

# DG Zig's Zany Zoophilous

January 2023

DISTRICT NEWSLETTER

Lions 201C1 Monthly Newsletter



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## What is Zig's Zoophilous?

### Meaning

*adjective*  
Zoophilous

Zoophilous can have a couple of meanings: Botany - adapted to pollination by animals (other than insects); and also having an affinity for animals.

This word is first recorded in the period 1881-90. Other words that entered English at around the same time include: booster, classified, roller coaster, sensitisation, twofer.

Each month, our district newsletter will feature a new name, but always starting with the letter Z.

What interesting "Z" word will our District Governor use next? There are a lot to choose from, so stay tuned.



January 2023

# MD 201C1

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

Welcome to the January edition of the C1 District Newsletter.

Happy New Year everyone. I hope you all had a very merry Christmas and a happy New Years, with friends and family.

It's a new year, and a great time to review what your club has been doing and share with other clubs across our district. Please send through any news and articles that you'd like to share in the bulletin, on the district website and/or social media. You never know what will inspire another Lion and/or club.

Wishing everying a happy, healthy and successful 2023.

Yours in Lionism,  
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## District Governor's Note

Another Christian festive season is almost over and as we move into the new calendar year many other cultures will celebrate their important religious festivals. Australia is a blessed country in which many cultures are welcomed and have for many decades provided a wealth of different words, foods, fashion and understanding of life outside of our country.

Hopefully all members have had the opportunity, or will shortly have the opportunity, to take a time to reflect and relax after what seemed to be a busy last couple of months assisting in the community across various projects and activities.

As the new calendar year has started by the time you get to read another great edition of this publication (put together with the vast wealth of information about clubs, District, Multiple District and often International topics), I urge all members and clubs to remember that there are many communities struggling due to various influences, both natural (fires, floods, droughts) as well as human (conflicts, cost of living).

The Lions community are a huge resource that provides assistance where needed, be it physical help or financial so please do not exclude the LCIF (Lions Clubs International Foundation) in your donations, all funds directed to this Foundation in Australia stay in Australia to assist communities recovering from the after effects of floods, fires, and droughts during and after these events have occurred with grants larger than that possible through ALF (Australian Lions Foundation).

As the year unfolds please encourage and support your club management team by taking on a management role so that those who have had a specific role for several years can pass on their knowledge and skills to another member as part of the club succession (officer replacement plan) before it is too late and the club struggles to survive. Remember that the District Team has a vast array of knowledge, information and opportunities for training in all areas of Lions membership, so please take advantage of the help from the Lions community to learn and become confident in these roles.

Continue to have fun, and thank you.

Turpiniet izklaidēties un paldies (Latvian)

*DG Zig Osis*



## Clubs Around the District at Christmas



**Above-left, middle & right:** Kadina Lions Club, in partnership with the Church of Christ congregation, finished the year with a super special Christmas community meal. 60 meals served.



**Above-left:** Lions Club of Elizabeth Playford's Christmas lunch. **Above-middle:** Lions Club of Elizabeth Playford had a fun evening at Bunnings, Munno Para. **Above-right:** Christmas Pageant in Clare.



**Above-left:** Angle Vale Lions Club at the Bunnings Family Christmas night. **Above-middle:** Adelaide Hellenic Lions Club selling cakes, puddings and raffle tickets at Bunnings. **Above-right:** Lions Club of Gawler packed 80 Christmas Hampers at the Community Centre, ready for distribution.



**Above-left & middle:** Lions Club of Barossa Valley's Christmas meeting at the Vine Inn Hotel/Motel in Nuriootpa. **Above-right:** Lions Club of Golden Grove's Christmas lunch at The Maiden.



# Global Leadership Team Update

## Zoom Information Workshops/Meetings

It's the start of a new calendar year and it will be another year full of training and leadership opportunities for Lions interested.

We will be starting the year, on the evening of Thursday January 19th, with a Services Zoom workshop, a continuation of the previous service workshop ran by Lion Andrew Stacey.

Bring along your ideas for projects, activities and events, and be ready to hear about ideas and opportunities that you and your club might be interested in.

As always, if you have any ideas on what you would like to learn about, please let us know.

### Australian Institutes

**Regional Lions Leadership Institute**

17 February 2023  
to  
19 February 2023

Sydney, New South Wales

Due Date 10 February 2023

For any training needs or enquiries, please email the team at [GLT.C1@lions.org.au](mailto:GLT.C1@lions.org.au)



# Torrens Valley Update

Lions Club of Torrens Valley have been busy collecting and purchasing goods for the Community pantry Christmas hampers. Cake sales have gone very well this year with members placing in various businesses and having stalls outside the supermarket, Bunnings Modbury and each event we attended.

Our members were asked if we could assist Bunnings with their bbq at the Bunnings Modbury market night, where we also sold cakes and raffle tickets. Raffle sales went well and was drawn by a Bunnings staff member while we were at our bbq on 16th with winners being notified by phone. 1st Prize winner from Geraldton, WA!

Our coin drive continues with donation boxes being situated in local businesses within the Torrens Valley area. Approx. 450 pairs of glasses have been sent off for Recycle for Sight and the next collection has begun.

Club members have started arrangements for the Australia Day Breakfast to be held in Federation Park, Gumeracha.

The Club's Christmas dinner was held at the Cudlee Creek Tavern and was attended by past members and friends of the Club. For a bit of fun the theme was "most Christmassy dressed". There was also a "secret chair" prize and raffle - prizes donated by Ashton Hurn MP & Lion

John Gardner MP.

Two New members were inducted into the Club by 1st Vice District Governor Peter Korndorfer. The Club welcomes both Lion Libby & Lion Mell who have worked within our community and with our club on occasions.

Torrens Valley Lions wish all a happy and safe Christmas and New Year.



Above: Most Christmassy dressed male



Above: Most Christmassy dressed female



Above: Christmas hampers



# Puppy Spotlight

*Introducing puppies from the Australian Lions Hearing Dogs.*

**T**ime to make some formal introductions of Poppy's puppies and to acknowledge all our wonderful sponsors who are supporting the journey of each of these adorable life changers.

All the puppies from this litter are earmarked for the Hearing Dog program and we look forward to watching them grow and develop over the next 8-10 months in their puppy socialisation homes.



Our first gorgeous girl is Airlie named and supported by the Lions Club of Whitsundays. Her name is a tribute to the area where the Lions Club is based.

Next, we have Edward. He is named and supported by the Lions Club of Edwardstown and the name is an acknowledgment of their Lions Club.

Last puppy for the day is little Jenny. She has been named and supported by the Lions Club of Bathurst. One of their Lions Club members was a wonderful supporter of ALHD and Jenny has been named in her memory.



First below is Pickle. He has been named by the Office for the Hon Senator Don Farrell.

Then we have little Marion. She has been named by the Lions Club of Marion. This Lions Club has unfortunately now closed and this was one of their final disbursements to support the community.

Our last boy below is Harley who has been named and sponsored by Ric and Vicki.

We thank our wonderful sponsors for their support and their contribution to our future little life changers for a deaf or hard of hearing recipient.

All of the puppies have now gone to their wonderful puppy socialisation homes, we thank our volunteers for taking on this vital role.



## DG visits the Little Roarers

**D**G Zig Osis visited the Little Roarers Cubs Club, run by the City of Adelaide Lions Club, at Annesley Junior School in early December.

DG Zig shared photos and videos from his passion of scuba diving, along with sharing facinating information. He was bombareded with questions.

It was also the last Cubs Club meeting for 2022. The cubs looked back on their activities and achievements during the year, and DG Zig assisted in presenting end of year awards.

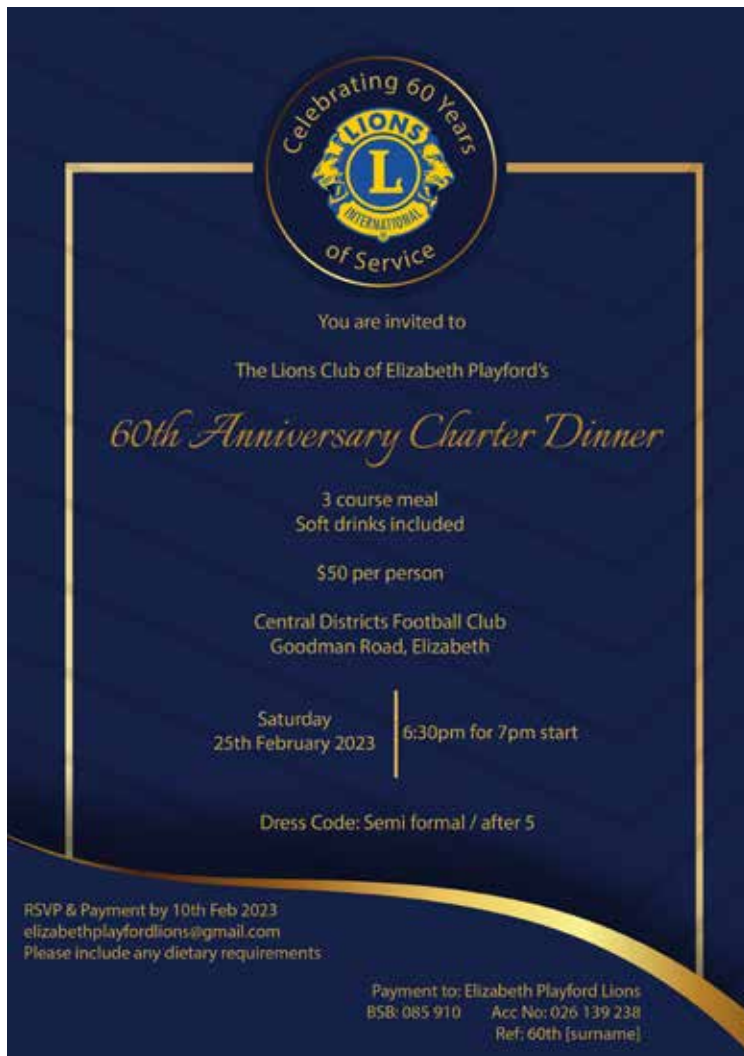
Unfortunately, due to illness and end of year holidays, several cubs were unable to attend.



**Above:** DG Zig presenting Cub President, Hannah, with his bannerette and pin.

**Below:** DG Zig with several members of the Little Roarers Cubs Club.





## SPOTLIGHT: Lion Gavin Roberts

**Name:** Gavin Roberts

**How long have you been a Lion?**  
17 years

**Why did you join Lions?**  
To give back to the community and beyond.

**What Lions positions have you held?**  
*Club:* Membership Chair, Bulletin Editor, Service Chair, President.

*District:* Zone Chairperson

**What's your favourite memory or experience in Lions?**

The wonderful people I have met along the way, and my first district convention.

**Favourite quote:** Many hands make light work. If you want it done properly, do it yourself.

**Favourite movie:** Forrest Grump

**Favourite Book:** Too many to choose just one.



## DG Zig's Photography

This month's DG photograph is of a Ribbon Eel. Such stunning colours.

The ribbon eel (*Rhinomuraena quaesita*), also known as the leaf-nosed moray eel or bernis eel, is a species of moray eel.

This species is widely distributed and is frequently seen by divers with their heads and anterior bodies protruding from crevices in sand and rubble habitats from very shallow to about 60 m.

The ribbon eel bears a resemblance to a mythical Chinese dragon with a long, thin body and high dorsal fins. The ribbon eel can easily be recognised by its expanded anterior nostrils.



*Ribbon Eel  
Photograph taken by DG Zig Osis*

The blue adult males range from 65 to 94 cm in length, while the larger yellow females can reach up to 130 cm.

Despite their slender bodies ribbon eels have surprisingly long life spans. They are thought to live up to 20 years in their natural habitat.



## PR Trailer Bookings 2022-2023

The PR Trailer comes with all the PR materials you need, but you are welcome to utilise your club's own materials. We just ask that the trailer is returned in the same condition it was picked up.

You will need to organise with PDG Dean Noll or VDG Peter Korndorfer, pick up and drop off of the trailer. It is generally housed in Gawler, and the facility is not accessible on the

weekend. The trailer may also be stored at other locations depending on use. Please get in early and organise the pick up and drop off.

Please note that the trailer will need to be signed for when picking it up.

Bookings are below. Remember to plan, and book early.

The trailer will either be at the Lions Club of Gawler or The Lions Club of Elizabeth Playford.  
Contact VDG Peter Korndorfer on 0402 483 059 or korndogg1866@gmail.com for more information.



## LCIF Australia

New Years Greetings to all Lions in 201C1 and I hope you look forward to a most successful 2023.

I trust you recall my earlier LCIF update and our action plans for this Lions Year. It was also included in DG Zig's Zany Zimbi's September newsletter.

One of the actions we asked clubs to commit to conducting at least one (1) fundraising event during the year to support LCIF Australia.

Donations of funds to LCIF Australia are to be made through Cabinet Treasurer PDG Tony OAM. Remembering ALL FUNDS DONATED TO LCIF AUSTRALIA ARE RETAINED IN AUSTRALIA to support GRANTS IN AUSTRALIA.

I am sure most would have seen the video from PIP Barry Palmer announcing a \$20K grant to assist flood stricken communities and also expecting more grants to be made as needed. It is your donations to LCIF Australia which enables these grants to be made, along with those listed on my earlier newsletter item.

I am very please to announce and thank the Lions Club of Gilles Plains whom conducted an event to support LCIF Australia, raising over \$1,000 and then using the funds to honour a member with a Melvin Jones Fellowship. Congratulations Gilles Plains!

Can you match this? It would be very much appreciated.

In addition, please remember most 201C1 clubs have Status of Credits towards a MJF. Your clubs can be advised your amount on request from me of DG Zig.

I look forward to hearing of your support to LCIF Australia, your Foundation.

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## Wild & Busy Year for ALHD

*2022 has been a wild and busy year for Australian Lions Hearing Dogs.*

**W**ith Australia and border restrictions finally recovering from Covid, we were able to get back on our feet. This year our team has not only set several new records, but also went above and beyond! The end of 2022 was met with 31 Hearing Assistance Dogs delivered. These dogs improve the independence and security to people who are deaf or hard of hearing, and has proven time and time again that they play a vital role in reducing the feelings of isolation that comes as a challenge to hearing loss. However, that's not all. Our very first Diabetic Alert dog from the Medical Alert Program was placed here in Adelaide mid-October! This is a huge accomplishment as it is the start of our Medical Alert Program. We are excited to see the good our Diabetic Alert dogs will bring to people with type 1 diabetes.

Our team were able to accredit 17 dogs this year, but we are expecting 5 more to be done before 2023 arrives; a total of 59 flights taken all across Australia in 2022! Accreditation occurs after the dogs have completed their minimum of 3 months follow up in a client's home and are alerting to sounds at a high standard.

Our Breeding Program, which was only started recently, has already brought about 15 puppies into our world year to date, but we are expecting another litter of puppies to be born in December, which will bring the total numbers of puppies born up to 20 plus or more! Because of this, 32 new puppy partnerships were created this year by the Puppy Program, plus 9 more to go within the year. With the help of their foster homes, these puppies will be loved, given attention, learn



boundaries and socialisation. Currently, there are 18 puppies placed in foster care, but the number will be up to 26 before January 2023 comes.

We also have had many wonderful sponsors from both Lions Clubs and individual supporters of our puppies. We couldn't have made it without them and we're extremely grateful for the help and opportunity that they've provided Australian Lions Hearing Dogs. The volunteer program has thrived as always, with over 30 volunteers involved in the program, always there to help and give the dogs the enrichment and love they need to be happy and healthy.

We are still hard at work on our Capital Campaign and while we've made progress, we still have some ways to go before reaching our goal!

## Expressions of Interest

**W**e are half way through the Lions year and need to start thinking about, and planning for, the new Lions year 2023/24.

Are you interested in getting more involved, outside of your club, and work with like-minded people to assist other clubs and our district?

We are currently seeking expressions of interest for the following areas:

- Assistant Cabinet Secretary  
(Contact DGE Peter Korndorfer)
- Zone Chairpersons  
(contact DGE Peter Korndorfer)
- Public Relations & Marketing support positions (media releases, media liaison (radio, TV and print), report on club & district events/activities/projects, assist clubs with their marketing strategies etc.  
(contact Petrea Stacey)
- Global Services Team support positions  
Are you interested in a specific global cause?  
Do you have ideas for service projects and interested in assisting clubs and district to implement them?  
(contact Andrew Stacey)



We look forward to continuing the work occurring this year, next year.





## Cowell Lions Club's Environment Award

This award is donated by the Cowell Lions Club in memory of Jim West who made a significant contribution to the Cowell Community through ethical agricultural practices and environmental sustainability.

The Australian Curriculum prioritises Sustainability as a cross-curriculum priority and, in 2022, the local year 5/6 class, taught by Miss Emma Chopin, has been recognised for this award due to their ongoing work to support local marine environments and promote ocean health.

Students studied the documentary Blue this year, learning about ocean health and sustainability before hosting several mangrove clean-ups at different sites around the Cowell community.

They undertook a rubbish audit at the boardwalk and studied how litter impacted local fish breeding grounds. Students studied the ethics and purpose of marine parks, discussing the SA Snapper Band with relevant stakeholders.

The 5/6 class are now finishing the year by reading 'The Lorax' and highlighting the role of community activism in highlighting sustainable practices.

## Bill Holmes Award

Congratulations to PDG Frank Gratton on receiving a Bill Holmes award. The award was presented by Australian Lions Hearing Dogs CEO, David Horne, and Chairman Norm Alcock, in recognition of Frank's work for ALHD for many years.

Congratulations Frank.



HEAR ME ROAR!

A Project of the Lions Club of the City of Adelaide.



## WORKING BEE

Come along, have a chat and lots of fun stuffing & sewing cushions for patients & disadvantaged youth across SA.

(no experience required)

AND we will also be sorting, labelling & packing book bags for disadvantaged children.

Drop in and say hi for an hour or 2, or stay for the morning or afternoon. Any time you can spare to help is appreciated.

Sunday, 19 March 2023

9:30am - 4pm

North Adelaide Community Centre  
(176 Tynte Street, North Adelaide)

Hope to see you there!

For more information visit [www.hearmeroarproject.com.au](http://www.hearmeroarproject.com.au)

## Welcome To Our New Lions

*Welcome to the C1 District Lions family*

BURNSIDE

Jack Batty sponsored by Michele Alexandrou

PORT PIRIE

Joanne MCGowan sponsored by Neville Kerr

TORRENS VALLEY

Elizabeth Barber sponsored by Phillip Dennis

Mell Eren-Penno sponsored by Phillip Dennis





## Peterborough & District Update

**O**ur Lions Senior Citizens & Aged Pensioner's Christmas Dinner on Friday 25th November in the Town Hall at 6pm, saw 78 people enjoy the night.

This was a free event, with a delicious 3 course meal, which was made up by members and served by the high school students, who also then did the dishes. A concert with local talented people, entertained the crowd. Three raffles proved to be a good fundraiser for the Club.

Members had set up the Town Hall and tables with decorations, etc the night before. This has always been a very popular event that has been going for over 35 years.

The Club later donated \$300 to the high school for their help at the Christmas Dinner. The Club also presented \$100 to the high school, as part of our sponsorship for the All-Rounder Year 10 student. Shirley Dearlove presented this at the High School Presentation Night recently.

Other activities done during November and December, included bingo, cleaning the Lions Fountain, and work at the Lions Rose Garden at the Cemetery. The Club also donated \$100 to the Australian Lions Wellbeing Assoc.

Some members went to the Terowie Christmas Pageant on Saturday 10 December, selling donuts to the crowd and were kept busy during the evening.

On Monday 12 December, members along with the MFS, put

up the Christmas decorations on the business houses verandah posts in the Main Street, in readiness for the Christmas Pageant on Friday 16 December.

There were many new creations made up from wooden pallets by a local lady tradie and also MDF bows, which were made by the Men's Shed members. Lions' members painted them in our Lion's Den.

On Friday 16 December, Lions were kept very busy at the Peterborough Christmas Pageant, which started at 4pm. This included organising the trailer and sleigh for Father Christmas during the morning. A member went & picked up Father Christmas & was his helper later handing out bagged lollies to Father Christmas for him to give to the children. The lollies had been bagged up by other members.

A constant large crowd lined up for the donuts, which kept members busy all through the evening! A couple of members also sold strawberries & cream, which proved to be very popular.

A delicious 2 course Christmas Dinner was held at the Railway Hotel on Tuesday 20 December, which was an enjoyable night, with several guests in attendance.

Season's Greeting & Best Wishes to Everyone! Happy New Year!!

Written by Judy Higginson



Above-left: Lions Christmas Dinner Meeting with members Joyce Collom, Shirley Dearlove & guest Bill Dearlove. Above-middle & right: Peterborough Christmas Pageant.



Above-left, middle & right: Lions Senior Citizens Christmas Dinner



## Leos Club in C1

**D**id you know that our district has only 1 Leos Club – the Glenunga International High School Leos Club. They are sponsored by the Glenside Lions Club.

The club has been operating since 2003. Involved in the club are Lions Liaison, John Hillman, school representative, Jane Sawrey and their captain, Subedhaa (Sube) Bansal. The clubs' members are in years 7, 8 & 10 and they meet fortnightly. As with most Lions clubs, they have had a busy 2022. Here are the activities they've organised:

- Bake Sale for Paws and Claws Adoptions – raising \$324
- Ukraine cultural fundraising night – the school held an event that raised money for humanitarian efforts in Ukraine. LEO club organised several activities for this night, such as sack races, twister, connect four, Jenga and a ping-pong toss game.
- Book Drive – collecting books for the Glenside Lions Club
- Origami Stall – during a school community event for students could participate in to relax and have fun during a particularly busy time for students (the peak of assignments and tests). This also was an opportunity for the other clubs of the school to run events (Amnesty International club ran two awareness activities and KDC performed a K-pop dance routine)
- Curries and Cupcakes – the club collaborated on a food stall with the Bollywood club. They sold curries and we sold baked goods. All the proceeds went to Modbury Food bank.
- commUnity week (upcoming) – this is a school event of three days (Wednesday-Friday) when the school encourages clubs to hold stalls and run events. The Leos will be participating in this week by holding a bracelet making stall on the Wednesday, and a "how well do you know each other" activity for friends to participate in on the Tuesday as a precursor to the week.

Want to know more about how to set up a Leos club for our district, please contact Andrew Stacey, Youth Chair and Leos Coordinator, any time.



## Club Charter Anniversaries

*Each month, we will celebrate the anniversary of each club in our district.*

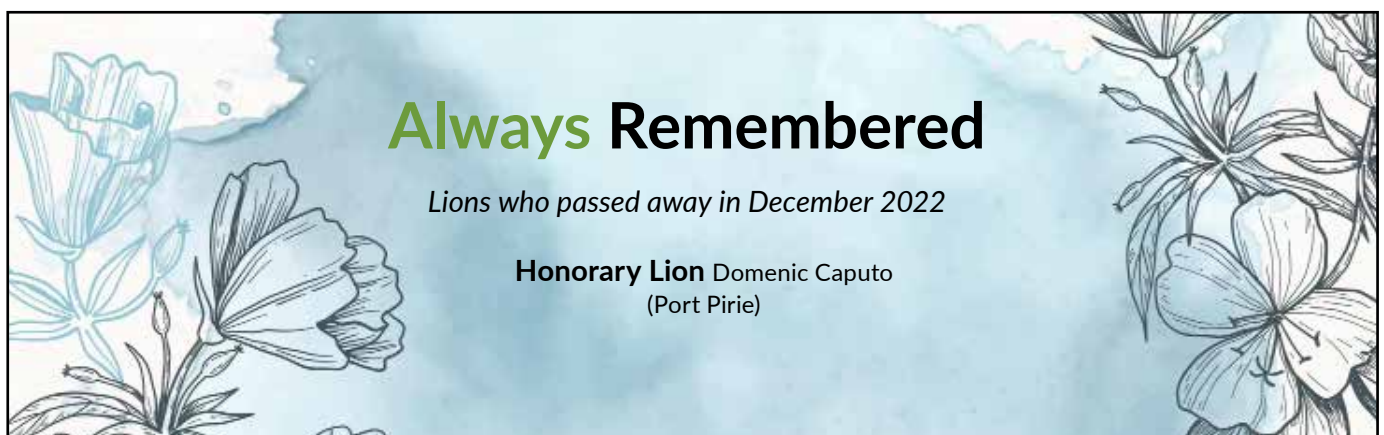
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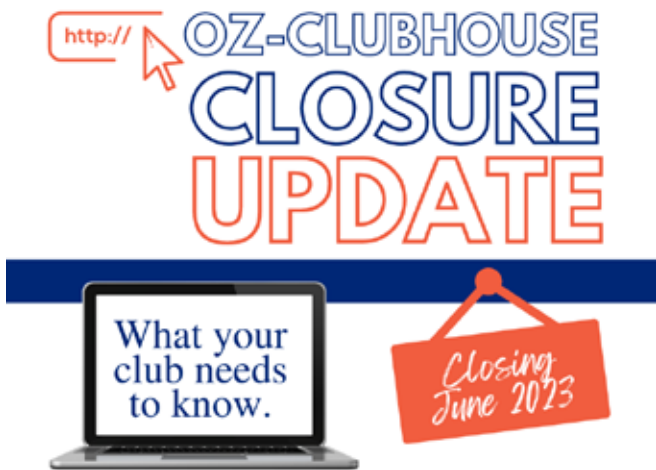
**Celebrating 42 years**  
Quorn - 19 January 1981

**Celebrating 45 years**  
Cleve District - 16 January 1978

**Celebrating 47 years**  
Modbury - 23 January 1976

**Celebrating 59 years**  
Prospect-Blair Athol - 28 January 1964





## Club Websites

Lions Clubs need to take steps to migrate their information to alternative platforms prior to the closure of Oz-Clubhouse on 30 June 2023.

Would you like to redirect your Oz-Clubhouse site? Lions Australia is able to redirect traffic from the Oz-Clubhouse system to your new website if you provide a link to the webmaster.

If you are no longer using your Oz-Clubhouse website, please email the Lions Australia webmaster so that it can be deactivated. [webadmin@lions.org.au](mailto:webadmin@lions.org.au).

For more information, please visit the Lions Australia website, or contact our District Webmaster, Petrea Stacey via [IT.C1@lions.org.au](mailto:IT.C1@lions.org.au).



## LCI Faculty Development Institute (FDI)

In early December, Lions Andrew Stacey (City of Adelaide) and Alex Coates (Salisbury) attended 3 days of LCI FDI training in Perth, Western Australia.

Andrew and Alex joined lions from around Australia and New Zealand, were involved in group discussions, workshops and presentations. Tony Benbow and Raechel Gleeson facilitated the institute and they were joined by LCI Facilitator, Sakshi Agarwal.

Congratulations to them both for successfully completing the institute.

## Lion Anniversaries

*Celebrating membership milestones in January.*

### 10 YEARS

Lion Elizabeth Quarrell  
Norwood

Lion Greg Mackrill  
Walleroo

Lion Michael Baldock  
Port Pirie

### 35 YEARS

Lion Ronald Wurst  
Clare District

### 45 YEARS

Lion Brian Smith  
Cleve District

Lion John Nolan  
Cleve District

Lion Murray Mason  
Cleve District

Lion Samuel Smith  
Rocky River





# National & International Awareness Days

The following dates include a variety of national and international awareness days for various organisations and subject areas that may be of interest to you and your club.

Consider organising a service event or fundraiser that aligns with the purpose and objectives of a particular awareness day.

January 2023	
4th	World Braille Day
5th	National Bird Day
14th	World Logic Day
24th	International Day of Education
27th	International Day of Commemoration in Memory of the Victims of the Holocaust

February 2023	
1st - 28th	Ovarian Cancer Awareness Month
1st - 28th	Feel Good February
2nd	World Wetlands Day
4th	World Cancer Day
20th	World Day of Social Justice
22nd	World Thinking Day
27th	World NGO Day



## SPOTLIGHT: Lion Alex

**Name:** Alex Coates  
(Lions Club of Salisbury)

**How long have you been a Lion?**  
6 years

**Why did you join Lions?**  
To help establish the Mawson Lakes Branch Club and never left!

**What Lions positions have you held?**  
*Club:* President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Convention Treasurer and Club Chairman (ALWF and LEHP)

*District:* GMT Coordinator, Diversity & Inclusion Officer and Advocate, GMA Focus Area 2 Leader, Youth Chair, District Lions Hearing Dogs Coordinator, Youth Exchange & Camps Coordinator, Leos Coordinator, and CBL Committee Member

**What's your favourite memory or experience in Lions?**

Volunteering at the 'Blanket Salisbury with Love' event

**Favourite quote:**  
Be the change that you wish to see in the world.

**Favourite movie:**  
Outbreak, The China Syndrome and In The Loop

**Favourite Book:**  
Charlie and the Chocolate Factory



# 75th Year of Lionism in Australia Project

The Lions Club of the Barossa Valley is celebrating the 75th year of 'Lionism' in Australia in establishing an extension to the Remembrance Rose Garden at the Nuriootpa RSL sub-branch for their community Project.

On Friday the 18th of March 2022 Lions members and RSL volunteers established a 16 x 2m garden bed complete with edging.

At the second work day, on Friday the 25th of March, an existing rose garden was renovated and new edging was laid.

Further work days are being scheduled to plant Floribunda roses and to install a plaque acknowledging the efforts of Lions members and RSL volunteers in the Remembrance Garden.

An Aleppo Pine seedling, directly descended of the tree planted in Canberra to commemorate the fallen at Lone Pine Ridge, Gallipoli, will be planted near the memorial stone at the Nuriootpa RSL in due course.

The rose garden was completed during November and the roses are now in flower. Each rose represents a fallen service person identified by a plaque.

The Aleppo pine was planted on Thursday the 29th of September 2022, Lions members prepared a site on the grounds for the planting of the tree. This tree was propagated from a cone from the Aleppo tree that was planted at the Australian War Memorial in Canberra, giving it a direct lineage to Lone Pine Ridge at Gallipoli. Peter Herbert who provided the Aleppo Pine with the assistance of lions club member Scotty Milne, who is the Vice President of the Nuriootpa RSL, planted the Pine.

Present at the planting was Wes Klingner, RSL grounds manager, Elly Milne, Lions members Wayne Fleming, Trevor Irrgang, Gail Fleming Vice President, Tom Wauer Secretary and Moss Munchenberg.

This is a very significant club project that will be identified in the years to come with the plaque installed in the rose gardens





## Around the Clubs



**Above-left:** Clare Lions Club cooking for the Clare Valley Children's Centre end of year party. **Above-middle:** City of Adelaide Lions Club running an event for the City of Adelaide Council. **Above-right:** Port Augusta Lions Club involved in the Christmas Toy Run.



**Above-left:** Lions Club of Paralowie ready to walk in the Salisbury Christmas parade. **Above-right:** Port Lincoln Lions Club cooking up a storm for breakfast and lunch.



**Above-left:** Gilles Plains Lions Club cooking up a storm at Bunnings. **Above-middle:** City of Adelaide Lions Club cooking up a storm for Fred's Van in the city. **Above-right:** Lions Club of Onkaparinga drawing their Christmas Raffle.



**Above-left:** Lions Club of Port Pirie's Christmas raffle. First prize winner, Lauren, being presented the prize by President Chris.. **Above-middle:** Lions Club of Gilbert Valley has been working hard maintaining the Riverton Cemetary. **Above-right:** Port Augusta Lions Club hard at work again.



## LIONS MEDICAL RESEARCH FOUNDATION INC.



### SKIN CANCER SCREENING SUBCOMMITTEE

**Chair:** PDG Bryan Hearn 0410 539 274  
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**Treasurer:** Graeme Pascoe 0438 644 827  
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**Secretary:** Linda Sullivan 0408 719 033  
brentonsullivan@bigpond.com  
68 Barbados Drive, Seaford Rise 5169

Sandy and Beccy

Please find listed below the skin cancer screening schedule for 2023. It would be appreciated if this could be published in both District's DG newsletters and perhaps also included in any secretarial reminders that may be issued during the next month. All host clubs will be contacted in due course.

My sincere thanks to the 43 clubs who applied for inclusion and for their ongoing support of the skin cancer screening program.

Any late changes will be dealt with as they occur.

Month	Host Club	Month	Host Club
February 4/5	West Beach	Aug 12/13	Glenside
February 18/19	Tailem Bend	Aug 26/27	Murray Bridge
March 4/5	Boolaroo Centre	Sept 9/10	Mildura
March 18/19	Jamestown	Sept 16/17	Broken Hill
March 25/26	Maitland	Sept 23/24	Buronga Gol Gol
April 1/2	Adelaide Italian	Oct 7/8	Bute
April 15/16	Clare	Oct 14/15	Walleroo
April 22/23	Gawler	Oct 21/22	Mt Barker
May 6/7	Victor Harbour	Nov 11/12	Renmark
May 20/21/22	Kangaroo Is	Nov 18/19	Lameroo
June 3/4	Robe	Dec 2/3	Gillies Plains
June 17/18	Penola		
July 15/16	Tumby Bay		
July 18/19	Cummins		
July 22/23	Wudinna		
July 25/26	Whyalla		

Regards and thanks

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# “Trouble knocked at the door, but hearing laughter, it hurried away”

- Benjamin Franklin

## From the Clubs

Why are Christmas Trees so bad at sewing?  
They always drops their needles.

*From Modbury Lions Club*

What is the best Christmas present to receive?  
A broken drum - you just can't beat it.

*From Modbury Lions Club*

What is a New Year's resolution?  
Something that goes in one year and out the other

*From City of Adelaide Lions Club*

What do you tell someone you didn't see on New Year's Eve?  
I haven't seen you since last year.

*From City of Adelaide Lions Club*

## Riddle Corner

1. Joe is turning 17 this year, yet he turned 16 yesterday. How is this possible?
2. What goes through cities and fields, but never moves?
3. I am always hungry and will die if not fed, but whatever I touch will soon turn red. What am I?
4. What breaks yet never falls, and what falls but never breaks?

ANSWERS  
1. Joe's birthday is on Dec 31, the last day of the year. The current day was Jan 1 of the next year. 2. A road. 3. Fire 4. Day and night.

At any given time, the urge to sing "The lion sleeps tonight" is just a whim away a whim away, a whim away, a whim away.



*From Modbury Lions Club*

The past, the present,  
and the future  
walked into a bar.  
It was tense.

Why are waterbeds  
so bouncy?

They're filled  
with spring water.



Why should you  
always knock on a  
refrigerator door  
before opening it?  
In case there's a  
salad dressing.

Please send us your jokes and riddles to be shared with the District.

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