District N-1



NEWSLETTER

District Governor Claude LeBlanc

April/May 2010



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District Governor's Message

Fellow Lions,

We had a great convention in



PEI, I was so pleased seeing all the Lions, Lioness and others attend this wonderful convention. Our guest speaker reminded us of what it is to serve our communities. It was wonderful seeing so many at the banquet.

Lions of District N1 it is important to thank you all for the wonderful participation at the Mutiple District Convention in Fredericton. Our quest speaker was Past International President Judge Brian Stevenson, who was an entertaining inspiration of Lionism. At this time I want to congratulate 1st Vice George on being our District Governor elect for the lions year of 2010-2011. I am sure he will lead this district and continue to help it grow. I would also like to congratulate Lion Gerry Hartigan on being our 1st Vice Governor Elect, for the lions year of 2010-2011, also I would like to congratu-

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late 2nd Vice

Gover- MOVE TO GROW nor Elect Mac-

Donald. These people will serve our district well.

My visit have gone well, and I look forward to the rest of my year as your District Governor.

Yours in Lionism, Claude LeBlanc. District Governor.

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PU 101

Club Secretary's - Please get your PU101's filed as soon as possible—immediately after your election of new officers for the 2010-2011 Lionistic year. This information should be sent, either mailed on the paper format or filed on – line, to LCI, with copies to CST Norah, VDGE George Mitton, and your sitting Zone Chair





The **Fredericton Lions Club** will be celebrating their 60th Anniversary Charter Night on Saturday June 19th at the Royal Canadian Legion Br #4 located at 199 Queen St . Social 6:00 to 6:30pm followed by a hot and cold buffet .

Price \$18.00 each . Bar service provided .

RSVP June 12th by contacting PDG Ralph Shears at 506-458-5741 or Lion Leo Leger at 506-472-4135 email

leger.leo@gmail.com



THANK YOU ST. MARYS ENTERTAIN-MENT CENTRE

Wally Brooks from the St. Mary's Entertainment Centre presents a cheque to the Lion's Club from money raised at this year's Diabetes Bingo event. For

the third year, St. Mary's Entertainment Centre has covered the costs and donated the proceeds for this special night of Bingo to help children with type 1 Diabetes.

The cheque of \$7,108.00 was presented to the Canadian Diabetes Association at the Annual Lion's Cavalcade on May 30th in Sussex. Money raised at the Bingo and the Cavalcade supports the Canadian Diabetes Association's summer camp for children with type 1 diabetes and also funds world-class diabetes research.

Thanks in part to Mr. Brooks and the staff of The St. Mary's Entertainment Center this years was another great success. Receiving the check (right to left) from Mr. Brooks is Chair Lion Harold Borden of the Lincoln Lions Club, PDG Boyd Sangster and Committee member Lion Richard Buchanan both from the Nashwaaksis Lions Club.



Hello Lions,

This is regarding the Lakeville Lions Club will hold its **21st, Charter Night Anniversary Dinner** on **Saturday June 05**, **2010.** if your attending please confirm by sunday May 23/10

The event starts at 6.30 PM with meet & Greet (refreshments available)supper starts at 7.PM with POT LUCK

Guest speaker to be announced

Music from R House Band

Tickets are \$ 10.00 per person.

Hope that we can see members from your club attend this event.

If anyone is planning to come they can contact my email **lion_phil@hotmail.com** or call me Phillipe King at 856-7018 or Secretary Eugeners Somers at 859-6153

Yours in Lionism. King Lion Phillipe King



LIONS IN SERVICE



"PAT ON THE BACK!!"

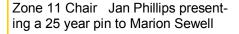
DISTRICT N-1 raised over \$6300 for our Project Dog Guide. Funds were

delivered to CC Rod Wright at the MDN Convention yesterday. We had a great weekend, lots of fun and fellowship, terrific entertainment and a speaker (PIP Brian Stevenson) who was fabulous!





Nicholas Dow is 10. What an amazing young man! This is his second year participating in the Fredericton Area Lions Club's Walk for Dog Guides, and this year he raised \$210.00. "He walked his old dog, Scatter, and they both had a great time", said his mom Shelley Dow. Thank you Nicholas. Super job!





NACKAWIC LIONS' CLUB PRESENTATION

Kit Emms, Community Development Co-ordinator for the Canadian Blood Services and a Lion, presented a plaque to King Lion Wendell MacArthur of the Nackawic Lions' Club in recognition of the many years of service of the Nackawic Lion's Club sponsoring many blood donor clinics in Nackawic

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East Royalty Lions makes History.
This is only the second time in the club's history that 5 new members are Jason Maddix - Lillianne Boucher - Marie Holland - June Haight - Dawn Hobbs-Penton

MD N Lions in Australia have been invited to a "Lions Breakfast with MD "A" Ontario for 7.00 am on Tuesday the 29th of June 2010, right before the parade.

The price is \$39.00 AU which is about par with Canadian funds. We would need to guarantee the hotel a minimum number of 45 Lions for breakfast to secure this price.

This meal would take place in a private room at the hotel.

Please let me know if there is any interest from your delegation to join hands with MD"A" for this event.

IPDG Lion Mike Springford.

Promotion Chairperson:

MD"A" Ontario Canada

Please contact DG Claude if interested Reservations must be made.

Comedy Corner

Arnold Schwarzenegger has a big one.

Michael J. Fox has a small one.

Madonna doesn't have one.

The Pope has one but doesn't use it.

Clinton uses his all the time.

Mickey Mouse has an unusual one.

Liberace never used his on women.

Jerry Seinfeld is very, very proud of his.

Cher claims that she took on 3.

We never saw Lucy use Desi's.

What is it?

Answer below! (this is pretty good)

Laughter is the best medicine

The answer is: 'A Last Name.'

You didn't think I'd send you a dirty joke, did you?

DISTRICTN-1 ANNUAL CONVENTION

The annual Convention was held in Summerside PEI at the CAUSEWAY BAY LINKLETTER HOTEL. Convention Chair Lion Gary Gaudet did a fantastic job organizing a great weekend for the Lions of District N-1. The meet and Greet hosted by the St. Elenor]s Lions Club started the weekend with great food, great entertainment, the renewal of old friendships and the making of new ones.







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Thank you volunteers! Message from Minister Kenny

"There is no better way to make a difference in your community than by becoming a volunteer. It's a great opportunity to share your ideas, talent and experience, build relationships and develop caring communities for a stronger, more self-sufficient province. Volunteering also presents our youth with an opportunity to learn, network and build their resume for the future.

"New Brunswickers volunteer over 50 million hours a year. They work 24,000 full-time jobs without pay for causes they care about.

"National Volunteer Week pays tribute to these dedicated individuals who donate their time and energy toward helping others. Across Canada, some 12 million volunteers devote themselves to charitable work and non-profit organizations.

"I want to thank and congratulate the thousands of volunteers in our province who contribute to our quality of life in New Brunswick. We appreciate the unending work they perform to make New Brunswick a better place to be."

Merci aux bénévoles ! Message du ministre Kenny

Il n'y a pas de meilleure façon de faire avancer les choses dans la collectivité que de faire du bénévolat. Il s'agit d'une belle occasion de communiquer ses idées, ses talents et ses expériences, d'établir des relations et de développer des collectivités bienveillantes pour faire du Nouveau-Brunswick une province plus forte et autosuffisante. Le bénévolat permet aussi aux jeunes d'apprendre, de faire du réseautage et d'ajouter à leur curriculum vitae pour l'avenir.

Les Néo-Brunswickois et Néo-Brunswickoises consacrent au travail bénévole plus de 50 millions d'heures par année. Ces bénévoles travaillent l'équivalent de 24 000 emplois à plein temps sans être payés, pour des causes qui leur tiennent à cour.

La Semaine nationale d'action bénévole rend hommage à ces personnes dévouées qui consacrent leur temps et leur énergie à aider les autres. Au Canada, environ 12 millions de personnes consacrent du temps au travail bénévole et aux organismes à but non lucratif.

Je remercie et félicite les milliers de bénévoles de notre province qui contribuent à la qualité de la vie au Nouveau-Brunswick. Le gouvernement est reconnaissant de l'énorme travail qu'ils accomplissent pour que le Nouveau-Brunswick soit un meilleur endroit où vivre.



Making Miracles Happen

You are cordially invited to attend the Official Opening Ceremony of Portage Atlantic's new residential drug and alcohol treatment centre at Cassidy Lake.

Join us in recognizing and celebrating with those who have supported the Making Miracles Happen capital campaign.

> Friday, June 18th 2010 10am to 12pm 1275 Route 865 Cassidy Lake Norton, NB

RSVP by June 4th to: Katie Burke (506) 472-4847 kburke@portage.ca

Contribuez au miracle

Vous êtes cordialement invités à la Cérémonie d'ouverture du nouveau ce résidentiel de traitement de la toxico de Portage Atlantique à Cassidy Lak

Joignez-vous à Portage pour célébre ceux et celles qui ont participé à la campagne de financement Contribuez au miracle.

Le vendredi 18 juin 2010 10 hà 12 h 1275, route 865 Cassidy Lake Norton, N-B

Veuillez RSVP avant le 4 juin auprès Katie Burke (506) 472-4847 kburke@portage.ca

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Important Dates to Remember



June 1	Helen Keller Day
June 5	World Environment Day
June 28-July 2	93rd Annual Lions Clubs International Convention in Sydney, Australia
July 15	Lions Clubs Activity Reports Due

New email address for Secretary Lion Paula of Upper Nashwaak Lions Paula Merritt pmerritt@xplornet.ca

Notice!

Beginning on March 17, **St. Martins & District** will meet on the third Wednesday of each month

"Helping to Serve"

From the Editor Lion Susan sangster@nbnet.nb.ca

