

9. REPORTS OF INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE

NAME: Suresh Gohil
OFFICE: Chairman of International Committee
DATE: 28/1/2010

DECISIONS REQUIRED:

Nil

ACTIONS SINCE LAST REPORT:

The committee met on 18th November at the Arden Hotel. Lion Bob Wilkes was negotiating with Bromsgrove Lions Club for a substantial donation for water Aid. It was agreed that to promote further awareness of street children, he would arrange to have a play written, and this would be enacted across the district.

Lion June would liaise with the three clubs interested to twin with the clubs in Sri Lanka, dist 324.

Lion Jackie was concentrating Anna Onabolu's project on hospice.

Lion Richard was promoting LCIF in the district by attending zone meetings, and writing to clubs for donations to LCIF. He was encouraging lions for MJF presentations.

See the individual reports for each committee.

OBJECTIVES:

To work with the DG's aims and objectives. Liaise with the committee members to promote the activities of the International Committee.

NAME: Lion Richard Wilson
OFFICE: LCIF District Coordinator
DATE: 28th January 2010

ACTIONS SINCE LAST REPORT:

Responded to requests from clubs for information regarding MJF's. Responded to requests for information from both clubs and Cabinet Officers.

Forwarded information when received on new appeals via District Mailing

OBJECTIVES:

To encourage clubs to donate to LCIF and respond to all requests from clubs for information.

To forward all information on District appeals.

To man information point at District Convention.



Name June Lloyd-Adams
Office IRO
Date 22 January 2009

2009-10

ACTION SINCE LAST REPORT

Attended a meeting at MDHQ with MD IRO John Charles and other District IROs. The meeting was very informative and covered Street children, Wateraid, UNICEF and LCIF. The guest speaker from the Consortium of Street Children, Duncan Ross, was extremely good and would make a good speaker at our District convention.

OBJECTIVES

To send out reminder/information regarding Malawi Education as this seems to be low-profile in our Zone.

NAME: John Barnes
OFFICE: North Sea Lions
DATE: 30th January 2010

DECISIONS REQUIRED:

Agreement to pay 200 euros.

JUSTIFICATION FOR DECISION:

It has been agreed by the Board members that each District should be ask to contribute 200 euros towards the cost of producing Banner for NSL and also to help with costs involved in 30th Anniversary of NSL.

ACTIONS SINCE LAST REPORT:

All clubs have been circulated with information on the current projects for this fiscal year which started in the Autumn -we are supporting two projects as agreed at Board meeting in 2008 – the projects are;

Re-building of Rusne Special School, Lithuania

Construction of a Public School in Kobaba, Burkina Faso.

Clubs have also been reminded about their commitment to supporting NSL projects and as such we have ask for Club contributions as soon as possible in order that this District can meet their financial obligations to both projects. Our contribution will be split between the two projects.

Clubs were also sent information on the completion of the project of 2008/09 – Malaika Village in Tanzania.

The project for 2010/11 was also agreed at the meeting as the renovation of Himalaya Eye Hospital in Pokhara, Nepal. This will be the first project that NSL has undertaken in Nepal.

OBJECTIVES:

To ensure that all relevant Information is sent out to clubs when received in order to keep them updated on progress of our projects.

Also to attempt to get a project from our District for future years.

NAME: Suresh Gohil
OFFICE: Europa Forum Chairperson
DATE: 28/1/2010

DECISIONS REQUIRED:

Nil

ACTIONS SINCE LAST REPORT:

Europa Forum took place from 17th September 2009 to 19th September 2009 at Tampere Finland. This is 54th Europa Forum and was well attended by MD105 Officers.

A very interesting article has appeared in the Lions magazine, giving detailed report of the Europa Forum

Next year the Europa Forum is being held in Bologna, Italy on 4th to 6th November 2010.

OBJECTIVES:

To make the District Members aware of future Europa Forum.