

2020 Edition January 2020

DG John Whyte & Marianne



Well done Lions.

6th – 8th March 20
29th March 20
11th April 20,
1-3rd May 2020
26-30 June 2020

District E Convention
Oxford & Districts
Akaroa & Bays Lions
Whangarei
Singapore

Rangiora
Gold Tournament
Paddy's Market
Multiple Convention
International Convention

SEND ME YOUR DATES PLEASE

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Global Causes

Diabetes



Vision



Hunger



Environment



Childhood Cancer



*Welcome to our New Members
For November & December 2019*

<i>NEW MEMBER</i>	<i>CLUB</i>	<i>SPONSOR</i>
DAVID ATKINSON	AMBERLEY	LEN SMITH
DAVID BURNBY	AMBERLEY	PAUL DITMER
JULIE BURNBY	AMBERLEY	PAUL DITMER
LINDSAY MOIR	AMBERLEY	LEN SMITH
GEOFFREY MILNE	HANMER SPRINGS	
MARGARET MILNE	HANMER SPRINGS	
FAY CHAPMAN	HAWARDEN WAIKARI	
DANIEL HOPE	HAWARDEN WAIKARI	PETER CROUCHLEY
BRUCE W BOGUE	KAIKOURA	BARRY DUNNETT
MICHAEL F F MILNE	MALVERN	JOHN PATERSON
KERRY G PAULING	MALVERN	CHARLES BUTTLE
RICHARD D WATSON	MALVERN	CHARLES BUTTLER
GRAEME R LONG	NEW BRIGHTON	DONALD MACKAY
RAYMOND SCOTT	NEW BRIGHTON	
ANNE ATTENBOROUGH	PEGASUS TOWN	
BRIAN ATTENBOROUGH	PEGASUS TOWN	
ERIN LONESDALE	RANGIORA	JENTINA LAWRY
ALISON BATTY	RICHMOND	JOHN BATTY
HARRY FOWLER	SEDDON	NEALE LAWSON
BEATA MAHALEAN	SELWYN	AMY PEARCE
RALPH DOUGLAS	GOLDEN BAY	
SAMANTHA BENEKE	HOKITIKA	ROLAND URMSON
GRAEME PENGELLY	OXFORD & DISTRICTS	BRIAN DIXON
BARRY BERNARD	ROLLESTON	BRIAN WHITTINGTON

Bereavements November & December 2019

HELEN WINDER	BLENHEIM
DOUGLAS CATHERWOOD	MALVERN
A WARWICK MARSHALL	NELSON HOST



Greetings from DG John

Happy new year to you all I hope you all have had a great time with family and friends over the Christmas break. I know that a lot of clubs had projects over this time and this is a busy period for you all.

I was able to get a small break and had some quite time with Marianne. Now it is back to reality for me with both work and Lions wanting my time.

Last Sunday all the District Governor's got together on a video conference call along with Council Chair Helen to plan for the next 6 months ahead. We hold these calls every month to discuss any problems that we may have and plan for any training sessions that are coming up and any issues that come from Multiple Districts.

On Thursday afternoon I spent at Camp Quality with the team and children. That evening I helped members of the Hawarden Waikari and Rolleston Lions Clubs dish up the meal to all who were at the camp. I enjoyed watching the children laugh and have fun. The Camp Quality team are very grateful for all the donations that they receive from Lions members and especially those who give their time to help with the dishes and dish up the meals. Keep up the good work.

Over the next couple of months it would be great if clubs could help us to purchase water tanks for those who have been affected by the fires in Australia. Every little donation will help and we can make a difference. For more information please contact John Benefield our LCIF co-ordinator for more information.

Yes it's that time of year again Please register and come to the convention and have some fun. Marianne and I look forward to seeing you all there as we celebrate 50 years of our district. This is your annual general meeting of your district.

Please remember to celebrate the success of the projects you did over the Christmas period.

Kind regards John

Club details changes

Blenheim New secretary
Judy Brownlie
204 Taylor Pass Road,
Blenheim





Lions District 202E Convention 2020



Saturday 7th March 2020 is Lions time to shine in the

202E Entertainment Challenge

The Concept

- Get together a few wacky members of your club
- Put together a short item of entertainment (2-3mins)
- Come to convention
- Go home with the title of
 - Most talented club in the land (202E)
 - Most entertaining club
 - I cannot believe we just did that award

What we need

- Nominate someone in your club as entertainment leader.
- Contact Neville Major-Johnston (Oxford Club) to let him know your club intentions. (please contact even if your club is not getting involved)
- Let Neville know what equipment you require.
- The proposed venue is the Baptist Hall in Rangiora which is equipped with stage, sound and lighting, so let your imagination run wild.

Neville's details: Email nevmj@outlook.com • Phone 027 671 2449



District 202E convention brought to you by the North Canterbury Lions clubs of Amberley, Oxford, Pegasus, Rangiora and Woodend.





Lions District 202E Convention 2020



**Friday 6th March 2020 to Sunday 8th is our Districts 50th
Convention**

To celebrate with fun we will have the

202E Great Bake off

The Concept

- Who can enter- any Lion or a person connected to a Lion.
- Cakes relate to 50 years of Lionism in our district.
- Hoping for at least 1 entry per club.
- Size- modest.
- Gold coin donation for your vote of best cake on Saturday.
- Judging 50% based on donations 50% by independent judge.
- Trophies- best decorated cake, most original concept, most colourful
- All proceeds to Youth Diabetes
What we need
- Get a team together to decorate the best cake • Bring cakes along to convention.
- Win a trophy
- Know that your good deeds support Youth Diabetes

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**Convention Time is fun, new friends and
learning about Lions, see you there.**



Lions District 202E

50th District Convention

6-8th March 2020

Lions Clubs of North Canterbury (Zone 5)

Amberley Oxford Pegasus Rangiora Lions Rangiora

Lionesses Woodend

Convention Information and Registration Form

Email: 202E.convention@lionsclubs.org.nz



2020 202E District Convention

6-8th March 2020, Rangiora

<https://rangioralions.club/convention-2020/>

REGISTRATION FORM

Numbers limited to 400



IMPORTANT: Each Lion must complete a separate registration form (please print clearly)

Convention Time is fun, new friends and learning about Lions, see you there.

Get your Registrations in by

21 February 2020

The convention committee need to know numbers for catering.

Surname		First Name	
Club		District	
Lion <input type="checkbox"/>	Lioness <input type="checkbox"/>	Leo <input type="checkbox"/>	Office Held
Delegate: Yes / No			
Partner's Surname		First Name	
Lion / Non Lion			
Postal Address		Post Code	
Email Address		Phone No. ()	
REGISTRATION AND FUNCTIONS		COST	LION
			PARTNER (non Lion)
Convention Registration: Lion (non-refundable)		15.00	N/A
Convention Registration: Non Lion Partner (non-refundable)		15.00	N/A
Friday Night Opening Ceremony + Supper		25.00	
Saturday AGM (no charge) or,		n/c	
Saturday AGM with morning tea and lunch		25.00	
Partner's Tour includes morning tea, lunch, tour of historic Pa, Riverboat cruise, Kaiapoi regeneration – see page3		50.00	
Saturday Evening meal and entertainment extravaganza		50.00	
Sunday Rededication + Remembrance Service		n/c	
Sunday Lunch after Rededication service		20.00	
		TOTAL TO PAY \$	

Dietary requirements

Gluten Free		Vegetarian		Dairy Free	
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REGISTRATION & PAYMENT OPTIONS REGISTRATIONS CLOSE 21ST FEBRUARY 2020. Registrations received before 31 December go into the draw to win a North Canterbury gift basket.

EMAIL: Attach your scanned Registration Form and send to; 202E.convention@lionsclubs.org.nz

INTERNET BANKING: BNZ 02/0876/0290401/00

Particulars: Registration Code: Your club name Reference: Your name

CHEQUE: Make cheques payable: "Lions Club District 202e Convention" and post with registration form/s to address below

POST: Registrations, Lions 202E Convention, PO Box 119, Rangiora, 7440

An acknowledgement will be emailed promptly. Please ensure your email address is printed clearly and keep a copy for your records. Please make contact if no acknowledgement received

INFORMATION

Venues

Rangiora Baptist Church, 111 East Belt, Rangiora for Friday and Saturday activities.

Rangiora RSA, 82 Victoria Street, Sunday remembrance and rededication

Registration Desk Open

At Baptist Hall, 111 East Belt, Rangiora

- from 4:30pm onwards on Friday 6th March
- from 8am on Saturday 7th March

At Rangiora RSA, 82 Victoria Street

- From 9:30am onwards for Sunday 8th Rededication service.

Convention Outline

Friday Welcome- registration at Baptist hall from 4:30pm. Tea and coffee on arrival. Convention starts at 7pm in the main auditorium at the Baptist Hall. Be entertained by local schools, flag ceremony, and high-profile guest speaker. Welcoming ceremony complete by 9:20pm with a supper to follow. Great venue with plenty of room for fellowship and catching up with old friends.

Saturday AGM- registration at Baptist hall from 8am. Tea and coffee on arrival. Bring along your clubs 50th anniversary cake for judging. Voting by gold coin donation with all proceeds to Youth Diabetes. Cakes eaten at evening function. Trophies for best decorated, most original, most colourful, see separate flier for details. Convention starts at 8:30am. Morning tea for partners on the tour starts 9:45am and then departs (see below). Morning tea for AGM attendees after voting for District Governors. Forum on communication in a modern world. Learn how social media can be used to communicate with your community. Bagged lunch provided so that you can get outside and enjoy NZ's hottest (42°C) town. Club award presentation, and drawing of raffle with completion of AGM at approximately 2:30pm

Saturday Entertainment- Come along and show that Lions have talent for having fun. Cheer on your club's entry into the 202E entertainment challenge. Take home to your club a trophy for the most talented, most entertaining, or the "I cannot believe we just did that" award. If your club is organising a piece of entertainment ensure that you have contacted Neville Major-Johnston of the Oxford club (nevmj@outlook.com, 027 671 2449). Refer to entertainment flier for more details. Come in costume if you wish, our theme is 'Future Vison 2020' or come dressed as your club's entertainment item. A two course evening meal is included in the price of the Saturday night entertainment.

Cash Bar- will be available on Friday and Saturday nights, no BYO please as our special licence does not permit BYO. Bring cash as no EFTPOS available.

Saturday Partners tour. – Enjoy morning tea (9:45am) at the convention venue (111 East Belt, Rangiora) and then head off in mini vans to the new Kaiapoi marine precinct to board the newly refurbished River Queen. Enjoy a 1.5-hour cruise on the Kaiapoi River. Upon completion of the cruise enjoy a guided tour of regeneration activities in Kaiapoi before heading off to the historic Kaiapoi Pa. Hear from local experts on the background story of this important part NZ history. Return to the convention hall at approximately 3pm.

Sunday Rededication-Venue, Rangiora RSA, is available from 9:30am. Rededication service commences at 10am with regression of the flags at midday. Lunch at the RSA for those who have registered for this option.

Accommodation: Please browse Waimakariri I-site www.visitwaimakariri.co.nz for a list of available places. Also check Airbnb.com and Booking.com **BOOK EARLY !**

Enquiries: please contact 202E.convention@lionsclubs.org.nz or telephone 021 671 959

Sponsors: A big thank you to the following sponsors whose generosity has enabled us to minimise the cost of attendance.

Retain this page for your own reference		Time	We have registered for:	
			Member	Partner
Friday 6th March	Registration desk	From 4:30pm onwards – Rangiora Baptist Hall		
	Opening Ceremony	7pm – Rangiora Baptist Hall		
Saturday 7th March	Business session registration desk open	8.00am – Rangiora Baptist Church		
	Partners tour	Rangiora Baptist Hall, 9:45am for morning tea before departure		
	Saturday night dinner and dance	6.30pm – Rangiora Baptist Hall		
Sunday 8th March	Remembrance and Rededication Service	10am – Rangiora RSA		
	Lunch	mid-day – Rangiora RSA		

SEDDON LIONS

Our last fundraiser of the year, the December 1st 4WD trek up the Awatere was a great success with 78 vehicles attending. Unfortunately the weather was not on our side but we made do and to enjoy ourselves despite us having to end the trek early due to track and safety issues. In total event raised almost \$4500, which will all be going to Cancer Council to assist with their fantastic work.



Quote: “People are so worried about what they eat between Christmas and the New Year, but they really should be worried about what they eat between the New Year and Christmas.”

SEAWARD LIONS



A very successful Santa's Grotto was held over two days where the children of Kaikoura saw Santa, had craft activities etc. It proved to be a great day for the children.

HAVELOCK LIONS



PDG Malcolm Williams loading wine bottle tops given to Havelock Lions to add to their collection. Blenheim Metal Recyclers bought them for \$58.10 for 83kg. Collecting these bottle tops helps fund Kidney Kids which is a not-for-profit parent driven organisation that assists parents who have children who have kidney disorders

KAIKOURA LIONS

Kaikoura Lions Club recently held their annual Surfcasting Contest and it proved to be another successful Family Fun Day for the Community, which is what it is run for. There were over 170 entrants and everyone, including those who did not catch anything, went home with something. All prizes were generously donated by the Kaikoura Business Community. The top prize which was for the heaviest fish, was \$1000 which went to local Ryan Scott. The pic shows a moki (not the heaviest fish) which was one of 104 fish caught. This day was run on a 'catch and release' basis meaning all unwanted fish went back into the sea. All in all, a great day when WE SERVED our community



Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs Charitable Trust District Report.

I hope that by the time this report goes to print a few more clubs have participated in the annual donation to your New Zealand Trust. At Present we have 47 clubs in the District and of that about half 22 clubs have given their annual donation of \$10 per member. The District has received 3 Grants this year for a total of \$25,962. To date we have contributed a total of \$6040 one can see we have gained more than 3 times what we have donated. It is your fund and we can only help clubs to complete projects with your help. Please ask your club if they have forwarded the yearly donation. We have only 5 months of the Lions year left. I look forward to your continued support of the Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs Charitable Trust.

Paul B. O'Connor M.B.E LMLCCT District 202E Trustee

Lion at Large

- Applications to become a "Lion at Large" must be made formally to the Board in writing.
- The Board will approve the application to become a "Lion at Large" for up to 6 months at a time.
- A "Lion at Large" must pay full subscription (not subsidised) on next renewal date.
- The Lion at Large must reapply at end of the 6 months

This was taken from a club bulletin, I added the last point.

Contribution from a club bulletin, it is great to share bits from bulletins. Editor



Christchurch Cancer Shuttle Bus project

Well done with another great team effort, \$11,450.00 raised which effectively pays the fuel account for the year.

Contributing Club numbers continue to rise. We started 3 years ago with 16 clubs increasing to 21 this year.

The funds have now been forwarded to ChCh Cancer Society with a spread sheet showing contributing Club details.

Individual receipts issued by the Cancer Society should have been received by clubs now. Please let me know if a receipt has not been received as this is a way of double checking that everything has gone to plan and all clubs recognized.

IMPORTANT - this year a club paid the money direct to the Cancer Society. No great issue except no one knew and it was only found by accident meaning the Clubs name could have been left off poster and not recognized. It is important to forward funds to Motueka in the first instance so we can co-ordinate club details.

There has been an instance where a Club believes their name has been left off and this could be how it happened. If that Club could contact me it would be appreciated.

John, Mike and Bill



STOP!

I NEED Club bulletins to help share your projects, ideas etc.

I NEED your poster for coming events

I NEED to fill the District Diary



Dear Lion,

Giving is a truly selfless act and a very personal decision. No matter the amount, every gift is important and helps Lions accomplish great things.

Donations to LCIF are so important that I want you to know exactly how contributions to LCIF make our work possible.

When a gift is made to LCIF, it is designated toward either disaster relief or to the Empowering Service Fund. You have seen the devastation from a hurricane, an earthquake, wildfire, and other horrific events. Sometimes people lose their homes and everything they own, escaping with just their lives and the clothes on their back. Sometimes lives are lost, leaving families heartbroken. This type of devastation is difficult to witness. We want to help. As Lions, we can.

The LCIF Disaster Relief Fund is vital because it is deployed when an unexpected, catastrophic event happens. As Lions, we need support quickly so we can begin offering relief and supplies like food, water, clothing, and shelter. After Lions respond to immediate needs from a disaster, we help rebuild and help communities recover. The LCIF Disaster Relief Fund helps to rebuild schools, community centers, homes, and more.

The Empowering Service Fund encompasses Lions' other cause areas: vision, youth, humanitarian aid, diabetes, childhood cancer, hunger, and the environment. Lions may apply for a LCIF grant to support a service project in any of these areas. LCIF grants expand Lions' impact so more people can be reached, more mouths fed, more children made safe. Service projects make it possible for communities to have clean drinking water. They build care centers and buy vital equipment for struggling health care centers. They teach children emotional skills needed to succeed in school and in life. The possibilities are endless.

Throughout this newsletter, and each of my newsletters to come, you will find stories showing how Lions use LCIF grants and the impact your gift can have on people around the world. Your donation matters.

In friendship, Gudrun Yngvadottir Chairperson, Lions Clubs International Foundation

INTERNATIONAL PEACE POSTER COMPETITION

The 2019-2020 theme was 'Journey of Peace'. Four entries qualified under the criteria of the competition. We are grateful to the clubs and districts who ran competitions. I understand that in one District 80 entries were received. What a job that would have been to decide the winning entry.

It is with pleasure that I announce the 2019-2020 MD 202 Peace Poster winner is Chante Gollop, 12 years of age, from Otumoetai Intermediate School. Chante said, 'We must lead our own paths and come together in the Journey of Peace'. Chante was sponsored by the Otumoetai Lions Club.

The MD 202 winning entry has been sent to the Public Relations Department of Lions Clubs International for judging as part of the international competition.



Congratulations also to runner up Mirissa Burgess, 13 years of age, Blue Mountain College sponsored by the West Otago Lions Club. Maria Grinley, 13 years of age, St Josephs School Hawera sponsored by the Hawera Mountain View Club along with Genevieve Robinson, 12 years of age, Karori West Normal School sponsored by the Karori Lions Club are to be commended for their entries.

Promotion for the 2020 – 2021 competition will be coming to your clubs as soon as the theme for the year is posted on the LCI website.

BLLENHEIM PAKEKE LIONS

At the Christmas dinner on Thursday December 12, 2019, three women from Pakeke Blenheim Lions were presented with Certificates of Appreciation for their services to the club. They were Glenys Woolley, Bulletin Editor, who also helps with organising raffles; Margaret Cresswell, lends a general helping hand, organising afternoon teas with Wairau Parish; and Jeanette Rudd, who offers much help with things like meeting finances, mint collections and bulletin deliveries. On behalf of Blenheim Pakeke Lions, thank you ladies, for your contribution to the running of the club.

(From left: Molly Barclay, President; Jeanette Rud, Margaret Cresswell



Candidate for District Governor 2020 -2021;

Paul B. O'Connor M.B.E.

Member of the Lions Club of Halswell and Districts

Who am I?

My past careers were, firstly with NZ Defence Force in the NZ Army, for 28 years. During that time, I held several senior Leadership appointments including a two-year attachment to the Australian Army. Because of my efforts in those roles, I was recognized and selected to the Senior Warrant Officer appointment in the NZ Army, serving on the Chief of Army's personal staff as the soldier advisor to the General. This selection was based on my leadership qualities, as seen by the General, my superiors and peers.



As the Army's top soldier, I was awarded, in the Queens New Year Honours List 1992, made a Member of the Order of the British Empire, Military Division. I had also previously been awarded the NZ Meritorious Service Medal.

My second career was in Real Estate under the umbrella of the Harcourt's Group. During those 25 years, I was an independent contractor for some 15 years and 10 years in Management of a very successful **team** of salespeople.

I have been in lions for some 27years and when on the death of the incumbent VDG, was asked by our PDG and Council Chair Helen Williams and the Cabinet **team** to step up into the vacancy I under the circumstances could not refuse. I was subsequently appointed at a special meeting of the District PDG's and Cabinet. I have been part of the Cabinet **team** since 2012. At that time, I was asked to be the Convention Chairman for the

2013 Convention in Lincoln run by our Halswell Club **team** and assisted on the weekend by the **team** from the Lions Club of Ellesmere Club.

For the last 5 years, I have been the GLT Coordinator, with the training **team**, responsible for Club Orientation. It has been during this time that the Club Development and Members upskilling and District Orientation sessions were raised to an acceptable standard with written feedback, written programmes, and excellent attendance, being achieved.

To improve my knowledge of Lions, I attended the Advanced Lions Leadership Institute in Melbourne and attended the Faculty Development Institute in Auckland to teach Senior Leadership within Lions,

I believe my time on Cabinet and the time I have put into personal leadership development, have shown I have the necessary Administrative and **Team** building attributes to represent you within the Lions Clubs International organisation.

In 2013 I was awarded a Melvin Jones Fellowship, and recently at the Hokitika Convention, I was awarded the **International Presidents Distinguished Leadership Medal** by the Vice International President Judge Townsend, (who suddenly died this month) and a New Voices International Certificate for my membership initiatives.

I am committed to the successful leadership of Lions in our District and NZ and will do my very best to maintain the Standards within this organisation. I humbly request your support in my bid to be your District Governor Elect for the Lions year 2020 -2021.

I look forward to our lion's year together.

TEAM = together each achieve more.



ARE YOU COLLECTING THESE?

- 1. Spectacles: Ferrymead Lions collect and send to the Islands. No need to send the glasses cases.**
- 2. Do you collect Kan Tabs & Wine tops, PDG Raewyn Clearwater receives them on your behalf.**
- 3. Do you collect hearing aids and their batteries? CHCH Host receive them or Bay Audiology.**
- 4. PLEASE SORT THE WINE BOTTLE TOPS AND DO NOT INCLUDE ITEMS IN PHOTO.**



Camp Quality Sunday 12 January

As 202E Camp Quality Liaison Melville & I stayed the Saturday night at camp and enjoyed welcoming the 41 companions and campers. Seaward, Kaikoura and Amberley Lions helped with the Sunday lunch which was a great experience. Thanks to all the clubs who helped all week.

Many activities, are sponsored eg. The ice-creams, were all free. The week long camp was a huge success for all who attended.



Raewyn Miller, Simon Mather, Linda de Vine, Julie Syme, Geoff Shier, Melville Syme, Brent Grigor



Queuing up for Ice Cream- very popular



Archery with soft points were great fun



Sitting in the shade

KAIKOURA LIONS

A highly successful project started by Charter member Sam Pilbrow, and held on the first Wednesday in December. It involves the whole Club & partners, catering for 85 guests. Organisation starts mid October



Vice District Governors Perceptive

(Our way forward)

Paul B. O'Connor M.B.E.

Welcome to the New Year, and, another exciting year for Lions in our District.

Our last Lions year has had some ups and downs; we did a good job as a united team of clubs to stem the outflow of members with 20 less leaving the year 2018 -19. We need to keep our numbers above 1250 within the District so as a team member each club needs to rejuvenate itself and recruit new members. If you need help "Just Ask"

I hope that I can lead a team of Clubs in the coming year that will take control of themselves and have the courage to do something to ensure they have a presents within the community. Clubs need to reassess their communities what projects would raise their profile in the area where they are. "We can no longer afford to be the communities best kept secret."

As a Guiding Lion with the Lions Club of Christchurch South I have seen some amazing transformations of attitudes and a new drive to ensure their club stays alive. We need a pool of volunteers in each community.

Take the Bushfires in Australia Lions Clubs Australia is out there organizing relief. Lions Clubs International has already donated US\$143,000. Remember, "Where there is a need, there is a Lion" There will be a time of need in your community,

Leadership is not what the Leader achieves but what his team is able to achieve with the common goals. A club is like a team member in this District we all have a position to play and if one member is letting the side down we will all lose.

Clubs like teams, spend time together, they develop close bonds, know each other extremely well and as such tend to perform with a high level of consistency. That's what as your next team leader I would hope we can achieve. **We need to redevelop our Team Culture, reassert a more upbeat attitude, and take positive steps to improve our team player skills with enthusiasm.** That is what your club as part of our team (the District) needs to strive for.

There have been changes and clubs need to ensure that they are compliant with the latest Charities Services rules (see Treasurers best practice notes on Line) on Lions NZ website.

Are we covered with registration of our trusts? Are we registered with the Incorporated Societies?

Its time to rethink our way forward.

Note "**When the going gets tough, the tough keep going**"

I hope you can rise to the challenge.

Paul



LCIF Update from John Benefield.

THE AUSTRALIAN BUSH FIRES

A suggestion of a way to help received on 24th December 2019

Past International President Barry Palmer *informs us that LCIF are trying to raise funds to purchase water tanks for the affected areas. The existing ones melted with the heat. The cost of 1 water tank is \$3000AUD, with the tanks being donated to families and the elderly. If the club can raise the funds, then the club/clubs name/names will go on the tank, likewise if it is a zone or district project. Please ensure members receive this information ASAP.*

We can combine and acknowledge club donations if you wish to make a partial contribution to a watertank.

At this stage we have not received any requests for assistance for the measles outbreak in Samoa. This particular case does not qualify for an instant grant from LCIF.

Thank you to clubs who have already sent donations for the Australian Bush Fires. Please ensure you follow donation lodgements carefully to ensure they are credited to the correct destination.

Account 030-502-0081103-00

Ref = LCIF, Club Number, Aust Fires Tank

Contact me for any further information.

Message from Past International President Barry Palmer of Australia.

ers in Australia & New Zealand, your fellow Lions in the areas affected by the fires need our help. LCIF have already started to support us with several emergency grants in addition to \$150000 already granted to northern NSW.

I am suggesting that all my face book friends contact their friends and see how much they are prepared to give to LCIF to support our efforts. This is a long term program. Our fellow Aussies will need help for months to come.

Thank you, Lions, for your ongoing commitment and all you do.

Barry Palmer

You and your friends can personally donate to the 202E District Charitable Trust Account:

Account 030703 0036114 00

Ref = LCIF, Club Number, Aust Fires Tank

Please get them to send an email to 202e.lcif@lionsclubs.org.nz advising their name and an email address.

Remember - **100%** of your donation will go to the project. Tax Deductible and receipts issued.

A BIG THANK YOU TO ALL DONATIONS TO DATE FROM LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION

**60th Annual Convention
Multiple District 202
1 May - 3 May 2020
Forum North,
Whangarei**

The Roaring 20's



**WHANGAREI
LOVE IT HERE!**

Northland - New Zealand



Hosted by: Hikurangi Mountain Lions

Our Corporate Leaders



1. President



2. Past president



3. 1st VP



4. 2nd VP



5. 3rd BVP

1. President DR. JUNG-YUL CHOI Republic of Korea
2. Immedite Past President Gudrun Yngvadottir Iceland
3. Douglas X Alexander New York
4. Brian E Sheehan Minnesota
5. Dr. Patti Hill Canada

On December 17, International First Vice President Judge Haynes H. Townsend passed away. We are heartbroken by this tragic loss to the Lion family, to the Townsend family and his loving wife, Donna.



Hi Lions,

Hope you all had a wonderful Christmas and New Year time with family & friends.

I love this quote and Lions is like that. Where there is a need there are a Lion or two. The Lions family is a collection of people who make a difference in so many

ways in our communities and around the world.

Keep up the good work, support each other and continue to “do good” while you have heaps of fun and fellowship.

PDG Julie Syme QSM

Editor



We Serve