

LIONS DISTRICT 105M

CABINET REPORT



Name Mike Barker
Office Chairman Zone A
Date 21st January 2009



DECISIONS REQUIRED

Acceptance of this report

JUSTIFICATION FOR DECISION

ACTIONS SINCE LAST REPORT

2nd Zone meeting was hosted by Aldridge on Thursday 6th November.
ALL Clubs active through Festive Season and mindful of need for recruitment.
2nd round of Club visits will be completed by end of February.
3rd Zone meeting to take place on 15th February

OBJECTIVES

To complete an effective/successful year through Club/Members participation and Fun and Fellowship.
To encourage Club/Members to participate in District Events and Seminars/Workshops.
To actively seek my successor.

Zone Chairpersons Additional Information

Club	Members June	Members Current	Members Potential	Membership Actions Done and to do
Aldridge	15	15	2	Membership Drive/Card Drop (2 per Year) 2 nd To Do
Bilston	15	16+2 Associates		
Codsall	7	7		
Dudley	9	9		Looking @ alternatives methods.
K&Stourbridge	20	19	1	
Walsall	17	17		
Wolverhampton	8	7		

Club	SWOT Analysis Completed	Fundraising activities	Fellowship activities	Service/Welfare	Other comments
Aldridge	No	Supermarket Tin Shakes	Club Supper	Main Beneficiary 08/09 Parkinson's Disease Society	
Bilston	No	Supermarket Tin Shakes	Club Supper & Burn Night @ local Catering College	Breast Care and Heart & Lung ' New Cross Hospital	
Codsall	No	Wolverhampton's Got Talent			
Dudley	No	Supermarket Food Collection		"Message in Bottle"	
K&Stourbridge	No		Visits to other Clubs		
Walsall	No		Club Supper	"Message in Bottle"	
Wolverhampton	No	Wolverhampton's Got Talent	Evening with the President	"Message in Bottle"	

The gaps in the table do not mean nothing is being done by the Clubs, just that I am not aware of such.

Zone Meeting Dates and Venues

- 3 February 15th followed by Sunday Lunch.
- 4 April 1st followed by Hot Buffet Supper.

COMMENTS

Although there are small Clubs in this Zone most are serving their community in the Lions tradition. There are no nominations for ZC 2009-2010 and little chance of finding one.

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CABINET REPORT



Name Barbara Dutton
Office Chairman, Zone B
Date 1st February 2009



DECISIONS REQUIRED

None

JUSTIFICATION FOR DECISION

n/a

ACTIONS SINCE LAST REPORT

I only took on the role of Zone Chairman in mid November & because clubs Christmas activities & my holiday I have only managed to complete two club visits, Edgbaston & Northfield Kings Norton, however dates have now been arranged for visits to the remaining clubs.

OBJECTIVES

Briefly summarised;

To develop & encourage the spirit of Lionism amongst members in order that they derive maxim benefit from their membership

To develop fellowship within the Zone C& endeavour to form a more unified Zone & introduce the motto TEAM, Together Every One Achieves More

To increase membership

Zone Chairpersons Additional Information

Club	Members June	Members Current	Members Potential	Membership Actions Done and to do
Chinatown	20	18	1	Actively seeking new members through personal contact.
Edgbaston	8	8	0	To be discussed
Handsworth	24	24	0	To be arranged
Handsworth Ladies	22	18	0	To be discussed
Moseley Kings Heath	16	16	D/N held in Nov.	10 responses ,some participated in Christmas activities, hoping some will join.
Northfield Kings Norton	14	13	1	D/N planned for April

Club	SWOT Completed	Fund raising activities	Fellowship activities	Other comments
Chinatown	Completed by David Cox who feels that the	A classical piano concert June 23 rd .	Charter.	The club do not feel that they get support for their fundraising from other clubs with in the Zone.

	club will not use it.			
Edgbaston	Will complete one	Activities to be finalised at next meeting in Feb.	To be arranged	The President has been out of the country & cannot formalise plans until the next club meeting in Feb.
Handsworth	Will complete one	Golf Tournament date T.B.A..		Events always well supported by local Asian community
Handsworth Ladies	The Secretary knew nothing about it, the president has been away	Club joins forces with Handsworth club they participated in a Street can shake & a musical evening		The President has been out of the country so events yet to be finalised
Moseley	Completed	The club had a very successful Christmas period including the Xmas sleigh & stalls at the farmers market		The 25 th Annual Golf day on June 25 th . Afternoon tea party & concert for the elderly.
Northfield Kings Norton	The president is still reluctant to complete one	A Rock & Roll night Feb 7 th , this has always been successful. In the past. Easter Raffle & a Race Night to be finalised. Spring Fayre May 16 th .	Several events planned dates to be finalised. Christmas party at a members house & a Christmas meal were well attended	Possible monthly Golden Oldies disco night being discussed.

Zone Meeting Dates and Venues

.Tuesday 12th. February Venue T.B.A.

COMMENTS

.Until I have completed all club visits it is difficult for me to make any informed or constructive comments.

DISTRICT SKITTLES COMPETITION

This was won by Moseley.

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CABINET REPORT



Name Gregory Hession
Office Zone Chairman Zone C
Date 20 January 2009



DECISIONS REQUIRED

N/A

JUSTIFICATION FOR DECISION

N/A

ACTIONS SINCE LAST REPORT

Since my last report I have chaired my second zone meeting of this fiscal year, this was very positive with and was attended by two young guest speakers who gave a very informative presentation on what they had been able to achieve in Canada with part financial contribution from Knowle and Dorridge LC. This meeting was well attended and supported by the Lion Members from Zone C

Every LC and Lion Members worked tirelessly throughout the festive season with their respective Lion Club activities.

Zone C Project

Only Solihull LC have presented a prospective Zone C project for this fiscal year, a guest speaker from the newly built and recently opened Royal Star and Garter Home in Solihull will be in attendance to do a presentation at our 9th February meeting. A decision will be made on the night if all Zone C LCs would like to support this as a Zone C project.

Zone Diary

All Lion's in Zone C to make Tom McIntosh their first port of call with new diary dates and information and will check the diary prior to booking any event to avoid double bookings

Club Visits

All Clubs have been visited

OBJECTIVES

Third meeting in place for 9th February 2009 hosted by Solihull LC at The Greswolde Hotel, High Street Knowle, with

Will attend a special Membership meeting with DG Lion Andy Pemberton on 29 January 2009, with a view to implementing any new recommendations to the Clubs within Zone C and continue to make Membership a high priority.

All other objectives as previously reported

Zone Chairpersons Additional Information

Club Name	Club President	+	-	Total Membership	Prospects Members
Birmingham Acocks Green	Peter Smith			21	2
Birmingham Sheldon	Pauline Timbrell	3		19	+ 5 in communication with
Knowle and Dorridge	John Heard			25	1
Shirley	Brian Branch			25	
Solihull	Tom McIntosh		3	28	1
Heart of England new Club being formed in Zone C, Lion Doug to give update					
Total		3	3	120	4 and 5 interested

Club	Members June	Members Current	Members Potential	Membership Actions Done and to do
Birmingham Acocks Green	21	21	2	No change
Birmingham Sheldon	16	19	5	+ 3
Knowle & Dorridge	25	25	1	No change
Shirley	25	25		No change
Solihull	31	28	1	- 3

Club	SWOT Analysis Completed	Fund raising activities	Fellowship activities	Other comments
A	A			
B	B			
C	C			
D	D			
E	E			
F	F			

Zone Meeting Dates and Venues

- 1** **Achieved**
- 2** **Achieved**
- 3** 9th February 2009 Hosted by Solihull LC, Greswolde Hotel, Knowle Meal 7.00pm £8.00 Meeting 7.45pm
- 4** 11th May 2009 Hosted by Sheldon LC, time and venue to be confirmed.

COMMENTS

Sadly I must report the plane that crashed on Friday 2nd January 2009 in our District 105M carried two passengers who we learnt on the Saturday morning to be the son and daughter in-law of Birmingham Sheldon Lions Club Secretary Lion Phil and Annette O' Brian. They leave behind two beautiful children. Our sincere condolences go out to the entire family who are in our thoughts and prayers at this sad time.

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CABINET REPORT



Name Martin Bye
Office Region Chairman - Region 1
Date 23rd January 2009



DECISIONS REQUIRED

None

JUSTIFICATION FOR DECISION

N/A

ACTIONS SINCE LAST REPORT

A replacement Zone Chairman has been found for Zone B. Lion Barbara Dutton from Birmingham Northfield/Kings Norton Lions Club has now taken over the changeover was at the zone meeting on November 20th 2008.

1st November attended Northfield Kings Norton Lions Club Charter
6th November attended Zone A zone meeting
15th November attended Solihull Lions Club Charter
16th November Attended Cabinet
20th November attended Zone B zone meeting
24th November attended Zone C zone meeting
27th November attended prospective Heart of England Lions Club meeting
12th December attended meeting with District Governor Elect
12th January attended meeting of the F & A Committee
13th January attended meeting with District Governor Elect
20th January attended meeting of the Long Range Planning Committee

OBJECTIVES

To be supportive to all the Zone Chairman in my region as well offering help and assistance to the District Governor and to support to the MERL team.

To have a positive attitude throughout my year in office and help create and foster new ideas for the future of our district.

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CABINET REPORT



Name **Pauline Hoogerwerf**
Office **Chairman Zone D**
Date **January 2009**



DECISIONS REQUIRED

None

JUSTIFICATION FOR DECISION

N/A

ACTIONS SINCE LAST REPORT

Attended Sutton Coldfield and Balsall Common Charter anniversaries.

Held second Zone meeting, hosted by Sutton Coldfield. Preliminary discussions on organisation of Zone project planned for 9th May, to raise money for Conductive Education.

Visited Birmingham Erdington Lions, in conjunction with Doug Cross and Heather Hill. They are planning a membership drive in the spring, with a drinks and nibbles evening on 6th April. They will need a lot of support if they are to be revived.

OBJECTIVES

To continue to provide support to Clubs in my Zone. To encourage the members to share ideas and to engage with each other.

Zone Chairpersons Additional Information

Club	Members June	Members Current	Members Potential	Membership Actions Done and to do
Balsall Common	38	39	2	Hoping to induct more members soon
Brum. Erdington	8	6 ?		Drinks & Nibbles planned for 6 th April
Brum. Exhibition	20	22		Mainly through personal contact
Castle Bromwich	12	12	3	Inducting 3 more members soon
Marston Green	18	18		D & N planned for May
Sutton Coldfield	5	6	1	Expecting prospective member to join

Club	Fund raising activities	Fellowship activities	Other comments
Balsall Common	Successful Christmas sleigh	Charter Night, Malc. Stent	Active club in all aspects. Finally bit the bullet and arranged CRB checks for most of the members.
Brum. Erdington	Successful Christmas sleigh – proceeds to be shared with other organisations		Remaining members seem enthusiastic. Hoping to rebuild.
Brum. Exhibition	Donation to Breath of Life. Can Shakes at NEC Station and Melbick.	Charter Lunch 1 st Feb.	Active in all aspects. Find it difficult to attract new members as they have no “patch”.
Castle Bromwich	Race night for Kidney Kids appeal. Successful Christmas sleigh	Social at President's house.	Active in all aspects. Hoping to induct three new members soon.
Marston Green	Successful Christmas sleigh		
Sutton Coldfield	Successful Christmas concert	Attending various Charter anniversaries	Active in all aspects. Hoping a previous member will re-join.

Zone Meeting Dates and Venues

- 1 Thursday 18th September, Jaguar Social Club, hosted by Castle Bromwich
- 2 Wednesday, 19th November, Penn's Hall, hosted by Sutton Coldfield
- 3 Wednesday 25th February, St. Anne's Church Centre, hosted by Marston Green
- 4 Saturday 9th May - Zone Fund-raiser/Social at Jaguar Social Club. Details TBC.

COMMENTS

Positive attitude in all Clubs. All Clubs undertaking a wide range of fund-raising, social and community service activities and donating to their chosen projects.

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CABINET REPORT



Name Henry Woodgate
Office Zone "E" Chairman
Date 08 February 2009



DECISIONS REQUIRED

Accept report

JUSTIFICATION FOR DECISION

ACTIONS SINCE LAST REPORT

Zone meeting held at Stratford – on – Avon 18th November attended by members of the District International committee.

Attended meeting with the proposed Alcester Club

OBJECTIVES

Zone help to the formation of Alcester Lions Club

Suggest to Clubs members to consider nominations for Zone chairman 2009/2010

Zone Chairpersons Additional Information

Club	Members June	Members Current	Members Potential	Membership Actions Done and to do
Evesham Vale	12	12		2 nd visit Feb/Mar/Apr 2009
Kenilworth	43	43		2 nd visit Feb/Mar /Apr2009
Shakespeare	24	24		2 nd visit Feb/Mar/Apr 2009
Southam	26	23		2 nd visit Feb/Mar /Apr2009
Stour Valley	16	15		2 nd visit Feb/Mar/Apr 2009
Warwick	26	26		2 nd visit Feb/Mar /Apr2009
Wellesbourne	24	25		2 nd visit Feb/Mar/Apr 2009

Club	SWOT Analysis Completed	Fund raising activities	Fellowship activities	Other comments
A A				
B B				
C C				
D D				
E E				
F F				

Zone Meeting Dates and Venues

- 1 18th September Falcon Hotel Stratford upon Avon
- 2 18th November Falcon Hotel Stratford upon Avon
- 3 17th February Falcon Hotel Stratford upon Avon
- 4 Zone Social picnic and BBQ in May hosted by Wellesbourne

COMMENTS

All Clubs had a very successful Christmas with all their various activities both fund raising and helping in their community

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CABINET REPORT



Name DAVE JEAVONS
Office ZONE 'F' CHAIRMAN
Date January 25th 2009



DECISIONS REQUIRED

NONE

JUSTIFICATION FOR DECISION

N/A

ACTIONS SINCE LAST REPORT

1. A VERY WELL ATTENDED SECOND ZONE MEETING WAS HELD ON 26TH NOVEMBER AT THE CAMPANILE HOTEL, REDDITCH.
2. ALL CLUBS WERE REPRESENTED, AND LION GEORGE BILLINGHAM MADE A PRESENTAION CONCERNING PUTATIVE CHANGES TO VULNERABLE PERSONS LEGISLATION, AND POTENTIAL EFFECTS ON LIONS CLUBS. THERE WAS CONSIDERABLE DEBATE, AND MANY CONCERNS WERE RAISED ABOUT THE LEGAL FRAMEWORK ON WHICH ADVICE HAD BEEN PROMULGATED THAT ALL MEMBERS AND HELPERS MUST BE CRB/ISA CHECKED. SOME OF THOSE PRESENT EXPRESSED THE VIEW THAT COMPLUSORY REGISTRATION WOULD LEAD TO MANY RESIGNATIONS; THE MINUTES OF THAT MEETING ARE ATTACHED, AND HAVE PREVIOUSLY BEEN FORWARDED TO LION ERIC HUGHES, DISTRICT VULNERABLE PERSONS OFFICER, AND THE CONCERNS RAISED THEREIN HAVE BEEN PASSED TO LION BRIGID HENDY, NATIONAL VULNERABLE PERSONS OFFICER. LION ERIC HAS ADVISED THAT A LEGAL OPINION IS AWAITED.

MEMBERS WHO HAVE EXAMINED THE NEW LEGISLATION, FEEL THAT THERE ARE A NUMBER OF POINTS WHICH NEED TO BE CONSIDERED AS FOLLOWS:

- ACCEPTING THAT VOLUNTARY ORGANISATIONS ARE COVERED BY THE LEGISLATION, -BUT ONLY IF THEY ARE ENGAGED IN REGULATED OR CONTROLLED ACTIVITIES AS DEFINED BY THE ACT
- LIONS CLUBS MAY WELL BE INVOLVED IN SOME WAY WITH VULNERABLE PERSONS, BUT THOSE ACTIVITIES MAY NOT NECESSARILY FALL WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE LEGISLATION
- IF THE ABOVE IS CORRECT, THEN THE ADVICE FROM THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS, (AS WE HAVE BEEN GIVEN TO UNDERSTAND), THAT ALL MEMBERS AND HELPERS MUST BE CHECKED AS REQUIRED BY THE LEGISLATION, MAY BE FLAWED.
- IT WOULD SEEM MORE APPROPRIATE FOR CLUBS TO BE ENCOURAGED TO OPT FOR VOLUNTARY REGISTRATION OF MEMBERS THAN TO GIVE FLAWED GUIDANCE AS TO

COMPULSION.

3 THERE HAS BEEN GOOD SOCIAL CONTACT BETWEEN CLUBS, MALVERN HILLS IT'S A KNOCK OUT- SEE BELOW- WAS VERY WELL SUPPORTED ALL OTHER CLUBS IN THE ZONE. I WAS VERY PLEASED TO WELCOME DISTRICT GOVERNOR ANDY AND LION ANNE TO THIS EVENT, AND THANK THEM FOR THEIR HELP ON THE DAY; AND MALVERN HILLS RAN A CASINO NIGHT FOR REDDITCH IN NOVEMBER, AND DROITWICH HAVE RECENTLY HOSTED AND EXCELLENT QUIZ NIGHT FOR THE ZONE CLUBS, (ATTENDED BY 89 PEOPLE), WHICH,- I AM PLEASED TO REPORT, - MY OWN MIXED TEAM OF MALVERN AND WORCESTER LIONS WON!

4 I HAVE VISITED WORCESTER CLUB, (REDDITCH VISITED IN THE PREVIOUS QUARTER), AND ARRANGEMENTS ARE IN HAND TO VISIT MALVERN AT THEIR MARCH BUSINESS MEETING, AND BROMSGROVE, DROITWICH AND KIDDERMINSTER IN THE NEXT FEW MONTHS.

5 I AM DELIGHTED TO REPORT THAT THE CONVENTION COMMITTEE FOR THE MARCH 2009 CONVENTION, UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF LION PAT PROUDFOOT OF BROMSGROVE, IS PROGRESSING VERY WELL. I AM PLEASED THAT THE COMMITTEE IS COMPRISED OF REPRESENTIVES OF ALL ZONE CLUBS, AND THAT I AM GRATEFUL TO LION PAT FOR HIS LEADERSHIP AND ENTHUSIASM.

OBJECTIVES

TO FOSTER A SPIRIT OF CO-OPERATION AMONGST CLUBS WITHIN THE ZONE.

TO HOLD A ZONE EVENT TO RAISE FUNDS FOR A BREAST CANCER UNIT AT WORCESTER ROYAL HOSPITAL WITH INPUT FROM ALL CLUBS IN ZONE. THIS WOULD ALSO PROMOTE THE OBJECTIVES OF LIONS TO POTENTIAL NEW MEMBERS AMONGST PROFESSIONAL ORGANISATIONS IN THE COUNTY OF WORCESTERSHIRE. THIS IS STILL PROGRESSING.

Zone Chairpersons Additional Information

Club	Members June	Members Current	Members Potential	Membership Actions Done and to do
Bromsgrove	19	19	0	Full community service and fund raising programme.
Droitwich	18	18	4	Spring recruitment drive planned. Droitwich candidate won Young Ambassador final.
Kidderminster	15	15	3	One resignation for personal reasons in the pipeline since the December stats. Very active in Fund raising, with welcome inter community involvement, including Duck Race and New years Day Viennese Concert.
Malvern Hills	29	29	1 – plus one potential international transferee	4 th & 5 th November It's a KO competition for special needs centres across the area- extremely successful- involvement of other Lions clubs very much appreciated. Usual Christmas Sleigh and can shakes.
Redditch	21	21	0	Christmas fund raising collections and activities. Static Santa Sleighs at 3 supermarket locations.
Worcester	21	22	4	Santa Sleigh activities for whole of December, raising over £4,500. Fund raising efforts for a local man with particular needs were led by Worcester Lions involving cooperation from Rotary Clubs, individuals and businesses within Worcestershire, raising over £9, 000 and the presentation of a specially adapted all terrain mobility scooter to the individual at Worcester Rugby Club before a match crowd.

Zone Meeting Dates and Venues

At Redditch on Thursday 19th February. The minutes of the last meeting are attached, and it is hoped to get a response on the Vulnerable Persons policy before that date.

COMMENTS

A VERY POSITIVE RESPONSE FROM ALL ZONE CLUBS .

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CABINET REPORT



Name **Lion Neil Chisholm**
Office **Region 2 Chairman**
Date **8th February 2009**



DECISIONS REQUIRED

None

JUSTIFICATION FOR DECISION

N/A

ACTIONS SINCE LAST REPORT

Along with the President of Warwick Lions Club I have been involved in a 20 minute pre-recorded interview about Lions on the Local Hospital Radio. It was an interesting experience.

I attended the proposed Alcester Club January meeting along with the Henry Woodgate, Bill Ranautta, and Keith Hillyard the former President of Shakespeare and Doug Cross. Only one prospective member turned up. It was agreed that another leaflet drop would take place in April with a Drinks and Nibbles planned for May. Monthly meetings will also take place.

I attended Zone meetings in F and E since the last cabinet.

Since the Autumn Forum and the announcement that I was standing for 2nd Vice District Governor I have been invited to attend both the F&A and the Long Range Planning committees. I am also involved with monthly meetings with the current Vice District Governor

The three Zone Chairman have all had Zone meetings since the last cabinet meeting.

OBJECTIVES

To support the Zone Chairman.
To help in the formation of a new club in Alcester.

Lion Neil Chisholm
Region 2 Chairman

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CABINET REPORT



Name Chris Haynes
Office Region Chairman for Zone G
Date 20 January 2009



DECISIONS REQUIRED

A zone chairman is still required for this Zone

JUSTIFICATION FOR DECISION

ACTIONS SINCE LAST REPORT

Visited Rugby Rokeby in November when they agreed to have a word with Nuneaton to arrange a Zone meeting . No date as yet agreed

OBJECTIVES

To continue to offer support to the Zone in absence of Zone Chairman

Zone Chairpersons Additional Information

Club	Members June	Members Current	Members Potential	Membership Actions Done and to do
Barwell	25	26		
Bedworth	16	13		
Coventry	1	1		
Coventry Godiva	33	31	1	
Coventry Leofric	37	36		
Hinckley	13	10		
Nuneaton	19	19	1	
Rugby	24	21		

Club	SWOT Analysis Completed	Fund raising activities	Fellowship activities	Other comments
Barwell			Charter night 28 Feb	No information at the time of writing report
Bedworth		Civic Bonfire and Xmas sleigh collection	Visit to the dogs and Christmas Dinner	
Coventry				
Coventry Godiva		Golf Tournament Food stalls and New Year Party	Diwali Dinner & Dance Charter night 9 May	
Coventry Leofric				No information received
Hinckley				No information received
Nuneaton		Wine & Dinner evening Civic Bonfire Concert Civic Hall	Charter Night 28 March	
Rugby		Casino Evenings Xmas Float		

Zone Meeting Dates and Venues

1 January 2009 ? Nuneaton to be confirmed

2TBA

3TBA

4TBA

COMMENTS

The clubs who have supplied me reports have been busy over the christmas period and raised over £ 14000 between them

We have had "Soup Kitchens" shoe box appeals, Concerts, trampoline purchased, Carbon Monoxide Detectors and parties for the elderly

LIONS DISTRICT 105M

CABINET REPORT



Name Richard Wilson
Office Zone Chairman Zone H
Date 22nd January 2009



DECISIONS REQUIRED

None

JUSTIFICATION FOR DECISION

N/A

ACTIONS SINCE LAST REPORT

All the clubs in this zone have been very busy carrying out a good mixture of fund raising and service events. Clubs have been very busy during November and December raising money and creating food parcels for the elderly and needy with close to three hundred parcels being produced. Donations have also been made to various charities and support has also been given to the DG's Partners project of Sands.

Northampton Lions had a very successful Drinks & Nibbles night with over twenty people turning up and they hope to shortly induct four new members.

OBJECTIVES

To support the clubs wherever possible and give encouragement and advice when required.

Zone Chairpersons Additional Information

Club	Members June	Members Current	Members Potential	Membership Actions Done and to do
Northampton	12	9	4	Membership drive November
Eighty	19	17		Membership drive March
Brixworth	10	8		
Chinatown	8	8		Membership drive with MK Lions
Rushden	8	9		
Towcester	21	22		
Wellingborough	15	15		

Club	SWOT Analysis Completed	Fund raising activities	Fellowship activities	Other comments
Northampton	Yes	Yes	Yes	40 th Charter May 09
Eighty		Yes	Yes	
Brixworth		Yes	Yes	
Chinatown		Yes	Yes	
Rushden		Yes	Yes	
Towcester		Yes	Yes	
Wellingborough		Yes	Yes	

Zone Meeting Dates and Venues

- 1 10th September Northampton Conservative Club
- 2 26th November Wellingborough
- 3 TBA
- 4 TBA

COMMENTS

I am very concerned about the apathy at Northampton Chinatown. The feeling that I am getting is that this club will fold with the keen members transferring to Milton Keynes Lions Club.

LIONS DISTRICT 105M

CABINET REPORT



Name Josna Ramji
Office Zone chairman ZONE I
Date 20th Jan 09



DECISIONS REQUIRED

none

JUSTIFICATION FOR DECISION(S)

none

ACTIONS SINCE LAST REPORT

The second Zone meeting took place on Wednesday 26th November hosted by Kettering .There was a good representation from all the clubs in the zone (38).

Speaker from Membership team Lion Bill Renauta gave ideas on Membership drive .Clubs were finding it difficult to get new members, Card drop not successful.

The next Zone meeting is on Wednesday 25th February 09, hosted by Thurnby Lions Club. Thereafter the zone meeting is scheduled in May hosted by Lutterworth Lions Club

Most of the clubs in the zone have been busy planning, organizing and holding fundraising activities for the festive season.

I could not visit clubs in December as most of them were busy with Nativity fundraising activities.

Visited Bushby and Thurnby in January.

Will Visit Lutterworth , Mkt Harborough; Mkt Harborough Branch;

Rowell in February;

Corby and Kettering in March

Zone skittles rota has been sent to all the clubs in the zone.

OBJECTIVES

- To visit, help, motivate, mentor and encourage clubs in the zone in any way I can.
- To bring about fun, friendship and fellowship in the zone and between the Zone and the District
- To retain membership in the Zone

Zone Chairpersons Additional Information

Club	Members June	Members Current	Members Potential	Membership Actions Done and to do
Bushby	21	19	2	1 inducted
Corby	14	12		Looking for potential members
Kettering	28	27		Tried membership drive. not successful
Lutterworth	13	11		
Mkt Harborough	16	17		1 inducted
Mkt Harborough Branch	6	5	3	Targeting younger potential members
Rowell	11	11		
Thurnby	21	22	2	Membership through recommendations

Club	SWOT Analysis Completed	Fund raising activities	Fellowship activities	Service/Welfare	Other
Bushby		Xmas Sleigh Organizing events for special Olympic in Leicester.	Distribution and launch of message in the bottle; Regular social meetings	Message in the bottle; Childrens Xmas party; Spectacle collection	
Corby		Sale of light ropes; Magic evening: compilation and sale of cookery book	Regular social meetings	Grocery collection for elderly at Xmas	
Kettering		Xmas Sleigh; Raffle for Air Ambulance	Food parcels for the needy	17 boxes donated to sands	
Lutterworth		Easter egg hunt			
Mkt Harborough		Target bowls; raising funds for special Olympics to take place in Leicester: concert organized in June	Regular social meetings		
Mkt Harborough Branch		Quiz noseband concert; Disco in Feb	Regular social meetings	"spectacle collection	
Rowell	no	Ferret race; Gala night; Elderly tea	Regular social	Donation of wheelchair	

		party; can shaking	meetings		
Thurnby	no	Charter;Xmas Sleigh	Hosting Zone meeting in Feb		

Zone Meeting Dates and Venues

- 1 25th February 09 at the Rose and Crown Thurnby. Hosted by Thurnby Lions Club**
- 2 Next Zone meeting in May to be hosted by Lutterworth Lion Club .Date to be fixed.**

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COMMENTS

A very welcoming and positive response from all the clubs ,however many clubs in the zone are finding it difficult to increase membership.

Very pleased with the attendance of 38 at the Zone meeting

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CABINET REPORT



Name Chris Haynes
Office Chairman, Region 3
Date 20 January 2009



DECISIONS REQUIRED

Zone Chairman still required for Zone G

JUSTIFICATION FOR DECISION

N/a

ACTIONS SINCE LAST REPORT

Have visited clubs in all three Zones when I could, lost the month of December owing to illness, but am now back to visits

Have tried to contact Barwell re the outstanding dues and to help sort out their finances but have had no response from them.

Zone G have lost 11 members since my last report in October

OBJECTIVES

To have a full team so that we can plan, and support all the clubs in the Region during the rest of the year

To help support the clubs in the region throughout the year, to try and help them to increase the members in their clubs

To enjoy friendship and fellowship within the family of lions