



District 201V3 Newsletter



YARRAGON LIONS CLUB

Yarragon Lions Club hosted it's 44th annual changeover dinner on Wednesday June 22 at the Yarragon Bowls Club. President Bill Cropley thanked all members for their contributions throughout the year with over \$72,000 donated back to community projects. The club gained five additional members which will strengthen the group.

Special thanks to Peter Petschel for his work at the Yarragon Op Shop and Joe Van Den Broek for catering at Bunnings and other sausage sizzles. The board is (from left) Maree Dore (treasurer), Allan Logan (secretary), James Geary, Peter Petschel, Joe Van Den Broek, Leeanne Evans (tail twister) Richard Sandy (membership), Bill Cropley (president) and district representative Murray Gardner who conducted the induction ceremony.



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DATES TO REMEMBER

AUGUST

- 7th Cabinet Meeting at Trafalgar
- 9th International Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples
- 12th International Youth Day
- 19th World Humanitarian Day

SEPTEMBER

- 21st International Day of Peace
- 26th Zone 9 Zone Meeting
- 29th 75th Anniversary of Lions in Australia

OCTOBER

- 9th World Mental Health Day
- 21st-23rd District Convention at Lakes Entrance

NOVEMBER

- 14th World Diabetes Day
- 20th World Children's Day

Where There's a Need, There's a Lion





Message from District Governor David Culpit

Hello fellow Lions, thank you for the fantastic turnout at the District changeover, we had 97 people come and enjoy the friendship and fellowship.

The first issue of District Newsletter was fantastic and I'm very proud of the team with the end result, Can all clubs please send content into the newsletter team so we can keep it fresh and inviting so members want to read the latest news.

Well, we have had a busy July with club changeovers and inducting new members into our Lions family. By the time you read this newsletter article I will be back in the chair and I would like to thank 1st Vice Governor Kim and 2nd Vice Governor Bob and the team for stepping in for me over this very sad time that I have lost my older sister Julie, I thank everyone of you for your kind wishes and support you have given me over this very sad time for my family.

On the bright side we are starting our Battery recycling program and I am looking forward to the club's creating partnerships with the local communities and rolling this project out.

The DG team are getting into full stream this month with club visits and it is very good seeing all of the good work clubs are doing in our community.

Koo We Rup Lions club at their changeover informed that their op shop which is run by lots of community groups has given back to the local community over 1 Million dollars since the shop started, well done and congratulations to everyone involved.

International President Lion Brian Sheehan is challenging all Lions to think outside the box and look at need service projects in your local community, see if you can partner up with another local group and get his message out that "together we can" and together we will.

I am looking forward to see how the new Service, Membership and Leadership teams are working together under the Global Membership Approach and we try and keep our members leaving as low as possible so we can work on growing our district.



The images above are from DG David's recent visit to Port Chalmers Lion Club, New Zealand. It was a terrific night enjoyed by both the club's members and the District Governor.



DISTRICT CONVENTION: 21-23 OCTOBER 2022 – LAKES ENTRANCE



Spring Break at Lakes!

It's our Birthday
75th Anniversary Lions in Australia
46th District Convention 201V3
Come to the Seaside
Let's Celebrate and party

LAKES ENTRANCE 21ST - 23RD
OCTOBER 2022

As clubs are aware the 201V3 District Convention at Lakes Entrance will commence on 21 October to 23 October 2022. In order to meet the timeframes for having District projects, constitutional notice of motions and nominations etc. considered at the Convention, Clubs need to comply as follows:

1. Proposed District Projects must be submitted to the Cabinet Secretary at least 90 days prior to Convention, that is no later than 23 July 2022.
2. Nominations for District Governor, 1st Vice District Governor and 2nd Vice District Governor and, all constitutional notices of motions, must be submitted to the Cabinet Secretary at least 60 days prior to Convention, that is no later than 22 August 2022.
3. Representative nominations for VLF and Licola Board submitted to the Cabinet Secretary at least 30 days prior to Convention, that is no later than 21 September 2022.
4. Nominations for the position of International Director at least 30 days prior to the Convention, that is no later than 21 September 2022.

Tony Leonard
District Rules and By-Laws

PROGRAM

Friday 21st - Sunday 23rd at the Lakes Entrance Mechanics Hall for business session

- Registration open from 4pm, free BBQ
- Convention starts Friday 6pm
- Friday night entertainment with finger food and a cash bar
- Breakfast and Lunch and Saturday night at Bellevue Convention Centre
- JPS District final will take place after morning tea
- Buses running between venue and accommodation
- Saturday night theme 50's rock & roll, think happy days
- Memorial service at Mechanics Hall on Sunday morning
- Sunday Lunch at St Brendan's

Accommodation

Special price at Bellevue and Saltwater Properties - \$167/Night

Lakeside Waterfront Motel will have a special price as well as many other motels or cabins around Lakes Entrance

DISTRICT CHANGEOVER – WARRAGUL

The Annual District Changeover was held on the 17th July, 2022 at Warragul Country Club. The Annual Changeover gives the District the opportunity to thank members of the District and the Immediate Past District Governor and to welcome the new District Governor. We as a District would like to thank CC. Steven Boyce for his efforts as District Governor and giving us a wonderful year within the District. We would like welcome DG. David Culpitt, we hope it will be a terrific year and wish you luck as our District Governor.

The District would like to congratulate the following members for their awards, they are all well deserved and we appreciate everything each member does for the District and their clubs.

District Governor Star Awards

- Roger Lurz
- Ian DeBruyne
- Cynthia Robinson
- Brian Simmons
- Ron Payne
- Glenda Paragreen
- Ron Chidgey
- Maurice Blackburn

District Governor Appreciation Award

- Geoff Anderson
- Julie Swan
- PDG Norma Barnard

Leo Tyquin Award

- PDG Ian Gratton

Ian M Stockdale Award

- Colin Blythe

International Presidents Award

- Tony Leonard
- Nina Blythe
- Rod Jackson
- Ben Davies

Melvin Jones Fellowship Award

- Marguerite Byrne
- William Lack

William R Tresise Fellowship Award

- PDG Neil Wingrave
- Ian Davey



DISTRICT CHANGEOVER – WARRAGUL



REPORT ON PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT MENTORING PROGRAM

The Personal Development Mentoring (PDM) program was initiated by IPDG and MD Chairman Steve Boyce to address Member Retention and Succession Planning. The program was presented at Regional and Zone meetings and has been accepted as valuable addition to the Lions formal training courses.

It is designed to start the conversation at clubs about widening the pool of available and capable members to take up officer positions at clubs, zones and the district. Personal Development and Mentoring program assists members to understand pathways available as well as the need to engage more members in running the Lions clubs and community programs.

Good clubs provide valuable services to the community. Good clubs need good leaders. Good leaders provide the opportunity for members to contribute in service and social as well as the running of our clubs.

Let's talk about your needs and aspirations as a member of this great organisation.

We have the programs to help. These programs are available and FREE.


All you need to do is ask.

Yours in service,

Brian Simons

Dromana Lions VP, V3 Zone Chairman, V3 PDM Program

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**YOUR CHANCE FOR A
REWARDING
ROLE**

**Lions have programs to
develop effective leaders**

These programs are available,
easy to access and effective
in outcomes.

**This may be your path to
enjoying the development
of skills in others**

Contact **Brian Simons** on 0419 356 967
to access the District 201V3 Personal
Development and Mentoring program

Good Lions Clubs create
better communities Good Clubs need
good leaders

JUNIOR PUBLIC SPEAKING

We are now at the pointy end of the Junior Public Speaking program for 2022. Lions Clubs wishing to participate in the program should by now have been in contact with schools in their area. But it is not too late. Schools return from holidays to commence Term 3 on Monday, 11th July and provided Clubs move fairly quickly, it will be still possible to include your Club and your schools in the program. Even if you have only one cooperating school, it is still possible to run the program.

In order to keep the JPS process on schedule, the following deadlines should be observed by Clubs.

- Schools should nominate representatives for the Club Level Competition by the end of July although some slippage will be possible in consultation with the sponsoring Lions Club.
- Club Level Competitions should be held during August and Clubs should nominate their representatives for the Zone Competition to their Zone Chair

by the end of August, although, again, some slippage in the date will be possible in consultation with your Zone Chair.

- Zone Finals, to be organized by the Zone Chair, must be held during September, before 16th September (the end of the School Term 3).
- District semi-finals will be held at two locations after the start of Term 4 in early of October – dates to be advised and venues will depend on the geographical spread of participating Zones.
- The 201V3 District Final will be held on Saturday, 22nd October at the District Convention in Lakes Entrance.

This year JPS may go "State wide". Following District Finals, a State Final may be held for the District finalists in all participating "V" Districts. Details of dates and venue of State level events have yet to be finalised.

A reminder that the topics for the 2022 JPS Competition are:

Years 3 – 4: "A Place, other than in your home state, that you would like to visit".

Tell us why you would like to visit this place, how you would get there, and what you would like to see and do when you get there.

Years 5 – 6: "Introduce a Famous Person who lived in the 19th Century".

e.g. Charlie Chaplin, Florence Nightingale, Helen Keller, Alexander Bell, Louis Pasteur.

You have been asked to introduce this Famous Person at a special event.

Tell us a little about this person, what they did and how they became famous.

Information about JPS has been circulated to all Clubs but please contact me if you need this to be sent again – and also please contact me for any advice or assistance needed.

Geoff Anderson

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LION CAKES



As of the 1st July there will be a new order form from traditional foods on the md web site that order form is the only one that will be accepted.

The password is westons2020 that hasn't changed.

Payment by electronic funds transfer is preferred.

It is getting to that time of year when clubs will be starting to think about their cake orders.

Please note discount price only available if payment and delivery made within the discount period of 1st July to 31st October.

As of the 1st July 2022 there will be a price rise 1.5kg will be \$19.00. 1kg will be \$15.00, Plum puddings will be \$15.00 and mini cakes will stay at \$ 2.00. This has all to do with price increases across the board, transport, production cost and ingredients costs.

I would advise clubs to get their orders in by August/September to be sure you get your orders on time and to be able to fulfill your club orders. Allow 10 working/business days for delivery from receipt of your order by Traditional Foods Customer Service. Email orders are preferred to expedite delivery. If using mailing order form, add Australia Post delivery time to the 10 day turnaround for delivery.

Lion Nina Blythe

V District State Coordinator for Cakes

Note: for discount delivery ordering cut-off date to receive discount orders must be received by 14th October 2022 to be delivered within the discount period also please note payment reference must include the Club LCI number. Orders delivered and payment after 31st October will be invoiced at full price.

LION MINTS



I have been informed the Lions Mints will be back in production by the end of June, Dollar Sweets have been waiting for a technician to come out from America to commission the machine to be able to produce the mints. To date Dollar Sweets have 164 outstanding orders and I believe once the machine is up and going all back orders will be filled.

Please check your outlets and update Club contact information; a club email contact, as there are mints out there and the contact on the headers are no longer Lions. A club email would be a good idea for contact. Keep a register of your outlets, when they are serviced and that way the club has a record should anything unforeseen happen.

Lion Nina Blythe

V3 District Chairperson Cakes & Mints



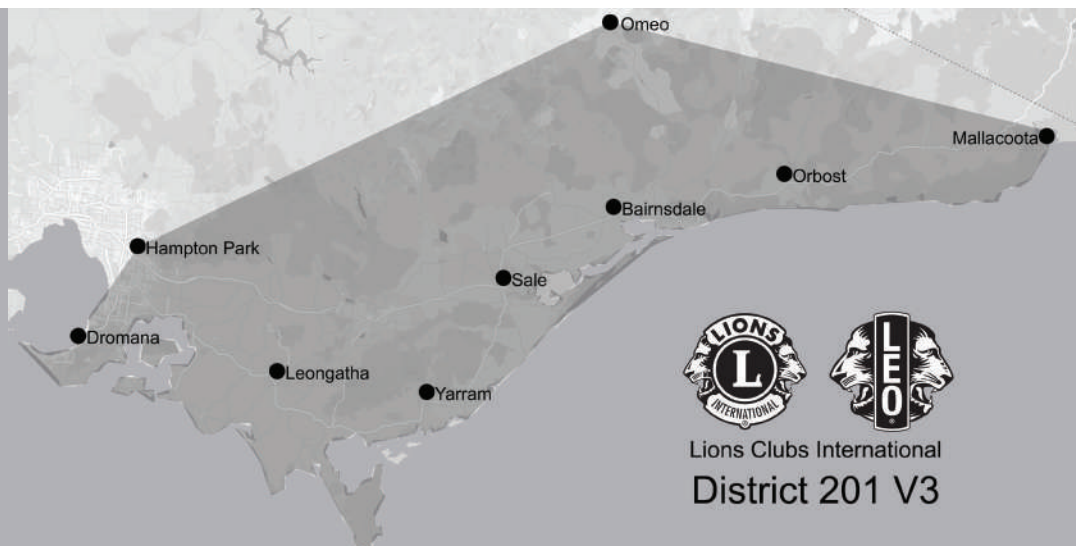
REMINDERS

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DATE OF SUBMISSION
By 15th of each month @ 12pm



The Annual District Changeover was held on the 17th July, 2022 at Warragul Country Club



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