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Howick Lions Club Meetings in May

NEXT DINNER MEETING - WEDNESDAY MAY 5

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

DANNEMORA GARDENS, BOTANY

MAY DINNER ROSTER

Guest Speakers:	Lily Moore	Young Shakespeare Company
Special Guest	Bev Duncan	Zone 7 Chair
Introduce Speaker:	Rex Buckley	Thanks: Ella Curtis
Greeter:	Dave Downie	Loyal Toast: Judith Korau
Cashier:	Jean Wigzell	Invocation: Paul Curtis
Bartender :	Alan Mead	Beverages: Tony Blair

OUR MAY BUSINESS MEETING

WEDNESDAY - MAY 19 2021

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

CLUB INFORMATION

Dinner Meetings

Monthly - First Wednesday

6:30 pm for 7:00 pm

Business Meetings

Monthly - Third Wednesday

6:45 pm for 7:00 pm

Venue: - Pavilion Room, Dannemora Gardens, 30 Matarangi Rd, Botany

Host: Paul Johnson

Email address for all club correspondence: -

info@howicklions.org.nz

International Club No. 3766 - 023112

Depot (LEP) keys held by: -

Tony Blair; Dave Downie; Brian Stocking; Colin Salt;

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Community a/c - 01; Convention a/c - 03;

Apologies for all meetings to Secretary Alan by prior Monday

A Friendly Reminder...

Catering for our Dinner Meetings require that we communicate numbers to Dannemora by Tuesday morning latest. It is essential that apologies and meal bookings are communicated to Brian Stocking and Secretary Alan no later than Monday evening. Thank you for your assistance



President David's Message



Member Lions, Greetings

Once again Alan is chasing me for my monthly Epistle, I am never sure what to write, I keep thinking it will get easier but alas it does not.

I would like to thank my team of Peggy, Paul and Ian for the resounding success on the quiz night, a thoroughly deserved, if not surprising victory, but mostly I would like to thank Karen and Alan for all the planning and preparation.

The team lead by Tony also deserve the clubs thanks for the hard work at the “Classic Car Show” on Lloyd Elsmore Park while we might have liked to earn a little more money, we had good exposure and we were able to raise some funds for the Historical Village and a little for our Community funds.

Thanks to Ian Judith, Jan and Neil for representing our Club at the 202K Multi District Convention, I understand that they got a lot out of it. I am also certain that they were advised the importance of retaining and recruiting members, so let us all focus on this.

Brian, Grant and Neil accompanied me to the ANZAC day observance on Stockade Hill where on behalf of our Lions Club we laid a wreath at the Cenotaph.

Finally I wish to thank all those members that have submitted themselves for office for the oncoming Lions year without you we would not have a club. So Thank you.

Sincerely,

David



Notes from our April Dinner Meeting

Our April Dinner Meeting was a Quiz Night attended by 18 members and family.



Secretary Alan presented the Quiz Night covering areas of Geography, History, Entertainment & Music, Art & Literature, Science and Nature and General Knowledge.

60 Points were on offer and our winning team was President David & Peggy, Paul and Ian with a score of 36!!!

The booby prizes went to Alan Mead and Jacqui, Colin and June.

NB:- A little more swotting is required before the next Quiz Night. However a fun night was enjoyed by all



Presentation of Peace Poster Award at Multi District Convention Whangarei



**Photos
kindly
provided by
Lion Jan**

Vice President Judith receiving the Award from Council
Chairman David Peart



We will present the award to Morgan Alley at a
suitable opportunity





Board of Directors 2021 - 2022



The following are our elected officers for 2021 – 2022

Office

President	Judith Korau
Imm. Past President	David Westwick
1st Vice President	Neil Hornblow
2nd Vice President	Jan Tait
Secretary	Alan Sheath
Treasurer	Neil Hornblow
Membership Director	Colin Salt
Marketing Communications Chairperson	Colin Salt
LCIF Co-ordinator	David Westwick
Leo Club Advisor	Rex Buckley
Tail Twister	Jean Wigzell
Lion Tamers	Brian Stocking Dave Downie



Change of Officers 2021 - 2022



HEADS-UP FOR YOUR DIARY

Due to popular demand the Change of Officers this year will again be a Pot-Luck Luncheon at the home of Karen & Alan Sheath.

Please put in you diary:-

Sunday 4th July 2021
Venue 106B Bramley Drive
Time 11.00am until you all decide to go home.

Vice District Governor Ricky Singh will be conducting the Change of Officers.

Peggy Westwick will be contacting everyone nearer the time to firm up on what food we would like you to bring for our shared luncheon.

Being the 4th July a Red, White and Blue attire would be fantastic.

We look forward a full turnout of the Club to recognise President David's year and to give our support to President Elect Judith in her upcoming year as President.



Pics from Brit & Euro Car Show



Our team of intrepid Chip Cookers and Gate staff descended upon Lloyd Elsmore Park to take part in the Auckland Brit & Euro Classic Car Show.

The weather Gods certainly looked down on them on Sunday as 24 hrs earlier it rained all day.



How many Lions does it take to erect a sign? Seems to be 4.



Not only can Brian burn sausages he can also produce bent chips



Tony and Jan hard at work over the fryer



A real Old Timer Lovingly cared for.



Pics from Brit & Euro Car Show



Great to see our Lions profile out there . A busy queue of attendees



Our Lions Family accosting unsuspecting attendees at the gate



The Big Clean up!!!



NB:- Captions courtesy of Lion Colin and Secretary Alan



Lloyd Morgan OBE 1918 - 2001 **Lion - LCI President 1979 -1980**



Our newer members will hear the Club often referring to the Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs Charitable Trust. This article gives you the background on Lloyd and the formation of the Trust.

Lloyd Morgan, the only New Zealander to have led Lions Clubs International, was born on January 20, 1918. He was International President of LCI in 1979-80 and was actively involved in club and community work for more than 40 years.



Lloyd Morgan, born in Paekakariki (a small beach community just north of Wellington), was the son of a railway worker. His father was killed in a train accident when Lloyd was only 11 years old and shortly after Lloyd's older brother also died. So at 14 with the Great Depression starting he found himself the family breadwinner. Despite having to leave school, he continued his education at night school while working in a clothing store and later as the head booking agent in NZ for Fox Films.

When WWII broke out Lloyd volunteered for the army and was sent to officer training school before being commissioned. He served in North Africa and Italy with the New Zealand Expeditionary Force, rising to the rank of Captain and commanding a company in a machine gun battalion. After the war Lloyd took a position with a small country hotel in what was to become a lifetime association with the hotel industry. In the early 1950's he became part-owner of a hotel in Lower Hutt, eventually



building a multi-hotel business called Family Hotels. His growing success in the hospitality industry was paralleled by an expanding interest in the well-being and future of his community, together with a personal commitment to bringing people closer together.

In 1960, at 42, he was introduced to Lionism 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



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members. Soon after, the Club sponsored a new Lions Club in Lower Hutt and Lloyd was asked to join. He accepted and became the new club's Charter First Vice President. Between 1962 and 1967 Lloyd Morgan held almost every top position in the organisation in New Zealand, from club president to chairman of Lions in New Zealand and the South Pacific. Over the next sixteen years Lloyd followed a path of accepting steadily increasing responsibilities, culminating in his election as LCI President at the International Convention in Montreal, Canada in July 1979 with 37,000 Lions present, including 750 New Zealanders.

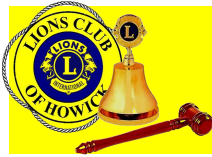
His rise in Lions was rapid, but Lloyd was more than happy to attribute this success to his wife Ngairé, whom he married in 1953. "It is because of her encouragement that I have come as far as I have in Lionism" he once asserted. "She loves people, and truly enjoys witnessing the happiness Lions bring to others.

As patron of the Lloyd Morgan Lions Charitable Trust (LMLCCT) set up in his honour in 1980, he helped raise millions of dollars for charitable causes in New Zealand and the South Pacific. 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.

Lloyd Morgan is still regarded as one of the Association's most-loved Presidents. Lloyd was a true "people person" with an engaging personality who passed away in Tauranga on 24th August 2001. He was an inspiration to all who knew him and thoroughly deserved the high degree of respect and admiration accorded him by members of the Lions Family and at all levels of the Lions International Association.



Jottings from our business meeting April 21 2021

On the Youth front, Jayden Unasa is presently on the Outward Bound Course. He and his family will join us at our June Dinner Meeting.

Lily Moore who we have sponsored to go to the Youth Shakespeare Company in England will be our guest speaker at our May Dinner Meeting.

The Board Nominees for 2021-2022 were duly elected.

Change of officers will again be held at the home of Alan & Karen Sheath on 4 July, (see notice elsewhere in the Tatler).

The Brit & Classic Car Show has been and gone. Overall a successful event with learnings to take forward for next year. \$600.00 donated to Howick Historical Village.

Rajiv Sondhi resignation accepted with regret.

Lion Rex gave a very full report on our Leo Club. They are in good heart and have many activities planned.. Looking at giving them involvement in our Sausage Sizzles to introduce them to fundraising.

Sausage Sizzle for May 15 at The Warehouse.

Calendar Project— Lion Jan gave a full update on the expansion of this project as a photo competition. To be promoted at 6 local colleges. Jan has secured a good deal with the Fencible Lounge for the photo exhibition. The Club unanimously moved that we proceed.

A full and frank discussion took place on the resources we have, and what we need, to efficiently carry out our ongoing projects. Lion Ella made the excellent point that the best way to do this is to increase the number of people willing to help. These people do not necessarily have to be Lions but can be on a Database of People to call on when required. By getting involved in our projects they may well wish to take the next step towards membership.

Howick Lions this year will formally take part in the ANZAC Parade. President David to purchase wreath for laying at the Cenotaph.



Lions Club of Howick 60th Charter Anniversary March 2022



The Lions Club of Howick, received its Charter in March 1962.

Next year we will celebrate 60 years of Community Service to Howick and far afield through our commitment to LCIF.

We now need to start thinking of how we are going to recognise such a milestone.

60 Year Anniversaries are normally recognised as “Diamond Anniversaries”.
The following are some ideas to get the ball rolling:-

1. Charter Anniversary Dinner/Luncheon.
Venue.
Invitation list—VIP’s need to book them in early.
Keynote Speaker—MC.
Entertainment.
Club History Presentation.
Member Recognitions.
2. 60th Signature Activity Project (s).
Something worthwhile in the community that will commemorate our years of service.
Something that is relevant to our Community
Can we link with our LEO Club with an Environmental Project.
3. Can we establish a Lions Club of Howick project to assist “Special Needs” Children.

Please give this some thought and come to our next Business meeting with lots of ideas so that we can start to plan for this exceptional milestone.

PDG 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
2nd Vice President	Neil Hornblow
Secretary	Alan Sheath
Treasurer	Neil Hornblow
LCIF Co-ordinator	Paul Curtis
Membership Director	Colin Salt

OTHER APPOINTMENTS

<u>Tail Twister:</u> Grant Taylor	<u>Lion Tamer(s):</u> Dave Downie / Brian Stocking
<u>Almoner:</u> David Westwick	<u>Health & Safety Officer:</u> Tony Blair
<u>Historian:</u> Ian Packwood	<u>Bulletin Editor:</u> Denis McKenna/Alan Sheath

Administration & Finance: David Westwick, Alan Sheath, Neil Hornblow
Fellowship: Brian Stocking, Denis McKenna, Jean Wigzell
Membership: Colin Salt

Youth Affairs: Alan Mead, Alan Sheath, David Westwick, Ella Curtis, Ian Packwood, Rex Buckley
Community Projects: Alan Sheath, Colin Salt, David Westwick, Jan Tait, Rajiv Sondhi

Communications: 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>Pest-Free Howick</u>	Paul Curtis
<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, Jan Tait

Congratulations!

Birthdays and Anniversaries in May



Birthdays

**Denise Myer
Annette Taylor
Jean Wigzell**

Anniversaries

**Denise & Gordon
Myer**



Received this nice letter of thanks from Howick Historical Village

The Howick & Districts Historical Society (Inc.)

Dear Mr. Sheath

On behalf of the Howick Historical village may we thank the Lions Club of Howick for the donation of \$600 placed in our account last week. These funds are, I believe, as a result of a very successful fund raiser at the Euro Brit Classic Car Show in Lloyd Elsmore Park recently.

As the charity of choice the Historical Village is very grateful for the generosity of the Lions Club, many of whose members have helped out at the Village in various capacities over the years.

Therefore we are grateful on so many levels and trust the faith of the Lions Club in supporting us will be well reflected in our use of the funds. – We are planning to re-house one of our exhibitions and will use the Car Show funds to source appropriate items to surround the display giving the appearance of 'Living History' for our visitors to enjoy.

With sincere thanks

Martin Burgess

President

(Abridged)

CLUB CALENDAR

April

- 2 Good Friday
- 4 Daylight Saving Ends
- 5 Easter Monday
- 7 **Dinner meeting**
- 10 Sausage Sizzle—The Warehouse—Botany
- 21 **Business Meeting—Election of 2021-22 Officers**
- 25 Anzac Day Observance

May

- 5 Dinner meeting
- 15 Sausage Sizzle—The Warehouse—Botany
- 19 Business Meeting

June

- 2 Dinner meeting
- 7 Queen's Birthday observance
- 16 Business Meeting
- 25-29 Virtual LCI Convention—Montreal Canada

July

- 4 Change of Officers—Pot-Luck Lunch at the Sheaths
- 21 Business Meeting



**Howick
Charter
Presented
March
1962**



CONVENTION DATES

MULTI-DISTRICT 202	WHANGAREI, APRIL 23-25, 2021
INTERNATIONAL	MONTRÉAL, CANADA, JUNE 25-29, 2021—VIRTUAL
DISTRICT 202K	PAPATOETOE (HOST) + PAKAPURA 29-31 OCT 2021

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