



# J-Times

District Governor's Newsletter



“We Serve by Caring and Sharing”

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## Lions Clubs International District 202J

### Zone Meeting Dates

One	8 June
Two	25 May
Three	27 May
Four	27 May
Five	TBA
Six	TBA

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## DG Kevin's Commentary

What a change in fortunes. In last month's issue I was encouraging as many of you that could to attend the District 202J Convention. And now the disastrous news that it has had to be cancelled because of the Covid-19 threat sweeping NZ and the world. The decision was not made lightly. I consulted with VDG Ella, 2<sup>nd</sup> VDG Christine, our Council Chairman, the other District Governors and the Multiple District's Legal Counsel Alan Knowsley. Because of the speed of events surrounding this virus and the uncertainty attached to this volatile situation that was changing rapidly I made the call to cancel the Convention planned to be held in Mosgiel this year in the interests of keeping everybody safe and well as much as we can in these unusual times.

Our AGM aspects will be held electronically, as approved by LCI. It was a hard decision to make given we have been preparing and working tirelessly for the last 24 months.

My role is not only that of your representative and elected leader but it also means that when the hard decisions have to be made I will make them. Your health and safety is paramount to me. I have a duty of care to ensure that you are not put at risk as Lions as you go about Caring and Sharing in your communities.

I have had a meeting with VDG Ella, District Legal and Constitutional Chairman PID Tony Hanning and have kept 2<sup>nd</sup> VDG Christine up to date with proceedings. I have appointed our District Legal and Constitutional Chairman

### District Governor

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## DG Kevin's Commentary (cont'd)

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PID Tony Hanning as Returning Officer as we need to continue with the elections of the DGs and LMLCCT Trustee, the Constitutional Remit, the 2018/19 Financial Report, the District Reports, the Minutes of last year's Convention, and the Convention bids. Club accredited delegates will need to vote on these matters. This will be done electronically as the business of the District still needs to be completed. More information will be provided in the very near future.

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In the meantime, stay safe. Follow all the good advice from ALERT, our Council Chairman, Multiple District, MOH and the NZ Government. Look out for each other and remember we can still serve by not putting ourselves at risk.

Yours in Lionism

*DG Kevin Bryson*

*"We Serve by Caring and Sharing"*



### Covid-19

- ◆ ALERT level 3 announced 23 March
- ◆ ALERT level 4 from midnight Wednesday 25 March

### Postponed:

- ◆ District 202J Convention - AGM will be conducted electronically

### Cancelled:

- ◆ Berwick Outdoor Experience
- ◆ GAT Workshop
- ◆ Young Speechmaker: District 202J & National

## 2nd VDG

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It was a pleasure to have attended the Treasurer Roadshow in Oamaru in late February which was well attended by District clubs. Thank you to Steve Bennett, MD Treasurer, plus Jules and Graeme for their input to the day. The minibus idea worked well, and will be repeated again in June for the GAT workshop that will be run by our District GAT team.

As Covid-19 takes hold on the world, even Lions are not exempt from its far reaching influence – with postponement of the ELLI training & the District Convention, re-location of the International Convention to an as yet undecided location, and cancellation of our Multiple District Convention in April/May. Chances are that some of our Lions family may become victims, so if this is the case, please as clubs, support them and their families as best you can.

I would like to take the opportunity to thank members for their support over the past year since my election as 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice District Governor, and give a special thanks to those clubs I have had the pleasure to visit on behalf of DG Kevin.

*Christine Stewart*  
*2<sup>nd</sup> Vice District Governor*

# COVID-19 CORONAVIRUS

How is COVID-19 spread?

March 2020

## What is COVID-19?

COVID-19 is a new illness that can affect your lungs and airways. It's caused by a type of coronavirus. There are simple steps you can take to protect you and your family/whānau.



## How is it spread?

COVID-19, like the flu, can be spread from person to person. When a person who has COVID-19 coughs, sneezes or talks, they may spread droplets containing the virus a short distance, which quickly settle on surrounding surfaces.

You may get infected by the virus if you touch those surfaces or objects and then touch your mouth, nose or eyes.

That's why it's really important to use good hygiene, regularly wash and thoroughly dry your hands, and use good cough etiquette.

## What can I do to stop COVID-19 spreading?

- Cough or sneeze into your elbow or by covering your mouth and nose with tissues.
- Put used tissues in the bin or a bag immediately.
- Wash your hands with soap and water often (for at least 20 seconds).
- Try to avoid close contact with people who are unwell.
- Don't touch your eyes, nose or mouth if your hands are not clean.
- Avoid personal contact, such as kissing, sharing cups or food with sick people.
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces and objects, such as doorknobs.
- Stay home if you feel unwell and call Healthline on 0800 358 5453.

**Call Healthline 24/7 on 0800 358 5453 if you need to speak to someone.**

**Visit [www.govt.nz/covid-19-novel-coronavirus](http://www.govt.nz/covid-19-novel-coronavirus) for more information.**

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## Focus on Media

A couple of weeks ago I had the pleasure of attending the Mayfield Lions tea meeting. It was a full on meeting with two speakers and a debate. First a young lady the club had sponsored on the Spirit of Adventure sailing ship, the second speaker was from the NZ Assistant Dogs training centre – as pictured (training dogs to assist autistic children), last but not least a team debate between the Mayfield and Hinds clubs **“An apology will put it right”**, with the Mayfield team arguing the negative coming out on top. A full on night, but still finished by 9.15pm. Brought home that clubs should keep their tea meetings interesting – it is a social night out for our members.

### Club Promotion:

Great to see John McMorran from the Dunedin Host Club out collecting for the Heart Foundation (Lions poster board in plain view),



and also the Mosgiel District Club at their Wings & Wheels food stand (again promoting their club with a poster board).



On another matter it was great to see the Temuka Club have revamped their bulletin cover this month – every now and again it is good to give things a bit of a freshen up just to keep your members interested (change the format, or cover, or start putting some photos in).

Once again thank you for all the information being passed on.

**Christine Stewart**  
**Media**



## COVID-19 Alert Level 4

- ◆ People now instructed to stay at home
- ◆ Educational facilities closed
- ◆ Businesses closed except for essential services (e.g. supermarkets, pharmacies, clinics) and lifeline utilities
- ◆ Rationing of supplies and requisitioning of facilities
- ◆ Travel severely limited
- ◆ Major reprioritisation of healthcare services

For up to date information on COVID-19 please refer to:

- ◆ the Government website <https://covid19.govt.nz/>
- ◆ the Ministry of Health website <https://www.health.govt.nz/our-work/diseases-and-conditions/covid-19-novel-coronavirus/covid-19-novel-coronavirus-health-advice-general-public#prevention>

Handwashing procedure poster:

<https://www.hqsc.govt.nz/our-programmes/infection-prevention-and-control/publications-and-resources/publication/3700/>



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*Kiapu Taurangi Hauora o Aotearoa*

### Important Tips:

- ◆ Remove all wrist and hand jewellery other than a wedding band.
- ◆ Use hand lotion regularly to prevent dry, cracked hands, i.e. before and after work and before breaks.
- ◆ Cover minor cuts and abrasions on hands and arms with a waterproof dressing before starting work.
- ◆ Contact occupational health and safety if you have any dermatitis, skin allergies or infected lesions on your arms or hands.



Lions New Zealand Facebook page

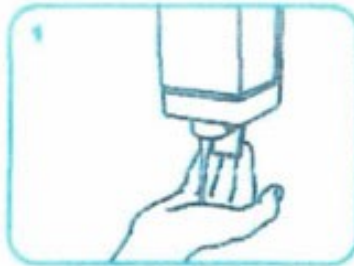
Photos of projects needed from clubs.

Please send photos & relevant info to **Karen McGinness** [lionkaren202k@gmail.com](mailto:lionkaren202k@gmail.com)

## How to Hand Wash (World Health Organisation)



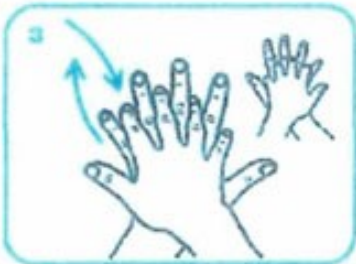
Wet hands with water



apply enough soap to cover all hand surfaces.



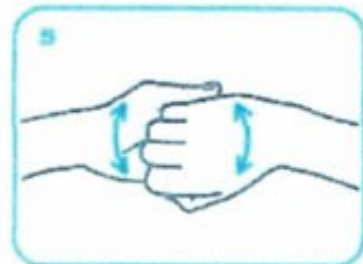
Rub hands palm to palm



right palm over left dorsum with interlaced fingers and vice versa



palm to palm with fingers interlaced



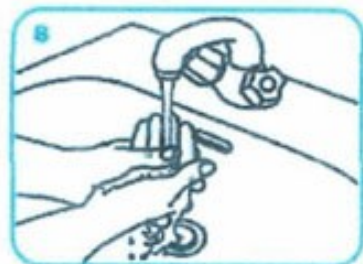
backs of fingers to opposing palms with fingers interlocked



rotational rubbing of left thumb clasped in right palm and vice versa.



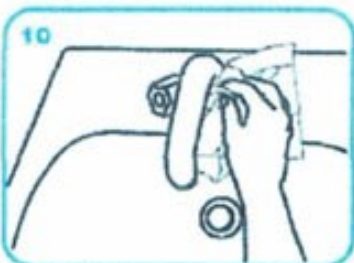
rotational rubbing, backwards and forwards with clasped fingers of right hand in left palm and vice versa.



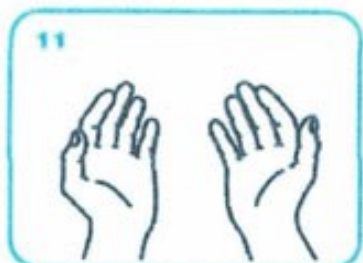
Rinse hands with water



dry thoroughly with a single use towel



use towel to turn off faucet



...and your hands are safe.

**The procedure takes 40 - 60 seconds**





## Focus on Zone 1 News

### ♣ Ashburton:

South Island Motorhome Show held 29<sup>th</sup> February and 1<sup>st</sup> March. With an increase in the numbers of trade sites sold, private sellers and social campers above previous years this event continues to grow. Meals on Wheels delivered over two weeks. Gatekeeping at Methven A&P Show. Were to have sponsored six participants to the now cancelled Berwick Outdoor Experience.

### ♣ Mayfield & Districts:

The annual Mt Somers Mountain Challenge held with good participation on 22<sup>nd</sup> February. Support (\$3,000) provided to Mt Somers Pool committee for upgrading work. A day of events and food held for clients of Idea Services. Two defibrillators purchased for community locations.

### ♣ Rakaia:

Jet boat rides in support of child cancer members on the Rakaia River. New oven provided for Bowling Club. Defibrillator purchased for the Rakaia Domain. Local Netball Club supported with new uniforms and equipment. Redevelopment of the "Salmon Site" underway in conjunction with the Ashburton District Council.

### ♣ Hinds & Districts:

Pea and linseed straw being collected and stored for annual sales. Meals on Wheels undertaken for two weeks. Investigating a possible environmental project around improving water quality in a local creek. Gatekeeping at Mayfield A&P Show.

### ♣ Ashburton Pakeke:

Upgrading the historic Sexton's Hut at the Ashburton Cemetery nearing completion. Annual Charity Market Day held in February. (The South Island's biggest garage sale!!!!). Christmas raffle held with good public support. Stall at Waitangi on East market day. Successful Robbie Burns night. Fun day out held at the Ashburton Fire Museum for Ashburton College special needs students.

### ♣ Ashburton County:

Promoted the Peace Poster competition with winner's entry to go forward to District event. Visited the new Riverside Market in Christchurch. Visited local drycleaners and laundry plant. Gatekeeping at Crusaders v Hurricanes pre-season match.

### ♣ Methven:

Annual seniors outing held at the Ashburton Aviation Museum. Annual Mt Hutt Open Day on 1<sup>st</sup> March with proceeds going to Ashburton Cancer Society. Funded new delivery containers for the Meals on Wheels service.

**Garth Bateup**  
**Zone 1 Chairman**

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## Focus on Zone 5 News

### ♣ Port Chalmers and District:

Donations made to local and youth activities, service activities to various local amenities amounting to 84 hours, and a large range of ongoing projects assisting the community, firewood splitting and sales, pea straw sales, planning to clean up a local resident's section. Members attended the Treasurer's Road Show in Oamaru. They have had visits from DG Kevin Bryson and Zone Chairman Jenni Mattingly. I had a very enjoyable visit for their February tea meeting; I was so impressed when I walked into the room, all the tables were set with the Lions blue table cloths and the majority of the men were wearing their Lions club shirts. It looked very welcoming when I walked in to the room.

### ♣ Balmacewen:

Donations made to the Australian bush fires, ongoing service activities include Meals On Wheels, and projects of wood chopping, Trade Me sales, and plant growing and sales. Social activities have included lunch meetings for retired members and partners, annual welcome back BBQ at the beginning of the year. Dick Taylor, Commonwealth Games athlete, is the guest speaker for changeover night. Forthcoming activities include telephone directories delivery, street appeals, and social meetings.

### ♣ Dunedin Host:

Their first female club member and first female President was honoured with a Life Membership by

DG Kevin Bryson at their Christmas function.

Donation of \$1,590 made to the Wildlife Hospital, proceeds from their garage sale. Service activities included the Magic Show, sausage sizzle, and pine cone collecting and sales with donations going to Berwick Outdoor Experience, cancer detecting dog training, and Camp Quality. Ongoing projects include mint sales, old money collection, and can-crushing. Two members and partners attended Christchurch Host 60th anniversary. Social activities included the Christmas dinner, Lions ladies lunch, and a car rally. Interesting speakers included Alisha Sherriff from the Dunedin Wildlife Hospital and DG Kevin Bryson.

### ♣ Dunedin Campus:

Had a presence at Otago University Orientation Week, trying to encourage students to join their club.

### ♣ Dunedin Toroa:

The club is involved with many activities which include Camp Quality, clinics for Child Mobility, collection of spectacles and hearing aid batteries, making and donating of cushions to Dunedin Public Hospital Oncology Dept, knitting and donating of knitwear to hospital mastectomy and neonatal departments. Other projects included hosting exchange students, lily bulb sales.

*Jenni Mattingly  
Zone 5 Chairman*

## Kan Tabs for Kidney Kids

- ◆ **Sell your collected aluminium** (wine bottle tops, crushed aluminium cans, aluminium trays, cat food dishes, from medicines, tea light candle holders) to a recycler & forward the proceeds to the District Treasurer (*tag it as Kan Tabs for Kidney Kids*).







Trustees incorporated as a Board under  
the Charitable Trusts Act 1957  
Patron PCC David Gault

**S**ixteen clubs from our District have so far donated a total \$7,500 with one club having applied for a grant which is currently being reviewed. Please consider making your club's donation; it would be great to get to 100% of clubs making a donation.

**REMEMBER IT IS YOUR TRUST THE LIONS OF NEW ZEALAND  
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The latest figures I have for the Capital Fund stands at \$6,012,374; the income account \$206,288; Special Trusts \$ 913,593 and funds managed on behalf of others \$512,909 giving a total of all funds of **\$7,645,164**  
**Cash available for grants and loans \$160,683.**

Please note below the list of Zone appointees who you can contact for information and who will represent the Trust at your Zone meetings:

**Zone Appointees**

Zone 1 : Noel Lowe

Zone 2 : Josie Teahen

Zone 3 : John Doggett

Zone 4 : Adrienne Alding

Zone 5 : Brian Tegg

Zone 6 : Christine Bone

**Changes to making contributions:**

You might be aware that from the end of February 2020 Kiwibank will not accept cheques, a trend that the other banks will no doubt follow. Internet banking has become more popular in recent years but will become standard in 2020. When making payments to the Trust, please use your club's number in the reference field.

*PCC Graham Edge  
LMLCCT Trustee 202J*

**Directory Updates**  
**District 202J Directory**

*Clubs, please advise any  
directory corrections so that  
these can be published.*

♣ **J-Times Editor Beryl Naismith**

Correct personal email is:  
article@earthlight.co.nz (the 'i' is missing in article)

♣ **Timaru Host**

New monthly meeting venue is:  
Richard Pearse Tavern Conference Room  
118 Le Cren Street, Seaview, Timaru

# Protect yourself and others against COVID-19

Cover your coughs or sneezes with tissues or your elbow



Put your used tissue in the rubbish bin or in a plastic bag



Wash and dry your hands often, especially after coughing or sneezing – use soap or hand sanitiser



Stay away from others if you're unwell



COVID-19  
HEALTH ADVICE  
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[health.govt.nz/COVID-19](https://health.govt.nz/COVID-19)

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Protect your family/whānau from COVID-19 (coronavirus)

Health Information Commissioner

January 2020 (v1.0)



## The Treasurer Talks

## Multiple District 202 Treasurer Roadshow

Thank you to those Lions who attended the recent MD202 Treasurers Roadshow in Oamaru – the large turnout was appreciated by MD202 Treasurer Steve and Cabinet.

Questions were many and varied but if a club or member still has an unanswered question or query, do not hesitate to email District 202J Treasurer or District 202J Legal & Constitutional Chairman:

- ◆ District 202J Cabinet Treasurer Graeme Hathaway  
Telephone: (03) 308 9982 or (027) 457 2063  
Email: 202j.treasurer@lionsclubs.org.nz
- ◆ District 202J Legal & Constitutional Chairman PID Tony Hanning  
Telephone: (03) 488 1817 or (027) 415 6463  
Email: 202j.legal@lionsclubs.org.nz

**District 202J Cabinet Treasurer Graeme Hathaway**  
**Telephone: (03) 308 9982 or 027 457 2063**  
**E: 202j.treasurer@lionsclubs.org.nz**



To ensure all deposits to LCI and LCIF go through correctly, could Treasurers please email 202J Cabinet Treasurer Graeme Hathaway once they have made a deposit.

Just email the date, amount and reason and 202J Cabinet Treasurer will double-check that your deposit has been received and reconciled correctly.

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## Focus on Global Membership (GMT)

We are consumed at the moment on the news and written media with the Coronavirus which hourly/daily escalates; seems like an out of control freight train. With everything that we may have attended in the coming weeks being cancelled it is important that we look out for one another, check on Lions family, neighbours, elderly. We are in isolation by default I feel, supermarket shopping might be the only outing on our list at the moment, more people are being encouraged if they can to work from home.

Some clubs have a number of members that are on their own, we need to be mindful that social isolation will also be a problem, keep in touch with them, make sure they are coping or if they need anything that you can assist, more than ever the motto "We Serve" is relevant.

Take care, stay safe.

*Jan Stonyer  
202J GMT*

*"Every one of us here has an incredibly important role because it's what happens in the community that is going to make things much easier for the health system to cope," Canterbury District Health Board (CDHB) microbiology clinical director Dr Josh Freeman said. If large numbers of people got sick at once, it would place huge pressure on the health system".*

### A Warm Welcome to New Members.....



**Ashburton:**

Andy McKee (Toni) (sponsor Roger Paterson)

**Ashburton County:**

Wendy Groves (David) (sponsor Cynthia Young)

Janet Hadley (Craig) (sponsor Cynthia Young)

**Ashburton Pakeke:**

Colin Crossen (Ruth) (sponsor David Bennett)

**Hinds & Districts:**

Chris Davison (Nel) (sponsor Peter Lowe)

**Milton:**

Dean McCrostie (Kim) (sponsor Murray Cullen)

Nelson Taal (sponsor Richard McElrea)

**North Otago:**

Helen Thomson (sponsor Judy Phillips)

**Temuka:**

Sam McLauchlan (Jaime) (sponsor Jared White)





Lions Clubs International  
**FOUNDATION**

## LCIF Lions Share Programme

LCIF Lions Share programme is an annual programme that allows individual Lions to make a personal donation to LCIF by way of purchasing a Lions Share pin.

The programme provides for three levels of financial support:

One Star \$75

Two Star \$150

Three Star \$300



- ◆ You can choose which area of focus your donation goes to.
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## Lions Clubs International **FOUNDATION**

### Campaign 100 - Lions Empowering Service

To date the total amount raised worldwide towards our Campaign 100 has reached \$US147.5 million. With a deadline of June 2021 to raise \$US300 million, I would like to encourage all clubs and individuals to help LCIF achieve this goal by donating to this campaign.

In NZ we have a \$2DROP initiative whereby individual Lions put aside \$2 a week and at the end of each month, give this to your club LCIF Coordinator or club Treasurer who will bank it in your name. The accumulated funds at the end of each year can then be deposited into the LCIF bank account in your name.

Thank you to those clubs who have already donated to Campaign 100. With just two months to go in DG Kevin's year, it would be a great achievement for our District to be able to report that 100% of clubs donated to LCIF's campaign.



**Update on Australian bushfires.** Weather related disasters have increased by over 50% in the last 40 years. This is becoming very apparent not only worldwide but also closer to home in our Constitutional Area with tsunamis, volcanic eruptions, earthquakes, floods, droughts and bush fires. The devastating fires in Australia forced hundreds of families to flee their homes, in some cases lives were lost, and many are now in

desperate need for help to get their lives back on track. Hundreds of people are being prevented from returning to their properties because they don't have water – water tanks just melted in the heat of the fire. The Lions of Australia have risen to help by providing water tanks which will enable people to return to their homes, or in many cases to where their homes once stood so they can rebuild.

Here in 202J, several clubs have donated through LCIF to the bush fire appeal or have supported the plea that came from Australian Lions to assist with funding water tanks which cost \$AU3,000 each. One club in "J" has already donated three tanks, two have donated one each, others have made donations to the Bush Fire Appeal. These donations have been well received and I was delighted to be able to share this with the Australian Lions who attended an LCIF training that I was at in Sydney recently, of our District's contributions. All tanks donated by Lions clubs will have the club name painted on it to acknowledge their donation. A plea to clubs who haven't made a donation to LCIF this year, there is still time to do so; you can tag your donation to the focus area your club wishes and this needs to be written on your deposit.

**REMEMBER** – every dollar donated to LCIF goes to the cause, nothing is taken for administration etc.

With the end of our Lions year fast approaching what better way to acknowledge your club President, Secretary or Treasurer than presenting them with a Lions Share pin. Please see an advertisement for these in this J-Times.

**PDG Les Box, QSM**  
**LCIF Coordinator, District 202J**



### **Daylight Saving ends on Sunday 5 April**

- ◆ **turn back your clocks - 3am becomes 2am**
- ◆ **change your smoke alarm batteries**



# Preparing for MyLCI Reporting

## Club officers 2020/2021 year

Once your club board for 2020/2021 has been elected the names for each position must be reported to Lions Clubs International via My LCI before 15 May.

**Prepare now for filing your incoming officers' report by ensuring all members' data is correct in the MyLCI website** (where you do your monthly electronic reporting of membership & activities). This is the information that will be included in the report & subsequently in the Multiple District & District directories - **incorrect information within MyLCI means errors in the directories.**

Check & update data for all members, **but the critical ones for the 2020 - 2021 incoming officers' report are:**

- ◆ **President**

- ◆ **1st & 2nd VPs**
- ◆ **Secretary**
- ◆ **Club Administrator** (the person who does MyLCI reporting)
- ◆ **Treasurer**
- ◆ **Membership Chairman**
- ◆ **LCIF coordinator**
- ◆ **Club Service Chairman**
- ◆ **Club Marketing & Communications Chairman**
- ◆ **Directors.**

These are the members you are going to add as Officers of your club for the 2020-2021 Lions year. Ensure details are entered as proper sentence format (i.e. not all capitals)

### Follow these steps:

- ◆ Go to: <https://www.lionsclubs.org/en>
- ◆ Click: MEMBER LOGIN (in white text on black background at top middle)
- ◆ "Welcome to your Lion Account" appears
- ◆ Choose Sign In if you already have a user name & password,
- ◆ Otherwise choose Register & create your Lion Account . You will be asked "Have you registered on the MyLion app? No/Yes" (for smartphones)
- ◆ Once signed in click "GO" under the MyLCI section at the left
- ◆ Enter your user name (or membership number if you haven't created a user name) and password and click Submit - (*Club Home Page appears*)
- ◆ Click "My Lions Club" (gold text on the dark blue band near top), then "Members". Click on member to have details updated. Click on "Edit Member" at right hand side.
- ◆ A new window called "Edit Member" appears. To the right of "First Name" click on the "Change Member Information Request" box.
- ◆ Another window called "Change Member Information Request" opens. Insert the changed details in the fields (boxes) at the right under the heading "Change To".
- ◆ If making a name change enter the details in the field (box) "Reason for Name Change".
- ◆ If making a birth year change enter the details in the field (box) "Reason for Year of Birth Change".
- ◆ Click on "Submit". A confirmation of submitted change window appears.
- ◆ If a birth year or name change has been made then it may take LCI a few days to process. The LCI Member Service Centre will send an email once they have processed the change.

- ◆ Ensure all data is correct - this is the information that will be recorded into the 2020/2021 club officers' report: name, address, phone number/s, email, and spouse/partner. Correct any errors/changes & include the postcode (you can find this at the Address & Postcode Finder: <https://www.nzpost.co.nz/tools/address-postcode-finder>)
- ◆ Click "Officer Correspondence Address Same as Member Correspondence Address" to update both addresses
- ◆ Click "Save" at the bottom of the page - this will update the database at LCI.
- ◆ **Note:** you cannot record on the MyLCI website a club address such as PO Box for subsequent publishing in the Multiple District 202 directory. Only the club members' addresses are recorded on the website. Should your club address be other than a member's address (e.g. a PO Box) please advise the Multiple District office at: [md202.secretary@lionsclubs.org.nz](mailto:md202.secretary@lionsclubs.org.nz)

## MyLCI Reporting 2020/2021 Club Officers

### NOW - To file your incoming officers' report:

1. Go back to your club's Home page: Click "Home" at left hand side on dark blue band with gold text below the Lions emblem
2. Click "My Lions Club" - on the dark blue band to the right of "Home".
3. Click "Officers" from the pull down menu, then "Select Term" (*at left hand side*), then "Next Year" from the pull down menu
4. "Officers" page appears: list of vacant offices appears (*officer positions are listed at left hand side of page*)
5. Click on "Add Officer" at right hand side of page for President position
6. "Assign Officers" page appears
7. Click on "Select Member" (*club listing appears*)
8. Click on member's name for this position. Screen returns to "Assign Officer" page. The member's name is displayed to the left of "Select Member"
9. Then click "Save" near the bottom of the screen
10. The Confirmation page appears. Beneath "What would you like to do?" choose "Go back to officers"

Repeat the steps 5 - 10 for each of the 1st & 2nd VPs, Secretary, Club Administrator, Treasurer, Membership Chairman, LCIF coordinator, Club Service Chairman, Club Marketing & Communications Chairman & Directors. Then go back to the Home Page.

- 11 Click "My Lions Club"
12. Click Reports, Click Lions Clubs Officer Report for Next Year (near bottom of list)
13. Click View/Print
14. You can now see the report (a pdf file)
  - Right click to save the report** calling it a meaningful name such as club name & year  
**and email to:**
    - ◆ 1st VDG Ella Butson: [202j.vdg@lionsclubs.org.nz](mailto:202j.vdg@lionsclubs.org.nz)  
[ella@designandgarden.co.nz](mailto:ella@designandgarden.co.nz)

**These need be received ASAP - no later than 15 May.**



**Note: Each current secretary & president has a password - borrow a friend/relation/another club member & their computer to help you if necessary.**

However, if you cannot do your Club Officer reporting via the MyLCI website then email Cabinet Secretary Jim Pine with the details & he will do it for you [202j.secretary@lionsclubs.org.nz](mailto:202j.secretary@lionsclubs.org.nz)

**Lioness Clubs:** please send the details of your 2020 - 2021 President, Secretary, Treasurer & Membership Chairman to:

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[ella@designandgarden.co.nz](mailto:ella@designandgarden.co.nz)
- ◆ 2nd VDG Christine Stewart: [chrisstewart196@gmail.com](mailto:chrisstewart196@gmail.com)
- ◆ Your zone chairman
- ◆ Multiple District 202 Lions Clubs New Zealand Office: [md202.secretary@lionsclubs.org.nz](mailto:md202.secretary@lionsclubs.org.nz)

**Change of meeting venue:**

Click on club info, under meeting locations 1 & 2 click on “clear meeting location”, then insert new details.



**Focus on.....**

**Coming Lions Club Events**

where your support would be appreciated

What	Date	Details
Temuka & Temuka District Lions Clubs	Friday 25 September & Saturday 26 September	<b>The Beaut Ute &amp; Truck Show</b> More details to follow

**Please send J-Times editor Beryl details of your coming Lions club events well in advance.**

**Deadline for May 2020 issue is 15 April 2020.**



**We Honour the Life and Service of.....**

Douglas Watson	Ashburton Pakeke	(almost 40 years' service)
Anne McRobie	Timaru Host	(30 years' service)



# COVID-19

## A Message from Multiple District 202

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'Between the Lions' is the main means of communication to our members from Multiple District 202 and the Council of Governors and it is important that Lions **do not unsubscribe from the newsletter** at this unprecedented time.

### MEMBERS OF THE LIONS FAMILY

23/3/2020

The Council of Governors advise Lions Clubs across New Zealand & the South Pacific **MUST** suspend all **IN PERSON** Club meetings, projects and events nationwide until the pandemic is controlled, which could be several months.

**NOTE:**

- ◆ Club elections should be conducted by email.
- ◆ Please upload new officers on MYLCI **before May 15th 2020**.
- ◆ Young Speechmakers competition is cancelled.
- ◆ Peace Poster can continue if managed by email or post.
- ◆ ANZI Forum in Perth in September is cancelled.
- ◆ The World Convention in Singapore is cancelled.

Please ensure you follow the New Zealand Government alerts at: <https://covid19.govt.nz/government-actions/covid-19-alert-system/>

Between the Lions will be sent on a regular basis to assist us with staying in touch, information will also be posted on our webpage at: <https://www.lionsclubs.org.nz/members/covid-19-updates-and-notice>

*Council Chair Helen Williams*

### 2020-2021 Peace Poster Contest

The theme is "Peace Through Service"

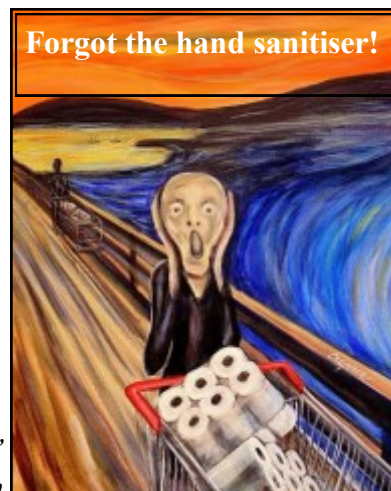
- ◆ Kits available from 15 January
- ◆ Recruit entries now. **Conduct Contest via email or post**
- ◆ Students ages 11, 12 or 13 as of November 15 are eligible to enter
- ◆ Info at: <https://lionsclubs.org/en/start-our-approach/youth/peace-poster>



*Prediction: there will be a minor baby boom in 9 months, & then one day in 2033, we shall witness the rise of THE QUARANTEENS*



**We Serve**



*“The Scream”  
With apologies to Edvard Munch*

## **New Member Initiative**

Cabinet appreciates clubs are working hard inducting new members, but knows: the New Member Fee charged by LCI can be a financial burden.

Cabinet will reimburse clubs the LCI Fee for each new member inducted.

**All clubs have to do to claim a reimbursement is:**

- 1) If you have inducted a new member (*must be this Lions Year*)
- 2) And you have paid their new member fee to LCI
- 3) Email 202J treasurer Graeme Hathaway the members name and the month inducted  
[202j.treasurer@lionsclubs.org.nz](mailto:202j.treasurer@lionsclubs.org.nz)
- 4) Include your club’s administration account details – *important!*
- 5) If you have inducted more than one over a period of time, all details in the one email will suffice

Reimbursements will be paid in February 2020 and May 2020 and there is - **NO LIMIT to the number of claims a club can make before 30<sup>th</sup> June 2020!**

This Cabinet initiative aims to encourage clubs to continue inducting new members whilst ensuring they are not financially disadvantaged.

***Let’s get our member numbers growing!***

Yours in Lionism



***District Governor Kevin Bryson***  
***“We Serve by Caring and Sharing”***

**Incoming emails are incoming correspondence**

**- to be taken to your club meetings**



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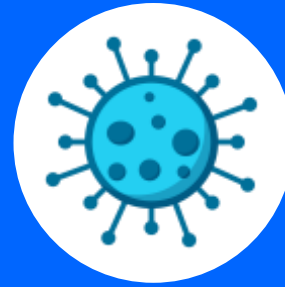
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## Stop Press



- ◆ **Covid-19 Level 3 Alert**  
From afternoon 23 March
- ◆ **Covid-19 Level 4 Alert**  
From midnight 25 March  
(4 week trial)

## International President Dr Jung-Yul Choi 2019 / 2020



**We Serve Through Diversity**

J-Times can be viewed online at the MD 202 website at <https://www.lionsclubs.org.nz/about/districts/central-south-island-east-coast/202j-district-news-bulletin>

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