

# The Bulletin No 5



**LIONS DISTRICT 105CE**

**DG David Pope MJF**

**2021 – 2022**

Dear caring Lions & LEOs of District 105CE

What an action-packed couple of weeks, I don't know about you, but I have been so inspired by the Special Olympians, they have done an excellent job at raising the awareness of "abilities", just look what can be achieved by people with such severe disabilities. Let's consider their abilities and not their disabilities – hats off to our wonderful Special Olympians.

During the week I made an official club visit to Louth Lions – what a wonderfully busy club, they have done so much for their community during the lockdowns, supporting the vaccination programme by providing manpower, they have also recruited 2 new members and have at least 2 prospective members, they ran a couple of very successful drive in movie nights, held their duck race over the weekend and have their Golf Day coming up very soon – what an inspiration to so many – thanks for all you do, you make a massive difference to your local community. Thank you for your splendid donation to LCIF, you know that it makes a massive difference by placing the money with the local Lions Club to execute the invaluable disaster relief support.

My sincere thanks to Richard & Janice Barr, Jim & Jennifer Cawte, Chris & Jamie Speed and Philip Mobbs for the wonderful District Fun Day that was held last weekend, the Great Yarmouth Race Course is a brilliant venue to meet up, have a bite to eat, to be entertained by Lions and a magician and then we all rode off to the Thrigby Hall Wildlife Gardens, you should have seen the smile on Lion President Chris Speeds face when he got to drive one of the buses ! Next year's event is already booked – Sunday 4th September, let's get all our clubs involved and bring a family or two that would benefit from a lovely day out.

Whittlesey Lions Golf Day – what a brilliant day, 21 teams took part and raised £1,500 including a generous employee match funding of £500 from Lloyds bank. The monies raised will go to the Alzheimers Society, a truly deserving cause. Whittlesey are also involved in COVID testing all the pupils at their local secondary school – another very busy club – being a "local" I know the difference you make to your community – Thank you.

It's great to see and hear about all of your activities, please don't forget to support our District Officers by attending their drop-in sessions and invite them to speak at your meetings – they have a wealth of knowledge and experience that could excite your own club to take on a new activity.

Thanks again for all you do.

A really PROUD DG.



## **Important District Dates**

(So clubs don't also book their charters on the same day!!)

Here are a few dates & events the DG Team will be attending.

Friday 29th October – Sunday 31st October – MD Council meeting  
Sunday 7th November - 105CE Cabinet meeting – Peterborough  
Saturday 25th December – Xmas Day  
Friday 21st January – Sunday 23rd January – MD Council meeting  
Sunday 6th February – 105CE Cabinet meeting – by ZOOM  
Thursday 10th March – Sunday 13th March – District Convention – Peterborough  
Thursday 28th April – Sunday 1st May – MD Convention – Birmingham  
Sunday 8th May – 105CE Cabinet meeting – Peterborough

## **NOTTINGHAM WEST LIONS**

Lion President Ravinder Manku of Nottingham West Lions Pride Club Branch presents Sunny Anand of The Cumin Restaurant an appreciation award for all the support that The Cumin Restaurant have given Nottingham West Lions over the years. Thank you, Sunny and Shelly Anand of The Cumin, Maid Marion way, Nottingham, for your tremendous support over many years.



## **Taverham & District Lions 35<sup>th</sup> Charter Lunch.**

Lion President Sue would like to invite you to our 35<sup>th</sup> Charter Lunch, which will be held on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> October 2021 at Wensum Valley Hotel Golf and Country Club, Beech Avenue, Taverham, Norwich, NR8 6HP.

The time is 12.30 for 1p.m. and it will be a two-course carvery lunch with tea and coffee. The cost is £19 per person. Just wear anything smart.

Please let me know of any allergies so I can let the Hotel know in advance. Thank you.

I do hope you will be able to join us, it will be lovely to see you all.

If you are able to join us please email me on [howes.family@outlook.com](mailto:howes.family@outlook.com), or home phone 01603 861114 or mobile 07510 587767.

## **District 105CE**

### **New Members reported**

#### **LOUGHBOROUGH LIONS**

Loughborough Lions recently badged up our newest member - Loughborough MP Jane Hunt! Attached are pictures from the meeting which took place at her Loughborough offices. District CE Vice - Governer Lion Chris Hibbert was present alongside his wife Sue. I was her sponsor. Also in the picture is Loughborough Lions President John Cheetham.



#### **BUNGAY AREA LIONS CLUB**

VERONICA BAX  
BROOMFIELD  
CHELMSFORD

#### **CHELMSFORD LIONS CLUB**

MIKE DANIELS  
DITCHINGHAM

#### **EAST ANGLIA NEW CENTURY CLUB**

SUMMER HORNSBY  
CAMBRIDGE

#### **ISLE OF AXHOLME LIONS CLUB**

MARK GRAYSON JOHNSON  
HAXEY  
DONCASTER

#### **NORWICH WEST LIONS CLUB**

CAROLE SEWELL  
NORWICH

#### **NORWICH BOURNE LIONS CLUB**

- SHANNON MASON
- BOURNE
- AUSTIN SCARFE
- POINTON

#### **GLANFORD & LINDSEY LIONS CLUB**

- BARBARA CAROL WALKER
- BRIGG
- GORDON WALKER
- BRIGG

#### • **LINCOLN LIONS CLUB**

- RICHARD IAN DODGE
- WASHINGBOROUGH
- LINCOLN

- MARGARET PARKER
- WASHINGBOROUGH
- LINCOLN

- KERRY J PESTEL
- WASHINGBOROUGH
- LINCOLN

- MARK A PIERCY
- WASHINGBOROUGH
- LINCOLN

#### • **RETFORD LIONS CLUB**

- JAMES TREBOR ARTHUR NAPIER
- RETFORD

#### • **WOODHALL SPA LIONS CLUB**

- RACHAEL ETCHES & ROGER ETCHES
- WOODHALL SPA

#### • **LOUTH DISTRICT LIONS CLUB**

- MELINDA RACK
- FULSTOW
- LOUTH

- STEVEN RACK
- FULSTOW
- LOUTH

#### ○ **SLEAFORD & DISTRICT LIONS CLUB**

- ALAN SANDALLS
- SLEAFORD

- SUE WHITWORTH
- GRANTHAM

#### ○ **THE DEEPINGS LIONS CLUB**

- PETER ALCINDOR
- LANGTOFT

Please can all winning peace posters be either dropped at the next cabinet meeting 7th November or posted to me at my home address no later than 15th of November as I am going away after that. We are planning to judge them at New Century Charter weekend. Many thanks, Mel Godefroy, Peace Poster Officer.



**"CONVENTION 2022"**  
**Holiday Inn, Peterborough**  
**March 10<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> 2022**



**THE SERIAL!**  
Episode 1.

**THURSDAY 13<sup>th</sup> MARCH**

**Arrival and check in late afternoon.**

**Greet your colleagues and have a drink in the Bar!**

**Evening dinner and, hopefully, a chance to meet the International Guest.**

**Great conversation and maybe a chance to learn something new.**

**And so, to a snug comfortable bed ready for Friday!**

Our August Handover Event went extremely well with everyone having a great time – good food, excellent company and we learned quite a bit too.

So, we are going to build on that and make the 2022 Convention a truly fantastic event. Already we have loads of activities and entertainment lined up for you to enjoy. You will find out exactly what in the next episodes of our little serial!

However, the next step is yours – PLEASE get your Booking in. The Convention Committee, who work tremendously hard on your behalf, really need to know that their work is not in vain! You should have no concern about your payments as the Hotel has committed to again being totally flexible should circumstances cause concern.

You also have time to pay by Standing Order and so spread the cost across the remaining months.

**SO, WHAT ARE YOU WAITING FOR?**



MARCH LIONS CLUB  
PRESENTS

# AUTUMN FETE

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**25TH SEPTEMBER 2021**  
**9:30 - 13:30**

BBQ . STALLS

ST PETER'S CHURCH, HIGH STREET, MARCH

[WWW.MARCHLIONS.ORG.UK](http://WWW.MARCHLIONS.ORG.UK)



# THE LIONS CLUB OF LITTLEPORT



It's



Back!

## **Breakfast with Santa**

**at The Almonry, High St, Ely  
8.30am start**

**21<sup>st</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> Dec 2021**

**Continental breakfast**

**Tickets £3.50 Adults, £6.50 Children  
(includes a present for every child)**

**Contact: Megan Walbyoff  
07912 572 634**

**email: [breakfastwithsanta1@yahoo.com](mailto:breakfastwithsanta1@yahoo.com)  
Booking Starts 10<sup>th</sup> September**

**Supported by The Almonry and City Cycle Centre**



**Lions Clubs International**  
British Isles

# Your support is needed



**By supporting Lions Clubs International Foundation you will be helping to provide life saving relief for communities affected by natural disasters, as witnessed recently in Germany, Greece, Haiti and Turkey.**

**Lions Clubs provide vital assistance where it is needed.**

**#StepForward #JoinUs #LionsGetInvolved**

## **Membership Matters Drop-in**



On behalf of the Membership team, Alan Hall, District Membership Officer will host a monthly Membership drop-in session for all membership matter. This will be held on the 2nd Tuesday of every month, at 7 pm.

To book, contact [Alan Hall](#) for the zoom invite for the forthcoming session.



## **The Lions Clubs International Foundation** **(LCIF)**



Lions Clubs International  
**FOUNDATION**

Want to know more about how you can support and benefit from The Lions Clubs International Foundation? Check out the webinar presentation on LCIF in the Member's area of the District Website under [International/LCIF](#)

**WE WOULD LOVE TO HEAR FROM YOU - IF YOU HAVE ARTICLES FOR THE ' BULLETIN' OR 'MONTHLY NEWS' – PLEASE SEND TO: [pr@lions105ce.org.uk](mailto:pr@lions105ce.org.uk)**

Please follow the link below and ask to be added to District 105CE Facebook Group.  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/262327261535199>

## **PR & Social Media Drop-in**



On behalf of the PR and Communications team, Fiona Reid, District Social Media Officer & Webmaster will host a monthly PR and Comms drop-in session to help to improve positive impact form use of Social Media, websites and PR Tools. This will be held on the 1st Tuesday of every month, at 8 pm. To book,

**Follow us on Instagram, Twitter, Facebook, and our District Website, see links below:**

contact [Fiona Reid](#), for the zoom invite for the forthcoming session.

