

From the desk of Council Chair Cathy

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Council Chairperson Message



Welcome to the 2021-2022 Lionistic Year.

A New year, a new hope for a year of fellowship with the anticipation of in-person events where we can sit with friends reflect on the past sharing our pains and struggles, our joy and sadness.

As we look back on this last year, we know it has been difficult for the clubs and our members. May we move forward with renewed optimism of better things to come and continuing our service to others.

As we may still find ourselves in and out of lockdown; I commend each and every lion for the strength you have shown during this very trying time.

I am proud to serve the members of MDC as your Council Chair and I am looking forward to renewed fellowship and service.

International President Douglas X. Alexander



Lions are a family.

A very big, global family — one in which the only requirement is pure and simple: a heart for service. These are the feelings of our 105th International President, Douglas X. Alexander.

And who better to lead our international family of service than a decorated Lion of 37 years, who just so happens to have eight siblings of his own?

Born and raised in Brooklyn, New York, International President Alexander has been serving his community as a member of the Brooklyn Bedford Stuyvesant Lions Club since 1984.

Like many Lions, his love for service began at a young age. Working at a local grocery store, he would help community members before and after his shifts, earning

no money but something far more valuable — their appreciation and respect.

It was this selfless service that felt the most rewarding, and that led to a belief that he still holds closely today.

Service from the heart, selfless and without expectation, offers humanity the greatest gift of all: The opportunity to make a difference in someone’s life.

His journey from Lion Alexander to International President Alexander in many ways mirrors his success as an international businessman.

Beginning his career in finance as a bank teller, he understood that if he was patient, worked hard and let his passion shine through, it would all work out in the end.

Decades later, he retired as a vice president of J.P. Morgan Chase.

These same qualities — patience, dedication and passion — along with his family-first mentality have made him a remarkable Lion, and the right person to lead our great association forward this coming year.

Every life has its defining moments.

Ask any Lion about when they became a Lion and more often than not, they won’t tell you the date they joined a club. Instead, they’ll tell you the time that service rooted itself into their heart for good.

In the late 1980s, a young and promising financial professional decided to join his local Lions club.

He had been repeatedly invited by a coworker, and eventually decided to take part.

When November came and Thanksgiving neared, his club held its annual holiday food delivery service to local families in need. As he knocked on the doors, one after another, passing out baskets of food to neighbors, the smiles on their faces and the joy they experienced began to transform him in a way that felt both familiar and new.

He was a man of action and liked how Lions were actually making a real difference in the community. And so, month after month, he attended meetings and supported projects.

And then it happened. He walked down the hallway of a neighborhood apartment building, food basket in hand. He knocked on the door. It opened to reveal a mother, nearly brought to tears by the gesture and the food being offered to her family by the Lions. “No one has ever done anything like this for us,” she said softly. “Thank you.”

From then on, this man was still everything he was before that moment — a son, a brother, a father. But he also truly became a Lion. And now, over 30 great years of service later, he is our 105th International President, Douglas X. Alexander.



Service from the Heart

Lions are a family like no other. And with our hearts united in service, we will lift up our communities all over the world. Because in times of great need, only a greater passion for service can make the world a better place for all people

2021-2022 COUNCIL MEMBERS

GROUP PICTURE OF MULTIPLE DISTRICT C COUNCIL



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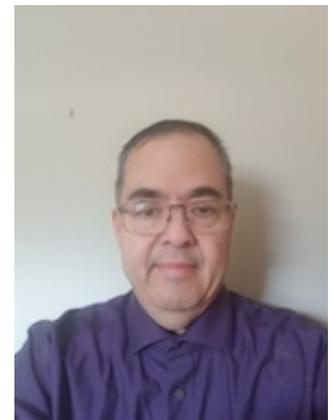
C-1 2VDG (VACANT)



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C-2 1VDG Darryl Rawleigh



C-2 2VDG Kevin Gibbons



PIP Judge Brian Stevenson



LCI 2VP Dr. Patti Hill



PID Jack Isaman



PID Bill Webber

COMMITTEE REPORTS FROM FIRST COUNCIL MEETING

Committee: MD C GST Coordinator Report Submitted By: Lion Dave Leshchyshyn

Monday, July 12th, I had the opportunity to meet with the District Service Coordinators, Lion Brian Barnes from C-1 and PDG John Goodrich from C-2. The idea of the meeting was to find out what their goals were for the upcoming year. Unfortunately, both had no goals set yet as they hadn't seen or heard what the District Governor goals were for the Districts. Obviously, communication from above will be key in making the GST and GAT Team more successful.

Both Coordinators agreed that getting Clubs to report on MyLion will be one of the main priorities this year. As of the end of June 2021, there were 115 Clubs that hadn't reported Service activities or hours served for 12 months or more. That's roughly 63% of the Clubs in the Multiple District are not reporting on MyLion. Before reporting can happen, Clubs have to do something to have something to report. Even after restrictions have been dropped and Lions can get back to Serving their communities, I along with the District Coordinators are hearing from Clubs saying they're taking the summer off and will start up again in September. I believe a huge opportunity is being missed both financially and in recognition, with many Clubs not doing anything in July and August. People are itching to get out and take part in group activities or celebrations again. Wallets will open to support Club activities IF they happen.

The Coordinators and I are a bit concerned about how the GST, or the GAT Team as a whole, are to communicate with Clubs. Will we be dealing directly with Clubs or through the Zone Chairs. If it's the latter, when will the Coordinators have a list of the Zone Chairs they are to work with? After checking on MyLCI, only 9 ZC's are listed in C-2, only 2 in C-1. That's a bunch of Clubs with no representation from the District. The Coordinators are anxious to get things going but need more information from the Districts.

As I was the only GST in the Multiple District last year, I started a monthly newsletter to try to inform and encourage Clubs with ideas of Service activities that

were happening in the Districts or other areas of the country. Things their Clubs could try while staying safe, yet still getting out in their communities. I have received many, many kind words for the newsletter and the ideas from both Districts. Therefore, I will continue to send out the newsletter to all Club Presidents, Secretaries, Service Chairs and Zone Chairs this Lions year. If the District Coordinators decide they would like to do their own newsletter reflective of their Districts, I will re-design mine and be happy to work with the Coordinators and supply information for their editions.

I have attached one example of the success of a Club trying something "out of the box" from a list of special days of the month I included in the May newsletter. This Club took an idea, developed a Service activity around it, got involved in their community despite the pandemic, supported a new business in their community, and elevated their Club awareness because they TRIED something new. I guess you can consider this project as my contribution to "For the Good of Lionism".

Entries for the Kindness Matters Service Award are starting to come in. The District C-1 Coordinator has received 4 nominations to date. Unfortunately, no nominations have been received from District C- 2 at this time.

Committee: MD C 2022 Convention Planning Submitted By: 1stVDG Lion Suzanne Leshchyshyn

MD C Convention 2021 accepted the 2022 Convention bid from Calgary Eastport Lions and Red Deer Central Lions.

MD C Convention planning committee consists of:

- Red Deer Central Lions Club – Co-chair Lion Darcy Garrett
- Eastport Lions Club – Co-chair Lion Anne Kennedy
- C-2 VDG Lion Darryl Rawleigh
- C-1 VDG Lion Suzanne Leshchyshyn
- CC Lion Cathy Anderson

The committee met in person on June 25, 2021, for a walk through of one hotel/convention centre in Red

Deer. Of the three potential hotels/convention centres in Red Deer (Cambridge, Radisson, and Holiday Inn – South), only the Cambridge Hotel responded to our request for a walk through. This was informative and a great opportunity to ask questions. The committee met afterwards to initiate the planning process, discuss convention needs, timelines, and committees. Committee heads were discussed and identified from the Calgary Eastport and Red Deer Central LC's and will be participating as the planning continues.

The committee met via ZOOM on July 4, 2021, to discuss and finalize the document of the convention needs to submit a request for quotes to the three hotels. Facilities committee will be submitting this to the three potential hotels in Red Deer for a quote/proposal.

We will meet again in late July to review the proposals/quotes received from the hotels and work on the draft budget. Hotel recommendation and draft budget will be submitted to MD C Council soon.

ACTION ITEM/Motion:

That MD C Council approve an advance of \$3673.00 be available to the MD C 2022 Convention Planning Committee for a hotel deposit (as required). This advance is the MD C Convention Dues contribution from each member of the Multiple District and is equivalent to (3673 members x \$1.00/member = \$3673.00)

Committee: Historian

Submitted By: PDG Dan Claypool and PDG Eric Buttle

We are updating the MD C History, The Next 50 Years with the current information we have received from the MD C and from LCI website. More updating will be done when each District have their District Conventions to elect their District Governors, Vice District Governors, Hall of Fames Inductees and candidates for Vice Council Chair. Updating will also be done at the MD C Convention when they will elect their Vice Council Chair. We will be working with PCC Dennis Stevenson on updating the MD C History, The Next 50 Years for the website for this year.

We also submitted the updates to PCC Dennis Stevenson on last year's updates for the website.

Committee: Lions Cavalcade for Diabetes Awareness

Submitted By: PCC Dennis Stevenson

As was reported on previous report in Feb there has been significant changes in the Lions Cavalcade for Diabetes Awareness fund raising project this year.

Diabetes Canada is providing diabetes awareness and education information to all who need it in a virtual manner using digital technology.

Over the course of 2021 there will be series of online sessions called Peer Connect which will provide diabetes awareness and education information to all Lions, Lioness and Leo's as well as the general public. More detailed information has been sent to the Clubs in MD C. Attached to this report is the T1D and T2D poster for your information.

The Lions of Multiple District C are being recognized as the sponsoring organization of these Peer Connect sessions in Alberta, NWT and NE BC.

Again, thank you all for your continued support of the Lions cavalcade for diabetes awareness project.

More information on the Peer Connect and the D-Camp projects will be available via our Lions cavalcade website which has been updated.

2020 and 2021 has been a year of many changes, in the way we provide service to our communities and to those with diabetes.

The Lions Cavalcade for Diabetes Awareness committee has decided to postpone our annual event in June 2021 until June 2022 due to COVID-19 situation, the host clubs for 2021 and 2022 have been advised and are willing to wait a year to host the annual event.

Due to the change in the way we are providing Diabetes Awareness we will be developing new methods of providing the needed diabetes awareness in conjunction with Diabetes Canada. More details coming soon.

Committee: MCAT Grant update

Submitted By: IPCC Tyler Bray

A total of \$149,000.00 was originally donated for the Ft. MacMurray wildfire.

- \$134,000.00 came from LCIF
- \$15,000.00 came from LOAF

To date a total of \$117,068.92 has been donated to a new playground in Ft. MacMurray.

LOAF also holds a further \$25,000.00 of donated monies for the Ft. MacMurray Wildfires.

Photos of the equipment that has been purchased and erected in the playground have been recently taken.

Discussions are being held with the municipality of Wood Buffalo to have Lion's signage updated as originally no recognition was given to MDC Lions Clubs nor private public donations. To change or update the signage, the Wood Buffalo municipality needs to obtain three quotes.

We have reviewed three potential additional projects that our remaining dollars can be put towards. We could possibly be looking at a joint effort with the Wood Buffalo Municipality to build a Gazebo at the playground with additional Lion's signage recognition.

Committee: Newsletter

Submitted By: PCC Dennis Stevenson

At the request of the Council Chair, I am developing a newsletter for the Multiple District which will sent out after each Council meeting.

Committee: Political Advisory

Submitted By: Judge Brian Stevenson, PIP

Council is aware that our choice for International Third Vice President, Fabricio Oliveira of Brazil, was elected to that position by the delegates at our recently concluded Virtual International Convention.

Also, at that Convention Lion Allen "Allen" Snider from MD A was elected as the International Director from Constitutional Area II (Canada) to serve a term from 2021-2023. ID Snider will complete his term on the International Board at our 2023 International Convention in Boston, USA.

At that International Convention our own Dr. Patti Hill will become our International President. Her term as International President will conclude at our 2024 International Convention in Melbourne, Australia.

Our current International Director, Lion Allan "Al" Hunt from MD 19, having served two years as our Canadian ID (from 2019-2021), will continue to represent Canada for a third year, a unique situation caused by the Covid-19 pandemic. IOD Hunt will complete his term at our

2022 International Convention that has now been re-located to Montreal, Canada.

As usual, the "new" 2021-2023 International Board held their first International Board meeting immediately following the close of the virtual International Convention, and passed a motion endorsing Past International Director Arvinder Pal "A.P." Singh of Kolkata, West Bengal, India as the preferred candidate for election to the office of International Third Vice President at next year's International Convention to be held in Montreal. Canada.

I recommend, with VP Patti's approval, that Council agree with the International Board's action, and endorse PID Singh's candidacy. If Council agrees, then Council should direct a letter to that effect and send a copy to International President Alexander, Immediate Past International President Choi, Vice Presidents Sheehan, Hill and Oliveira, and to Past International President J. Frank Moore III, who has been asked by the Executive Officers to be their political advisor for the foreseeable future.-2-Following thirty-three years of service in that position, Past International President Joe Wroblewski (age 92) asked to be relieved of the many duties involved in fulfilling that role, and the Executive Officers agreed with his request.

It was also confirmed that PIP Moore has retired as our Executive Administrator, and that Chief of Operations Sanjeev Ahuja assumed that position, effective July 1, 2021.

At that International Board meeting, ID Hunt was appointed by the Board to Chair the Service Activities Committee, and ID Snider was appointed to serve on both the Audit Committee and the Finance and Headquarters Operation Committee.

The "Gentlemen's Agreement" that has been in place concerning the election of the International Director from Canada since 1979 (with minor revisions) dictates that the International Director from Canada for the 2023-2025 term will come from the five MD's in western Canada – 49, 19, C, 5, and 5M.

Except for MD 49, with only a few Canadian clubs, MD's 19 (ID Hunt), C (VP Patti), 5 (PID Chambers) have all had recent representation on the International Board. MD 5M has not had an ID since PID Ward in 1999 – 2001.

While it remains open for any of the five MD's mentioned earlier to endorse a candidate for ID for 2023-2025, on balance and tradition, the Canadian

Lions Clubs in MD 5M should be given preference for that term.

Those Canadian Clubs (5M-10, 5M-11, and 5M 13) had a spirited endorsement contest this spring between two Canadian PDGs, and the successful candidate was PDG Joanne Ogden of District 5M-10. PDG Ogden served as District Governor in 2018-2019, when Past International President Gudrun Yngvadottir served as our International President.

PDG Ogden hails from Emo, a community in NW Ontario, which is a part of 5M-10, and her endorsement was confirmed at the MD 5M Convention in May.

I conclude my Report by congratulating all of our fellow Lions who have offered to lead our MD C in the coming year, and thank Council for asking me to serve as Political advisor.

We have an outstanding International President in the person of Doug Alexander to lead us to new heights of service this Lions year, and I am confident that his personal theme of "Service from The Heart" resonates with us all.

Committee: USA/Canada Leadership Forum Host Committee
Submitted by: Tyler Bray

The 2022 Forum planning committee will be coming to Calgary, Alberta from October 20-24, 2021. Both the 20th and 24th will be travel days. They wish to see our Host committee on Friday October 22.

Committee: MD C Lions Quest
Submitted By: 1stVDG Lion Suzanne Leshchyshyn

C-1 Lions Quest Coordinator – Lion Carole Henson
C-2 Lions Quest Coordinator – Lion Lucy Johnson

As I did not have an opportunity to hold a meeting prior to our council meeting, one will be scheduled in the near future to discuss district and multiple district ideas and goals for Lions Quest for this new Lions year.

Joanne McQuiggan, Executive Director of Lions Quest Canada continues to offer Lions Quest Chairs an opportunity to discuss challenges faced throughout Canada in the promotion of the Lions Quest program in the last 18+ months. Discussion will soon begin on the next steps with Lions Quest now focused on the September 2021 school year.

With Coronavirus restrictions being removed, it is being discussed by our MDC Host committee to send volunteers to Des Moines, September 07-09, 2021, to man the registration booth for Calgary 2022.

We need volunteers so if you are willing to attend the 2021 Lions Leadership forum in Des Moines, please let us know.

Our Host forum pin is now available to purchase. Please visit our Host web page at www.2022lionsleadershipforum.com Volunteer registration is now on the web site as well.

This is an MDC event, and I would encourage Lions to be apart of our 2022 Leadership forum. We will be needing approximately 300-500 volunteers.

Committee: Website
Submitted By: PCC Dennis Stevenson

The website is being reviewed and updated/changed as required with new information as it is received from contributors.

The main page of the new site is the place for MD C news and activities to be placed, there are also pages for the various MD C Chairpersons and Coordinators to have information placed on.

If anyone has anything, they want on the website please send it to the Webmaster at pdg37e@sunraybase.ca

Recap of Lions Quest Canada Donations.

Lions Quest Donations 2020-21
(as of April 30, 2021)

District	Number of Clubs Donating		2020-21		2019-20	
Total	Percentage Participating		2018-19		2019-20	
District	Totals		Totals		Totals	
C1	106	2	\$2,030.00	1.9%	\$ 5,920.00	\$ 9,285.00
C2	80	4	\$7,190.00	5.0%	\$17,755.00	\$15,470.00
Multiple District Totals			\$9,220.00		\$23,675.00	\$24,755.00

Committee: LCIF/CAMPAIGN 100
Submitted by: PCC Lion Sharon West

We are entering our final year for Campaign 100 to reach our goal to raise \$300 million globally. To date we have raised US\$213,293,415 which is 71% of our goal.

Looking at funds raised during our last Lionistic year (Sorry I do not have the report for June 2021)
Lions Club Participation from 7/1/2020 to 5/31/2021 was:

District	Number of Clubs Donating	Number of Clubs	Percentage	Amount	2020-21	2019-20	
C 1	96	18	20	18.75%	20.83%	\$42,743.19	\$44,227.67
C 2	87	23	26	26.44%	29.89%	\$36,217.39	\$46,239.99
TOTALS	183	41	46	22.40%	25.14%	\$78,960.58	\$90,467.66

** I just received the Participation Report to the end of June 30, 2021.
The numbers shown in red are our new results.**

Our LCIF team will be offering training again this fall for interested parties. The information will be sent to the clubs, cabinet members and council once a date and time is finalized.

Awesome Things are Happening in Service
Lion Dave Leshchyn, Multiple District C Service Co-ordinator

August has arrived and I'm so excited to hear about the activities Clubs have planned now that our province has re-opened. It's been great to see the reported activities on MyLion, the awesome Service activities Clubs are finding to keep their members and Clubs engaged in the

community. Thank you to those Clubs that have chosen to stay active and make a difference to those WE SERVE.

I have to acknowledge the organizing committee, speakers, facilitators, and especially the Leos and Lions that took part in the recent USA/CANADA Leos Leadership Forum held virtually. In attendance were 210 Leos from Canada, the US and other points around the world, as well as 165 Lions who took the Leo Advisor program. Our future rests on the shoulders of

these young men and women. I hope your Club will support the Leo program in any way you can, including the possibility of setting up a Leo Club.

The USA/CANADA Lions Leadership Forum is coming to Calgary, September 15 – 17, 2022. Our Multiple District will be hosting Lions from across Canada, the U.S. and U.S. Affiliates. The learning opportunities will be unparalleled, the fellowship unbelievable, and it's right in our back yard! Volunteers are needed to fill a variety of exciting positions during the Forum. You can find the volunteer form at www.2022lionsleadershipforum.com.

I hear Clubs say they can't think of any new Service to do in their communities, they tried a project 20 years ago and it didn't work, our community doesn't ask us to do anything new, our members don't want to do anything new because it would be too much work. Sound familiar? I have to thank a couple of Clubs who continue to think "outside the box", continue to come up with ideas to Serve their communities, and continue to find activities to keep their members busy. President Lion Danielle from the Legal Lions Club did some research on new ideas to promote good will in their community. They decided on "The Big Yellow Chair". A partnership was formed with the Town of Legal, materials were purchased, and the chair was built, stained and now sits proudly in the Lions Garden Park, main street Legal. What a great place for residents and visitors, to come and have pictures taken and have a lasting memory of the Lions in Legal, Alberta. Terrific idea and fantastic Service for your community.

The Spruce View Lions Club took a simple idea like "National Chocolate Chip Cookie Day" and turned it into a successful project that benefited the local school children and a new business in town. Lion President Lois approached The Bakery in Spruce View, where the ladies individually wrapped 21 dozen chocolate chip cookies that were then delivered to the school by Lions Lois and Phil. An idea was brought forward, a Service activity developed around it despite the pandemic, a new business in town was supported, the Clubs community image was elevated, all because their Club TRIED something new! Kind of how Melvin Jones started the ball rolling. Hmmm! Great job Spruce View Lions.

Schools will soon be starting the process of welcoming students back to in-class learning, hopefully. With the stress of the last school year, some students may need some extra emotional help to deal with the happenings of the pandemic. Has your Club talked to your local

school about Lions Quest. The UN has declared Lions Quest as the best social and emotional learning program out there. What better endorsement do schools need to look at the Lions Quest program? There are very qualified Lions Quest Co-ordinators in both District C-1 and C-2 who would love to talk to the School Districts in your Clubs area. Please contact them, in C-1, Lion Carole Henson carole.henson@outlook.com, or in C-2, Lion Lucy Johnson lucymjohnson@me.com. The Lions Quest program also seeks financial support from the Clubs in the Multiple District to keep the program running. If your Club can offer that financial support, it would be greatly appreciated.

A reminder that August 15th is the deadline for Clubs to get their nominations in for the Kindness Matter Service Award to the District Service Co-ordinators, Lion Brian Barnes in C-1 brianlionzonechair@gmail.com, or in C-2 PDG Lion John Goodrich pdgjohngoodrich2011@gmail.com.

The new Lions year has just started and so many fantastic Service activities have already happened. Let's get our Clubs motivated, excited about Lionism and what it stands for, and ready to SERVE. Let's all have an awesome August.

The month of August is:

Admit You're Happy Month
Family Fun Month
International Pirate Month
National Eye Exam Month (get the eye screening going again)
National Golf Month
National Picnic Month
Romance Awareness Month

August 15 – 21 is Friendship Week
August 2 - National Ice Cream Sandwich Day
August 3 - National Watermelon Day
August 5 - National Underwear Day - shouldn't that be every day?

National Oyster Day
August 7 - Campfire Day
International Beer Day
International Hangover Day
Mustard Day

August 8 - National Sneak Some Zucchini onto Your Neighbors Porch Day
August 9 - Book Lovers Day
August 10 – Lazy Day

National S'mores Day
 August 12 - World Elephant Day
 August 13 - Left Handers Day
 National Kool Aid Day
 August 14 – National Creamsicle Day
 August 15 - Relaxation Day
 August 16 - National Tell a Joke Day
 August 19 - Aviation Day (paper airplane throwing activity?)
 National Potato Day
 August 20 - National Radio Day
 August 21 - Senior Citizens Day
 August 25 - Kiss and Make Up Day
 National Banana Split Day
 August 26 – Women's Equality Day
 August 31 - National Eat Outside Day
 National Trail Mix Day

Whether you build an activity around something on this list, or just enjoy the activities with your family, friends and fellow Lions, I hope you have an Awesome August!

Lion Dave Leshchyshyn

Welcome new members to MD C Lions Clubs in July 2021

District C-1

Edmonton Chinese –
 • Paul Cheung

Edmonton Host –
 • Robin Sample
 • Brian Wagner

Edmonton Jolly Fellows –
 • Louise C Desaulniers
 • Summer McEwen
 • Raymie L Walker

Grande Prairie –
 • Hannah G Lawrence

Thorsby & District –
 • Mary Berlinguette
 • Paul Chandler
 • Donald Clay Garrett
 • Andrew Kearley
 • Azlyn Krause
 • John Miller

District C-2

Blairmore –
 • Joshua Hellawell
 • John Riddell
 • Marilyn Riddel

Picher-Cowley Roaring –
 • Sharon M Erickson

... and honor those who have left us



District C-1

Edmonton Inner City –
 • Valentina Li

Edmonton South Edmonton –
 • Morley Peacock

Fort Saskatchewan –
 • Robert W Sinclair

Upcoming Lions Events:

- USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum: September 9 – 11, 2021 Des Moines, Iowa
- District C-2 Convention: October 29-30, 2021 Drumheller, Alberta
- District C-1 Convention: November 5 – 6, 2021 St. Albert, Alberta plus St. Albert Lions Charter Celebration
- MDC Convention: April 29 – 30, 2022 – Red Deer, Alberta
- LCIcon 2022: relocated to Montreal, Quebec , Canada – dates to follow
- USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum: September 15 – 17, 2022 Calgary, Alberta
- LCIcon 2023: Boston, Massachusetts July 7 – 11, 2023
- USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum: September 14- 16, 2023 Reno, Nevada

- LCIcon 2024: Melbourne, Australia June 21-25, 2024
- LCIcon 2025: Mexico City, Mexico July 4 – 8, 2025

MESSAGE FROM THE EDITOR – PCC Dennis Stevenson

This is the first issue of the Multiple District C Newsletter for the year 2012-2022 and it contains as you have seen the MD C Committee reports and pictures of the MD C Council members. If I receive any articles before I publish this issue they will be included.

The MD C Newsletter will be published after each Council meeting (November 2021, February 2022 and April 2022) also if there happens to be anything special between the council meetings, we can put out a special issue for it.

Thank you for reading this newsletter, if you happen to be on the MD C website you will find it there as well, check out links page for the link to view this newsletter, please address and comments, suggestion or if you have anything you like to see in this newsletter email to Editor at pdg37e@sunraybase.ca

THE DISTRICT DIGEST

A MONTHLY SUMMARY OF THE LATEST LION NEWS

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