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Howick Lions Club Meetings @ DMG



OUR NEXT DINNER MEETING - WEDNESDAY AUGUST 5

6:30PM FOR 7:00pm; \$28pp

DANNEMORA GARDENS, BOTANY

**Zone 7
District 202K**

AUGUST DINNER ROSTER

Guest Speaker: Alan Martin & Chris Paul Howick Volunteer Coastguard

Introduce Speaker: Brian Stocking

Thanks: Paul Curtis

Loyal Toast: Alan Mead

Invocation: Denis McKenna

Beverages: Tony Blair

Bartender: Grant Taylor

Cashier: Jean Wigzell

OUR AUGUST BUSINESS MEETING: -

WEDNESDAY - AUGUST 19, 2020

6:45pm for 7:00pm Dannemora Gardens RV, Botany



Our half-yearly Subs are now due...

Please pay Neil before August 5

(to avoid a \$5 surcharge)

Pay on-line, or other...

\$70 per member




Thank you!



President David comments...



Greetings Lions

Firstly, I would like to thank members for the opportunity of being the president of our Lions Club; I hope I live up to your expectations.

We had our first post-lockdown meeting at Dannemora on the 15th July. It was very pleasing to see the participation of our newer members, for which I am grateful, and I am confident this will continue. We, (the longer serving members) must remember to encourage our newer members; they may have a totally different perspective when looking at various projects, both old and new. Please give this your consideration.

It has been reported that our only remaining charter member, Brian Harris, is in very poor health, and Gordon Myer has sustained a back injury with his movement compromised. Rex Buckley is slowly recovering, and Ian Packwood has had some more bits removed.

With the help of Secretary Alan and others, I have worked on the outline programme for the coming year, with the focus firmly placed on youth activities and several social events to encourage bonhomie within the club; It is hoped we will experience full participation. For further details please refer to the minutes and Tatler notices.

*Sincerely
David*





THE LIONS CLUB OF HOWICK PRESENTS

MOVIE AT THE MONTEREY

Thanks to Shona & Tony we have a club booking at The Monterey to watch a movie all together - Thursday, September 10, @ 6pm. Choose from an ice cream, popcorn, or small drink with your \$20 ticket. There'll be a 'LUCKY NUMBER' prize draw. Partners, family & friends are welcome to join us - limited seating. Please pay Tony well in advance..

HOPE GAP

Staring

Bill Nighy, Annette Bening,
Josh O'Conner.

Grace lives an idyllic life in a British seaside town, but her world soon comes crashing down when her husband of 29 years tells her he's leaving her for another woman. Through stages of shock, disbelief and anger, and with support from her son, Grace ultimately regains her footing while learning it's never too late to be happy.

The film shot for five weeks across the UK, in Leeds and Doncaster and the eponymous Hope Gap, Seaford in Sussex.





District Convention registrations now open

202K

THE TARTAN ROAR

DISTRICT 202K CONVENTION

30 OCTOBER / 31 OCTOBER / 1 NOVEMBER 2020

VENUE: CELTIC BARN, 39 THE CENTRE, WAIPU

Think about joining other Lions at the upcoming District Convention at Waipu at the end of October. Convention is a great opportunity to meet new friends and rekindle friendships. It's a fine time to celebrate Lions' successes and achievements.

Having lived through the events of the past few months it will be great to get out and have fun, and if you come to the Convention at Waipu from October 30 - Nov 1, you'll have all that and more.

Please contact Secretary Alan for registration & accommodation information.

REMINDER

For Howick Lions Club members.

Our dinner meeting, scheduled for September 2, has been cancelled and is being replaced with a grand Lions dinner combined with Pakuranga-Panmure & Bucklands Beach Lions, at the famous Bucklands Beach Yacht Club at Half Moon Bay, on Wednesday September 23. Here, we will not only partake fellowship with our 'sister' club Lions, but also meet our new District Governor, Brian McMillan. Please mark your calendars for this signature Lions dinner.

Brian is a member of the Lions club of Ngatea and has been a Lion for 11 years.

Brian was born in Paeroa on the Hauraki Plains and resides in Ngatea. He grew up on a dairy farm in the small rural township of Kerepehi on the Hauraki Plains and attended his schooling at Kerepehi Primary and then Hauraki Plains College in Ngatea. He is married to Marilyn and they have three adult children and 7 grandchildren. Brian works fulltime for Farmlands Cooperative, (a rural retail business) as the Business Manager for the Ngatea Branch.





Jottings from our business meeting July 15, 2020 - at DMG



New team takes reins

David & Alan, long-time Lions & close friends, assumed the leadership of this 2020/2021 Lions year at our business meeting at Dannemora Gardens Village where we were 16 to review & discuss the correspondence, the agenda and other issues which arose. It was a lively and a fun meeting.



We agreed to accept the Howick Village Business Assn's invitation to take stall space to sell Lions Christmas Cakes at their new, revamped "midnight madness" (pre-Christmas) event .

We are keeping in touch with Ormiston Police to select a candidate for an available slot at an Outward Bound intake at Anakiwa in early 2021.

We were reminded the Seniors Christmas Lunch will be held at Owairoa School on Saturday Dec 5 — a good club muster will be expected for this long -running community project. Our six-monthly subscriptions have been set at \$70 & should be paid to Neil not later than August 5. NOTE; late payments attract a \$5 surcharge. Sausage Sizzles will re-start at The Warehouse on July 25, and the HHV will reopen for the public from August 29.

A 'pot-luck' dinner for club members (& partners) is being planned for Saturday, August 29 at PDG Alan & Karen's home. Tony & Shona have booked The Monterey cinema for a Club movie evening - 'HOPE GAP', for Thursday evening September 10. Members are reminded to invite family & friends to this social fund-raiser - \$20pp. (See page 4). Secretary Alan will explore the opportunity to hold a Combined Club's social evening at the Howick Little Theatre (HLT) for the play 'A Christmas Carol'; season Nov 14 - Dec 5. A Club Car Rally is also on the planning list for some time early in the new year. Rex & Rosemary have offered to hold an 11s later in the new year - many thanks to you both. We will look at participating in the next annual Howick Santa Parade, perhaps also with Howick College Leos alongside.

Jan presented a mock-up of a suggested Howick Lions Club pictorial Howick 2021 calendar with scenic photos taken by Jan (copyright-free!) - as a club fund-raiser. There was good reception by the meeting; we may need to consider the possibility of the Village Business Assn (or other) also publishing a similar item.



For a full & detailed account of this business meeting
please refer to the official minutes from Secretary Alan



Our Service Roles for 2020 - 2021

The Board of Directors of The Lions Club of Howick for 2020 / 2021



President	David Westwick
Immediate Past President	Paul Curtis
1st Vice President	Judith Korau
Secretary	Alan Sheath
Treasurer	Neil Hornblow
LCIF Co-ordinator	Paul Curtis
Membership Director	Colin Salt

OTHER APPOINTMENTS

<u>Tail Twister:</u>	Gordon Myer	<u>Lion Tamer(s):</u>	Dave Downie / Brian Stocking
<u>Almoner:</u>	Ian Packwood	<u>Health & Safety Officer:</u>	Tony Blair
<u>Historian:</u>	Ian Packwood	<u>Bulletin Editor:</u>	Denis McKenna

<u>Administration & Finance:</u>	David Westwick, Alan Sheath, Neil Hornblow
<u>Fellowship:</u>	Brian Stocking, Denis McKenna, Jean Wigzell
<u>Membership:</u>	Colin Salt
<u>Youth Affairs:</u>	Alan Mead, Alan Sheath, David Westwick, Ella Curtis, Ian Packwood
<u>Community Projects:</u>	Alan Sheath, Colin Salt, David Westwick, Jan Tait, Rajiv Sondhi
<u>Communications:</u>	Colin Salt, Jan Tait, Paul Curtis

ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

<u>Beeswax Eco-Wraps:</u>	Paul Curtis
<u>DMG Liaison:</u>	Brian Stocking
<u>Club Branded Apparel:</u>	Denis McKenna
<u>Club Website Management:</u>	Paul Curtis
<u>Historical Village Liaison:</u>	Colin Salt
<u>Lions Christmas Cakes:</u>	Jan Tait, Agnes Li
<u>Spectacle Recycling:</u>	Colin Salt
<u>Lion Mints Sales & Distribution:</u>	Neil Hornblow
<u>Sausage Sizzles:</u>	Judith Korau (logistics), Brian Stocking (bookings), Dave Downie, Tina Singh
<u>Schools Hot Chips Service:</u>	Lead Lion - Tony Blair
<u>Senior's Christmas Lunch:</u>	Gordon Myer, Tony Blair, Shona Blair (catering), Jean Wigzell (MC/Entertainment)
<u>Water Safety Picnic:</u>	Paul Curtis, Grant Taylor, Rex Buckley

**** Please see President David if there are changes to a role any member wishes to make.***



LION

SOUTH PACIFIC EDITION

**WE
SERVE**
Where there's a need there's a LION

**From the desk of Matt Nicholson,
Managing Editor, LION Magazine
(South Pacific)**

The July 2020 issue marks a few changes to the LION Magazine here in the South Pacific, as we move to a less regular publication calendar of two issues per year rather than six - due to funding cuts from LCI. It also marks the honour of the editorial team passing the LION Magazine torch over to a new, fresh, pair of eyes as a new Editorial Team takes hold of the magazine from the beginning of July 2020. To all of you who have read each of our issues over the past years, contributed valuable stories, shared feedback, and helped us build a better, stronger, magazine - we thank you. Kia Kaha, e noho ra



1916



1918



1920

OUR LCI LOGO: - A POTTED HISTORY

In over 100 years of use, the Lions logo has changed and evolved.

But it has always stood for the same purpose: - 'We Serve'.

The present Lions insignia was adopted at Convention No. 3 in Chicago in 1919. The Lions depicted in this logo face both past and future - representing pride in heritage and confidence in the future. Since then minor modifications to the graphics have kept our emblem current.

Lions worldwide are recognised by this logo, which is a registered trademark in most countries. The official colours are purple & gold, although dark blue is often used in place of purple.

(The 1916 logo was the badge of one of the founding organisations, originally called 'The Royal Order of Lions', prior to the establishment of Lions Clubs International in 1917).



Lions Clubs International

Our International President extends service for another term



Dear Lion,

Together we have accomplished incredible, life-changing work around the world, but that good work has always begun with you. Your kindness and service unites your community in both good times and times of great need.

And at all times, in all places around the world, where there is need, there are Lions. That is our strength and the inspiration for my presidential theme, "United in Kindness and Diversity."

This year, we will continue to safely serve our communities. Though we face many new challenges, we will respond as we always have – with kindness, commitment, and innovation. I believe that when we serve together, we can unite our communities, and our world, to achieve a greater good for all.

I am honoured to continue to serve another year as your International President. It will be my great privilege to stand together with you in service.

Regards,

*Dr. Jung-Yul Choi
International President*

As a consequence of the cancellation of the 2020 Lions Clubs International Convention in Singapore due to concern about Covid-19, all officers continue to serve through until the 2021 Convention in Montreal, Canada.



Lloyd Morgan OBE 20-1-1918 — 24-8-2001

LMLCCT*



*** Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs Charitable Trust**

The Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs Charitable Trust was established in 1979-80 in honour of Lloyd Morgan OBE to commemorate Lloyd's year as President of the International Association of Lions Clubs.

The Trust has become the Multiple District resource for the charitable work of the Lions of New Zealand. It benefits sick, disabled or distressed people in New Zealand and the Pacific Islands. It also helps in the field of education. It has been able to assist with numerous appeals and projects and hundreds of thousands of dollars have been given to clubs by way of grants or loans to assist with a multitude of club projects.

The Trust earns its income from a variety of investments that form part of a significant capital base which continues to be built up with Lions Club support. The Capital Fund cannot be touched so it grows each year and currently exceeds \$4 million. The larger the Capital Fund grows the greater the income available for Lions Clubs projects.

There are three categories of honours granted by LMLCCT to members of all LCI clubs, their families and such other persons within the community whose contribution to Lions deserves special recognition.

Life Membership;
Honoured Recognition;
Friend of the Trust:

Past International President Lloyd Morgan, the son of a railway worker and the only New Zealander to have led Lions Clubs International, was born on January 20, 1918 in Paekakariki (*a small beach community just north of Wellington*). He was International President of LCI in 1979-80 and was actively involved in club and community work for more than 40 years. (*He died in Tauranga in August of 2001*).

At 14 with the Great Depression starting he found himself the family breadwinner. In 1960, at 42, he was introduced to Lions when a friend took him to a meeting of the Wellington (Host) Lions Club where he was impressed with the fellowship that existed amongst the members.

MISSION STATEMENT

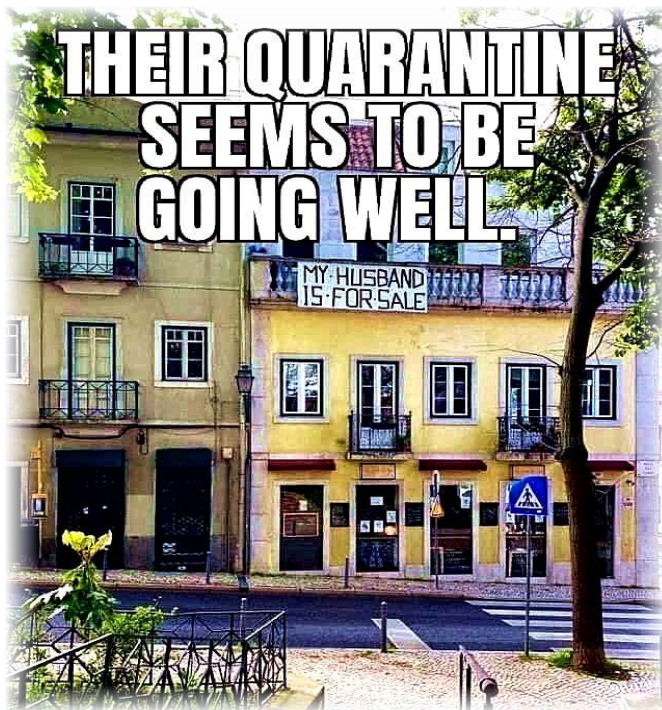
"To assist Lions Clubs to fulfil humanitarian needs."



BIRTHDAYS IN AUGUST

REX BUCKLEY
TINA SINGH

DENIS MCKENNA
BRIAN STOCKING



JUNE 25-29, PALAIS DES CONGRÈS DE MONTRÉAL

CLUB CALENDAR

August

- 5 Dinner meeting
- 19 Business Meeting
- 29 **Pot-Luck Club dinner @ Alan & Karen's home**

September

- 2 ~~Dinner meeting~~ – Cancelled
- 5 Sausage Sizzle @ The Warehouse
- 10 Movie Night @ The Monterey
- 16 Business Meeting
- 19 General Election Day
- 23 **Combined Clubs Meeting @ BBYC (Official DG visit)**
- 26 ~~Hot Chips @ Owairea School~~ Cancelled
- 27 Daylight Saving begins

October

- 7 Dinner meeting
- 8 World Sight Day
- 10 Sausage Sizzle @ The Warehouse
- 17 Hot Chips @ Star of the Sea School
- 21 Business Meeting
- 26 Labour Day
- 31 Hot Chips @ Wakaaranga School



November

- 4 Dinner meeting
- 18 Business Meeting
- 21 Sausage Sizzle @ The Warehouse

December

- 2 **Christmas Dinner meeting**
- 5 Senior's Christmas Lunch
- 12 Sausage Sizzle @ The Warehouse
- 16 Business Meeting

January 2021

- 6 **NO Dinner meeting**
- 20 Business Meeting

February

- 1 Auckland Anniversary Day (Monday)
- 3 Dinner meeting
- 8 Waitangi Day Observance (Monday)
- 17 Business Meeting



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**Charter
Presented
March
1962**



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CONVENTION DATES

District 202K Waipu, Oct 30-Nov 1, 2020

MULTI-DISTRICT 202 HUTT CITY, APRIL 23-25, 2021

INTERNATIONAL MONTRÉAL, CANADA, JUNE 25-29, 2021

The Howick Lions Club TATLER is issued 11 months of the year to all members via email. Printed booklets of the digital version (B&W) are also produced each month. Thanks to PCC Ian Packwood for printing & binding.