

The Lions Bulletin

LIONS DISTRICT 105CE

W/E 13 September 2020



DG UJJAL'S MESSAGE:

Its good to hear that Lions are exempt from the **new rule of six person** gathering; though the meeting must be for Charitable purposes. The normal rules for social distance do apply at meetings. This gives the Clubs a little flexibility for preparing for projects for the forth coming months. Its also good news for Gleaning that takes place on Wednesday. If you have any questions please ask in the normal way.

District Directories are being posted to all the Cabinet members and Clubs; additional copies can be obtained from the District Secretary at a cost of £6.00/ copy or download from the [district website](#).

As you are probably aware that MD decided not print directories this year, but a **MD PDF copy** is available in the members areas of the website.

We had a Convention meeting to discuss various related items, we are planning to have the Convention as normal, with the Covid19 situation in mind at all times. More will be revealed as time goes on. It's difficult to predict what the situation will be in **March 21**, as it changes rapidly.

We are already getting bookings for Convention, please do book yours so you can get your room at the **Holiday Inn Peterborough**, the Convention Hotel.

I will be in touch next week, until then Keep Safe in your Clubs and your Families

DG Ujjal

[District Convention Booking Information](#)
[21 March 2021, Peterborough](#)



CPD & Support



Membership Tools

Are you looking for some help with membership? Then check out this toolkit on our [District Website](#).



Virtual Online Events

Did you know that you are also able to attend virtual events? The next event is about childhood cancers and is on the 17th September, find out [more here](#).



District Officer?

If you are a MD or District Officer, why not offer an online drop in session or meeting here? This way



MD



Headquarters

"This to inform members that, regrettably, due to personal circumstances, PDG Lion **Pete Dilloway has stepped down from the role of Council Chairman 2020/2021**

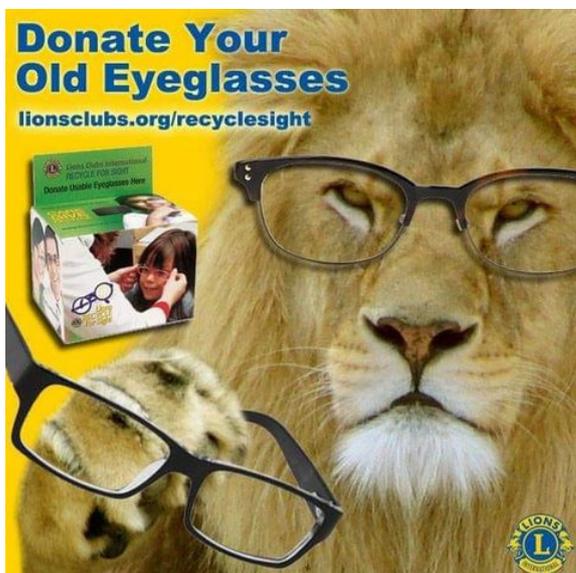
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MD105 British Isles" with immediate effect.

"All members of Council wish to extend their thanks to PDG Pete Dilloway for his leadership in this strange and difficult year and wish him all the best for the future.

Council will now be planning the way forward, including selecting a new Council Chairman, but in the meantime its business as usual. Your District Governor team are still working hard representing members interests".

Photo of the week



Thought this was a fun and quirky way to advertise the collections that some club have been doing. If you would like us to recreate this with **your club details** on please, contact [Kelly at Marketing](#).

Monthly Quiz

Lions Quiz September 2020

How much do you know about Lions? There are no prizes (so please don't write in), just the self satisfaction of knowing about the great organisation of which you are a member.

Answers!

1. Birmingham
2. Chesford Grange Hotel, Kenilworth
3. Dr Chris Hibbert (New Century Lions Club of East Anglia)
4. Spread your wings
5. PDG Barry Miller (Castle Point)
6. Toronto Canada
7. Toronto Canada (1931)
8. London (Host) in 1949
9. Great Yarmouth
10. Paula Mellows (Lincoln)



How many did you get right? 1-5

Lots to learn but keep at it, 6-8 - You know quite a lot, well done 9 - Wow, really impressive, 10 - In what way were you cheating?

Lion Derek Prior



Lowestoft 1/2 Marathon risk assessment and project plan

Whilst there is no intention at this time for this to be a formal public event or gathering of Lions members, 3 Million Steps would like to encourage Lion Zone members to have a presence along the route at key locations or to walk parts for promotion, awareness and support of Lionism. Please note this is not for marshalling purposes. Lion presence during the walk would be welcomed.

During the current COVID-19 pandemic, UK Government guidelines regarding social distancing, wearing of face coverings and COVID secure practices will be followed and encouraged by 3 Million Steps and all involved.

We are happy for Lions to organise their own cash collection buckets along the route that is in keeping with current COVID guidelines that we will update all parties on the week commencing 14th September.

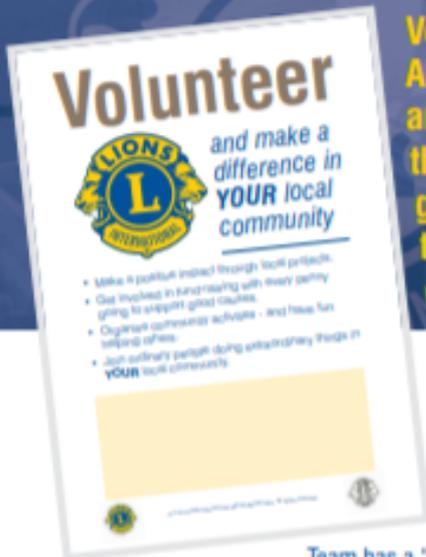
At the moment specific guidance for COVID secure practices are as follows but are not limited to:

- Maintaining a 2m distance from persons not in your social bubble, where this cannot be achieved then face coverings should be worn and a distance of 1m apart should be observed.
- **No more than 6 people to gather together at anytime.**
- If collection buckets are used, then these should only be carried by designated persons, and not shared. Washing of hands or use of hand sanitiser is encouraged. Any money collected in buckets will remain 'in quarantine' in the buckets for 72 hours. As a precaution money will be counted using gloves.
- 3 Million Steps will collect the names of any person joining the walk solely for the purposes of track and trace

Lowestoft 1/2 Marathon route timings

Cumulative milage	Location	Approx arrival time
Start	The Thatch Restaurant and coffee house, Kirkley Cliff	Start at 07:30
1.6	McDonalads Pakefield	08:00
3.6	The Thatch Restaurant and coffee house, Kirkley Cliff	08:50
4.5	South Pier	09:15
5.5	Ness Point	09:40
6.5	End of Sea Wall, Gunton	10:15
8	The White Horse Inn, Corton Pub	10:45
9	The White Horse Inn, Corton Pub return	11:15
11	Martello's coffee house, Sparrows Nest	12:00
11.5	Triangle	12:20
12.5	Top of London Road North	12:30
12.8	South pier	12:45
13.2	The Thatch Restaurant and coffee house, Kirkley Cliff	13:00

Membership Matters ...



Volunteering is the word of the moment. All around us are hundreds of people who are volunteering, many getting involved for the first time – and enjoying it. It would be good to let them know who Lions are and that there would be a place for them with or within a Lions Club.

How could you do that? Your Membership teams have two simple resources to share. There is a traditional poster/flyer to be put up where volunteers currently gather such as village halls, food distribution points, pharmacies, supermarkets - anywhere that has spaces for community notices.

Secondly, your Membership Team has a "Certificate of Appreciation".

These are aimed at non-Lions who are volunteers. Find them, deliver or post them a certificate, add in a leaflet about Lions and your Club and make them aware that Lions value volunteers like them.

How about famous people – the footballers, the actors, who are all volunteering. Take a chance, send them a Certificate and spread the word and work of Lions to those who lead in society in a different way. These are available on the MD105 website.

We have to act now. We cannot wait until we get back to normal – we are in the 'new normal' and we need to be visible, recruiting, active and pro-active to grow our membership and our Clubs.

For more information contact GMT Co-ordinator Sue Wilding on suewilding@lionsclubs.co.uk



GET IN TOUCH

You can contact me anytime...

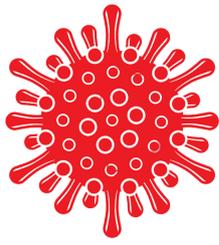
Stewart Sherman-Kahn Council Chairman MD105

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You can download a copy of the District Certificate of Appreciation from the District website [here](#)

If you have handed some out, why not drop us a line as PR@lions105CE.org and let us know about it?

Password is "dgujjal"



COVID-19 CORONAVIRUS

MD105 British Isles –Governmental Guidance on Social and Other Gatherings- Revised 10th September 2020

Fellow Lions,

Many Clubs have asked for definitive guidance on restarting face to face Club meetings and other Lions activities.

On 9th September further guidance was issued for England on social and other gatherings , with further detailed guidance issued on 10th September, and on 10th September further guidance was issued by the devolved Scottish government on managing the risk posed by social gatherings for the spread of the Covid-19 Virus in their jurisdiction.

In England as from Monday 14th September, with limited and specific exemptions , permitted social gatherings will be reduced to a **maximum of 6 persons both indoors and outdoors , in both private and public settings**, and the providers of public hospitality premises will be required by law to record and retain the details of patrons for Test and Trace purposes.

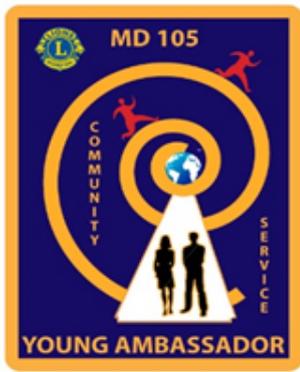
At the request of the Council of Governors I have today obtained written confirmation from the Cabinet Office that in England there is an **exemption from the 6 persons limit for both carrying out voluntary charitable activities and for holding meetings to specifically plan those activities**. This is subject to the social distancing requirements and the recording by commercial premises of participants in meetings for Trace and Test purposes.

NB This does not take account of any locally imposed further restrictions.

Please do not hesitate to contact me, or your District Health Safety Officer if you have any questions.

PCC PDG Heather Jeavons MD 105 Compliance Officer (compliance@lionsclubs.co.uk)





Lions Young Ambassador of the 21st Century
& Jubilee Sailing Trust Shipshape Award



Hi to one and all,

Please note that I will not be available from 18th September to 4th October.

If you do need any help at that time then please contact our Youth Team Leader Lion Graham Venables. T: 01777 870851 E: youth@lions105ce.org.uk thank you.

I'm pleased to let you know that I've had advice about a 1st possible candidate. Thank You - New Century Lions Club of East Anglia -Well done.

With the current tightening of regulations over distancing and numbers meeting together as a group it seems more than probable that our district finals will not be face to face. We are therefore looking into handling the judging and interviews via a zoom solution.

Please make any prospective candidates aware. I will of course keep you updated on our arrangements and those for the MD finals planned for the weekend of 19th - 21st February 2021

I can also confirm that MD Officer, Lion Sally Marsh, is already having similar contingency discussions to manage the MD Finals February next year.

A reminder that the documentation can all be found /downloaded from our District Website members area - <https://www.lions105ce.org/young-ambassador1.html> Password = dgujjal

Thanks and good hunting -
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Young Ambassador

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Please note the deadline for Bulletin is
Friday 12pm