



# Lions Clubs International British Isles District 105CE

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## MONTHLY NEWS OCTOBER 2020

A lot has happened since I wrote to you in the last Monthly Newsletter.



I regret to say that Council Chair Pete Dilloway, has resigned his post due to health reasons. I and the District CE wish him well in his health and thank him for his contribution to MD 105. It's always difficult to replace good Officer and Pete is missed dearly since he left. To carry on the job of Council Chair, three District Governors have taken additional responsibility to take the Chair in turn. DG Alistair Joel, DG Richard Williams and I, will take the chair in succession to the end of the lions year.

It has become difficult to meet people due to the Covid19 situation, I have been able to visit Bungay Lions Club in one of their meeting before the extra restrictions came in. I enjoyed the meeting on 6<sup>th</sup> September and was able to present Past District Governor Paul Martin with his Faculty Development Institute Pin and Certificate.

I didn't have to go very far to attend a Club meeting of City of Norwich Lions Club; I was honoured to present a 45 Year Service Chevron to Lion Mike Dixon, who has served his community with pride through his Lions Service.

I was also able to present PDG Dr John Jones, President of City of Norwich Lions with my Pin and Banner. It was delightful to sit outside with a cup of tea, after the presentation and catch up on the Clubs business.



To add to the above I had an on-line meeting with Eastwood Lions Club; with the kind permission of Lion President Gary Fisher, I was able to virtually present 15 Years' Service Chevron to Lion Jean Stanbridge. Congratulations to all for their dedicated Service and achievements.

I would like to remind my fellow Lions about the DGs Partners Appeal, DIABETES. Since Clubs are preparing for Christmas collections, please keep this worthy cause in mind. It is one of our Global Causes.

I am having numerous meetings within our District Teams and Internationally to keep up with new and old business. The Cabinet is doing their best to deliver the demands from the Clubs and individuals. The District Governor's team and District Secretary

Keith are in touch on daily bases to provide the clubs with information as it comes in.

Keep Safe in Your Clubs and Your Family.

Spread Your Wings and Excel.

### DG Ujjal

#### City of Norwich Lions Club.

Our members were pleased to welcome District Governor Lion Ujjal and his wife Manjit to the Club's first face to face meeting since the imposition of Covid-19 lockdown.

At the start of the meeting DG Ujjal presented Lion Mike Dixon with his 45-year membership pin in the presence of the former Leo members of Lion Mike's family. Lion Mike has served as our Club President on two occasions and in addition to normal member activity such as Christmas Float collections, was for many years responsible for arranging transport etc for participants from Norwich attending the Special Games organised by Hinckley Lions.

Throughout lockdown our Club has continued to make donations to a variety of causes and currently is committed to working towards becoming a Model Club for Campaign 100.

## HEIGH! HO! HEIGH! HO! IT'S A GLEANING WE DID GO.



There's a huge amount of food waste in the UK and a proportion of this comes from food that is not harvested, often because it's not "supermarket" quality. "Gleaning" means collecting and distributing perfectly edible fruit and vegetables from farms and orchards that would otherwise go to waste.



The Lions of the British Isles are committed to help tackle this waste through the "Lions Gleaning Hub" and some clubs started this activity 3 years ago. As a contribution to this cause and first part of the Zone 5C project Southwell and District Lions organised and led a fruit glean. The concept is easy and straightforward. Get the surplus food, fruit and vegetables to someone who is hungry or to charities that help the needy. Simple!! Just three components are needed, 1) Volunteers 2) Farmers 3) Distribution. Get these 3 things organised and you have a Gleaning activity!! Southwell & District Lions Club did just that.

Starkeys Fruit Farm, famous for Bramleys, strawberries and other soft fruit have over 250 pear trees and a smaller apple orchard where the fruit is not routinely picked, because the fruit size and shapes are not of supermarket standard although perfectly edible, from our testing they taste delicious!. Lion Alastair Murray contacted Starkeys Fruit farm and Alastair and PDG Steve Scall met with Suzannah Starkey at Norwood Park Southwell. Suzannah was delighted to help and she said, we were welcome to collect the

fruit as it would also be beneficial to the trees as well as being glad they would not go to waste. Suzannah Starkey made us very welcome, and over 2 days we picked around 3000 kg of pears and apples, plus a few kilos eaten by the pickers. These were collected by FareShare and has been distributed to charities throughout the UK as well as various other centres locally.





As well as Southwell and District, Retford Lions, Hemlockstone Lions, Edwinstowe & Dukeries Lions, and New Century Lions supplied the workforce, as well as friends and partners of those lions. Lion Chris Hibbert, 2<sup>nd</sup> VDG, facilitated the links with FareShare to organise collection and distribution of the fruit. Snack Gusto helped on the first day and made a video of the event which will hopefully appear on the district website soon.

We estimate 3000 kg of pears and apples were picked.



A video will be created for publicity and generating enthusiasm in other clubs. Total contribution 30 volunteers, 171 hours excluding planning, approximately 3000 people benefitted.

After the event Suzannah Starkey made the following comments:-

**“Last week during the height of our apple harvest we had the pleasure of another team of pickers on the farm at Norwood. A huge throng of 27 volunteers arrived, fully briefed and dressed for the occasion. Organised by the Southwell Lions, in conjunction with Fair Share, picked fruit, which would otherwise be un-economic to market, but instead went to nationwide food banks, at this time of great need. They had a range of fruit at their disposal, from pears, to Rev. Wilks and Laxton Fortune. all of which will make wonderful pies and compote. Accompanying the Southwell Lions, we had Aubrey and his colleagues from Gusto Snacks taking publicity shots and videos and there was even a drone. As well as the team’s enthusiasm, they were also very well organised resulting in an efficient removal system, dove-tailing neatly into our busy farmyard schedule. It is fantastic to see wonky and unloved fruit taken and put to good use. I hope they come back next year, who knows if BREXIT fails to allow our pickers, they may be promoted to the pay roll!”**

Lion Verdun Webley was gathering the last few apples as we reached the end of day two, when a gentleman who was walking his dog said to him, "These haven't had such a good picking for a number of years." Verdun explained what the Lions were doing and how grateful we were to Suzannah for giving us the opportunity. He was delighted when the gentleman said, "Oh! I am Suzannah's father." This was John Starkey the owner of the farm, who then wished the Lions well and hoped that we would be able to do the same in the future and that Starkeys Farm was glad to have been able to help. A real family business assisting the family of Lions in making a difference!!

**Some of the omments received**

“Fresh fruit is highly valued by all our charity members so this fruit will be offered to everyone we are currently working with. This ranges from homeless shelters to schools supporting families in need to those looking after refugees, those supporting people experiencing domestic violence or older people lunch clubs for example.”R.L, Development Manager at FareShare London

“The apples and pears are great as part of the five a day, our children will love them!” School Group beneficiary of FareShare Hull

“This fruit is just fabulous, so fresh and so needed” R.N, Regional Operations Manager – FareShare East Midlands

“A great staple food for all our age groups and range of people we support in the community” Community Group beneficiary of FareShare East Midlands.

“Fruit arrived in a great condition and in a great format” C.M, Development Manager at FareShare Southampton.

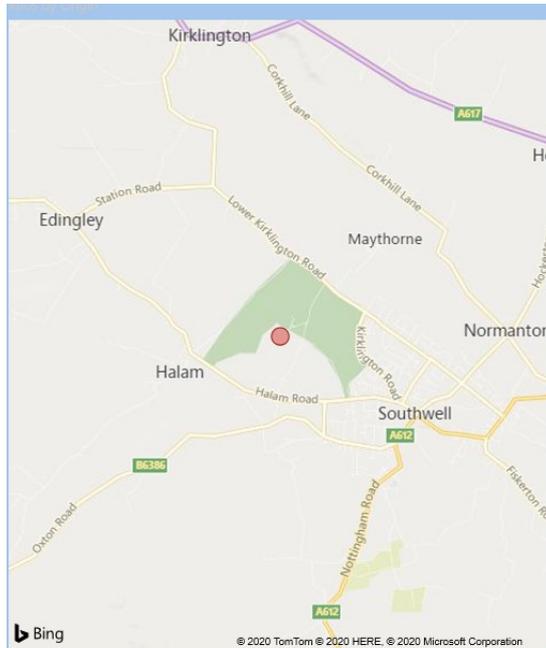
“This nutritious fruit will be well received by our Food Banks, hospices and youth & family support units”

G.K, Warehouse Manager at FareShare Ipswich.

“Thank you! Our charities will use these apples and pears to eat and cook with as part of their five a day”R.E, Regional Manager, FareShare Hull



Glean	Date	Origin	Column2	Destinatio	Column1	Kilos	Product
4	16/09/2020	NG25 0PF	Starkey's Farm Southwell	NG7 2SD	Fareshare Nottingham	112	Apples and Pears
4	16/09/2020	NG25 0PF	Starkey's Farm Southwell	SO40 3WX	Fareshare, Totton, Hampshire	192	Apples and Pears
4	16/09/2020	NG25 0PF	Starkey's Farm Southwell	OX11 7HJ	Fareshare, Didcot	200	Apples and Pears
4	16/09/2020	NG25 0PF	Starkey's Farm Southwell	B7 5QT	Fareshare, Birmingham	180	Apples and Pears
4	16/09/2020	NG25 0PF	Starkey's Farm Southwell	SE8 5HY	Fareshare, Deptford	240	Apples and Pears
4	16/09/2020	NG25 0PF	Starkey's Farm Southwell	IP3 9PL	Fareshare, Ipswich	415	Apples and Pears
4	16/09/2020	NG25 0PF	Starkey's Farm Southwell	MK1 1LJ	Fareshare , Milton Keynes	194	Apples and Pears
4	16/09/2020	NG25 0PF	Starkey's Farm Southwell	HU7 0YF	Fareshare, Hull	180	Apples and Pears
4	16/09/2020	NG25 0PF	Starkey's Farm Southwell	S73 8HA	Fareshare, Barnsley	177	Apples and Pears
4	16/09/2020	NG25 0PF	Starkey's Farm Southwell	LE18 4TP	Fareshare, Leicester	160	Apples and Pears
4	16/09/2020	NG25 0PF	Starkey's Farm Southwell	PE1 3PF	Millfield Community Fridge	72.5	Apples and Pears
4	16/09/2020	NG25 0PF	Starkey's Farm Southwell	DE21 4QX	Leesbrook college	30	Apples and Pears



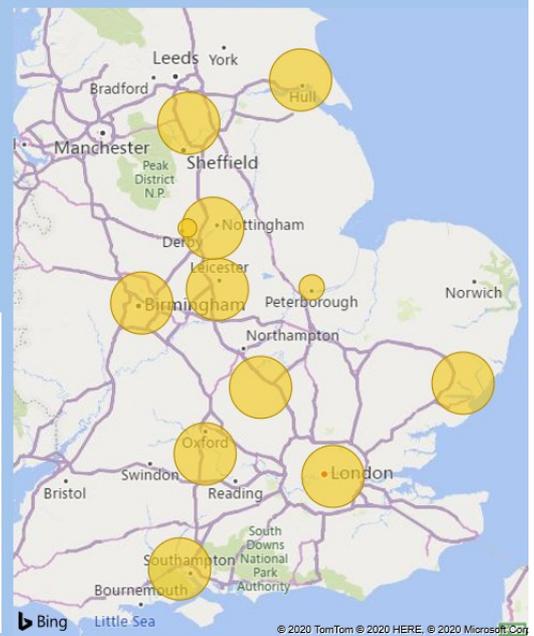
### The Lions Gleaning Hub

District - 105 CE

Gleaned produce to date

3102

Kilos



## Glanford & Lindsey Lions Club.



I recently had the pleasure of becoming a Lion, with Glanford and Lindsey Lions. Not only am I Lion, a full-time teacher, mum of three, I also run a Charity in Bottesford Scunthorpe called, Bosom Family Support providing help and assistance to individuals and their families who are affected by cancer. In June 2019 Bosom Family Support took over the lease of a property in Bottesford called Hope House, a community hub which supports the families affected by cancer. Glanford and Lindsey Lions have always supported the group, not just financial support for specific projects, but maybe even more importantly to me their friendship, support, and advice. As we all went into Lockdown, I struggled to know what I could do to keep supporting the families I knew really needed our help, the families that would still continue to have the turmoil of cancer in their lives, as well as lockdown. Like all my bright ideas at 4am one Friday morning, it came to me, could we deliver a nutritious meal, which would mean that for one day a week they did not have to worry about cooking, where the food would come from, and for some families the cost of the meal. By the end of the day, I had a local hotel on board, a list of names from the local hospice, hospital and families who I already knew, and the idea was formed. This was on Friday the 17th April. I knew through our Lions Club Zoom Meetings, that we had volunteers to help during the Pandemic, and with no hesitation spoke to fellow Lions, to discuss how the meals could be delivered, as we covered not only the town of Scunthorpe but also many of the villages around the area. Within an hour it was sorted, right from that very first week of the deliveries on the 24th April, the Lions have done nothing but support me. So far we have delivered meals every Friday for fourteen weeks, we are now delivering 73 meals every Friday, a team of 14 volunteers deliver the meals within a 15 mile radius, covering at least 20 villages and towns, with every location having at least one delivery in them. To date we have delivered over 2500 portions of food, we only planned to do this for four weeks! The impact that this has had is just phenomenal and is so very gratefully received by people who truly need help. We have managed to fund this till the end of September, and that is also thanks to the other local Lions clubs, Isle of Axholme, Scunthorpe, Winterton, Glanford and Lindsey have all funded at least one week of meals. I thank them all from the bottom of my heart. Lion Joanne Sower.

## Southwell & District Lions Club.



As the conventional Macmillan social coffee morning was out of the question, the Pink Ladies came up with the idea of “Macmillan on the Market” to raise a bit of money for Macmillan Cancer Support. Southwell Lions stepped into to help with the organisation, risk assessments and manning. Lots of prizes, cakes, games, bric a bric, plants etc were donated for the event. The very windy conditions prevented us from displaying the Macmillan signs so it may not have been clear that all the proceeds were for Macmillan. However, many locals turned up to make this event so successful. With a number of stalls, but sadly no tea or coffee, volunteers from the Pink Ladies, Southwell Rotary and Southwell Lions managed to raise nearly £1700 for Macmillan Cancer Support.



## Swaffham & District lions Club.

The last six months have been a worrying time for most of us with the constant threat of Covid 19 particularly for a large number of residents of Swaffham who were unable to go out to shop, see their GP or collect their prescriptions. The White Hart in Swaffham stepped up to the challenge and set up the Swaffham Emergency Action Group on Facebook, with the help of volunteers they delivered meals and essential items to those vulnerable or disabled who were self-isolating in the community. They then set up a prescription delivery service to ensure medication reached those who needed it. The community fridge was set up outside the pub which was generously supported by donations of food from local supermarkets as well as generous individuals. With churches closed because of the lockdown they took over the collection for the foodbank with those in need able to pick up items from outside the pub. At Easter a local chocolate factory made a large donation of Easter eggs to the Emergency Action Group to be distributed around the town, in conjunction with the police and emergency services Swaffham and District Lions delivered these eggs around the town and nearby villages. After the Easter delivery it was found that there was surplus of these chocolate eggs so Swaffham & District Lions were able to make a further delivery of chocolate eggs at the end of June to households displaying a rainbow in support of the NHS key workers. Because of the community work done by Kurt Oliver and his White Hart team which included Brenden Holmes,



Kevin Williams and supported by Swaffham Town Council, during the Pandemic. Swaffham & District Lions wish to recognise this by presenting them with a special Certificate. Lions President David Elsom thanked everyone, community and hospitality alike, who have helped Lions and others in these very difficult times. It shows that together we can achieve so much more. Each week Swaffham Lions transport the food that has been donated on Lions Sunday food collection, plus Tesco and Waitrose donations, to the centre at Dereham. This week it was 672kg. The food is transferred every Monday to the centre where the staff sort the donations into food boxes for families or individuals, these are then returned to Swaffham for distribution to those in need. This cannot be done in Swaffham as they don't always have the correct stock to make up a comprehensive box that includes all the items required to sustain a family for up to a week.

***CHECK OUT WHAT'S NEW IN THE MEMBERSHIP SECTION OF THE DISTRICT WEBSITE.***

## Whittlesey and District Lions Club.



Phil Knighton, who is a member of the club, has been awarded Whittlesey Citizen of the Year.

Phil is very involved in the voluntary sector in helping others and fundraising. He is Treasurer of both Whittlesey Lights Committee and Whittlesey Street Pride. He is a singer with Westwood Musical Society and with Whittlesey Singers. He is also a member of St Andrews Church Thursday Club, an organisation which helps elderly people in the town and is also the question master at the annual Rotary education fundraising quiz. Another of his roles is that of Father Christmas at a major nationally renowned garden centre in Peterborough. Within the Lions Phil takes the responsibility for the collection of spectacles for redistribution and also the local maintenance of the Message in a Bottle scheme.

## Littleport Lions Club.

We were asked by Adams Heritage Centre in Littleport, Cambs, to decorate their main window.

As it is the 10th anniversary of the formation of the club we saw it as a challenge to brighten up the window and local area in these strange and bewildering times.

Our President, Ann Ransley, came up with the plan for the window to promote the club and show what Lions undertake. We hope that the window depicts all of the diverse things with which Lions are involved. Unfortunately because of the present situation most of our activities are currently curtailed.

We have plans to make up children's Christmas gifts to be distributed locally and have been supporting the local foodbank.

Adams Heritage Centre was formally an Ironmongers and Builders merchants and when it closed local people came together to preserve this precious building which is now used to benefit the community and has been kept as original as possible depicting times gone by.

We are a friendly club who are supporting each other and are still here to support the community as best we can.



## Rayleigh Lions Club

We have been unable to fundraise in 2020 due to Covid 19, and have launched a 'paper' quiz to raise funds in the run up to Christmas. There are 100 questions on the quiz sheet. Some are easy, some are hard, and some are cryptic. You are given the number of letters in the answer, and you can also google the answers. The entries with the most correct answers win. 1st prize is £75, 2nd prize is £50, 3rd prize is £25. Entry costs £2. You can enter by email or post, and pay by bank transfer, cheque or cash. Closing date is 31 December 2020. For a question sheet email

[davesuncat@gmail.com](mailto:davesuncat@gmail.com) or see the Rayleigh Lions website or facebook page. Rayleigh Lions has raised and donated over £1 million to good causes in the Rayleigh, Hockley, Hullbridge and Rochford areas since they started in 1974. In the last 3 years Rayleigh Lions have donated around £65,000 to local good causes, including £15,000 towards a new mini bus for the Hockley Day Centre, £8,000 for a Breakout Area at Fitzwimarc School, £5,000 towards refurbishment of two classrooms for hearing impaired pupils at Sweyne Park School, £3,000 towards a new scanner at Southend Hospital £2,700 for one mission for Essex Air Ambulance. Despite not being able to fundraise this year, Rayleigh Lions have still donated over £1,500 to local good causes including REC Food bank and Rapid Response Appeal (which supports NHS workers). Lions Clubs of South East Essex (Rayleigh, Castle Point, Eastwood, Leigh on Sea and Southend) also donated £10,500 to help fund a prostate cancer treatment trial at Southend Hospital. This helped Southend Hospital make the pioneering treatment available to all in July 2019.

Thanks to Peterborough Lions for giving us this idea. Their paper quiz has run for 18 years and raised over £90,000 for charities and good causes. To do the latest Peterborough paper quiz please see their website:-

[www.peterboroughlions.org.uk](http://www.peterboroughlions.org.uk)

**SEE THE POSTER ON THE LAST PAGE FOR THE LATEST EDITION.**

## **Bungay Lions Club.**



A super follow up to Zara and mark's campaign featured in last September's newsletter. Zara writes:-

Here is the link to the official photos and article from the equipment handover to the Brain Injury Rehabilitation center Livability Icanho. This happened at their satellite center in Bungay & there's also other pieces in their main headquarters in Stowmarket.



<https://www.edp24.co.uk/news/inspiring-crash-victim-zara-dyer-hailed-after-recovery-1-6835134>

Again, we'd like to thank all Lions who helped us to improve upon Brain injury survivors potential recovery results from this much needed & updated equipment.

### **How we are adapting our service in the community this Christmas.**

As a club we didn't want to add unnecessary risk to our community especially the vulnerable or elderly residence, but nor did we want them to feel forgotten. Like other Lion clubs, we usually hold a free social Christmas Lunch for them, instead we will be delivering personal festive hampers & Christmas cards with the help and advice of a local professional caterer.

### **Amy's challenge for Bungay Area Lions and 3 Million Steps Brain Injury Recovery Charity.**

9-year-old Amy Gilliatt, Granddaughter of long serving members of Bungay Area Lions Club Michael and Jane Gardiner and daughter of Lion Adele and Richard Gilliatt, inspirationally took on the challenge of cycling 3 Million cm (18.6 miles) to fundraise for both charities and raised a whopping £570!

To say we are all thankful and gobsmacked by young Amy's mammoth achievement is an understatement. Well Done Amy!!! An attitude of a Lion in the making



***From left to right; Past Bungay Area Lion Club Michael Gardiner, Amy Gilliatt and 3 Million Steps Trustee Lion Zara Dyer (presentation 7<sup>th</sup> October 2020)***

## **Dareham Lions**



This is Kai Reynolds presenting a set of 'Wild Tribe' books to his school.

Kai entered and won a competition run by Lion Jenny Canham Dereham Lions and also won himself a book token. Dereham Lions have also presented two other schools in the Dereham area with the books.

## The Deepings Lions



The Deepings Lions held their first ever Virtual Duck Race on Sunday 6th September. The event, broadcast live on Facebook, was co-hosted by DJs Funky Fossil (Mike Newell, Spectrum Events) and Lionel Vinyl (Jon Dearden, DSL Productions). They were ably assisted by the broadcasters Ben Dearden, and Jacob Smith and also the duck impersonator, Chloe Hogg. Commenting on the event, Deepings Lions President, Steve Holt said, "I was thrilled that we received so much support from our duck sponsors and I would like to give a very special thank you to all those who helped to make the event so successful". The winners of the race who received cash prizes were:

Lawrence Dickinson (£100), Judith Hughes (£50) and Karen Pettit (£25). Brenda Gottelier won £20 and was awarded an engraved trophy after her entry 'Lucky' won 2020 Giant Duck Name Competition. The charity fun event raised well over £1600 for the Charity Sense. Carl Williams, Community Fundraising Manager for Sense said, "We really appreciate all the hard work done by The Deepings Lions Club in very challenging times. The fantastic amount raised from the Virtual Duck Race will be put to good use by our Family Centre in Market Deeping including the purchase of sensory story packs for children with complex difficulties living at home".



Many will know of the wonderful work which the British Red Cross, established for over 150 years, does around the world supporting people when a major crisis like famine, flooding or earthquake strikes. Perhaps fewer will know about the work of the Emergency Response Service which the charity provides to help people in the UK 'cope in the aftermath of an incident or emergency' e.g. house flood or fire. Working in association with the Fire and Rescue Service, trained volunteers arrive quickly at the scene in a specially adapted vehicle. There they provide emotional and practical support such as refreshments, clothing, toiletries, shelter in the vehicle, basic clothing/blankets and assistance in dealing with banks, insurance companies and housing.

After hearing about the Service, and that it is funded solely through donations, The Deepings Lions President, Steve Holt said, "Our Club decided to make a contribution to help the charity and the amazing work done by their volunteers. I had the pleasure of meeting two of them recently, Ben Nandrame and Warren Mason and to present them with a donation of £500". The Deepings and surrounding villages benefit from this free British Red Cross Service, if ever it is needed, from its base in Thurmaston, Leicester.

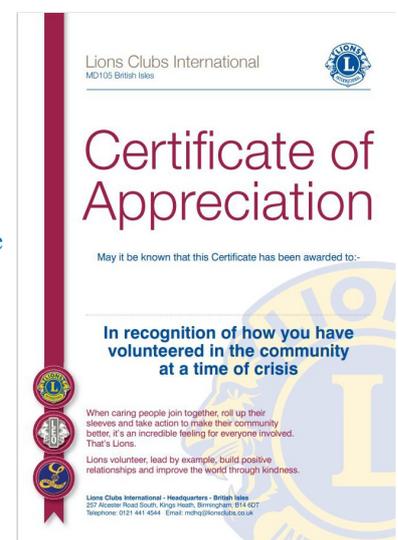


## Lions Certificate of Appreciation

Lions Clubs all over the British Isles are recognising individuals that selflessly serve their community. Do you know of a local hero, a local contributor, a local service volunteer, a person that gives of their time and hard work to serve those in need?

If you know of some then the **Lions Certificate of Appreciation** could be just the recognition to thank them for their contribution by your Lions Club. Why not make it your goal to find local service heroes and present them with the **Lions Certificate of Appreciation**.

For anyone out there that knows of a local hero that deserves a recognition why not look for your nearest Lions Club and 'nominate a hero'. You can find your nearest Lions Club at <https://www.lions105ce.org/find-a-club.html>



## [NEWS FROM LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL FUND.](#)

In total over \$7.5 million have been awarded in granted in August

- **Humanitarian Grants - 38 grants totalling \$2,215,768**
  - **Diabetes Grants - 7 grants totalling \$678,093**
  - **Lion Quest Grants - 8 grants totalling \$512,997**
  - **Sight Grants - 17 grants totalling \$4,127,844**

### [Continuing to Answer the Call](#)

Through support of campaign 100, LCIF was able to provide UD\$5.1 million in grant funding for Covid-19 relief worldwide. Our pandemic remains a heavy burden, as do all global causes LCIF and Campaign 100 support. View a video to find out more [click here](#).



### [Extending Our Campaign](#)

Feeding the hungry, developing our youth, caring for the sick and rebuilding our communities has never been more complicated or critical. Equally important is our ability to raise funds essential for our service. To continue progressing towards our fundraising goal we have extended our special campaign to run through to June 2022.

### [MESSAGE IN A BOTTLE.](#)



North Lincolnshire Council and the Lions have worked together to deliver more than 900 'messages in a bottle' that could save lives. The message in a bottle scheme encourages people to record their basic personal and medical details on a standard form, store it in a plastic bottle and keep it in the fridge. Emergency services can then look for the bottle if they are called to the house – they are alerted to its existence by two stickers, one on the inside of the front door and one on the fridge. Lions Clubs from Barton, Brigg, Glanford and Lindsey, Isle of Axholme and Winterton have introduced the scheme across the area, and worked with North Lincolnshire Council to identify members of the shielded population who would benefit from it. Town and parish councils, local community groups and volunteers then helped to deliver the bottles along with the North Lincolnshire Shield Response Team. Cllr Rob Waltham – who

has been handing out the bottles in Brigg – thanked the Lions for their hard work making sure as many people as possible have a message in a bottle in their fridge. He said, “It is great to see the community working with the council like this, and the Lions have done an incredible job making sure vulnerable people have access to this clever scheme. By co-ordinating our efforts and putting those in need first we all benefit from living in a more caring community.”

The bottles are free of charge and contain information including, :- Your name and description, your doctor's details, any medical conditions you are suffering from, the contact details of two people in case of emergency, details of any pets which may be on the premises and need to be cared for, and details of anyone for whom you are a carer.

Anyone who would benefit from a bottle, or knows of someone who would, can contact their local Lions club to request one – [you can find your nearest club on the Lions website](#).

***IF YOU HAVEN'T VISITED THE DISTRICT WEBSITE WHY NOT GIVE IT A TRY, THERE IS LOTS OF INFORMATION FOR ONE AND ALL.***

***Just click on the link below.***

**[www.lions105ce.org.uk](http://www.lions105ce.org.uk)**

## Wonder what else we do?

As Lions we continue to work and enjoy ourselves in these difficult times, and hope you are all keeping well and safe

A great number of Lions within the district are continuing to serve our local communities in many and varied ways.

Wherever possible and with as much normality as possible we continue to enjoy competitions and projects available to us, to enable us to join in and to enjoy the camaraderie with one another.

We have 9 current competitions running within the District as follows:

- Philip Daubney Photography
- Club Album's
- Service Recognition
- Membership Recognition
- International Relations
- Peace Poster
- Special Needs Poster
- Young Ambassador
- Travelling Lion

All the above are itemised on the District web-site with their individual Rules and entry and submission dates.

Knowing the Service that Clubs are involved with in their immediate area's a Service Recognition Award is available to all clubs. Many of the clubs are already meeting the criteria and their activities may entitle them to receive an International Certificate of appreciation for their work.

If you are interested in such things, as well as helping others, maybe you should contact your nearest club and enjoy the fellowship of like minded people. Details of all the clubs in District 105CE can be found on our website, [www.lions105ce.org.uk](http://www.lions105ce.org.uk).

**CAMBRIDGESHIRE, ESSEX, LINCOLNSHIRE, NORFOLK,  
NOTTINGHAMSHIRE OR SUFFOLK THERE IS A CLUB  
NEAR YOU JUST WAITING FOR YOU JOIN IN AND  
MAKE A DIFFERENCE.**





# PETERBOROUGH LIONS QUIZ

**‘SWEET TOOTH’  
(CONFECTIONERY, PAST AND PRESENT)**

**\*\* Fundraising Opportunity \*\***

**for fellow Lions Clubs and other charitable  
organisations and community groups**

**The Peterborough Lions quiz is incredibly popular, and we love sharing its success with other great causes! It sells for £1.50, and when you sell it for us you keep half of that for your own fundraising efforts. Peterborough Lions Club retains the other 75p to cover printing costs, the cash prizes, and in support of our own fundraising efforts in support of welfare projects like Peterborough Rape Crisis Care Group (this year's President's Project), our community minibus, and all the other great things that Lions around the world are famous for.**

**A win for you and your projects, a win for us and ours, and hours of fun and the chance to win cash prizes for whoever you sell them to.**

Some clubs and other organisations sell hundreds to the public, others a handful to club members and family. All are welcome! Whether you raise a little or a lot, you are supporting the great works that both you and Peterborough Lions Club do.

*Over the past 18 years, over £90,000 has been shared with organisations like yours, including Hospital At Home, Friends of Peterborough Hospital, Other Lions Clubs, Local Rotary Clubs, Riding for the Disabled, Local Churches, CARESCO, Sue Ryder, Peterborough and Louth branches of Parkinson's Disease Society, many Scout and Guide organisations, Deaf Blind Association, and Peterborough Association for the Blind.*

For more information contact Lion Mark Rogers  
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63 Riverside Mead, Peterborough, PE2 8JN - 07740 195046  
Competition closing date: **Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2021**