Community Impact Grant, which is available to clubs
- Types of club recognition

Types of individual recognition

Attached to this email is the first of such presentations, outlining the history of our Foundation and the support we have provided to the Lions of MD 202. Depending on the technical capabilities at your club meetings, you may use the attached PowerPoint presentation which contains speaking points in the notes section. For those without the ability to show the presentation, I have also attached a .pdf version of the presentation to this email.

Slide 8 of the presentation contains an optional video that highlights the work of the Foundation. Due to the size of the video, I am unable to attach to this email. However, should you choose to play the video, it can be downloaded at this link <https://www.lionsclubs.org/resources/96469176>. The video is also available to stream on YouTube at https://youtu.be/KcbYh_xuHPI. Please let me know if you need any assistance downloading the video.

I hope you consider sharing the importance of our Foundation with members of your club. In the coming weeks I will be sending the second installment which provides an overview of Campaign 100. Until then, feel free to reach out to me with any questions you may have.

Jeff Arnett
Regional Development Manager
Lions Clubs International Foundation
300 W 22nd St, Oak Brook, IL 60523
630-468-6973

**If anyone would like a copy of the pdf version of the presentation ,
please email me and I will send it to you.**

Cheers

Ann 202F Editor

202f.editor@lionsclubs.org.nz

Invercargill Host Article

Invercargill Leo the Lion Report

1 September 2019



Adventures Leo Lions since March report, two boxes have had patches sewn on them and just about all have been on adventures apart from 5 who are just about to be put in Ambulances.

We have had a noticeable increase in kids being sick over the last few months. But saying that this flu has affected a lot of adults in the same way.

Medical - 60 cases. Ages range from 4 months to 14 years. (Cases were breathing issues, flu like symptoms, seizures, Allergic reaction, Febrile seizures, rashes and chest infections)

Trauma - 36 cases. Ages 3 years to 12 years. (Bruising from falls, Lacerations including a high being split open, fractures – Open and closed, Crush injury- Trapped by heavy object, Sports injuries – ankles and hockey sticks injury)

Siblings – 4 (Parent sick child received one, Child respiratory arrest - (other children upset Lion given for comfort)

The best story this month was a 10 year who wanted to know every little detail of his injury, what the crew and hospital were going to do for treatment, did it involve needles or surgery. But when Leo the Lion was offered to him he just wanted to cuddle it. Crew said it was like **Magic**.

Thank you for your support, its much appreciated.

Picture of Patching on their rumps.



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GREAT SOUTHERN LINKS - FAIRWAYS TO FUNDRAISING TOURNAMENT

Save the Date!

WHEN: 24 - 25 October 2020

WHERE: The most spectacular links on the planet, King Island

COST: \$1295 per person

INCLUDES: Return flights, 18 holes at Cape Wickham, 18 holes at Ocean Dunes, 1 night twin share accommodation, pull buggies and transfers

CONTACT: golf@airadventure.com.au or phone Jon Perrett 0402 852 637 to confirm your place today.

Prepare to take off on a golfing adventure above all others



Lions Club of King Island

BOOK BY
30 JAN 2020

SAVE \$100

Hello to our New Zealand friends

I'm hoping you might be able to include this article in your club newsletters for me please. We are Lions King Island, Tasmania and would like to invite New Zealand Golfers to our Fairways to Fundraising golf Tournament in October 2020.

are you able to include the Flyer (save the date) in your newsletter distribution system for me please? Or I have written an article which is more editorial than advertisement....plus a couple of pictures to go with the article. please find attached some words about our club and a couple of pictures to reflect who we are and what we do.

- Image 1458 - the club's new bbq van in operation at the Main Street Christmas Market
- 2nd photo - Lions load the shipping container of scrap metal ready to send to Tasmania
- Cape Wickham - a stunning links course nestled underneath the tallest lighthouse in the Southern Hemisphere Photo credit Australian Golf Digest

Yours in Lionism, with thanks

Linda Payne

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**ALEXANDRA LIONS CLUB 4WD SAFARI
"BEYOND THE LOCKED GATES"**



Saturday 4th January 2020

Plan: - Alexandra to Roxburgh Hydro, via the Knobby Range.

Registration for this event is essential before **30/ 12/ 2019**, as vehicle numbers will be limited.

We will also take a register of people who would like to go on this tour but have no access to a 4WD vehicle. We will then endeavour to place you in a spare seat in one of the vehicles.

Note: All vehicles must be in a sound roadworthy condition and drivers hold a current drivers licence. * This tour is NOT suitable for 4WD cars.

Departure will be from the Ice in Line car park in Alexandra. All participants will need to assemble and sign a disclaimer before departure at 10.30am.

Costs: Driver \$20.00
Passengers \$40.00
Children u/15 \$20.00
Children u/5 FREE
Minimum cost per vehicle \$100.00

All funds raised by this event will be donated to the "Otago Rescue Helicopter Trust"

For Registration forms, please contact

Barry McCall
027 441 5902
bazandlyn@snap.net.nz

Roger Marshall
027 438 4348
r.r.marshall@xtra.co.nz

Neil Connelly
027 368 3649
connelly@xtra.co.nz

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**ALEXANDRA LIONS CLUB
"BEYOND THE LOCKED GATES"
4WD REGISTRATION
FOR JANUARY 4TH 2020**

*All funds raised by this event will be donated to the Otago Rescue Helicopter Trust
Registrations must be in before 30 December 2019*

Driver Name _____ Phone Number _____
Address _____

E-mail _____

Vehicle details

Make / Model _____

Registration number _____

Passenger names _____

(Include children) _____

Please indicate if you are willing to take extra passengers – How many?

Prices

Driver	\$20.00	_____
Passenger/s	\$40.00	_____
Children u/15	\$20.00	_____
Children u/5	Free	_____

Total _____

Note: Min \$100.00 per vehicle

Disclaimer

Your participation in the 4wd Safari is at your own risk. Neither the land owner nor the organiser will accept any responsibility or liability for damages to vehicles, other property or personal injuries suffered. Passengers travel at their own risk. It is the driver's responsibility to inform their passengers of the above disclaimer.

Signature _____ Date _____

Note: Bring your own lunch and extra warm clothing. All vehicles must carry a minimum of 2 people.

As there is a vehicle limit on this trip early registration is essential. First in, First served.

Please post with payment by 30 December 2019 to:-

B. McCall
4 Gye St
Clyde 9330
Mobile 0274 415902

Cash
Cheque
Online 02-0916-0022592-010

Online payments please include Surname and 4WD as reference.

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Riversdale

At the November meeting Constable Adam Roberts from Riversdale spoke on "Drugs" Our club trip planned, is now to be in February. Togo to the Movies, the Switzers Museum, and across to the Waikaia Hotel for Dinner. Lastly, thanks to the members that turned up to run the BBQ at the Riversdale school on Friday, 1 November for the Fun Mud Day. The Riversdale Cemetery fence was done on Friday, 8 November, as a club working bee by six members. Is looking great!!

BAKING FOR CAMP QUALITY REQUIRED FOR JANUARY:

An ice-cream container of biscuits for children attending this camp who have cancer. If you are able to help, please deliver to our Secretary Viv Caughey before Christmas - to be delivered before 4 January!!

Ranfurly Maniototo Pakeke

At this meeting it was discussed about the Ranfurly Pakeke Bowling Club Tournament money being spent next year on NEW OUTDOOR FURNITURE for the patients at the Chalet and Hospital . The potato sales amounted to \$525.00

Stewart reported that 39 Bags aboard the shed & sales for the month were \$932.00 well done !!! **Guest Speaker:-** Sue Fleury gave a very informative talk about her role in Lions, and her up coming trips overseas. At this time she presented our President Anne Cotton with a special presentation from Lions International a pin for her work in successfully being a sponsor for two new Club members.

Lawrence

VDG Sue then inducted, Keily Smith (Sam Smith sponsor), Libby Hindmarsh and Sarah Murray (Dave Robertson sponsor) and Nigel Homer (Wendy Haywood sponsor). President Paul then presented Nigel with his grandfather Gerald Geddes's original blue suit jacket that Paul as given by Kath Geddes when he joined. A very special and proud moment. **50th Celebrations;** Peter C making headway on the Anniversary book. Andrew has been working on draft and Ron has turned up with additional info. Plan is to get first 25 year added to last 25. Need more photos so could everyone hunt some out. Need to start thinking about a guest speaker. Elderly Christmas Luncheon was held on - Friday 6th December 2019

Alexandra Dunstan



A big thank you to those members who contributed to and supported the Earnscleugh Fair on Nov 17. We had a very respectable return and are booked again for May. We had a good meeting with 2nd VDG Pam Fiveash and her friend.

President Glenys exchanging banners with 2nd VDG Pam Fiveash.

Clyde & Districts

Our **Wheelie Bin Project** is starting to gather speed with some cleaning bins and labelling workouts. We have advertised this around the towns and also on our "Facebook Page. If anyone reading this wants to know more please ask one of our members or phone Bill on 027 274 0557.

A table is booked for the **Alexandra Christmas Markets on Saturday December 14th.**

I would like to congratulate the Lions members who catered for the Friendship Force dinner on Friday November 29th. The meal and service was superb. Thank you. After two false starts because of the inclement spring weather we will finally got to have a very enjoyable working bee at Koromiko Corner. After a few spits of rain it turned out very hot and we were soon stripping off our cardigans and jerseys. Four members took part and had a good chance to catch-up while working on weeding the plants which are growing well.

Waikiwi

February 6th - Project event at Southern Dragways - Burt Munro Drags. On Tuesday 1 October, at our Social Meeting, the guest speaker was Belinda van der Monde, the funding manager for Southern Cochlear Ear Implants Programme. She explained what the programme is, how it works, and what it needs from other organisations. She also explained, and gave examples, about how it helps the (unfortunately limited number of) people to hear, some again and others for the first time. We all seem to take out hearing for granted, but the loss of hearing has a great impact on the lives of those who have lost it. The Waikiwi Lions Club annual Charity Games night was held at the Makarewa Country Club rooms on Tuesday night last week. As usual, it was well attended by members of Clubs from Zone 7 along with a few other invited Clubs.



Our first wheely bin working bee.

Otautau

Senior Citizens Christmas Dinner



Craving crew



Singers are the "Southern Sounds"



Always happens, someone with no friends.!!!!



" Well deserve an award, great evening !!!

Lion Peter Templer receiving his 40 year Membership Chevron.
Lion Jocelyn Sinclair reading the letter from
Lions Clubs International.



Fifty Two residents of and visitors to Ohai, Nightcaps and Districts recently had their general health checked at the Takitimu Community Health Day, held at the Nightcaps Town Hall on Wednesday 6th November, 2019. The event was organised by the Ohai / Nightcaps Lions Club in association with the Nightcaps Medical Trust, Ohai Volunteer Fire Brigade and the Southern Institute of Technology School of Nursing. The event was a great success with everyone that attended either agreeing or strongly agreeing that the day was useful, informative and important.

Cromwell Lake Dunstan

Invitation from Rotary to their 40th Anniversary evening. Our President Adrien and Pete attending.

Brenda – Reported that Relay for Life will be held on the 7th & 8th March 2020. A team of 10 people is needed at \$20.00 per person. Mint sales going well and \$208.85 made this month. \$140 from cash sales . Raewyn and Adrien attended the roadshow on Saturday. The National treasurer was an excellent speaker and as well as talking about money also spoke generally about Lions matters.

Balfour

Dec 15th Lions Xmas Mystery Bus Trip and Meal. A \$10 Mystery Santa Gift for Santa's Sack if you are attending either or both. Cost: Meal \$40 pp Bus trip: \$10 for surprise entry fee. Bus leaves Balfour Tavern @ 2.30pm sharp and returns before 7pm for the meal. Did you know that no dollars from your International dues actually go to the U.S.A. Yes – That is actually true! Welcoming to our new Lions members James Merchant, Will Weatherburn and James Robson.

Te Anau Kepler

On the 12th of Dec we had our Christmas party come tea meeting with the Te Anau Lions club at the bowling club, the DG Dave and his wife Ann present. This will be a BBQ tea, with the Te Anau Lions club doing nibbles and the meat for BBQ; we are doing salads and dessert. We had one catering event before Christmas being salads for the Bridge Club on the 11th.

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Queenstown Wakatipu

This will be a busy December for QW Lions volunteers; Christmas Tree Decorating, House and Garden Ambassadors, Santa's Helpers at the Ice Photos, Food Bank categorising and bulk division, Conversational English nights, BBQ fundraising and our Christmas Party Event. So enjoy yourselves and take photos for our FB page.

Did you know that : Environment Facts

📌 >3 trillion trees in the world

📌 30% of the world's land area is covered by forest

📌 >15 billion trees are cut down every year

📌 46% Estimated global decrease in tree count since the start of human civilisation

*****Perhaps give a gift of a tree this year.*****

Te Anau

We have a busy month ahead with the Kepler Challenge, Christmas Tea meeting combined with the Kepler ladies and a visit from DG Dave Saunders. Also we have the Rodeo gate on the 30th of December.

2 members went to the Zone meeting in Mossburn last week with the usual conversation on membership and encouraging new younger members to join. Steptoe Auction It was agreed that next year for our 50th Anniversary to be the final one,

Tewantin Noosa Lions Club Inc. The Pelican Brief

I want to share this story with you all, I received a bulletin from the club above. Thank you Ian for sending me your bulletin.

Lions Clubs international Foundation

Dear Lions,

I want to tell you about a young boy by the name of João Pedro. He had just been diagnosed with bone cancer and wasn't sure if he would see his 13th birthday. When the day came, it was a total surprise when the hospital's nutritionist walked into João Pedro's hospital room with a birthday cake. He had just started his chemotherapy a couple of weeks prior, and was living at the hospital for his birthday. It could have been a dreary day, but instead, it turned into a celebration amongst João Pedro's family, the caring staff at the hospital, and the friends he made there. They shared a delicious chocolate cake and celebrated another year of life, something that perhaps had even more special meaning that year. "Thank you Lions, Leos, and LCIF, for giving the hospital the opportunity to better serve children struggling against an invisible and painful enemy. Many are winning the battle with your valuable help," says Fernando, João Pedro's father. LCIF provided a US\$98,904 grant to update and equip the pediatric cancer unit where João Pedro received treatment. Fernando went on to talk about how he never had to worry about the hospital's resources, and all the staff, without exception, took care of his son with humanized care. He could feel the energy and the perseverance the staff had in order to provide excellent care. It is stories like this that make me proud to be a Lion. Lions and LCIF are making a difference in the lives of children as they battle cancer and in the lives of their families as they support and encourage their children through treatments. When you give, no matter what amount it is, it helps people like João Pedro; his father, Fernando; and his mother, Eliana. Please give what you can so Lions can continue to support the children in their community or the community of a neighbour

In friendship,

Gudrun Yngvadottir Chairperson, Lions Clubs International Foundation

Winton In the three BBQs that we have had I have banked \$5417 with a few costs to come off. As you can see BBQ fundraiser is a big income earner for Winton Lions. We have three BBQs before our next meeting & they are all good fund raisers: **Book Sale:** Raised \$705 and the raffle raised \$417. Juon Schoen: Offered to pick up Father Maurice for the next Tea Meeting to acknowledge his contribution to the Club. Teardrop flags with the Lions emblem and Club name are available for purchase at a cost of approx \$300, moved to do so.

Riverton Teardrop sign is being altered to fit pole. •New town entry signs have arrived will be installed soon. •Festive Food and Flowers sold out very successful night. •A donation will be made to Raewyn Black of \$50.00 and a donation to the RSA of \$100 for their contribution to the Festive Food and Flowers night. •The remaining funds from the Festive Food and Flowers night will be topped up to \$1,000 each for the Riverton Swimming Pool and Ti-Hiko Museum. Demolition of Wilson Ronald's house done a good supply of kindling wood recovered. Gourmet Raffle, ticket selling day 13th December at Supervalue



Winton Lions Life Member John Kidd – 55 years of Service as a Lion to the Winton Community. With President Allan Wilson.

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THANK YOU SAJITHA

For nominating me for the 2020 Kiwibank Local Hero Award which I received on 10 December 2019. Without you nominating me this award would not have been possible. Thank you Lion Sajitha.

Lion Kevin Wall

Lion Kevin Wall, Kiwibank Local Hero of the Year Award recipient with His Worship Mayor Gary Tong and Brent from Kiwi Bank.

Lion Kevin Wall has been awarded the Kiwibank Local Hero of the year 2020 at the ceremony held at the Civic Theatre, Invercargill on Monday 10th December 2019.

About the Awards Programme

The New Zealander of the Year Awards, championed by Kiwibank, honour those who use their passion to make our country a better place. The awards recognise a diverse range of Kiwis making a difference. Whether

they are aged 15 or 100, they are contributing to grassroots communities or putting New Zealand on the world stage, they inspire us all.



Mission: To empower volunteers to serve their communities, meet humanitarian needs, encourage peace and promote international understanding through Lions Clubs.

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Waihopai City



It was great to welcome Matt Nind into our club on 21st November 2019. It was also nice to have our brand new flag which looks impressive.

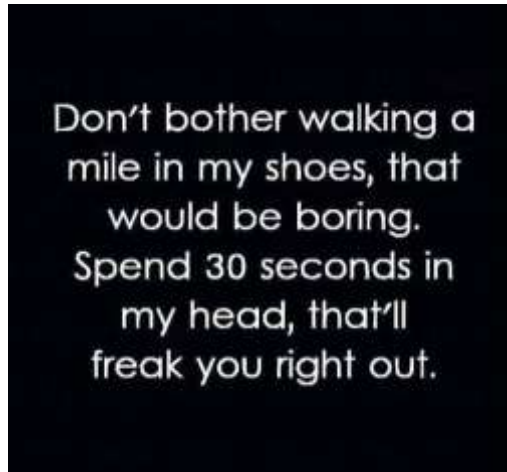
The Venue: Our change of venue provided a value for money meal at a very reasonable cost and the service was better than we had previously had, but the noise was not acceptable. The kids area will always be a problem as Thursdays are often a night out. We need to consider our options

Alexandra

2020 Proposed Cavalcade Route This trail is a “Knights Quest” to explore the interesting and more remote areas of North Otago. We will crusade south on our journey to Patearoa.

It was moved that we pay \$2000.00 to the Child Mobility Foundation for their Heart Walker programme. A 4WD Tour for the 4th January, which is a fundraising journey open to the public, all profits going to the Otago Rescue Helicopter. We have been approached by the Cromwell Lions Club to help them out by catering at a Highlands Park event 18/19th Jan,

providing hotdogs and chips from about 10.30 until 4.00 each day



Wanaka Upper Clutha

5 Members attended the Zone challenge. We came third and had a lot of fun. Betty and Penny Hartley attended the MAC Prize Giving and presented Zelda Boyd and Jamiee Vink with our Borland Lodge Leadership Scholarships. *Lilliput Library* – Mavis has painted our first library and it was on display at the October meeting. *Pembroke Market* – The weather was not kind to us but we made a profit of approx \$650 plus Xmas cake sales. Halfway through the year already, so let's reflect on what the Club has achieved so far. Allenby Park BBQ now displays our name. Daffodil Day pikelets/ANZ raised \$3500. Prime Timers afternoon tea & raffles \$300 for Alzheimer. MS street appeal \$612. Two MAC Scholarships to Borland Lodge \$1500. Rest Home weekly shopping. Clean Up day. Teams in Zone Challenge and the Hawea Quiz. Ushering at the Pantomime. New club panama hats ready for show day and House tour.

Gore River Valley



Awarded to Gore River Valley Lions for the Pink Ribbon Breakfast

Invercargill Central

Emma perform her songs at the Christmas party. The Board are presenting Emma with a cheque for her funds towards the NZ Secondary Students Choir ...Emma is only the 3rd Female ever to be selected from Invercargill. It would be really good to have as many as possible hear Emma sing

Greetings Everyone ... Well believe it or not Christmas is coming soon and New Year 2020 is following quickly. Wishing you all a great Christmas with family and friends and for those of you who are lucky to be going away - safe travels and best wishes to you and yours.

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Gore Hokonui

We were all so impressed with Alison's talk on Diabetes. She talked about a day in the life of a diabetic & gave us the chance to almost be there each step of the way. We have Meals on Wheels from 3rd until 7th Feb 2020. A list will be out at the January meeting. We also have **Hospice Collection Fri 7thFeb., Heart Foundation Fri 21st /Sat 22nd Feb and Child Cancer Fri 28th** coming up. **OPERATUNITY:**Plans for this project are going well. We are having an extra Tea Meeting on the 22nd January 2020 **the fourth Wednesday** for the sole purpose of organizing helpers for the preparations for the big night. **Thursday 20th February.** This is a Club Project and the committee has done most of the planning but we will need help from you all to make it a success. Remember your money for tickets so Nola can do a block booking for the Club

Maniototo

Steptoe – T O'Neill reported an estimated profit of \$1700 - \$1800. The Naseby Steptoe is to be held on the 28th of December. Planning ahead for:- Gift Lamb competition, 4WD trip, Rail Trail Duathlon, Cavalcade to Patearoa 29th February 2020. Letter of application for funding from MAS student Peter Cheesmur for the Spirit of Adventure. \$500.00 to be granted . Letter of application for funding from the NZ Youth Olympic Curling Team of Hunter Walker, Lucy Neilson, Will Becker and Zoe Harman who are attending the 2020 Youth Olympics in Switzerland. \$1750.00 to be granted

Owaka

Roadside clean up– Ratanui bridge to McLennan, finished in 3 hours. Thanks to DOC and Chris Bennett for use of rubbish dump. Very inspiring speaker- At the November tea meeting our guest speaker was Wayne Barker. Wayne was badly injured along with his two Sisters and his Father, when a tin of detonators exploded unexpectedly. Wayne lost both his eyes, his left hand was severed and had lacerations to his stomach. He was nineteen at the time. Swimming pool upgrade is going ahead. Quotes for roof, tiles/liner and solar. A discussion on Lions doing a stock drive as a fund raiser.



Wyndham Pioneer

The Wyndham Pioneer Lions Club had their final meeting for the year at 1st on Windsor with a lovely meal enjoyed by all. Instead of having a Xmas parcel swop we all bought something for the Hospice Wish list what a great collection of goods & was well received at the Hospice

The "DG Team" wish you a very Merry Christmas & Happy New Year



The DG Team enjoyed our visits to the clubs. Thank you for your Hospitality.

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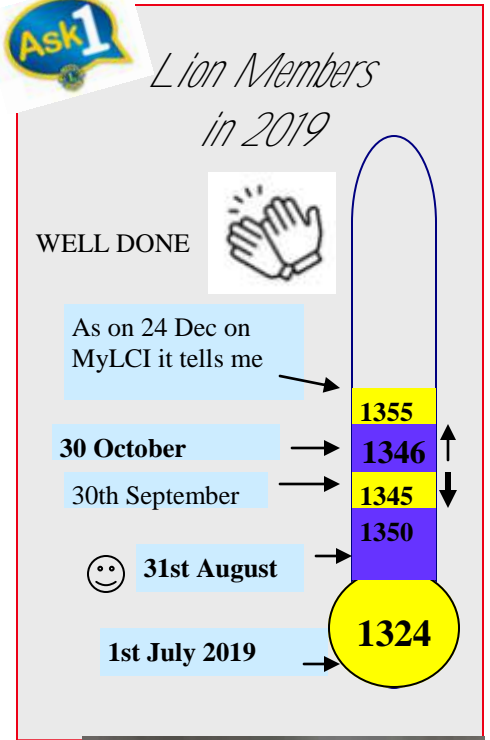
West Otago



Barry with the winner of the Peace Poster competition, Mirissa Burgess and her poster.

Our December Tea meeting was at the Faigans @ Millers Flat. A bus that can accommodate 38 passengers had been organised. Well done to all that were involved in the Young Farmers quiz night for the Bradley Family with approximately \$13000 being raised. Special thanks to Tony for being the Auctioneer.

Last week Team Leader Barry presented the peace poster awards at Blue Mountain College. Fifteen students entered this with Lucy Robertson and Clarke Jamieson receiving highly commended. The winner for the 202F District was Mirissa Burgess who now goes forward to the New Zealand final



Wanaka & Districts

January meeting will be Spud Dig 15th January at the Den . Delivering firewood, 4x4 at Hillend, Cavalcade & A&P Show to name the main projects to be involved in. So, look forward to us all getting into 2020. The Hawea Community needed our chipper at there Community day that was on Sunday 15th December at Hawea Domain between 10 am - 2pm ish.. We had 5 to 6 guys to help run the day cooking chips ,hotdogs, sausages, maybe fish etc. After the traditional game of Bowls at our November Tea meeting, President Phil Beaufoy called the meeting to order. Introduced guests were Andy McKean from Colarado, and Ralph Fegan from Wanaka Airport who was our guest speaker .



Kiwi Holiday Christmas cake made by the Editor's daughter for a customer.

• Xmas Facts

- Jingle Bells was written for Thanksgiving in 1857 not for Xmas.
- It was also the first song to be broadcast from Space.
- In The Netherlands Santa Claus is called Sinterklaas and arrives from Spain not the North Pole.
- In Armenia the traditional Xmas Eve meal is fried fish, lettuce and spinach.
- In Xmas the X is the 1st letter in the Greek work the Christ.
- Xmas Trees tradition started in Germany.
- Rudolf the Reindeer began as a marketing gimmick to encourage children to buy books.
- As male reindeer shed their antlers in winter Santa's reindeer are probably female or have been castrated ouch.
- The three traditional colours of Xmas: Red - blood of Christ; Green - life and rebirth; gold - represents light and royalty.
- Adding all the gifts in the 12 Days of Xmas comes to 364. (Borrow from Riverton Bulletin)

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Zone 1

- Cromwell ☺☺☺☺☺☺
- Cromwell Golden Age ☺☺☺☺☺
- Cromwell Lake Dunstan ☺☺☺☺☺☺
- Queenstown
- Wakatipu ☺☺☺☺
- Wanaka & Districts ☺☺☺☺☺☺
- Wanaka Upper Clutha ☺☺☺☺☺☺
- Wanaka Leos ☺☺☺☺

Zone 2

- Alexandra ☺☺☺☺☺☺★☺☺
- Alexandra Dunstan ☺☺☺☺☺☺
- Clyde & Districts ☺☺☺☺☺☺
- Omakau Districts ☺
- Maniototo ☺☺☺☺
- Ranfurly Maniototo Pakeke ☺☺☺☺☺☺

Zone 3

- Clinton ☺☺☺☺
- Clutha Valley ☺☺
- Lawrence ☺★☺☺☺★☺
- Owaka ☺☺☺☺☺
- Roxburgh & District ☺☺☺☺☺
- West Otago ☺☺☺☺☺☺
- Balclutha (Love to hear from you in 2020)

Zone 4

- Balfour ☺☺☺☺☺☺
- Lumsden ☺☺☺
- Mossburn & Districts (Love to hear from you in 2020)
- Mossburn Nth Southland
- Riversdale ☺☺☺☺☺☺
- Te Anau ☺☺☺☺
- Te Anau Kepler ☺☺☺☺☺☺

Zone 5

- Gore Hokonui ☺☺☺☺☺☺★☺
- Gore Host (Love to hear from you in 2020)
- Gore Pakeke ☺☺☺☺☺
- Gore River Valley ☺☺☺☺☺☺
- Mataura (Love to hear from you in 2020)

- Toi Tois Tokonui ☺★☺☺☺☺
- Wyndham ☺
- Wyndham Pioneer ☺☺☺☺☺☺

Zone 6

- Makarewa ☺☺☺
- Ohai Nightcaps ☺★☺☺☺☺☺
- Otautau ☺☺☺☺☺☺★☺
- Riverton ☺☺☺☺☺☺
- Tuatapere & Districts ☺
- Winton ★☺☺☺☺☺☺
- Winton Central Southland ☺☺☺☺☺
- James Hargest College Leos ☺

Zone 7

- Invercargill Central ☺☺☺☺
- Invercargill Host ☺☺☺☺☺☺★☺★☺
- Stewart Island ☺☺☺
- Waihopai City ☺☺★☺☺☺★☺
- Waikiwi ☺☺☺☺☺☺
- Southland Girls High Leos ☺☺☺

★ = Article
 ☺ = Bulletin received

Riversdale

The nice thing about Teamwork - is that you always have others on your side.

Ohai Nightcaps

Accept what is, let go of what was, and have faith in what will be.

Cromwell Lake Dunstan

A good life is when you smile often, dream big, laugh a lot and realize how blessed you are for what you have.

Te Anau Kelper

“Let the magic of Christmas bring love and peace to you and to the world”.

Clyde & Districts

A friendly look, A kindly smile,

One good act, And life’s worthwhile

Riversdale

If the company you keep makes you wake up and
 Look forward to being greater than the
 Person you were yesterday,
 THAT IS COMPANY WORTH KEEPING.

Invercargill Central

Three C’s in life:

Choices, Chances, Changes

You must make a Choice to take a Chance or your life

will never Change



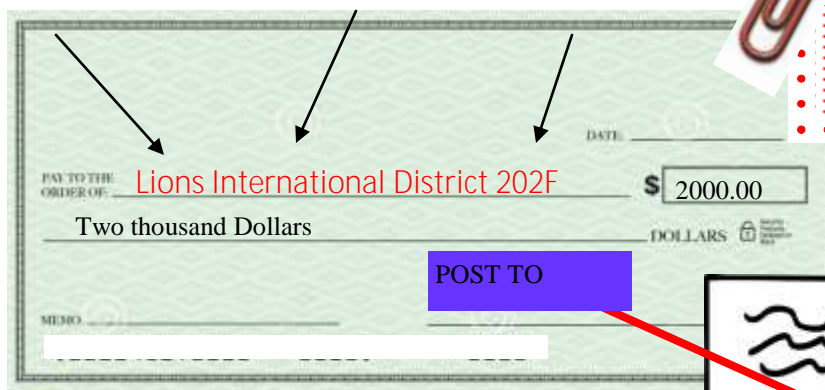
202f Face book Page

<https://www.facebook.com/Lions202F/>

Cabinet have recently set up a 202F Facebook page for use by all members of the Lions family to promote projects and activities within your Clubs. The link to the page is <https://www.facebook.com/Lions202F/>, so please feel free to 'like' the page, and to post pictures and stories from the goings on in your Clubs. Special thanks to Donald Lamont who provided the disk of photos from Convention in Maniototo for inclusion on the page.



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