Lions of Havelock



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February 2017



LIONS OF HAVELOCK OFFICERS 2016

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Dinner Meetings: Every 3^d Tuesday at the Slip Inn, 6.30pm. or at a member's home for Pot Luck Dinners.

Business Meetings: Every 1st Tuesday at the Havelock Fire Station.

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS 2016:

This month will be Dinner at the Slip Inn Tuesday 21st February 2017 Meet at 6.30pm for 7pm Dinner

Dinner Meeting Duties

Greeter:	Nicola Farrant
Raffle:	Carol Boswell
Grace:	Brian Cameron
Introducing Guest Speaker:	Ian Cameron
Thanking speaker:	Ron Boddy
Tail twister:	Debbie
Lion tamer:	Ron Boddy
Last word:	Anne Boddy

Remember: The new discounted raffle ticket price: \$5 for three tickets or you can still buy one for \$2:00. Three draws.

PRESIDENTS REPORT

I hope everyone had a well-earned break over the Christmas and New Year Period A few things have been happening since our Christmas dinner,

Tracy and Debbie arranged a Khubb and Pentque Breakfast down at the Havelock Domain. They cooked a nice breakfast and introduced everyone to the Khubb game We learnt new skill of throwing a piece of wood and designate blocks marked out in a row and we saw some people being very competitive We had a less 10 members attend unfortunately other members had other commitments.

Photos of the fun here...



The Havelock Lions assisted Vision 2020 and the Church of England in arranging a day out for Seddon and Ward people who were affected by the earthquake. They had the choice of doing our local walks including The Linkwater Pathways walk and a guided tour of local museum. Later in the afternoon they could activities on the Fit N Free gym or play a game of Pentque. Followed by a BBQ cooked by the Lions. In the evening they attended our local production in the Havelock Hall. I understand the Seddon President Mike was part of the party visiting. Some the Seddon Lions will be visiting our dinner meeting in March.

Market Days

We have had two Market days in our new location and they have been very successful which is outside the Havelock Hall

Events Coming up

We have a number of events coming in the next 6 weeks

- 1. The Muddy Buddy Challenge
- 2. The Rai Valley A & P Show
- 3. The 202E Convention
- 4. The Havelock Mussel Festival

We need help for all 4 events. A board will be going around our dinner meeting and if you are unable to make out dinner meeting and you are able to help you can contact the following....

For the Rai Show please contact Debbie as she is drawing up a roster for volunteers with what area she would like you to do and with times

For the Muddy Buddy Challenge, Convention and Havelock Mussel Festival please contact Ian

Our Alomar has been rather busy with a few members dealing with health problems Ally does a great job and is very compassionate.

Convention

The club is assisting with registrations on the Friday night. Remember that the registrations close on the 28th February and it's not too late to register

President Anne

HIGHLIGHTS FROM BOARD MEETING 7[™] FEBRUARY 2017

We are now in the position to formally write to the Havelock Community Association offering to donate and have installed a coin-operated barbecue. This will largely be financed by a generous gift from Fit 'n' free and we will apply to Lloyd Morgan Lions Charitable Trust for the balance. If the HCA decline the gift, the conditions of the Fit n' free gift is that the money is to be donated to Link pathway.

Subscriptions: 17 out of 26 subscriptions have been paid. If you haven't attended to this, please do as soon as you can. They can be paid to Brian at 3A Mahakipawa Road, given to Brian at the dinner meeting or by direct credit to the Lions Club of Havelock Bank Account 031355 0761022 00, using your name as reference. As the Board has decided that we do not have sufficient members to undertake the Mussel Festival car parking contract this year, it is even more important that all subscriptions be paid as soon as possible, so that we can meet the cost of our next semi-annual subscriptions.

The new venue for our monthly market is proving popular with stall holders. You will have noticed the bright banners at the market-these were donated to us by a stall holder, Glen Peek.

Lions' numbers and hours: January to 6th February: 19 Lions, 78 hours. Projects were Market Day (21th January, Assisting St Marks' fundraiser at Bunnings, assisting with hosting Ward/Seddon people 5th February.

A candidate to fill our 2016 slot for Outward Bound sponsorship has been found. He is Will Skinner, a Marlborough Boys College student.

Convention dinner (12th March). We will have a brief get together of those who are attending the Convention dinner, after our Dinner Meeting on 21st February.

Kiwi Ranch. The Board has resolved that we will again sponsor 6 primary school students to Kiwi Ranch this year. As usual, the children who will most benefit from the course will be selected by School Principals.

The Shade Sail, which is our legacy project to the community, was ripped in a recent heavy wind. It is being repaired but before being put back, we are seeking advice on more securely hanging it. A brass plaque will be affixed commemorating that the Shade Sail was a gift from the Havelock Lions during its Centennial year.

February/March activities: If you can help with any of the following can you please let Ian Cameron know <u>ianc.cameron@xtra.co.nz</u> or phone 574 2558.

- 21st February Lions Dinner Meeting
- 25th February "Muddy Buddy" (Havelock Estuary). Assist Harold with cooking and serving Mussel Patties and giving out donated fruit.
- 4th March- assisting on gates at Rai A & P show. Debbie needs as many helpers as possible for a two-hour stint on her roster.

ANNUAL ELECTION OF OFFICERS

This year will be the first one under our new Constitution which we decided on last year so it is worth going over some of the milestones.

Election of officers: Under our constitution, as well as the District and International ones, all officers are elected annually. Their term of office runs from 1 July each year or until such later date as their successor shall have been elected.

Who are the Officers? President, 1st Vice President, 2rd Vice President, 3rd Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and Membership Chair. The Immediate Past Co-Presidents are also officers but they hold that position as of right and are not elected.

Who else needs to be elected? No less than 2 or more than 4 Directors.

These directors will be the chairs of Youth, Projects, Administration and Social Committees. Note: all the above people plus Lion Tamer, Bulletin Editor, Tail Twister are "the Board".

Nominating procedure: a nomination for an Officer or Board position can be submitted to the Nominating Committee prior to the nomination meeting or can be made from the floor at the meeting. The names of the Nominating Committee and the date of the Nominating Meeting will be advised to members following the next Board meeting (7th March) The Constitution directs that the date must be notified to every Club member who is eligible to vote (i.e. has paid their subscription) at least 14 days prior to the meeting.

Important dates: The Nomination meeting must be held no later than 31st March. The Election Meeting must be held in April at least 14 days after the Nomination Meeting and again 14 days' notice must be given to all members.

The ballot can be by show or hands or secret ballot.

Please contact me if you have any questions about this information or if you would like me to re-send a copy of the Constitution to you.

I will have a hand-out regarding all roles mentioned, at the dinner meeting on 21st February.

Ian Cameron Secretary 10 February 2017

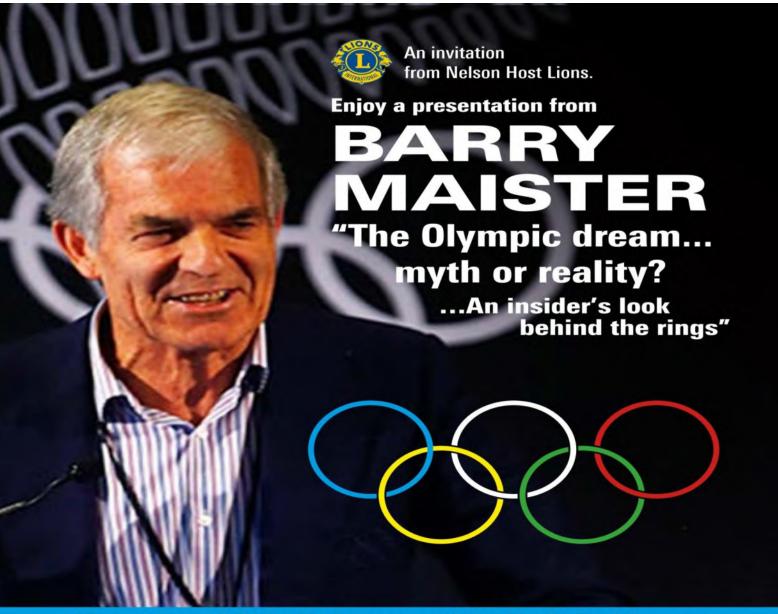
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Here are a couple of pictures from her induction night on the 20th December.





SPECIAL OLYMPICS FUNDRAISER



Tuesday 28th February 2017 @ 7.30 pm Old St. Johns Church, Hardy St., Nelson

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