



# Lions District 202D 2021 – 2022

## YOUTH HANDBOOK



### Journey of Peace



202D District Peace Poster Winners 2019

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# YOUTH ACTIVITIES PROGRAMME 2020-2021

## 2021

July - August	<b>Winter Exchange (Inward)</b> Hosting required Hosting Japan, Canada, USA and Europe <b>Postponed till further notice.</b>
July - August	<b>Youth Exchange (Outward)</b> Applications with \$1000 Deposits close on 31/08/21 <b>Postponed till further notice.</b>
August – September	<b>Summer Exchange (Inward)</b> <b>We are looking at having a City/Country Exchange instead of International Exchange</b>
October	<b>District Peace Poster Contest</b> entries close 25/10/21 Judging from 24/10/21
October	<b>Lions International Youth Camp NZ</b> applications close on the 31/10/21. Age range 17 – 21 with a cost of \$750 <b>On hold for now</b>
October	<b>Junior Speechmaker Contest</b> entries close 25/10/21
November	<b>Junior Speechmaker Contest</b> (10 – 13-year olds) to be held at the Community Centre in Hawera at 9.30am for 10:00am start on Sunday the 7 <sup>th</sup> of November
November	<b>Orientation for Outward Exchanges.</b> <b>On hold for now</b>
November	<b>Young Leaders in Service Awards:</b> Entries close 27/11/20
December – January	<b>Summer Exchange Youth Arrive</b> Hosting required. Looking at City/Country exchange between clubs
December – January	<b>District 202L Lions International Youth Camp NZ</b> held at Ngamuwahine Outdoor Education Lodge, Tauranga. <b>On hold for now</b>

## 2022

January	<b>202D Youth Award</b> Entries closes 31/01/22
January	<b>Lions Young Leaders in Service Awards.</b> Entries Close 31/01/21
March	<b>Peace Poster</b> Theme announced. (Competition age 11 – 13) Schools should be contacted as soon as possible
March – July	<b>Winter Exchange (Inward)</b> Hosting required for July/August Hosting Japan, Canada, USA and Europe primarily
May	<b>Young Speechmakers Contest.</b> (aged 17-21) Whanganui.

Youth Directors – Information on the Speechmaker Contests, Youth Exchange, Peace Poster and International Youth Camp can be found on the National Lions website – [www.lionsclubs.org.nz](http://www.lionsclubs.org.nz). Simply go to site map and click on Youth.

## 202D JUNIOR SPEECHMAKER CONTEST

This is a 202D District Project designed to encourage speechmaking for the year 7 and 8 students (10 to 13 year olds approx.).

Each contestant will present their three minute speech (2 minute warning given) on any chosen subject. Later in the day will be an impromptu speech of 1 minute where the subject will be chosen by the judges.



### How your club can be involved:

- By promoting the project in your communities
- Obtain and screen contestants (ensuring entrants are in good health and of good character)
- Pay the entrance fee of \$50 (payable to District 202d Lions 03 0791 0232608 00. Ref Club name)
- To ensure all documentation and payment is lodged with District Youth Chairman by stipulated date
- To arrange transport for contestant/s to District contest
- To inform their contestants of all relevant details regarding the conditions of the contest

The contest will be held at "The Community centre" in Hawera on Sunday 7th November from 9:30am for registrations, morning tea with speeches starting at 10.00am.

The Mt View Lions will provide morning tea and lunch for \$10 for visitors and friends payable at the door. Please support them and let the contestant's families and or your club members know. Lunch tickets can be purchased on the day. Lunch for the contestants is included in the entry fee.

As a sponsoring club you are taking responsibility for the youth you are sponsoring. This means keeping the youth and their family informed and arranging travel for them if required. It is also customary that your club cover the lunch costs for your youth's attending family. Your responsibility does not end after you complete the entry form and send it to the youth chairs. For further information please contact either youth chair to assist you.

### Entry's close Friday 29th October

Please post entry forms and cheques to:

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# DISTRICT 202D JUNIOR SPEECHMAKER CONTEST

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### APPLICATION FORM

Date: Sunday 7th November 2020

Venue: Hawera Community centre

Time: 9.30 am Registrations , Speeches Start 10am

The Mt View Lions Club will provide morning tea and lunch for \$10. Please support them.

#### Application Data:

Surname: \_\_\_\_\_ Male/Female

Forename: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (    ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Year Level: \_\_\_\_\_

Theme of Speech: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Approval

Parent's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsoring Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of President, Secretary or Director of Sponsoring Club:

\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

- Entry Fee of \$50 (Online banking payments).
- Online banking 03 0791 0232608 00 ref: Sponsors name.
- Entry fee includes lunch – Payable by the sponsoring Lions Club.

Please post to either:

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## Peace Poster Competition:

The theme for the 2021-2022 Peace Poster  
is:

**"We are all Connected"**

Entry eligibility: Age 11 – 1-13 as of 15 November

- Schools to be contacted Early March
- All Posters **MUST** be made to required size – anything different will not be accepted. **THIS IS VERY IMPORTANT!!!!!!**
- Club to provide students with A2 size (420mmx594mm) acid & lignin free art paper no less than 100gsm in weight
- All entries must be flexible enough to be rolled up for shipping in 6cm diameter tubes
- Pencils, pens, crayons, markers, paint or chalk may be used. Entries should be sprayed to prevent smearing
- 3D entries will not be accepted. Nothing may be glued, stapled or attached to the artwork in any way
- Signatures or initials and brief description should be written on the back of the artwork. (see attachment).
- **NO LETTERING OR NUMBERS ALLOWED ON THE POSTER**
- Posters must not be laminated
- Closing date for District judging is 15/10/21. District judging takes place from 22nd October. Vouchers will be awarded to the first three places in the District
- Closing date for the Multiple District Judging is 1/12/21. The winning entry for the District goes forward to this competition
- One grand prize winner (Worldwide) receives US\$5000, a plaque and a trip for two family members to attend the International Awards ceremony at Lions day with the United Nations (Subject to change). Each of the 23 merit award winners will receive a cash award of US\$500 and a certificate of achievement.
- All entries to Youth Chairman before closing date

PLEASE ATTACH THE BELOW TO THE BACK OF THE PEACE POSTER:

NAME:.....AGE:.....

SCHOOL:.....CONTACT NO:.....

BRIEF DESCRIPTION:.....

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## LEOS CLUBS.



Alpha club aged 12-18 years

Omega Club aged 18-30 years

The Leo motto is- **Leadership**

Leos develop skill as organisers, time managers and motivators of their peers.

Experience working with others to provide community service.

Opportunity for personal growth, make new friends, to serve their communities.

Consider starting up a Leos Club in your local community or Local school. The Leos are sponsored by a Lions club so there is no cost for them to join.

Working with a school provides opportunities for students to gain skill, fundraising (could be for school projects), support Lions, a sense of belonging to a club and community service.

The Leo Club programme can increase Lions community exposure, attracting potential members such as professionals, parents and families.

In 202D we now have Three Leo Clubs, Two in Palmerston North with numbers totalling 50 between them and one in Kairanga with about 22 attending who meet weekly. Various activities including guest speakers, working with local Lions on projects, visit the elderly, fundraising, general community service and having FUN!!

For more information please contact

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## DUFFY BOOKS IN HOMES PROGRAMME

The Duffy Books in Homes programme was inspired by Alan Duff who, with the help of Christine Fernyhough, developed the idea after realising that failures in adult life often stem from childhoods spent in bookless homes. The philosophy behind the programme is simple - to break the cycle of 'booklessness'. Kids who can't read become adults who can't communicate and that's a serious disadvantage in a world that operates on the written word.

The schools are selected from areas where the children are most likely to come from bookless homes. The Ministry of Education allocates schools a decile rating of between 1 and 10, according to the socio-economic status of the community in which a school is based. Duffy Books in Homes focuses on lower decile schools. Why? Because over half the parents in decile 1 catchments are without a school qualification. Furthermore, 42 percent of parents in decile 1 catchments received income support in the year preceding the 1996 Census, compared to just 7 percent for decile 10 catchment areas. Quite simply, the children from these schools are most likely to come from bookless homes.

Alan's self-help philosophy is reflected by the fact that each school joins in a financial partnership with their sponsors to fund their books. The books are selected by the children themselves and are theirs to take home and keep. Each book has a sticky label which has the child's name in it as well as the name of the school and sponsor who have given the book. In 2014, the programme celebrated 20 years of operation and gave away its ten millionth book.

Twice a year special Role Model Assemblies are held at every school. Sportspeople, musicians, artists, writers, radio personalities, television presenters, fashion designers and many other New Zealanders visit Duffy schools, present books and talk to the kids about their achievements and goals. They tell the kids **"It's Cool to Read"** and make a connection between success and reading. Website: <http://www.booksinhomes.org.nz>

<b>Taranaki Schools</b>	Eltham Primary School, Huirangi School, Manaia Primary School, Mokau School, Ngamatapouri School, Normanby School, Patea Area School, Ramanui School, St. Joseph's School (Waitara), Te Kura Kaupapa Maori Ngati Ruanui, Te Pihipihinga Kakano Mai I Rangiatea Kura Kaupapa Maori, Waitara East School, Waitotara School, Waverley Primary School,
<b>Wanganui Schools</b>	Aberfeldy School, Aranui School, Carlton School, Churton School, Keith Street School, Ohakune School, Okoia School, Orautoha School, Te Kura Kaupapa Maori o Te Atihaunui-A-Paparangi, Te Kura Kokohuia, Te Kura o Ratana, Te Wainui a Rua School, Upokongaro School, Wanganui East School.
<b>Manawatu Schools</b>	Hillcrest School, James Cook School, Levin East School, Marton Junction School, Marton School, North Street School, Otaki School, Papatawa School, Raetihi School, Roslyn School, Somerset School, Taoroa School, Te Kura o Takaro, Woodville School.

### How You Can Support The Programme:

The philosophy is simple. Kids who can't read become adults who can't communicate. We aim to change that. We'll put books into the homes of every New Zealand child who, through no fault of their own, normally wouldn't own any.

There are several ways of supporting Duffy Books in Homes. You may wish to sponsor a school and enjoy the partnership that develops as a result. Or you may wish to make a donation towards the cost of the books for unsponsored schools and various other elements of the Duffy Books in Homes programme.

**Any contribution is welcome and appreciated.** Please contact us for more information:

Phone: 0800 383 392

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## LIONS YOUNG LEADERS IN SERVICE AWARDS



This award recognises youth aged from 12 years old for their commitment to community service over a ten month period from February 1<sup>st</sup> to November 27<sup>th</sup>.

There are two awards available:

- 50 hours of community service
- 100 hours of community service

**Types of service could be:**

- Community groups, religious agencies or institutions
- Service through a school based group or courses
- Individual efforts to help others. E.g. Coaching refereeing of sports
- Scouting groups
- St John
- Why not invite your children/ grandchildren along to help out in your club's service activities and get them involved with Lions now?

All you have to do is supply applicants with a Service Tracking record form. These are available from your Youth Chairman so that progress can be monitored.

The forms will have to be collected before the closing date of November 27<sup>th</sup> of each year and returned to your District Youth Chairman. The certificate will arrive directly to your club. You will need to organise a time to present the certificate to your applicant, perhaps at a club meeting would be suitable.

The District Youth Chairperson would like to attend a presentation where possible.

This can be a stepping stone to further youth activities both within your club and for the youth involved.



## LIONS YOUNG LEADERS IN SERVICE AWARD:

### Youth Service Tracking Sheet:

(For participating Youth)

\_\_\_\_\_ Lions Club is recognizing young people for their service to the community. Use this form to record service hours to be considered for the Lions Young Leaders in Service Award. Please return completed form to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_.

First Name

Last Name

Street Address

City

Postcode

Phone Number

Email

Age

F M

Date	Service Activity	Code	Location	Hours	Sign

TOTAL HOURS: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Service Activities Codes:

1. Diabetes 2. Vision 3. Hunger 4. Pediatric Cancer 5. Environment 6. Other

Youth Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Camp Quality (New Zealand) Incorporated is a Charitable Trust established in 1985.**

At Camp Quality we are dedicated to bringing fun, hope and happiness to the lives of children aged 5 to 16 living with cancer, their families and communities, through provision of high quality recreational experiences. Our goal is to provide fun and comradeship combined with achievable challenges to encourage the children to focus on the positive aspects of their lives. Camp Quality passionately believes in the power of fun to help children and their families overcome the challenges that cancer brings.

We ran our first camp in West Auckland in January 1985, which was attended by 22 children throughout New Zealand. Since then we have grown to have regular camp locations situated in:

- Auckland/Northland
- Waikato/Bay of Plenty
- **Wellington/Central Districts**
- Christchurch
- South

Each year more than 300 children aged from 5 to 16 years attend one of our camps. We are a totally voluntary organisation with no individual receiving remuneration. Thousands of hours each year go into raising funds and organising our programmes. Any child may attend a camp if they have been affected with cancer. We have campers who are in remission or on maintenance programmes attending our camps. Each camp has a minimum of two Paediatric Oncology trained staff in attendance. In some circumstances siblings are also able to attend our programmes. We strive to provide a safe and secure environment involving one-on-one support from companions and by the provision of committed, well-trained staff on all of our camping activities. All volunteers who are staying on camp must undergo a police vetting check and attend an annual training programme.

Camp Quality was the inspiration of an English woman, Vera Entwistle, who in 1983 established a special adventure camp for children with cancer, in Australia.

The area of Wellington Central Districts encompasses the Lions Districts of 202D and 202M. Wellington Central Districts caters for approximately 70 children at summer camp for an annual budget of \$100,000 plus. This is about \$2,700 per camper and includes all costs incurred for running the camp....meetings and trainings included. Your Lions and Lioness Clubs have made these camps possible by your generous donations of both finance and time. Not only have you given the children a week of “quality life”, you have also given their parents a well-deserved rest.

The camp this year will be held in our District and children from our District will be attending. We need to support them. If any club would like a visit from a staff member or require further information please contact:

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[rm.central@campquality.org.nz](mailto:rm.central@campquality.org.nz)

202D Co-Ordinator  
Michelle Hofmans  
027 5317684  
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**To be held at Rathkeale College, just north of Masterton in January 2021. Dates etc to be confirmed.**



# LIONS DISTRICT 202D

## YOUNG SPEECHMAKER

### CONTEST

FOR STUDENTS AGED 17-21 ( as at 30/06/22)

#### 202D District Final

Date Sunday 29th May 2022

Venue TBA

Time 9.20am for a 10am start

Cost: \$100 ( sponsorship by your local Lions Club.)

THEME: Please include the Theme of your Speech on the Entry Form.

Speech criteria- a prepared speech on your chosen topic 6-8 minutes, as well as an impromptu speech of 1- 2 minutes. Prizes to be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> , 2<sup>nd</sup> , 3<sup>rd</sup> . Closing date for entries Friday 13th May 2022.

We are looking for up to 2 of the best young speechmakers in our District. They have the opportunity to represent 202D at Multiple District Speechmakers Final in Wellington on August 2022, to win a prize of \$2500.00 for the winner, \$1000.00 for 2<sup>nd</sup> and \$500.00 for 3<sup>rd</sup>.

#### **Speech Criteria: 2 Speeches- Prepared and impromptu**

**Prepared:** All contestants shall speak on a subject of their choice in a formal speech for no less than 6 minutes and no longer than 8 minutes. Contestants speaking less than 6 minutes and more than 8 minutes will incur time penalties.

Any subject that is the original work of the contestant can be presented. This competition requires a spoken presentation in English (New Zealand), with rap and non-English languages only acceptable as an adjunct to the main presentation in English, but must not make up more than 10% of the total speech. Original props such as posters, flash cards, images, and simple graphs or diagrams may be used to support the message of your speech. Voice projection and your physical presentation of the speech is an important aspect. Contestants may use prompting notes or cards as well as mobile phones, tablets or cards if required. The prepared speech must be the original work of the speaker. They may use quotes from others but must attribute them so the source is recognized- e.g. Winston Churchill famously said in his speech to Cambridge University in 1953 “ quote....”

**Impromptu:** Contest judges will determine the topic at the contest venue. All contestants will have the same topic. , all contestants will speak in drawn order. They will come forward and be given a written ‘**starting phrase**’ of not more than five words. They will then have one minute to prepare notes prior to presenting an impromptu speech using the starting phrase lasting **not less than one minute**, and **no longer than two minutes**.

As an example the ‘starting phrase’ could be – **“And then she told me,”**

Contestants can take the starting phrase in any direction they wish. Humour is recommended for such a short speech, but we recommend that you follow a single theme. Our advice is to not make it too complex.

In both speeches, contestants will be penalized for being under or over time. Timing lights will be used to assist speakers.

The winner will be the speaker with the **best combined score** from both speeches.

### Judging Criteria. Maximum points available.

	PREPARED	IMPROMPTU
Voice and grammar	15 points	8 points
Physical delivery	20 points	10 points
Speech structure and theme development	25 points	
Speech development and humour		12 points
Speech value	20 points	10 points
Confidence and voice Clarity	20 points	10 points
<b>TOTAL POINTS AVAILABLE</b>	<b>100 POINTS</b>	<b>50 POINTS</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL OF POINTS AVAILABLE:</b>	<b>150 POINTS</b>	

### The judges will take into account:

Voice & grammar : pitch, flexibility, volume, pronunciation  
Physical & manner : gesture, poise, assurance, enthusiasm.  
Speech structure and material : opening, body, close, material.  
Speech value : ideas, logic, impressiveness, humour.  
Effectiveness : achievement of purpose, interest, audience reception.

### Judging.

District Young Speechmaker Competition judges are to be independent of the contestants and suitably qualified people. The National competition judging panel in Wellington is an experienced and independent group of judges so a high standard of performance is expected.

### Prepared Speech

This is a prepared speech by the Young Speechmaker on any subject of their choice. They have to speak for **not less than six (6) minutes**, but **not more than eight (8) minutes**.

#### Penalties are applied as follows

Under six minutes by up to 30 seconds	one penalty point
Under six minutes by more than 30 seconds	two penalty points
Over eight minutes by up to 30 seconds	nil penalty points
Over eight minutes 30 seconds	one penalty point
Over nine minutes	two penalty points.

This allows leeway for the 30 seconds over time so as soon as they see the red light (or are told 'time' if there are no lights) they have to close within 30 seconds.

### Impromptu Speech

The speaker is given a sheet with a phrase written on it and has one minute to prepare an impromptu speech. From the time the sheet is handed to them, you are to time them for one minute – they are then required to speak. They are required to speak for a **minimum of one minute**, but **no longer than two minutes**.

#### Penalties are applied as follows

Under one minute by up to 30 seconds	two penalty points
Over two minutes by up to 30 seconds	one penalty point
Over two minutes 30 seconds or more	two penalty points

Speakers are to be warned at 90 seconds, by an orange light (or 30 seconds) that they have 30 seconds to close and again at two minutes by a red light (or time).

### Intention of This Contest

This has been running as a contest for more than 30 years and has delivered some amazing outcomes for the young adults who have taken part. We want to encourage young adults the ability to:

- Have the confidence and self-assurance to stand up and speak in front of others despite any nervousness they may experience.
- Express themselves in the prepared speech on a subject that they feel passionate about. We want to encourage them to use their emotions while delivering a cogent, logical case for the audience to accept their views.

- c. Use the English language with fluency and conviction without the use of obscene language, meaningless words ('like') while using foreign languages as is normal in New Zealand society. They are permitted to use flash cards, images and graphs to support their speech.
- d. Deliver an impromptu speech with minimal preparation time. The use of humor is encouraged, but not mandatory. We encourage them to have a simple theme and deliver a message that draws in the audience.

### **Rules of the Competition**

1. All contestants must complete the attached application form before attending the District and National competition.
2. They must meet the age limitation requirements of being 17 through to 21 on the 30<sup>th</sup> June of the year in which they are competing.
3. Previous National competition (MD202) winners may NOT compete again in following years. That rule does not apply to winners at District or Club level.
4. The prepared speech must be substantially the original work of the speaker. They may use quotes from others but must attribute them so the source is recognized – e.g. Winton Churchill famously said in his speech to Cambridge University in 1953 “ quote”.
5. Note the requirement that this speech is delivered in English. Foreign languages and rap may be used as an adjunct to the main speech but must not make up more than 10% of the total speech. The intent is that it is used as part of the normal day to day language used in New Zealand so the audiences can follow the logic and message of the speech. Display or flash boards can be used, but only to support the logic or to illustrate data to the audience. Their preparation is the sole responsibility of the speaker.
6. Note the judges scoring sheets attached – these are to be provided to all contestants so they are aware of what the judges are looking for. All levels of the contest will use the same judges score sheet to ensure consistency of outcomes.
7. The ‘starting phrase’ for the impromptu speech is to be the same for ALL contestants. It will change between Club and District contests, and again at the National contest. It is to be typed neatly in large font and given to the speaker on a card so they have one minute to prepare some notes and thoughts before starting their presentation. The combined score from both speeches will decide the winner.
8. Speaking for less than the required time or more than 30 seconds OVER time will incur penalty points. The speaker lights are to assist them in keeping track of the time and warn them of the looming deadlines so they can wrap up when needed.
9. Contestants may use the same prepared speech in all levels of the competition. They are also allowed to modify it in the light of experience as they progress. Judges will often give comments and advice to the speakers and that can be legitimately used to improve their next performance.
10. We encourage Lions and their families to make this an enjoyable contest for these young adults. They are always thirsty for genuine praise, so do not hesitate to encourage them and tell them what you thought of their ideas and speech. Give them helpful and constructive advice on how they can improve their next performance. This is a great chance for Lions to present a positive message to these young men and women and their parents and family in support.

**For further information, the rules, entry form and completed entry form please contact:**

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**APPLICATION TO COMPETE IN THE LIONS CLUB OF NEW ZEALAND  
YOUNG SPEECHMAKERS COMPETITION 202D District Final. Entries  
must be received on or before Friday 13th May 2022**

Please print all details neatly.

Surname: \_\_\_\_\_

Forenames: \_\_\_\_\_ Male ☐ Female ☐

Address \_\_\_\_\_:

Town/ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Post Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone/Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary School, Tertiary College or Employer:

Career objectives: \_\_\_\_\_

Any special dietary requirements?

*Note: that in accordance with the Privacy Laws of New Zealand, my address and contact details will remain privileged information to Lions Clubs New Zealand and not be made available in any form to the general public.*

**Guardians Data.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone/ mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

I wish to compete for the Lions Clubs of New Zealand 'Young Speechmakers' competition in 2021.

I understand that by signing this application form I agree that I will:

- a. Comply with the rules of the competition;
- b. Certify that my prepared speech is substantially my original work;
- c. Agree to make myself available for Club, District and National speech competitions as far as is practical around my other commitments
- d. Accept the decisions of the judging panel/s; and
- e. Agree to the use of my name and image for promotion by Lions Clubs of New Zealand as a contestant and/or winner.

Your Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsoring Lions Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Club President: \_\_\_\_\_

President or Secretary Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



## LIONS INTERNATIONAL YOUTH CAMP – HOSTED BY DISTRICT 202L



This Youth camp is held at Ngamuwahine Outdoor Education Lodge, Tauranga. The camp runs from the 27<sup>th</sup> of December through to the 6<sup>th</sup> of January each year and caters for young people aged 17 – 21.

The camp started in 1989 and has hosted many young people from many different countries. In 2014 – 15 there were 58 youth from 11 different countries represented. This is an amazing opportunity for our youth to meet many new people from all over the world. The camp is full of the best New Zealand has to offer including its beautiful scenery, adrenaline filled activities and cultural experiences.

### **Camp objectives:**

- To bring young people of different countries into meaningful contact with each other
- To permit the sharing of ideas and cultural viewpoints
- To develop leadership potential in outstanding youth
- To stimulate, encourage and increase personal awareness of New Zealand's natural and beautiful environment
- To promote world peace by International understanding
- To encourage respect in young people for the thinking of others

Each District can send up to two young people however more maybe accepted at the Camp Directors discretion. The cost of the camp is \$750 Inc GST and it recommended that clubs look at sponsoring or assisting with raising these funds.

The closing date for applications and cheques is 31<sup>st</sup> of October.

For further information please contact your Youth Chairman for the comprehensive camp booklet.



## OUTWARD EXCHANGE

This programme has been designed so young adults aged 17 – 21 can travel and experience different countries and cultures in a safe manner and represent New Zealand our District and your club. They will stay in home stay situation for the time they are away and wherever possible they will have a chaperon accompany them to their destination. This can also be linked with an International Youth Camp where possible.



There are multiple locations available (please refer to the below list as a guide line) and exchanges take place during the summer holidays (December – January). The closing date for applications is the 31<sup>st</sup> of August 2020 including a \$1000 deposit.

Outward exchange forms are available from your Youth Chairman. We suggest that you contact your local Lions Club, friends and family for sponsorship.

### Cost

Due to monetary exchange and variable costs the below listings are approximations. The Multiple District Youth Committee does finalise individual programme costs in April and will make them available on request to your Youth Chairman.

UK/Europe	\$4,800	Approx	UK/Europe 18-21 Years
Japan	\$3,500	Approx	
USA	\$4,800	Approx	
Canada	\$4,800	Approx	
Malaysia	\$3,200	Approx	
Australia	\$1,400	Approx	
South Africa	\$5,200	Approx	



### Programme costs include:

- All International airfares and departure taxes
- All domestic airfares – both within New Zealand and Selected exchange country (the Australian cost does not cover internal travel within New Zealand and only includes limited travel within Australia)
- All stopovers – including hotels, transfers, and sightseeing as described for each country
- Full comprehensive travel insurance
- Travel bag, wallet, name badge, Lions pin and banners and personalised name cards
- Lion's administration costs

**The Lions Youth programme is run on a non-profit basis. All rates are negotiated at the most competitive rates available in NZ. It should be noted that lower airfares sometimes exist, but their conditions prohibit their use for Youth Exchange purposes. Prices are subject to variations from airlines and currency fluctuations.**

**The cut-off date for applications and \$1000 deposit is 31/08/19. The Balance of the cost is due 31/10/20.**

Visit our website for more information:  
[www.nzlions.org.nz/outexchange.htm](http://www.nzlions.org.nz/outexchange.htm)

## INWARD EXCHANGE

Here is your clubs opportunity to host a foreign young adult and show them what it's like to be a KIWI. This is our chance to welcome youth into our homes and show off our country. The youth is expected to fit in with the family's life style and get involved in the different activities of day to day life. Each youth is hosted in New Zealand for on average 6 weeks however this is split up between 2 or 3 areas in that time. Usually one family from the club hosts the youth and the Hosting Club members share the responsibility of looking after and showing the youth around the district to ease the burden.

Hosting is a fantastic way for you and your family to learn about a foreign culture and impart our own. The calibre of youth we host is remarkable as they are ambassadors for their countries. They are generally eager to experience whatever we have to offer and make friends along the way. Many previously host families are still in touch with their youth and have formed close bonds with them. What better way to create and foster a spirit of understanding among the people of the world.

Inwards exchanges occur during winter (mid-June through August) and summer (December, January) each year.

At time of printing we will have 3 Italian Girls and 4 Japanese youth, during mid-winter to host in our district.

If you would like to be part of this amazing experience, then please contact your District Youth Chairman. A host family form needs to be filled out and a Police vetting form for anyone over 18 residing in the house also needs to be completed (copies of these forms are found in the rear of this folder). These are requirements for the safety of the youth as we expect from our counter parts hosting our youth overseas.

For any costs incurred regarding exchange youths (e.g. phone calls, doctor's expenses, etc.) please contact your Youth Chairman for assistance.



## KIDZ 'N' US



# Kidz'n'Us

The objective of the Lions District 202D Project “Kidz'n'Us” is for the Lions Clubs of the District to help young people who, with encouragement, would be better able to realise their potential as citizens in our society.

### Stage One:

- The idea is that a group of young people say Years 7 & 8 (Forms 1 & 2) age range is selected in each area with the help of school principals/teachers
- Lions Clubs will work together with a group of young people for a year
- During the course of the year, these young people, as a group take part in activities and projects arranged and sponsored by the Lions Clubs with a view to increasing their sense of self-worth and developing their potential as citizens and their individual talents
- The ‘activity days’ can be arranged by individual Clubs or with the assistance of others or different clubs run different parts of the day
- Up to 10 activities take place a year which with assistance from other clubs would lessen the burden
- All clubs in District 202D will be approached as to their participation in this project
- Parent/Caregivers are to sign a contract form for participating youths

### Stage Two:

- At any time during Stage One a participant shows a particular talent or skill which can be developed for the long term of that young person, a club may choose to enter into a further contract with the young person and parent/caregiver, and fund activities or training to further that potential
- This could include assistance getting a part time job, speechmaker contest, defined courses to further education through to teaching them life skills

If desired, clubs could provide T-shirts with Lions logo and Kidz'n'Us to identify participants.

Any and all feedback from participating clubs would be greatly appreciated and enable ideas to be shared across the District.

For further information and or ideas please contact your Youth Chairman.



# District 202D Youth Award



The winning entry of the District Contest will be forwarded to the Executive Officer as the District's Entry to the Pat Ryan Youth Award, judged, and presented at the Multiple District Convention.

### Aims and Objectives:

- To encourage vigorous club participation in Youth Activities
- To stimulate friendly rivalry between clubs by implementing exciting and adventurous Youth Programmes
- To enable worthy projects to be recorded and make available for use by other clubs

### Entries:

1. Each Club would be able to make one entry in each Lions year
2. Project details should be presented on no more than two pages of A4 paper (one side only) together with such other supportive documentations and photographs as the club sees fit
3. The project has to be completed the immediate prior fiscal year
4. District entries must be sent to the Multiple District Secretary by the 1<sup>st</sup> of March each year
5. The multiple District winner will be announced at the Multiple District Convention
6. Judging – Judges at District level shall be appointed by the incumbent District Governor, Judges at Multiple District level shall be appointed by the Multiple District Secretary or by the Multiple District Youth Chairman
7. A constant standard of judging shall be applied, both at District and Multiple District Level on the following basis:

a) Originality and initiative	35 Marks
b) Benefit to participants and the community	20 Marks
c) Number of youth involved	20 Marks
d) Club member involvement	25 Marks

The winning entry of the District contest will be forwarded to the Multiple District Secretary as the District's entry to the Pat Ryan Youth Award, Judged and presented at the Multiple District Convention.



## APPENDIX 1: YOUTH EXCHANGE PROGRAMME



**Lions Clubs International**  
New Zealand

**Youth Exchange**  
Multiple District 202

**Application & Indemnity Form**

Identity No. \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE AFFIX RECENT  
PASSPORT SIZE  
PHOTOGRAPH  
ON EACH  
APPLICATION FORM

Compulsory attachments: Six passport size photographs of yourself  
Deposit \$1000.00 (Cheques made payable to MD 202 Youth Exchange)  
Copy of passport including photo page

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**ALL SECTIONS OF THIS FORM (I TO IX) MUST BE COMPLETED (TYPED OR CLEARLY PRINTED).**

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**I. APPLICANT'S DATA**

Surname ..... Male ☐ Female ☐

Forenames ..... Known as .....

Address .....

Phone ( ) ..... Fax ( ) ..... Email: .....

Date of Birth ..... Age ..... Shirt Size .....

Preference for exchange to:  
(1st pref.) ..... (2nd pref.) ..... (3rd pref.) .....

Type of area preferred (Urban, Rural or City) .....

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State of Health ..... Height ..... m ..... Do you smoke? .....

Do you speak any other languages? Yes ☐ No ☐ If so, which? .....

Have you previously been abroad? Yes ☐ No ☐ If so, where? .....

Hobbies and other interests .....

Sporting interests .....

Present Field of Study or Occupation ☐ Secondary ☐ Tertiary ☐ Working

Any Special requirements? .....

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**II. APPLICANT'S FAMILY DATA**

Father's Name ..... Occupation .....

Mother's Name ..... Occupation .....

Parent's Address .....

Phone ( ) ..... Fax ( ) ..... Email: ..... Lions Member YES/NO

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**III. SPONSOR CLUB DATA**

Sponsor Club .....

Basis of financing the exchanges: By Applicant ☐ By Family ☐ By Sponsor Club ☐

M.D. 202 Committee Use Only

Deposit .....	Bank .....	Cheque No. ....	Date Recd. ....	Refund .....
Deposit .....	Bank .....	Cheque No. ....	Date Recd. ....	Refund .....

**PLEASE RETURN FOUR (4) COPIES OF THIS FORM TO YOUR DISTRICT YOUTH EXCHANGE CHAIRMAN.  
NOTE: ALL QUESTIONS MUST BE ANSWERED.**

#### IV: INDEMNITY FORM

I/We the Parents(s) or Guardian(s) of ..... have discussed the LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL YOUTH EXCHANGE PROGRAMME with him/her and he/she has our permission to apply for participation in the programme. We the undersigned Parent(s)/Guardian(s) of the above named Applicant hereby grant permission for our son/daughter to travel abroad under the Terms and Rules of the Charter for Lions Clubs International Youth Exchanges and further state we have read the Rules of said Charter and agree to abide by them (see below). We further certify to agree to relieve any Lions Club Member or Host Family, Lions Club, Lions Club District of Lions Club International, of any financial or other responsibility in the cases of his/her illness or death except that furnished by the Insurance policy provided for this particular Youth Exchange Programme, so far as may be applicable to indemnify them in respect to expenses incurred. I/We do agree that our son/daughter will not be permitted to drive a Motor Vehicle, whilst away under this Youth Exchange Programme. Our son/daughter will remain at all times with Host or other such accommodation arrangements made by the Lions organisers and we agree that any breach will result in the youth's immediate return home, any extra travel costs being our absolute responsibility. I/We the Parents(s)/Guardian(s) give legal consent for a Lion Member of the Club hosting our youth, or Lions Multiple District or District Youth Chairman or Committee Member, to take immediate action in Surgical or Medical Emergencies, when time does not permit the obtaining of consent by me/us.

Date .....

Signed Mr. ....

Mrs. ....

#### V: OBLIGATIONS OF THE APPLICANT

I, the under signed Applicant, hereby acknowledge that I have read the Terms and Rules of the Charter for Lions Club International Youth Exchange Programme (see below) and agree to be bounded by them without exception. I further understand that during my period of residence with the Host Families, I will be under full control and responsibility to the adults of the Host Family. I further agree that during all the time I am away from my home, I will not drive a Motor Vehicle.

Date .....

Signature of Applicant .....

#### Excerpts from the Charter for Lions International Youth Exchange

Youths shall be selected under the responsibility and reputation of a Lions or Lioness Club and should co-operate to the full in the Programme having an adequate understanding of Lionism. Preference should be given to Youths who have "international" vision and can promote understanding, goodwill, friendship, and co-operation.

All Youths must be active and display a willingness to make every effort to mingle with people of the country which they will visit.

Youths must understand, appreciate and practise proper courtesy at all times.

Youths should appreciate the real purpose of the Y.E. Programme, which is to be a good ambassador for their own country and Lions Clubs International, to foster new friendships as a matter of course and to make the exchange experience one which will improve his/her life in the future.

Youths must make a definite effort to understand the laws of the Country which they will visit and abide by them.

Participants must resolve within themselves to make every effort not to cause even the slightest trouble, embarrassment, or unpleasantness to the Host Family with whom they will be living.

All Youths must be both mentally and physically fit, with no problems which might cause worry, or concern. Any health problems should be disclosed for the Organisers to decide if it will prevent participation.

Youths must attend Orientation and Instruction Days and must put into practice whatever guidance they may receive.

Youths must be prepared to speak about their experiences upon their return to their home country.

*Footnote: Successful applicants will receive a copy of the MD202 NZ Lions YE Handbook, "The Lions Youth Exchange Programme" (usually at Orientation). This should be read thoroughly. The "Guidelines of the Programme" should be noted and be adhered to, where applicable.*

#### VI: SIGNATURES

1. Applicant ..... Date of application .....

2. Sponsor Lions Club President or Secretary ..... Date .....

3. District Youth Exchange Chairman ..... Date .....

4. MD Youth Co-ordinator ..... Date .....



**VII: MEDICAL CERTIFICATE****APPLICANT TO COMPLETE:**

The following information is important, please answer all the questions.

I have been vaccinated against: (please circle)      Date last vaccination

Smallpox	Yes	No	.....
Diphtheria	Yes	No	.....
Tetanus	Yes	No	.....
Polio	Yes	No	.....

Please state any physical handicaps/allergies .....

Any previous serious illness: .....

Any special medications: .....

**MEDICAL PRACTITIONER TO COMPLETE:**

I have this day examined: (Name) .....

(Address) .....

and found him/her to be in good physical and mental health and able to travel overseas with the Lions Youth Exchange programme.

Dated ..... Examining Physician .....

Address .....

**VIII: INSURANCE**

You will be issued with a fully comprehensive Travel Insurance Policy appropriate for the country being visited.

**IX: LETTER OF INTRODUCTION TO HOST FAMILY**

In the following space please write a letter to your prospective Host Family. Include in the letter several comments about yourself, field of study, involvement in activities, your main interests and career objectives. Plus information about your family, home and surrounding area and the reason you would like to participate in Lions Youth Exchange programme.

Dear Host Family,

## CONSENT TO DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION

I, .....  
(Surname) (Fore Names)

.....  
(Maiden or any other names used)

Sex.....(M/F) Date and place of birth.....

Nationality.....Residential Address.....

Suburb..... City.....

NZ Driver Licence number .....

hereby consent to the disclosure by the New Zealand Police of any information they may have pursuant to this application to **Lions Clubs New Zealand**. I understand that any record of criminal convictions I might have will automatically be concealed if I meet the eligibility criteria stipulated in Section 7 of the Criminal Records (Clean Slate) Act 2004.

Signed..... Date.....

## COMMENTS OF THE NEW ZEALAND POLICE

A stamped, self-addressed envelope must accompany all requests.

AGENCY CODE

## APPENDIX 2: KIDZ 'N' US

### Kidz 'N' Us

..... Lions Club ..... Address

Dear Parent/Caregiver/Whanau

.....Lions are adopting the programme Kidz 'N' Us. This programme is fully funded and has the full support of all clubs.

The purpose of this programme is to bring together a group of children between the ages of ten and thirteen from within the community, but still in primary school and have an activity day with them once a month. This day would be the last Sunday of each month, and will run consecutively for eight months starting on Sunday .....with the last day of the programme finishing on Sunday..... Should this be a complete success it is expected that all Lions Clubs involved will continue the programme.

This programme is to help children within the community to reach their potential. The aim is to ensure a full fun packed day for these children, engaging in activities that can only usually be afforded with group bookings, with all expenses being met by the clubs. All children will be picked up from their homes and dropped off at the end of each day, with all meals provided.

Listed below are just some of the activities that the clubs would like to pursue:

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Please contact.....Lions at the above address for further information or your school principal.

### Consent Form

I/We agree to .....(full name) taking part in the activities arranged by the Lions Club for the duration of programme. I/We will make sure he/she is ready for pickups and be present when they arrive home.

I/We give legal consent for any immediate action in surgical or medical emergency when time does not permit the obtaining my/our consent.

The following are the only medical needs or physical disorders affecting the attendee.

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The following are the medicines that the attendee will have in his/her possession.

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.....

Dated     /     /

SIGNED .....

Full Name.....

Address:.....

Phone Nos.....

Capacity of Signatory: Mother, Father, Guardian, Caregiver.

## APPENDIX 3: PAT RYAN YOUTH AWARD



### **YOUTH ACTIVITIES** **LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL**



MULTIPLE DISTRICT 202 NEW ZEALAND

#### **PAT RYAN YOUTH AWARD ENTRY FORM**

Name of Club: .....

District: .....

Youth Project: (Give a brief out line) .....

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Number of Youth Involved: .....

Number of Club Members Involved: .....

#### **Aims and Objectives.**

- 1) To encourage vigorous Club participation in Youth activities.
- 2) To stimulate friendly rivalry between Clubs and Districts by implementing exciting and adventurous Youth programmes.
- 3) To enable worthy projects to be recorded and made available for use by other Clubs.

#### **Entries**

- 1) Each Club will be allowed to make one entry in each Lions year.
- 2) Closing at District level will be 30 September with the project being completed in the immediate prior fiscal year.
- 3) District winners to be with Multiple Executive Officer by 1 March each year.
- 4) Judging to be by District Governor's appointees at District level.
- 5) The Multiple District winner will be announced at the Multiple District Convention.