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TONY'S TATTLER

TALES FROM OUR DISTRICT

AND BEYOND

February 2021



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Definition of Tattler

A person who engages in gossip or who tells tales.

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Lions,

May I congratulate Vaal Dix from the Glenside Lions club and Ron Duncan from the Stansbury Dalrymple Lions Club for each being awarded an OAM on Australia Day and in addition for Ron and his wife Chris for being awarded a Citizenship of the Year award for Stansbury Dalrymple and for Barry Graham, also being awarded a Citizenship of the Year award for Booleroo Centre on Australia Day for their respective services to their communities.

It is pleasing to note that as at 31 December 2020 our membership had increased for the six months by 31 members to 1,154 members. This is a remarkable achievement in a period of uncertainty that we have experienced. Our target of reaching 1,250 members by 30 June 2021 is still achievable due to the PR campaign on radio we will be conducting in mid-February and the Diabetes Awareness campaign will be conducting in regional areas of C1 from late March until mid June. The PR campaign will be followed by Lions Awareness Day on the 6th March. Brochures and handouts for this day are now available from Peter Korn-dorfer, our GMT coordinator .

The Diabetes Awareness project is a joint project with DiabetesSA at the following regional towns, Clare, Minlaton, Wallaroo, Laura, Peterborough, Port Augusta, Whyalla, Port Lincoln, Cleve and Streaky Bay. The events in each town will be manned by at least five DiabetesSA personnel and members of the local Lion clubs. This is a precursor to what we hope will be a long-term relationship with DiabetesSA. Please look at the article on these events in this District newsletter.

Unfortunately, the International Convention in Montréal in June has been now changed to a virtual convention due to Covid 19. At this stage the Multidistrict Convention in Canberra in May is still going ahead, lodge your application forms to attend now, but leave your accommodation and airfares until closer to the event, just to make sure there are no problems in respect to Covid 19.

As at the time of writing this article it is good to see that South Australians are our free to visit anywhere in Australia without restriction and without the necessity of going into quarantine. We most certainly live in a lucky country, however let us ensure that we do not become too complacent and abide by the advice and direction given to us by our Government and Health Authorities.

All the best to each of you and your clubs, as we continue to provide services to our communities.

Tony Pederick OAM
District Governor
31 January 2021



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DIABETES SA & LIONS DISTRICT 201 C1 DIABETES AWARENESS AND SCREENING PROJECT

Project summary

Diabetes SA has received funding from Country SA Primary Health Network to deliver the 'Country SA Community Type 2 Diabetes Awareness and Screening Program' in partnership with Lions Clubs in the state.

There is a need for targeted action to identify people at high risk of diabetes as well as undetected type 2 diabetes, and referral of those people for the appropriate support and management. Additionally, there is strong evidence that type 2 diabetes can be prevented or delayed through adopting a healthy lifestyle.

This project will provide type 2 diabetes screening, referral for those identified as high risk and information and education for people living in the selected country towns about healthy choices.

Supported by Lions District 201C1, Diabetes SA will visit the townships of: Clare, Port Augusta, Cleve, Port Lincoln, Wallaroo, Minlaton, Peterborough, Whyalla, Streaky Bay and Laura from late March to June 2021.

Together, Diabetes SA and Lions aim to empower more South Australians to live a healthy life and maintain a high level of wellbeing.

Objectives

The objectives of the project are to deliver the following outcomes:

- raise awareness of risk factors within the rural communities and the significance of early detection and prevention of type 2 diabetes.
- increase access to information, resources, and health services for early detection and screening to prevent or at least delay the onset of type 2 diabetes.
- promote the AUSDRISK self-risk assessment tool so individuals can identify and understand their risk of developing type 2 diabetes in the next 5 years;
- offer a HbA1c test (which is indicative of your blood glucose control over the last 3 months) for those with an AUSDRISK score >12 indicative of people at high risk, and provide advice regarding the result;
- increase GP engagement by referring people who have been identified as being high risk or receive an indicative result of prediabetes or type 2 diabetes.
- To increase the awareness in the community of Lions activities in the community, especially in relation to Diabetes Awareness
- To increase Lions membership within the local community so as to enable Lions to support other worthy community projects

Event stakeholders

Diabetes SA will fully manage this project and work closely with local Lions Clubs and key stakeholders. The event aims to encourage the general community, health professional networks and local stakeholders to actively attend and/or engage in the event. Local community stakeholder may wish to:

- promote local health networks or health business through a stall or information table on the day of the event
- promote local council and community groups through involvement in a variety of healthy activities on the day of the event
- promote local services and/or businesses after the event if they cannot attend on the day.
- services and businesses who cannot attend on the day may like to promote their services through the provision of giveaways or vouchers that provide attendees with an ongoing information.

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DIABETES SA & LIONS DISTRICT 201 C1 DIABETES AWARENESS AND SCREENING PROJECT

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Locations

| | Event date | Town | Diabetes SA Contact | Lions Zone Contact |
|----|-------------------|--------------|--|--------------------|
| 1 | Thursday 25 March | Clare | Cathy Whiteley (cc Fiona Benton, Anne Fleming, Natalie Luscombe-Marsh) | Rob Royal |
| 2 | Thursday 8 April | Port Augusta | As above | Steve Fawcett |
| 3 | Wed 28 April | Cleve | As above | Allan Zerna |
| 4 | Friday 30 April | Port Lincoln | As above | Allan Zerna |
| 5 | Thursday 6 May | Wallaroo | As above | Ian Marschall |
| 6 | Thursday 13 May | Minlaton | As above | Ian Marschall |
| 7 | Wednesday 19 May | Peterborough | As above | Don Pritchard |
| 8 | Thursday 27 May | Whyalla | As above | Steve Fawcett |
| 9 | Thursday 3 June | Streaky Bay | As above | Steve Fawcett |
| 10 | Thursday 10 June | Laura | As above | Don Pritchard |

Much more information will be distributed through a very professional PR campaign (organized and funded by Diabetes SA) over the next few months using all forms of media including Regional TV, Radio, Newspaper, posters etc etc.

This is a major project, with funding organized by Diabetes SA and if successful will form a model for similar campaigns over the country. The weekly project meetings so far have been very positive and the professionalism and commitment of the Diabetes SA organisation is very evident. This should be a great project and a great opportunity for the clubs involved to market their club and promote membership in their community.

Submitted by

PDG Rob Royal, Chairperson Zone 8, Project Co-ordination Team, M: 0418 803938

ENVIRONMENT NEWS

Good Afternoon Recyclers



If you click on the link below you will find some interesting news regarding the Environment throughout our Multiple District.

[MD 201 Environment Newsletter January 2021](#)

Plastic Free July <https://www.bing.com/search?>

[Clean Up Australia \(cleanupaustraliaday.org.au\)](http://cleanupaustraliaday.org.au)

If you have any queries, please contact me at any time.

Happy Reading, Patrick Williams, MD Environment Coordinator, mobile: 0411 492 223

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LCICON MONTREAL TO BE A VIRTUAL EVENT



Lions Clubs International

Dear Lion,

Due to the continuing concerns about the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic, the board of directors voted to transition the 2021 Montreal Lions Clubs International Convention to a virtual event that will be delivered totally online. This decision was made with the health and safety of our Lions, staff and vendors in mind as limiting international travel and large gatherings is key to global containment strategies.

Although we are disappointed that we won't be able to host this event in person, we are excited about hosting our first virtual international convention that can safely connect Lions from around the world. We are still finalizing the details of your new convention experience, and will share those with you as soon as they are ready.

Here are some important details about the 2021 virtual convention we'd like to share with you:

Everyone's invited – Our 2021 convention will be a virtual event that's open to all Lions and Leos around the world.

Registration fees – The registration fee will be US\$50 until March 31, then US\$75 beginning April 1. The registration fee for Leos will be US\$30 regardless of date. Convention is currently scheduled for June 25-29. Additional event and registration details will be provided soon.

Current registrants – Lions who are currently registered for convention will receive an email soon with more information about their registration options.

Elections – Executive officer and international director elections will be conducted electronically, and voting procedures will be forthcoming.

Convention updates – Check our convention website [LCIcon](#) for convention updates and details as they become available.

This global health pandemic has forced us all to make decisions and changes that place health and safety first. However, we are optimistic that with each new day there is hope, and as Lions, we continue to find new ways to stay connected, safely serve our communities and continue our global mission of service.

We appreciate your understanding during this challenging time for our organization and the world, and thank you for your incredible service as a Lion.

Regards,

Dr. Jung-Yul Choi
International President





LIONS SKIN CANCER SCREENING PROGRAM

This program has been in hibernation since early 2020, however with the management committee completing a huge amount of work ensuring we are covid safe, the plan is to recommence in late February 2021 following a refamiliarization day for all volunteers. The program is very heavily booked this year as we are trying to catch up all postponements from last year whilst fitting in several clubs that have been requesting visits for some time.

All clubs having a screening will be contacted by the coordinators via email. A list of all screening dates is on the Lions Medical Research Foundation SA website (LMRFSA). However please note all bookings are subject to postponement in these uncertain times.

If your club would like to be considered for a screening next year please contact us.

CAN YOU HELP?

Almost 1/3 of everyone screened in this program is referred on to their GP. It is incredibly worthwhile. Please consider donating to the program or purchasing an award to assist the program financially.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO VOLUNTEER?

We require **drivers**, who must have a HR or MCR licence, **admin support** – maintain a data base on the day, show clients into the room and keep the work flowing and **screeners**. Training is provided through the Health Cert Professional certificate of Dermoscopy and professional support from experienced screeners. Induction is given to all new volunteers and all we ask for, is 3 weekends a year. We guarantee you will have great fun.

Screening Coordinators

Carol Barnes C1 Coordinator

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Ruth Pearsons C2 Coordinator

lionruthpearsons@gmail.com.au



WARNING

To drivers of BMW320. This car has a faulty gearbox.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JMjHOSdxQVg>

_Ctrl+Click on the link and go to the second video

Do you need PR equipment?

District has for your use available the following items to help with highlighting your Clubs/Zones event or to carry out PR Events for your Club/Zone:

The PR Trailer 3 small PR Kits containing the following:

- 2 Chairs,
- 1 folding trestle table,
- 3 Pull up Banners,
- 1 Container containing various Pamphlets.

For all bookings contact:

Lion Peter Korndorfer
Email: korn-dogg1866@gmail.com
Phone: 0402 483 059



Remember to plan and book early.

Ensure you organise a date and time to pick up the Trailer for your Event from

The Elizabeth Playford Lions Club Den
at **Hilcott St Elizabeth North.**

Trailer comes with all the PR material you need, but you are welcome to utilise your Clubs own material so long as you return Trailer to how you picked it up.

Trailer will need to be signed for.

Current bookings

Burnside Lions Club
20th, 21st, and 28th March 2021

Is your Club holding an Information/Membership day?

Do you need some PR Material?

District has some Material available for you for FREE

Contact PR Chair Peter Korndorfer on

korndogg1866@gmail.com.au or 0402 483059

To arrange pick up or mailing of material



AROUND THE CLUBS

PETERBOROUGH CLUB NEWS

After a couple of attempts, our Club finally ran a very successful first Community Market on Saturday 19th December, 2020, in the Main Street!!

It was perfect timing, as it gave the large crowd a final opportunity to buy those last minute Christmas gifts from over 25 stall holders.

There was a large range provided by the stall holders including: jewellery, handmade gifts, cards, soaps, clothing, garden products and ornaments, food stalls, etc.

Our members were kept busy in the van selling donuts, whilst other members sold donated books, near the van.

Music was provided by a local entertainer, which added to the relaxed atmosphere. The town was pleased to see an event, as most other events had been cancelled due to Covid.

Our Club changed venue for our Christmas Dinner Meeting on Tuesday 15 December, where we invited our partners and guests, who enjoyed a delicious meal. Among the guests, were our other "members," Don Pritchard and Gillian McKenzie.

Everyone was encouraged to wear fancy glasses, as this was what we had planned for the Lions Convention District Governor's Dinner. The owner of the pub, had even put fancy, crazy glasses on the table for everyone, as well!

Everyone had a fun night, including a funny fine session, guessing how many jellybeans were in the jar, and reading Bon Bon jokes!

President Judy gave a small gift to each member, including a Christmas tree soap, and a photo of the member on a hanging tin Christmas decoration. Jenni gave out members a beautiful crocheted wreath decoration, with both items being able to be hung on members Christmas trees.

On Sunday 3rd January, 4 members went and took the wooden Christmas decorations down from the Main Street.

Our first meeting back for the year, will be our Dinner Meeting on Tuesday 19th January at the Railway Hotel, where we will have 3 guests attend, who will soon become members.

This is great news for the Club, but we will still plan to have a membership drive later!

At this meeting, discussion will be on the combined Australia Day Breakfast with the District Council and Rotary at Victoria Park, where our Club will be serving coffee/tea etc. This is an event that our Club looks forward to.

HAPPY NEW YEAR TO EVERYONE!

ONKAPARINGA CLUB NEWS

CHRISTMAS IS DONE, NOW BRING ON AUSTRALIA DAY!

The busy season never ends for the Lions Club of Onkaparinga until the Australia Day Breakfast is completed in their home town of Woodside. From Christmas markets and weekly shed sales, the drawing of a (smaller than normal because of Covid) Christmas Raffle, and the club's own Christmas dinner, it's a season that always has members to the fore. Even with the cancellation of the huge Christmas parades that have thousands lining the streets in Woodside and Lobethal each year - again because of Covid precautions - the local Lions have made up for that with a free barbecue for children from families affected by the Cudlee Creek fires on their way to the Christmas pageant celebrations at Adelaide Oval, and with donations to help Santa deliver presents to all the children living in Woodside- a gesture that made headlines in the Advertiser at the time. At their January dinner meeting last month, president Corry Moors (pictured) ensured members were reminded of their Australia Day commitments by adopting an Australiana theme including, yes, the boxing kangaroo.



Busker Joel Schroeder entertained at the Christmas Dinner

Paranoia has reached absurd stages

I sneezed in front of my laptop and the anti-virus started a scan on its own



AROUND THE CLUBS

LIONS MEMBERS AUSTRALIA DAY AWARDS

Two Lions members from our district (201C1) were awarded OAM in the Australia Day awards listed in the Advertiser on Australia Day.

Lion Valerie Dix OAM (Glenside Lions) was recognised for the extensive work that she has done for the Australian Lions Childrens Mobility Foundation over a period of many years, most recently as chairman of the Foundation. Val has been SA/NT trustee for several years and has worked closely with Novita in supplying walkers and mobility aids to children with cerebral palsy. Congratulations Lion Val.

Lion Ron Duncan OAM (Stansbury Dalrymple) was recognised for the work that he has done for the community various organisations including Lions Club for over 40 years. Congratulations Lion Ron.

But wait, that's not all—**Lion Ron and Lion Chris Duncan** were also Awarded Stansbury Citizen of the Year by the Stansbury Dalrymple Progress Association for their combined community work. They are both Elders of the Stansbury Uniting Church, both involved with Meals on Wheels, both are volunteers at the Visitor Information Centre, and are both members of Senior Citizens. **Chris** is currently the Secretary of the Lions Club and is involved with many other organisations. **Ron** was the inaugural Club President, has been president and board member of the bowls club, is a committee member of the Stansbury Museum, and instigator of the Christmas lights.

Well done and congratulations Lions Chris and Ron

District Council of Mount Remarkable Citizen of the year **Barry Graham**.

Booleroo Lions Club would like to congratulate Barry on his well earned award, as well as being a Lions member he is member of the Uniting Church, Booleroo Steam and Traction Preservation Society, Booleroo Mens Shed, Life member of the Mt View Homes and many other local organisations.

Well done and congratulations Lion Barry.

NATIONAL LIONS AWARENESS DAY

SATURDAY MARCH 6TH 2021

Get involved

What can your club do on Lions Awareness Day?

Not sure how your club can get involved on Lions Awareness Day? Here are some suggestions:

- Set up an information stall at your local markets or shopping centre.
- Organise a meet and greet at a popular location within your community. Provide a free lunch or breakfast to draw in the crowds.

Invite members of the community to view and learn about one of your recent community projects.

Don't forget:

– Take along plenty of Lions promotional materials to hand out. If you haven't managed to get your hands on them, they are available on the [Clubs Supplies Website](#).

– Take lots of photos (and then send them to us – pr@lions.org.au). Make sure you get lots of smiling faces and Lions branding in the shots!

Information for Media

For media enquiries, email pr@lions.org.au or call 02 4940 8033.



We Serve in communities big and small. Responding to unique local needs is precisely what Lions do. It's what we've done for over 100 years. That's why when the world is experiencing hardship, Lions are there. Through the vibrancy of our global membership, innovation and hard work, Lions everywhere are providing much needed hope to so many communities. We are proud to be

**United in Kindness
and Diversity.**





AROUND THE CLUBS

A surprise discovery—Clare District club

The discovery of hidden jewellery, mementoes and documents in a secret compartment was a total surprise for Dave Simpson working in the Lions second-hand furniture store. A bedhead had been donated to the store by the family of the late Rosalie Robbins and had been in the store for a few months before Dave had a closer look at it. It had lots of shelves and drawers, and then Dave noticed there was a different “space”, so felt around and found a secret compartment. It contained jewellery, documents and other things of sentimental value. After asking around and through the help of social media Rosalie's granddaughter Courtney Robbins was found and reunited with the jewellery in Armagh on New Year's Eve.



Courtney and Harvey Robbins with Dave Simpson and Allan Mayfield with sentimental items of jewellery.

Clare Lions Furniture Store

For November through to 12 December we sold 186 items and received 225. This is the same number of receivables as for October but fewer sales. Most pickups were in December to clear the backlog and deal with all the extra requests. It seems that heading into Christmas plenty of people are cleaning out their houses and garages. One enquiry was to leave us their furniture in their will, but when questioned further they could not give us a very clear idea of when that will be!

For this 6 week period there were 44 pickups and 20 deliveries. Special thanks to all who have helped out, including volunteers, but we do need more Lions members to help out with the roster. If you can fill in any of the gaps in the roster please let us know.

The store will re-open again on Friday 22 January, 2021. Even so, we still get enquiries for pickups and sales and keep the business going behind closed doors.

There was a working bee at the store on Wednesday 20 January to clean up, sort through what items we may discard & to set up the store for the expected rush on Friday.

Dave & Allan

CITY OF ADELAIDE CLUB NEWS



Off to a roaring start in 2021

Happy New Year and what a start to 2021 we have had. It has been a busy one for the Hear Me Roar! Project.

On Sunday, January 10th we held our first project working bee for the year at the Comfort Inn Regal Park in North Adelaide. We had 28 Lions and friends come along throughout the day to help stuff and sew cushions and port pillows ready for distribution to patients, young and old. It was another great day with lots of laughs and of course some pillow throwing. Thank you to all our Lion members who attended, and a special shout out to members from the Lions Clubs of Adelaide Hellenic, Athelstone and Glenside, and cubs from The Little Roarers Cubs Club who all came along to give us a hand on the day.



The following weekend, on the afternoon of both Saturday January 16th and Sunday January 17th, our members got together to clean, label and sort over 2,000 donated children's books. These books were then packed into hundreds of book bags ready for distribution to disadvantaged and vulnerable children across South Australia. So many books brought back memories from when we were children, and stories we've ready to our own children and grandchildren, with a few being read out loud and enjoyed by all.

ADELAIDE HELLENIC CLUB DONATION

It is with great pleasure that I announce that the Lions Club of Adelaide Hellenic Inc. has donated a “Defibrillator” for the Kangaroo Island Yacht Club - the Defibrillator will help all the Community but we hope they never have to use it - after all that Kangaroo Island has been through with the Bushfires we are more than happy to help them Kangaroo Island Yacht Club

Our Members worked tirelessly to raise the money -

President Evelyn Chefalachis

HUMOUR FROM CLUB NEWSLETTERS

"Late again!" the third-grade teacher sternly said to little Ranger.

"It ain't my fault this time, Miss Russell. You can blame this 'un on my Daddy.

The reason I'm three hours late is my Daddy sleeps naked!"

Now, Miss Russell had taught grammar school for 30-some-odd years.

Despite her mounting fears, she asked little Ranger what he meant by that.

Full of grins and mischief, and in the flower of his youth, little Ranger and trouble were old friends,..... but he always told her the truth.

"You see, Miss Russell, out at the farm we got this here low down fox. The last few nights, he done ate six hens.

Last night, when Daddy heard a noise out in the chicken pen, he grabbed his double barreled shot gun and said to my Ma,

"That fox is back again...

I'm a gonna git him!"

"Stay back," Daddy whispered to all us kids!

"My Daddy was naked as a jaybird -- no boots, no pants, no shirt! To the hen house he crawled, just like an Injun on the snoop.

Then, he stuck that double-barreled 12-gauge shotgun through the window of the coop.

As he stared into the darkness, with a fox on his mind, our old hound dog, Rip, had done gone and woke up and comes sneaking up behind Daddy.

Then, as we all looked on, plumb helpless, old Rip done went and stuck his cold nose in my Daddy's crack!"

"Miss Russell, we all been pluckin' chickens since three o'clock this mornin!"

Grandma in Court!

In a trial, a Southern small-town prosecuting attorney called his first witness, a grandmotherly, elderly woman to the stand. He approached her and asked: "Mrs. Jones, do you know me?"

She responded: "Why, yes, I do know you, Mr. Williams. I've known you since you were a boy, and frankly, you've been a big disappointment to me. You lie, you cheat on your wife, and you manipulate people and talk about them behind their backs. You think you're a big shot when you haven't the brains to realize you'll never amount to anything more than a two-bit paper pusher. Yes, I know you."

The lawyer was stunned. Not knowing what else to do, he pointed across the room and asked: "Mrs. Jones, do you know the defense attorney?"

She again replied: "Why yes, I do. I've known Mr. Bradley since he was a youngster, too. He's lazy, bigoted, and he has a drinking problem. He can't build a normal relationship with anyone, and his law practice is one of the worst in the entire state. Not to mention he cheated on his wife with three different women. One of them was your wife. Yes, I know him".

The defense attorney nearly died.

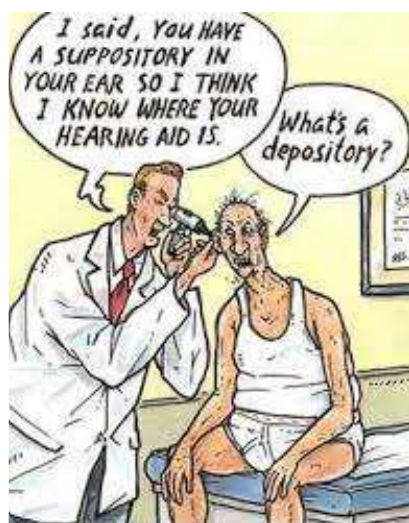
The judge asked both counselors to approach the bench, and, in a very quiet voice, said:

"If either of you idiots asks her if she knows me, I'll send you both to the electric chair."

From Stansbury Dalrymple Newsletter



Just spent 15 mins searching for my phone in my car Using my phone as a flashlight.



Tom said to Bill. "My uncle tried to make a new kind of car. He took wheels from a Ford, tyres from a Honda and a radiator from a Holden." Bill asked: "What did he get?" Tom said: "Two years".

Passenger to airline ticket agent: "I want my brown suitcase sent to London, my green suitcase to New York and my black suitcase to Paris." Ticket agent: "I'm sorry, this flight is going to Rome. We can't do that." Passenger: "Why not? You did it last time!"

The oldest computer can be traced back to Adam and Eve. Surprise, surprise! It was an Apple. But with extremely limited memory. Just 1 byte. Then everything crashed !!



A Roman man walks in to a bar and holds up two fingers and says five beers please.
(think about it !)



Available Grants

20 January, 2021

Dear Club President & Secretary,

The following document has been created to assist all clubs in sourcing avenues for grants across Lions Multiple District 201 C1.

Knowing where to try to source grant money is often a time consuming part of the process of undertaking a project.

The document is only in electronic format due to its size (131 pages) so if a printed copy is required then individual clubs will need to print a copy.

The Clubs are in alphabetical order with references to particular Local Government areas that may have possible grants that may suit.

Grant sources from organisations that do not provide support to charities and service organisations such as Lions have not been included, however if anyone knows of a grant option that has not been included please let me know.

[View/Download Grants Information](#)

Kind regards,
Zig Osis
2nd Vice District Governor

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PHOTOGRAPHY GRANT

Photography Grant

18 January, 2021

Dear Club President & Secretary,



The following information is about an available photography grant that clubs can apply for:

"Lions Australia MD201 National Office has available a budget for photography that can be used on application by Clubs for professional photography at events.

Clubs will need to source a professional photographer in the area to cover the event. In turn, the photographs become property of the Club and the National Office, benefiting our PR efforts and helping us to build a library of high quality images.

It is important to note that due to the large volume of events being held by Lions, it will be impossible to approve grants for every application we receive. Therefore, specific guidelines will need to be met. We are looking for the most interesting and unique events – those where we can see some exciting photo opportunities arising. We want to be able to use these photos for a range of different purposes for many years to come, so please consider this carefully when applying."

Application Process:

Grants of up to \$500 will be awarded to Clubs at the discretion of the National Office. Clubs will need to complete a detailed application form and grants will be based on the quality and potential impact of the event.

The deciding factors will include:

- Size of event
- Potential media interest
- Potential photo opportunities – will the photos be suitable for use by the National Office for promotional purposes/marketing collateral etc?
- Evidence of collaboration and where possible, multiple Club, Zone or District participation

[Download Application Form](#)

(Ctrl+Click on the Link)

Distributed on behalf of:

Peter Korndorfer

District Public Relations Chairperson



LIONS KIDS CANCER GENOME PROJECT



Lions Clubs International FOUNDATION AUSTRALIA

Final Report: Lions Kids Cancer Genome Project, CFP15127/MD-201
To: LCIF Humanitarian Programs Department
Date: 16 December 2020
Project Team: Professor Marie Dziadek, Professor David Thomas, Dr Joe Collins

An extract from a lengthy report to LCIF on the results of their donation to “the Project” -

The Lions Kids Cancer Genome Project (**The Project**) received funding from the **Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF)** and the **Australian Childhood Cancer Research Foundation (ALCCRF)** for a three year project to undertake whole genome sequencing (WGS) of tumour samples and matched normal DNA (germ-line) from 400 Australian children with high risk cancer. (***made possible by Lions***) The Garvan Institute of Medical Research has been working with the Sydney Children’s Hospital Network and the Children’s Cancer Institute in this Project. The Project has provided the critical genome sequencing for the Zero Childhood Cancer program, **the first precision medicine program in the world** incorporating whole genome sequencing for children with cancer.

The Zero Childhood Cancer Program is a wonderful example of bench-to-bedside research and its potential to change lives. **Results far have exceeded all expectations, and in many cases have turned lives around.**

On the basis of these results, the Australian Government and the Minderoo Foundation announced a \$67 million funding collaboration to expand the Program to make it available to every child in Australia with cancer by the end of 2023. This is a huge step towards personalised medicine becoming the new standard model of care for children with cancer.

Zero Childhood Cancer: case report:

Meet Jack

Zero Childhood Cancer is revolutionising the way children with aggressive cancers are treated. Children like Jack.



Jack was an action kid. Bubbly and energetic, he was always doing something and willing to try anything. His mum, Viv, says that from the day he was born, he was full of life and always ‘on the go’. “He could never sit still,” says Jack’s dad, Alex.

When Jack turned nine, something changed. Jack lost all his energy and became absent and dazed. An MRI showed a large brain tumour classified as a low-grade glioma. A successful operation followed. Jack was given a positive prognosis. Within 3 months, he was back to himself and back to school.

Just over a year later, Jack woke up with a terrible headache and vomiting. The tumour was back. This time, with a devastating effect on his young body. This bright energetic young boy was bed ridden, going blind and screaming in constant pain.

Jack was enrolled on the **Zero Childhood Cancer Program clinical trial** where a tumour sample was sent to the labs of the Children Cancer Institute. Using the latest technology, they analysed the specific **genetic make-up**, discovering the particular genetic mutation that was driving his cancer growth and the drug that would target it.

Within a few days, Jack was sitting up in bed. Six weeks later, he was playing tennis and riding his bike and back at school – active as ever.

“We got to celebrate another precious birthday with our son,” says Viv. ‘And I hope that, because of Zero Childhood Cancer, there will be many more to follow’



CHILDRENS MOBILITY STAMP COLLECTION

(Submitted by Lion Vaal Dix OAM, retiring SA/NT Trustee)

It is astounding how much money can be raised from things we throw away!

The Lions International Stamp Club presented a cheque for \$4,600 to the Australian Lions Children's Mobility Foundation at the Canberra Convention [2013] and at Tamworth the following year we received another cheque for \$7,000. Newcastle [2015] saw us receiving \$9,200 and in Echuca the next year \$13,500.



At Lions 100year celebration in Hobart [2017] ALCMF itself celebrated a record donation of \$15,500 and the next year in Townsville we received \$25,500. What an incredible amount!!

We were amazed to receive \$48,000 [nearly double the previous year] in Geelong and although we were not able to have our Convention in Adelaide in 2020, we were still lucky enough to accept \$53,000, and this at a time when letter writing is disappearing.

This stamp collecting project is something we could all contribute to, with little effort and no expense. It is for this reason that we are asking all Lions in Australia to collect used stamps by placing a container in your home, and perhaps in a local business. Someone may even have an old stamp collection from their earlier days that they are willing to donate.

The stamps need to be cut around approx.3mm from the edge as the stamp fringe must not be damaged.

The Stamp Club places these into various size bundles (depending on Denomination and quality) and they are then sold at Stamp Auctions.

Please support this simple request and help Children's Mobility. We look forward to being inundated with stamps appropriately trimmed.



Stamps may be sent directly to
Lions International Stamp Club
PO Box 3240
ASQUITH NSW 2077
OR TO
Lion Ted Osborn (Registrar ALCMF)
Unit 164/32 Homestead Ave
WALKLEY HEIGHTS, SA 5098



NEWS FROM CLARE CLUB—GLEESON WETLANDS



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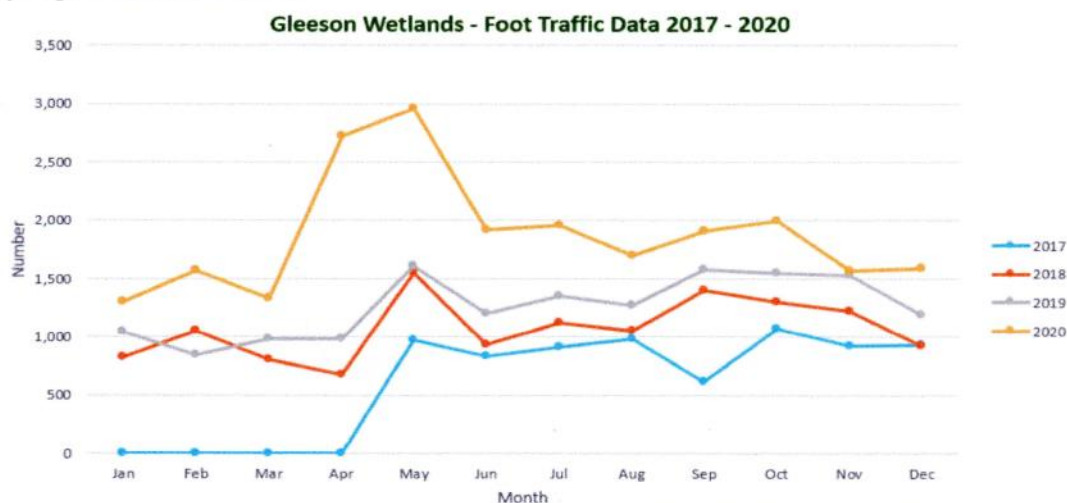
5th January 2021

Mayor Wayne Thomas
Clare & Gilbert Valleys Council
4 Gleeson Street
Clare SA 5453

Dear Wayne

At our meeting in the Lions Pop Up shop before Christmas we were talking about the Gleeson Wetlands and how its use and support had grown since it was established. You indicated you were interested in seeing foot traffic figures that we have been collecting since May 2017.

If you look at the graph below, you will see the growth since May 2017 when we first installed the foot traffic counter. We believe the increase in usage is proof of the value of this asset to the Valley, not just for local community members, but tourists as well. 2020 saw over 22,000 visitors to the wetlands, which included many organised school visits.



You will note the regular growth, 18% in 2019 over 2018, 49% 2020 over 2019 and a remarkable 75% increase 2020 over 2018 (first full year of foot traffic.). Yes 2020 had a huge spike in April – May, due, we believe, to increased numbers of stay-at-home people because of the Covid-19 Virus closures and movement restrictions. Regardless of the reasons for that spike, it still was a big growth year.

It certainly shows how the close working relationship between the Council and the Clare Lions Club can be so beneficial to the local community.

Yours Sincerely

Past District Governor Rob Royal
Lions Club of Clare District



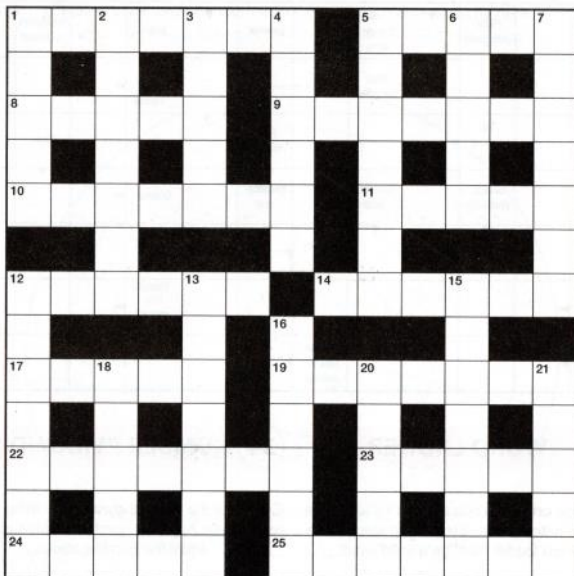
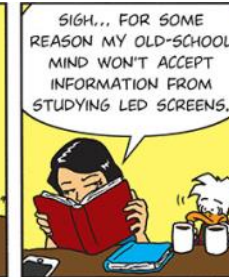
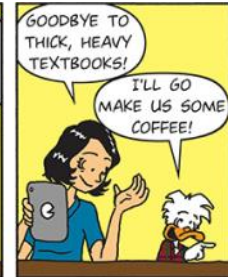
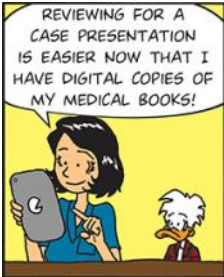


Don't talk to a mathematician about infinity; you will never hear the end of it.
There is no point in discussing vacuums; there is nothing to it.

The meaning of opaque is unclear.
I wasn't going to get a brain transplant but then I changed my mind.
Have you ever tried to eat a clock? It's very time consuming.

A man tried to assault me with milk, cream and butter. How dairy!
I'm reading a book about anti-gravity. I can't put it down.

If there was someone selling marijuana in our neighbourhood, weed know about it.
It's a lengthy article about ancient Japanese sword fighters but I can Samurais it for you.



Across

1. Maxims (7)
5. Irish stew (5)
8. Sweet cake or tart (5)
9. Discharge (7)
10. Leader of a community (7)
11. Greek letter (5)
12. Less fast (6)
14. Disquiet (6)
17. Enter data (5)
19. Not prepared (7)
22. Ecstatic joy (7)
23. Coil (5)
24. Heartbeat (5)
25. Large strips of cloth (7)

Down

1. Counterpart (5)
2. Violent whirlwind (7)
3. Music hall (5)
4. Quiet (6)
5. Punish (7)
6. American aloe plant (5)
7. Introductory essay (7)
12. Support for a rider's feet (7)
13. Inspire (7)
15. In the current fashion or style (1,2,4)
16. First-class (6)
18. Of a post-larval stage insect (5)
20. Comedian, ___ Atkinson (5)
21. Shouts (5)

It's not that the man couldn't juggle, he just didn't have the balls to do it.
So, what if I don't know the meaning of the word 'apocalypse'? It's not the end of the world.
Police were called to the day-care centre. A 3-year-old was resisting a rest.
The other day I held the door open for a clown. I thought it was a nice jester.
Need an ark to save two of every animal? I Noah guy.
Alternative facts are aversion of the truth.
I used to have a fear of hurdles, but I got over it.
Atheism is a non-prophet organization.
Did you know they won't be making yardsticks any longer?
I used to be allergic to soap but I'm clean now.
The patron saint of poverty is St. Nickeless.
What did the man say when the bridge fell on him? The suspension is killing me.

Do you have weight loss mantras? Fat chants!
My tailor is happy to make a new pair of pants for me. Or sew its seams.

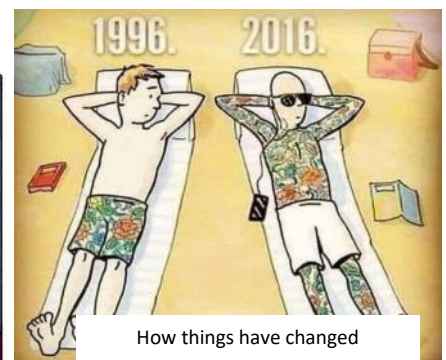
What is a thesaurus's favourite dessert? Synonym buns.

A relief map shows where the restrooms are.

There was a big paddle sale at the boat store. It was quite an oar deal.

How do they figure out the price of hammers? Per pound.

Solution on last page





MyLCI DATA CLEANSING INFORMATION SHEET FOR CLUB SECRETARIES

The following Information Sheet has been prepared to assist each Club to undertake data cleansing exercise recently endorsed by the Council of Governors at the September Council meeting.

Over the next twelve months each Club has to finalised this review and standardise their Club MyLCI records with a view to dispensing with the PU101 in 2022 and the Multiple District Directory compiled from corrected Club MyLCI records.

Mobile and Telephone Numbers:

Based on the standards shown on line, mobile and telephone numbers should be listed as follows –

1. Home or Work No: currently listed as (02) 4823 6358 should be shown as _

| Country Code | Area Code | Number |
|--------------|-----------|-----------|
| 61 | 2 | 4823 6358 |

2. Mobile No: currently listed as 0427 261 361 should be shown as –

| Country Code | Area Code | Number |
|--------------|-----------|---------|
| 61 | 427 | 261 361 |

Address:

Please do not use abbreviations for Street or Road type and the entire address should preferably be in Capitals.

a. An address shown currently as 120 Green Valley Rd, Goulburn, NSW 2580 should be shown as _

Address Line 1 City State (select from menu) Post Code

120 GREEN VALLEY ROAD GOULBURN New South Wales 2580

Other Contact Information:

- It is imperative **all contact information be as complete, up to date and accurate as possible** unless the Lion involved indicates that some or all of the information is not for publication.
- For example, **if the Lion has an email address that can be listed, please show it (if is in agreeance)**, as that is generally how Lions Clubs International communicate with us.
- If the Lion has a **mobile or home (or other) phone number that can be shown, include the number/s**. For the purpose of future Directories, the default **preferred phone number to be listed should be the Lions Mobile Number**.
- Ultimately it is up to the individual Lion whether they **adopt a separate Officer Correspondence Address from their home address**. If they are one and the same, remember to **tick the check box under their personal address for correspondence**.

Dates of Birth:

With the advent of full dates of birth at the beginning of 2019, most listed birthdays were incorrect because a default 1st January or 30th June date was added to the year of birth already in MyLCI.

The day and month of birth can be corrected at a Club level but if there is an error in the year of birth, that MUST be changed by Lions Clubs International.

When amending dates of birth ensure the check box "Date of Birth is confirmed" is ticked prior to saving.

Other MyLCI Club Information:

1. Club Information -

Club Information is found under My Lions Club Tab and then Club Info. Double check that the meeting venue, day / time are correctly listed. If meeting times and locations vary, or if one meeting is of a different type to other that month, ensure the correct information is shown.

2. Officer Information –

Found under My Lions Club Tab and then Officer Info. Please ensure that all appropriate officers for the current Lions year are listed e.g. President, Secretary, Treasurer, Administrator, Membership Chairperson, Vice President's and Service Chairperson. If they are no listed access to this system will be declined.

I have attached a number of examples of current member MyLCI listings to show where the deficiencies might exist with some private contact details redacted.

Ted Osborn, District Administration and Club Support Chairman.



GENERAL INFORMATION

INFORMATION FROM MULTIPLE DISTRICT NEWSLETTER

CLUB WEBMASTERS PLEASE NOTE

CLOSURE OF Oz-Clubhouse website

Closure of Oz-Clubhouse Lions Clubs using Oz-Clubhouse should consider alternative options. Background The Oz-Clubhouse system has been provided free-of-charge to Lions Clubs and Districts in Multiple District 201 for a decade. It was put in place to provide a simple website for Lions Clubs, at a time when there were few low-cost alternatives. Oz-Clubhouse was designed and built at no charge, by an Australian Lion. In the intervening period it has been upgraded once and is currently being maintained by the Multiple District. As a custom-built system, it is costly and difficult to upgrade and it is now plagued by ongoing 'bugs' and has become impossible to maintain. The Lions Multiple District Council has resolved to retire the system in the coming months.

Follow the link for more information

<https://lionsclubs.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/20210112-Oz-Clubhouse-Withdrawal.pdf>

WHO ARE OUR FAMOUS LIONS

From an Australian politician much in the news recently to an astronaut, a Royal and a string of American Presidents, there are many well known identities who have taken the Lions oath. Do you know what medical missionary Dr Albert Schweitzer, Queensland Premier Annastacia Palaszczuk, actress Patty Duke, Mt Everest conqueror Sir Edmund Hillary, the Queen's daughter-in-law Sophie Countess of Wessex and Louie the Fly all have in common?

Of course you do.

Lions Clubs International.

With the exception of Louie the Fly, (you will need to read the story) ,all are or have been members of Lions Clubs. Instantly recognisable and admired for work in their diverse fields, along with more than a million perhaps not so well known but just as dedicated Lions, they are part of our great international service organisation

Follow the link to read more

<https://lionsclubs.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2021/01/20201021-Lion-Mag-Special-Feature-Famous-Lions.pdf>

NEW MEMBERS JANUARY 2021

WELCOME TO LIONS

| Club | Member | Sponsor |
|--|-------------------|--|
| Golden Grove Inc | | |
| Transfer | David Wilson | From Boyne Island |
| Mallala & District Inc | | |
| New | Patricia Bell | Tracey Cranwell |
| New | Vaughan Chenoweth | Jim Franks |
| New | Grenville Knight | Neil Kakoschke |
| New | Paul Silvestro | Brenton Bell |
| Peterborough & District Inc | | |
| New | Julie Grenfell | Shirley Dearlove |
| Stansbury Dalrymple Inc | | |
| Transfer | Gregory Shaw | From Charles Sturt Woodville Hindmarsh |

UPCOMING CONVENTION LOCATIONS AND DATES

DISTRICT 201C1

2021 Hosted by **SALISBURY CLUB**

2022 Hosted by **CHARLES STURT WOODVILLE HIND MARSH**

MULTIPLE DISTRICT

69TH Canberra ACT **7th to 10th May 2021**

70th Perth WA **6th to 9th May 2022**

71st Gold Coast Qld **28th Apr to 1st May 2023**

72nd TBA

INTERNATIONAL

104th Montreal (Virtual) **25th to 29th June 2021**

105th New Delhi **1st to 5th May 2022**

106th Boston MA **27th June to 1st July 2023**

107th Melbourne Vic **21st to 25th June 2024**

108th Mexico City **4th to 8th July 2025**

ANZI Pacific Forum

Cairns Old **3rd to 5th Sept 2021**



Central Australia Lions Museum



Regular readers will be aware that for some time now I have been seeking donations of club banners, DG banners and other Lions memorabilia for inclusion in what I am referring to as The Central Australia Lions Museum.

Many supportive clubs and members have been kind enough to make donations and the content of the museum has already become quite extensive. I sincerely thank those who have made such donations including many PDG's who have provided one of their banners.

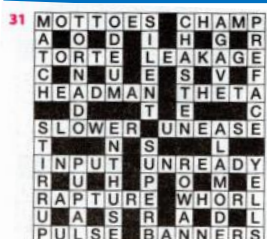
Below is a list of club banners currently held. If your club is not included in this list or now has or had a different district designation I would really appreciate a banner being donated to the museum. Other material would also be gratefully accepted including banners from now defunct clubs but not specific club memorabilia such as past club newsletters and photos etc, I think that's best retained by clubs.

Aberfoyle & Districts, Adelaide Central J, Adelaide Hellenic, Adelaide Police S1, Alice Springs S3, Alice Springs MacDonnell S3, Alice Springs MacDonnell C2, Angaston S1, Apsley, Athelstone S1, Barmera S1, Barmera C2, Barossa Valley, Beachport Rivoli Bay C2, Berri, Berri C2, Blackwood, Blanchetown & Districts S1, Bordertown S1, Bordertown (white design), Brighton, Broken Hill (gold design), Broken Hill (yellow design), Burnside (very faded purple design), Burnside Lioness S1, Buronga Gol Gol S1, Burra Districts, Campbelltown 201J, Ceduna S2, City of Adelaide J, City of Adelaide Lioness, Coober Pedy S2, Coomealla, Coonalpyn & Districts, East Torrens, Edenhope, Edwardstown, Eudunda, Gambier City C2, Gawler, Goolwa, Hahndorf S3, Hahndorf C2, Hallett Cove, Irymple S1, Kalangadoo & Districts S1, Kalangadoo & Districts C2, Kangaroo Island (white), Kangaroo Island (purple), Karoonda J, Karoonda, Katherine C2, Keith S3, Kingston, Lameroo, Litchfield, Loxton S1, Lucindale S1, Lucindale C2, Mannum S3, Mannum C2, Marion, McLaren Districts, Meningie, Merbein S1, Merbein C2, Mildura, Millicent, Morgan, Mount Barker, Mount Gambier, Mount Gambier Lioness S1, Murray Bridge City S3/C2, Murray Bridge, Nairne S3, Nairne C2, Naracoorte C2, Palmerston C2, Payneham S1, Penola C2, Penola ("Saint design), Peterborough S1, Pinaroo, Port MacDonnell, Red Cliffs (red design), Red Cliffs (green design), Renmark, Ridley S1, Ridley C2, Rivoli Bay S1, Robe & Districts S1, Robe & Districts, Rostrevor S1, Stonyfell S1, Strathalbyn C2 (gold design), Strathalbyn (white design), Taillem Bend (gold design), Taillem Bend (white design), Tea Tree Gully, Tennant Creek J, Tennant Creek S3, Tennant Creek C2, Tintinara S3, Tintinara, Twin Bridges – Murray Bridge S3, Unley, Victor Harbor Port Elliot, Waikerie, West Beach S3, Western Kangaroo Island S3, Wilunga, Yankalilla S3, Yankalilla C2, Yulara Ayers Rock.

Any donations representing both past and current Lions, Lioness and LEO clubs can be mailed to me at 105/91 Main Road, McLaren Vale, SA 5171 or contact me on 0410539274 for further details or to arrange a meeting to hand over whatever might be made available. My objective is to establish a lasting memory of Lions and Lions Clubs in Central Australia all contained in the proposed museum. I have been promised space in the new Lions Hearing Dogs Centre at Verdun so the museum will have a permanent location and donors can rest assured of the safety of their donations

Many thanks in anticipation of a huge response

PDG Bryan Hearn.
bandk392@bigpond.com



Please ensure that all articles are submitted no later than 14th. of each month to-

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tednelse@bigpond.com (Gilles Plains) Pictures to be in jpeg (less than 100kb) format if possible.

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