

District N-1

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District Governor Claude LeBlanc

January 2010



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District Governor's Message

Fellow Lions,

I want to start by wishing everyone a Happy 2010 and a healthy one. During the month of December our lions world as lost two past governors one from the Rexton Lions Club and the other from the Salisbury Lions Club. This has made our lions light a bit less reflective in our world.



Today as I type this newsletter I ask all Lions in District N1 to please pray and keep the people in Haiti in our hearts. I will personally be making a contribution to the help in the Haiti relief efforts and I would encourage all Lions of District N1 to follow

with a small donation.

My visits are going well I will be visiting Hum Lew Sun Monday, January 16 and on January 25 I will be in Dieppe. So far this year I have completed 44 visits as of the end of December 2009. I would like to remind all lions that our next Cabinet Meeting will be Feb 7th 2010 in Moncton hosted by the Moncton Lions Club.

I will be sending out my Feb visits to Lion Susan and Lion Norah in the next few weeks.

I look forward to meeting all the lions family at our cabinet meetings, my visits and our conventions in the near future. I would like to remind all zone chair people to find

there replacement as soon as possible.



This Newsletter includes the Registration forms for the Annual District Convention in April and the Multiple District Convention in May. Please be sure that every member has a copy and get your registrations in early.

Yours in Lionism,
Claude LeBlanc,
District Governor

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"and another big load of GLASSES"

Lion Gary Rideout loads up to send of another load of glasses that the Lions of District N-1 have collected—approximately 20000 pair. Hoyts Moving and Storage of Fredericton handle the shipping of these glasses **FREE of Charge**. Many thanks to Hoyts for being such a great supporter



**6th Annual Audie Brewer Memorial
Bowling Tournament
February 14th, 2010**

Sponsored by Rod's OK Tire St. Mary's Street & Nashwaaksis Lions Club

When: Sunday, February 14, 2010

**Where: Nashwaaksis Bowl-A-Drome Bowling Lanes
Main Street, Nashwaaksis**

Time: 9 AM

Cost: \$80.00 per team of 4 (\$20.00 per Bowler)

It is a licensed establishment. Bring your Valentine for a day of fun.

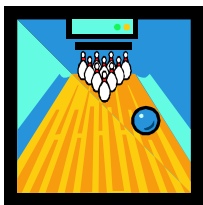
A pizza lunch will be provided at the alleys.

Upon the completion of the tournament, we will go to the Nashwaaksis Lions Community Centre for a supper and awards.

We can take up to 24 teams.

Teams must register by January 31, 2010 to allow us to arrange the lunch and supper.

Please send us the registration form along with the fee



**To: Nashwaaksis Lions Club
PO Box 3186 Station B
Fredericton NB.
E3A 5G9**



If you have any questions please contact:

Lion Diana Pike at 472-4534 or Lion Brent Buchanan at 454-2034



LIONS IN SERVICE



MEET THE CHALLENGE

The Riverview Lions Club has donated \$6300.00, which represents \$100 for each member of their Club, to the Haiti Disaster Relief. Pictured here is Treasurer Lion Dave Windsor and King Lion Joyce.

They have Challenged other Clubs to match their relief effort.

The North Rustico Lions Club have meet the challenge.

Do we have more Clubs ready to meet their Challenge?

The New Maryland Lions Club inducting new members



Santa and Elfie were a hit at the Christmas party the Lions of District n-1 held for the residents of Portage. This is an annual time

of service helps to brighten the lives of our youth who are struggling against addiction. Many thanks to Lion Lorraine Pollock for doing a great job. Even Old Man Winter cooperated with some snow!



Comedy Corner

Twas the month after Christmas,
and all through the house, Nothing
would fit me, not even a blouse.

The cookies I'd nibbled, the chocolate
I'd taste and the holiday parties had
gone to my waist.

When I got on the scales, there arose
such a number! When I walked to the
store (less a walk than a lumber),

I'd remember the marvelous meals I'd
prepared; The gravies and sauces
and veggie's nicely rared, The wine

the rum balls, the bread and the
cheese, And the way I'd never
said, "No, thank you, please."

As I dressed myself in my hus-
band's old shirt. And prepared
once again to do battle with dirt...
I said to myself, as I only can,
"You can't spend a winter dis-
guised as a man!"

So, away with the last of the sour
cream dip. Get rid of the fruit
cake, every cracker and chip.
Every last bit of food that I like

must be banished; Till all the additional
ounces have vanished.

I won't have a cookie, not even a lick. I'll
want only to chew on a long celery stick.
I won't have hot biscuits, or corn bread, or
pie. I'll munch on a carrot and quietly cry.

I'm hungry, I'm lonesome, and life is a
bore... But isn't that what January is for?
Unable to giggle, no longer a riot.

**Laughter is
the best
medicine**

**Happy New
Year to all, and
to all a good
diet.**

Submitted by Lion
Gerry Forsythe



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Lion Boyd Sangster, PDG



January 17, 2010

My fellow Lions:

Many children who graduate high school and go on to further their education are faced with severe financial, emotional, and social challenges. The residents of Portage Atlantic face these challenges as well as the added challenge of staying drug and alcohol free. Unfortunately, in our society today, drug and alcohol abuse is a problem that will not go away. Therefore we must do everything we can to help these youth become drug and alcohol free and receive the education to become productive in society.

In 2006 a District project was undertaken to assist these students by way of a bursary fund, named to honor Lion Ron Evans who has put his heart and soul into raising the awareness of the need for the facility we now have at Cassidy Lake and the funds necessary to expand to help more of our youth. Our first "Lion Ron Evans Bursary" of \$1000 was presented at the graduation ceremony in September 2007 and each year since .

The District held an event in honor of Lion Ron. Many Lions, including PID Terry Graham, and citizens dropped in to take part and make a donation. We raised over \$7,000 in approximately 4 hours to give this Bursary fund a good start.

District N-1 is committed to keep this an ongoing District project, and therefore the bursary must be funded this year and every year as long as there is a need. Our goal is to have the fund earn sufficient interest to cover the bursary each year and therefore be self sustaining.

Now we need your help. Is there someone in your community who could be honored with the funds being committed to the Ron Evans Bursary? Do you have a project from which all or a portion of the funds could be committed to this project? If every club in the District would commit \$50 annually, the fund could increase by \$4000 approximately. Do you have some other ideas that would help this project?

For any club who wishes to make a contribution, please forward the check to **The McAdam Lions Foundation, Attention Lion Frank Carroll , 12 Rose Street, McAdam, NB E6J 2B3.**

Please indicate clearly on the check "**The Lion Ron Evans Bursary**" as The McAdam Lions Foundation handles several funds.

We thank you for your support. Without your generous help, this assistance to these students would not be possible.

Yours in Lionism

Lion Boyd Sangster, PDG

Chair Lion Ron Evans Bursary Fund

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District N-1 Lions Diabetes Cavalcade 2010

Fellow Presidents and Cavalcade Chairperson's in New Brunswick

Lion's, the time is beginning to climb up on us for the 2010 Cavalcade to be held in Sussex on the 29th May. I am hoping that all of the clubs in New Brunswick have named your Chairperson for this year

I am hoping that once again we can realize funds similar to last years goal. Past Lion Joe-5-0 had a goal and we succeeded in reaching that goal, lets see if we can match again this year. Lets do our very best to see that every child that wants to attend Camp-Dia-best gets there.

In the newsletter are several pages from the Policy Manual, please Chairpersons, make sure you get this information out to your club members so they will know what the Cavalcade is all about.


If for some reason you find that your club cannot attend on the 29th May and you have a donation you can forward it to myself, made out to District N-1 Diabetes Cavalcade and I will see that it get to the C.S.T. and register it with the Diabetes Chairperson Lion Neil Hansen.

Looking forward to your co-operation in this years Cavalcade.

Yours in Lionism

Lion Harold Borden, District N-1 Chairperson 2010

Annex C




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District N - 1 Diabetes Cavalcade Registration

Make all cheques payable to District N-1



Club Contact:

Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Postal Code: _____

Phone: _____ Cell: _____ email: _____

Total Club Donation	\$	LCIF – Diabetes Research	\$
Donation enclosed	\$	Harry A. Newman Award	\$
		Canadian Diabetes Association	\$
		New Brunswick Region Camp Dia-best	\$
		Total	\$

Unallocated funds will be split: 25% LCIF 25% Harry A Newman, 50% Camp Dia-best

- If donations are from individuals or corporations, attach Annex A so that Canadian Diabetes Association can issue Charitable Tax Receipts.
- Do not send cheques directly to Canadian Diabetes Association or LCIF

Camp Dia-best

Hello! My name is April Elliott. I have type 1 diabetes and that means that I will be insulin dependant for the rest of my life. I was diagnosed when I was six years old.

I have gone to Camp Rotary on Grand Lake for the last eight years. The camp is a week long and is run by the Canadian Diabetes Association. This is the only camp in New Brunswick for diabetic children to attend. The camp has a team of tried medical staff and a doctor is there the whole week.

One spring a couple of years ago when we received our forms to register for the camp there was a request to participate in a contest to name the diabetic week. The rules were simple; the name should have something to do with our experiences at camp, and the disease itself, also it should be easily spoken in English as well as French. The name I chose was Camp Dia-best. Dia for diabetes, and best for the best camp ever! Later some people said that best could have represented Best because he had invented insulin. I won a nice basket which contained a mp3 player, tickets to Magic Mountain and Crystal Palace, a Camp Rotary Sweat-shirt and many other gifts.

Over the years at camp I have had many experiences and met lots of great friends who have the same disease as me, it's nice to know you are not the only one your age who has diabetes. Camp is a lot of fun, but also alot of work, with plenty of blood glucose readings, carb counting, and insulin therapy. There is always something to do with many outdoor activities.

Last year I went to camp as a Leader in Training, and this year I would like to go back as a junior counsellor.

I am very grateful and proud of the Lions Clubs in our area who donate to the Canadian Diabetes Association. The Lions Clubs support makes it possible for families with diabetes to send their children to camp so they can have this wonderful experience with children of all ages who are coping with this terrible disease. I appreciate the financial support for these families and would like to thank all those Lions Clubs for the many years of tremendous support! You have certainly made a difference for a lot of children and their families.

April Elliott

Please note that this is in the author's own words.

Spirit of Christmas in memory of those gone but still in our hearts.



A presentation to Hoyt's Moving - a small way to say thank you for shipping District N-1 glasses

Mark you Calendars
February 20, 2010
Cambridge Narrows School
Appreciation Night
for PDG Ron Branscomb.

Details to follow



DISTRICT N-1
ANNUAL OFFICERS SCHOOL & SUB-DISTRICT CONVENTION
HOST CLUB: ST. ELEANORS LIONS
DATES: APRIL 16, 17, 18, 2010

HOSPITALITY BOOK RESERVATION FORM

Name: _____ Spouses First Name _____

Mailing Address: _____ Phone: _____

No. of Hospitality Books Required: _____

Payment Enclosed @ \$50.00 per book: _____

NOTE THAT ALL HOSPITALITY BOOKS MUST BE RESERVED IN ADVANCE USING THIS FORM-ALSO, THAT ALL FORMS, TOGETHER WITH PAYMENT, MUST BE POSTMARKED ON OR BEFORE APRIL 1ST. 2010. THERE WILL BE NO BOOKS AVAILABLE AFTER THAT DATE!

Please make your cheque or money order payable to:-St. Eleanors Lions District Convention (2010) and mail c/o Vivian MacLean, 66 East Dr., Summerside, P.E.I. CIN 4E4 E-mail: smmaclean@pei.eastlink.ca

YOUR HOSPITALITY BOOK WILL INCLUDE ADMISSION TO THE FOLLOWING FUNCTIONS:

FRI. APR. 16: "MEET 'N GREET" –St. Eleanors Lions Hall 7:00 p.m.

Entertainment!!! Refreshments!!!

FREE SHUTTLE SERVICE FRIDAY EVENING ONLY

PHONE#436-9380 FOR SHUTTLE

2. *SAT. APR. 17: BREAKFAST 7-8:45a.m. (CAUSEWAY BAY LINKLETTER HOTEL)*

BANQUET – Summerside Legion, Notre Dame St.,

Summerside. Social Hour 6-6:45/Banquet 6:45 p.m.

3. *SUN. APR. 18: LUNCH (ST. ELEANORS LIONS HALL)*

Hospitality Books may be picked up at the St. Eleanors Lions Hall on Friday

evening or on Saturday morning

MOTEL RESERVATIONS: *Please note that each individual is responsible to make their own reservations directly with the motel. MAKE YOUR RESERVATION EARLY!!!*

WE ARE REALLY LOOKING FORWARD TO THIS WEEKEND AND WILL TRY OUR BEST TO MAKE IT FULL OF FELLOWSHIP, FRIENDSHIP, FOOD,,, AND FUN!!!

ACCOMMODATION INFORMATION
SUB-DISTRICT CONVENTION IN ST. ELEANORS ON APRIL 16, 17, & 18, 2010

ROOM RATES PER NIGHT ARE AS FOLLOWS:

CAUSEWAY BAY LINKLETTER HOTEL

311 Market Street Summerside, P.E.I. C1N 1K8
(902)436-2157 (800)565-7829
\$79.99 + TAXES

THE LOYALIST COUNTRY INN

195 Harbour Drive Summerside, P.E.I. C1N 5R1
(902)436-3333 (800)361-2668
\$89.00 + TAXES

****Hotel Reservations are your own individual responsibility****

For any additional information about the convention you are welcome to contact:

Convention Chairman Lion Gary Gaudet

(902)436-5582 E-mail: goodygaudet33@hotmail.com



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Name : _____

Lion : _____ Lioness : _____ Leo _____ Non Lion : _____

Club : _____ District _____

Telephone _____ E-M ail : _____

_____ Hospitality Book @ \$ 50.00 _____
(Meet & Greet & Banquet)

_____ Meet & Greet @ \$ 15.00 _____

_____ Convention Registration @ 5.00 _____

_____ International Banquet @ \$ 35.00 _____

Total Enclosed _____

Please make all cheques payable to: M D N C O N V E N T I O N

Send to: P D G Jan Phillips , 188 Gibson Street, Fredericton, N.B. E3A 4E3

Contact Lion Jan : Telephone 506-472-8959 E-M ail fwp@rogers.com

All events for the convention will take place in the Fredericton Inn on Regent Street located in the center of Fredericton's shopping district. (one minute from the Trans Canada Highway) No need to use your car!

Make your hotel reservations early and directly with the hotel. Be sure to let them know that you are attending the Lions Convention.

Room Rates: \$115.00 plus tax (two or four in room.)

Tel. 506-455-1430 1-800-561-8777 or book on line at www.frederictoninn.nb.ca



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Important Dates to Remember



January 1, 2010	New Peace Poster Kits Available
January 10-16	LCIF Week
February 7, 2010	Third Cabinet Meeting, Moncton
March 1, 2010	Deadline to submit the Multiple District single Lions Environmental Photo Contest entry to Lions Clubs International
March 1, 2010	International Semi Annual Dues to be Paid

March 31, 2010	District Semi Annual Dues to be Paid
April 16- 18, 2010	District N-1 Annual Convention and Officers Training Summerside, PEI
May 21-23, 2010	MD N Annual Convention Fredericton, NB

“Helping to Serve”

From the Editor Lion Susan
Lets keep the people of Haiti and all the aid workers in our thoughts and prayers.

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