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Chairman's Report

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Well, we have started a new calendar year, but it does seem like the movie "Groundhog Day".

We are still in the grip of Covid-19 and Omicron. This is certainly making it a very difficult time for our Clubs and our Team of Trustees. It is times like this that we must be proactive. It is pleasing to see that the Grants and Loans Committee is still being asked for grants and at least one Loan.

Due to Covid-19, we are unable to meet at Ronald McDonald House and held our recent February Meeting of your Trust at St Andrews on the Terrace, Wellington. The weather was not great and two of our Team were unable to get flights into Wellington.

It is with great sadness that I report on the passing of District 202K Trustee Lion John Rummery. John resigned his position due to ill health. He will be missed, and I was certainly looking forward to working with him during his time with us. I would like to thank Lion Peter Burch for accepting the Caretaker Trustee for 202K position until their District Convention in March. Peter has many years of experience on our Trust and will bring continuity for 202K.

At our February meeting your Trustees passed a resolution in line with the Constitution "that the Trust Board recommends to the Council of Governors that a Trust Secretary position be created" and filled by our current Minute Secretary PDG Alice McDonald. To give you some background, PCC David Gault was our Trust Secretary and Alice came and assisted him in the minute taking when he needed assistance.

We have decided to carry out an internal review of our Constitution over this year with the assistance of CC Murray Pringle and to report back to the Trust Board. All Board Members have been asked to prepare a job description for their roles.

Our website has been updated by PDG Robert Miller to make it more user friendly.

In the financial area, our Finance Committee has been working hard and has reminded us that we are living in difficult financial times. Share markets are nervous and inflation is on the rise. Last year was a good year for unrealised gains but these are predicted to even out as this year progresses.

From our Grants and Loans Team, they received and approved two Grants and one Loan. It was also reported that the Inglewood Mini Golf site is now open.

Eric Carter

Past International Director

2014-2016

Chairman Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs Charitable Trust



Owaka Lions

Owaka Community Swimming Pool Upgrade.

In 1979 the community of Owaka decided at a public meeting, to build a community swimming pool. In 1982 as a ten year anniversary project of the Owaka Lions Club, it was decided to cover the pool at a cost of \$60,000, a huge amount of money for the time, since then a locally elected committee has managed the pool and fundraised to provide seasonal finance, with huge support from our Lions Club.

Over the years it has had solar heating by way of black pipe on the roof, along with a heat pump to warm the pool for public use. Recently the committee had been pondering the next stage. The roof had small holes and had become brittle and overall was looking shabby. The concrete pool interior was not retaining paint for much more than a season. So the decision was made to price re roofing and to investigate products suitable for lining the pool.

After some debate we decided to reroof and line the pool with a PVC membrane at a total cost of \$250,00.00.

The Owaka Lions Club was approached and fully supported the project. \$35,000 was donated immediately, (raised from removing the old Owaka saleyards) A stock drive / donation was initiated around the district with funds still coming in now and an application was made to LMLCCT with \$20,000 being granted, which has gone towards funding the solar electricity.

Since then a further \$10,486 was donated by the Lions being proceeds from the annual Catlins Canter. This fantastic response allowed the Committee to apply for funding from other avenues which started in the spring of 2020, most of these were very successful, so much so that we are now re roofing, relining the pool, all new water servicing (pumps, filters and underground piping), 100kw heatpump, coin operated hot showers, solar heating (electricity to run heatpump), chemical storage extension and now storm water drains. A total project cost of just under \$600,000.

The Owaka Lions Club members have helped with replacing all the bolts in the purlings, exterior storm water drains, concrete removal and digging/soli removal for the new piping and water jets, gravelling the driveway and tree removal outside of the pool, purlings have also been sprayed with wet and forget to clean them up.

All this has been achieved in approximately 12 months with project finish expected to coincide with the season opening October 2021.

What a fantastic achievement in a small community.



Owaka Lions



Owaka Lions Club with the help of our trust renovating the Owaka
Swimming Pool Project.





Inglewood Lions

2017 – Centennial Year of Lions International & 50th Charter of Inglewood Lions Inglewood Lion Charter President Pat Julian presented an idea of a mini golf venue in Inglewood as a Centennial Project by Lions. Inglewood Lions supported plans to assist with building of project with \$15,000 and volunteer labour, and \$20,000 from LMLCCT for deposit for the greens.

- ♦ 24 March 2017 – Inglewood Mini Golf Charitable Trust was formed by 5 members of community and 5 Lions members to design, build and run it.
- ♦ 2018 - Feasibility study to put roof on. Took 12 months for architect to design. 2019 Price of roof secured and ICMGT sorted out funding. 2020 - March Covid Lockdown. Building delayed.
- ♦ 2020 - September – Foundations started. Set out profiles for piles, boxed up, and poured concrete. Installed scaffolding along the Baths boundary. Storage container arrived. Roof structure started. 2020 – October - Re-enforced steel put in for kiosk and roofing structures continues. Kiosk floor concreted.
- ♦ 2020 – November – Power installed. Kiosk work and the work on the roof structures continues. At this stage on 1 to 2 volunteers are required. Roof going on next Work continues boxing up for the holes, paths, some path foundations laid. First concrete pour for the holes on 14th . Other concrete pours on 21/11 and 28/11.
- ♦ 2020 – December – Now have a completed roof over mini golf. Work on inside of kiosk continues. Another big concrete pour on the 5th. 15 ½ holes out of 18 hole course now laid with concrete and boxing of other holes continues. 29 cubic metres of concrete laid to date.
- ♦ 2021 – January – Work continues on holes and paths. Ceiling put up and walls lined in eating area. The wheel barrow brigade carted in black coloured concrete for different areas to add contrast. Fenceline dug out, posts concreted in for security fence to go up.
- ♦ 2021 – February – All 18 holes and 95% of paths have been concreted. Kiosk painted on outside. Power been connected.
- ♦ 2021 – March – 99% of concrete work done. Black security fence up. Sanding nibs on all holes. Painting of holes. Stormwater and sewage connected. Stones carted in for along swimming pool fence.
- ♦ 2021 – April - Benches and tops installed in kiosk, Toilet floor tiled. Finishing little jobs. Work continues to complete areas. Started preparations for the gardens.



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- ◆ 2021 – May - Members helped at working bee on 8 th May 9.30 - 5 pm to continue taking out metal and replacing it with top soil then another working bee was held on 14th May to finish off topsoil
- ◆ 2021- June - Work continues at the Mini Golf – landscaping is taking place and the turf has been laid. Bridge is levered into position
- ◆ 2021 – July - Finishing touches being done. Entranceway railing painted.
- ◆ 2021 – August – Covid lockdown delays opening.
- ◆ 2021 – September – Stone feature bought in and settled into place. Sponsors plaques put on walls.





Havelock Lions



Editor Karen spotted this Van on Facebook sponsored by many charities including the Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs Charitable Trust. This van is currently being used as a complimentary shuttle service to and from the Vaccination Centre at the Havelock Town Hall. A great asset to the community.



2021 / 2022 Trust Team



The Lloyd Morgan Lions Club Charitable Trust team.

08 August 2021:

At Ronald McDonald House in Wellington for the Lloyd Morgan Lions Clubs Charitable Trust Ordinary Meeting followed by the AGM. Picture of the Trust Team all together and at work. PID Eric Carter is looking forward to chairing the Trust over the next three years.



Dinsdale Lions



Dinsdale Lions Club was thrilled to present Lion Jan Edgar with an Honoured Recognition Award from the Lloyd Morgan Lions Club Charitable Trust today. Lion Jan has held numerous positions within Lions including Secretary, Club President for two years, Zone Chair for 3 years, Guiding Lion, Leos advisor, current Noozletta editor and is always willing to assist with training and mentoring others. Lion Jan, thank you for your continued outstanding service to Lions and the community.

Sadly, the Dinsdale Lions Club is now mourning the passing of Jan Edgar but it was brilliant that she got to be honoured in this special way.



Port Chalmers and District Lions



Past President and Club Secretary Peter Dick and Club Treasurer Liz McLennan presenting Sam Muir with the Lloyd Morgan Honored Recognition for his father Les Muir who was a great support for the Port Chalmers Lions Club. Sam showed that the support is still there by allowing us to once again use their storage shed for our Peastraw fundraising project.



Keith Kenderdine

202M Trustee



PDG Keith Kenderdine has been involved with the Trust since 2008, firstly as an advisory trustee (being a member of the Finance and Investment Committee), then as treasurer, a position he still holds today. He also served as chairman for three years having recently retired from this position. The way in which the Trust has been able to assist clubs meet their community project commitments has been a real pleasure but this has only been possible because of the on going support of the many clubs that contribute to the Trust each year. The strength of the Trust today is due to the many trustees who have served over the last 40+ years and it is credit to all who have given of their time and energy.



Takapau Lions



David Ellison is currently serving his 2nd term as president. David's father was a charter member of the Takapau Lions Club. He has been an organiser and tramp leader of our Tiraha Trip, taking a group of Year 8 students from 3 local schools into the Ruahine Ranges. Every year, David organises the firewood for the community. This year, the club split and delivered 50 cords of wood. Dave is kind and regularly checks up on his fellow members. It's been a tough year this last lions year with Covid and the farming drought. He makes mental health a priority. The Takapau lions club, at their change of office, were proud to present this life membership.



Gisborne Host Lions

Barry Foster received Life Membership Award on 30th June 2021 night of our Changeover.

Barry Foster has been a member of Gisborne Host Lions Club for 30 years and was president of Club 1998-1999

The Gisborne Host Lions are very proud of Barry.





Lion Lloyd Morgan



Lloyd Morgan was introduced to Lionism in 1960, when a friend took him to a meeting of the Wellington (Host) Lions Club, where he was impressed with the fellowship that existed among the members. Soon after the Club sponsored a new Lions Club in Lower Hutt, and Lloyd was asked to join. He accepted, and proudly became the new Club's Charter First Vice President.

Over the next sixteen years Lloyd followed a path of accepting steadily increasing responsibilities, culminating in his election as International President at the International Convention in Montreal, Canada, in July 1979.

His rise in Lions was rapid, but Lloyd was more than happy to attribute this success to his wife Ngaire, whom he married in 1953. "It is because of her encouragement that I have come as far as I have in Lionism" he once asserted. "She loves people, and truly enjoys witnessing the happiness Lions bring to others."



Lloyd was a true "people person" with an engaging personality, who sadly passed away in August 2001. He was an inspiration to all who knew him, and thoroughly deserved the high degree of respect and admiration accorded him by members of the Lions Family and at all levels of our International



Photo from times past



Photo courtesy of Lianne Sloan—New Lynn Lions



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Photo: Lloyd Morgan and Ngaire with Keith Mitchell and Merle

Photo courtesy of Graham Atkinson



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