



District 201V3 Newsletter



MAFFRA LION LIONESSES – 50 YEARS OF SERVICE



Maffra Lionesses, Gwenda Millar and Maureen Moulton were awarded medals and certificates in appreciation of their achievements for 50 years' service with Maffra Lioness Club. In March 1970, wives and partners of the Maffra Lions Club formed the Lions Ladies

Auxiliary with Judy Pentland as the inaugural president, Jillian Johnstone as secretary and Heather Ollier as treasurer.

Maureen Moulton joined the Lions Ladies Auxiliary in 1971, followed by Gwenda Millar just a few months later, with whom the two would become dear friends. In May 1985, the Lions Ladies Auxiliary became autonomous from the Maffra Lions Club, forming the service club still running today, the Maffra Lioness Club. Gwenda and Maureen were commended for their dedication to the Maffra Lioness Club, receiving framed certificates and medals for 50 years of service from Past District Governor and Lions Council Chairman Steve Boyce.

Over the past 12 months, Gwenda and Maureen alongside the Maffra Lionesses have donated \$1,000 to the Maffra Municipal Band for new yellow band jackets, held and Op Shop Fashion Parade and high tea with Maffra Secondary College, donate proceeds to the Maffra Cemetery Trust for more seating around the cemetery and packing Share the Dignity 'It's in the Bag' to support women experiencing period poverty and many more projects.

Maffra Lion Lioness Club President Faye Anderson said that Gwenda and Maureen are highly valued members of the club who have now received their 50 years of dedicated service and these women still play a big part in the club's fundraising activities and raising thousands of dollars for local Maffra causes. They are an inspiration to all members who follow our Lions Motto 'We Serve', we look forward to many more years of service.

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



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DATES TO REMEMBER

DECEMBER 2022

- 3rd International Day of Persons with Disabilities

JANUARY 2023

- 24th International Day of Education

FEBRUARY

- 11th International Day of Women and Girls in Science
- 13th World Radio Day

MARCH

- 8th International Women's Day
- 20th International Day of Happiness
- 21st World Down Syndrome Day

Notice from the Newsletter Team

We apologise for the late newsletters we have had complications with our technology and personal issues we will try to get back on track and would like thank you for your patience.



Message From District Governor David Culpitt



I would like to have a chat with you all about Melvin Jones Fellowship. The Fellowship is a way Lions Clubs International Foundation funds our work for humanitarian needs around the world, in which Australia receives funds that our clubs give to the foundation.

Our District has MJF credits of \$143,000 which need to be dispersed into Melvin Jones Fellowships that can be given to members of the community as well as Lions members. The MJF is NOT an award and should not be used by clubs as a long service award or clubs say it's the highest award in Lions which it is not.

This year our District has got a budget to raise \$37,000 for LCIF which equals to \$600.00 per club to donate to LCIF this year. LCIF has a new fundraising program called Lions share where Lions can buy a pin for the year starting at 1 star up to 3 stars for a donation to LCIF of \$300 for 3 stars and it goes onto personal credits for an MJF.

Membership has gone down this Lions year and I would like to ask all clubs to get back into the membership growth for their clubs. We do not want to see the district go back into transition, if your club needs help with a membership drive please contact Colin Blythe.

DG Team visits have started, and we will be getting around as many clubs as we can over the next few weeks. If your club has any special events coming up, please let us know.

Working with Children cards every member should have one as our clubs are doing projects with children can all members, please give Geoff Anderson your card number so we have got it on record. The last thing we need as a district is a complaint and we are not compliant with the law as this is in our Child Safe Policy which was adopted by Multiple District.

Lions Clubs Code of Conduct all clubs should have a copy of this or download it from Lions Australia website.

Have a good month everyone and let's see our membership grow.

David Culpitt
District Governor



WELFARE / MEMBERSHIP REPORT

District Governor David and the members of Lions District 201V3 send our sympathy to the families of the following Lions and partners who have passed away over the past month.

Lions Club of Flinders	Lion Peter Lole
Lions Club of Mornington	Lion Frank Doherty
Lions Club of Pakenham	Lion Michele Matthews-McMahan
Lions Club of Sale	Lion Lyn Fehring
	Lion Bruce Morris
Lions Club of Traralgn	Lion Colleen Docherty
Lions Club of Yarragon	Lion Lionel Deane

On the sick list and we hope by the time this newsletter goes to print that you are all on the way to recovery. All of our good wishes go out to you all.

Lions Club of Bairnsdale	Lion Colin Riseley
Lions Club of Frankston	Lion Fred Wormersley
Lions Club of Moe	Lion Barbara Cameron
Lions Club of Mt. Martha	Lion David Thomas
Lions Club of Mirboo North	Lions Lady Julie Wilson
Lions Club of Wellington LaTrobe	Lion Julie Wynn
	Lion Bev Goddard
	Kevin Morgan is still not well.

ON A MUCH BRIGHTER NOTE WE WELCOME TO THE MEMBERSHIP OF DISTRICT 201V3 THE FOLLOWING LIONS.

Lions Club of Balnarring	Lion Danny Kirkpatrick
Lions Club of Balla Balla	Lion Daniel Patton
Lions Club of Dromana	Lion Paul Andrews
Lions Club of Gippsland Lakes Lionesses	Lion Jennifer Whitworth
Lions Club of Lakes Entrance	Lion Michael Murphy
Lions Club of McCrae & District	Lion Colin Taylor
Lions Club of Maffra	Lion Peter Clark
	Lion Clint Henness
Lions Club of Mt. Martha	Lion Penelope Coady
	Lion Peter Elkins
Lions Club of Paynesville	Lion Carol Crane
Lions Club of Red Hill & District	Lion Robin Griffiths
	Lion Will McColl
Lions Club of Rye	Lion Christopher Derwin

"I would to acknowledge and thank the many Lions members that attended Peter's funeral. Unfortunately the Funeral Director didn't include in the booklet all the names of those who very kindly took the time to share the day with me and our family, it was very much appreciated.

Please accept this as my personal thank you. It meant the world to me to know that others thought so highly of Peter as I do."

Kind regards,
Kay McShane

Thank you all for joining your respective Clubs and we hope you will enjoy working with and enjoying the company of your fellow Lions.

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GLOBAL LEADERSHIP TEAM REPORT

Identification of Leaders

It is important to identify potential Lions leaders, both within our Clubs and District and in supporting these people with their development. The identification of such Lions will occur with the interaction of our members within our district. Options for these Lions by our District Governor Team who are striving to identify potential leaders; potentially via their visit to Clubs as part of the annual District visitation program, and another key group of Lions will be the Region/Zone Chairpersons who will also be visiting Clubs and running DG Advisory Committee Meetings on a regular basis in their respective Region/Zones. These key District leaders should be giving names of Lions that we should catch up with and offer suggestions around courses on the Lions Learning Centre, Institutes to attend, Conventions to attend and Forums such as ANZI Pacific forum opportunities. These identified Lions need to be guided on appropriate leadership pathways that will enrich their skills, knowledge, and competencies to become your District leaders of the future. This is being proactive rather than reactive.

Quality Training

Lions Clubs International have world class online training available to all Lions, both online in the Lions LEARN website for Lions wanting to progress further, Lions Institutes have several top class training available.

Institutes

Institutes on offer in CA7 for 2022/23: Advanced Lions Leadership Institute (proposed in Bali during November), Faculty Development Institute (proposed in Perth in December), Regional Lions Leadership Institute (proposed in Sydney in February) and Lions Certified Instructor Program (proposed in Christchurch in April). Further details can be provided on request.

Regards,

Maurice Blackburn
201V3 GLT Coordinator

AUSTRALIAN LIONS FOUNDATION

Overview – History of the Australian Lions Foundation

Our motto is *“Helping Lions, Help their Community”*.

Until 1974 when Cyclone Tracy struck Darwin, there had never been a Lions National Disaster Committee. In 1983 the Multiple District Convention at Mt. Gambier delegates approved the establishment of the Foundation.

The Foundation was formed under a Trust Deed that covered the following:

- **Provides help and assistance** in all forms for public relief, emergency aid and community welfare for persons in necessitous circumstances in Australia.
- **Gifts of Two Dollars** (\$2.00) or more are Tax Deductible for donations to the Disaster and Compassionate Funds.
- **Six Directors** representing each State/Territory manage the affairs of the Foundation. The Directors meet four times per year to review all the affairs of the Foundation and to consider all applications for assistance that have been received since the previous Directors Meeting.
- **Directors** are elected to serve for a three-year term, with two Directors elected each year, on a rotational basis, to ensure continuity. Each Director has a specific portfolio to help the Foundation carry out its operations. **These include Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson, Secretary, Treasurer, Promotions Chairperson, Grants Chairperson and Awards Chairperson.**
- **Clubs and Districts** are encouraged to submit applications, (understanding that there is no guarantee of its success) to the Foundation for assistance for intended projects of any size. The Foundation does not provide complete funding for any project. The goal of the Foundation is to assist the applicant Club or District, (subject to Foundation Grant Guidelines and

ALF funds available) if they do not have sufficient funds to carry out the project. The decisions of the Directors are final, and no correspondence will be entered into.

- **The Foundation makes Emergency Funds** available to Clubs and Districts to immediately assist people affected by Earthquakes, Floods, Bush Fires, Droughts etc. The Foundation also assists the MD Council of Governors, when requested, to administer National Funds.
- **Funding of the Australian Lions Foundation** comes from gifts by Lions and Leo Clubs, Zones and Districts, Individuals, Bequests and Interest Earned from Investments.
- **Award Program** the Australian Lions Foundation has an Award Program that Clubs and Districts can participate in by sending an undesignated gift to the Foundation. These Awards are available to Clubs and Districts who wish to recognize and honour an Individual or Group, including non-lions.

In 2015 to meet the change in fundraising requirements in all States of Australia, the Foundation had to change its structure (Australian Lions Foundation Ltd).

- All Lions Clubs can be Australian Lions Foundation Ltd. Members, but due to the changes, each Club must now re-apply to be a member and to provide their guarantee that if, in the case the Foundation is wound up and if it has any debts, each Club who is a member may be liable for an amount up to the value of A\$1.00.
- Clubs must be members of the Foundation to receive any Grant funds, so Clubs who are not members are contacted on a regular basis by their District Chairpersons and given the opportunity to join.
- It is most unlikely that Clubs would ever be asked for a “Guarantee” as the Foundation only operates on a “Cash” basis and has no debts.



The Australian Lions Foundation Ltd. is the Foundation of every Lion and Leo in our Multiple District. It can support Clubs in many ways as Clubs support the Foundation through donations and through the presentation of Foundation Awards.

Note: Donations to the Emergency/Disaster Relief Appeal do not qualify for Australian Lions Foundation Ltd. Awards, as these funds are only held by the ALF and fully disbursed to the impacted areas for use in the support and recovery for community areas impacted by a disaster.

ALF LTD – AWARDS

Awards are a major fundraiser for the Foundation, and, more importantly, provide a vehicle for Clubs and Districts to recognise the efforts of Lions, Leos and others who make the world a better place. These awards take the form of the following:

The following are the Awards available for Clubs to present to deserving Lions in recognition of their service and commitment.

- **William R Tresise Fellow Award Cost \$2,000**
- **Ian M Stockdale Humanitarian Award Cost \$1,000**
- **James D Richardson Honour Award Cost \$500**
- **Community Service Award Cost \$250**

The **Community Service Award** is an Award produced by the Foundation to enable Clubs to recognise **Non-Lions** in their Community for the work that they do to recognise individuals, organisations or groups that either support Clubs or do some exceptional work in supporting their local community.

ALF V3 DISBURSEMENT 2020–2022: Bushfire and other Project Support for V3

District 201v3 during 2020–2022 received financial assistance totalling \$1,462,563 from financial gifts donated to ALF by a number of Lions Clubs and other contributors.

- \$187,000.00 was financial support given to residence impacted by the 2019–2020 Bushfires
- Other recipient projects- (Licola Village; Clifton Creek Local Community; Mallacoota Recovery Camp and Skate Park; Timber Milling Project; Lakes Entrance Wairewa Public Hall)

ALF covers all States and Territories – during 2020–2022 contributed a total of some \$4,590.130 to the needs of the wider Pride of Lions and community projects.

As ALF District V3 Chair and on behalf of the ALF we wish to express our heart thanks to all those clubs and other contributors for their overwhelming continued support through times of adversity.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours in Lionism,

Marguerite Byrne MJF

ALF District Chair

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YOUTH EXCHANGE

The poster for the International Youth Exchange Camp in New Zealand. It features a blue and white logo at the top left with the text 'Youth Camps & Exchange'. Below the logo, the text reads 'International Youth Exchange Camp' and 'New Zealand' in a large, stylized font. The dates '27TH DEC 2022 - 6TH JAN 2023' are listed below. There are four small images showing outdoor activities: a person climbing a rope, a person in a boat, a person in a kayak, and a person in a boat. At the bottom, there is text providing details about the camp: 'Ages: 17-20 years', 'Location: Ngamuwahine Outdoor Education Lodge, Tauranga, New Zealand.', 'Cost: \$750 NZD.', 'Enquiries: Lion Shae Collis.', and 'E: youthexchange.pc10@lions.org.au'.

Dear Clubs,

The International Youth Exchange Program is back up and running and the Multiple District Committee are excited to begin sharing outbound opportunities for our youth.

Among these opportunities is Camp Tauranga, held in New Zealand from the 27th Dec 2022 to the 6th Jan 2023. The camp is welcoming Australian applicants aged 17–21 at the time of camp.

A flyer is attached that can be shared throughout club networks promoting this opportunity. Cost of the camp itself is \$750 NZD, it is estimated that total cost for youth to attend including travel and insurances would be approx. \$2,500 AUD.

Please note that this is a camp only, with no home hosting. Should a youth attending express an interest in wanting to be home hosted, we will discuss with our NZ counterparts to try and arrange.

Interested youth are asked to contact Lion Shae Collis via the details on the flyer.

Kind Regards,

Lion Shae Collis

MD201 (Australia)

Youth Exchange and International Youth Camps

Program Coordinator

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YOUTH OF THE YEAR

The youth of year program was first implemented in 1964 which has fostered and optimised the confidence, leadership and citizenship qualities in thousand of school-leavers. We give our youth an opportunity to experience success.

Entry requirements for students

- As of the 30th June the student must be over 15 years and under 19 years
- An Australian or permanent resident
- Attended a secondary education during the year of National final

There are two parts of a club final

- The interview
- The public speaking

Timeline

- Club Final: Fourth term or early first term of the following year
- Zone/Region Final: Mid March
- District Final: Dependent on the District
- State Final: Late March – Mid April

For more information please contact:

Julie Swan

District Youth of Year Coordinator

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PAYNESVILLE LIONS CLUB



Above are photos taken at the official launch of the food bank on Thursday August 25th when the Lions provided a very popular free sausage sizzle.

Paynesville Lions Club President Bill East has taken the initiative in forming a dynamic partnership with the Paynesville Neighbourhood Centre (PNC) in establishing and supporting the creation of a local food bank. It has been operating for a few weeks now at the PNC. The Paynesville Lions Club has provided people power to set up and maintain supplies. The Lions have also been involved in regularly delivering food boxes to local vulnerable people who are struggling to cope financially. This behind-the-scenes work, without publicity, is making a real difference in people's lives.

SALE LIONS CLUB

With the pandemic preventing the Lions Club of Sale from having their annual changeover dinner in 2021, this year's changeover dinner was a welcome event. Held at Sale Legends on 17th August 2022, it was well attended by Lions from the Sale Club, with much appreciated representation from other clubs within the zone. Also present were our wonderful sponsors and local organisations without whom the Sale Lions would have a greatly reduced beneficial reach within the community.

Outgoing President Peter Coaucud presented awards and recognitions, while the ceremony of inducting the incoming officers was handled admirably by ZCC Bill Lack. Incoming President Frank Birthisel spoke of his goals for the incoming year, especially that of finding a permanent home for the Sale Lions.





He will have the unfailing support of his fellow club members in achieving this goal!

This occasion was also a celebration of 55 years since the inception and charter of the Sale Lions Club in 1967. It is a celebration of not only the considerable fundraising and service activities undertaken during this time but also the mentoring and development of our youth, incorporating such services as Public Speaking for local children and youth, Youth Exchange (hopefully soon to return to the Lions stage) and contributing time and effort to the Licola Wilderness Village. Long live Sale Lions!

Photos attached are of incoming President Frank Birthisel and ZCC Bill Lack and a photo of Immediate Past President Peter Coucaud passing the gong to President Frank.

HEYFIELD LIONS CLUB

Heyfield has had some terrific events including their 54th Annual Changeover and the Lions Childhood cancer Biggest BBQ.



Above are photos from the Heyfield Club on the day working hard out in the sun.

Childhood Cancer Biggest BBQ

On the Grand Final morning in September, the Heyfield Lions conducted their annual Childhood Cancer Biggest BBQ in front of their local IGA. It was an excellent day and the club raised \$500 for the cause. Great work Heyfield!

Heyfield Lions Club 54th Annual Change-over Dinner

The Heyfield Lions Club celebrated their 54th Annual Change-over Dinner at the Railway Hotel. 58 Lions, their wives, partners & friends came together to enjoy a great meal & get-together put on by the staff at the hotel. There were club representatives from Macalister Valley - Newry Lions, Wellington Latrobe Lions, Sale Lions, Stratford Lions and Rosedale Lions in attendance. Secretary Bill Lack was the M.C. for the evening, keeping procedures & noisy club members in check. Multiple District Council Chair, IPDG Steven Boyce installed new President Bob Lloyd & his board for the 2022-2023 year. Past President Richard Fawaz vacated the presidency position leaving the club in a strong & excellent position. Richard had a very busy year, both inside & outside the club with many varied activities, as well as the odd health problem. With Bob Lloyd being this year's new president, he will enjoy the great support of Bill Lack as his very competent Secretary (2nd Year), & David Chambers as the Trusty Treasurer (3rd Year).

Steven Boyce congratulated past president Richard Fawaz on his clubs strength & achievements for the past year. Lion Jamie Woolan & Lion Scott Stevens received their club badges as new members of the club. It is great to see younger community members stepping up into this great club of ours.



Above are photos include the Immediate Past President Richard, President Bob and CC and IPDG Steve and a photo of the incoming board for 22-23 with CC and IPDG Steve.

Graeme Weatherley & Ted Artso from the Heyfield's RSL "Scotty's" Raffle committee presented cheques to both the Heyfield RSL vice president Sue Artso, & the Heyfield Lions Club. These are proceeds from the Friday & Saturdays raffles. Allowing funds to be put back into the community's needy causes. The dining room was decorated with the help of Dianne Fawaz & Annie Lack. It was a great night including the traditional Bob's raffle – "swindle" & completed with a "Leonie" fines session conducted by Tail Twisters, Kerry Sutherland & Turn Coleman. A great night enjoyed by all & another very busy year ahead for the Heyfield Lions Club.

WELLINGTON LATROBE LIONS CLUB

Wellington Latrobe is another club that has had a few events, including their annual changeover and a celebration of the Queen's 70th Jubilee.

Annual Changeover

The Lions Club of Wellington/Latrobe had their slightly delayed Changeover dinner on Wednesday the 7th September at the wonderful Victoria Rose Tea Rooms in Rosedale.

The evening started off in fine style with the invocation and Loyal Toast being presented by Lion Kevin Morgan, which was followed by President Peter Proposing a toast to the memory of Lion Peter McShane.

The night was well attended by representatives of Maffra, Heyfield, Rosedale and Traralgon Lions Clubs. The evening was made even more special by the attendance of Lions Allen and Gerarda Marshal from the Maffra Lions Club.

Allen Marshal was the clubs "GUIDING" Lion and it was due to Lion Allen's efforts that this club was able to be chartered in 2000. We continue to be grateful for all that Allen and Gerarda have done for this great Lions Club. Lion Robert (Bob) Howie, our second VDG presided over the formalities and as such conducted the installation of the new board in fine style.

Office Bearers for The 2022/2023 Lions Year

President	Lion Peter Feenstra
1st Vice president	Lion Margaret Foulds
2nd Vice President	Lion Chris Gardner
Secretary	Lion Peter Feenstra
Minute Secretary	Lion Margaret Foulds
Treasurer	Lion Joy McLoughlin

Assistant Treasurer

Lion Lisa Greenwood

1st Year Directors

Lions Colin Gardner & Joy Heron

2nd Year Directors

Lions Rod Affleck & Malcolm Goodwin

Membership Chairperson

Lion Colin Gardner

Club LCIF Chairperson

Lion Lisa Greenwood

Club Administrator

Lion Margaret Foulds

After the installation of the board, President Peter gave a short closing address and expressed his optimism for the years to come. The club continues to have a positive impact on the local community and is well respected.

Queen's 70th Jubilee

The Lions Club of Wellington/Latrobe celebrated the Queens 70th Jubilee by planting a Pin Oak Tree at the Village Green in Toongabbie, by Latrobe City Mayor Cr Kellie O'Callaghan on Sunday the 4th of September.

Though there was only a small crowd attending, this did not take away from the importance of the occasion: Celebrating the wonderful achievement of Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth the 2nd 70th year on the Throne!

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN

This truly was a special occasion with those attending joining the Lions in a wonderful afternoon tea after the tree planting.

There was a Queens Corgi colouring in competition for the kids and Aurora Shaw from Rosedale was the winner and Cr Kellie presented her with a \$10.00 gift voucher as an award for her efforts.



TOORA LIONS CLUB

Lions Club of Toora 50th Anniversary Celebrations

What do old Lions have in common after decades of service to their local and global communities? Pride, sense of achievement, of accomplishment and even self-worth? Yes, indeed.

And what do old Lions have in common after hitting the dance floor at their club's 50th Anniversary? Sore hips, recalcitrant knees and aches where you would not believe? Yes, indeed, true again.

But overall, a very distinct feeling of having achieved yet the impossible. It is all done you see in the spirit, the Lions Spirit, which has inspired and guided the Lions of Toora for the past 50 years. Anecdotes taken out of the Club's history, statistics recounted here and there, firmly prove that the Lions of Toora were, are and will continue to be a formidable entity that has helped the local community through thick and thin since the days of the Chartering of the Club back in November 1972.

One of the original foundation members of the club and the only surviving one, Bob Roff was present with his wife Noelle. Bob is still an active member of the Lions Club of Yarram. District V3 Governor Elect, Kim Ainsworth was at hand, to honour Bob, for his 60 years of service to both Apex (10 years) and Lions (50 years) and duly acknowledged his lifetime of service with special mementos.



It was a joyous celebration held at the Toora Hall and attended by 120 guests dressed up in incredible and colourful 70's fashions. Kaftans, dreadlocks a la Bob Marley, shimmering pant suits, Hippy daisy chains, curls and dazzling vinyl and much more were offered to culminate in a tightly contested fashion parade judged by the very able Toora entity, Mauzie, of Mauzies Vintage. The fabulous band, Lionel Loves Vinyl with its recreation of 70's hits, dragged a very receptive audience out of their seats and quite often comfort zone, for generally speaking amazing performances on the dance floor.

And finally as it is de rigeur with any Lions gathering, a raffle took place and lucky winners were able to take home a load of fire wood or gas bottle, gift baskets of different sizes and contents to vinyl records in perfect condition. Imagine sitting on the deck, on a sunny Sunday afternoon listening to Neil Diamond or Captain and Tennille?

A great night of celebrations that really befitted the momentous occasion of the Lions Club of Toora 50th Anniversary on Saturday November 5th, 2022.

World Sight Day

To mark World Sight Day without imposing too much on the Club's members, with the help of my 2 city dwellers grandsons who were conveniently visiting Foster we have created a few artful masterpieces to brighten up the District Newsletter.

"Young, old or just plain silly, the Lions Club of Toora (and its off-shoots), celebrated World Sight Day on October 13th, by donning those funky, disposable, recyclable but totally useless glasses sporting the all-important message: Love Your Eyes."



WARRAGUL LIONS CLUB



Here are the photos of the opening by the Shire Mayor of Baw Baw Cr Michael Leaney of the lions logo in civic park Warragul supported by the Warragul Lions Club.

FRANKSTON LIONS CLUB

Baden Power Park Scout Group Donations

On the 3rd July 2022 the Lions Club of Frankston in conjunction with the Baden Powell Park Scout Group had a sausage sizzle at Bunnings Frankston to raise some money towards a sound proofing ceiling in their Scout Hall.



Presentation above by President Lion Julie Swan to Scout Leader Jo Abbott and Joeys.

75 years Plaque

On the 28th September 2022, Mayor Cr Nathan Conroy of the Frankston City Council, together with President Julie Swan of the Lions Club of Frankston, officially unveiled a plaque to commemorate 75 years of Lions in Australia.

This plaque, located in the George Pentland Gardens, Frankston (Foot Street end), was jointly created by both the Frankston City Council and the Lions Club of Frankston.

Well done to all that were involved in making this happen.



60 Years Service

The Lions Club of Frankston celebrating 60 years of Community Service in Frankston. Lions District Governor David Culpitt attended our business meeting to help celebrate our 60 year milestone.



Nepean School in Seaford – Ongoing Support

The Lions Club of Frankston had an opportunity to present a cheque to the Nepean School in Seaford, showing our ongoing support to them. Back on the 6th March 2022 the Lions Children of Courage Project had their Awards presentation at the school. PDG Lion Norma Barnard also presented a cheque to the school, on behalf of the Children of Courage Committee.

We were able to meet with the Principal, Carolyn Gurrier-Jones and Student Leaders of the school. The Lions Club of Frankston and Children of Courage committee, wish the Nepean School all the best on their future endeavours.



DROMANA LIONS CLUB

Thanks to the efforts of Club Member Colin Stevens and Dromana Primary School Grade 6 teacher, Lucy Harding, prejudging of twelve students was conducted at the primary school on Tuesday morning the 2nd of August.

The preparation by the students was excellent, although a couple of students spoke on the same subject, their presentations were different and of interest to the audience. Our judging team of three club members had a difficult time selecting six finalists to progress on to the Club Final to be held on Wednesday the 24th August at the Safety Beach Community Centre.

On that evening, the six finalists enthusiastically faced an independent judging team in front of some forty guests, including club members, parents and extended family members and teaching staff. It was obvious that the students had revised and practiced their speeches over that three-week period as their presentations were much improved from the school judging to the club final judging. Jemma Coe was unanimously declared the winner of our club final and will now progress on to the District Semi Final at the Tooradin Sports Club on Monday the 3rd October.



PHILLIP ISLAND LIONS CLUB

FOR SALE – Lions Large BBQ Trailer

Pre-loved large Lions BBQ trailer for sale.

Four-burner gas hotplate at rear. Wired for electricity for an on-board fridge to keep milk and drinks cold for the thirsty crew and customers. Has an on-board sink for hand washing and a sump for washing up water. Back and sides can be raised easily and separately and are kept out of way by gas-powered struts.

Loads of secure storage space for folding tables, BBQ implements, Lions flagpole, car fridge, serviettes, paper cups etc.

Price: \$4,000 ONO

Contact: Lions Club of Phillip Island President Steve Munro 0400 124 546





Photos from The Annual District Convention





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REMINDERS

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



The Annual District Convention



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