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A CHANGE OF DIRECTION...

Lioness Merchandise

To make things more streamlined, our Lioness merchandise is going to be sold through the Lions MD Newcastle Office through the Lions Shop. This will enable clubs to order stocks online and payment can be made directly to Multiple District.

Jewellery, hats, scarves and tote bags will be listed under Lioness on the Lions Shop.

We have a supply of flyers, bookmarks and promotional signs which will still be available from the Lioness MD Chairman.

We anticipate that this will be an easy transition and many clubs have already commented that this will be an acceptable way to go.

The committee will still be involved in selecting new pieces of jewellery on a regular basis.

Geelong Multiple District Convention 2019

Many of you will be aware that the convention is being held over a 3 day period starting on the Friday with registrations.

Due to time constraints and other factors, the MD Lioness Committee has decided to host a Lioness Luncheon in place of the Lioness Dinner. This would be a trail only for this convention and the committee will make a judgement on what will happen the following year in Adelaide.

At this stage, the Luncheon will be held on the Friday at the Convention venue and this will be followed by the Lioness Forum. Lions, family and friends will be welcome as usual. One of the reasons for having a Luncheon rather than a Dinner is that the members of the nearest Lioness Clubs have a lengthy drive. A Luncheon will allow them to attend both the luncheon and the Lioness Forum.

LIONESS CUP AND

SAUCER

Price:\$15.00
Lioness presentation cup and saucer. The cup features a large drinking mouth with a tapered in bottom and a large drinking handle. Also included is a matching saucer. The mug can hold up to 200ml of your favourite coffee or drink. Gift box included.



A great gift idea for Guest Speakers or members.



A BLAST FROM THE PAST...

A poem by Audrey Hepburn when asked to share her beauty tips (Taken from Rosebury T1 newsletter in March 2005)

For attractive lips, speak words of kindness.

For lovely eyes, seek out the good in people.

For a slim figure, share your food with the hungry.

For beautiful hair, let a child run their fingers through it once a day.

For poise, walk with the knowledge that you never walk alone.

People, even more than things, have to be restored, renewed, revived, reclaimed and redeemed, never throw out anyone.

Remember, if you ever need a helping hand, you will find one at the end of each of your arms.

As you grow older, you will discover that you have two hands, one for helping yourself and one for helping others.

If you share this with another woman, something good will happen. You will boost another woman's self esteem and she will know that you care about her.

News from Overseas Lioness Clubs... (Excerpt from their pages)



McCaslin Lioness Club, Lakewood, Wisconson USA

Started on May 18, 1980

General Information...

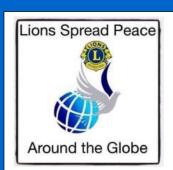
The McCaslin Lioness have regular meetings 9 months of the year at various locations. Our annual Faire, Sunday of Memorial weekend, is the major fund raiser, along with the Fashion Show in April and Mardi Gras booth in July.

Fire Chief, Randy Jackets, receiving the annual donation, from the McCaslin Lioness. Lioness Secretary Sandy Panacek, is very honored to present this cheque to the Lakewood Fire Department. Our community and surrounding communities "Thank You for your services"!

It is amazing how many Lioness Clubs you can find all over the world on Facebook, is your club on Facebook?







2019 Lioness Breakaway in Victoria Celebrating 30 years of Breakaways

The Lioness Club of Mount Gambier is hosting the Breakaway from February $22^{nd} - 24^{th}$ in Mount Gambier.

If you would like to join in the celebrations please contact Lioness Beryl on 0407 533 196 or Lioness Jan 0n 0417 845 460. You can also email the club on lionessmountgambier@gmail.com for further information.

The RSVP is the 31st October.

THE WORDS OF OUR FOUNDER, MELVIN JONES ...

On friendship...The most beautiful thought in the Lions Code of Ethics is in the fourth clause..." hold friendship as an end and not a means." This thought, if put into action, makes man a leader, a big man. For it makes him big enough, in questions of ethics to resolve all his doubts against himself.

Our Victorian Clubs in Action...

The Ballan Lioness club, like many other clubs, have an Op Shop which is continuing to do well, allowing the club to make sizable donations to a Disabled Camp for children. Several Clubs had members attending the Lioness Breakaway hosted by Lakes Entrance. Districts are holding Lioness Forums, a great way for Lionesses to get together, enjoy each other's company and share ideas. The Lioness Club of Lakes Entrance is sponsoring two girls in Indonesia for their education. Some of the activities that the Yarrawonga Lioness Club is involved with in include weekly Chook Raffles and a Craft Expo. This club also gives a scholarship to their local high school.

The majority of Lioness Clubs work alongside their sponsoring Lions Clubs with either their own projects or a Lions Club project. This is a good way for clubs to work together and to appreciate each other.



Lioness Club Statistics...

During the past few months we have lost another couple of clubs. One has become a Lions Club Branch. It is great to see that we haven't lost these good ladies to another organisation.

Whilst we have gained 35 new members, we lost a total of 65, leaving us with 79 Lioness Clubs and 1,328 members.

Our Community Service hours for the last quarter are amazing with over 24,500 hours being given to our communities, congratulations ladies. During this time, you have also donated in excess of \$177,000.00. You should be very proud of what you and your clubs are achieving and I hope you realise that you are making a difference in your communities. Thank you, ladies, for everything you are doing, you are all amazing women, working together to achieve a common goal.

Don't wait until you've reached your goal to be proud of yourself.

Be proud of every step you take toward reaching that goal.



We Serve Too

Lioness Club Handbook...

All clubs should have received a copy of the updated Lioness Club Handbook. This handbook is full of relevant information and advice about managing your club, including suggestions for the roles of the various Club Board positions, our Lioness Club Constitution, Induction ceremony and general information.

This handbook is available on the Lioness Page via the Lions Australia web page. Every Club member should have a copy available to them either as a hard copy or access a copy on the net.

The Lions Australia web site is lionsclubs.org.au