



*We Serve*



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***A word from the editor***

*Dear Readers,*

*This month we have some up updates/corrections to the 202D Directory due to some errors that were picked. There's some info on Diabetes from Lions Clubs NZ. A few pics from the president's luncheon, as well as the regular contributions from cabinet.*

*If you wish to contact me, please do so at: [202D.editor@lionsclubs.org.nz](mailto:202D.editor@lionsclubs.org.nz)*

*Kind regards,*

*Llew Eynon*

Greetings Lions,

*What a lovely couple of days we have had, sun shining and outside jobs caught up with.*

*Congratulations to our newest club, New Plymouth Central who chartered on July 18<sup>th</sup>. A good number of Lions attended and Roy Price did a terrific job overseeing the 'formal' part of the event and presenting each charter member with a baby's dummy to soothe away future problems (I might need one myself). I found the presenting of the banners quite moving. Graham and Hazel Dodunski along with Joyce Raven did a lot of the organising and all credit to them – good food, good entertainment and good fun.*

*The President's Lunch in Hawera was well attended and it was awesome to catch up with so many Presidents, Cabinet members and Cabinet support members and the food and fun were excellent too. This was followed by our first Cabinet meeting for the year.*

*Matt Wellington (Webmaster) is doing a fine job of managing the District calendar. This is the place to go to if you want to find out when things are happening, including the DG and VDG club visits. Feel free to have your events recorded on the calendar, just email Matt with the information.*

*Finally, don't forget to ask... What if?*

*Yours in Lions,*

*Louise Knapman*



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**Zone Meetings**

<b><u>ZONE</u></b>	<b><u>CHAIR</u></b>	<b><u>DATE</u></b>	<b><u>VENUE</u></b>
<b>Zone 1</b>	<b>Warren Nicholls</b>	<b>29 October</b>	<b>Fielding</b>
<b>Zone 2</b>	<b>David Pacheco</b>	<b>3 August</b>	<b>Palmerston North</b>
<b>Zone 3</b>	<b>Rene Haeberli</b>	<b>TBA</b>	<b>TBA</b>
<b>Zone 4</b>	<b>Tobi Hipp</b>	<b>3 August</b>	<b>Hawera</b>
<b>Zone 5</b>	<b>Sue Huckstep</b>	<b>19 August</b>	<b>Eltham Town Hall</b>
<b>Zone 6</b>	<b>Alan Cudmore</b>	<b>18 August</b>	<b>Waitara</b>

## Emerging Lions Leadership Institute (ELLI)

Emerging Lions Leadership Institutes focus on building the skills of Lions and Leo members for leadership opportunities at the club level, including the position of club president.

Any Lion who has served on a club committee and not yet attained the level of Club President is eligible to attend; great for club 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Presidents. Current first time presidents may also benefit from attending.

The three day ELLI is designed to accomplish the following objectives:

- Understand the significance of assessing community needs
- Recognize the reasons people resist change
- Identify strategies for supporting a team as a team leader
- Understand the strengths and limitation of your own communication style
- Identify the components of effective meeting facilitation
- Recognize the dimensions of diversity
- Understand and support the mission of Lions Clubs International Foundation
- Utilize Club Quality Initiative to achieve club success

Interested? Please consider this great learning opportunity for yourself or members of your club. Accommodation costs are covered.

Dates are 13 -14 -15th November 2020 at Silverstream Retreat, Wellington.

Please email me for more details (as they come to hand) and application forms.

*Megan England*



**Vice District Governor**  
**GLT Coordinator 2020/2021**  
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## Youth South Report for August CONTACT.

Lions promote many engaging youth activities and as youth are the future of Lions, it is vital that we offer them the opportunities and involve them in as many of these activities as we can. **We trust all Youth Directors are using their Youth Handbook for referencing Lions Youth Projects/activities.**



### The Great Kiwi Youth Exchange.

Planning is well underway for this new youth exchange project in Lions Districts 202D & 202M. The exchange project will provide the opportunity for young people aged 15-18 years to be hosted by Lions' families across the 2 districts for 7 days, in the April school holidays 2021. The Lions 202 Council of Governors have approved the final proposal, and all the final details will be sent out to all clubs before long. We will be looking for host families, as well as possible young people to take part in the project, so please have a think about these ideas. **The objectives of this project are:** to provide a range of experiences for NZ youth in new environments in urban or rural settings, to develop their life skills their independence and their confidence while participating in a range of different settings, to gain an understanding and appreciation of how people in other NZ communities live, work, play, relax and have fun and to have fun and enjoyment in these new and different activities, challenges and experiences. There are no overseas youth exchanges planned for possibly the next 12 months at least. The International Youth Camp has been cancelled for this year.



### Leo Clubs.

The three Leo clubs in Palmerston North have had their inductions for the new Lions year, and all have a number of projects underway. **Ross Intermediate Leos** under the careful guidance of Lynette Templeton have had some guest speakers, visited Woodlands Old Folks to entertain and are planning on making bird houses for their school's enviro group. A bake sale is also planned. **Kairanga Leos**, with positive guidance from Kairanga Lions youth director Dawn Galloway are just getting underway with a visit to Cloud 9 already completed. And **PNINS Leos** have had their induction and are looking for guest speakers and a possible fundraiser for Ronald McDonald house is planned. Claire Culley is the very helpful guiding Lion for this Leo Club. Well done to all of these leading Lions, along with Robyn Pedersen, the Leo co-ordinator who are providing support to the Leos.

### Can Tabs /Old Money.



### 202D July Cabinet Meeting.

In my position as Youth South Chairperson, I was invited to the President's lunch and cabinet meeting in Hawera last weekend. It was a good opportunity for me to put faces to names and hear about the activities of Lions Clubs throughout the 202D District. In my role, I plan to continue to attend the zone meetings of zones 1,2 & 3, as an opportunity to share the youth activities available in 202D with club Presidents, and just as important, to hear about the youth activities and projects clubs are currently involved in and/or planned for the future. **Here are some other news 'snippets' from the cabinet meeting involving youth in our district.**

- **An Environment video competition** focusing on biodiversity in our natural environment for primary age students is being planned for 2021. Students will be encouraged to put together a 3-5 minutes video on this theme. More to come on this. Clubs are still welcome to enter the **202D District Environment Award**.
- **Bunnings have agreed to give away up to \$20,000 to Leo clubs** (for young Lions aged 12-18) to be used for their environmental projects. This money will be allocated up to \$1000 to each NZ Leo club, and has been given due to the lack of opportunity for Leos to hold sausage sizzles at Bunnings stores throughout NZ due to Covid 19.



Youth South Chair, Phil Lightbourne

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**Peace Poster Competition:**

The theme for the 2020-2021 Peace Poster is:

**“Peace Through Service”** Entry eligibility: Age 11 – 12-13 as of 15 November

**Winning Peace Poster 2019**

- Schools to be contacted Early March
- All Posters **MUST** be made to required size – anything different will not be accepted. **THIS IS VERY IMPORTANT!!!!!!!**
- Club to provide students with A2 size (420mmx594mm) acid & lignin free art paper no less than 100gsm in weight
- All entries must be flexible enough to be rolled up for shipping in 6cm diameter tubes
- Pencils, pens, crayons, markers, paint or chalk may be used. Entries should be sprayed to prevent smearing
- 3D entries will not be accepted. Nothing may be glued, stapled or attached to the artwork in any way
- Signatures or initials and brief description should be written on the back of the artwork. (see attachment).
- **NO LETTERING OR NUMBERS ALLOWED ON THE POSTER**
- Posters must not be laminated
- Closing date for District judging is 25/09/20. District judging takes place from 24th October. Vouchers will be awarded to the first three places in the District
- Closing date for the Multiple District Judging is 1/12/20. The winning entry for the District goes forward to this competition
- One grand prize winner (Worldwide) receives US\$5000, a plaque and a trip for two family members to attend the International Awards ceremony at Lions day with the United Nations (Subject to change). Each of the 23 merit award winners will receive a cash award of US\$500 and a certificate of achievement.
- All entries to Youth Chairman before closing date

PLEASE ATTACH THE BELOW TO THE BACK OF THE PEACE POSTER:

NAME:.....AGE:.....

SCHOOL:.....CONTACT NO:.....

BRIEF DESCRIPTION:.....

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## 202D JUNIOR SPEECHMAKER CONTEST

This is a 202D District Project designed to encourage speechmaking for the year 7 and 8 students (10 to 13 year olds approx.).

Each contestant will present their three minute speech (2 minute warning given) on any chosen subject. Later in the day will be an impromptu speech of 1 minute where the subject will be chosen by the judges.



### How your club can be involved:

- By promoting the project in your communities
- Obtain and screen contestants (ensuring entrants are in good health and of good character)
- Pay the entrance fee of \$50 (Cheques payable to "Lions District 202D")
- To ensure all documentation and payment is lodged with District Youth Chairman by stipulated date
- To arrange transport for contestant/s to District contest
- To inform their contestants of all relevant details regarding the conditions of the contest

The contest will be held at "The Community centre" in Hawera on Sunday ~~1st~~ November from 9:30am for registrations, morning tea with speeches starting at 10.00am.

The Mt View Lions will provide morning tea and lunch for \$10 for visitors and friends payable at the door. Please support them and let the contestant's families and or your club members know. Lunch tickets can be purchased on the day. Lunch for the contestants is included in the entry fee.

As a sponsoring club you are taking responsibility for the youth you are sponsoring. This means keeping the youth and their family informed and arranging travel for them if required. It is also customary that your club cover the lunch costs for your youth's attending family. Your responsibility does not end after you complete the entry form and send it to the youth chairs. For further information please contact either youth chair to assist you.

### Entry's close Friday 23rd October

Please post entry forms and cheques to:

### Youth Chairman South

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# *President's Luncheon*



*Shirley Johns (VP Bell Block Puketapu), Robyn Roberts, Joyce Lawrence, Jenny Clarke President Bell Block Puketapu, Paul Roberts (President Eltham), Bruce Gibson (President Kaponga)*



*Graham Dodunski (President New Plymouth Central), Denise Phelan (President New Pymouth Pakeke) Hazel Dodunski, and Val Hargreaves (Karaka)*

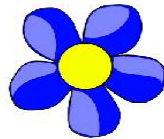




# President's Luncheon



*Diane Forsyth (President Opunake Lakeside), Llew Eynon (Ed.), Sue Huckstep (Zone 5 Chair)  
Trish Anderson (Secretary Opunake Lakeside), Daphne Sinclair-Holley (GST Coordinator)*



*DG Louise Knapman telling the story "Who moved the Cheese?". A tale about adapting to change.  
DG Louise was ably assisted by Andrew Gibson (VP Kaponga) and Gerard Karalus (Environment)*



# Diabetes

Diabetes is a global epidemic, affecting an increasing number of men, women, and children all over the world. As Lions and Leos, we see and feel the effects of diabetes in our communities and are doing something about it together.



Diabetes

## We Have a Plan

Serving in diverse communities all over the world, we see and feel the effects of diabetes and are doing something about it together.

## Our Strategic Objective

Reduce the prevalence of diabetes and improve quality of life for those diagnosed.



Lions Clubs New Zealand partners with Diabetes NZ and other local Diabetes associations to work within our local communities to make our communities aware of Diabetes and the threats that this poses. Many Clubs run "Lions Strides for Awareness" walks, a great project for all ages in our community. Clubs also run Health Awareness events and often have diabetes and blood pressure checks available on site from qualified professionals.

We distribute Diabetes information, run Healthy Eating Programs, provide emergency diabetes packs in times of disaster, sponsor Diabetes Youth camps and much, much more. If you want to help us fight diabetes or if you have any ideas about how we can help your local community [please get in touch with your local Lions Club](#), we'd love to hear from you.

## Congratulations to Gerard Karalus of Normanby Lions Club

### MEMBER OF THE LLOYD MORGAN LIONS CLUBS CHARITABLE TRUST

There was no doubt that Gerard was a worthy recipient of this award.

Gerard joined Normanby Lions Club in 2006 and his leadership skills were quickly realized as he became president in 2009.

Since then he has filled many roles in Cabinet including: Zone Chairman (twice); Global Membership and Retention; Cabinet Services Activity Chair; Child Mobility Alert Chair; and Environment North.

Gerard also travelled with a group of Lions volunteers to Kharikola in Nepal.

Gerard has always been an enthusiastic contributor to many club projects and social activities.

One of Gerard's greatest contributions to his club was as bulletin editor for nine years from 2009 to 2019. The bulletin was of such excellent quality that it won the District Award for "Best Club Bulletin" in 2016.

Normanby Lions have bestowed this award in recognition of Gerard's outstanding contribution to Lions and their club.



Where there's a need,  
there's a lion.

## Online Links

202D Webpage: [www.lionsclubs.org.nz/about/districts/taranaki-region-manawatu](http://www.lionsclubs.org.nz/about/districts/taranaki-region-manawatu)

202D e-Clubhouse: <http://e-district.org/sites/202d>

Covid-19: <https://lionsclubs.org/en/coronavirus>

BAD, I mean... DAD JOKES.

How does the moon  
cut his hair?

Eclipse it.

With so many  
sporting events  
cancelled, they're gonna  
televise the World Origami  
Championship...  
on Paperview

