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Katikati Lions Club Bulletin



District 202L February 2011 Katikati Lions Club.PO Box100.Katikati.New Zealand

UP-COMING ACTIVITIES & SOCIAL EVENTS

15 Feb - Dinner Meeting6 Mar - Barrow Fun Day, supporting Pre School & Childcare13 Mar - 10 Pin17 May - Zone Dinner

You're invited to our DINNER MEETING TUESDAY 15th February 2011 At the KATIKATI RSA CLUBROOMS

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Social Time: from 6.00 pm Greeters: Alan Hay & Suresh Sathiya Money Collector: Warwick Coles Welcome and Introductions: Invocation: Manfred Pahlen Introduce Guest Speaker: Duncan Aylwin Guest Speaker: Thank Guest Speaker: Dave Moles 3 Minute Speaker: Closing Thought: Karen Lee

> Don't forget there will be a mystery greeter every dinner meeting so make sure you shake hands with everyone

"Banks will lend you money if you can prove you don't need it." Mark Twain

Presidents Message

Our first meeting of 2011 has past successfully and we now look forward to the second half of the lions year. The agenda covered many varied items from assisting a past lion to the usual donations. It appears as if the coming months will be busy with Sara's nomination for Vice District Governor and our support for Sheryl Jenson's nomination for



International Director with PDG David as her campaign chairman. We look forward to their nominations being accepted.

On the home front the Social and Programme Committee are planning an indoor bowling outing which should be a success if the number of hands shown all turn up. Details of that function are elsewhere in the bulletin. Barrowfun day is fast approaching and the full support of the Club is required for that event.. Manfred and his committee are working hard on that and if you are asked to help please be forthcoming.

Hamish tells me that Tui is progressing slowly and should be off to the Otara Spinal Unit in the near future. He has assured me he will ask for any assistance that may be required but doesn't think there is a lot we can do at present.

That's about enough for now, see you all at the next dinner meeting.

President Brian.

"I am only one, but still I am one. I cannot do everything, but still I can do something. And because I cannot do everything I will not refuse to do the something that I can do."

<u>Hellen Keller</u>

GENERAL NOTICE Our Meetings are held at the RSA & Citizens club Main Road, Katikati Unless advised otherwise Dinner meetings are held on the third Tuesday of each month, social time from 6.00pm & dinner at 6.30pm. All apologies or intention to bring guests need be given to our Lion Tamer - Garry Taylor Ph 549 0929 No later than <u>8pm</u> on the Sunday proceeding the meeting. Business meetings are held on the first Tuesday of the month at 7.30pm sharp, proceeded by committee meetings at 7.00pm

CONGRATULATIONSMilestones FebLoma Crabbe
Carlos D'Albert
Garry Taylor
Kevin Taylor
Kevin WilliamsonMinestoneMinestoneMinestoneMinestoneSonny & Carole Bell
Kevin & Jean Taylor

The easiest way to find something lost around the house is to buy a replacement

January Getgether 2011

True to form, rain pelted down or a function at David's. However, we would like to thank all those who came to the Club's January get-together at our place. Thank you for all the fabulous food too. We 'do' this well! Great to meet some younger family members who cam along and joined in. We managed a couple of 'indoor' games thanks to John Groves and Lindsey. Surprising what fun can be had with a couple of balls, golf clubs and a bucket. Congratulations to Evelyn who won the golf and Kay who won the bowling competition. 100% participation so the competition was hot! We had to have a play-off for the bowls but Kay was supreme.

Trish Peart's team won the general knowledge quiz. Chocolate prizes all round.

Thanks especially to all those who helped clean up the kitchen after dinner. Saved us staying up all night washing and drying!

Hopefully, the outdoor games evening can happen another time.

Virginia and David

Scrap Metal for Lions

Contact Don Hoeseason if you have any scrap metal and he will direct you to the collection bin.



Mission statement of Lions Clubs International:

"To empower volunteers to serve their communities, meet humanitarian needs, encourage peace and promote international understanding through Lions clubs."

Bulletin Deadline Reminder:

The deadline for the next publication is FRIDAY EVENING following the Business meeting.

Ph 549 3550 or send to Owen - oldhippies@xtra.co.nz

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

"Many Hands Make Light Work"

Congratulations to our Club for the increase in our membership over the past year. In June 2009, we were down to 37 members, had increased to 43 at June 2010 and in the last six months our membership has grown by a further six to 49 at end of December 2010. We have however just lost one member so are now back to 48. Our newer members have brought with them not only extra hands to share the load but importantly new ideas and we are seeing the results of their enthusiasm and participation. We cannot however rest on our laurels and therefore the Membership Committee seeks your assistance with another Membership Drive.

A "Prospecting List" was handed out at the February 1st Meeting. If you have not received one – please contact Sara (<u>konini@netsmart.net.nz</u> – Ph 552 0144). This is really a *reminder list* of people you may know who you would like to invite to an **Information Night**. Please could you come up with as many names, addresses, phone numbers and emails as possible and bring to the dinner meeting on 15th February. A reminder will be emailed to you!

Sara Patrick Chairman - Membership

Don't Forget the Convention Event of the Year

202L Convention 25th to 27th February

Where you will be able to meet International President Sid L Scruggs

This will be a once in a lifetime opportunity to mix and mingle with the International President who is attending as one of the very special guests on this occasion.

"If there is a possibility of several things going wrong, the one that will cause the most damage will be the one to go wrong."

Murphy's Fourth Law

Club Uniforms

The Club has had the green shirts for many years and these are still perfectly acceptable but no longer available.

When some of us attended the Sydney International Convention last year the group decided to go for black shirts.

Brian Peart has a contact and a black polo shirt complete with Lions emblem and our Club design costs, approximately, \$56. This is in an easy dry fabric.

I have a collarless top that costs about the same. I can show you this if you wish.

The NZ Lions have a white polo top with black trim. This can be viewed on the Lion's website or I can show you a photo. Sara has one of these shirts too. Cost is approximately \$40 plus postage and would have Katikati but not our cats.

Please contact me if you wish to know more or order. Virginia

Lions helping their Aussie Cousins with Cash for flood victims

New Zealand Lions Clubs will be donating money to their Australian counterparts, who will distribute the money directly to flood victims. The Council Chairman of Lions Clubs NZ, Robin Nairn from Hawke's Bay, was recently in Australia at a meeting of Australian Lions just as the impact of the flooding unfolded and said his offer of Kiwi financial support was very welcome. Lions have been part of the army of volunteers in Queensland who have been

helping with the cleanup. "The Australians came to our help with the Canterbury earthquake and it's our turn to reciprocate," Mr Nairn said. "The devastation is enormous and it is going to be weeks or months before some of these people can return to homes that are still intact."

Mr Nairn said New Zealand Lions clubs had given very generously in raising \$170,000 for the Melbourne bushfire victims in 2009 and Lions were proud that every dollar offered would go to a flood victim, without anything being taken off the top for administration.

Mr Nairn said if the public wanted to make a donation, they could contact a Lions Club member in their local community, or

> Live now. Make now always the most precious time. Now will never come again.

Captain Jean-Luc Picard, U.S.S. Enterprise

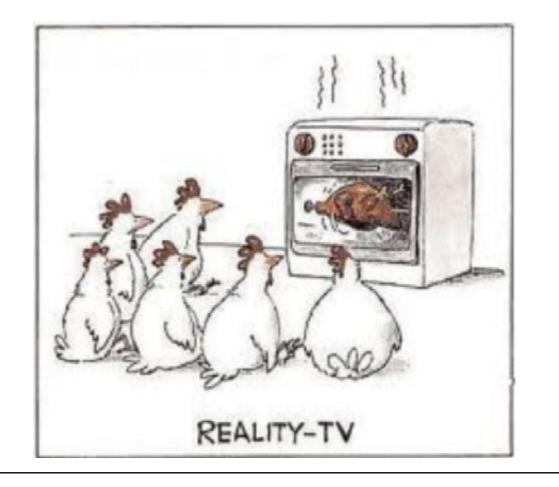


Assorted images from the 'World famous in Katikati' mid January gettogether, inside due to the inclement weather found down on the orchard lowlands of David & Virginia's orchard

LAW OF THE ALIBI: If you tell the boss you were late for work because you had a flat tire, the next morning you will have a flat tire.

From the courtroom transcripts

ATTORNEY: She had three children, right? WITNESS: Yes. ATTORNEY: How many were boys? WITNESS: None. ATTORNEY: Were there any girls? WITNESS : Your Honor, I think I need a different attorney. Can I get a new attorney?



UP COMING LION'S EVENTS AROUND THE AREA

25-27 Feb - 202L Convention, Hamilton 6th March - Barrow Fun Day 15-17th Apr - Multiple District 202 Convention, Rotorua 17th May - Zone Dinner, Katikati





Please take all your unwanted eyeglasses and sunglasses to the spectacle collection box at

Katikati Pharmacy





"If you think the problem is bad now, just wait until we've solved it."

Club Officers for 2010 - 2011

President: Brian Peart 1st VP: Kevin Williamson **Immediate P.P:** David Eddy Bob Delbridge Secretary: **Assistant Sec :** Adair Menhinick Treasurer: Warwick Coles Lion Tamer: Garry Taylor Tail Twister: Dave Eddy Directors: Finance - David Eddy Membership - Sara Patrick Youth - Mike Crane **Projects - Sonny Bell** Health & Welfare - Virginia Gordon Social & Programme - Sharon Grapes Publicity: John Groves Bulletin Editor: Owen King Kay Stanbury Almoner: Zone advisor chairperson: Virginia Gordon

2nd Vice District Governor: Sara Patrick

Committees:

Membership: <u>Sara Patrick</u>, Maurice McFetridge, Brian Wilks Gary Taylor

Youth: <u>Mike Crane</u>, Trevor Harvey, Ross McCullough, Gary Gordon Carlos d'Aubert, Lindsay Coles, Karen Lee

Projects: <u>Sonny Bell</u>, Scotty Donaldson, John Dean, Ross Baker Don Hoseason, Fred Crabbe, John Roberts, Manfred Pahlen Dave Moles, Naresh Kumar Rita Bartling

Health & Welfare: <u>Virginia Gordon</u>, Hamish Davidson, Jim Masson Kevin Williamson, Harry Gill, Tom Cunningham, Arthur Mann

Social & Programme: <u>Sharon Grapes</u>, Kay Stanbury, Ken Blackler Margaret Gill, Alan Hay, John Groves Carol Weldale

Finance: <u>David Eddy</u>, Warwick Coles, Pat Stelzer, Kevin Taylor Adair Menhinick, Owen King

"If men can run the world, why can't they stop wearing neckties? How intelligent is it to start the day by tying a little noose around your neck?" 11 *Linda Ellerbee*

KATIKATI LIONS CLUB MEMBERS

Aylwin	Duncan (Julie)	42 Strathmore Dr, RD2	549 3381
Baker	Ross (Annette)	294 Wharawara Rd	549 1732
Bell *+#	Sonny (Carole)	113 Martray Rd, RD1	549 2454
BARTLING	Rita	39 Sedgemore Lane	549 1511
BLACKLER *+	Ken (Julia)	258D Beach Rd, RD2	549 0081
Coles +	Lindsay (Helene)	18C Binnie Rd	549 4866
COLES *+	Warwick (Mary)	77 Martray Rd, RD1	549 1404
CRABBE	Fred (Loma)	46B Park Rd	549 1420
CRANE	Mike (Mary)	5 Longmynd Dr	549 0220
CUNNINGHAM *^ MJ	Tom	48 Rea Rd	549 0956
D'AUBERT *+	Carlos (Donne)	46 Park Rd	549 1239
DAVIDSON *+#	Hamish (Tui)	4A Atlanta Court	549 4143
DEAN	John (Heather)	662 SH2 North, RD1	549 3223
Delbridge *+#	Bob (Margaret)	205 Tetley Rd	549 0693
EDDY *+#^ MJ	Dave (Virginia)	222 Main Rd, RD1	549 0169
FREEMANTLE	Kevin	63 Ongare Point Rd, RD1 027	479 7862
GILL	Harry (Margaret)	393 SH2, RD1	549 3589
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GORDON +%^	Virginia (Dave)	222 Main Rd, RD1	549 0169
GRAPES	Sharon (Steve)	12 Hoggard PI	549 2975
Green	Joe (Shirley)	204 Beach Rd	549 1517
GROVES	John (Heather)	216 Tanners Pt Rd	549 2533
HARVEY	Trevor (Faye)	426 Tuapiro Rd, RD1	549 0049
HAY	Alan (Kristin)	15 Blundell Place	549 2906
HOSEASON *	Don (Edith)	157 Park Rd	549 2075
King	Owen (Colleen)	92 Martray Rd, RD1	549 3550
KUMAR	Naresh (Lena)	128a Main Rd	549 2324
LEE	Karen (Geoff)	57 Highfield Dr	549 3391
McCulloch	Ross	29 Princess St, Kauri Pt, RD1	549 4949
McFetridge	Maurice (Diana)	273 Lund Rd, RD2	549 4474
Mann	Arthur (Elizabeth)	120 Woodlands Rd, RD1	549 5005
Masson	Jim (Ena)	61 Highfields Dr	549 4436
Menhinick	Adair (Andrea)	19 Kowhai Court	549 1920
Moles	Dave (Sandra)	75 Walford Rd	577 9867
Montgomery	Rhys (Celia)	71 Morton Rd, RD2	552 0753
PAHLEN	Manfred (Konni)	51A Woodlands Rd, RD2	549 5566
PATRICK *+%	Sara (Graham)	344 Matahui Rd, RD2	552 0144
PEART *+#	Brian (Trish)	115 Turners Rd, RD2	552 0640
ROBERTS *+	John (Anne)	31 Hot Springs Rd, RD2	549 0878
SATHIYA	Suresh (Rajneeta)	107 Main Rd	549 1574
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Sometimes I make up my mind, other times my mind wanders, and every so often I lose track of it entirely.

KATIKATI LIONS CLUB MEMBERS continued:

STANBURY +	Kay (lan)	16 Lansdown Rd	549 4277
STELZER	Patricia (Grant)	2654 SH2 South, RD2	549 2199
TAYLOR *+	Garry (Evelyn)	76 Park Rd	549 0929
Taylor *+	Kevin (Jean)	187 Tanners Pt Rd, RD2	549 0930
TAYLOR	Mike (Carol)	107 Thompsons Track, RD2	549 0246
Wheldale Wilks *+ Williamson *+^	Carol (Mike) Brian (Lorraine) Kevin (Miriam)	107 Thompsons Track, RD2 202 Kauri Point Rd, RD1 195 Upland Rd, RD2	549 0246 549 2176 552 0262

* L.M.C.T. Members	hip, + Past President,	# Past Cabinet Officer,	@ Lion at Large,
^ Life Member,	% Current Cabinet Offic	er, MJ Melvin Jones	

When Insults Had Class These glorious insults are from an era before the English language changed to 4-letter words.

The exchange between Churchill & Lady Astor: She said, "If you were my husband I'd give you poison." He said, "Madam, If you were my wife, I'd gladly drink it."

"I've had a perfectly wonderful evening. But this wasn't it." Groucho Marx

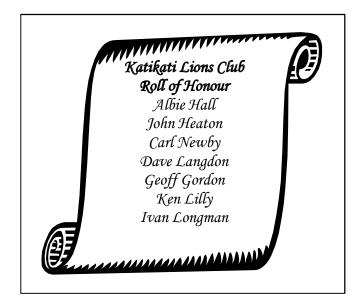
"There's one thing about baldness: it's neat."

Don Herold b.1889

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14	15 Dinner	16	17	18	19	20
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28		February 2011				

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4	5 Business	6	7	8	9	10
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18	19 Dinner	20	21	22	23	24
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Upcoming Duty Roster:

March

Greeters:Maurice McFetridge & Rita BartlingInvocation:Joe GreenIntro Speaker:John RobertsThank Speaker:Kevin Taylor3 Minute Speaker:Adair Menhinick

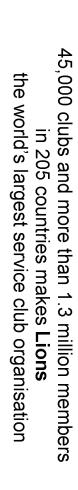
April

Greeters: To Invocation: Intro Speaker: Thank Speaker: 3 Minute Speaker: Closing Thought:

To be advised

REMEMBER: If you are unable to do this duty it is your responsibility to arrange for a replacement.

A rookie cop was asked the following question on an examination; "How would you go about dispersing a crowd?" He answered; "Take up an offering. That does it every time."



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