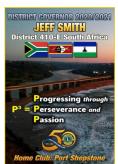


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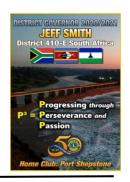
# District 410E Convention 24 April 2021 Consolidated Reports



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#### District 410E Convention via Zoom at 11:00 on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> April 2021 AGENDA

#### PRESIDING OFFICER: DISTRICT GOVERNOR JEFF SMITH

1.	Call to	Order and Welcome	DG Jeff Smith
2.	Flag C	eremony	RC PDG Nick Mare
3.	Invoca	ition	PDG Freddie Erasmus
4.	Code	of Ethics	FVDG/CS Patrick Mills
5.	Interna	ational Purposes	SVDG Sydney van Heerden
6.	Necrol	ogy	IPDG Alistair Tuckett
7.	Officia	I Opening of Convention	CC Herman Smit
8.	Distric	t Governor's Report to Convention	DG Jeff Smith
9.	Repor	t by the Chairman of the Credential Committee	DC PCC Mike Newlands
10.		es of the District 410E New Beginnings Convention t ATKV Drakensville on 3rd November 2019 Errors and/or Omissions Adoption Matters arising not covered in the agenda	FVDG/CS Patrick Mills
11.	Cabine	et Secretary's Report	FVDG/CS Patrick Mills
	11.1 11.2 11.3 11.4 11.5	Attendance Apologies Messages of goodwill Correspondence Call for additional agenda items - to be sent to the the tea break and will be dealt with at the discretion	
12.		t by the Chairman of the Nominations Committee ominations for the offices of	PDG Roy Michas
	12.1 12.2 12.3	2nd Vice District Governor, 1st Vice District Governor, and District Governor	
13.	Election	on of DG, 1st VDG and 2nd VDG	PDG Roy Michas
14.	Repor	t of the Chairman of the Elections Committee	PDG Roy Michas
15.	Addres	ss by DG, 1st VDG and 2nd VDG Elects	
	15.1	Address by District Governor Elect	

16.	Guest Address			
17.	Finance Committee Report	DC PCC Mike Newlands		
18.	Cabinet Treasurer's Report	CT PDG Malcolm Johnston		
19.	Motions for Resolution	DC CCE Brian von der Decken		
20.	Global Action Team Presentations			
	<ul> <li>20.1 Global Membership Team</li> <li>20.2 Global Leadership Team</li> <li>20.3 Global Service Team</li> </ul>	DC PDG Ian King DC Lindie van Wyk DC Suzanne Murray		
21.	Comments and Questions on the Region and Zone Chair	Reports		
	<ul><li>21.1 Region Chairperson Report - Region A</li><li>21.1.1 Zone Chairperson Report - Zone 1</li><li>21.1.2 Zone Chairperson Report - Zone 2</li></ul>	RC SVDG Sydney Van Heerden ZC Alana Mitchell ZC Shane Pape		
	21.2 Region Chairperson Report - Region B 21.2.1 Zone Chairperson Report - Zone 3	RC PCC Cliff Hocking ZC Teresa Pantoleon		
	21.2.2 Zone Chairperson Report - Zone 4	ZC Bernice Mills		
	<ul><li>21.3 Region Chairperson Report - Region C</li><li>21.3.1 Zone Chairperson Report - Zone 5</li><li>21.3.2 Zone Chairperson Report - Zone 6</li></ul>	RC PDG Nick Mare ZC Lauryn Talbot ZC Martin Froise		
	<ul><li>21.4 Region Chairperson Report - Region D</li><li>21.4.1 Zone Chairperson Report - Zone 7</li><li>21.4.2 Zone Chairperson Report - Zone 8</li></ul>	RC Trevor Hobbs ZC Werner Barnard ZC Perry Chetty		
	<ul> <li>21.5 Region Chairperson Report - Region E 21.5.1 Zone Chairperson Report - Zone 9 21.5.2 Zone Chairperson Report - Zone 10</li> <li>21.6 Region Chairperson Report - Region F 21.6.1 Zone Chairperson Report - Zone 11 21.6.2 Zone Chairperson Report - Zone 12</li> </ul>	RC PDG Lyn Botha ZC PDG Ken Toward ZC Colin Mackintosh  RC PDG Freddie Erasmus ZC Sanet Emmerick ZC Jeanette le Roux		
22.	Comments and Questions on the District Chairperson Re	norts		
<b>~~</b> .	<ul> <li>22.1 Alert</li> <li>22.2 Christmas Cakes</li> <li>22.3 Constitutions, Resolutions &amp; Protocol</li> <li>22.4 Environment</li> <li>22.5 Health (Diabetes, Cancer, Hearing &amp; Sight)</li> </ul>	Vacant DC Gary Harris DC CCE Brian von der Decken DC Alna Jackson DC Avril Hobbs		

Address by 1<sup>st</sup> Vice District Governor Elect Address by 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice District Governor Elect

15.2 15.3

	22.6 Hunger	DC Carol Browne
	22.7 Information Technology	DC PCC Denis Meyer
	22.8 LCIF	DC IPDG Alistair Tuckett
	22.9 Leos	DC Melinda Strydom
	22.10 Peace Posters & Public Relations	DC Sandy van Heerden
	22.11 Youth Exchange	DC Werner Barnard
23.	Convention Reports	
	23.1 District Convention October 2021	FVDG/CS Patrick Mills
24.	Additions to the Agenda	DG Jeff Smith
	24.1	
	24.2	
	24.3	
25.	Closure	DG Jeff Smith

## **National Anthems**

#### Republic of South Africa

Nkosi sikelel' iAfrika

Maluphakanyisw' uphondo lwayo,

Yizwa imithandazo yethu,

Nkosi sikelela, thina lusapho lwayo.

Morena boloka setjhaba sa heso,

O fedise dintwa le matshwenyeho,

O se boloke, O se boloke setjhaba sa heso,

Setjhaba sa South Afrika – South Afrika.

Uit die blou van onse hemel,

Uit die diepte van ons see,

Oor ons ewige gebergtes,

Waar die kranse antwoord gee.

Sounds the call to come together,

And united we shall stand.

Let us live and strive for freedom,

In South Africa our land.



#### Kingdom of eSwatini

#### siSwati lyrics

Nkulunkulu Mnikati wetibusiso temaSwati;

Siyatibonga tonkhe tinhlanhla,

Sibonga iNgwenyama yetfu,

Live netintsaba nemifula.

Busisa tiphatsimandla takaNgwane

Nguwe wedvwa Somandla wetfu;

Sinike kuhlakanipha lokungenabucili

Simise usicinise, Simakadze,

#### English lyrics

O Lord our God, bestower of the blessings of the Swazi:

We give Thee thanks for all our good fortune;

We offer thanks and praise for our King

And for our fair land, its hills and rivers.

Thy blessings be on all rulers of our Country;

Might and power are Thine alone;

We pray Thee to grant us wisdom without deceit or malice.

Establish and fortify us, Lord Eternal.



#### **LIONS INVOCATION**

O God, who art Eternal Light and Infinite Wisdom; In whom we live and move and have our being; We beg Thy blessing upon our deliberations that we too may acquire true knowledge and wisdom, and thus become more fit to serve our neighbour, our Country and Thee, Our Heavenly Father. Amen.

#### **CODE OF ETHICS**

TO SHOW my faith in the worthiness of my vocation by industrious application to the end that I may merit a reputation for quality of service.

TO SEEK success and to demand all fair remuneration or profit as my just due, but to accept no profit or success at the price of my own self-respect lost because of unfair advantage taken or because of questionable acts on my part.

TO REMEMBER that in building up my business it is not necessary to tear down another's; to be loyal to my clients or customers and true to myself.

WHENEVER a doubt arises as to the right or ethics of my position or action towards others, to resolve such doubt against myself.

TO HOLD friendship as an end and not a means. To hold that true friendship exists not on account of the service performed by one to another, but that true friendship demands nothing but accepts service in the spirit in which it is given.

ALWAYS to bear in mind my obligations as a citizen to my nation, my state and my community, and to give them my unswerving loyalty in word, act and deed. To give them freely of my time, labour, and means.

TO AID others by giving my sympathy to those in distress, my aid to the weak, and my substance to the needy.

TO BE CAREFUL with my criticism and liberal with my praise; to build up and not destroy.

#### **PURPOSES**

TO ORGANIZE, charter and supervise service clubs to be known as Lions clubs.

TO COORDINATE the activities and standardize the administration of Lions clubs.

TO CREATE and foster a spirit of understanding among the peoples of the world.

TO PROMOTE the principles of good government and good citizenship.

TO TAKE an active interest in the civic, cultural, social and moral welfare of the community.

TO UNITE the clubs in the bonds of friendship, good fellowship and mutual understanding.

TO PROVIDE a forum for the open discussion of all matters of public interest; provided, however, that partisan politics and sectarian religion shall not be debated by club members.

TO ENCOURAGE service-minded people to serve their community without personal financial reward, and to encourage efficiency and promote high ethical standards in commerce, industry, professions, public works and private endeavours.

#### 17. FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT - DC PCC Mike Newlands

#### **COMMITTEE MEETING FEEDBACK SUMMARY: -**

No face-to-face meetings held.

Communications by email of telephone.

PORTFOLIO ACTIVITY: - (Newsletters, Strategy, Targets vs. Actuals, Progress on SMART goals set)

Provided recommendations to Cabinet when asked to do so.

Reviewed Interim Statements as at 31 March 2021 received from CT Malcolm Johnstone. These were extremely well presented under very trying circumstances. CT Malcolm is to be complemented for providing for all his input.

The committee has perused the statements, and all queries were answered. These were mainly cosmetic matters and require no further discussion. Once again the Committee expresses congratulations to CT Malcolm for presentation an excellent clean set of accounts. Acceptance is recommended.

Acceptance of the Louis Halse Fund Accounts is also recommended.

The Budget for the 2021/2022 financial year was approved at the Third Cabinet meeting and will be presented to the Virtual District Convention on 24 April. Without having a full fiscal year since New Districting was found to be an extremely difficult task.

#### CLUB PROMOTION / INVOLVEMENT: -

None.

#### 18. CABINET TREASURER'S REPORT - CT PDG Malcolm Johnston

Refer to the Financial Reports (separate attachment)

#### 19. MOTIONS FOR RESOLUTION

#### Part 1. DISTRICT 410E CONSTITUTION and BY-LAWS

#### C1. ARTICLE VII - DISTRICT ORGANISATION: Section 2 - District Governor Vacancy

Submitted by the Cabinet of District 410E

**WHEREAS** the District Constitution can be amended from time to time to improve the overall administration and operation of the District;

#### **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

Section 2 which states:

In the event of a vacancy in the office of district governor, the same shall be filled in accordance with the provisions of the International Constitution and By-Laws. The immediate past district governor, first and second vice district governors, the region chairpersons, zone chairpersons, the cabinet secretary and cabinet treasurer (or cabinet secretary/treasurer) and past district governors, past international directors and past international presidents in the district shall convene at a date, time and place called and determined by the immediate past district governor to select a replacement for recommendation to the International Board of Directors.

In order for a Lion to be eligible and qualified to be selected to fill a vacancy in the office of district governor, he/she must:

- (a) Be an Active Member in good standing of a chartered Lions club in good standing in his/her single or sub-district.
- (b) Have served or will have served at the time he/she takes office as district governor:
- (i) As officer of a Lions club for a full term or major portion thereof; and
- (ii) As a member of the district cabinet for two (2) full terms or major portion thereof.
- (iii) With none of the above being accomplished concurrently.

It is encouraged that the first vice district governor fulfil his/her full term of office and other qualified Lions be considered for filling a vacancy in the office of district governor.

#### Be replaced, in sub-paragraph (b), with:

- (b) have served or will have served at the time he/she takes office as district governor:
- (i) as President of a Lions Club for a full term or a major portion thereof, and as a member of the board of directors of a Lions Club for no less than two (2) additional years; and
- (ii) as Zone Chairperson or Region Chairperson or Cabinet Secretary and/or Treasurer for a full term or major portion thereof with none of the above being accomplished concurrently.

#### **MOTIVATION:**

As presently worded, sub-paragraph (b) conflicts with the requirements for a candidate for District Governor as provided in By-law 1 Section 2.1.3 of the Constitution.

## C2. ARTICLE VII - DISTRICT ORGANISATION: Section 3 — First and Second Vice District Governors and other Vacancies

Submitted by the Cabinet of District 410E

**WHEREAS** the District Constitution can be amended from time to time to improve the overall administration and operation of the District;

#### **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

Section 3 which states:

Any vacancy in office except that of district governor and first and second vice district governors shall be filled by appointment from the district governor for the unexpired term. In event of a vacancy arising in

the office of first or second vice district governor, the district governor shall convene a meeting of the members of the existing cabinet as provided for in the International Constitution and By-Laws and all past international officers who are members in good standing of a chartered Lions club in good standing in the district. It shall be the duty of the attendees at this meeting to appoint a qualified club member as first or second vice district governor for the remainder of the term. In filling said vacancy, it shall be the duty of the district governor, or if not available, the most recent past district governor who is available, to send out invitations to attend said meeting and it shall also be his/her responsibility to preside as chairperson of the meeting. The chairperson shall convey the results to the international office within seven (7) days together with evidence of invitations sent and meeting attendance.

Each Lion who is entitled to receive an invitation to attend and is present at said meeting shall be entitled to cast one vote for the Lion of his/her choice.

In order for a Lion to be eligible and qualified to be selected to fill a vacancy in the office of first or second vice district governor, he/she must:

- (a) Be an Active Member in good standing of a chartered Lions club in good standing in his/her single or sub-district.
- (b) Have served or will have served at the time he/she takes office as first or second vice district governor:
- (i) As officer of a Lions club for a full term or major portion thereof; and
- (ii) As a member of the district cabinet for a full term or major portion thereof.
- (iii) With none of the above being accomplished concurrently.

#### Be replaced, in sub-paragraph (b), with:

- (b) have served or will have served at the time he/she takes office as First Vice District Governor:
- (i) as President of a Lions Club for a full term or a major portion thereof, and as a member of the board of directors of a Lions Club for no less than two (2) additional years; and
- (ii) as Zone Chairperson or as Region Chairperson or as Cabinet Secretary and/or as Treasurer for a full term or major portion thereof;
- (iii) currently be serving as the Second Vice District Governor within the district from which he/she is to be elected; with none of the above being accomplished concurrently;
- (c) have served or will have served at the time he/she takes office as Second Vice District Governor:
- (i) as President of a Lions Club for a full term or a major portion thereof, and as a member of the board of directors of a Lions Club for no less than two (2) additional years; and
- (ii) as Zone Chairperson or as Region Chairperson or as Cabinet Secretary and/or as Treasurer for a full term or major portion thereof with none of the above being accomplished concurrently.

#### **MOTIVATION:**

As presently worded, sub-paragraph (b) conflicts with the requirements for candidates for First and Second Vice District Governor as provided in By-law 1 Sections 2.1.4 and 2.1.5 of the Constitution.

#### MOTIONS FOR RESOLUTION

**Part 2: ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS** 

#### **01) DISTRICT DUES**

**Submitted by the Cabinet of District 410E** 

**WHEREAS** Article VIII – Section 1 of the District 410E Constitution determines that a District Administration Fund tax shall be levied upon each member of each club in the District and that the amount of such tax shall be determined at each District Convention;

**AND WHEREAS** careful consideration has been given to the District 410E budget by the Cabinet, the present tax will be sufficient to defray the Administrative expenses of the District in the next fiscal year;

#### **BE IT RESOLVED** that:

The present annual per capita District Administration Fund tax for the 2021 - 2022 fiscal year remain at R305,00 per annum, effective from 1st July 2021.

#### **MOTIVATION**

The Cabinet believes that, based on the budget prepared for the 2021-2022 fiscal year no increase is necessary for the effective administration of the District.

# O2). ANNUAL PER CAPITA CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE DISTRICT LCIF FUND AND THE DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S EMERGENCY FUND.

Submitted by the Cabinet of District 410E.

**WHEREAS** Article VII – Section 1.14 of the District 410E Constitution determines that a mandatory contribution to the District LCIF and District Governors Emergency Fund shall be levied upon each member of each club in the District and that the amount of such tax shall be determined at each District Convention;

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the annual contribution to the District LCIF Fund be levied at R 18.00 per capita for the fiscal year July 2021 to June 2022.

#### **MOTIVATION**

The fund is considered necessary to provide a means for the District to make contributions to LCIF as deemed necessary from time to time without having to appeal to clubs for finding. The contribution of R 18.00 per capita, which may be paid from Club Projects Accounts or from Club Administration Accounts, is considered to be adequate.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the annual contribution to the District Governors Emergency Fund be levied at R 5.00 per capita for the fiscal year July 2021 to June 2022.

#### **MOTIVATION**

The fund is considered necessary to provide first tier relief in the case of an emergency that arises in the District until such time as Club contributions and other means of funding can be sourced. The contribution of R 5.00 per capita, payable from Club Projects Accounts or Club Administration Accounts, is considered to be adequate to maintain the fund at a reasonable level.

#### 20. GLOBAL ACTION TEAM REPORTS

#### 20.1 DISTRICT GMT CO-ORDINATOR REPORT - DC PDG lan King

DG Jeff

At the beginning of this year we all had high hopes of getting on top of things and showing good growth. However, it was not to be and although we remain optimistic we also need to be real. The fundamental issue for me as GMT is the distinct lack of genuine feedback. So many clubs have still not met and although report on activities, I'm not sure just exactly where we are at.

#### PORTFOLIO ACTIVITY

The committee has met via Zoom and gone over some of the issues with the Region chairs and will, along with the Zone chairs, elaborate in their reports. Suffice to say there are some points that need mentioning.

- **Region A** Major problem is that clubs are struggling to meet even with the advent of Zoom. Lack of activities is also an area for concern but being managed by 2<sup>nd</sup> VDG Syd. Mafikeng have indicated closure.
- **Region B** Club Branch initiated in November by Alberton Lions club in the Fourways area with the induction of 9 new members and still going strong. Participating well in the community. Good growth in Edenvale but may have some member issues that will need resolving. Soweto closed.
- Region C Boksburg have indicated closure.
- Region D Possible rejuvenation in both Howick and/or Pietermaritzburg. UKZN closed.
- Region E Westville have indicated closure
- Region F East London West is closed.

A number of points were raised in my last report but remain pertinent to this report as well that are common throughout the District:-

- Lack of face-to-face at all levels creating havoc.
- Lack of Activities is unavoidable but a huge problem.
- Training is required in many areas and GLT will be asked to assist.
- Inability to effectively get Fundraising done.
- Finances are a major concern given where are as a whole.

As I also stated in my previous report, COVID remains the dominant cause of disruption to the normal day to day operations of our Clubs in respect of active involvement in the communities they serve as well as inhibiting the ability to grow. Many remain in survival mode and Retention is currently a priority in most clubs. However, some clubs are doing well and everyone is being encouraged to think completely out of the box, challenge the situations and find innovative ways to support themselves. GMT is doing what it can to facilitate the change in thinking but the only way it will be successful is when the club takes ownership of the process and runs with it.

The tables attached outline where we are. GMT is working hard to try and get as close to the objectives but the harsh reality is that, with what I have mentioned above, this will take a miracle to achieve. Having said that, GMT will continue the fight to sustain and grow where possible at all costs. At this point we are up 5. Our Region stats are set out below and give us a good indication on where we potentially have the biggest opportunity to grow.

# MEMBERSHIP EVALUATON DISTRICT 410E

REGION	ZONE	OPENING BALANCE	ADDITIONS	LOSSES	NETT GAIN	CLOSING BALANCE	% GROWTH
				4.0			
Α	1	130	25	-16	9	139	6%
RC SYD	2	60	6	-3	3	63	5%
TOTAL		190	31	-19	12	202	6%
В	3	137	45	-45	0	137	0%
RC PCC CLIFF	4	130	3	-5	-2	128	-2%
TOTAL		267	48	-50	-2	265	-1%
С	5	74	6	-12	-6	68	-9%
RC PDG NICK	6	56	5	-6	-1	55	-2%
TOTAL		130	11	-18	-7	123	-6%
D	7	62	5	-7	-2	60	-3%
RC TREVOR	8	91	5	-3	2	93	2%
TOTAL		153	10	-10	0	153	0%
E	9	45	5	-8	-3	42	-7%
RC PDG LYN	10	73	13	-5	8	81	10%
TOTAL		118	18	-13	5	123	4%
F	11	56	10	-7	3	59	5%
RC PDG							
FREDDIE	12	78	2	-8	-6	72	-8%
TOTAL		134	12	-15	-3	131	-2%
DISTRICT							
TOTAL		992	130	-125	5	997	1%

Still disturbing point for me is that over 90 were dropped in Good Standing. This is something that as GMT, we will have to unpack and understand. We cannot continue to just allow good members to leave in Good Standing. Either clubs are not being honest in the reason reported for the drop or there is just not enough being done to try and save disenchanted members in our Organisation. A massive drive is required by Rc's and Zc's to ensure that clubs to get to know their members and what makes them tick. That way, we can build on strengths and ensure all members needs are met.

We still have a number of Clubs below the 10 mark and they will need focus to assist where necessary. A detailed summary by club is below and I apologise upfront for the extensive report but I would like to give everyone a snapshot of growth by club.

			Opening	Additions	Losses	Net Gain	Closing	
			Balance				Balance	
		Clearwater Cyber	15	7	-5	2	17	
		Helderkruin	20	5	-1	4		
		Krugersdorp	31	1	-5	-4	27	
	Zone 1	Northciff	11	0	0			
	ZC Alana	Roodepoort Host	12	0	0			
		Rustenburg	13	1	-2	-1		
		Weltevreden	9	2	0		<b></b>	
		Wilro Park	19	9	-3	6	1	
Region A_		Total	130	25	-16	9	139	
RC Syd								
		Bloemfontein	9	0	0	0	9	
		Kimberley	7	0	0	0	7	
		Klerksdorp	9	5	0	5	14	
	Zone 2	Mafikeng	8	0	-1	-1	7	
	ZC Shane	Potchefstroom	16	1	-2	-1	15	
		Stilfontien	11	0	0	0	11	
		Total	60	6	-3	3	63	
		Region Total	190	31	-19	12	202	
		Alberton	43	12	-2	10	53	
		Bedfordview	12	2		-5	7	
		Edenvale	11	8	0		19	
	Zone 3	Henley on Klip	17	0	-8	-8	9	
	ZC Teresa	Kensington	11	5	<u> </u>		7	
	Ze reresu	Soweto	5	0	-5	-5	,	CLOSED
		The Wilds	11	13	-13	0		CLOSED
		Vereeniging	27	5	-1	4		
Region B		Total	137	45	-45	0		
RC Clif		Total	137	7-5	-43		157	
NC CIII		Centurion	16	0	0	0	16	
	-		16		0		······	
	7 4	Centurion Lifestyle					<b></b>	
	Zone 4	Midrand	25		-2		<b></b>	
	ZC Bernice	Pretoria South	36		-1	1		
		Pretoria City	26		0			
		Pretoria Jakaranda	11	0	-2			
		Total	130		-5			
		Region Total	267	48	-50	-2	265	
		Benoni Host	12	0	-4	-4	8	
		Benoni Lakes	17	4	-4	3	***************************************	
	Zone 5	Benoni van Rhyn	20		- <u>1</u> -5			
	ZC Lauryn	Boksburg Standerton	10		-1	-1 -1	***************************************	
Dooi C			15		-1		14	
Region C	Į	Total	74	6	-12	-6	68	
RC Nick		Lataba Taaraara		_	_	_		
		Letaba Tzaneen	18		-2	0		
	_	Manzini	11	2	-1	1		
	Zone 6	Nelspruit	20		-3			
	ZC Martin	Pietersburg	7	0	0			
		Total	56	5	-6	-1	55	
		Region Total	130		-18	-7		

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		Ladysmith	7	0	0	0	7	
	Zone 7	Newcastle	7 7		0	***************************************		
		Reitz		1	***************************************	1	8	
	ZC Werner	Vryheid	19	0	0	0	19	
		Estcourt	6			***************************************	6	
D' D		Hilton	9	0	0	0	9	
Region D			5	2	0	2	/	
RC Trevor		Howick-uMngeni UKZN Campus Club	2	2	0	2	4	0.0055
			7	0	-7 -	-7	0	CLOSED
		Total	62	5	-7	-2	60	
		5						
		Ballito	6	0	0	0	6	
		Durban Central	6	0	0	0	6	
L	Zone 8	Durban Host	16	0	-1	-1	15	
	ZC Perry	Durban South	5	1	0	1	6	
		East Coast	40	0	-2	-2	38	
		North Durban	18	4	0	4	22	
		Total	91	5	-3	2	93	
		Region Total	153	10	-10	0	153	
		Amanzimtoti	12	0	-2	-2	10	
	Zone 9	Cowies Hill	15	0	-1	-1	14	
	ZC Ken	Kingsburgh	13	5	-5	0	13	
Region E		Westville	5	0	0	0	5	
RC Lyn		Total	45	5	-8	-3	42	
		Hibberdene	6	0	0	0	6	
		Port Shepstone	31	6	-1	5	36	
	Zone 10	Ramsgate	12	1	-3	-2	10	
	ZC Colin	Scottburgh	17	2	0	2	19	
		Shelly Beach	7	4	-1	3	10	
		Total	73	13	-5	8	81	
		Region Total	118	18	-13	5	123	
		Graff Reinet	9	0	0	0	9	
	Zone 11	Kouga	3	0	0	0	3	
	ZC Sanet	Port Alfred	18	2	-5	-3	15	
		PE Cape Recife	4	0	-1	-1	3	
		Port Elizabeth Host	5	1	0	1	6	
		PE St Croix	2	4	0	4	6	
Region F		Uitenhage	15	3	-1	2	17	
RC Freddie		Total	56	10	-7	3	59	
Norreadic			- 50			0		
		EL Beacon Bay	10	0	-2	-2	8	
	Zone 12	EL Port Rex	18	2	-3	-1	17	
	ZC Jeanette	East London West	2	0	-2	-2	0	CLOSED
	Loscanette	Fort Beaufort	9	0	-1	-1	8	525525
		Gonubie	10	0	0	0	10	
		King William's Town	24	0	0	0	24	
		Komga	5	0	0	0	5	
		Total	<b>78</b>	2	-8	-6	<u> </u>	
		Region Total	134	12	- <del>1</del> 5	-3	131	
			134	12	-13	-5		
		District Total	992	130	-125	5	007	Page 14 of 84
	1		332	130	-125		221	

		410E CLU	IB STATS		
TOTAL	10 AND BELOW	11 TO 20	21 TO 30	31 TO 40	41 AND ABOVE
71	32	27	7	4	1

#### **CLUB PROMOTION / INVOLVEMENT:-**

Hopefully in the not too distant future, clubs will be able to get more active in their communities, raise much needed funds and start operating as clubs should.

In terms of my goals set at the beginning of the year, the progress is as follows:-

- S.M.A.R.T. Goal Statement: Grow Membership in District 410E to a minimum of 1250
  members by June 2021. We are up by 5 and at 997 so a long way to go but at least through a
  tough time we have stayed positive.
- S.M.A.R.T. Goal Statement: Charter at least 4 new Clubs in District 410E by June 2021. Here we have a ton of work to do as it has been near impossible to get the process going. However now that we are near normal, work can begin. Potential areas, as mentioned, are Howick/Pietermaritzburg, Northwest University and a possible rejuvenation of Phalaborwa under the guidance of Letaba/Tzaneen. All are very much in the infancy stage except for Fourways which was established in November by Alberton Lions Club with the induction of 9 members in the Club branch.
- S.M.A.R.T. Goal Statement: Implement a Retention Programme to compliment/support the District Governors Initiatives. Along with GLT, training has been done to ensure adequate orientation is conducted on new Lions joining the organization. However, based on the GMT Zoom meeting held last week, more training is definately needed. I will discuss with GLT Lindie and arrange.
- S.M.A.R.T. Goal Statement: Implement a plan to ensure adequate growth in clubs with low membership (below 10) Membership drives to be encouraged by all affected clubs to initiate growth by RC's, ZC's and club Membership chairs.
- S.M.A.R.T. Goal Statement: Implement a strategy to manage Diversity. A team has been identified but has not yet met. It is in the process of being established and I will talk to it at Cabinet.
- S.M.A.R.T. Goal Statement: Implement a plan to ensure adequate focus is placed on the expansion of Leos in our MD. Will be covered by DC Melinda

Yours in Lionism

Jan

#### 20.2 DISTRICT GLT CO-ORDINATOR REPORT - DC Lindie Van Wyk

#### Leadership meetings

I attended the following meetings and workshops:

• Monthly DG team GAT meetings facilitated by DG Jeff on the last Sunday of every month

#### Portfolio activity

The following table illustrates the events during 2021 and the planned events for the rest of the year. Until further notice, all workshops and training sessions will be via Zoom.

Date	Time	Event	Comment
30-Jan-21	8:00 - 16:30	Lions leadership toolkit - Session 1	22 Lions attended from 11 Clubs. Thank you to DG Jeff for attending and for PCC Cliff and IPDG Alistair for joining me as faculty. I'll be sending these Lions the material and invitation to the second session.
03-Feb-21	19:30	Meeting of minds (Leadership strategy)	Workshop facilitated by RC Cliff and GLT Lindie. 28 Lions in attendance including PCC Cliff and DG Jeff. This was a very informative session and PCC RC Cliff is using this information gained to be assesses with the task team that he is putting together.
08-Feb-21	19:30	Leadership Workshop	District Strategy follow-up session (Strengthening 410E)
27-Feb-21	8:00 - 16:30	Lions leadership toolkit - Session 2	
13-Mar-21	8:00 - 16:30	Lions leadership toolkit - Session 3	Attended by 13 Lions successfully attending all three sessions from the following clubs:  • Alberton • Kingsburgh • Port Rex • Pretoria Jakaranda • Roodepoort Host • Rustenburg • Vereeniging
10-Apr-21		VDG training	MDC Paula coordinated a very successful VDG training session attended by VDG Patrick and VDG Aiden.
12-Apr-21	19:30	Workshop : Region B Task Team (Strengthening 420E)	
22-May-21	8:30 - 13:00	Incoming Presidents workshop - Session 1	
29-May-21	8:30 - 13:00	Incoming Presidents workshop - Session 2	
30-May-21	8:30 - 13:00	Incoming Presidents workshop - Session 3	
5-Jun-21	14:00 – 16:30	Club introduction to "Strengthening 410E"	
12-Jun-21	8:30 - 13:00	Incoming Presidents workshop - Session 4	

#### Consolidated Reports for the District 410E Convention to be held on 24 April 2021

Date	Time	Event	Comment
29-May-21	14:00	Incoming Cabinet officers	
22-May-21	14:00	Incoming Secretaries	
30-May-21	14:00	Incoming Treasurers	
12-Jun-21	14:00	Incoming Membership Chairpersons	

#### Club involvement

We have received no requests for training from any club.

#### **District support**

The main focus so far this year was on the "Strengthening 410E" initiative. We sent a strategic plan to the Region Chairpersons in February and resent it again at the end of March after an update meeting where no progress was reported other than the following. The only region that has taken the "Strengthening 410E" initiative seriously and gained any kind of momentum was Region B. Region B has identified a task team and maintains a regular meeting and planning schedule. Region A has kicked the initiative off, but no other Region has reported any progress.

I repeat below some tips for Cabinet members to do our bit to develop our District.

- Serve as positive advisers, mentors, friend and supporter to other members in your club
- Involve inexperienced Lions in planning, implementing and reviewing club activities and portfolios
- Celebrate club members' successes
- Listen and hear when there are problems in your club, pay attention and react as required
- Remember to encourage club members to socialize, connect and stay in touch with each other
- Promote and mentor members in developing a sustainable succession plan
- Lead by example:
  - o Reply to emails
  - o Share District, Multiple district and International information with the club
  - o Engage club members regularly, not just once a month at a GBM
  - Promote leadership development in your club by presenting interesting topics or contact your DC
     GLT to assist with material or presentation

My thanks to DG Jeff and the DG Team for their support and positivity so far this year.

#### **Goal tracking**

The table below illustrates our goal tracking

Goal	Progress
Training 100% of incoming club officers	Training for 2019-2020 was completed at the end of the previous Lionistic year. Incoming club officer training for 2020-2021 scheduled as per the training plan. We will present the training on Zoom which should attract more attendees.
Present the Lions Leadership Toolkit training events as per the previous years	This training initiative was successfully completed by 13 delegates attending all three sessions.
Promote the importance of leadership development and succession planning	This topic is presented at all workshops and training events. I regularly urge and discuss with Zonies and Region chairs to promote at club level.

#### 20.3 DISTRICT GST CO-ORDINATOR REPORT - DC Suzanne Murray

Since July 2020 410E have served 246,938 people, done 2,289 service activities in 32,917 volunteer hours.

PORTFOLIO ACTIVITY:- (Newsletters, Strategy, Targets vs. Actuals, Progress on SMART goals set)

Increased activity with Diabetes, Vision, Hunger, Childhood cancer and Environment.

Newsletters with motivations and ideas for the above.

Increased publicity - Newspapers, radio, public awareness

#### **CLUB PROMOTION / INVOLVEMENT:-**

Multiple District 410 Lions Awareness Month – April – buttons and bags handed out to clubs - Sandy van Heerden World Hunger Day – 28 May 2021 World Environment Day – 5 June 2021

Club reporting as of 6 April 2021

October E - 51%W- 68% November E - 38%W - 68%December E - 39%W - 56%E - 29January W - 39E - 35February W - 58E - 56March W - 60

According to LCI we have a 74% service reporting rate.

As we can see service reporting is a problem – clubs have been told that even if they just have a meeting they must please report it. I emailed all Club Presidents and Zone Chairs in March in connection with problems with service and a thankyou to those who have been reporting their service correctly. Had a positive response from the majority of Club Presidents and Zone Chairs except for Zone 7 – Ladysmith is still 24+ months, Newcastle – 20, Reitz – 24+, Vryheid – 24+, Estcourt – 20, Hilton 24+ and Howick Umgeni – 17. Got hold of Werner Barnard and he's hoping to get them all motivated to get going, but is also very busy with a new business venture.

Reitz has a new secretary who is going to try catch up.

Apart from those, the following clubs have a 0% Service reporting for 9 months or more as at 6 April:

Boksburg-18 Durban Central-14 East London Beacon Bay-17 Mafikeng-15 Port Elizabeth Host-17 Port Elizabeth Cape Recife – 11 Vryheid-24

Spoke to Mandy – Beacon Bay and she has been trying with no luck. Sent her the document from LCI (which I had sent to the President who is no longer a Lion – Michelle) giving advice on reporting and she is going to try again. The good news is that at last cabinet report there were 18 clubs in this group.

These are clubs who have not reported service for up to 8 months:

Amanzimtoti – 5 Bloemfontein-8 Durban North – 7 Durban South – 6 Edenvale -3

East London Port Rex - 4 Graaf Reinet-3 Northcliff – 5 Rustenburg- 3 Scottburgh-2 Westville-3

Kensington -2 King Williamstown -4 Kouga -2 Manzini -3 Pietersburg -5.

#### Consolidated Reports for the District 410E Convention to be held on 24 April 2021

ZC Jeanette has been in communication with her clubs and seems to get relatively positive responses apart from King Williamstown who say they have not done anything.

As I said previously – an email was sent out to all clubs - whether it was asking if I could help or saying thank you for good service reporting and all emails contained the document from LCI pertaining to advice on Service reporting.

A big thank you to Sandy van Heerden – our PRO for all her hard work organising and promoting Lions Awareness month and organising buttons and bags. Thanks to her promoting and everything there is a lot of enthusiasm about Lions Awareness month.

#### 21. REGION AND ZONE CHAIR REPORTS

#### 21.1 REGION CHAIRPERSON REPORT - REGION A - RC SVDG Sydney Van Heerden

#### 1. REGION CHAIR INTERACTIONS

#### WITH ZONE CHAIRS:

Date	Topics Addressed
Various	Regular contact and interaction with Zone Chairs on all matters
	from District and Clubs
	Held a Meeting of Minds workshop in February for all club
	Presidents and new members. Unfortunately, not very well
	attended, but good input and feedback from clubs that did attend.

#### **ZONES:**

Date	Zone	Topics Addressed
14 March	Zone 1	Attended Zone meeting on 14 March. Very good club
2021		attendance. No major problem with clubs in this Zone.

#### **CLUBS:**

Date	Club(s)	Topics Addressed
		No Club meeting attended over this period .

#### **GENERAL COMMENTS**

## 2. LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVES AGAINST GOALS IDENTIFIED

1.	Incoming Presidents have been encouraged to attend workshop as well as new board
	members training scheduled for May / June this year.
2	

#### **UNDERTAKEN**

Nil undertaken for the period under review.	
2.	

#### PLANNED FOR FUTURE

- 1.Planning a Strengthen 410E workshop for current and incoming Zone and Region Chairs to ensure that the project has continuity and that the same message is carried through to next year and the following.
- 2. The next step will be to start involving clubs and get their buy in.

#### 3. MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVES AGAINST GOALS

#### **MEMBERSHIP GROWTH**

1.Klerksdorp inducted 5 new members	
2.Helderkruin inducted 4 new member	
3.Wilro Park inducted 9 new members	
4.Rustenburg inducted 1 new member	
5.Krugersdorp inducted 1 new member	
6.Clearwater inducted 7 new members	
7.Weltevreden inducted 2 new members	
8.Potchefstroom inducted 1 new member	

OVERALL NET GROWTH FOR THE REGION OF 15 MEMBERS FOR THE CURRECT LIONS YEAR.

#### **NEW CLUB EXTENSION**

- 1. The possibility of starting a Branch Club to Potchefstroom at the University of North West is still planned, but commitment for Potchefstroom Lions Club need. Member of Mafikeng Club studying at the University, Potch Campus.
- 2. There are also some investigation being undertake to try and get a Branch Club to Rustenburg off the ground in Lichtenburg. There are currently two members from Rustenburg living in Lichtenburg.

#### **MEMBERSHIP RETENTION**

1.Krugersdorp dropped 4 members
2.Clearwater dropped 5 member
3.Wilro Park dropped 2 members
4.Potchefstroom dropped 2 members
5.Rustenburg dropped 1 member
6.Mafikeng dropped 1 member
The loss of members remains a concern in the Region.

#### 21.1.1 ZONE CHAIRPERSON REPORT - ZONE 1 - ZC Alana Mitchell

#### 1. ZONE CHAIR ADMINISTRATION:

#### General

Club Name	Club Number	NPO Number	PBO Number	Planned Visit
CLEARWATER CYBER	109971	166-143	930063536	To be discussed
HELDERKRUIN	104884	102-769	950030239	To be discussed
KRUGERSDORP	27747	Awaiting	Awaiting	To be discussed
NORTHCLIFF	27738	032-102	Awaiting	To be discussed
ROODEPOORT HOST	27759	Awaiting	Awaiting	To be discussed
RUSTENBURG	27760	022-630	None	done
WELTEVREDEN	44342	105-598	930022418	To be discussed
WILRO PARK	46134	030-906	930007491	To be discussed

#### **ZONE MEETINGS:**

#### **HELD**:

Date	Venue	Attendance	Topics Addressed / Comments
18/10/2020	Helderkruin Club House		Please see attached minutes
14/03/2021	Wilro Park Club House		Please see minutes to follow

**SCHEDULED:** All meeting on hold for the time being due to Covid-19 regulations and travel restrictions.

Date	Venue	Topics to be Addressed / Comments

#### **CLUB VISITS:**

#### **HELD**:

Date	Club Name	Topics Addressed / Comments
August 2020	Rustenburg	Member growth
	Northcliff	Induction / Member growth
	Weltevreden	Member growth and retention
20 March 2021	Krugersdorp	Member growth

**SCHEDULED:** All meeting on hold for the time being due to Covid-19 regulations and travel restrictions. Did ask clubs to inform me of Zoom meetings that I can attend. No feedback so far.

Date	Club Name	Topics to be Addressed / Comments

#### 2. LEADERSHIP

#### **CLUB MEETINGS**

All Club Meetings are well run with agenda, good participation and chairmanship	Yes / No
Clearwater Cyber Club	Yes
2. Helderkruin Lions Club	Yes
Krugersdorp Lions Club	Yes
4. Northcliff Lions Club	Yes
5. Roodepoort Host Lions Club	Yes
6. Rustenburg Lions Club	Yes
7. Weltevreden Lions Club	Yes
8. Wilro Park Lions Club	Yes

#### **LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT and TRAINING**

Yes / No
NIa
No
No
Yes
No
Yes
Yes
No
Yes

#### **SUCCESSION PLANNING**

All Clubs have succession plans in place to ensure future leadership going forward	Yes / No
Clearwater Cyber Club	Yes
2. Helderkruin Lions Club	Yes
Krugersdorp Lions Club	No

Our members are happy to do the work but very few want to take	
up leadership roles.	
4. Northcliff Lions Club	No
Low membership numbers and profile of members prohibit long	
term planning. Board for 2021/2022 is, however, in place.	
5. Roodepoort Host Lions Club	No comment
6. Rustenburg Lions Club	Yes
7. Weltevreden Lions Club	No comment
Club size hampers succession planning	
8. Wilro Park Lions Club	Yes

#### WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF LEADERSHIP?

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1.	Clearwater Cyber Club – no comment
2.	Herderkruin Lions – leading by the senior club members' example and keeping a
	clear, transparent and open communication with all club members.
3.	Krugersdorp Lions Club - Working around Covid-19 restrictions.
4.	Northcliff Lions Club - club is well run
5.	Roodepoort Host Lions Club - 3 members attendend the Lions Leadership Toolkit
	session
6.	Rustenburg Lions Club - Early identification of leaders, guiding new leaders
7.	Weltevreden Lions Club - no comment
8.	Wilro Park Lions Club - succession plans and appointment of our committee
	chairpersons. Involvement of our younger and newer members. Mentoring of
	members.

#### **GENERAL COMMENTS ON LEADERSHIP**

	GENERAL COMMENTS ON LEADERSHIP
1.	Clearwater Cyber Club – no comment
2.	Helderkruin Lions Club – all other training, we as a club, feel that it takes up too
	much of our personal time and takes the fun out of being a Lion. As we are all
	volunteers we concentrate more on serving the community, which is why we joined
	Lions in the first place.
3.	Krugersdorp Lions Club - leadership is young and inexperienced but attending all
	leadership training possible to develop skills.
4.	Northcliff Lions Club - no comment
5.	Roodepoort Host Lions Club - Despite Covid restrictions and bearing in mind that
	the age of the club members are quite high, regular communication was sent
	through Whatsapp and members had the opportunity to raise their views and come
	up with suggestions for projects, etc.
6.	Rustenburg Lions Club - club is well lead.
7.	Weltevreden Lions Club - no comment
8.	Wilro Park Lions Club - Wilro Park is fortunate to have experienced members with
	strong leadership skills.

#### 3. MEMBERSHIP

#### **MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEES**

All Clubs have membership committees in place to ensure membership growth and retention going forward	Yes / No
Clearwater Cyber Club	No
Currently no membership committee but we will be starting one in the new fiscal year.	
Helderkruin Lions Club	Yes
Our membership is growing nicely and we have another 2 prospective members that will be inducted at our next	

business meeting on 20 March 2021	
Krugersdorp Lions Club	Yes
4. Northcliff Lions Club	Yes
5. Roodepoort Host Lions Club	No comment
6. Rustenburg Lions Club.	No
Club too small, membership drive planned	
7. Weltevreden Lions Club	No
Club is too small to have committees. All members have a say	
on new members.	
8. Wilro Park Lions Club	Yes
Our IPP takes over from the Membership position and PDG	
Bernd is currently our Membership chairman - he is passionate	
about membership	

That said, because the clubs are small, all members are involved with membership growth and retention. All clubs do have a membership chair.

#### **NEW MEMBER INTRODUCTION and INFORMATION**

All Clubs conduct meaningful new member introduction and information sessions to ensure that new members are informed about the club and the organisation	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
Clearwater Cyber Club	Yes
Helderkruin Lions Club	Yes
Krugersdorp Lions Club	Yes
4. Northcliff Lions Club	Yes
5. Roodepoort Host Lions Club	No comment
Rustenburg Lions Club	Yes
7. Weltevreden Lions Club	No comment
8. Wilro Park Lions Club	Yes
Introduction to Lions	
Informative sessions	
Orientation session	

#### WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF MEMBERSHIP?

- 1. Clearwater Cyber Club

  The club has added 5 new members recently and has a few more prospective members that we are working on.
- 2. Helderkruin Lions Club
  Ensuring that we conduct full orientation before inducting members
  Keeping all members involved in our projects and having regular fellowship
  activities for example our annual camping week-end away and having a social
- after every business meeting.3. Krugersdorp Lions Club

Prepering for Lions Awareness Day, seeking out people in the community who serve on their own.

- 4. Northcliff Lions Club
- Membership retention
- 5. Roodepoort Host Lions Club

One prospective member. Person was taken for lunch with the club President. As explanation about Lions, projects, fun and privilege of being part of such a huge organization, etc, was discussed with her.

- 6. Rustenburg Lions Club
- None membership drive in April 2021 by means of Meet the Lions at Waterfall Mall
- 7. Weltevreden Lions Club 2 x new members inducted during the current fiscal year

8. Wilro Park Lions Club - we are proud to have inducted 9 new members. Diversity is very important to us. Our age span includes younger members, 9 of which was under the age of 40.

#### **GENERAL COMMENTS ON MEMBERSHIP**

Clearwater Cyber Club
Recently had 1 member transfer out due to family obligations and 1 member
resigned due to work commitments.
2. Helderkruin Lions Club
No comment
3. Krugersdorp Lions Club
No comment
4. Northcliff Lions Club
2 prospective members
5. Roodepoort Host Lions Club - People not part of Lions are afraid of commitment
6. Rustenburg Lions Club - need to seriously push new member recruitment
7. Weltevreden Lions Club - no comment
8. Wilro Park Lions Club - we continue to work on actively growing our membership
and have 3 prospective members.

#### 4. SERVICE ACTIVITIES

#### **LOCAL COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**

All Clubs conduct meaningful community-based service activities	Yes / No
Clearwater Cyber Club	Yes
2. Helderkruin Lions Club	Yes
Krugersdorp Lions Club	Yes
4. Northcliff Lions Club	Yes
5. Roodepoort Host Lions Club	No comment
6. Rustenburg Lions Club	Yes
7. Weltevreden Lions Club	Yes
8. Wilro Park Lions Club	Yes
5 pillars of service. Health day at Princess High School to include Diabetes testing / vision screening using the SPOT vision	
screener / doctor as guest speaker: safety during Covid-19	

#### PARTICIPATION IN LCI GLOBAL CAUSES

All Clubs conduct meaningful activities focussing on one or more of the Global Causes of Vision, Environment, Childhood Cancer,	Yes / No
Hunger, Diabetes	
Clearwater Cyber Club	Yes
2. Helderkruin Lions Club	Yes
We get involved with all 5 pillars, although, we concentrate on all types of cancer, not only childhood cancer.	
Krugersdorp Lions Club	Yes
4. Northcliff Lions Club	Yes
Roodepoort Host Lions Club	No comment
6. Rustenburg Lions Club	Yes
7. Weltevreden Lions Club	Yes
8. Wilro Park Lions Club	Yes
Youth and education. GBV / giving dignity handbags / comfort kits. Knitting angels / baby love boxes / snugglers comfort packages - scarves, socks and snacks	

#### **PARTICIPATION IN LCIF**

All Clubs participate in LCIF through making contributions of some	Yes / No
description	
Clearwater Cyber Club	Yes
2. Helderkruin Lions Club	Yes
Krugersdorp Lions Club	Yes
Northcliff Lions Club	Yes
5. Roodepoort Host Lions Club	No comment
6. Rustenburg Lions Club - no contribution to LCIF in this	No
quarter	
7. Weltevreden Lions Club - funds local projects	No
8. Wilro Park Lions Club - not yet this year due to the current	Yes / no
economic climate and the restrictions on fundraising. Yes -	
through awarding a Melvin Jones	

#### **PARTICIPATION IN LIONS BRIGHTSIGHT**

1.	Clearwater Cyber Club We currently do not have any sight related projects but will make use of either Brightsight or the local Lions Eye Clinic should we have a project for this.	No
2.	Helderkruin Lions Club Being a Westrand club, we focus all our attention on the Roodepoort Eye Clinic, but we will contribute towards Brightsight to help them financially	No
3.	Krugersdorp Lions Club	Yes
4.	Northcliff Lions Club	Yes
5.	Roodepoort Host Lions Club	No comment
6.	Rustenburg Lions Club	Yes
7.	Weltevreden Lions Club - club is involved with the Roodepoort Lions Community Centre	No
8.	Wilro Park Lions Club	Yes

#### WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF SERVICE?

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1.	Clearwater Cyber Club - No comment		
2.	Helderkruin Lions Club - the ability to raise the necessary funds from the		
	community to be able to finance our various projects.		
3.	Krugersdorp Lions Club - a wide variety of good projects		
4.	Northcliff Lions Club - Soup kitchen = has been running for over 30 years. Have		
	had to take a couple of breaks during lockdown, but try as far as possible to		
	continue.		
5.	Roodepoort Host Lions Club - various food donations in lockdown / Eye testing at		
	Silverstar Casino / Book donations to the rural areas of Cape Province /		
	Participation in project at Botanical Gardens / Planned projects: Wheelchair		
	donations and Diabetes testing.		
6.	Rustenburg Lions Club - major hunger relief project in Lichtenburg		
7.	Weltevreden Lions Club - monthly change in type of service provision		
8.	Wilro Park Lions Club - extremely busy during lockdown. Ongoing PROJECT 36 -		
	hunger alleviation / food for the needy. Networking within the community and		
	businesses. Continued to involved members in meaningful projects.		

#### **GENERAL COMMENTS ON SERVICE ACTIVITIES**

1. Clearwater Cyber Club – we do not have a lot of service projects as the members are starting to get burnt out. We will be addressing this by introducing new members to the club.

- 2. Helderkruin Lions Club no comment
- 3. Krugersdorp Lions Club no comment
- 4. Northcliff Lions Club no comment
- 5. Roodepoort Host Lions Club no comment
- 6. Rustenburg Lions Club working around Covid-19 restrictions, mothly Bingo at Rusoord old age home.
- 7. Weltevreden Lions Club no comment
- 8. Wilro Park Lions Club no comment

#### 5. FUND RAISING ACTIVITIES

#### **CHRISTMAS CAKE PROJECT**

All Clubs participate in the MD Christmas Cake Project Yes / No		
If No, list Clubs and provide details:		
1.Clearwater Cyber Club - yes		
2. Helderkruin Lions Club - We do not get involved with Christmas Cakes anymore		
because for the past 4 years we have experienced problems with mouldy and rotten		
cakes.		
3.Krugersdorp Lions Club - yes		
4.Northcliff Lions Club - yes		
5.Roodepoort Host Lions Club - no comment		
6.Rustenburg Lions Club - no		
7. Weltevreden Lions Club - no. The product was not up to standard. Members purchased		
from other clubs if needed.		
8.Wilro Park Lions Club - yes. 70 dozen cakes sold.		

#### **LOCAL FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES**

All Clubs participate in their own locally-driven fundraising initiatives	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1. Clearwater Cyber Club - yes	
2.Helderkruin Lions Club - yes	
3.Krugersdorp Lions Club - yes	
4.Northcliff Lions Club - yes	
5.Roodepoort Host Lions Club - no comment	
6.Rustenburg Lions Club - yes	
7.Weltevreden Lions Club - yes	
8. Wilro Park Lions Club - ves. Annual Golf Day. Annual Wilro Lions	Cycle Challenge

#### WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF FUND RAISING?

1.	Clearwater Cyber Club – no comment
2.	Helderkruin Lions Club - Every year we have a very successful Christmas Gift
	Wrapping fundraiser at Clearwater Mall. Every year we also enter 3 x "4 Balls" in
	the Red Shirt Golf Day.
3.	Krugersdorp Lions Club - The Red Shirt's Golf Day, honey sales and Christmas
	cake sales.
4.	Northcliff Lions Club - cakes sales are the biggest fundraiser. 2 <sup>nd</sup> hand book sales
	is another fundraiser.
5.	Roodepoort Host Lions Club - no comment
6.	Rustenburg Lions Club - monthly income of hall rental / raffle on a donated
	painting
7.	Weltevreden Lions Club - yearly festive gift wrapping for a donation
8.	Wilro Park Lions Club - no comment

#### **GENERAL COMMENTS ON FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES**

1. Clearwater Cyber Club – no comment

- 2. Helderkruin Lions Club no comment
- 3. Krugersdorp Lions Club no comment
- 4. Northcliff Lions Club the sale of 2<sup>nd</sup> hand books has been a challenge during lockdown.
- 5. Roodepoort Host Lions Club Had a market and fun day at the club house = some funds raised.
- 6. Rustenburg Lions Club need to be innovative and come up with new ideas to raise funds in the new normal.
- 7. Weltevreden Lions Club no comment
- 8. Wilro Park Lions Club difficult during lockdown due to the numbers our Golf Day and Cycle Race attracts.

#### 6. CLUB ADMINISTRATION

#### **NPO / PBO REGISTRATION**

All Clubs have valid and up to date registrations  Yes / No		
If No, list Clubs and provide details:		
1. Clearwater Cyber Club - yes		
2. Helderkruin Lions Club -yes		
3. Krugersdorp Lions Club - yes		
4.Northcliff Lions Club - no. PBO registration outstanding.		
5.Roodepoort Host Lions Club - no comment		
6.Rustenburg Lions Club - yes		
7.Weltevreden Lions Club - yes		
8.Wilro Park Lions Club - yes		

#### **DUES PAYMENTS**

All Clubs are up to date with International, MD and District dues	Yes / No		
payments			
If No, list Clubs and provide details:			
Clearwater Cyber Club – yes			
There is an outstanding amount recently brought to our attention by the cabinet			
treasurer. This will be resolved soon.			
2. Helderkruin Lions Club - yes			
3. Krugersdorp Lions Club - yes			
Northcliff Lions Club - yes			
5. Roodepoort Host Lions Club - no comment			
6. Rustenburg Lions Club - yes			
7. Weltevreden Lions Club - yes			
8. Wilro Park Lions Club ves			

#### **CLUB FINANCES**

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All Clubs are financially sound in terms of Admin and Projects Yes / No		
accounts and financials are distributed to Club members		
If No, list Clubs and provide details:		
1. Clearwater Cyber Club - yes		
2. Helderkruin Lions Club - yes		
3. Krugersdorp Lions Club - yes		
4.Northcliff Lions Club - no. Balances are shared at meetings. Payments are captured in		
the minutes.		
5.Roodepoort Host Lions Club - no comment		
6.Rustenburg Lions Club - yes		
7.Weltevreden Lions Club - yes		
8.Wilro Park Lions Club - yes		

#### WMMR and ACTIVITIES REPORTING

All Clubs submit WMMR's and Activities Reports to LCI timeously  Yes / No		
If No, list Clubs and provide details:		
Clearwater Cyber Club - yes		
2. Helderkruin Lions Club - yes		
3.Krugersdorp Lions Club - yes		
4.Northcliff Lions Club - WMMR's yes / Activities - not always		
5.Roodepoort Host Lions Club - no comment		
6.Rustenburg Lions Club - yes		
7.Weltevreden Lions Club - yes		
8.Wilro Park Lions Club - yes		

#### **GENERAL COMMENTS ON CLUB ADMINISTRATION**

1.	Clearwater Cyber Club – Club administration is currently good.
2.	Helderkruin Lions Club Our club administration runs very efficiently and is always
	up to date.
3.	Krugersdorp Lions Club - no comment
4.	Northcliff Lions Club - no comment
5.	Roodepoort Host Lions Club - no comment
6.	Rustenburg Lions Club - we need to make an effort to reactivate both PBO and
	NPO numbers as a matter of urgency so as to allow us more scope in fundraising.
7.	Weltevreden Lions Club - occasionally the MyLion App is not working or is offline
8.	Wilro Park Lions Club - planning our Wilro Llons Amazing Race on 18 April

#### 21.1.2 ZONE CHAIRPERSON REPORT - ZONE 2 - ZC Shane Pape

#### 1. ZONE CHAIR ADMINISTRATION:

#### **ZONE MEETINGS:**

**HELD:** All planned Zone Meetings

#### No visits due to Corona-19 restrictions due to National Lockdown

Date	Venue	Attendance	Topics Addressed / Comments

#### SCHEDULED: No visits due to Corona-19 restrictions

Date	Venue	Topics to be Addressed / Comments

#### **CLUB VISITS:**

#### **HELD: No visits due to Corona-19 restrictions**

Waiting for meeting dates from various clubs that have not resumed monthly meetings yet.

Date	Club Name	Topics Addressed / Comments
6 October 2020	Klerksdorp	Inducted two new members Club to continue with service projects.

**SCHEDULED:** No dates have been received from other clubs

Date	Club Name	Topics to be Addressed / Comments

#### 2. LEADERSHIP: I can only report on Klerksdorp Lions Club

#### **CLUB MEETINGS**

All Club Meetings are well run with agenda, good participation and	Yes / No
chairmanship	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	Yes
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#### **LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT and TRAINING**

All Clubs have participated in or intend participating	Yes / No
in District Leadership Development and Training opportunities	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1.Klerksdorp	No

#### **SUCCESSION PLANNING**

All Clubs have succession plans in place to ensure future leadership	Yes / No
going forward	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	Yes
1.	

#### WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF LEADERSHIP?

#### GENERAL COMMENTS ON LEADERSHIP

#### 3. MEMBERSHIP

#### **MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEES**

All Clubs have membership committees in place to ensure	Yes / No
membership growth and retention going forward	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	Yes
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#### **NEW MEMBER INTRODUCTION and INFORMATION**

All Clubs conduct meaningful new member introduction and information sessions to ensure that new members are informed about the club and the organisation	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	Yes
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#### WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF MEMBERSHIP?

They inducted two new members.

#### **GENERAL COMMENTS ON MEMBERSHIP**

Because times are tough we have a number of friends of Lions but they do not want to become members.

#### 4. SERVICE ACTIVITIES

#### **LOCAL COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**

All Clubs conduct meaningful community-based service activities	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1. Klerksdorp	Yes

2.Potchefstroom	Yes
3. Stilfontein	Yes x 1
4. Mafikeng	No
5 Kimberly	No.
6. Bloemfontein	No

#### **PARTICIPATION IN LCI GLOBAL CAUSES**

All Clubs conduct meaningful activities focussing on one or more of the Global Causes of Vision, Environment, Childhood Cancer, Hunger, Diabetes	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1. Klerksdorp	Yes
2.Potchefstroom	Yes
3.Stilfontein	No
4.Mafikeng	No
5.Kimberley	No
6.Bloemfontein	No

#### **PARTICIPATION IN LCIF**

All Clubs participate in LCIF through making contributions of some	Yes / No
description	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
Klerksdorp- lack of funds	No
2.Potchefstroom	No
3.Stilfontein	Yes
4.Mafikeng	No
5.Kimberly	No
6.Bloemfontein	No

#### PARTICIPATION IN LIONS BRIGHTSIGHT

All Clubs participate in Lions Brightsight	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1. Klerksdorp	Yes
2.Potchefstroom	Yes
3. Stilfontein	No
4. Mafikeng	No
5.Kimberley	No
6.Bloemfontein	No

#### WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF SERVICE?

1. Klerksdorp – Bright Sight November 2020, Biscuits to Elderly of Randles Park, Blake
Flats Orkney and Street children at Atamaleng Shelter, Sweet parcels to farming
communities of Benekraal and Jacaranda. Inducted 5 new members
2.Potchefsroom – No Report, lost 2 members
3. Stilfontein – No Report, Christmas Drive done.
4.Mafikeng – No Report, No activities
5. Kimberley – Report sent in, No activities.
6. Bloemfontein – No Report, No activities.

#### **GENERAL COMMENTS ON SERVICE ACTIVITIES**

#### 5. FUND RAISING ACTIVITIES

#### **CHRISTMAS CAKE PROJECT**

All Clubs participate in the MD Christmas Cake Project	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1.Klerksdorp	Yes
2.Potchefstroom	Yes
3.Stilfontein	No
4.Mafikeng	No
5.Kimberley	No
6.Bloemfontein	No

#### LOCAL FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES

All Clubs participate in their own locally-driven fundraising initiatives	Yes / No	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:		
No fundraising was done by any of the Clubs of Zone 2 due to the National Lockdown.		
Hopefully things will change in the near future		

#### WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF FUND RAISING?

#### **GENERAL COMMENTS ON FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES**

#### 6. CLUB ADMINISTRATION

#### **NPO / PBO REGISTRATION**

All Clubs have valid and up to date registrations	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1.Klerksdorp	Yes
2. Potchefstroom	Yes
3.Stilfontein	Yes
4.Mafikeng	No
5.Kimberly	No
6. Bloemfontein	No

#### **DUES PAYMENTS**

All Clubs are up to date with International, MD and District dues  Yes / No	
payments	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1. Klerksdorp	Yes
2. Potchefstroom	Yes
3. Stilfontein	Yes
4.Mafikeng	No
5.Kimberly	Yes
6.Bloemfontein	Yes

#### **CLUB FINANCES**

All Clubs are financially sound in terms of Admin and Projects Yes / No			
accounts and financials are distributed to Club members			
If No, list Clubs and provide details:			
1. Klerksdorp	Yes		
2. Potchefstroom	Yes		
3. Stilfontein	Yes		
4. Mafikeng	Unknown		
5. Kimberly	Unknown		
6. Bloemfontein	Unknown		

#### WMMR and ACTIVITIES REPORTING

All Clubs submit WMMR's and Activities Reports to LCI timeously			Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:			
	WMMR	Activities	
1.Klerksdorp	Yes	Yes	
2.Potchefstroom	Yes	No	
3. Stilfontein	Yes	Yes	
4.Mafikeng	Yes	No	
5.Kimberly	Yes	No	
6.Bloemfontein	Yes	No	

#### **GENERAL COMMENTS ON CLUB ADMINISTRATION**

Presidents often have to be reminded to have their monthly reports submitted.

#### 21.2 REGION CHAIRPERSON REPORT - REGION B - RC PCC Cliff Hocking

#### 1. REGION CHAIR INTERACTIONS WITH ZONE CHAIRS

Date	Topics Addressed
July 2020	Regular and ongoing interaction and communication with ZC's on all matters relevant to the
to	District, Region, Zones and Clubs in terms of Service, Membership, Leadership, Visibility and
April 2021	Administration.
	My thanks go to ZC's Teresa and Bernice for positive responses, contributions and actions at all
	times.

#### 2. LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT GOALS and PROGRESS

2020 – 2021 GOAL	ACHIEVEMENT TO DATE	FORECAST TO JUNE 2021
In the 2020-2021 fiscal year, 100% of	100 % participation not achieved – all	Incoming Club Officers'
incoming club officers will complete club	clubs however participated in all Club	2021-2022 Workshops
officer training.	Officer Workshops.	scheduled for May and June
	Net result: PASS	2021. Participation to be
		promoted to Club
		leadership.
During the 2020-2021 fiscal year, the	District Leadership Toolkit held	Nil planned to June.
Region will have 20 selected candidates	January to March with participation of	
attend District Leadership Development	delegates from the Region.	
programmes.	Net result: PASS	

#### 3. MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT GOALS and PROGRESS

2020 – 2021 GOAL	ACHIEVEMENT TO DATE	FORECAST TO JUNE 2021
By the end of the 2020 - 2021 year, the	The current status year to date reflects	It is anticipated that the
Region will add a total of 40 new	a negative growth of 2, which means a	situation will not change
members.	shortfall of 42 against the goal.	significantly before June.
	The details per Club can be seen in our	The forecast is therefore
	GMT Coordinators report.	that the current situation
	Net result: FAIL	will remain in force.
By the end of the 2020 - 2021 year, the	No new clubs formed.	There are no club extension
Region will form 1 new club with a	Net result: FAIL	prospects on the horizon
minimum of 20 charter members and 2	Club Branch of Alberton formed in	and no further branches
new Club Branches with a minimum of 6	Fourways. Thanks, and congratulations	being initiated.
members in each	to the Lions Club of Alberton.	
	Net result: PASS (with distinction)	
	The proposed Club Branch of Edenvale	
	is not going to happen as the club has	
	decided to incorporate the former	
	Lionesses into the Edenvale Lions Club.	
	Net result: FAIL	

#### 4. SERVICE ACTIVITIES

The following table reflects the performance of the Clubs in Region B in terms of service:

Club	People	Service	Volunteer
	Served	Activities	Hours
Alberton	30 652	217	1 829
Bedfordview	4 552	72	640
Centurion	8 047	117	1 349
Centurion Lifestyle	1 752	43	322
Edenvale	622	8	95
Henley on Klip	3 803	28	305
Jakaranda	1 107	31	1 147
Kensington	459	11	105
Midrand	20 152	60	1 139
Pretoria City	1 406	53	869
Pretoria South	53 040	162	2 181
The Wilds	4 471	51	1 796
Vereeniging	11 015	154	1 312
Region B Total	141 078	1 007	13 089
410E Total	242 679	2 257	32 389
Region B % of District	58.1	44.6	40.4

410E	
Membership	992
Region B	
Membership	258
Region B	
% of District Membership	26

Impressive to see that 26 % of the District membership accounted for 58.1 % of people served, 44.6 % of service activities and 40.4 % of volunteer hours provided during the period under review.

Region B Clubs, I salute you for your service and it makes sense to refer to Region B as being Best!

#### 5. 2020 - 2021 IN PERSPECTIVE

We started this fiscal year with an underlying theme of

#### "To try different things in an attempt to see different results."

The modus operandi was to facilitate a number of interactive sessions with plenty of participation and discussion which, as we know, is not really achievable via Zoom and/or Teams as opposed to face to face sessions. Nevertheless, we can claim positive outcomes!

The following summarises initiatives undertaken:

- 1. July 2020: Region B Zoom B-Ree to set the scene in terms of goals, succession planning, training, planning and chatting about where we were and where we wanted to be.
- 2. September 2020: Region B Membership Matters looking at membership stability (given the covid issues), membership growth, new and branch club extension and member satisfaction.

#### Consolidated Reports for the District 410E Convention to be held on 24 April 2021

- 3. February 2021: Region B Meeting of the Minds having a look at the future in terms of strategic thinking and changes that will be necessary going forward. This resulted in the formation of a regional task team consisting of 3 club presidents and 3 new members to explore innovation and forward thinking.
- 4. February 2021: Region B New Member Orientation to explore what needs to be covered in a membership orientation / information session to be carried out by Clubs.
- 5. March 2021: Region B Leo Clubs Revival the objective here was to set the scene for the formation of Leo Clubs in order to develop a Lions Nursery / Kindergarten to develop, grow and nurture young members for the future.

We are not done yet for the year and hopefully some benefits will be seen as we move into the future.

#### 6. CONCLUSION

We need to remind ourselves that when we meet as a Cabinet and District on 24 April, we will still have 2 months of this fiscal year to complete and that there is much that needs doing to conclude 2020 – 2021 on a successful note.

There is also much more to be done in the District going into 2021 – 2022 and beyond!

Serving as Region Chairman this year has been the first time in a number of years that I have been directly involved in the "operations department" of our organisation and it has been an eye-opener, both good and bad, to say the least. It has been only two years since our much spoken-about redistricting took place and, in all honesty, much work and effort is required at District and Club levels to get our District into a better shape than we currently see. Any analysis will reveal that we are under par in a number of areas and District and Club leadership structures are going to need to dig deep over the next five years or so to ensure survival, let alone success.

Complacency, mediocracy and run-of-the-mill attitudes cannot be accepted and tolerated and we need to bear in mind that when we put up our hands to lead, we are committed to provide that leadership. We need to bear in mind that the only place where success comes before work is in the dictionary!

My thanks go to DG Jeff, the late VDG Leslie, VDG Patrick, VDG Sydney, GLT Coordinator (and RC designate) Lindie, GMT Coordinator Ian, ZC's Teresa and Bernice and our Region B Club Presidents Tammy, Hilton, Wilma, PCC Rob, Lionel, PCC Roger, Lindie, Tracey, PCC Jacqui, Hendrik, Steven, Mark and Gary for their participation and inputs into our Regional initiatives and successes during the period under review.

It has been my pleasure to serve District 410E this fiscal year.

**CLIFF HOCKING** 

**REGION CHAIRMAN 2020 - 2021** 

#### 21.2.1 ZONE CHAIRPERSON REPORT - ZONE 3 - ZC Teresa Pantoleon

**Zone Meetings:** 1. Proposed Dates: 08<sup>th</sup> August 2020

Proposed Dates: 21st November 2020
 Proposed Dates: 13th February 2021

4. Proposed Dates: 15<sup>th</sup> May 2021

#### General

Club Name	Club Number	NPO Number	PBO Number	Club Meetings
1. ALBERTON	27721	031-845	N/A	GBM: 3 <sup>rd</sup> Mon Board: 2 <sup>nd</sup> Monday
2. BEDFORDVIEW	27723	034-092	Busy	2nd Sat
3. EDENVALE	27730	131-885	930008357	2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday
4. HENLEY ON KLIP	27746	031-655	N/A	1 <sup>ST</sup> MON
5. THE WILDS	27742	034-385	930007307	2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday
6. KENSINGTON	122767	NEED TO APPLY	N/A	3 <sup>RD</sup> SAT
7. VEREENIGING	27766	192-113	N/A	2 <sup>ND</sup> TUES

Membership

Club Name	Current Membership	Prospective Members	New Inducted Members	Dropped Members	Reasons for Dropped Members
1. ALBERTON	53	10	5 (April 21')	2 (May '21)	Relocated
2. BEDFORDVIEW	7	2			
3. EDENVALE	19	3	0	0	
4. HENLEY ON KLIP	9				
5. THE WILDS	12				
6. KENSINGTON	7	3	0	0	
7. VEREENIGING	31	0	1	0	
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Club Admin	Yes/No	Yes/No	Yes/No	Yes/No
Club	PU101	WMMR	Activities (MyLCI)	Activities (MyLION)
1. ALBERTON	Yes	Yes	N/A	Yes
2. BEDFORDVIEW	To be done in June	Yes	Yes	Yes
3. EDENVALE	No	Yes		
4. HENLEY ON KLIP	Yes	Yes	In Progress	In Progress
5. THE WILDS		Yes	Yes	Yes
6. KENSINGTON	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
7. VEREENIGING	After Elections	Yes	No	Yes

	Good, Ok, Poor	Good, Ok, Poor	Yes/No	Yes/No	Yes/No
Club	Project Funds	Admin Funds	District Dues Paid	MD dues Paid	International Dues Paid
1. ALBERTON	Good	Ok	Yes	Yes	Yes
2. BEDFORDVIEW	Good	Good	Yes	Yes	Yes
3. EDENVALE	Good	Good	Yes	Yes	Yes
4. HENLEY ON KLIP	Ok	Ok	Yes	Yes	Yes
5. THE WILDS	Good	Poor	Yes	Yes	Yes
6. KENSINGTON	Ok	Ok	Yes	Yes	Yes
7. VEREENIGING	Good	Good	Yes	Yes	Yes

	Yes/No	Yes/No	Yes/No	Yes/No	Yes/No
Club	Books "Audited"	Social Welfare Reports	SARS Reports	LCIF 100% Contributing Club	LCIF Campaign 100 Contribution
1. ALBERTON	Yes	Yes	N/A	No	No
2. BEDFORDVIEW	No	No	No	Yes	Yes
3. EDENVALE	Yes	No	No	No	No
4. HENLEY ON KLIP	In Progress	No	No	By Dues - Yes	No
5. THE WILDS	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No
6. KENSINGTON	No	No	No	No	No
7. VEREENIGING	No	No	No	No	No

# Goals for 2020 - 2021

Club	List any major activity that should be shared with the district	
ALBERTON		
BEDFORDVIEW	<ul><li>To recruit new members.</li><li>Still working on possible new projects</li></ul>	
EDENVALE	<ul> <li>To find more accessible venues for food collections</li> <li>To complete a project for Pediatric cancer</li> <li>To have a Diabetes testing (COVID dependent)</li> <li>To recruit new members</li> </ul>	
HENLEY ON KLIP	•	
THE WILDS	Weekly food collections supporting several organisations	
KENSINGTON	<ul> <li>Hunger alleviation</li> <li>Re Lions Awareness month – we are planning to donate 15 comfort packs to CHOC and host a diabetes screening. The club is finalising dates</li> </ul>	
VEREENIGING	<ul> <li>Fundraising – Book Sales</li> <li>Fundraising - Bingo</li> <li>Food hamper distribution - Ongoing</li> </ul>	

**Club Meetings** 

Club	Agenda	Minutes	Good Participation	Any Concerns
ALBERTON	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
BEDFORDVIEW	Yes	Yes	Yes	
EDENVALE	Yes	Upto date	Fair	
HENLEY ON KLIP	No	No	No	Covid
THE WILDS	Yes	Yes	Zoom about half	
KENSINGTON	Yes	Yes	Yes	None
VEREENIGING	Yes	Yes	Yes	

**Planned Fund Raising** 

Club	List any major fundraisers	MD Christmas Cakes
ALBERTON	<ul> <li>9-holes for hunger</li> <li>Corporate donors</li> <li>2021 Red shirts Golf challenge</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Sold 103 Cases, paid in full</li><li>.</li><li>.</li></ul>
BEDFORDVIEW	<ul> <li>Jail &amp; Bail event end June with Mozambik restaurant – Fire &amp; Ice</li> <li>Wheelchair race with Plumblink</li> <li>Bikers breakfast from end May</li> </ul>	<ul><li>All sold</li><li>.</li><li>.</li></ul>
EDENVALE	• .	• .
HENLEY ON KLIP	Book Sales.	Participated
THE WILDS	• .	Sold 36 cartons
KENSINGTON	Doggy Walkathon – we are finalising date and details	We had a wonderful sale of cakes and actually had to buy extra cakes
VEREENIGING	Book Sales     Bingo	Sold 50 cases

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# Planned Service Activities

Activities		
Club	List any major service activities	Global Causes (Vision, Environment, Childhood Cancer, Hunger, Diabetes)
ALBERTON	<ul> <li>Launched daily breakfast porridge project for underprivileged children, 3000 breakfasts provided per month since February 2021.</li> </ul>	
BEDFORDVIEW	<ul> <li>Clothes &amp; Food donations</li> <li>Looking after our own members in need</li> </ul>	Hunger, environment
EDENVALE	<ul><li>Food collections</li><li>Diabetes testing</li><li>River/Park clean-up</li><li>Bingo</li></ul>	
HENLEY ON KLIP	<ul> <li>Hunger Alleviation</li> <li>Donations of School shoe's</li> <li>Blood drive</li> <li>Eye Clinic</li> <li>Street clean-up</li> </ul>	Hunger
THE WILDS	Weekly food collections	
KENSINGTON	<ul><li>Hunger Alleviation</li><li>Diabetes</li></ul>	Hunger
VEREENIGING	Sustainable Veggie Gardens.	Waiting for Covid restrictions to be lifted

Training

Training	Tue in in au Ce ne ule te el	Any training that you would like to do
Club	Training Completed	Arry training triat you would like to do
ALBERTON	20 members have completed over 110	
ALBERTON	LCI online training courses	
BEDFORDVIEW		
EDENVALE	No	Orientation
HENLEY ON KLIP	None	None
THE WILDS		
KENSINGTON	Club officers training	None
	Club officers training	Conflict Resolution
VEREENIGING	Leadership Toolkit – 5, 7 Online	
	training courses complete.	

**Leadership Succession Plan** 

Club	Do you have a leadership succession plan, ie Vice President etc? (Yes/No)	Who do you think has great leadership skills in your club?
ALBERTON	Yes	
BEDFORDVIEW	No	Yet to be determined
EDENVALE	No	Yet to be determined
HENLEY ON KLIP	No	
THE WILDS	We have VPS, nobody wants President position	Average
KENSINGTON	Yes	Gavin
VEREENIGING	Yes	

Membership

Club	Membership Committee (Yes/No)	New Members Induction and Information Session? (Yes/No)
ALBERTON	Yes	Yes
BEDFORDVIEW	No	Yes
EDENVALE	No	No
HENLEY ON KLIP	Director	No
THE WILDS	No	Yes
KENSINGTON	Yes	Yes
VEREENIGING	Yes	Yes

# 21.2.2 ZONE CHAIRPERSON REPORT - ZONE 4 - ZC Bernice Mills

# 1. ZONE CHAIR ADMINISTRATION:

## **ZONE MEETINGS:**

# **HELD**:

Date	Venue	Attendance	Topics Addressed / Comments
8 Aug	Zoom	18	Cabinet feedback sent to all
2020			Presidents.
7 Nov	Zoom	8 and 3	Cabinet feedback given
2020		apologies	
27 <sup>™</sup> Feb	Zwartkops Country Club	12 and 7	Great meeting and sharing of
2020		apologies	information

## **SCHEDULED:**

Date	Venue	Topics to be Addressed / Comments
7 <sup>th</sup> Nov/20	Zoom	Cabinet feedback – the way forward during Covid
27 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Zwartkop Country Club	Completed successfully.
2021		·

## **CLUB VISITS:**

## **HELD**:

Date	Club Name	Topics Addressed / Comments
26 Aug 2020	Centurion Lifestyle	Well run meeting – next planned visit 19 <sup>th</sup> Oct.
15 Oct 2020	Midrand	Well run fun filled meeting
19 October 2020	Centurion Lifestyle	Attended by many Lions including Lion Jannie
		Who went at Large after this.
3 <sup>rd</sup> November 2020	Pta South	Very well-run meeting with much planned. This
		club is very inspirational.
11 <sup>th</sup> March 2021	Pta City	Great vibe and excitement at their first face to
		face meetingshared documentation with them.

# **SCHEDULED:**

Date	Club Name	Topics to be Addressed / Comments
TBA	Pretoria Jakaranda	(meetings the same day as Centurion)

## 2. LEADERSHIP

# **CLUB MEETINGS**

All Club Meetings are well run with agenda, good participation and chairmanship	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	Yes
Pta South club have plans in place for the new leadership to do the necessary training as well as the other clubs.	

# **LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT and TRAINING**

All Clubs have participated in or intend participating	Yes / No
in District Leadership Development and Training opportunities	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	Yes
Many clubs have already submitted their PU101 for the next year.	
Centurion Lifestyle: To date no. We have advised members of all the opportunities and	
see what comes out of that.	

## **SUCCESSION PLANNING**

'	Yes / No
going forward	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	Yes
Many clubs have already submitted their PU101 for the next year.	
Centurion Lifestyle: Lion Chris Carstens was in line but due to illness has to still make a	
decision. The club must still decide on their new leadership.	

## WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF LEADERSHIP?

Midrand Club: Many of our newer, younger members are being groomed to take leadership and the "old guard" is ensuring adequate mentoring and encouragement to attend training

Pta South Club: Ensuring clear roles and responsibilities for each leadership position and encouraging members to participate in the various sub committees or project teams to build the clubs leaders.

Pta Jakaranda: We promote development and succession planning in our club.

Centurion Club: Always relaying the upcoming training to our members so they can attend.

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON LEADERSHIP**

Centurion Lifestyle: We seem to be a team of very willing workers as opposed to a team of leaders and delegators!

## 3. MEMBERSHIP

#### **MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEES**

All Clubs have membership committees in place to ensure	Yes / No
membership growth and retention going forward	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	Yes, for sure

#### NEW MEMBER INTRODUCTION and INFORMATION

NEW MEMBER INTRODUCTION and IN CHIMATION	
All Clubs conduct meaningful new member introduction and	Yes / No
information sessions to ensure that new members are informed	
about the club and the organisation	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	Yes
Midrand have a fully-fledged presentation which is currently been updated a	and used.
Pta South: Member induction and orientation is a process where new	
members are informed regarding the Lions Organisation, club activities and	
service projects. A more structured formal induction is being investigated.	
Centurion Lifestyle: We developed a model for orientation with DC Lindie.	

## WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF MEMBERSHIP?

Pta Jakaranda Club: We are hosting an awareness drive on 17 April.

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON MEMBERSHIP**

There are a few prospective people who will be inducted to meet the Nil \$35 dollar offer which we have been offered.... I only hope this will not be to the detriment of them leaving soon after because of hasty inductions!

Pta South Club have 8 potential new members and induction of 2 new members.

Centurion Club have 3 new prospectives in their sights with one induction planned for 17<sup>th</sup> April.

## 4. SERVICE ACTIVITIES

# **LOCAL COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**

All Clubs conduct meaningful community-based service activities	Yes / No	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	Yes	
Midrand Club have started up their eye testing again at The Boulders and have a		
scheduled Circles Market planned for 17th April where they will promote Lionism with their		
spekboom and Lions awareness flyers.		

# **PARTICIPATION IN LCI GLOBAL CAUSES**

All Clubs conduct meaningful activities focussing on one or more of the Global Causes of Vision, Environment, Childhood Cancer, Hunger, Diabetes	Yes / No	
<u> </u>		
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	Yes	
Pta South club: In line with the GST structure, we have appointed hea	ds of the various	
service pillars who drive meaningful activities and projects in all pillars		
Midrand Club: Yes, we do. Hunger Relief is done 365 days a year / M	onthly Eye Clinics	
on the last Saturday of each month restarted in February 2021 in partr	nership with Lions	
Bright sight and the University of Johannesburg Optometric Departme	nt.	
All the other clubs constantly order spectacles through Bright sight.		

# **PARTICIPATION IN LCIF**

All Clubs participate in LCIF through making contributions of some	Yes / No	
description		
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	No	
Pta Jakaranda club: We have contributed 20\$ per member and contir	nue to contribute.	
Pta South Club: We are a participating Bronze member of LCIF.		
Midrand club: At the moment no as the cost of MJF is just too prohibitive with the current exchange rates.		
Centurion Club: We usually have an anonomys donor who donates.		
Centurion Lifestyle: Not if LCIF has dropped Honor Rolls. We have a credit of US\$440 with LCIF.		

## **PARTICIPATION IN LIONS BRIGHTSIGHT**

All Clubs participate in Lions Bright sight	Yes / No	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	Yes	
All clubs are actively involved with the ordering of specs from Bright sight.		
Clubs also donate the old spectacles to them in Benoni.		
Screening is rather limited at this time of Level 1.		

# WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF SERVICE?

Feeding the hungry has been the driving force of all our clubs.

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON SERVICE ACTIVITIES**

## 5. FUND RAISING ACTIVITIES

# **CHRISTMAS CAKE PROJECT**

All Clubs participate in the MD Christmas Cake Project	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	Yes
All clubs ordered cakes and they were distributed timeously with great success.	

## LOCAL FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES

All Clubs participate in their own locally-driven fundraising initiatives	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	Both
Due to Covid, clubs have been restricted in doing fundraising in person.	

Clubs are however planning various fundraisers.

Pta South Club are active with raffles, social events and ad-hoc activities.

Pta Jakaranda club sell wine and face masks.

Centurion club sell jumble.

## WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF FUND RAISING?

Centurion Lifestyle: Golf fundraiser with Zwartkops Country Club at the end of the month. Not our own golf day but a fundraiser in collaboration with the golf club members. Should raise about R10k.

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES**

Clubs are trying what they can to bring in funding.

#### 6. CLUB ADMINISTRATION

#### **NPO / PBO REGISTRATION**

All Clubs have valid and up to date registrations	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	Yes
Centurion and Centurion Lifestyle: NPO Done we are moving forware gistration.	rd with our PBO

#### **DUES PAYMENTS**

All Clubs are up to date with International, MD and District dues	Yes / No
payments	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	Yes
There seems to be a small International exchange rate difference for C	Centurion Lifestyle
Club.	-

## **CLUB FINANCES**

All Clubs are financially sound in terms of Admin and Projects accounts and financials are distributed to Club members	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	Yes

#### WMMR and ACTIVITIES REPORTING

All Clubs submit WMMR's and Activities Reports to LCI timeously	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	Yes
We can be very proud of our Zone 4 who are always on top of their page	perwork. Well Done!

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON CLUB ADMINISTRATION**

We thank CS Patrick for his monthly reminders to all the secretaries to submit their WMMR reports timeously.

## 21.3 REGION CHAIRPERSON REPORT - REGION C - RC PDG Nick Mare

## 1. REGION CHAIR INTERACTIONS

#### WITH ZONE CHAIRS:

Topics Addressed

I have kept in contact with my Zone Chairs throughout the period since our last Cabinet meeting.

I have had interesting and meaningful discussions with both Zone Chairs, with regards to communication with Clubs, the "Strengthen 410E" proposals and incoming Club officer training. We concluded that the idea of the "Strengthen 410E" initiative is a good one, however, the action of zoom meetings with the Region, or even Zones, for our area is not achievable and we therefore modified the rollout to a club questionnaire for all members to be included. The outlying Clubs struggle with connectivity. The Benoni Clubs, apart from the Lakes don't have internet connection freely available, nor the best electronic communication skills.

We have circulated the questionnaire and will report back once we have received the collated Club feedback.

#### **ZONES:**

Date	Zone	Topics Addressed
27/02/2021	5	Attended Zone 5 meeting. Good meeting, although no
		participation from Boksburg. Reports were fairly comprehensive,
		but indicated that most Clubs are not very active.
Next		Reports from Clubs were good. There are issues with some
Meeting		Clubs and ZC Lauryn agreed to contact the Clubs with all
08/05/2021		relevant information.
Various	6	Zone Chair Martin has reported difficulty in setting up zoom meetings with his Clubs. He has however been in contact with all Club Presidents and will give us the relevant information in his report.

#### **CLUBS**:

Date	Club(s)	Topics Addressed
March 2021	5	Have spoken to members of Boksburg, they will still be closing their doors at the end of May. All their regalia will be dropped at Brightsight. They have guaranteed that their payments will be up to date and that a set of financials will be forwarded to District. There is a possibility of 4 members joining Benoni Host.
		After the death of Lion Charles Metcalf and the resignation of Lions Gillian Jones and Isobel Reyneke, we invited PDG George MacDonald and LP Tina from Benoni Host to our Benoni Lakes "meet and greet". Zone Chair Lauryn and myself chatted to them about their difficulties. We intimated that combining with another Lions Club in Benoni may be an option. PDG George was not really open to the idea and he will be making plans to grow their membership. I understand his sentiment and offered our assistance as required. Zone Chair Lauryn and myself will continue to monitor the situation.
		Benoni Van Rhyn are experiencing a few membership problems of their own, but Zone Chair Lauryn is keeping a close eye on developments and I believe she has the situation under control.
		Standerton are struggling with member commitment and held a special meeting on Wednesday 31 March, which I attended with

		LP Beaulieu. There were 9 members in attendance and 6 of them were positive about keeping the Club going. They have identified their President, Secretary and Treasurer for next year and I am happy to report that 2 younger members have put up their hand to take on positions. There are issues in the Club and I will put a plan together with Zone Chair Lauryn to help them through their difficulties.
		Benoni Lakes are doing very well and have completed a number of projects during this period. There is every possibility that the Club will show a growth within the next 2 months, after huge interest was shown by people who attended their "meet and greet" function.
March 2021	Zone 6	I have been in contact with LP Karl from Pietersburg. He reports that they had a club meeting on Friday 26 March and discussed the way forward for the Club. They have requested assistance and I will set up a visit to their Club.
		Nelspruit are doing well under the circumstances. They have identified Club leadership for the next fiscal period.
		Manzini are experiencing a few membership issues which are being handled by Zone Chair Martin. He will let me know if he needs any assistance.

#### **GENERAL COMMENTS**

There is no doubt that many Clubs and many Lions have used "covid" as an excuse for non-attendance and lack of support. Having said that, there are a few cases where covid has had an adverse effect on some Clubs.

There has been quite a bit of discussion lately about bringing younger members into Lionism. Region C believes that we may be putting too much effort into this idea and believe "new members" regardless of age, is where we should be focusing our efforts. I believe Rotary have launched a campaign to recruit new members from retirees as they have the time and the financial stability to be strong members.

# 2. LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVES AGAINST GOALS IDENTIFIED

- 1. It looks like most of the Region C Clubs have identified leadership for the next fiscal year.
- 2. Discussions with Zone Chairs Lauryn and Martin have confirmed that Clubs incoming Presidents believe that having training over 3 separate weekends is not practical. The incoming officers also believe that "zoom training" has connectivity issues and does not allow for the right amount of interaction. Clubs have asked if I would be able to arrange "face to face" training?

## 3. MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVES AGAINST GOALS

## MEMBERSHIP GROWTH and NEW CLUB EXTENSION

Zone Chair Martin still believes that Phalaborwa can be revived. He will keep us up to date with developments.

## **MEMBERSHIP RETENTION**

Reports from Clubs indicate that there will be quite a few drops at the end of June. I have addressed the issues with Standerton and Benoni Host and believe our interventions will have a positive effect.

I am afraid to say, that most of our losses are due to internal disagreements between members, with some members believing that they are more important and know more about "what is right" than other members. I believe we need to reiterate, in the strongest possible terms, during training sessions, that **CLUB MEMBERS** make decisions. We need to remind our Club leadership how the decision process works!

## 21.3.1 ZONE CHAIRPERSON REPORT - ZONE 5 - ZC Lauryn Talbot

**Zone Meetings:** 

15th August 2020 – Held via Zoom with great attendance and feedback

**ngs:** 1.

14th November 2020 – Held via Zoom with good attendance and feedback

2.

27<sup>th</sup> February 2021 – Held via Zoom with good attendance and feedback

3.

8<sup>th</sup> May 2021

4.

#### General

Club Name	Club Number	NPO Number	PBO Number	Planned Visit
Benoni Lakes Lions				
Club	115092	117-184	930051019	TBC
Benoni Lions Club	27724	031-751	930012046	TBC
Benoni Van Rhyn Lions				
Club	33130	106-860	930009485	TBC
Boksburg Lions Club	27726	1852	9875	TBC
Standerton Lions Club	29241	031-948	Pending	TBC

Membership

Club Name	Current Membership	Prospective Members	New Inducted Members	Dropped Members	Reasons for Dropped Members
Benoni Lakes Lions Club	20	0	0	0	N/A
Benoni Lions Club	8	0	0	4	Resigned/ Passed away
Benoni Van Rhyn Lions Club	17	0	0	3	Resigned/ Passed away
Boksburg Lions Club	9	0	0	1	Passed Away
Standerton Lions Club	14	0	0	0	N/A

Club Admin	Yes/No	Yes/No	Yes/No	Yes/No
Club	PU101	WMMR	Activities (MyLCI)	Activities (MyLION)
Benoni Lakes Lions Club	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Benoni Lions Club	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Benoni Van Rhyn Lions Club	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Boksburg Lions Club	Yes	Yes	Yes	yes
Standerton Lions Club	Yes	Yes	Yes	No

Good, Ok,

Good

Poor

Good, Ok,

Good

Good

	Poor	Poor	Yes/No	Yes/No	Yes/No
Club	Project Funds	Admin Funds	District Dues Paid	MD dues Paid	International Dues Paid
Benoni Lakes Lions Club	Good	Good	Yes	Yes	Yes
Benoni Lions Club	Good	Good	Yes	Yes	Yes
Benoni Van Rhyn Lions Club	Good	Good	Yes	Yes	Yes

Yes

Yes

Yes

Yes

Yes

Yes

	Yes/No	Yes/No	Yes/No	Yes/No	Yes/No
Club	2019/2020 Books "Audited"	Social Welfare Reports	SARS Reports	LCIF 100% Contributing Club	LCIF Campaign 100 Contribution
Benoni Lakes Lions Club	Yes	Yes	Yes	No - Donation	Yes
Benoni Lions Club	TBC	TBC	TBC	TBC	TBC
Benoni Van Rhyn Lions Club	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Boksburg Lions Club	Yes	Yes	No	No	No
Standerton Lions Club	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No

**Fund Raising** 

**Boksburg Lions Club** 

Standerton Lions Club

Club	List any major activity that should be shared with the district	
Benoni Lakes Lions Club	Golf day on hold due to COVID19 however other ideas are in progress	
Benoni Lions Club	Jumble sales and Book Sales	
Benoni Van Rhyn Lions Club	Continuation of Book sales	
Boksburg Lions Club	None – Club closing end of May	
Standerton Lions Club	On hold due to COVID19	

# **Service Activities**

Club	List any major activity that should be shared with the district
Benoni Lakes Lions Club	Distributed 27 food boxes for families in need, Tonometer donation to brightsight valued at R 86 000. Donation of bedding to child-headed family in need. Spectacles through Brightsight. Easter Egg hand out for emergency services
Benoni Lions Club	Food Parcels for Protea Park on a continuous basis
Benoni Van Rhyn Lions Club	Distributed beanies to Red Cross. Food donation to Sizuzile Primary School.  Donation of Lawnmower to Angel Wings. Lego donation to a facility for Autistic Children and Oliver's village. Possibility of a Bingo evening again later in April. Have a new project with Almond tree that's being finalised to assist a teacher with her schooling and other items as well
Boksburg Lions Club	None – Club closing end of May
Standerton Lions Club	On hold due to COVID19

# 21.3.2 ZONE CHAIRPERSON REPORT - ZONE 6 - ZC Martin Froise

# 1. ZONE CHAIR ADMINISTRATION:

## **ZONE MEETINGS:**

## **HELD**:

Date	Venue	Attendance	Topics Addressed / Comments
10/10/20	Zoom	Letaba Tzaneen & Nelspuit	My Lion/LCI, Dues, PBO/NPO, Membership Growth/retention goal, orientation, Leader identification, Alert, excellence awards, LCIF contributions, Brightsight, Training, interclub communication, Concerns Interesting Projects/Service.
05/04/21	Per telephone	Letaba, Manzini, Polokwane & Nelspruit	Same criteria as above

## **SCHEDULED:**

Date	Venue	Topics to be Addressed / Comments
8/05/21	Per Telephone	Same as addressed in zone meeting

## **CLUB VISITS:**

## **HELD**:

Date	Club Name	Topics Addressed / Comments
13/10/20	Letaba Tzaneen	Strong Club all district criteria has been adhered
		to. Uploading service activities to My Lion
09/03/21	Letaba Tzaneen	Strong Club all district criteria adheared to

## **SCHEDULED:**

Date	Club Name	Topics to be Addressed / Comments
09/04/21	Pietersburg	Meeting with LP Karl

# 2. LEADERSHIP

# **CLUB MEETINGS**

All Club Meetings are well run with agenda, good participation and	Yes
chairmanship	

# **LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT and TRAINING**

All Clubs have participated in or intend participating in District Leadership Development and Training opportunities	No
Letaba Tzaneen & Nelspuit Clubs intend on participating in training.  .Lions Leadership Toolkit workshop will be attended by Bryan, Kate, Martin & Rodney from Letaba via zoom	Yes

Pietersburg & Manzini will be encouraged to do training

## **SUCCESSION PLANNING**

All Clubs have succession plans in place to ensure future leadership	No
going forward	
Letaba Tzaneen & Nelspruit Club have a strong directorship that	Yes
have identified next year's leaders	
Pietersburg Club needs to identify & develop new leaders	
Manzini is average in their succession planning	

#### WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF LEADERSHIP?

Letaba Tzaneen Club has a strong leadership team, board of directors and president. The Club has identified 2 future leaders Lion Bryan Hyland & Lion Kate Coppen.

Nelspruit Club has a strong leadership team, board of directors and president

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON LEADERSHIP**

Letaba Tzaneen is constantly identifying leadership qualities in their members and prospects.

Pietersburg needs assistance

#### 3. MEMBERSHIP

## **MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEES**

All Clubs have membership committees in place to ensure membership growth and retention going forward	No	
Letaba Tzaneen & Nelspruit Club have a strong membership committee that ensures growth & retention.	Yes	
1.Pietersburg is struggling with finding new members, they currently have 2 prospects.		
2.Manzini has a prospect		

## **NEW MEMBER INTRODUCTION and INFORMATION**

All Clubs conduct meaningful new member introduction and information sessions to ensure that new members are informed about the club and the organisation Letaba Tzaneen; Prospect Dianne that will be inducted soon at the president's induction.

# WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF MEMBERSHIP?

Letaba Tzaneen & Nelspuit clubs both have a similar retention policy.

The member's dues are partly subsidised, members can pay monthly with debit order & needy members can discuss terms with president confidentially.

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON MEMBERSHIP**

As we can see in Nelspruit & Letaba Tzaneen strong membership committee develops membership growth

#### 4. SERVICE ACTIVITIES

#### LOCAL COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

All Clubs conduct meaningful community-based service activities	Yes

# PARTICIPATION IN LCI GLOBAL CAUSES

All Clubs conduct meaningful activities focussing on one or more of	Yes
the Global Causes of Vision, Environment, Childhood Cancer,	
Hunger, Diabetes	

## **PARTICIPATION IN LCIF**

All Clubs participate in LCIF through making contributions of some description	No
Nespruit contributes regularly to LCIF	Yes
1.Letaba Tzaneen does not have funds to contribute	
2.Pietersburg does not have funds to contribute	
3.Manzini does not have funds to contribute	

#### PARTICIPATION IN LIONS BRIGHTSIGHT

All Clubs participate in Lions Brightsight	Yes
Letaba Tzaneen & Nelspruit are very active	
Manzini & Pietersburg are not so active, I will persuade them.	

## WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF SERVICE?

Letaba Tzaneen food scheme is a continuous project that feeds over 3000 people, this project has a lot of local support & is supporting other NGO's

Nelspruit is supporting Child-line with monthly food parcels, they are also supporting a house of safety for abused woman & children as well as teaching lifeskills.

Manzini in doing a "Care point" feeding scheme, they helped repair & paint a pentioners house that was burned down.

Pietersburg is supporting 2 old-age homes. They are involved in reviving a closed down hospice, as well as collecting food and distributing it to the needy.

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON SERVICE ACTIVITIES**

All clubs are active in their communities	,
Each club is busy distributing food parcels	,

#### 5. FUND RAISING ACTIVITIES

## **CHRISTMAS CAKE PROJECT**

All Clubs participate in the MD Christmas Cake Project	No	
Letaba Tzaneen & Nelspruit have bought cakes and are selling them	Yes	
1.Manzini needs the VAT removed from the cakes & are busy with transport. They are purchasing 10 cases		
2.Pietersburg did not buy cakes		

#### **LOCAL FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES**

All Clubs participate in their own locally-driven fundraising initiatives	Yes

## WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF FUND RAISING?

Nelspruit is selling Caipirinha's on hot weekends, very profitable.
LetabaTzaneen has a miniature potjie dinner where you cook your own food, very
profitable
Pietersburg are still adjusting after lockdown,
Manzini are selling rafffel tickets & the draw will take pace in April.,

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES**

Letaba Tzaneen & Nelspruit are very divergent in their ideas for fundraising

Manzini & Pietersburg is still getting back on their feet after lockdown, I will encourage them to get active again

# 6. CLUB ADMINISTRATION

## **NPO / PBO REGISTRATION**

All Clubs have valid and up to date registrations	No
Letaba Tzaneen has a PBO 230-033, books are at auditors to apply	
for PBO	
1.Nelspuit are busy with registration	
2.Pietersburg are busy with registration	
3.Manzini does not need to register (Eswatini)	

# **DUES PAYMENTS**

All Clubs are up to date with International, MD and District dues payments	No
Letaba Tzaneen , Nelspruit, Pietersburg are up to date with dues	Yes
1.Manzini; Club Secretary Mike has assured me they are sorting out to	he outstanding dues

## **CLUB FINANCES**

All Clubs are financially sound in terms of Admin a accounts and financials are distributed to Club mer	,

# WMMR and ACTIVITIES REPORTING

All Clubs submit WMMR's and Activities Reports to LCI timeously	Yes

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON CLUB ADMINISTRATION**

My Lion - Letaba Tzaneen finds it very time consuming to upload activities. The president,
secretary and PRO have finally got it sorted and they are updating it regularly.
I will address the issue with Pietersburg so that they will upload activities regularly
Nelspruit & Manzini are active on My Lion

# 21.4 REGION CHAIRPERSON REPORT - REGION D - RC Trevor Hobbs

## Summary of the years activities

Overall there has been very little activity by the clubs during the year. Due to the covid restrictions most clubs have not been meeting in person and some have not even been meeting via virtual meetings. This is worrying in that these clubs have lost momentum and may find it difficult to get back. Other clubs have simply ticked over carrying out a project now and again. The bright point is that one or two clubs have developed a whole new way of operating and have found ways to both raise money online but also haw to carry out projects without having a large personal presence. This is a practice that can be utalised by smaller clubs in the future,

The pleasing aspect within the Zone is that there has not been a large drop off in membership and one or two clubs have even grown their membership. Following a decision by Cabinet the UKZN Campus club was closed.

#### **REGION CHAIR INTERACTIONS**

## **CLUBS:**

## **Howick Umgeni**

After a long period of stagnation with only two members it is pleasing to report that the club recently inducted two new members. When Covid restrictions allow it is intended to work with the club to have a membership drive within the community.

## Ladysmith

After having been placed in Status Quo earlier in the year the club have paid the outstanding dues. Ongoing communication is being maintained so that outstanding and current dues are sorted out.

#### Newcastle

Ongoing discussion and advice has been provided to the club as they are having difficulty in accessing MyLion and thus have not been able to report as required.

## LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVES.

A online Strengthening 410E meeting was held and although not as well attended as was hoped, it proved to be productive. Two main areas identified were a) clubs wished to have more opportunities to meet even if it was online. In this regard a regular monthly get-together is to be organized. B) the participants recognized that Lions need to research what the perceptions of younger members of the community were of Lions and to thus identify ways that we could change to make the organization more attractive to this segment. To this end the region will be working on a online questionnaire that clubs can use to obtain this information.

#### PLANNED FOR FUTURE

The balance of the year and into the near future the emphasis needs to be on getting clubs back to operating in a normal manner. This will also involve personal interaction between clubs in the form of face to face Zone meetings. Clubs also need to be encouraged once again raise their profile within the community.

## **MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVES**

## **NEW CLUB EXTENSION**

Level 3 lockdown has temporarily put paid to any plans in regard to the revival of the Ho wick Umgeni and Pietermaritzburg clubs. When conditions allow a Lions Information event is to be planned.

The Phoenix/Verulam area has also been identified as a area that could possibly be targeted for a future club.

**Trevor Hobbs** 

## 21.4.1 ZONE CHAIRPERSON REPORT - ZONE 7 - ZC Werner Barnard

**No Report Submitted** 

# 21.4.2 ZONE CHAIRPERSON REPORT - ZONE 8 - ZC Perry Chetty

Zone Meetings: 1. 15 August 2020 - Not held Lockdown

2. 14 November 2020 – Not held lockdown

Not held lockdown

4. TBA

## General

Club Name	Club Number	NPO Number	PBO Number	Planned Visit
Ballito	45041	040-357	In progress	TBA
Durban Central	35673	No	No	TBA
Durban Host	27774	052-601	No	TBA
Durban South	27775	037-871	No	TBA
East Coast	110924	In progress	In progress	TBA
North Durban	27814	307-705	no	TBA

Membership

Membership					
Club Name	Current Membership	Prospective Members	New Inducted Members	Dropped Members	Reasons for Dropped Members
Ballito	6	2			
Durban Central					
Durban Host	15	2			
Durban South	6	0	0	0	
East Coast	38	2			
North Durban	22	0	0	0	

Club Admin	Yes/No	Yes/No	Yes/No	Yes/No
Club	PU101	WMMR	Activities (MyLCI)	Activities (MyLION)
Ballito				
Durban Central				
Durban Host	N	Υ	N	Υ
Durban South	N	Υ		Unable to log in
East Coast	Υ		у	Υ
North Durban	N	Υ	N	N Due in June

Project	Admin	District Duce		International D
Poor	Poor	Yes/No	Yes/No	Yes/No
Good, Ok,	Good, Ok,			

Club	Project Funds	Admin Funds	District Dues Paid	MD dues Paid	International Dues Paid
Ballito	No Report				
Durban Central	No Report				
Durban Host	Good	ок	Yes	Yes	Yes
Durban South	OK	OK	No	Yes	No
East Coast	Good	Ok	Yes	Yes	Yes
North Durban	Ok	Good	Yes	Yes	Yes

	Yes/No	Yes/No	Yes/No	Yes/No	Yes/No
Club	2019/2020 Books "Audited"	Social Welfare Reports	SARS Reports	LCIF 100% Contributing Club	LCIF Campaign 100 Contribution
Ballito					
Durban Central					
Durban Host	No	No	No	No	Yes
Durban South	No	No	No	No	No
East Coast	No	No	No	No	No
North Durban	No	No	No	No	No

Fund Raising

Club	List any major activity that should be shared with the district			
Ballito				
Durban Central				
Durban Host	None			
Durban South	Monthly catering – Motor Cycle club.			
East Coast	None			
North Durban	None			

## **Service Activities**

Club	List any major activity that should be shared with the district
Ballito	
Durban Central	
Durban Host	None
Durban South	Beach clean up in Feb 2021
East Coast	Feeding scheme-bread donated. R12000 donated to various organisations. R3600 donated to SPCA. 24 pairs school shoes donated to deserving pupils. Cake mix project to value of R24000 donated to indigent families. ECL Learners Support programme provides free core maths tuition to learners from disadvantaged backrounds.
North Durban	Monthly distribution of 90 food parcels to Tafta(Langeler Towers). Monthly donation from a local business used to purchase food for this project.

## 21.5 REGION CHAIRPERSON REPORT - REGION E - RC PDG Lyn Botha

#### 1. REGION CHAIR INTERACTIONS

#### WITH ZONE CHAIRS:

Date	Topics Addressed
Various dates via	Membership
Phone calls	Training

#### **ZONES:**

Date	Zone	Topics Addressed
20/2/21	10	Membership/ Service/ having fun

## **CLUBS:**

Date	Club(s)	Topics Addressed

## **GENERAL COMMENTS**

**Cowies Hill:** Are having their first face to face meeting in May. They decided to change their meetings to the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of every month at 10 a.m. This is mainly due to members not happy with driving to the club at night. They have 1 member in the pipeline with the possibility of 1 further. They never missed a meeting during the lockdown as met via Zoom every month. Lion Dave Shone is not at all well, in hospital more than he is out.

**Amanzimtoti:** Are also meeting face to face again. Their President was feeling a bit despondent as nobody seemed to be doing anything (which I believe many of us felt) but after their meeting felt much better. They have had some interest from a couple of people to become members', but this has not materialised yet.

Kingsburgh: I have not been in contact with this club

**Westville:** This club has not been active for the year, although they did sell Christmas Cakes. I have been chatting to LP Jenny and will not be surprised to hear that they are closing.

**Port Shepstone:** The Zone meeting was held at their club and we were really spoilt with lovely burgers for lunch. Their President has set a goal of 40 members, now they are on 36 members and have a couple in the pipeline. Great club, with great vibe. They continue with their projects and are always busy.

**Ramsgate:** They are continuing with their food collection as they have 16 families that they feed every month. They lost 3 members and gained 1. Their Facebook page has become very active. Their Car boot and crafters market is up and running every Saturday and every 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday there is an Art Exhibition being held at their club house, so they will be having lots of visitors and I am sure this will attract new members.

**Scottburgh**: This club is a busy club and have kept at it during Covid 19. They are up 2 members since the beginning of this Lionistic year.

**Hibberdene:** Their membership is stagnant as it is a small village. They still run their clinic every day of the week and although this is a project they are also paid to do it, so have funds for projects. They are involved with Vision testing and collection of frames for Lions Brightsight as well as an Environment project.

# 2. LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVES AGAINST GOALS IDENTIFIED

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## 3. MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVES AGAINST GOALS

## **MEMBERSHIP GROWTH**

1. The Region has added 16 new Lions (lost 11) so up by 5.

## **NEW CLUB EXTENSION**

1. No ideas at the moment.

## **MEMBERSHIP RETENTION**

1.

We are looking at perhaps having a regional social in the next 2 months and at that have PCC Cliff and Lindie do the Strengthen 410 Strategic Session.

## 21.5.1 ZONE CHAIRPERSON REPORT - ZONE 9 - ZC PDG Ken Toward

## 1. ZONE CHAIR ADMINISTRATION:

#### **ZONE MEETINGS:**

## **HELD**:

Date	Venue	Attendance	Topics Addressed / Comments
12/09/20	Cowies Hill	All Clubs	Clubs, Activities, Membership
14/11/20	Kingsburgh	All Clubs	Clubs, Activities, Membership

#### SCHEDULED:

Date	Venue	Topics to be Addressed / Comments

## **CLUB VISITS:**

#### **HELD**:

Date	Club Name	Topics Addressed / Comments
July 20	Cowies	Induction , Full club agenda
April 21	Kingsburgh	Full Club Agenda
March 21	Amanzimtoti	1st VDG attended. Full Club Agenda

## **SCHEDULED:**

Date	Club Name	Topics to be Addressed / Comments
Complete April 2021	Kingsburgh	Full club agenda, Training re new members and
		Presidents.
Cancelled	Westville	Club Closed
Complete July 2020	Cowies Hill	Full Club Agenda (Zoom)
Complete March	Amanzimtoti	1 <sup>st</sup> VDG Visit (Zoom). Full club agenda
2021		

#### 2. LEADERSHIP

#### **CLUB MEETINGS**

All Club Meetings are well run with agenda, good participation and	Yes / No
chairmanship	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1.	

# **LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT and TRAINING**

All Clubs have participated in or intend participating	Yes / No
in District Leadership Development and Training opportunities	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1.All clubs require more hands-on training! New Members orientation	

## **SUCCESSION PLANNING**

' '	Yes / No
going forward	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1. Repeat Presidents 2021 – 2022 (Cowies Hill and Kingsburgh)	
Amanzimtoti yet to elect a president! Problem ahead!!!!!	

## WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF LEADERSHIP?

Knowledgeable Leaders with experience

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON LEADERSHIP**

Tony Marron Kingsburgh President has indicated that he would like to take on the roll of Zone Chairman.

## 3. MEMBERSHIP

#### **MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEES**

All Clubs have membership committees in place to ensure	Yes / No
membership growth and retention going forward	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1.	

## **NEW MEMBER INTRODUCTION and INFORMATION**

All Clubs conduct meaningful new member introduction and information sessions to ensure that new members are informed about the club and the organisation	Yes / <mark>No</mark>
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1.Sadly missing and there is a great need to correct the situation a more hand on approach required.	

# WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF MEMBERSHIP?

No Progress.

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON MEMBERSHIP**

Lions Club of Westville are closing at the end of April. Main reason illness and age!

## 4. SERVICE ACTIVITIES

## **LOCAL COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**

All Clubs conduct meaningful community-based service activities	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	

## PARTICIPATION IN LCI GLOBAL CAUSES

All Clubs conduct meaningful activities focussing on one or more of	Yes / No
the Global Causes of Vision, Environment, Childhood Cancer,	
Hunger, Diabetes	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1.	

#### **PARTICIPATION IN LCIF**

All Clubs participate in LCIF through making contributions of some	Yes <mark>/ No</mark>
description	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
Clubs are limited regarding available funds	

## **PARTICIPATION IN LIONS BRIGHTSIGHT**

All Clubs participate in Lions Brightsight	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1.	

## WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF SERVICE?

Cowies Hill, Kingsburgh and Amanzimtoti all doing what they can in the community

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON SERVICE ACTIVITIES**

Even with the limited finances and restrictions all clubs are serving as best they can!

## 5. FUND RAISING ACTIVITIES

## **CHRISTMAS CAKE PROJECT**

All Clubs participate in the MD Christmas Cake Project	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1.	

## LOCAL FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES

All Clubs participate in their own locally driven fundraising initiatives	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
Most clubs are only now starting with Fundraising projects!	

## WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF FUND RAISING?

# **GENERAL COMMENTS ON FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES**

Fund raising is limited!

## 6. CLUB ADMINISTRATION

## **NPO / PBO REGISTRATION**

All Clubs have valid and up to date registrations	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1.Kingsburgh	

# **DUES PAYMENTS**

All Clubs are up to date with International, MD and District dues	Yes / No
payments	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1.	

# **CLUB FINANCES**

All Clubs are financially sound in terms of Admin and Projects accounts and financials are distributed to Club members	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1.	

# WMMR and ACTIVITIES REPORTING

All Clubs submit WMMR's and Activities Reports to LCI timeously	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1.	

# **GENERAL COMMENTS ON CLUB ADMINISTRATION**

Good

## 21.5.2 ZONE CHAIRPERSON REPORT - ZONE 10 - ZC Colin Mackintosh

## 1. ZONE CHAIR ADMINISTRATION:

## **ZONE MEETINGS:**

## **HELD:**

Date	Venue	Attendance	Topics Addressed / Comments
21/11/2020	Scottburgh Country Club	ALL Clubs in Zone 10 apart from Shelly Beach. Attendance register attached.	All Clubs presented their reports and reported on any new fundraisers and projects.  ZC Colin discussed all important points raised by DG Jeff in his Cabinet report. He also encouraged Clubs to work together.
			ZC Colin welcomed DG Jeff and ZC Ken from Zone 9
20/2/2021	Port Shepstone Country Club.	All Clubs in Zone 10 attended Zone Meeting,	ZC Colin welcomed DG Jeff to the Zone meeting. Reports from Presidents and DG Jeff's Cabinet meeting.

## **SCHEDULED:**

Date	Venue	Topics to be Addressed / Comments	
21/11/2020	Scottburgh	As per cabinet meeting minutes and issues previously raised.	
27/ 2/2021	Port Shepstone	20/2/2021	
22/5/2021	Ramsgate	22/5/2021	

## **CLUB VISITS:**

# HELD: Club visits that were scheduled had to be cancelled due to resurgence of Covid restrictions and curfew restrictions.

Date	Club Name	Topics Addressed / Comments
NIL to date		

# SCHEDULED: When the restrictions and curfew are lifted, Zone visits will hopefully resume.

Date	Club Name	Topics to be Addressed / Comments	
		Clubs meet on similar nights.	
		FUN in Lions	

## 2. LEADERSHIP

# **CLUB MEETINGS**

All Club Meetings are well run with agenda, good participation and chairmanship	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	YES
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# **LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT and TRAINING**

All Clubs have participated in or intend participating	Yes
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in Dist	rict Leadership Development and Training opportunities	
If No, I	ist Clubs and provide details:	Have previously
		will discuss at Club
		meetings.
1.	ZC Colin had requested training sessions to be arranged for Zo	ones 9 and 10.
2.	Lion Ian King is prepared to hold sessions for training for Zone	9 and 10. Still to be
	arranged.	

#### **SUCCESSION PLANNING**

All Clubs have succession plans in place to ensure future leadership	Yes / No
going forward	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	As above
1. All clubs except Hibberdene have succession plans for 21/22	

## WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF LEADERSHIP?

All Clubs have strong experience depth to draw from, except Hibberdene	

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON LEADERSHIP**

Hibberdene has only 6 members and does not have a succession plan, it seems that the President and Secretary alternate these positions.

Ramsgate, Port Shepstone and Shelly Beach have succession plans for 21/22.

## 3. MEMBERSHIP

## **MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEES**

All Clubs have membership committees in place to ensure membership growth and retention going forward	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	YES
Membership is discussed and addressed in all Clubs.	

## **NEW MEMBER INTRODUCTION and INFORMATION**

All Clubs conduct meaningful new member introduction and information sessions to ensure that new members are informed	Yes / No YES
about the club and the organisation	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1. AS above	

## WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF MEMBERSHIP?

All Clubs with the exception of Hibberdene have potential new members in the pipeline.

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON MEMBERSHIP**

Scottburgh has 1 new member, bringing membership to 19. Shelly Beach has 10 members with 3 new members in the pipeline Port Shepstone has – 36, with 2 positive members in the pipeline As at the end of February Ramsgate had 11 members.

Hibberdene has 6 members.

## 4. SERVICE ACTIVITIES

# **LOCAL COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**

All Clubs conduct meaningful community-based service activities	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	

1. All Clubs make a difference in their communities.

## PARTICIPATION IN LCI GLOBAL CAUSES

All Clubs conduct meaningful activities focussing on one or more of	Yes / No	
the Global Causes of Vision, Environment, Childhood Cancer,	YES	
Hunger, Diabetes		
If No, list Clubs and provide details:		
1. Ramsgate is involved in food collections for the poor, successful trail clean up with		
10 bags of rubbish collected. Participation in Brightsight and di	abetes testing.	
2. Port Shepstone involved in diabetes, sight/hearing, environment	nt, food security,	
youth projects and youth projects.		

3 Scottburgh has had an Easter collection and delivered Hot Cross buns and Easter eggs to Creches and Senior Citizen homes. Clean up at the Lions Peace garden, Sight and Diabetes testing are ongoing.

#### PARTICIPATION IN LCIF

All Clubs participate in LCIF through making contributions of some	Yes / No
description	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
Hibberdene are unable to donate due to lack of funds.	

## PARTICIPATION IN LIONS BRIGHTSIGHT

All Clubs participate in Lions Brightsight	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	YES
Brightsight is back on track.	

#### WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF SERVICE?

All Clubs are very service orientated and do as much as possible with resources available

See the section under LCIF project for Hunger Alleviation.

# **GENERAL COMMENTS ON SERVICE ACTIVITIES**

All the Clubs in Zone 10 have been remarkably busy doing service projects, mostly collecting food for the aged and poor.

## 5. FUND RAISING ACTIVITIES

#### **CHRISTMAS CAKE PROJECT**

All Clubs participate in the MD Christmas Cake Project	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	YES
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## LOCAL FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES

All Clubs participate in their own locally-driven fundraising initiatives	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	YES
1.	

## WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF FUND RAISING?

Fundraising is being done by all the Clubs again.

Port Shepstone has a monthly Market in the car park at the Country Club. The fundraiser is well supported by public and Lions.

Scottgburgh Club are having bi-monthly fleamarkets and are having a Golf day on the 10<sup>th</sup> April, this is also being used as their Project for Lions month.

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES**

Taking into account size of Clubs and size of community all Clubs are active. Most fundraisers are tried and tested. All Clubs in general need to look at possible new fundraisers.

## 6. CLUB ADMINISTRATION

#### **NPO / PBO REGISTRATION**

All Clubs have valid and up to date registrations	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1.	

#### **DUES PAYMENTS**

All Clubs are up to date with International, MD and District dues	Yes / No
payments	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	YES
1.	

## **CLUB FINANCES**

All Clubs are financially sound in terms of Admin and Projects	Yes / No
accounts and financials are distributed to Club members	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	YES
1.	

## WMMR and ACTIVITIES REPORTING

All Clubs submit WMMR's and Activities Reports to LCI timeously	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	YES
1.	

# **GENERAL COMMENTS ON CLUB ADMINISTRATION**

Now and then a slip up occurs more in the reporting than the actual administration.

Have contacted all clubs to remind them about the Activity reports.

Clubs are well informed by email of and changes that need Club Presidents' attention.

## 21.6 REGION CHAIRPERSON REPORT - REGION F - RC PDG Freddie Erasmus

## 1. REGION CHAIR INTERACTIONS

## WITH ZONE CHAIRS:

Date	Topics Addressed
2 March	Virtual Convention
08 April	Zone Reports

## **ZONES:**

Date	Zone	Topics Addressed
06 March	11	Induction of new members

## **CLUBS:**

Date	Club(s)	Topics Addressed
		None

#### **GENERAL COMMENTS**

A very quiet period. St Croix and Uitenhage inducting new members.

# 2. LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVES AGAINST GOALS IDENTIFIED

1.To get new members into leadership positions

## **UNDERTAKEN**

1.Board of Uitenhage, including President, mostly new office bearers.

## **PLANNED FOR FUTURE**

1.Zoom training to be booked with CC Lindie.

## 3. MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVES AGAINST GOALS

## **MEMBERSHIP GROWTH**

1.No

## **NEW CLUB EXTENSION**

1.No

## MEMBERSHIP RETENTION

1.No

# 21.6.1 ZONE CHAIRPERSON REPORT - ZONE 11 - ZC Sanet Emmerick

# 1. ZONE CHAIR ADMINISTRATION:

# **ZONE MEETINGS:**

# HELD:

Date	Venue	Attendance	Topics Addressed / Comments
	Not yet held, due to Covid		
	19 – communicate via		
	whatsapp, zoom, calls and		
	emails		

# **SCHEDULED:**

Date	Venue	Topics to be Addressed / Comments
May 2021	Port Alfred – Together with	TBA
	Regional Chair Freddie	
	Erasmus, still to be	
	finalised	

## **CLUB VISITS:**

# **HELD**:

Date	Club Name	Topics Addressed / Comments	
11/02//2021	Uitenhage	Fundraisers, Induction	
18/02/2021	Uitenhage	Induction finalising	
06/03/2021	Uitenhage	Induction of new members	

## SCHEDULED:

Date	Club Name	Topics to be Addressed / Comments
12/04/2021	Uitenhage	Service Projects
	Lionesses	
13/04/2021	St Croix	Service Projects – Lions Awareness
May 2021	Port Alfred -	Membership, Impact of Covid 19 on clubs, Social
	Proposed	
May 2021	PE Host & Kouga	Membership & Social
,	Clubs	·

# 2. LEADERSHIP

# **CLUB MEETINGS**

All Club Meetings are well run with agenda, good participation and	Yes / No	
chairmanship		
If No, list Clubs and provide details:		
Kouga – Senior Members, not happy to have meetings yet, communicate via whatsapp		
Cape Receif – Club also not meeting yet due to mostly Senior Members, communicate via whatsapp		

## **LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT and TRAINING**

All Clubs have participated in or intend participating	Yes / No	
in District Leadership Development and Training opportunities		
If No, list Clubs and provide details:		
Kouga - Senior Members not interested in furthering District potential and internet training		
Cape Recife – Senior Members over 70 not interested		

# **SUCCESSION PLANNING**

All Clubs have succession plans in place to ensure future leadership	Yes / No
going forward	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
Kouga - 2 Senior Members, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Member not interested	
Cape Recife - All 4 Members are over 70 not interested	

## WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF LEADERSHIP?

4 of the clubs have sufficient past Presidents in leadership positions. Leadership experience through convening projects. The rest of the clubs, we as Regional Chair and Zone Chair will guide as best we can.

#### **GENERAL COMMENTS ON LEADERSHIP**

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None		

#### 3. MEMBERSHIP

## **MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEES**

All Clubs have membership committees in place to ensure	Yes / No
membership growth and retention going forward	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1.	

## **NEW MEMBER INTRODUCTION and INFORMATION**

All Clubs conduct meaningful new member introduction and	Yes / No
information sessions to ensure that new members are informed	
about the club and the organisation	
Uitenhage Club inducted 3 new members	
St Croix club inducted 4 new members	

## WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF MEMBERSHIP?

**Retaining Members** 

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON MEMBERSHIP**

Clubs feel that with Covid 19 it is difficult to find interested people to serve the community – we are however still inviting volunteers to join our current projects and by doing this, creating Lion Awareness. All clubs in Zone currently busy with planning for April Awareness month

#### 4. SERVICE ACTIVITIES

#### LOCAL COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

All Clubs conduct meaningful community-based service activities	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
Cape Recife due to Senior Members	
Kouga due to Senior Members	

## PARTICIPATION IN LCI GLOBAL CAUSES

All Clubs conduct meaningful activities focussing on one or more of	Yes / No
the Global Causes of Vision, Environment, Childhood Cancer,	
Hunger, Diabetes	
Clubs have also scheduled spot screenings for 2021	
1. St Croix Club is focussing on Vision and Diabetes campaign	
2	

## **PARTICIPATION IN LCIF**

All Clubs participate in LCIF through making contributions of some	Yes / No
description	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1.	

## **PARTICIPATION IN LIONS BRIGHTSIGHT**

All Clubs participate in Lions Brightsight	Yes / No	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:		
Kouga - Clinics in area and local optometrists are offering services to indigent people		
P E Host – Need to be educated with regards to this projects – I have send details to them		
Rest of clubs will participate if a need arise		

## WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF SERVICE?

Under the current Covid 19 most clubs were doing food parcels and assisting the community. Fundraising has come to halt, but we have educated them to try and do Online Fundraising, until such time when it is safer to do so

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON SERVICE ACTIVITIES**

None

# 5. FUND RAISING ACTIVITIES

## **CHRISTMAS CAKE PROJECT**

All Clubs participate in the MD Christmas Cake Project	Yes / No	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:		
P E Host – Did not order Christmas Cakes 2020		
P E St Croix - Did not order Christmas Cakes 2020 but will however assist Uitenhage		
Club in selling		
ZC will motivate clubs to participate for the 2021-2022 project		

# **LOCAL FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES**

All Clubs participate in their own locally-driven fundraising initiatives	Yes / No	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:		
Kouga – Not at this stage – Fortunately we have a little nest egg and with funds raised		
from Christmas Cakes will be enough at present for needs.		
Most clubs are only starting to look at fundraisers now again		

## WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF FUND RAISING?

Uitenhage Club - Roadhouse initiative, Bike Rally, Wors Rolls in from of	
Supermarkets	
St Croix - Did Christmas Wrapping	

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES**

None			

# 6. CLUB ADMINISTRATION

# **NPO / PBO REGISTRATION**

All Clubs have valid and up to date registrations	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1.	

## **DUES PAYMENTS**

All Clubs are up to date with International, MD and District dues	Yes / No
payments	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	

## **CLUB FINANCES**

All Clubs are financially sound in terms of Admin and Projects	Yes / No
accounts and financials are distributed to Club members	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1.	

# WMMR and ACTIVITIES REPORTING

All Clubs submit WMMR's and Activities Reports to LCI timeously	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
Clubs are reminded in time to submit	
Clubs that are not reporting servicing on MyLion has been send trainir	ng info/ I also offered
to go assist in person	

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON CLUB ADMINISTRATION**

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None	
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## 21.6.2 ZONE CHAIRPERSON REPORT - ZONE 12 - ZC Jeanette le Roux

## 1. ZONE CHAIR ADMINISTRATION:

# **ZONE MEETINGS HELD:**

Date	Venue	Attendance	Topics Addressed / Comments		
Due to curre	Due to current circumstances no zone meetings/functions or events have taken place.				
Unfortunately Zoom meetings are not viable as most clubs and presidents do not have these facilities					
Regular contact has been kept between myself and Presidents via e-mails, whatsapp and phone calls					

## **SCHEDULED:**

Date	Venue	Topics to be Addressed / Comments
Although we had a few interesting interactions planned due to current circumstances these have		
been put on hold. Our intended combined market morning has also been put on hold		

## **CLUB VISITS:**

## **HELD**:

Date	Club Name	Topics Addressed / Comments
7 March 2021	Port Rex	Was a combined meeting and social braai around their newly repaired swimming pool. Congratulations on projects been carried out during difficult times, encouragement to attend Incoming Offers Workshops Urged to update outstanding reporting on LCI Encouraged to participate in Lions Awareness month
18 March 2021	Gonubie	Via Zoom meeting – Gave a rundown of relevant Lionistic dates and encouraged all to attend Incoming Officers Workshops Encouraged to participate in Lions Awareness month

## **SCHEDULED:**

Date	Club Name	Topics to be Addressed / Comments	
As most clubs are no	t holding meetings but	are communicating via whatsapp and Zoom there	
are no club visits scheduled within the next month or two			

## 2. LEADERSHIP

## **CLUB MEETINGS**

All Club Meetings are well run with agenda, good participation and chairmanship	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
Will only be able to report on this once I have visited clubs which has r	not happened due to
Covid situation	

# **LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT and TRAINING**

All Clubs have participated in or intend participating in District	Yes / No
Leadership Development and Training opportunities	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
Unfortunately due to Covid, the economy, of Zoom facilities and many members still	
working on Saturdays small clubs are not committing at the moment	

# **SUCCESSION PLANNING**

All Clubs have succession plans in place to ensure future leadership	Yes / No
going forward	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
1. EL Beacon Bay – Currently do not have enough members (only 8)	
Komga - Currently do not have enough members (only 5)	
3. Ft Beaufort - Currently do not have enough members (only 8)	
4. King Williamstown – Despite a membership of 24 nothing has yet been put in place	
5. Port Rex – Not yet put in place. Although 17 members strong their secretary is also	
their treasurer	
6. Gonubie – Although only 8 members strong they have a succe	ssion plan

# WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF LEADERSHIP?

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I will only be	able to reb	ort on this or	nce i nave	visited clubs

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON LEADERSHIP**

At this stage all Presidents and leaders are giving of their very best under extremely difficult circumstances however I personally feel that they should all be trying to attend online courses which would help keep them motivated. This applies to all Lions who have the electronic facilities for this. Unfortunately I have discovered that many Lions still work on Saturdays so cannot attend the courses/workshops offered and many do not have Zoom facilities

#### 3. MEMBERSHIP

## **MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEES**

All Clubs have membership committees in place to ensure membership growth and retention going forward	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
All clubs have a Membership chairperson but most are just too small to have a full committee.	

## **NEW MEMBER INTRODUCTION and INFORMATION**

All Clubs conduct meaningful new member introduction and	Yes / No	
information sessions to ensure that new members are informed		
about the club and the organisation		
If No, list Clubs and provide details:		
All clubs are desperately trying to increase membership however the economy and Covid		
are not helping.	-	

#### WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF MEMBERSHIP?

- 1. Beacon Bay are busy planning another membership drive
- 2. Gonubie are busy planning a big one for Saturday 24 April

## **GENERAL COMMENTS ON MEMBERSHIP**

Whilst not increasing in membership clubs are managing to remain constant. Port Rex has sadly lost two members who passed away yet have kept their members constant

## 4. SERVICE ACTIVITIES

## LOCAL COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

All Clubs conduct meaningful community-based service activities	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
Despite lockdown all clubs have continued to SERVE their local communities as best they	
can	

## **PARTICIPATION IN LCI GLOBAL CAUSES**

All Clubs conduct meaningful activities focussing on one or more of the Global Causes of Vision, Environment, Childhood Cancer, Hunger, Diabetes	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
Yes all clubs are doing their best to participate in the Global Causes	

## PARTICIPATION IN LCIF

All Clubs participate in LCIF through making contributions of some	Yes / No
description	
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
Sadly this is not possible as clubs currently have limited funds	

#### **PARTICIPATION IN LIONS BRIGHTSIGHT**

All Clubs participate in Lions Brightsight	Yes / No
If No. list Clubs and provide details:	

The majority of clubs have support from local optometrists who do eye testing free of charge and provide specs within days at a very competitive rate

# WHAT IS THE CLUB DOING WELL IN TERMS OF SERVICE?

Recent activities include: distribution of Easter eggs, feed the hungry, donations of baby clothes to needy families, clearing Nahoon River of submerged weeds and debri, making of a bedside table for a needy pensioner

# **GENERAL COMMENTS ON SERVICE ACTIVITIES**

Despite all the recent challenges Lions are managing to SERVE in one way or another

# 5. FUND RAISING ACTIVITIES

# **CHRISTMAS CAKE PROJECT**

All Clu	bs participate in the MD Christmas Cake Project	Yes / No		
If No, I	If No, list Clubs and provide details:			
1.	1. Beacon Bay wanted to but were too late for the order deadline. Port Rex gave			
	them a box that they managed to sell and are now looking forward to participating			
	this coming year.			
2.	2. Being in small towns the other clubs do not have sufficient outlets			
3.	3. Gonubie is still badly bruised from a bad experience and are very reluctant to get			
	involved			

# **LOCAL FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES**

All Clubs participate in their own locally-driven fundraising initiatives	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
All clubs have had a very tough time trying to raise funds as the Covid situation	
has hit hard.	

# WHAT ARE THE CLUBS DOING WELL IN TERMS OF FUND RAISING?

- 1. Gonubie Lions have recently managed to have 2 pancake stalls and two craft markets at their local shopping centre and are at last starting to find their feet
- 2. Fort Beaufort managed to arrange a Valentines steak drive in lunch at their country club

# **GENERAL COMMENTS ON FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES**

1. Clubs in the small towns i.e Komga, Fort Beaufort and King Williamstown are still battling to raise funds

# 6. CLUB ADMINISTRATION

#### **NPO / PBO REGISTRATION**

All Clubs have valid and up to date registrations	Yes / No
If No, list Clubs and provide details:	
Ft Beaufort not sure	
2. Gonubie have a number but not sure it is still valid	
3. King Williamstrown do not have one	

# **DUES PAYMENTS**

All Clubs are up to date with International, MD and District dues	Yes / No		
payments			
If No, list Clubs and provide details:			
Have just received notification from District Treasurer, Malcolm Johnston that			
Komga are still outstanding however this is incorrect and is being attended to.			

# **CLUB FINANCES**

All Clubs are financially sound in terms of Admin and Projects	Yes / No		
accounts and financials are distributed to Club members			
If No, list Clubs and provide details:			
1. Some clubs are better off than others, it is heart warming to report that Port Rex			
Lions club is instrumental in rescuing Fort Regulart club who was about to close			

1. Some clubs are better off than others, it is heart warming to report that Port Rex Lions club is instrumental in rescuing Fort Beaufort club who was about to close doors at the end of December and has kindly sponsored them again for the second half of the year

# WMMR and ACTIVITIES REPORTING

All Clu	bs submit WMMR's and Activities Reports to LCI timeously	Yes / No		
If No, I	If No, list Clubs and provide details:			
1.	<ol> <li>Beacon Bay have problems as their secretary is not managing to master the</li> </ol>			
	system			
2.	2. Port Rex have one Lion holding two major portfolios namely Secretarial and			
	Treasurer which does not seem to be working			
3.	3. King Williamstown have had a bad time with the Covid shut down and have not			
	been active so do not have anything to report			

# **GENERAL COMMENTS ON CLUB ADMINISTRATION**

Nothing	further to	report

#### 22. DISTRICT CHAIRPERSON REPORTS

#### 22.1 **ALERT - TBA**

Awaiting new appointment

# 22.2 CHRISTMAS CAKES - DC Garry Harris

**District Governor Jeff** 

#### **PORTFOLIO ACTIVITY:**

The quality of cakes this year was good with many compliments from customers.

The only complaints worth noting, was that there was 24 Cakes that had mould, but this was mainly only in Cape Town.

All payments have been done and the R5,00 settlement discount has been paid.

The refund of the deposit was also received from the baker.

**Garry Harris** 

DC Christmas Cakes.

# 22.3 CONSTITUTIONS, RESOLUTIONS & PROTOCOL - DC CCE Brian von der Decken

#### COMMITTEE MEETING FEEDBACK SUMMARY:-

The Constitution, Resolutions and Protocol Committee, which comprises PDG Brian von der Decken, PCC Cliff Hocking, PCC Mike Newlands and PDG Kim van Wyk, has not had occasion formally to meet as yet this year. Communication has been conducted by e-mail or other electronic means.

# **PORTFOLIO ACTIVITY:-**

A call was sent, via the District Governor through the Cabinet Secretary to all Clubs within District 410E for motions for resolution for the District 410E Convention. Those received, and which follow this report, were considered by the Committee and those received timeously were submitted to Clubs for consideration 30 days before Convention and will be reported on at Convention by the Committee. Late motions will have to receive the approval of two thirds of the delegates to Convention before they can be put to the Convention.

Nominations for the offices of District Governor and First and Second Vice District Governors of the District were called for and will be presented to the Convention by the Nominations Committee.

#### **CLUB PROMOTION / INVOLVEMENT:-**

The Committee remains prepared to assist the Region and Zone Chairpersons to ensure that each Club in the District has its own Constitution, when requested or necessary. The Committee will also respond to all queries from

Clubs and individual Lions on constitutional or protocol issues and attempt to resolve any issues that may be cause of dispute.

#### 22.4 ENVIRONMENT - DC Alna Jackson

In terms of the goals set at the beginning of this year, I am happy to report that they have all been met to date:

Four newsletters have been distributed to date to highlight the areas where we can alter our lifestyle to be kinder to nature, namely by

- Promoting the planting of trees in September in celebration of Arbor Week, and
- Implementing habits of recycling plastic in meaningful ways in October.
- The third newsletter on protecting our natural habitats was dedicated to promoting awareness of caring for the ocean and protecting our water resources
- Promoting the importance of wetlands in purifying and conserving our precious water resources

The March/April newsletter will be distributed soon, highlighting the diabolical state of our water streams and rivers, with news on Lions' participation in the World Water Day clean-up projects undertaken in four separate areas of Pretoria and Johannesburg, in collaboration with Rotary and several NGO's.

This was an eye-opening event for any newcomer to river clean-ups, and I would encourage every club to get involved in such events. A total of 217 bags of 25kgs each were collected at the Bramley North Park clean-up of the Sandspruit, a further 66 from the upper Sandspruit at Bramley Park. Unfortunately no Lions could be mustered to assist in these two clean-ups. The Friends of Sandspruit collected a further 21 bags from Ernest Ullmann park with the assistance of Rosebank Rotary club. Wilro Park Lions & volunteers mustered by DC Sandy collected 59 bags from the Muldersdrift se Loop, which forms the waterfall at the Walter Sisulu Botanical Gardens, plus a plastic swimming pooll! At the Hennopspruit clean-up where three Pretoria Lions clubs participated, 960 bags of rubble was removed, as well as 45 tyres. The clean-up at Boksburg Lake yielded 110 bags, a further 11 bags of recyclables, two full Stallion loads of rubble, palm fronds, 1 car bumper and 1 tyre.

Even though this tally sounds astonishing, it is noticeably clear that this is an ongoing battle, and if we don't get involved, our rivers will never flow as they used to. Rotary Past District Governor David Grant, who was the driving force behind the World Water Day collaboration exercise, is keen to pursue further collaboration initiatives to work at solving the problem at the source. This will however be a long-term initiative, which needs to involve local authorities and community leaders. The next target will be to stage an event around World Environment Day on 5 June, and Lions clubs throughout the district will be encouraged to arrange an awareness event in their own area following their own initiative. As quoted by DC Sandy: "The greatest threat to our planet is the belief that someone else will save it."

It is encouraging to see that several other Lions clubs organised clean-ups in their own areas, inviting the public to get involved and participate. Sadly though, only one report reached the March monthly district newsletter. However, most events were well publicised and reported on widely via the media and social media.

Entries for the Environmental Photo Competition closed at the end of March and will be published on the District website, to be judged at the District Convention on 24 April by registered convention delegates. With 58 entries received, it is going to be an interesting competition!

I shall of course continue the promotion of care of our planet in different meaningful ways for the remainder of this Lionistic year, and I am gratified by several Lions clubs supporting that initiative. I look forward to receiving many club entries for the Protecting our Environment Club Excellence Award later in the year.

District Governor Jeff, it has been a pleasure and a privilege to serve on your Cabinet this year. Thank you for your leadership during this strange and difficult year, and your support and encouragement throughout. We hope that we can en this year on a high note, especially in terms of improving environmental awareness.

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# 22.5 HEALTH - DC Avril Hobbs

#### **COMMITTEE FEEDBACK SUMMARY:-**

PORTFOLIO ACTIVITY:- Using the reported Metrics on Club Activities

	DIABETES	CHILDHOOD CANCER	VISION
Total for District			
No Served	1368	1062	5538
No of Volunteer Hours	215	495	1373
Top Clubs			
No Served	Graaf Reinet	Potchefstroom	Helderkruin
	500	352	1537
No of Volunteer Hours	Benoni Lakes	Cowies Hill	Pretoria City
	60	112	395

Also the % of clubs undertaking service is these core projects is still low but Diabetes and Childhood Cancer projects have improved markedly.

Of the 76 active clubs listed: 12% of clubs are involved with Diabetes, 14,4 with Childhood Cancer, and 43.4% undertake Vision projects.

**DIABETES:** More clubs are doing testing and awareness projects, the public is rightly more cautious about being tested.

**VISION:** The vision screeners available are being used. Thanks to a contact DG Lyn has with the Brian Holden Foundation, her and I are meeting to see if there is a possible partnership in the offing to facilitate cataract surgery.

**CHILDHOOD CANCER:** Clubs continue to pack care packs. Several clubs participated by wearing their flip flops, in particular Alberton and Fourways.

**HEARING:** No further hearing aids have been distributed at this time.

#### 22.6 HUNGER - DC Carol Browne

- The economic crisis that arose from the COVID-19 pandemic caused many families to be food insecure. Although the Child Support Grants were increased many people lost their main sources of income, and household food insecurity was markedly increased. Many Lions Clubs reported on projects that they undertook to assist with food provision among these communities.
- 2. With regard to the work done, as compared to the goals I set.

I have not had queries from anyone with regard to how they could best offer food support. That is fine, but I am available if anyone wants to tap into my knowledge on the topic.

The major activity that I had hoped to finish during the year was a recipe book, and menu planning material to support organisations who feed vulnerable people. It is possible that many could improve the nutritional quality of what they offer, and make their budget go further.

The desktop work on this is complete, but what still needs to happen is that I must test the recipes by cooking them in a facility, and making adjustments where needed. The facility where I would like to do this stopped all volunteers when COVID lockdown rules were implemented. They still maintain this.

I have used the material in draft form with one organisation. I offered training to the housekeepers and social workers from Open Door Crisis Care Centre, to assist them in meal planning, on a limited budget. This is being implemented in the Safe Houses that they run, for victims of violence. The feedback from them was positive, and a second session is planned for questions and to address food safety.

CAROL BROWNE

District Chairperson 410E



# 22.7 INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY - DC PCC Denis Meyer

April 6, 2021

#### DISTRICT GOVERNOR JEFF, FELLOW CABINET OFFICERS.

It is with pleasure that I submit my report for the 4th Cabinet Meeting of the 2020/2021 Lionistic Year.

Our web presence is as follows:

#### Multiple District Web Site (http://lionsclubs.co.za)

(Website administered by PCC Denis Meyer)

This website is constantly monitored and includes the following updates since my last report:

· Lions Christmas Cakes online order and complaint forms for both Districts have been created.

#### District 410-E (http://lions410e.org.za)

(Website administered by PCC Denis Meyer)

Kindly note that I will be removing this domain and account from my business profile within the next month. May I suggest that an account is registered in the district's name and that the district continue with the monthly payments required for the hosting and annual payment required for the domain.

#### District 410-E Facebook Page (https://www.facebook.com/Lions-District-410-E-245104265524792)

This page is well supported and regularly updated. The page has already received a total of 598 "Likes" and 663 "followers.

#### District 410-E Facebook Group (https://www.facebook.com/groups/LionsDistrict410E)

This District Facebook group now has 388 members. The group is primarily for 410-E club members who can post articles and news about their club projects and fundraisers. Cabinet officers can also use this facility to promote their various portfolios.

# IT Support to Cabinet and Club Officers

Many thanks to PDG Kim Van Wyk for setting up and running the online registration facility for our forthcoming Conventions. PDG Kim has also very kindly purchased the new Zoom package for our District.

### **Multiple District Directory**

PDG Kim very kindly continues to regularly update this document throughout the course of this year.

I would like to wish PDG Kim Van Wyk every success with this portfolio in the new Lionistic year. DG Jeff, I wish you a fruitful and successful 3<sup>rd</sup> Cabinet meeting.

PCC Denis Meyer

District Chairman (410-E) Information Technology

# 22.8 LCIF - DC IPDG Alistair Tuckett

DG Jeff please find below my report on the LCIF/Campaign 100 portfolio.

#### COMMITTEE MEETING FEEDBACK SUMMARY:

Email's sent out to all clubs regarding LCIF, encouraging clubs to appoint a club co-ordinator.

Mail sent out to clubs that have cumulated MJF funds (See attached table) to bring this to their attention so that they can use these funds towards MJFs or top up to complete an MJF.

#### **PORTFOLIO ACTIVITY:**

- 6 Newsletters will be sent out to clubs. 5 have been sent out 6<sup>th</sup> planned end April beginning May 2021, in addition to the 4 MD newsletters that will be sent out.
- Regularly share LCIF information on the district Facebook Page.
- We have partnered with 410W with the LCIF training provided by PDG Geila Wills. 2 sessions have been held one for the LCIF club co-ordinators and one for cabinet officers. A summary of the training we received from LCIF will be presented to all Lions in April 2021.

# DG Goals: (as set out in SMART goals)

- Raise US\$18 500. To date raised clubs have raised \$1 930.68 (R31 411.60). We are well behind this goal and it looks like we will unfortunately not reach this goal. I will however continue to encourage clubs to donate to LCIF, whatever amount they can.
- The District has donated \$500 towards LCIF and challenges clubs to make a donation of any amount to LCIF.
- Purchase of 4 MFJs by clubs within District: None to date, but expected towards end of the year.
- 4 Clubs to be 100% contributing clubs: 3 Clubs are 100% contributing clubs; these donations vary from \$20 per member up.
- Challenged each club to donate US\$250 towards LCIF: Continues, to date only Centurion and Clearwater Cyber have met this challenge.
- 40% of clubs to participate in LCIF activities, i.e. 28 clubs: To date we have had 5 clubs participate.

# **CLUB PROMOTION / INVOLVEMENT:**

Centurion, Pretoria Jakaranda, Clearwater Cyber, Kingsburgh and Wilro Park have all made donations to LCIF to date.

DG Jeff this concludes my report.

Alistair Tuckett DC: LCIF



# Breakdown of Clubs Contributions to Campaign 100 to date, their donations for 2020-2021 and the status of their MJF Credits.

Club	Campaign 100 Cumulative Donation	Donations 2020-2021	Total MJF Credits Available
Alberton (27721)	\$ 1 526.77		\$ 1 447.18
Amanzimtoti (27767)	\$ 346.96		\$ 423.73
Bedfordview (27723)	\$ 676.59		\$ 676.59
Benoni (27724)	\$ 271.00		\$ 1 930.80
Benoni Lakes (115092)	\$ 3 629.98		\$ 1 929.98
Benoni van Rhyn (33130)	\$ 5 214.88		\$ 15.05
Bloemfontein (27770)	\$ -		\$ 119.67
Boksburg (27726)	\$ -		\$ 29.85
Centurion (61204)	\$ 953.59	\$ 618.24	\$ 3 945.74
Centurion Lifestyle (117928)	\$ 520.00		\$ 449.35
Cowies Hill (30754)	\$ 668.28		\$ 111.41
Durban Central (35673)	\$ -		\$ 453.58
Durban East Coast (110924)	\$ 1 067.75		\$ 86.91
Durban Host (27774)	\$ 324.89		\$ 370.43
Durban North Durban (27814)	\$ 369.90		\$ 451.57
Durban South Durban (27775)	\$ 34.27		\$ 378.39
East London Port Rex (27779)	\$ 5 008.76		\$ 4 559.46
Edenvale (27730)	\$ 758.29		\$ 1 859.33
Ft Beaufort (30407)	\$ 70.87		\$ 544.16
Gonubie (27783)	\$ 80.52		\$ 1 152.14
Graaff-Reinet (27784)	\$ 143.28		\$ 1 089.96
Henley on Klip I c (27746)	\$ 1 067.07		\$ 95.24
Hibberdene (57333)	\$ -		\$ 184.61
Johannesburg Northcliff (27738)	\$ 280.00		\$ 967.59
Johannesburg The Wilds (27742)	\$ 100.00		\$ 178.33
Kimberley (27790)	\$ -		\$ 748.23
Kingsburgh (30913)	\$ 280.45	\$ 65.38	\$ 430.67
Kingwillamstown (27791)	\$ 1 013.28		\$ 2 142.96
Klerksdorp (27745)	\$ -		\$ 40.93
Komga (29725)	\$ -		\$ 472.28
Kouga (27788)	\$ 458.09		\$ 726.80
Krugersdorp (27747)	\$ 3 073.10		\$ 2 864.16
Ladysmith (27796)	\$ -		\$ 142.25
Letaba Tzaneen I c (27748)	\$ -		\$ 164.27
Mafikeng (27750)	\$ -		\$ 441.61
Manzini (39796)	\$ -		\$ 707.22
Midrand (48149)	\$ -		\$ 164.11
Nelspruit (27753)	\$ 2 083.74		\$ 2 787.75
Newcastle (116362)	\$ 338.29		\$ 338.29
Pietersburg (27754)	\$ -		\$ 617.28
Port Alfred (111197)	\$ 353.82		\$ 253.82
Port Elizabeth Cape Recife (29439)	\$ -		\$ 1 900.28

Port Elizabeth Host (27804)	\$ 137.08		\$ 1 285.27
Port Elizabeth St Croix (27805)	\$ -		\$ 3 826.50
Port Shepstone (27807)	\$ 2 849.78		\$ 5 136.92
Potchefstroom (97579)	\$ 400.00		\$ 500.00
Pretoria City (105249)	\$ -		\$ 82.92
Pretoria Jakaranda (52963)	\$ 1 119.99	\$ 219.99	\$ 1 203.49
Pretoria south (27757)	\$ 1 860.00		\$ 1 349.25
Ramsgate (45984)	\$ 419.86		\$ 2 246.83
Reitz (46497)	\$ -		\$ 224.22
Roodepoort Clearwater Cyber (109971)	\$ 926.46	\$ 350.00	\$ 926.46
Roodepoort Helderkruin (104884)	\$ 1 271.24		\$ 300.18
Roodepoort Host (27759)	\$ -		\$ 173.21
Roodepoort Wilro Park lc (46134)	\$ 1 848.29	\$ 50.00	\$ 808.29
Rustenburg (27760)	\$ 100.00		\$ -
Scottburgh (29586)	\$ 67.07		\$ 1 021.24
Shelly beach (102613)	\$ 68.63		\$ 68.63
Standerton (29241)	\$ 664.50		\$ 1 768.06
Uitenhage (27812)	\$ 4 736.51		\$ 5 337.17
Vereeniging (27766)	\$ 824.96		\$ 86.20
Weltervreden (44342)	\$ 884.68		\$ -
Westville (27818)	\$ -		\$ 668.57
District 410 E (138429)	\$ 6 024.68	\$ 627 07	\$ 8 274.80
TOTAL	\$ 54 918.15	\$ 1 930.68	\$ 73 682.17

# 22.9 LEOS - DC Melinda Strydom

No report submitted

# 22.10 PEACE POSTERS & PUBLIC RELATIONS - DC Sandy van Heerden PUBLIC RELATIONS : LIONS AWARENESS MONTH – APRIL 2021

# **PUBLIC RELATIONS GRANT:**

As District Chairman for PR, I applied for and submitted a PR & Marketing Plan for a Public Relations Grant for MD 410 for the amount of US\$300-00 amounting to R48 000-00. Fifty percent of the grant amounting to R22 235-25 was deposited in out MD account with the balance only to be paid out once we have completed and submitted a full report to International. 10% of the full amount had to be covered in order to qualify.

A Committee was formed and a Project Plan drawn up for use in future. A record of the participating clubs is also on file for our reference and so that we can track the effectiveness of the project.

The money from the grant is to be used to promote Lions e.g. the button badges, the branded bags but not the contents thereof and the MD Social Media Campaign, the Most Effective Project.

We purchased Backpacks for Kids with Cancer Comfort Kits as well as 1100 PROUD TO BE A LION Button Badges, we have distributed all of the above to participating Clubs for projects taking place in April.

**SOCIAL MEDIA CAMPAIGN**; the Campaign was launched on the 1<sup>st</sup> April and is designed to include 16 post during the period of our Awareness Projects which run from the weekend of the 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> April and to tell our Lions story. The goal is to encourage Service minded people to join our organisation, to promote the recognition of our Lions logo and branding and to raise awareness of our Pillars of Service and the very worthwhile projects which we do. The social media campaign is being run on Facebook, Instagram and our Lions websites and all Lions are asked to post, copy, like and share using the Hashtags created for this purpose. This social media campaign is being managed by Meredith Sturgess of Urban Jungle. Stats are being kept in order to track the effectiveness of the campaign.

MOST EFFECTIVE LIONS AWARENESS PROJECT COMPETITION; The competition was launched on the 1st April and all Lions Awareness Projects taking place in April will qualify to enter. To enter Clubs must post their projects using the competition hashtag and also submit a brief report and pics via email. Judging will the done by independent judges from the Legacy Marketing Team. The winning club will be announced at MD convention and a small trophy awarded.

1100 PROUD TO BE A LION Button Badges were made and distributed to all participating Lions throughout Multiple District and will be worn at the Awareness Projects.

**500 Lions Branded Drawstring Bags** were made and distributed to Clubs participating in Comfort Kits/Care packages made up for Kids with Cancer or victims of rape and abuse. These had to be ordered in advance. We are out of stock but if funds allow I would like to order additional bags from the funds allocated for the grant as I have already being asked about ordering bags.

The delivery of the Drawstring bags and the button badges to District W and to the Durban Clubs was made possible by Lions Garry and Susette of Seabourne Express and we are very grateful.

# **EXPENDITURE TO DATE:**

PARCO (Branded Backpacks) : R10 695-00

1100 x PROUD TO BE A LION Button Badges : R 3 668-50

TNT Design (Branded drawstring bags) : R 10 454-36

Nothing outstanding.

Additional amount due from International : R22 000-00 50% OF

Original amount of grant (dependant on rate of exchange)

Consolidated Reports for the District 410E Convention to be held on 24 April 2021

Thanks to Cliff Hocking for his support for this project and to Garry, Susette, Meredith and Barbara for agreeing to assist me when I asked.

Sandy van Heerden

DC: PUBLIC RELATIONS

# PEACE POSTER & ESSAY CONTEST

The Theme is "We are Connected" and information is on the International Website.

Communications have been sent out through our Cabinet Secretary as well as on our PZR whatsapp groups – orders are slowly coming in but still very few clubs have indicated that they will be participating. I will hold on before placing our order for Peace Poster & Essay Kits and report back.

Sandy van Heerden

DC: PEACE POSTER & ESSAY CONTEST

# 22.11 YOUTH EXCHANGE

No report submitted