



District Director – Membership Growth & Retention

Leo Yuran Deshan

Leo Yuran Deshaka joined the Leo Movement in 2011 as a Club President in Leo Club of Kesbewa which reactivated with his presidency. In 2014 he transferred his membership into Leo Club of Piliandala which is where he was become an active member and privileged to serve as the Director and member of the Advisory panel of the Leo Club of Piliyandala.

During his Leo career, he was able to initiate many new projects ideas to his Leo Club as well as to District. He was a one of the five Leos who initiate “Jeewana Yathra” multi-service project in 2012 and he was a Co- Chairman of the “Jeewana Yathra” project in 2014 which was held in Mulattive District. Leo Yuran Deshaka entered the District Council in 2015 as Fundraising Director and he served as a District Council Director of Leo Quality Development in 2019/2020. Currently, he serves as District Council Director of Membership Growth and Retention.

Leo Yuran Deshaka has been recognized and awarded in for his contribution to the Leo Movement including Most Supportive Leo in 2019, Most Outstanding Bulletin Editor in 2019, and Most Outstanding Activity Director- 2 nd Runner-up in 2020 and also he won Most Outstanding Bulletin Editor-1 st Runner-up in Leo Multiple Awards 2019.

He was awarded Leo Service Leadership Gold Award from Lions Club International and LEO Multiple District 306 in 2019 for his services to the Leo Movement.

Leo Yuran Deshaka is a proud product of Central College, Piliyandala and Mahanama College, Colombo 03 and he was engaged with many extracurricular activities. He was a member of School Rugby team and captain of School Lifesaving Association of Central College, Piliyandala. He graduated from Northmbria University, Newcastle in BSc (Hons) in Biomedical Science and is the eldest son of Mr. Mrs. Peramuna and has a one younger brother.