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GREETINGS DISTRICT I LIONS AND LIONESS.

Giant Thank Yous and floral bouquets to PDG Ron Metcalfe and his team for the creation of the new MD 19-I website. It is now up and running. You will receive this information from your Zone Chairs, but repetition is reputation, so here is the link for the site: lions19i.ca

Nice and simple. If you have not yet checked it out, please do so. It makes for great reading and viewing.

Also in the present, at present, is still remaining at least part of March’s Spring Forward to new members campaign. Congratulations to all those of you who came up with some very cool ideas for bringing new Lions on board. A big spike in numbers over the next couple of months will help all our communities and our Clubs.

And a shout-out to all of you who have already sent your new officer forms in to their respective destinations.

So to the future; the very near, and the slightly distant. With Spring officially here, (so why is it not warmer ?) the Spring Conference, to take place in Sidney-by-the-Sea, draws nigh. If you have not yet registered, you still have time, but not much!

The link to the on-line registration is as follows: www.eventbrite.com/e/md-19-i-spring-conference-tickets-28986805315.

Registration will close April 8th, at midnight.

We would love to have every Club represented at the event. Remember that this time will be your last chance to vote for your Governor, and 1st and 2nd VDG’s for Lions year 2017-18, as well as your next Council and Vice-Council Chairs, so please remember to bring your delegate forms with you. And you have never had such a wide choice of dress-up choices; anything nautical, we will be in a seaside town, OR your choice of clothing from any of the 10 decades which make up the first 100 years of Lionism. Our caterers, from a local company, will feed us well, but they need a fairly accurate working number, so, Please, if you are intending on coming, do the registration soon, very soon.

Two dates for the merry month of May:

May 6 at Camp Shawnigan, officer training for Presidents, Secretaries, Treasurers, and Membership Chairs. More details, times, cost, etc, to follow via your ZC’s and the next issue of this bulletin.

May 22 Victoria Day, will need a big Lion and Lioness presence at, and in the Parade.

And any time in May is a good time to close up your Centennial project, if it is not already completed.

Slightly more distant future is the 100th International Convention in, where else, Chicago. There is still time to register, but you will have to be quick. It promises to be an amazing series of events. MD 19 will be there in numbers, to enjoy the party, to celebrate the 100 years, to share the spirit of Lionism with fellow Lions from around the world, and to support your next year’s Governor’s team. These gatherings are a very strong reminder that “We Serve” is a binding theme across all boundaries.

Here are no boundaries around Sidney-by-the-Sea, except for the sea itself, so we hope to see very many of there.
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Port Angeles Lions
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ZONE I-2
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Sooke Harbourside Lions
Sooke Lions
Victoria Chinatown Lions
Victoria Imperial Lions
West Shore Lions
Sooke District LIONESS
Victoria Chinatown LIONESS

ZONE I-3
Central Saanich Lions
Galiano Island Lions
Gordon Head Lions
Mayne Island Lions
Pender Islands Lions
Salt Spring Island Lions
Sidney Lions

ZONE I-4
C to Sea Lions
Cedar Lions
Cowichan Lake Lions
Duncan Lions
Ladysmith Lions
Malahat Lions
Mill Bay Lions

ZONE I-5
Baynes Sound Lions
Black Creek Lions
Comox Valley Lions
Comox Valley Monarch Lions
Gold River Lions
Qualicum Bay Lions
Royston-Cumberland Lions
Tahsis Lions
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ZONE I-6
Alert Bay Lions
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Port Alice Lions
Port Hardy Lions
Port McNeill Lions
Port McNeill LIONESS

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Alberni Valley Lions
Gabriola Lions
Nanaimo Hub City Lions
Nanaimo Lions
NanOOSE Bay Lions
Parksville Lions
Protection Island Lions
Nanaimo Harbor Lites LIONESS
Parksville LIONESS

ARE YOU MOVING?
Lions,
Are you due to move? Are you then having to leave your beloved Lion's Club that you have been enjoying? Don't fret, I can re-connect you with your NEW Lions Club in or near to your new home. Just contact me and let me make magic happen for you.

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Sooke District Lioness
sookedistrictlioness.org
Alpha Leo Clubs
ages 12-18
• Omega Leo Clubs
ages 18-30
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Lions Club Directory
directory.lionsclub.org
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for Children with Disabilities
lionsbc.ca
C.A.R.E Project:
lionsmd19.com
Lions of BC Hearing
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Leader Dogs for the Blind
leaderdog.org
puppypilots.org/puppy
Lions Foundation of Canada
Dog Guides
dogguides.com
Diabetes Awareness
diabetes.ca
Northwest Lions Foundation
restoring sight,
hearing & hope
nlfoundation.org
Lions Clubs International Foundation: lcif.org
DISTRICT GOVERNOR Alan Guy’s
VISIT SCHEDULE for 19-I LIONS & LIONESS CLUBS:

2016

AUGUST
21 ✓ 1st Cabinet Meeting, Port Angeles

SEPTEMBER
7 ✓ Royal Oak
12 ✓ Saturna
14-19 ✓ Canada/U.S.A. Forum, Omaha
24 ✓ Ladysmith Lions 75th Charter Night
25 ✓ Alert Bay
26 ✓ Port McNeil Lioness
27 ✓ Port McNeill

OCTOBER
4 ✓ Esquimalt
5 ✓ Mayne Island
6 ✓ Malahat
12 ✓ Crescent Bay
13 ✓ Sequim
14 ✓ Victoria Imperial (noon)
17-24 ✓ Multiple District 19 Fall Convention, Spokane WA
26 ✓ C-to-Sea
27 ✓ Mill Bay

NOVEMBER
1 ✓ Comox Valley
2 ✓ Pender Island
3 ✓ West Shore
5 ✓ Comox Valley Lions 50th Charter Night
6 ✓ 2nd Cabinet Meeting, Courtenay
7 ✓ Nanaimo
8 ✓ Nanaimo Hub City
14 ✓ Ladysmith
15 ✓ Duncan
17 ✓ Black Creek
21 ✓ Baynes Sound
23 ✓ Saanich & Victoria Chinatown together
24 ✓ Central Saanich

DECEMBER
6 ✓ Sidney
8 ✓ Salt Spring Island
14 ✓ Gordon Head

2017

JANUARY
9 ✓ Victoria Chinatown Lioness
10 ✓ Sooke District Lioness
11 ✓ Sooke Harbourside
12 ✓ Sooke
23 ✓ Gabriola Island

FEBRUARY
7 ✓ Protection Island
9 ✓ NanOOSE Bay
17-18 ✓ Winter Counsel of Governors
20 ✓ Nanaimo Harbor Lites Lioness
23 ✓ Capital City
27 ✓ Comox Valley Monarchs
28 ✓ Qualicum Bay

MARCH
5 ✓ 3rd Cabinet Meeting, Willow Point, Campbell River
13 ✓ Cowichan Lake
14 ✓ Parksville Lioness
15 ✓ Willow Point
16 ✓ Cedar
21 ✓ Parksville
22 ✓ Clallam Bay/Sekiu
23 ✓ Forks

APRIL
3 ✓ Port Alice
4 ✓ Port Hardy
6 ✓ Malcolm Island
11 ✓ Alberni Valley

21-23 ✓ District SPRING CONFERENCE, Sidney-by-the-Sea and 4th Cabinet Meeting

MAY
3 ✓ Port Angeles
7 ✓ Gold River + Tahsis
8 ✓ Qualicum
9 ✓ Royston/Cumberland

SPRING CONFERENCE
REGISTRATION LINK:
https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/md-19-i-spring-conference-tickets-28986805315

APRIL, 2017 SoapBox
District I

Club Officer Training Dates

The District Club Officer Training dates have been arranged for this year. The dates are as follows:

May 6th
at Camp Shawnigan
Start Time: 10:00am
Lunch Break at Noon
Start Time: 1:00pm – 3:00pm

May 20th
at Landing Restaurant in Port Angeles

This year the Workshops/Presentation will be five separate modules throughout the day.

Club President:
Understanding your role, Constitution and Bylaws, Protocol, Membership, Roles of other Officers, Leadership and Learning, Planning, Resources and MYLCI.
(start time 1:00pm)

Club Secretary:
Club Communications, Secretary Excellence Award, Checklists, Completing reports, Sample forms, How to navigate the LCI website, MYLCI
(start time 10:00am)

Club Treasurer:
Role and Duties of a Club Treasurer
(start time 10:00am)

Club Membership Director/Committee:
Roles and Duties of these positions
(start time 1:00pm)

Club Board of Directors:
Duties and Responsibilities
(start time 1:00pm)

We encourage all Lions to participate in this new training. The Officer Training Program has been re-vamped from the MD19 District Support Team. All are welcome to attend any or all of the presentations.

Lion Leslie Smith
MD19-I GLT

G.M.T. District 19-I

At this time I would like to report that we have achieved our goal but that isn't true but the membership is coming up slowly. But we still need to boost our numbers so we don't lose our District.

I have a few Questions to ask each and every Club.

(1) Have thought of some special thing to do to help get new members in your Club. Remember back when we were asked to Ask one, and now we are asked to spring ahead.

(2) Maybe we need to also remember the new members that we have already got plus the older ones that maybe have forgotten about the things we should do to keep members in the fold.

(3) Are you in a Club that maybe needs a new Secretary or other important position we can shove the new bee into this position and then complain when they don't do the right thing?

(4) Or maybe you are in a Club where the new bee comes in, and sits down and we just ignore them or leave them sitting by themselves so they don't ask too many questions that maybe we don't know the answer to.

(5) Which is more important: to keep a new member or an old member who is our friend?

My questions, believe it or not, are related to just about every Club. Yes it is important to get fresh people into our Clubs but so is it just as important to look after the rest of the membership.

A lot of us are getting older and tire quicker than we used to or maybe can't walk as fast or as long as we used to but that doesn't mean that we can't do other things.

So as I am saying yes, it's important to get new members, as many hands make light work. But it won't work if we don't stop them before they go out the back door. Also remember the new member may be full of youthful energy but the older ones have the knowledge, so together the Club can get new ideas as well as the experience to make things work.

Remember the way geese fly: in a V formation with the leader in front. But when the leader tires the next one moves up to the front while the other goes back to rest. I really believe that we can be just as smart as them if we just work at it.

Speaking of leaders, all our Guiding are due to renew our guiding lions certificates. You can do this on line but there is also the choice of having someone come to our District and give us the course. If you are interested please let me know and we will get it organized if there is enough interest for this.

Yours in Lionism

G.M.T. Lion Lyne Moreau
IMPORTANT DATES
Please Read

ONLINE Registration Ends April 8, 2017
https://www.eventbrite.com/e/md-19-i-spring-conference-tickets-28986805315

Melvin Jones Award - Is your club planning on presenting a Melvin Jones Award? Notify Bill Deslauriers at: bdeslauriershome@gmail.com by March 31

CLUB BANNER - Display your Club Banner at the Conferences
Send a high resolution image to springconference@shaw.ca by March 31

CELEBRATION OF LIFE - Send photo and name of departed member to: Gerry Webb at: gkwebb@shaw.ca by March 31, 2017.
NOTE: Members who pass after March 31, 2017 will not be acknowledged this year, but will be at next year’s conference.

JOIN THE FUN!!! WEAR YOUR PERIOD COSTUMES
Pick any decade - 1917-2017 OR Nautical Theme
Wear to any event Friday – Saturday
(Change rooms available at the Mary Winspear)

SPRING CONFERENCE RESOURCES
Sidney Lions Website: e-clubhouse.org/sites/sidneybc/ Visit the website for hotel details
Conference Contact: springconference@shaw.ca
Facebook: Sidney Lions Club
These Lions are Candidates for District 19-I Offices for 2017-18.

- For District Governor: **1st Vice-DG Lion Joyce Boyle.**
- For 1st Vice District Governor: **2nd Vice-DG Lion Michael Dukes**
- For 2nd Vice District Governor: **I-5 Zone Chair Lion Cecil Specht**

The Campaigning will end when the Nominations will take place during the Opening Ceremonies during the Saturday morning events followed by Elections after 10am.

Yours in Service, PDG Lion Marcel Deslauriers,
District I, Nominations Chair
REGISTRATION IS ONLINE ONLY AND ENDS SATURDAY APRIL 8, 2017

EVENT VENUES:  Mary Winspear Centre (Friday and Saturday)
Shoal Centre on Sunday for the Celebration of Life

QUESTIONS:  Contact springconference@shaw.ca
For updates: follow us on Facebook - Sidney Lions Club
www.facebook.com/Sidney-Lions-Club-179808018780508/

ACCOMMODATIONS & RESERVATIONS

IMPORTANT: Mention Lions Club Spring Conference
To get the discounted Conference Rate: Reserve before March 1

HOST HOTEL: Travelodge Victoria Airport that is across the street from our event!
(45 rooms) 250-656-1176 / Event Room Rates: $119–$139/night + tax

The Sidney Pier: 1-866-659-9445
Event Room Rates: $140–$225/night + tax

Cedarwood Inn and Suites: 1-877-656-5551
Event Room Rates: $103–$157/night + tax

Sidney Waterfront Inn & Suites:
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Event Room Rates: $110-$272/night + tax

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Event Room Rates: $149.99/night + tax

RV PARKING
AT
MARY WINSPEAR:
They have 4 spots with hookups, plus some extra spots available for self-contained RVs.
BOOK through the Mary Winspear at 250-656-0275
March District Cabinet Meeting at Willow Point

By Lion Bob Orchard

A delicious lunch was enjoyed by all.

Top photo below shows Lion Cec Specht accepting nomination as 2nd Vice District Governor Elect.

Bottom photo below: Lion Joyce Boyle has been nominated and seconded for the position of District Gov Elect.

Lion Mike Dukes was done via phone call.

I took the photo of the eagle outside the Traveloge Hotel in Campbell River. The cute pooch belongs to PZC Leo & PZC Lyne Moreau, I think.
FUN TRIVIA NIGHT FUNDRAISER

The Canadian Federation of the Blind is hosting a fun Trivia evening at Norway House, 1110 Hillside Avenue, on Friday May 5, 2017 from 6:30pm to 9:30pm.

Everyone is welcome! Enjoy a wonderful evening of team work. Teams of eight people work collectively to win the most points. There will be prizes awarded for first, second and third table placements.

Admission to the event is $25.00 per person, and will be collected at the door. Cheques should be made payable to the Victoria Imperial Lions Club.

Please let us know if you will be participating and the number of people on your team so that tables can be arranged in advance. Call or email Graeme McCreath at 250-479-2679 or email andrewmccreath@shaw.ca

Complimentary refreshments will be available for participants as well as pizza at half time to re-energize themselves. Beer, wine, and soft drinks can be purchased throughout the evening.

Sponsored by The Victoria Imperial Lions Club
Mill Bay
Lions Club

By Sylvia Riehl, Secretary

The Mill Bay Lions have been helping out a local family with their vision care needs for their young son James. We donated $2,000 to their bill to help get the therapy James needs. James is only just turned 7, and he and his parents attended one of our meetings and showed pictures and described his workouts. He is a bright young lad and was a great friendly addition to our meeting. They have promised to keep us informed as his therapy continues.

We are busy preparing for the local Easter Egg Hunt on April 16 from 12:30-2pm, where we will give out popcorn and drinks. One of our members will again pose as the Great Easter Bunny for pictures.

We are trying to get the yard cleanup done after all the storms. There are lots of branches to clear and a load of gravel is needed to fill potholes. With it comes lots of raking too. We had members out and our newest member Lion Shelly presented the Wounded Warriors with a cheque on their stop in Mill Bay.

We are busy thinking and planning our Centennial Project. We have many things in the works for the upcoming year. Many of us are going to try and make it to watch the wheelchair basketball game for the young fellow we helped buy a new chair.

Gabriola Island
Lions Club

District Governor’s Annual Visit

By Lion Dawn Fulton

Photos by
Lion Bill Kalbfleisch

On January 23rd, District Governor (DG), Alan Guy made his annual trek to visit our Gabriola Island Lions Club. Undeterred by the cold and winter weather, he came accompanied by Zone Chairperson, Robert Dalton, and Port Alberni Lions Gary Price and Ron Metcalfe. He delivered warm words of encouragement, detailed news of upcoming events, and celebrated in our shared passion for Lionism.

One highlight in particular was having the DG and his team present service awards – recognition for members’ service ranging from 5 years to 35 years. Wow, 35 years! Such willingness and commitment to SERVE is nothing short of impressive, especially given the current trend toward declining membership in volunteer organizations (as heard on CBC radio).

In closing, and perhaps most importantly, the DG’s address inspired us to think of ways to “Serve Outside the Box”. With a firm, but gentle nudge, the DG challenged us to invent a Spring Membership project. We are pleased to say that brainstorming has begun. Stay tuned for more…

Parksville
Lioness Club

Pictured is President Kirsteen Mclean welcoming our newest member Louise Haugland to our Club.
Lion Patty Allen served as the MD-19 Executive Secretary/Treasurer for 19 years. As she retires we honor her service with this celebration.

Come join us for a Day at the Races at the Emerald Downs Race Track in beautiful Auburn, WA.

Admission cost includes dinner in private dining and viewing room, admission, race program, handicapping expert and tip sheet.

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10:30: Behind-the-scenes tour of Emerald Downs starts at front gate
12:30: Gates open
1 PM: Roast of Patty Allen  1:25: Toast to the dedication and hard work of Patty Allen

Contests:
Outstanding Ladies Race Day Hat
Best Dressed Race Day apparel
Patty Allen Look-Alike contest
50/50 Raffle

Represent your Club, Zone or District with banners and poles for display. Let everyone know that the LIONS are at Emerald Downs (to watch the horses)!

Hotel information:
Travel Lodge $55/night.
888.942.7384 (Make 10 reservations and get one room free)
Comfort Inn $69/night.
855.213.0582

Event Reservations deadline May 12
(No event tickets sold at the gate)
Checks for “Lions District 19C”, send to Lion Ron Bohlman at 15003 128th St E., Puyallup, WA 98374. Questions: (253) 445 – 5404 or (253) 753 – 4616 or digger147@yahoo.com
**Lioness Forum**

The Lioness of 19-I held their Third Annual Leadership Forum on Sunday March 19, with a turnout of 18 Lioness. The Forum was led by PDG John Higgs and PCC Al Beddows. Topics included: Mentoring, Club Leadership Skills, Your Club/Your Way and the duties of the Lioness District President. Many questions were asked and answered during the session and each Lioness received a Certificate of Presentation. There were three or four fairly new Lioness in attendance that stated that the information learned was really worthwhile.

**Parksville Lioness**

are having a busy month. They received a $14,000 Gaming Grant! Pictured are Lioness Loise Haugland, Fran Carrat, Noreen Giroux, Lioness President Kirsteen Mclean and Parksville MLA Michelle Stilwell.

Pictured above is the group of Lions that participated in our **Leader Development Program** previous known as Leadership 101.

We had 16 attendees with myself as the Presenter with MD19 Executive-Secretary Patty Allen and PDG Al Hedstrom as our instructors. Observers were PDG Brian Phillips, PCC Al Beddows, PZC Jane Beddows. The District would like to give a special thank you to the Parksville Lioness for a lovely lunch and to the Parksville Lions for setting up their den for our use. The new Leader Development Program was produced by our MD19 District Support Team and was very well received. I would like to personally thank everyone for a fantastic day of learning, sharing and fellowship.

Lion Leslie Smith,
Leadership Chair
District 1
Sooke Harbourside Lions sponsoring

**Sunday**

**May 28, 2017**

**Whiffen Spit Park**

**Sooke, BC**

**11 am to 2 pm**

**Registration at 10:30 am**

**Dog Cookie Sales $5:00 each**

**Hot Dog Concession**

100% of all donations go to providing:

*Dog Guides to Canadians with Disabilities*

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Where: Sooke River Campground

Time: 11 am—3 pm (Ducks race at 1 pm)

Activities: Duck Race, Crafts, Cupcake Decorating, Concession, Games, Face Painting, Bouncy Castle

Prizes: 1st $1000, 2nd $400, 3rd $300, 4th $200, 5th $100

Tickets: Pemberton Holmes, Campground Office on Sooke River Campground or any Harbourside Lion member

Cost: $5 Each or $20 for “Quack Pack” of Five Tickets

Proceeds go to: Canadian Diabetes Camp Kakhamela & Camp Shawnigan
At a Zone 7 meeting held on January 22nd at Nansoo Place, Lion Gary Price was officially elected as incoming Zone Chair for the 2017-2018 Lions year. Following a brief acceptance speech, ZC-E Gary was welcomed and congratulated by those present at the meeting.

For the next few months, ZC-E Gary will attend Club visitations, Zone meetings and Cabinet meetings in an effort to gain some experience and make connections with Lions throughout the Zone and District. On many of his trips, Lion Gary will be accompanied by present Zone Chair, PDG Robert Dalton and Zone Secretary, PDG Lion Ron Metcalfe.

At a March 14, 2017 Regular Meeting, the Alberni Valley Lions Club had the pleasure of a visit by nine members of the Comox Valley Monarch Lions Club.

During the visit, Lion ZC Cecil Specht, as part of his bid for 2nd Vice District Governor for the 2017-2018 Lions Year, gave a brief address regarding his history with Lions and his experiences thus far. The Alberni Valley Lions Club wished Lion Cecil the best of luck during the forthcoming year.

Following Lion Cecil’s address, Lion PDG Steve Morey, after disclosing his disappointment with the state of our meeting bell, offered to refurbish it on the proviso that we visit the Comox Valley Monarch Lions to recover it. After expressing some (good-natured) distrust of Lion Steve’s motives, we agreed to the visit.

At a Regular Meeting held on March 28th in the Pacific Rim Meeting Room at the Rim Rock Gaming Centre, three donations were made as part of our ongoing support of endeavours in our community. Trinity Church received a donation of $500, the Alberni Community and Women’s Service (ACAWS) received $2,000 and the Port Alberni Minor Basketball Association received $600.

New District Website

After a month hiatus, District 19-I has a new website – lions19i.ca.

In an effort to avoid unsolicited advertisements directed at our district officers and comply with Lions International privacy guidelines regarding names and addresses, certain items in the “District Officer’s” and “District Items” menus have been restricted to Lions Club members only (labelled as Protected:) by a password. Zone Chairs were asked to forward a message containing the password to Clubs in their Zone. If your Club has not received that message, please have your Secretary or President email Ron Metcalfe at lionron@shaw.ca and the message will be forwarded.

The password, once entered, should permit access to other protected pages without re-entering the password.

Prior to our Board of Directors Meeting in March we were pleased to host representatives from a few of the various Community Organizations we support in the Comox Valley to give them our annual donation.

Each representative gave us a small talk on what their Organization is about and how they will use these funds.

After listening to them you feel proud to be able to support these volunteer groups that do so much to try and meet the various needs in our area. Truly amazing!

The picture shown was taken that night.
At our March 7th meeting the Comox Valley Lions Club learned about Comox Fire Rescue from Chief Gord Schreiner. Picture on the left shows Lion Terri presenting Chief Gord with a Certificate of Appreciation for those members who helped out with our Annual Christmas Bingo and a cheque to go towards their smoke detector program.

At the March 19th District Governor Advisory meeting 19I – 5 ZC Cec Specht presented the zone secretaries with a Thank You Certificate for having monthly reports in on time and for reporting all the service hours.

Picture on the right shows Zone Chair Lion Cec presenting his certificate to Comox Valley Lions Club secretary Nancy Owen.

On March 15/17 Ladysmith Lions Club held a successful “Step Ahead” Open House. Numerous locals attended and participated in 'one on one' discussions with members. Displays which depicted past and current projects, were central to discussions.

The induction ceremony of our newest member was a highlight of the event and was viewed by the visitors with interest.

Our efforts were rewarded with the signing of a new member, another took an application promising to complete it and a third visitor informed us that he would be transferring to our Club in the near future. Success by any measure!!
Port McNeill Lions Club

Annual Auction

Saturday, May 6th

Doors Open @ 6:00pm
Auction Starts @ 7:00pm

Located at The Lions Hall, 2897 Mine Rd.

All items are NEW!

Concession & Refreshments Available

Contact Jessica Brown
For more info @:
250-230-1168 or jmbrown@live.ca

Cash, Cheque, or Credit Card
REQUESTING DONATION AID

The Lion Lioness Committee has a form that we use for screening people who apply for assistance.

This story started with a Lion in Montreal telling the family to reach out to Lions in the area. It went to Victoria Imperial knowing that they knew the L&L Committee would reach out to other Clubs for assistance. This came in at a time that the L&L Committee had gotten to the bottom of the bank account from helping others this past year.

As you most likely have heard we at L&L have a ceiling of $4,000 and the District to which the L&L committee belong have a ceiling of $8,000.

Our money has gone to others in the community and our $4,000 has depleted our back account.

Secretary Mari has sent this story of Mia to District to reach out to other Clubs for assistance for this family. To date President Jenny has not heard of any donations coming our way. We do not know if there was a Motion on this issue to other Clubs.

L&L are still raising moneys in I-2 & I-3. We don’t stop until we reach out as far as we can go. We are still reaching out to others for help for Mia.

Mia is 6 years old and is a cheerful child but is so far behind in her motor skills. She has Oculor Motor Dysfunction {Autism}. She follows in her 9 year old brother’s footsteps.

This family has not reached out with Ethan’s unfortunate health issue as diagnosed as they feel this is their child and will go to extremes to see that he gets the assistance he needs. They are very responsible parents. It has put them in debt by credit cards etc to a tune of $8,000. The father is the sole employed person as the mother is on disability due to her health problems.

The doctor is treating Ethan on a 40-week schedule of 50 minutes once a week at the office and five 1 hour sessions at night in the couple’s home.

Once Mia was diagnosed the family reached out to the doctor and he gave the family a discount. The notice has still hurt the family although they are grateful the doctor gave them a 2nd child discount of $5,600.

Ethan is also in trouble as he ran into a pole and broke a lot of his teeth, so this family is facing yet another bill from a dentist when they can get him there.

Secretary Mari has all of the personal papers that were filled out if Clubs need any further information please e-mail or call her for them. The reps that are here at this meeting know we do not take every quest lightly & just hand out money easily.

They must fill out a form and expose all that is asked on it. It goes to the committee and is voted on from a full committee not just one or two people.

Please, if you can send a donation to President Jenny and a CC to Secretary Mari we would appreciate it.

Secretary Mari keeps track of Clubs that donate for the record and History of District 19-I Lion Lioness Committee.

President Jenny’s address is 406-1525 Hillside Ave., Victoria, BC V8T 2C1
CC: Mari at lionm.hall@shaw.ca

Baynes Sound Lions Club
By Lion Jacquie Miller

The pictures show information booths we had at local venues to advertise the work we do and handing out recruiting info.
THE VICTORIA CHINATOWN LIONESS
ARE PLEASED TO PRESENT AN EVENING WITH:

THE HONORABLE DR. VIVIENNE POY

Saturday, May 27 at 6:00PM
Golden City Restaurant
$40.00/person incl. traditional 8-course meal

Dr. Vivienne Poy is an author, historian, fashion designer, entrepreneur and community volunteer.

In 1998, she was the first Canadian of Asian descent to be appointed to the Senate of Canada where she focused on gender issues, multiculturalism, immigration, and human rights, and was instrumental in having May recognized as Asian Heritage Month across Canada.

Dr. Poy will be speaking about her newest book, Heroes & Gamblers: Tales of Survival and Good Fortune of the Poy Family. This book vividly recounts the Poy family’s experience of historical events such as the White Australia policy, the Second World War in Hong Kong, the Chinese civil war and subsequent Cultural Revolution.

TICKETS AVAILABLE IN ADVANCE FROM:
- Chinatown Lioness members
- Gala Fabrics (1483 Douglas Street)
- Calling: 250-888-8289
- Emailing: victoriaschinatownlioness@gmail.com

PRESENTED WITH SUPPORT FROM:
Royal BC Museum
Accent Inns
Crescent Bay Lions Club

By Mary Lou Waitz, Secretary

The Crescent Bay Lions Club will be quite busy “helping others” in April and May, 2017.

April 7-8, 2017 is the April Flea Market at the Grange in Joyce. Our main project is the White Cane donations.

April 8th is the last Zone I-1 meeting in Clallam Bay.

April 21-May 20, 2017 is the annual Duck Derby which is a huge fundraiser sponsored by the Olympic Peninsula Hospital Foundation to purchase equipment and various medical supplies for the hospital. We will be helping to sell ducks.

On May 12-13 in Sequim, WA, Crescent Bay Lions Club will be utilizing their “munch wagon” to sell hamburgers, hot dogs, chili dogs, and nachos along with coffee, tea, and various sodas at the Sequim Logging Show. The proceeds from this endeavor will go for high school scholarships and funding the various activities of Crescent Bay Lions Club.

The pictures are from last year’s Logging Show!

Announcement from the SOOKE Lions Club

Save the Date:

October 21st

The Sooke Lions Club will be hosting a special evening in celebration of Lions Club International Centennial! Stay tuned for more details on this “not to be missed” fun event.

PARKSVILLE LIONS CLUB

Pictured are some of our members working last free skate till fall. From L to R: Lions, George Krasnui, Bill Trembley, Norm Devine and Mike Garland.
Camp Shawnigan Improvement Committee
AGM – February 5, 2017

MEETING HIGHLIGHTS:

- BC Lion’s Society year end September 30, 2016 - Audited

- Strong financial position due primarily to a large bequest and a government grant – support is still needed

- New budget has been approved focussing on looking at declining revenues from special events and donors

- There is confusion regarding brand – seven legal entities at present (advice from lawyers and accountants being sought)

- Looking at programs and services to help more families – increased need, 16% of population has disabilities leading to a growing demand especially for adults

- Government support is declining

- In depth look at how BCLS is structured – looking for efficiencies to bring administration costs down.

- How are real estate assets being used?

- BC is the only province that focuses on kids and families rather than individuals and adults.

- Revenue – Special Events – third party events, we tag along with a currently happening event and become the recipient of the funds raised.

- Need for more corporate support – donations and cause marketing

- Major gifts and bequests to be promoted

- Assets are the camps and Easter Seal houses – looking for year-round (September to May) use of camps not just weekend rentals.

- Important to build better relationships with stakeholders – a Board Succession Plan. For example the board needs a diverse group such as lawyers and accountants

- Need to leverage technology to become more efficient.

- Camp programs to continue - 500 applicants to all three camps with a three to one ratio.

- Cost to run Camp Shawnigan is around $600 to $700 thousand per year for 210 campers. So, looking for off season revenue

- Cost to campers will remain the same – camps fill up every year

- Easter Seal House – 20% of guests come from the island – it is a highly used and valued service. Most children end up at Children’s Hospital in Vancouver for specialised services. That explains why so many islanders go to Vancouver Easter Seal House.

- Next Step – A report will be coming in about a month about support from Vancouver Island Lions Clubs

- Victoria Easter Seal House – Will have to determine demand before opening again – funding and demand are crucial

- Jeneece place is currently providing service for Victoria.
Picture on the left is of our Club giving a donation to the Clay Tree Society in Nanaimo, a facility which provides wonderful programs for adults with developmental disabilities. In the picture are: Lions Glenn Karakochhuk, Jon French, Lola Svenningsen, Glenys Padre of Clay Tree, Lions Phil Wilson, Mike Williams, Bob Neale, Tabea Hofmann, Terese Koster.

These two pictures are of District Governor Alan Guy’s visit to our Club on March 9th.

The first is of President Phil Wilson and DD Alan Guy. The second is of Lions signing the flag that DG Alan Guy will take to the Spring Conference as follows: Lions Tabea Hofmann, Ron Mehan, Phil Wilson, Glenn Karakochhuk, Mike Williams, Lola Svenningsen, Jon French.

The last picture shows Lions Tabea Hofmann and Bea Kolodziej running the meat draw at the Rocking Horse Pub. The Nanoose Bay Lions Club does a fundraising meat draw every Saturday at the Rocking Horse Pub.
Activities listed are those that are MONEY-RAISING events Clubs puts on, or participate in.

ZONE I-2 CLUBS
ROYAL OAK
Pres: Annemarie Rindt • Sec: Ken Beattie
ACTIVITIES
Valentines Dinner/Dance
Christmas Tree Chipping for BC
The Oak Bay Tea Party
at Willows Beach

SAANICH
Pres: Rick Panter • Sec: Mike Claxton
ACTIVITIES
Christmas Tree Chipping, +

SOOKE
Pres: Gerry St. Laurent • Sec: Brian Phillips
ACTIVITIES
Sooke Telephone Book/Business Directory
Ballpark Concession
Murray Road Park
Hard Times Dance
Galloping Goose 32km Walk
Annual Motorcycle Poker Run
Breakfast with Santa
Christmas Tree Chipping

SOOKE HARBOURSIDE
Pres: Joanne Phillips • Sec: Jane Beddows
ACTIVITIES
Ballpark Concession
Camp Challenge Camp Shawnigan
Selective Catering
Change for Diabetes
Purina Walk for Dog Guides
Duck Day at the Flats+Duck Race
Fall Fair Concession
Hot dogs on Saturdays in spring/summer
Huntington's Book Sale
Twoonie Tuesdays
Women's Show
Sooke Santa Parade
Christmas Craft Fair Concession
Christmas Tree Chipping

SOOKE DISTRICT LIONESS
Pres: Ellen Martin • Sec: Diane Morton
ACTIVITIES
Gift bags on Mothers and Father's Day
Ballpark Concession
Fall Fair
Salmon Derby dinner
Museum open house
Serving refreshments at Sooke Legion #54 (for special events)
Assisting the Sooke Lions Club when requested
Annual Oktoberfest in support of Santa Sacks program
Christmas Tree chipping

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VICITRIA CHINATOWN
Pres: Alan Yuen • Sec: Art Quon
ACTIVITIES
Casino Night, +

VICITRIA CHINATOWN LIONESS
Pres: Annette Quan • Sec: Donna May
ACTIVITIES
Yearly Author’s Banquet
Clothing Swap/Sale
Birthday donations for each Lioness Charity
Chinese New Years Banquet
Christmas Tree Chipping

VICITRIA IMPERIAL
Pres: Dave Bulinckx • Sec: Don Jones
ACTIVITIES
Serving hot meals at Our Place, for people in need in Victoria.
Supporting Mustard Seed Food Bank with hamper

WEST SHORE
Pres: Joan Chevrier • Sec: Gary Mitchell
ACTIVITIES
CNIB Fishing Derby
Chip In for Kids
November Dance
10th and 11th Juan de Fuca Dances at Legion
Centre Pancake Breakfast
Pancake Bkft for Royal Bay High School Royal Bay Seniors Christmas Dinner

ZONE I-3 CLUBS
CENTRAL SAANICH
Pres: John Hannam • Sec: Bob Warren
ACTIVITIES
Peninsula Paddle
Easter Egg Hunt
I.E.O.A. BBQ
School Breakfasts/After School BBQs
Swiftsure Breakfast
Brentwood Days Breakfast
Terry Fox Run Breakfast
Community Ice Skate
Little League Opening Day Breakfast
Victoria Therapeutic Riding Grad Day Jaguar Car Club
MG Car Show
Saanich Peninsula Harvest Feast
Halloween Celebration
I.E.O.A. Truck Light Parade
Christmas in the Village
Christmas Tree Chip

GALIANO ISLAND
Pres: Mark Bamforth • Sec: Barry New
ACTIVITIES
Fiesta
Wine Festival
Roddy Wilson Ball Tournament
Pancake Breakfasts
Saturday Markets
Christmas Craft Fairre
Santa Ship

Eight ZONE I-3 CLUBS

There are no limits, only choices.
--Nadine Haupt

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### ZONE I-3 CLUBS

#### Gordon Head
**Pres:** Jim Hoskins  •  **Sec:** John Higgs

**ACTIVITIES**
- Saanich Fair
- Thrift Shop
- Youth Group “Back Door” for teens
- “The Hawgs” Band
- Christmas Tree Chipping
- Walk for “Dog Guide”
- Victoria Day & Christmas Parade, +

#### Sidney
**Pres:** Bill DesLauriers  •  **Sec:** ?

**ACTIVITIES**
- Sidney Lions Food Bank
- Lunchbox mobile kitchen that we take to many local Events
- School Bike Roadeo with RCMP
- Breakfast with Santa
- Christmas Hamper Drive
- Christmas Tree Shredding

#### Salt Spring Island
**Pres:** Dorothy Christopherson  •  **Sec:** Sandy Harkema

**ACTIVITIES**
- Telephone Book major project
- Care Tree lighting  •  Polar Bear Swim
- Hot dog sales at Halloween

#### Mayne Island
**Pres:** Brian Dearden  •  **Sec:** Richard Jarco

**ACTIVITIES**
- Steak Night  •  Summerfest  •  Fall Fair
- Canada Day  •  Equipment Rentals
- Salmon BBQ  •  Seniors Night
- Mayne Island Phone Book
- Japanese Garden Dinner Day Park
- Santa Ship

### ZONE I-4 CLUBS

#### C to Sea
**Pres:** Julie Stevens  •  **Sec:** Brent Barr

**ACTIVITIES**
- Projects supporting our youth.
- Moonlight Madness
- Antiques sale
- Rock painting
- Santa dinner

#### Malahat
**Pres:** Bob Cools  •  **Sec:** Lois Turner

**ACTIVITIES**
- Charity Golf Tournament
- Kook Kar

#### Pender Islands
**Pres/Sec:** Dave Dryer

**ACTIVITIES**
- Telephone Book major project
- Care Tree lighting  •  Polar Bear Swim
- Hot dog sales at Halloween

#### Duncan
**Pres:** Margaret Wall  •  **Sec:** Lyne Moreau

**ACTIVITIES**
- Sassy Lion Thrift Shop
- City of Duncan Children’s Water Park
- BC Forest Discovery Centre

### Did you know?
According to Lions International, each Lion impacts the lives of 70 people per year annually!

###ZONE I-3 CLUBS

#### Cedar ~ Nanaimo
**Pres:** Bob Wulff  •  **Sec:** Leslee Banks

**ACTIVITIES**
- AA Breakfast
- VIU
- Easter, Mothers, Fathers Day Breakfasts
- Bath Tub Days concession

#### Cowichan Lake
**Pres:** Claude Cadieux  •  **S:** Brenda Cadieux

**ACTIVITIES**
- Ongoing Bingo
- Lake Days Parade
- Lion’s Day for Kids
- Garage Sale
- Christmas Craft Fair
- Christmas House

### All Club Secretaries:
Please send a copy of 2017/18 PU19 to PDG Steve Morey at sbsamorey@gmail.com so the District Roster can be made.

When filling out PU19 do not just put an X in the Meeting Day box! Put in the TIME of the meeting.

Thank you,
PDG Steve Morey

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**Gordon Head Lions Club**

changed their meeting location, time and day effective immediately.

**Gordon Head Lions Club meets at:**

The Victorian on Mackenzie at 4900 Douglas Street on the 1st Wed of the month at 12:30 pm
3rd Wed of the month at 5:15 pm
## Nine ZONE I-5 CLUBS

**BAYNES SOUND**
Pres: Jacqueline Miller • Sec: Nancy Sim

**ACTIVITIES**
- Annual Wheelbarrow Push
- Weekly Meat Draws at The Fanny Bay Inn
- Ongoing fundraising

**BLACK CREEK**
Pres: Terry Levesque • S: Lynne Davidson

**ACTIVITIES**
- Provide Bar Service
- Annual Garage Sale

**COMOX VALLEY**
Pres: Bob Scales • Sec: Nancy Owen

**ACTIVITIES**
- Weekly Bingo • Mints Sales
- Gaming Equipment Rentals

**GOLD RIVER**
Pres: Glenn Frame Sec: Veanna Johnston

**ACTIVITIES**
- Sponsors for Wood To Wonder carving competition
- Working bars in Gold River for community and private events.

**QUALICUM BAY**
Pres: George Stringer Sec: Richard Leontowich

**ACTIVITIES**
- Weekly Meat Draws at the Crown & Anchor Inn
- Three Pancake Breakfasts per year
- Fall Fair Canteen
- Food Concessions during ball season
- Fall Fair concession
- Hall Rental and Medical Aids loans

## ZONE I-5 CLUBS

**ROYSTON-CUMBERLAND**
Pres: James Billingsley • Sec: Bob Miles

**ACTIVITIES**
- Meat Bingo

**TAHSIS**
Pres: Kim Anderson • Sec: Maureen Roth

**ACTIVITIES**
- Sell Hot Dogs at various events
- Tahsis Days BBQ.

## Six ZONE I-6 CLUBS

**ALERT BAY**
Pres: Michael Jacobson-Weston Sec: James Glendale

**ACTIVITIES**
- Bingo every Thursday evening
- Christmas Hamper Raffle & more

**MALCOM ISLAND**
Pres: Richard Shaw • Sec: John Malthouse

**ACTIVITIES**
- Mt. Cain Kidsfest
- Loonie Auction

**PORT ALICE**
Pres: Dave Stewart • Sec: Terressa Cliff

**ACTIVITIES**
- Annual Slow Pitch Tournament
- Concession/Beer Garden

**PORT HARDY**
Pres: Mark Bennett • Sec: Melinda Dennison

**ACTIVITIES**
- 911 Reflective Address Signs
- Provide Bar Service
- Project Canadian Pride
- Christmas Cake Sale

**PORT McNEILL**
Pres: Tom Hopkins • Sec: Geoff Harrop

**ACTIVITIES**
- 911 Reflective Address Signs

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### The Baynes Sound, Comox Valley, and Comox Valley Monarch Lions Clubs
again this year assisted the Comox Valley Branch of the Canadian Cancer Society by distributing their donation boxes to the merchants of the Comox Valley for their April Daffodil Fundraising Campaign.

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**Sooke Harbourside Lions**

**Supporting the Sooke Foodbank**

**TWOONIE TUESDAY**

**June 6, 2017**

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**PORT McNEILL LIONESS**
Pres: Christina Hinton Sec: Joanie Hoddinott

**ACTIVITIES**
- Pennies for Puppies
- Lioness Garage Sales
- Catering Service
- Christmas Showcase of Arts & Crafts

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**CELEBRATING**

**50 YEARS**

**on JUNE 4, 2017**

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On February 28, 2017, PDG Peter Thomas left us. He was a member of the Lions Club International for 42 years. Peter founded and chartered the Hub City Lions in 1984. Lions Club International’s motto is ‘We Serve,’ and Peter said he joined because there’s a need to help the needy. Peter was awarded a Queen’s Diamond Jubilee Medal in 2012 for his service to the Nanaimo community.

There will be a Celebration of Life on April 2 at the First Memorial Funeral Services at 1720 Bowen Road, Nanaimo, BC at

GREETINGS

DISTRICT 1

LIONS AND