

January-February

N-FORMER MDN 2022-2023

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DISTRICT N 1

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MULTIPLE DISTRICT N

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DG Dawn Hobbs-Penton N 1



DG Bill Bruhm N 2



DG Shane Budgell N 3



DG Greg King N 4

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MDN PIN 2022
WHITLOCK MILLS,
MAINE

**1ST VICE PRESIDENT DR.
PATTI HILL HAS SETS OF
PINS.**

**Pins are available from each
District Governor at a good
price. Check it out.**

NEWS FROM AROUND MDN

DISTRICT N 1

Fredericton Lions Club

For over 60 years the Fredericton Lions Club has been selling Dippy Dogs at the Fredericton Exhibition and New Brunswick Provincial Livestock Show for the week starting Labour Day Monday and ending the following Sunday. Approximately 50 volunteers are required over the week to make this initiative a success. Since we are a very small club we depend on family, friends, and others to help make this endeavour a success. Three teams of 10 persons each work 3 four hour shifts each day during that week amounting to nearly 900 volunteer hours. This year saw the largest sales ever with approximately 23,000 Dippy Dogs sold, or approximately 1.5 tons. It should be noted that much of our customer base consists of 4 generations of families. This year our Club was joined by volunteer members of Harvey Lions Club and the Fredericton Epsilon Y's Men's Club. We donated all the tips received which amounted to over \$1780 to the Lions Foundation Guide Dogs Program. We matched that amount and donated a total of \$3560 to Guide Dogs. All proceeds from sales are returned to the Greater Fredericton area to individuals, groups, and projects in need of financial help. We also provide at least two Fredericton Lions Club Centennial Scholarships of \$1000 each to students entering or attending post secondary education.



Note: A Dippy Dog is a wiener, dipped in a special batter, deep fried and served on a skewer. Each one has its own individual appearance but all taste delicious!!! The cost is a mere \$3.00 per unit.

Kensington Lions Club

Kensington Lions Club participated in passing out \$100.00 LCIF Grant money to each of 5 shoppers following Fiona Disaster. Two grocery stores in Kensington participated in the shopping. Lions Clubs over PEI participated in delivering money to shoppers. A big thankyou to PCC Paul Cousins and Lion Theresa Cousins who made arrangements with the clubs to make this project a success.





Lions Clubs of PEI participated in giving out Emergency Grant money from LCIF to shoppers across the province. Shoppers received the value of \$100.00 of grocery money each and spent it in their local store.







Dorchester Lions Club

Dorchester Lions Club Polar Dip 2023 Report The 30th annual Dorchester Lions Polar Dip went off successfully on New Years Day at Palmers Pond in Dorchester, regardless of the fact that we had near tropical conditions of +12 C on January 1. The 32 Dippers and 100 Spectators were unperturbed by the lack of ice as the Dorchester Volunteer Fire Department stepped in with their portable Pond to accommodate the festivities. Virtually the entire contingent of the Dorchester Volunteer Fire Department were present to assist the dippers in their "invigorating" plunge and render aid in case of medical emergency. (which, fortunately has never been required in the entire 30 year history of The Polar Dip!) The Greater Dorchester Moving Forward group provided much welcomed hot chocolate to the dippers and spectators. This truly community effort in support of the Dorchester Lions Club raised \$1,300 in support of community projects and bursaries. There were some highlights from the day that stand out and deserve honourable mention: Without the support of Richard Swift who let us mangle his lawn during set up, this event could not have happened, and he is only one of the many that make this event possible and successful; Another support group that makes this event possible is the Dorchester Volunteer Fire Department: who lent us the portable pond as temperature was too warm for ice to form, provided support for the dippers, and First Responders in case medical aid was needed; leave us not forget. The Greater Dorchester Moving Forward CoOp that provided free hot chocolate for the dippers, spectators and volunteers, that was much appreciated. Then there are the participants: We here in Dorchester now find ourselves in Tantramar, the new area designation that includes Sackville, Dorchester, Middleton, Jolicure, British Settlement, Wood Point, Aulac, Mount Whatley, and more that I cannot remember, at the moment. We can still refer to ourselves by the comfortable name that we always had for the convenience of knowing just where we are, at the moment. It is of note to see that enough supporters, as well as folks that wanted the new mayor to "Go jump in the lake!" helped him to raise \$305.00 in sponsorship donations toward our cause. It is good to have the support of the new Council, Perhaps there will be more folks to tell more counselors, and the Mayor, to "Go jump into the POND!" on New Years Day 2024. Of the 32 dippers registered, only 8 listed [Greater] Dorchester as their place of Residence. This was matched by Moncton, then by Dieppe, Riverview and Memramcook with 7 dippers. We had representatives from St-Andre-Leblanc, Salisbury, and Shediac. Also, we cannot forget the dipper all the way from the NWT, we can only surmise that it was warmer here than Yellowknife. Several of the Dippers took the plunge in glorious costumes which included pirates, a swan, Fred & Willma Flintstone, and Shania Twaine's body double. There were many interesting displays that showed innovative ways to 'take the plunge', it was observed that those belly flops looked down right painful! These creative displays are not an option when jumping from the ice, but antics in preparation for taking the plunge were positively entertaining and added greatly to the Celebration! We are looking forward to a colder December and lots of ice for the 2024 Dorchester Lions Polar Dip. It is a good, refreshing way to give the new year a jump start and We hope to see you there

Millidgeville North-End Lions Club

The Millidgeville-North End Lions Club is pleased to announce that we have begun soup events held the second Saturday of each month. All are invited particularly those in need of nourishment and connection. While it is unfortunate that this need exists, we are honoured to help and humbled by the responses of other community organizations, places of worship, and local schools who partner in sharing our message. Most importantly, helping those who need a hand up is why we are called to be members and seeing smiles on children's faces makes everything worthwhile. We believe that by sharing our space and resources our neighbours feel an ownership over our Club and we welcome the opportunity to act in service.

Please see our Facebook site for further details and we would love to have you stop by! <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100088425704578>



DISTRICT N 2

Bridgewater & Area Lions Club

Our Club have constructed and placed a Food Pantry at Souls Harbour in Bridgewater N.S. Both organizations along with the public , churches, Business and Food bank have been supplying Food and personal items for those in need. Attendance at the Soup kitchen has increased significantly.



We participated in several parades in 2022 with the wagon train where it's always fun time . This year we had several memberships drives hosted by Membership Chair Lion Evelyn Snyder at the local Saturday Farmers Markets, a Membership Booth was in setup where membership applications were handed out and Lion Evelyn

used this time to raise some funds for the club where tickets were sold on a case of local Berry Juice from Van Dykes Farms.

The club had a booth at the " First Annual Health Living & Wellness Event" in HB Studio's in Bridgewater . We sold hotdogs tea and coffee at a canteen there and this was the kick off to our annual Christmas Raffle Draw .

This year's raffle was Christmas Gift Card Tree Raffle Draw a Value at \$ 1100.00 and nearly raised \$2500.00 on profit. Th winner was Becky Beck , Cookville.

Lion Evelyn Snyder headed this up with the help of Lions Peter & Linda Phillips , Lions Al Sullivan , Lion Judith Purcell, Lions Frank Zwicker , Lion Beulaha Piercy , Lion Susan Massey Lion Peter Wagner, Lion Cathy Whynot and Lion Jane Sawler . It was a lot of fun doing this and we only had 5 weeks to pull it off! All Bridgewater &

Area Lions members contributed to this event, which was really great to see. All the gift cards and gift certificates were donated by businesses in the area.

the club sponsored the Salvation Army 3 Families Christmas Gifts.

Lion Darrin & Lion Tammy Hutchinson has volunteered to help look after the Bridgewater & Area Lions Outside Pantry. Lion Darrin has received daily suppliers from local Weagle's Bakery, Lahave Bakery and Fancy Pants Cafe , local grocery stores and Souls Harbour Mission has agreed to locate the Pantry outside near their cafe where clients come every day for a free luncheon and can visit the pantry and take what they need free of charge .

Lion Allan Sullivan headed up the " Peace Postal Project" with 5 local schools participating. Lion All Sullivan also headed up " Adopt Highway Clean with 8 Lions digging in to

help clean the highway and ditches! All had a fun afternoon plus raise a little extra money for our club.

Lions Bill & Cindy Bruhm volunteered this year to host the Bridgewater & Area Lions "Annual Books For Kids Fair Give Away Project " held for the last 3 years at the South Shore Centre Mall. The club handed out nearly \$ 900.00 in new purchased books over 2 days. Lion Bill & Lion Cindy also sent out Letters from Santa Clause which is another a yearly project of our club.

The Club members enjoyed a Christmas Dinner together where we played a few games and exchanged cards.

We made donations to the South Shore Foundation of \$ 2000.00 and \$1000 .00 to Autism Nova Scotia , Lions Guild Dogs , monthly Health & Wellness community financial needs , local schools and other non-profit organizations in need of some assistance.

Many of our club members enjoyed getting out to other clubs in the district for monthly suppers , district meetings and conventions. Some of our members volunteers

daily at the South Shore Hospital, drivers for Senior Wheels Souls harbour Mission Cafe and volunteers monthly for Canadian Blood Collection

Our Club is a very active club in the community and always looking for ways to Serve .

Submitted by Sec. Lion Evelyn Snyder/ Bridgewater & Area Lions Club

Bridgewater Lions Club



Amherst Lions Club

The Amherst Lions Club recently made a donation to CNIB at their monthly dinner meeting. Shown here holding the cheque is, from left, King Lion Robert Small, Jenny Sweet and Shelley Adams from the CNIB, Lion J.J. Stevens, and Sight Chair Lion Rubin Millard. In front is Rookie, the Seeing Eye Dog!



On Saturday morning, Feb. 4, the Amherst Lions Club held a breakfast to raise funds for the local 4H Clubs. After a very busy morning, the Lions and the 4H members collected to watch King Lion

MULTIPLE DISTRICT N HONOURS ARMOUR TRANSPORTATION



At Fall Conference in Moncton Armour Transportation's Vice President Sales & Pricing, Mr. Norm Bourque was presented with a Recycle for Sight Appreciation Award to recognise the outstanding corporate service given to the MD N Lions Recycle for Sight initiative.

In the Lions year 2015-2016 Lions across the Multiple thought we could do more to assist the CLERC instead of just collecting raw eyeglasses and trying to get them to Calgary and we adopted the CLERC model of working with correctional centers to process here in Multiple N. It became clear that the Recycle for Sight program would not work without help in transporting glasses between points in the Multiple. In early 2016 a meeting with Mr. Bourque at Armour Transportation led to a partnership that has lasted all these years and has resulted in the movement of tons of eyeglasses saving thousands of dollars to Lions volunteers.

Mr. Bourque was presented with a Lions Foundation of Canada Life Membership to recognise his personal commitment to the program.

The CLERC – Canadian Lions Eyeglass Recycling Center opened in Calgary in 2003 - one of 19 Lions centers around the world - has placed over 4.5 Million eyeglasses to those in need around the World. The CLERC processes over 400,000 pairs annually but the job is immense. The WHO estimates there are 320 million visually impaired people around the World.

Former MD N Recycle for Sight Chairperson, PCC Scott MacKenzie presents Armour Transportation's Vice President Sales & Pricing, Mr. Norm Bourque with the Recycle for Sight Appreciation Award.



District N 2

Beaver Bank Kinsac Lions Club

Every Thursday Chase the Ace and 50/50 draw, every Friday night suppers

Gave Bursaries to 3 students

Donations to community members who are in need

Lion Ineke de Groot

Secretary Beaver Bank Kinsac Lions Club



WHO REMEMBERS ALL THIS

EATING IN THE FIFTIES

Pasta had not been invented. It was macaroni or spaghetti.

Curry was a surname.

A take-away was a mathematical problem.

Pizza? Sounds like a leaning tower somewhere.

Bananas and oranges only appeared at Christmas time.

All chips were plain.

Oil was for lubricating, fat was for cooking.

Tea was made in a teapot using tea leaves and never green.

Cubed sugar was regarded as posh.

Chickens didn't have fingers in those days.

None of us had ever heard of yogurt.

Healthy food consisted of anything edible.

Cooking outside was called camping.

Seaweed was not a recognized food.

'Kebab' was not even a word, never mind a food.

Sugar enjoyed a good press in those days, and was regarded as being white gold.

Prunes were medicinal.

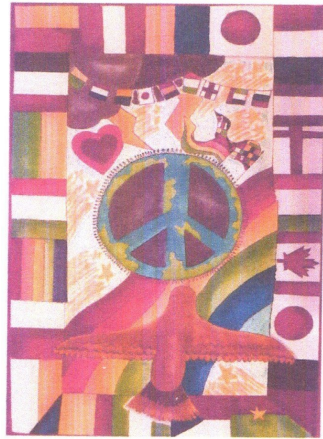
Surprisingly muesli was readily available. It was called cattle feed.

Pineapples came in chunks in a tin; we had only ever seen a picture of a real one.

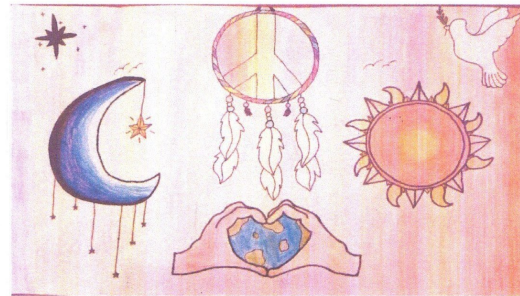
Water came out of the tap. If someone had suggested bottling it and charging more than gasoline for it, they would have become a laughing stock.

The one thing that we never ever had on/at our table in the fifties ... was *elbows, hats and cell phones.*

Multiple District N Peace Poster Finalists



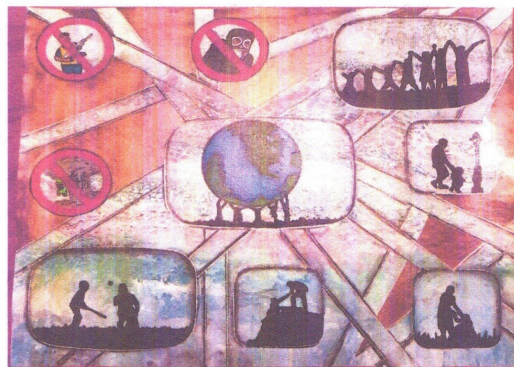
DISTRICT N 1
 NASHWAAKSIS LIONS CLUB
 EMMA MATCHETT
 NASHWAAKSIS MIDDLE SCHOOL – GRADE 7



DISTRICT N 2
 BRIDGEWATER & AREA LIONS CLUB
 BRIELLA LYNNE WHYNOT
 HERVILLE ACADEMY – GRADE 8



DISTRICT N 3
 BURGEO LIONS CLUB
 EMMA SIMMS
 RCEO ACADEMY – GRADE 7



Quote from Trinity:
 "Some people need a
 reminder on what leading
 with compassion is and
 what it isn't!"

DISTRICT N 4
 PORT REXTON AREA LIONS CLUB
 TRINITY HOGAN
 BISHOP WHITE SCHOOL – GRADE 8

MULTIPLE DISTRICT N
 WINNING POSTER
 SENT TO LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL FOR FINAL JUDGING

CONSTITUTION & BY LAWS
May 2023

Notice of Motions

Resolutions

Item A: Whereas Dr. Patti Hill is the current 1st International Vice President and will be expected to advance as the next International President:

Be it hereby resolved that the members, Council and Executive of Lions International Multiple District N will hereto lend their support to Dr. Patti Hill to be the next President of the International Association of Lions Clubs.

Item B: Whereas PID Fabricio Oliviera is the current 2nd International Vice President and will be expected to advance as the 1st International Vice President:

Be it hereby resolved that the members, Council and Executive of Lions International Multiple District N will hereto lend their support to PID Fabricio Oliviera to be the next 1st Vice President of the International Association of Lions Clubs.

Item C: Whereas PID A. P. Singh is the current 3rd International Vice President and will be expected to advance as the 2nd International Vice President:

Be it hereby resolved that the members, Council and Executive of Lions International Multiple District N will hereto lend their support to PID A. P. Singh to be the next 2nd Vice President of the International Association of Lions Clubs.

Item D: Whereas PID Mark Lyon has received the endorsement of the International Board of Directors to run for the position of 3rd International Vice President:

Be it hereby resolved that the members, Council and Executive of Lions International Multiple District N will hereto lend their support to PID Mark Lyon to be the next 3rd Vice President of the International Association of Lions Clubs.

Notice of Motions

1. With most educational systems in the Atlantic Provinces using the semester system with semester 1 ending mid to late January, to assist allow the youth the best educational opportunity and to conform with current practice, Appendix C of the Policy Manual – Multiple District N Speak-Out Regulations Section 2: General Regulations item J be amended as follows:

The suggested dates for the completion of the contests are as follows:

(I)	Club Level	2 weeks prior to Zone level Competition
(II)	Regional or Zone Level	2 weeks prior to Sub- District Convention
(III)	Sub-District Level	Sub-District Convention
(IV)	Multiple District Level	Multiple District Convention



MDN Spring Convention



Welcome Lions & Guests to the 2023 MDN Spring Convention

Friday, May 12 – Sunday, May 14, 2023

Name: _____ Lion: _____ Guest: _____ PDG: _____
 Name: _____ Lion: _____ Guest: _____ PDG: _____
 Mailing Address: _____ Ph#: _____
 Club: _____
 Lion Email Address: _____ # of Hospitality Books Required: _____

Complete Hospitality Book – (\$60.00/person) # _____ X \$60.00 = \$ _____
 Meet & Greet only – (\$15.00/person) # _____ X \$15.00 = \$ _____
 DG(E) Luncheon only – (\$15.00/person) # _____ X \$15.00 = \$ _____
 *Homemade soup and sandwiches at the EPCB Lions Club from 11:45 – 1:00
 Banquet only – (\$30.00/person) # _____ X \$30.00 = \$ _____
 Registration only – (\$5.00/person) # _____ X \$ 5.00 = \$ _____
 Total Amount Enclosed: \$ _____ EFT will be accepted

Registration via Email: Eastern Passage Cow Bay Lions Club – epcblionsconvention@gmail.com
 Registration via mail: EPCB Lions Club 65 Hornes Road, Eastern Passage, NS, B3G 1A4
 Registration Payment Deadline: April 30, 2023. Cheques payable to MD N Convention 2023.

Convention Hotel – Best Western, 15 Spectacle Lake Drive, Dartmouth, NS, B3B 1X7
To reserve a room please call (902) 463-2000 with Group Registration Code: MDN Lions to receive the special rate options (which will expire at end of day April 10, 2023, after this date the rooms will go back for the public and the Lions rate will no longer be available):

2 Queen Beds	Includes Hot Buffet, Breakfast & Parking	\$179.00 + taxes
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Friday’s Meet & Greet will be held at the EPCB Lions Club (65 Hornes Road, Eastern Passage, NS, B3G 1A4) from 7 - 11 pm with finger foods, cash bar and music with the band Blacktop Junction.

Saturday’s meetings will be held at Island View High School (1853 Caldwell Rd, Eastern Passage NS B3G 1J3) . The evening banquet will be held at the EPCB Lions Club. Meal for the banquet – salad, lemon pepper chicken, potatoes, vegetables, roll, dessert, juice, tea/coffee.

Necrology Service followed by the conclusion of business meeting (if required), will be held at the EPCB Lions Club, 65 Hornes Road, Eastern Passage on Sunday, starting at 9am.

If you have inquiries, please contact PCC Peter Reid (Multiple District Convention Chair) at (902) 789-0974 or email epcblionsconvention@gmail.com

Come for a Fabulous Convention filled with Information, Friends, Food, and Fun!



Eastern Passage Cow Bay Lions Club
65 Hornes Road
Eastern Passage, NS
B3G 1A4

January 31, 2023

Dear Club President & Secretary:

The Eastern Passage Cow Bay Lions Club will be hosting the Multiple District Convention on May 12 - 14, 2023. We are expecting 100+ Lions from Atlantic Canada.

We are asking fellow Lions Clubs to support this endeavour by purchasing an advertisement in the Booklet. Ad sizes and prices are indicated on the enclosed attachment. Please respond by April 1st, 2023.

If you have any questions about this matter or would like to purchase an ad, please do not hesitate to contact myself at 902-463-8910 or by e-mail at epcblionsconvention@gmail.com.

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Yours in Lionism,

PDG Rhonda Trickett
Co-Host Committee Chair
MD N Spring Convention 2023

<p>¼ Page Ad \$25.00</p>	<p>Full Page Ad \$100.00</p>
<p>½ Page Ad \$50.00</p>	



Please submit any events or information to be shared throughout the Multiple so everyone can be open to new ideas.

WE ARE IN THIS TOGETHER TO BETTER OUR COMMUNITIES.

**MDN Communications
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