

# The Bulletin

## February 20<sup>th</sup> 2023



**LIONS DISTRICT 105CE**

**DG Dr Chris Hibbert**

**2022 – 2023**

**THANK YOU.**

Did you know that our 90 Lions Clubs in our super District served over 771,000 people last year – an outstanding contribution to their local community and they have donated over £1.5 million pounds to charity over the last two years – what a fantastic amount, thank you and well done.

Yours in Lionism, Lion David Pope **MJF.**

### **DISTRICT DIARY 2023 – 2024.**

We as a District are committed for producing the District Directory for the next two years.

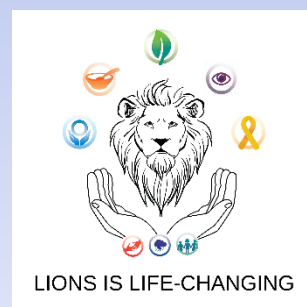
This is available for the use of all club presidents, District cabinet officers and PDG'S.

Which of the following if ANY do you think should be removed from the directory:

- 1/ International information.
- 2/ The address of Multiple District Headquarters and admin staff.
- 3/ Districts and Firsts and Second Vice Governors.
- 4/ Multiple District Portfolio officers.
- 5/ Cabinet officers from each District.
- 6/ An alphabetical list of all clubs in our District along with club officers, times and meeting venues.
- 7/ All past District Governors from 1950 to the present day.

Would you please respond by email to VDG Paul Southerton, no later than the end of March 2023.

[vdg@lions105ce.org.uk](mailto:vdg@lions105ce.org.uk) or  
[paulsoutherton@hotmail.com](mailto:paulsoutherton@hotmail.com)



**HUMANITARIAN APPEAL**  
**Turkey, Syria and Ukraine**  
**still need your help.**

Huge numbers of people need help to overcome their devastating difficulties, whether overcoming aggression or a natural disaster.

Please continue to support LCIF and the Lions in those countries by donating now.

Send any donations to the District Treasurer Lion Paula Mellows.

Contact her on

[treasurer@lions105ce.org.uk](mailto:treasurer@lions105ce.org.uk)



**Lions Clubs International**  
**FOUNDATION**

## **COLLECTION OF USED HEARING EQUIPMENT PROJECT.**

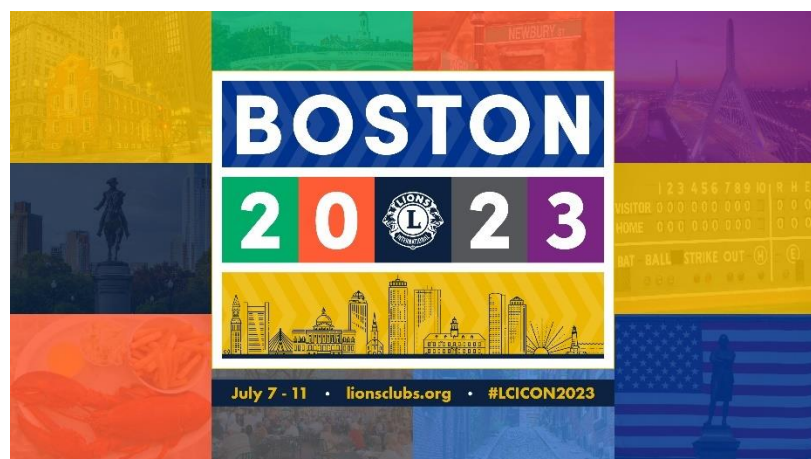
It is over 30 years since Lions in the UK became involved in the Collection of Used Hearing Equipment Project. Lions have been collecting and sending in unwanted or broken analogue and digital hearing aids and audiological equipment.

Once received it is refurbished - cleaned and repaired. The refurbished hearing equipment is then sent abroad to support projects dedicated to assisting hearing impaired children and adults. People living in many countries have received help and include - Mexico, Egypt, Colombia, Chile, Peru, Senegal, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Liberia, Ghana, Nigeria, South Africa, Lesotho, Rwanda, Uganda, Tanzania, Malawi, Kenya, Ethiopia, Zanzibar, Madagascar, Ukraine, India, Nepal, Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, Burma, Cambodia, Vietnam, North Korea, China, Philippines, Djbuti and Papua New Guinea. When a hearing-impaired person receives refurbished hearing aids it opens up a whole new world to them and they can enjoy hearing the sounds of life we take for granted.

Dr Michael Nolan formerly of the Starkey Hearing Foundation receives donated hearing aids sorts it in to make and model, checks it and packs it ready for onward shipping or refurbishment. He also finds hearing impaired people abroad who can use this refurbished equipment.

If you would like to assist us in this worthy project by collecting and then donating to the Used Hearing Equipment effort, please donate for your old Hearing aids to be used to help others less fortunate than yourselves.

Please send any Hearing Aids for recycling to Dr Michael Michael Nolan, Lumb Gaps Barn, Haslingden Old Road, Rossendale, BB4 8TT



**Are you going to the 2023 Lions International Convention in Boston?**  
**Would you like to see the Red Sox play baseball?**

I have 24 tickets reserved for Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July. The tickets are \$65 each.

If you are interested, or what further details please use this link:

<https://rb.gy/rkb8hn>

*Lion Simon Smith*

## **Lions Club of Southend.**

It was a pleasure to see you all last week and thank you so much for your generous and continued support of our Neonatal Unit; Jen and her team are so delighted to have a new camera and film to capture precious memories for the families in their care. We also thank you for your kind donation of £300 towards our wonderful new Spotlight Radiotherapy Appeal at Southend Hospital. Our Communications Officer, Faye Bailey, is copied in on this email and she will share the camera / film donation on our social media pages shortly. Your kind donation towards our new appeal will be shared once the appeal goes live at the end of February. Southend University Hospital.



## **Beccles and District Lions Club**

Due to a very tragic and unforeseen situation a Beccles family suddenly found themselves in need of more storage space in their back garden. Beccles and District Lions Club were approached to see if they could offer any support or help.

After considering the situation and speaking with Beccles Helping Hands both organisations decided they wanted to provide the best solution they could to the situation, so with further support and assistance from Trevor Wisener, a past Lion and Davey Sheds, on Ellough Industrial Estate a shed was provided. As it was deemed to be the best outcome for this situation.

Helping Hands Vice Chairman, Nigel Bartram said "When we heard about the situation this family found themselves in we had no hesitation in offering what help we could and thanks to all involved we have been able to offer a very positive outcome to the family."

Lion Chris Eglington, Beccles and District Lions Club President added "We are approached by individuals and organisations for help with various things throughout the year. We look at each request very carefully and we always try to do what we can to help. Once we heard of the family's dilemma, we all felt the request of a storage shed was in the long term the best way forward. On behalf of the Club, I would like to thank Beccles Helping Hands for their generous response to the request and of course a special thank you to Steve from Davey Sheds Ltd, Ellough Road, Beccles for the help and support they have provided to the request and to Trevor Wisener for all the hard work they have both done to ensure the shed was delivered and erected on time."



## **105CE District Convention**

16th-19th March 2023

Dunston Hall, Norwich

DG Lion Chris Hibbert



SEE OUR PROMOTIONAL  
VIDEO ON THE LIONS 105CE  
WEBSITE & BOOK NOW!

Facilities  
Swimming pool  
Golf Course  
Spa/Gym  
Gardens

**STILL TIME TO ATTEND CONVENTION!**



# Wear A Hat Day 2023 pin badges out now.



## Latest news categories

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31 January 2023

Our [Wear A Hat Day](#) 2023 pin badges are now available!

This year's range has four fabulous new designs. It's going to be a historic year with the coronation of King Charles III and the Queen Consort, and our new badges represent four periods in our history – Tudor, Stuart, Georgian and Victorian.

All Wear A Hat Day badges – new and previous years' – are available from our shop and you can purchase your favourites for just £2 each. A great opportunity to plug any gaps in a collection or start a new one!

When you register for Wear A Hat Day, you can access a special discount code to order boxes of badges and our classic wristbands to sell at your event. These are great for displaying at schools, offices and shops to help with your fundraising.

We've also created a pair of commemorative crown badges to help mark and celebrate the coronation. A great piece and a must-have for collectors of royal memorabilia or anyone who loves a fashionable accessory!

To order your pin badges, crown badges and other Wear A Hat Day merchandise, visit: [www.shop.braintumourresearch.org/collections/wear-a-hat-day](http://www.shop.braintumourresearch.org/collections/wear-a-hat-day)

There are just two months to go until the big day. [Register now](#) to be part of the hattastic fun on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March. Join in, look super for science, and help research breakthroughs happen.

LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL MD105 INVITE YOU TO TAKE PART IN THEIR ONLINE

# CORONATION BALLOON RACE

VIRTUAL RACE = ENVIRONMENTALLY FRIENDLY!

TO RAISE FUNDS FOR THE LIONS BRAIN TUMOUR RESEARCH APPEAL

**£5 PER BALLOON**  
[WWW.BALLOONRACE.NET/LIONSMD105](http://WWW.BALLOONRACE.NET/LIONSMD105)

**1ST PRIZE £100 2ND PRIZE £50  
3RD PRIZE £30 + 7 RUNNERS UP PRIZES**

Race launches at MD Convention on Sunday 7th May and ends on Sunday 14th May

The advertisement features a blue background with white and yellow text. On the right side, there is a cluster of colorful balloons (yellow, red, green, pink, white) with the Lions Clubs International logo and a crown. The logo consists of a lion's head inside a circle with the text 'LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL' around it.

# LIONS ROAR 2023 – Programme Roadmap, Admin & Finance



## SPECIAL ZOOM SESSION ON 22<sup>ND</sup> FEBRUARY

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/8293744613?pwd=NC9KQIR3ZkZBRmZDa0NQQWVIelpQZz09>

Meeting ID: 829 374 4613

Passcode: 154509 Follow the link below for all the information you could possible need.

<https://lionsclubs.co/MemberArea/knowledge/lions-roar/>

## LIONS ROAR 2023 – Programme Steps for Clubs Onboarding & helping schools through to success

### Marketing and Introduction Pack

1. Get agreement that your Club is up for running the ROAR Programme and helping schools

2. Review the ROAR Programme details, contact Primary Schools and get their interest

3. Explain ROAR to schools, and gain their agreement to run the Programme

4. Ensure that School/s agree to run & fully resource the Programme

### Admin Pack & Enrolment

5. Collect registration information for each school on form provided for your use

6. Forward £170 per school to your District Treasurer and Register on ROAR System (Typeform)

7. 8bi check Registration System, invoice Districts for registered schools. DTs pay 8bi invoice & pay MD Charities Treasurer for Programme Admin.

8. 8bi then enrol 'paid for' schools on to the LIONS ROAR 2023 System, send the Teacher Pack and provide system access to the schools

### Introduction, Teacher Pack & Programme Execution

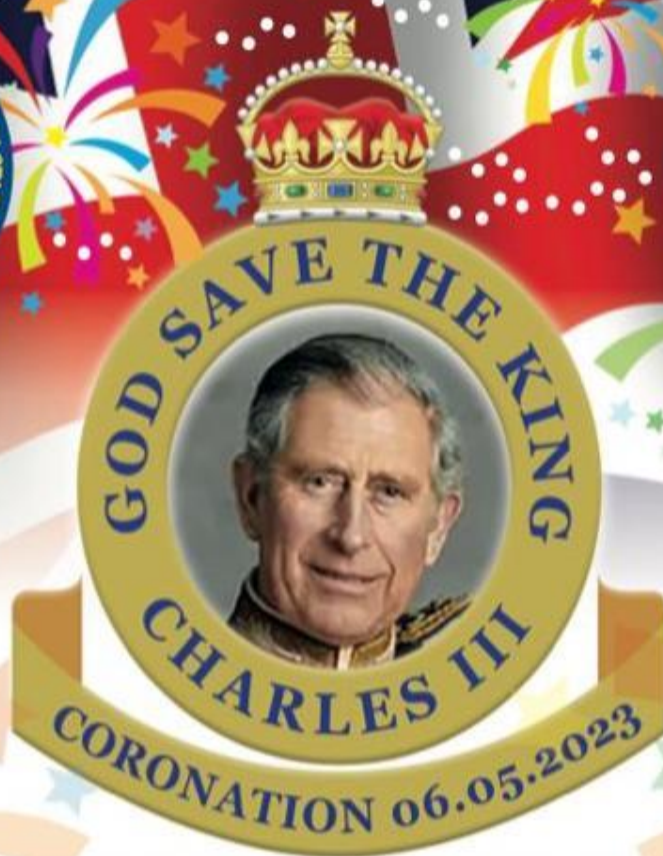
9. Schools & optionally Lions run LIONS ROAR Kick-Off, 8bi have 4 'check-ins' with schools (Sept / Oct / Day of Video / end Nov)

10. By mid-November schools run programme, select winners, award certificates & produce a video of the winning entry for District Finals

11. District Finals – end November, District teams review entries, select District Winners for the National Awards Day

12. LIONS ROAR National Awards Day – hosted by 8bi & Lions in December. District Winners are awarded certificates and Trophies





# LIONS CLUBS MD105 CORONATION CONVENTION 2023

celebrating the King's Coronation and our Lions successes

At The Grand Hotel Gosforth Park, Newcastle  
Friday 5th - Sunday 7th May

Friday will be a red, white and blue themed **Cabaret Night** so you can wear your best red, white and blue or why not become a King or Queen for the evening.

**Business Session** will be on **Saturday** and the Coronation will be shown on the big screen with the Buckingham Palace balcony wave in all its glory.

**Saturday Night**, will be a right Royal knees up, and of course our formal **Celebration Dinner**.

We are delighted to announce that our International Guest for Convention will be **Immediate Past International President Lion Douglas X. Alexander**



Bookings are now open and you can book your place through this link  
[www.md105convention.uk/hoteldetails.html](http://www.md105convention.uk/hoteldetails.html)  
Information will follow on the MD Website and Social Media #md105con2023  
Any problems contact HQ 0121 441 4544



Lions Clubs International  
MD105 British Isles







**Lincoln Lions are holding their  
Annual Quiz night in aid of  
Local Dementia Charities  
On Friday 31st March 2023  
at 7:30pm  
At the Castle Ward Club  
Lincoln (LN1 3JN)  
£5 per person (max 6 per team)**

As a private members club we will need names and addresses  
of all persons attending on the night.

Please email the details to Paula by  
the 26th March 2023  
on [paulamellows@hotmail.com](mailto:paulamellows@hotmail.com)



**IMPORTANT CHANGES TO LIONS PORTAL**

As you may have heard there are changes afoot with the Lions Portal (MyLCI). As from July there will be a new system introduced. Once I have further details, I shall be arranging some sessions for members to familiarize themselves with the new procedures.

- **Before 15.6.2023**      **Enter all club officers for 2023-2024.  
Before this date enter all service activities for events  
which took place prior to 1.6.2023. Reporting for events  
after that date will be carried out on the new system.  
record any club or personal donations to LCIF with  
appropriate documentation for recognition.**
  
- **Before 15.6.2023**      **Make sure that club data is accurate for 2022-23.  
Make sure that every member has an email address.  
Please note that shared email addresses cannot be used  
in the new Lions Portal.  
Make sure that members' birth dates are accurately  
recorded as these will be converted from MyLCI.HINT – in  
MyLCI under reports run 'Member Information Update  
Report' and get your members to update their info.**
  
- **Late April**              **Initial training is planned to begin!**  
If you have any questions, please contact me on [lioncgv@gmail.com](mailto:lioncgv@gmail.com) and I will endeavour to  
answer them.





# You'll Love the New LIONS PORTAL



But, we have some important dates & club actions first – 6/15/23 is the date to remember!

**7/15/23-7/24/23:** Target Conversion Date

**Before 6/15/23:** Enter all club officers for 2023-2024

**Before 6/15/23:** Enter service activity for events prior to 6/1/23. Reporting for 6/1/23 going forward will be in the new system after conversion

**Before 6/15/23:** Record any club or donations to LCIF are in the bank with the appropriate supporting documentation for recognition.

**Before 6/15/23:** Make sure club data is accurate for this year (2022-2023). For Example, new members, sponsors, new clubs formed, transfers and other end of year activities specific to clubs are correct and recorded in MyLion/MyLCI

- Make sure every member has an email listed and no shared emails can be used in the new LIONS PORTAL.
- Make sure member birthdays are entered since birth dates in MyLCI will be converted - even the old conversion 1/1/1900 date! Hint: in MyLCI under reports run "Member Information Update Report" and have your members update their info!
- Training is slated to begin in late April 2023 - Stay tuned!



**ISLE OF AXHOLME LIONS  
CLUB  
DISTRICT 105CE**

**57<sup>th</sup> Charter Lunch at Thonock Park, Gainsborough  
Sunday, March 5<sup>th</sup> 2023 - 12.30 for 1:00pm**

Dear Lion Presidents and Friends of The Isle of Axholme Lions Club,

After a few years of no celebration due to reasons outwith our control, The Isle of Axholme Lions are celebrating 57 Years of supporting those in need in the Isle of Axholme and beyond.

We have decided this year to have a friendly and less formal lunch format, but we have chosen a venue that is renowned for its' location and superb food which we are sure you will enjoy. The celebration is, of course, open to fellow Lions, partners, beneficiaries and supporters alike.

Our Club members and I look forward to giving you a warm welcome to our afternoon at Thonock Park which is an excellent venue set in countryside, with magnificent views where you can meet up with old friends and fellow supporters, enjoy good food, have great conversations, take in the ambience and celebrate with The Isle of Axholme Lions Club.

Ticket Price for the Lunch is £ 27.00 per person.

Dress Code – Smart Casual

Location - Thonock Park Golf Club, Belt Road, Thonock, Gainsborough, DN21 1PZ

I apologise for the very short notice, but I look forward to reserving you a place at this special event and meeting you on the day.

Please let us know by Friday 24<sup>th</sup> February so we can ensure you get your food choices.

Yours in Lionism

*Tyrone Smyth*

Lion Tyrone Smyth

President - Isle of Axholme Lions Club CIO



## **Loughborough Lions Club CIO**

**President: Nick Buckeridge, 67 Outwoods Dr, Loughborough, LE11 3LS**

**Tel: 01509 829492 email: [nick.buckeridge@gmail.com](mailto:nick.buckeridge@gmail.com)**

**President Nick and members of Loughborough Lions Club would like to invite you to join us at our:**

**52<sup>nd</sup> CHARTER ANNIVERSARY**

**SUNDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> APRIL 2023**

**LONGCLIFFE GOLF CLUB**

**SNELLS NOOK LANE, NANPANTAN, LE11 3YA**

**12.00 FOR 12.30 PM**

We have again managed to negotiate the very reasonable prices of £20 for a 2 Course selection and £24 for a 3 Course selection which will include Tea or Coffee and Chocolates

We would be delighted to see you and all enquiries/bookings should be made to:

Lion Joan Cheetham, 15 Herrick Road, Loughborough, LE11 2BP

Tel: 01509 556452. Email [cheetham.j57@gmail.com](mailto:cheetham.j57@gmail.com) by Friday 14 April please.





# Fundraising **FASHION SHOW** & SHOPPING EVENT

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**at BRUSH BOWLS CLUB**

**WATERMEAD LANE, NANPANTAN RD, LOUGHBOROUGH LE11 3YE**

**ON TUESDAY 14 MARCH 2023 AT 7.30 PM**

**Tickets £8 ea including tea/coffee**

**Tickets from Ann Parsons, [caroleannparsons@hotmail.com](mailto:caroleannparsons@hotmail.com) 01509 232422**

**07547 907414 or Sue Denton, [suedenton54@hotmail.com](mailto:suedenton54@hotmail.com) 01509 812229**

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## The Lions Club of Leigh on Sea



On behalf of Lion President Ann Poole and the members of Leigh-on-Sea Club, I cordially invite you to join us in celebrating our 32nd Charter celebrations to be held on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2022 at Saxon Hall, Aviation Way, Southend-on-Sea. SS2 6UN.

The evening will follow the traditional format with Reception at 6.30pm for 7.00pm. Following the meal and general formalities (which will be kept to a minimum) we shall be dancing to the Eternity Events Disco. Carriages should be arranged for 11.45pm.

The Menu for this year is as per the enclosed order form and I should be grateful if you would let me have your choices together with your payment cheque by the 30th of March. For your convenience you may send your payment direct into our bank account 37154648 sort code 543060

If you have any queries, please contact me at the Email address below.

The price for the evening is £35.00 per person and we look forward to your company.

Please reply to: PDG Lion George Harris, 17 The Parkway, Canvey Island, Essex SS80AA.

Tel. 01268 694268, Mob 07762 734343, [george.eileenharris@sky.com](mailto:george.eileenharris@sky.com)



**COME CELEBRATE PETERBOROUGH LIONS**  
**53<sup>RD</sup> CHARTER DINNER @ THE MASONIC CENTRE, PETERBOROUGH 15<sup>TH</sup> APRIL**  
**2023 - 7.00PM FOR 7.30PM**

**MENU**

**TOMATO SOUP (a)**

**THE ULTIMATE SPICED PRAWN COCKTAIL (b)**

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**PAN ROASTED RUMP OF STEAK WITH HORSERADISH MASHED POTATOES AND GARLIC JUS (c)**

**CHICKEN CHAUSSEUR WITH ROASTED NEW POTATOES AND CRISPY BACON (d)**

**VEGETARIAN OPTION: EGG PLANT POLENTA WITH PARSNIP PUREE, SAUTEED SPINACH AND ROAST VEGETABLES (e)**

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**PEAR AND APPLE CRUMBLE AND CUSTARD (f)**

**CONTINENTAL CHEESECAKE AND CREAM (g)**

**3 COURSES £34 starter, main, dessert**

**4 COURSES £36 starter, main, dessert, cheese & biscuits**

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**TEA, FRESHLY BREWED COFFEE, MINTS**



**YOU ARE INVITED TO CELEBRATE**  
**THE DEEPINGS LIONS CLUB**  
**43<sup>RD</sup> CHARTER DINNER.**

Lion President Lynne Roberts and members of The Deepings Lions Club cordially invite you to celebrate our charter anniversary, with dinner and dancing at Peterborough Masonic Hall, 127 Ellindon, Peterborough PE3 8RD

Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2023, 6.45pm for 7:30pm  
Carriages: 12:00am

Complimentary drink on arrival

Music through the night by Lion Shannon Mason

