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Wing-Kun Tam International President

Wing-Kun Tam, of Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (SAR), The People's Republic of China, was elected president of The International Association of Lions Clubs at the association's 94th International Convention, held in Seattle, Washington, USA July 4-8, 2011.

President Tam is the chairperson of a multi-national group of companies specializing in aviation and travel business.

A member of the Mt. Cameron Lions Club since 1981, he has held many offices in the association, including Campaign SightFirst multinational coordinator and OSEAL recording secretary, SightFirst China Action executive chairperson, 2005 International Convention Bidding Committee executive chairperson and honorary Host Committee chairperson. He has served on the international board for 11 years and three years on the executive committee.

President Tam has been a member or chairperson of many government and community service boards and committees of the Hong Kong SAR Government. He served as Hong Kong District Affairs Advisor before the establishment of the SAR in 1997. He has been the Hong Kong Convention Ambassador since 1995.

He is the recipient of Her Majesty the Queen's Badge of Honor, the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire and the Bronze Bauhinia Star from the British and Hong Kong SAR governments. He is a Justice of the Peace in Hong Kong and the appointed Honorary Consul of the Republic of Kenya in the Hong Kong SAR and Macau SAR of The People's Republic of China.

In recognition of his service to Lions Clubs International, President Tam has received numerous awards, including the Campaign SightFirst National/Multi-National Coordinator Award, the International Lion of the Year Award (2003) and the Ambassador of Good Will Award, the highest honor the association gives to its members. He is a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow and Campaign SightFirst Lead Gift Donor.

President Tam and his late wife, Irene, have three children – Alvin, Tiffany and Andrew.



What Do You Know, Joe?

By District Governor Joe Schlichenmeyer

Time sure seems to fly when you are having fun. By the time you read this, Lion Pat and I will have already had five club visits, one council of governors meeting, my first cabinet meeting, our first mid-winter planning meeting, and Jungle days. I will have gone to a few club fundraisers, also.



I am asking clubs to do a few things for the general good. Please plant trees for International President Tam, and let 2nd Vice District Governor Earl Orvik know how many trees you have planted. Earl is tracking the tree planting for me; his email is ejorvik@frontiernet.net

My theme for this Lions year is retention, so I am asking clubs to spend a little more effort trying to retain more Lions. Please devise a plan and assign responsibilities for retention. Fellow lions lets serve each other as well as we serve our communities. The results will be more Lions to do the service that we do so well.

Lions 2011-2012 Changes

Dues

When we had our budget meeting for this Lions year, it became immediately apparent that the economic future of 5M1 needs a little help. Two years ago we added the 2nd vice district governor to the cabinet, and this year we expanded the MERLO functions into two teams, the Global Membership Team (GMT) and Global Leadership Team (GLT). These additions added more expenditures to our budget. In the past we counted on rollover money from the previous year to supplement the next year's budget, but this rollover amount has been steadily going down over the past few years. This year the rollover amount was around \$800.00, so I formed a committee of three Lions with financial backgrounds, including a PDG. Their analysis concluded that our district should have a modest dues increase to continue to fund 5M1 activities at the present level. Our last 5M1 dues increase was

14 years ago. This committee read its conclusion at our first cabinet meeting, and I will be talking about this subject at our upcoming round of zone meetings. We are not in any immediate danger, but if we don't do something, future district governors will be struggling to have a balanced budget. This issue will be brought forward at our mid-winter convention.

Zone-Region Meetings

Come and check out our zone meeting changes, 5M1 zone chairs along with VDG Gloria, 2nd VDG Earl, our GMT and GLT coordinators and I met a few times and came up with some changes that we believe will improve our zone and region meetings.

Zone 1	September 6	Winona
Zone 2	September 15	Hokah
Zone 3	September 13	Stewartville
Zone 4	September 8	Dexter
Zone 5	September 20	Kenyon
Zone 6	September 29	Zumbro Falls

Mid Winter

I am really excited about our mid-winter convention. Our international director this year will be Joe Picone from Texas. I have already emailed him about Minnesota cold. I hope that doesn't scare him away. He emailed me back and asked, "How cold is cold?" A popular band from Wisconsin, "Leather & Lace," will be the entertainment at our Friday night mixer. They do 60's and country music. I believe you will enjoy their music. Saturday night after the banquet we will have the RCTC jazz band. They should be an added treat. Stay tuned for the great line-up of speakers and sessions that we are planning.

GMT-GLT

Our MERLO functions have been folded into two teams. The Global Membership Team (GMT), with Roy Larson as the coordinator and the Global Leadership Team (GLT), with Larry Stryker as the coordinator. Each team will have four Lions members. In addition, Earl Orvik will be on the GLT and Gloria Dockter will be on the GMT. Our teams have hit the ground running, and I have a good feeling about this very important Lions work.

DG Joe's column and travels continue on page 5.

Getting There

By First Vice District Governor Gloria Dockter

Welcome to September!

Hope everyone has been enjoying the summer.

I traveled to Rochester, Michigan, to visit Leader Dogs for the Blind on the weekend of August 13th. The day was spent touring and learning about Leader Dogs for the Blind's facility. Seven of Multiple District 5M (MD5M) 1st vice district governors and four adult companions were able to attend.

Since 1939, Leader Dogs for the Blind has been providing guide dogs to people who are blind and visually impaired to enhance their mobility, independence, and quality of life. The school has grown into one of the largest and most respected institutions of its kind in the world. They have proudly trained over 14,000 clients from 39 countries in the use of a Leader Dog. Other services they provide are dog guide training for people who are both deaf and blind, accelerated cane travel training, specialized summer youth programs, and training in the use of auditory GPS technology to increase the ability of the user to travel independently in new environments. All services are provided free of charge to the recipient.



This puppy was waiting to be picked up by his new family.

I have been working with the Global Leadership Team (GLT) planning our 5M1 Lions Fall Forum scheduled for Saturday, October 8th, at the Heintz

Center in Rochester. **All 5M1 Lions are invited to join in the fun and share your ideas.** Mark your calendars now and plan to attend.

Also, plan now to attend your upcoming zone meeting. It's a great way to meet cabinet chairpersons who will be on hand to answer your questions and to schedule visits to your club. It is an opportunity to network and share ideas with other clubs in your zone. This is a great way to get interaction between the local clubs.

Next letter in the ABC's

Notice: Does your community take **Notice** of your club's accomplishments?

Have you **Noticed** recently the direction that your Lions club is headed? Are your meetings productive and conducted in a timely manner? Do you **Notice** and acknowledge the efforts of your officers? Officers, do you **Notice** and reward your hardworking members for a job well done?

Notice and recognition should go hand and hand in all Lions clubs. Young and old Lions alike get discouraged if their efforts continually go **unNoticed** and we can't afford the loss of good Lions for something that is so easily corrected. A "thank you" or "pat on the back" goes a long way.

Likewise, if you don't publicize your local activities and make people take **Notice**, you become virtually invisible to your community.

Lions, it is time to step up and take **Notice** of activities around you and make your club **Noticeable** in your community.

Live well, love much, laugh often.

Until next month...

Yours in Service,
1st VDG Gloria Dockter



Second Vice District Governor

By 2nd vice District Governor Earl Orvik

I would like to thank the Lion members of District 5M1 for entrusting me with the position of second vice district governor. I appreciate the chance to serve a district with the vitality of ours. It is exciting to think of the potential we have in reaching new heights!



I have much to learn. As a Lion for nineteen years and on the cabinet for six, one would think I should have a good grasp of what goes on. Unfortunately, I still have more to learn, especially our involvement in Multiple District 5M (MD5M). Through the GREAT mentoring of DG Joe and 1st VDG Gloria, I have confidence that I will gain the necessary knowledge to be an effective leader. Of course, we also have numerous PDG's whose advice will also be appreciated.

I am looking forward to meeting the Lions of 5M1 and working for success in our district and club projects. September is zone meeting month. I look forward to beginning with the new format for the meetings — observing and learning.

2nd VDG Earl

Pin Trader Swap Meet

The 5M Pin Traders Club is made up of Lions (who just happen to LOVE Lions pins) from all over Multiple District 5M (MD5M) as well as Lions from all over the United States.

The cost of membership is \$20 for two years. When you join for the two years, you will receive a bag of 20 pins.

We have a yearly meeting which is always held at the MD5M convention. Our Minnesota pin swap is being held on Saturday, September 10, 2011, at the Becker Community Center in Becker, MN, from 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM.

If you would like more information about the swap, please contact Lion Jim Hazeltine at 320-743-4126 or email at: jm3hz@frontiernet.net He is the current 5M Pin Traders Club treasurer and can also give you more information on membership.

If your club has never had a club pin or if it has been many years since your last pin, please feel free to contact me and I can answer some questions about getting a pin.

We are LIONS first, pin traders second!!! Have FUN!!!



2012 MD5M Snowman Pin. L to R: Prestige Pin for pin traders; standard pin.

The smaller of the two pins, on the right, is the pin that each district governor has available for purchase. The larger one is a Prestige pin put out by our 5M Pin Traders Club. It is a little larger, with a rounded raised tummy on the snowman. This pin is only available from the 5M Pin Traders.

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Explore the New LCIF Web Site

Did you know LCIF has a new Web site? Some of the new features include [stories of individuals](#) who have been impacted by the work of LCIF, an area to [submit your own story](#), and a new [online MJF application](#).

DG Joe's Column and Travels

Other Stuff

Red Wing will be celebrating their 65th anniversary on October 24. Mark your calendars; let's support Red Wing as they celebrate this milestone.

Don't forget to plant trees, attend the 5M1 Fall Lions Forum on October 8th at Rochester RCTC Heintz Center, recruit new Lions — one under 40 and two females per club — and help the GMT team start two new clubs when asked. In the words of MD5M's new international director, PCC Lion Brian Sheehan, "It is a great day to be a Lion."

DG Joe's Travel Calendar

August

- 27 Can Do Canines 18th Annual Heel and Wheel Dog Walk in Minnetonka

September

- 6 Zone 1
8 Zone 4
13 Zone 3
15 Zone 2
17 Stewartville Fall Fest
18 La Crescent Apple Fest
20 Zone 5
22 - 25 USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum
29 Zone 6

October

- 1 MD5M Lions Hearing and Research Foundation and Minnesota Lions Vision Foundation Tours
2 Puppy Day at Rockwell City Correctional Facility
4 Caledonia Visit
6 Wykoff Visit
8 Lions Fall Forum — RCTC Heintz Center in Rochester
10 Lake City Visit
11 Byron Visit
13 Winona Sunset Visit
24 Kasson Mantorville Visit
27 Rochester '76 Visit
29 Thanksgiving for Vision

Why Should You Attend the 5M1 Fall Forum?

By PDG Dick Whitaker

Have you ever given thought to how you might provide more leadership for your Lions club? What can you do to help grow your club's membership and to increase club activities and projects? You can get new ideas on ways "to lead" by attending the Lions Fall Forum on Saturday, October 8.

The forum will be held at the Heintz Center at Rochester Community Technical College from 8:30 a.m. until noon and will feature three seminars specifically targeting ideas on how you can improve your leadership skills to benefit your club. A registration form is included in this newsletter.

Note also, there will be a cabinet meeting following lunch, and it is open to anyone attending the forum.

Featured speakers for the forum include Past International Director Ron Duffe, who is serving as a Global Leadership Team area leader for Multiple District 5M as well as other multiple districts. PID Duffe will address the need for greater efforts in districts to develop leadership skills at both the club and district level. Also presenting will be Dave Weber from the Rochester Community and Technical College who will speak on creative and innovative ways to develop leadership skills both individually and within the membership of your club.

The third presentation will feature Lion Steve Wasserman, the Technology Operations Consultant on the MD5M Council who will cover a very timely topic on how to use social media like Twitter and Facebook to reach out to current and potential Lion members.

As you will note on the registration form, attendees can choose to register for the forum, which will include breakfast served at 8:30, and also for lunch served at the conclusion of the forum and just prior to the Governor Joe's cabinet meeting.

Please register by September 30th with a separate registration form for each member of your club planning to attend.

Here is an excellent opportunity for you to develop and improve your leadership skills for the benefit of your Lions club.

White Cane Safety Day

By Kristin Oien, Minnesota State Academy for the Blind

Greetings, Lions of Minnesota,

I hope this email finds you well. The purpose of this correspondence is two-fold — first to introduce myself and, secondly, to invite you all to attend and support a statewide event. My name is Kristin Oien, and I am the new State Specialist for the Blind and Visually Impaired. As a member of the Minnesota State Academy for the Blind (MSAB) Site Council, I recently proposed that we should celebrate White Cane Safety Day to increase public awareness and share information regarding citizens who are blind or visually impaired. The response was very positive and planning has begun. A Wikipedia definition of White Cane Safety Awareness Day is as follows:



“White Cane Safety Day is a national observance in the United States, celebrated on Oc

tober 15 of each year since 1964. The date is set aside to celebrate the achievements of people who are blind or visually impaired and the important symbol of blindness and tool of independence, the white cane. On October 6, 1964, a joint resolution of the U.S. Congress, H.R. 753, was signed into law as Pub. L. 88-628, and codified at 36 U.S.C. § 142. This resolution authorized the president of the United States to proclaim October 15 of each year as "White Cane Safety Day." President Lyndon B. Johnson signed the first White Cane Safety Day proclamation within hours of the passage of the joint resolution.”

The MSAB Site Council and the MSAB Foundation (www.msabfoundation.org) are planning to celebrate White Cane Safety Awareness Day in Minnesota on Friday, October 14, 2011, on the MSAB campus at 400 SE 6th Avenue, Faribault, MN 55021 from 9:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. The Minnesota Lions clubs members, MSAB student body and staff, MSAB Foundation members, and children and adults from Minnesota who are blind or visually impaired will be invited to attend. We will have a short program on the MSAB campus, walk with our white canes in Faribault, and return to MSAB for a picnic lunch and campus tours.

We plan on offering a bag lunch and t-shirt to all attendees, and that is where your valued support comes in! The cost of the event will be approximately \$18 per participant, and we need monetary funds in order to make this day a success! Would your club be willing to donate monies to help with the costs involved? (We will have an estimate of total costs as registrations are received.) If yes, please contact MSAB Foundation President, Rolland Baldwin at

info@msabfoundation.org.

Thank you so much for taking the time to read and consider this invitation for your participation. Registration information will be forwarded to you soon. I hope to see many of you at MSAB on October 14th, 2011!

Please contact Kristin Oien if you have any other questions at

kristin.oien@state.mn.us or

Phone: 651-582-8843

Sincerely,

Kristin Oien

Save the Date!

What: White Cane Safety Awareness Day Proclamation, White Cane Walk, Picnic Lunch, MSAB Campus, Tours and T-shirts!

**When: Friday, October 14th, 2011
9:30am – 1:30pm**

**Where: Minnesota State Academy for the Blind Campus
400 SE 6th Avenue
Faribault, MN 55021**

Registration information will be sent out soon; hope to see you there!



White cane equals independence.

Jungle Days in Adams a Big Success

By 2nd VDG Earl Orvik. Pictures by Lion Marti Friest, Southland/LeRoy Independent, Evans Publishing



The annual District 5M1 Jungle Days golf tournament was held August 1st at the Cedar River Golf Course with the Adams Lions Club hosting. The weather was warm, but the fellowship of 5M1 Lions was greater! Eighty four golfers participated. Prizes

were awarded for first, sixth, eleventh, sixteenth, and second to last places. PDG's Randi and Al Fravert missed out again and finished third from last!

The big prize of the day was a 40" flat-screen TV won by PDG Clair Mrotek. Equally as big was an Ipad, won by Zone Chairman Gene Lundak's brother from Albert Lea, Dave Lundak. The Nook was won by Bob Varga of Lake City. Golfers could enter the drawing for these prizes by paying \$5.00 to land a ball on the green of the par three holes. Chances were also sold in the clubhouse for \$10.00.



Forty-inch TV Winner. L to R: PDG Clair Mrotek, DG Joe; David Nally, Camp Winnebago counselor; Lion Bruce Klein, Lion Bruce Montplaisir, PDG Mel Brand; Dagoberto Sancho, Camp Winnebago counselor; PDG Al Fravert.

A steak dinner and door prizes were enjoyed by 110 Lion members. We also appreciated a visit from

four exchange students brought by cabinet member Lion Nadeen Lunde.

This event raised \$435 for **Can Do Canines**, \$495 for **Camp Winnebago**, and \$907 (including a Chinese auction!) for **Minnesota Lions Vision Foundation**. Thank you to all who made this event a success!



Winner of the iPad. Dave Lundak. L to R: PDG Clair Mrotek, Lion Dave Lundak, Albert Lea; Bergan Lundak, DG Joe, Lion Gayle Bergstrom, Adams Lions club president.



E-book winner: Bob Varga L to R: PDG Ron Norton, Lion Bob Varga, Lake City Lions; Gary Thome, Adams Lions; DG Joe.

PDG Ron Norton and Lion Gary Thome of Adams manned the par 3 thirteenth hole for Can Do Canines. PDG Clair Mrotek and Adams President Gayle Bergstrom collected money on the par 3 eighth hole for Minnesota Lions Vision Foundation. Camp Winnebago staffers David Nally and Dagoberto Sancho tended the par 3 third hole with help from Lion Randi Juhl of Adams.

Please Welcome Our Newest Members!

By 1st VDG Gloria Dockter

July 1, 2011 thru August 20, 2011

NAME	CLUB	SPONSOR
Sydney Y. Hataye	Austin Morning Lions Club	Gareth S. Hataye
Bruce G. Dankers	Goodhue Lions Club	Russ Ehlers
Kari Jandt	La Crescent Lions Club	Eileen C. Krenz
Alex Wieser	La Crescent Lions Club	William Goff
Constance A. Anderson	Lake City Lions Club	Lyle E. Mathison
Wendy L. Jones	Lake City Lions Club	Richard Boettcher
Fred Williams	Mabel Lions Club	Donald Gjere
Lee H. Boettcher	Stewartville Lions Club	George Rosin
John Engel	Stewartville Lions Club	Leigh J. Murphy
Brett M. Struhar	Stewartville Lions Club	James R. Brott

A Thank You from PDG Randi Fravert

Lions of 5M1,

I want to thank each and every Lion in the district. With your help and commitment, I ended my year with a +2 member which helps me qualify for the 2010-2011 District Governor Team Excellence Award.

I also received the award for the 2010-2011 Lions Global Service Action Campaign, thanks to all the clubs in the district for reporting their service projects during the year. The letter reads:

Dear Past District Governor:

It is my pleasure to enclose the Silver Level: Harbor Light Master award to recognize your district's high level of involvement in the 2010-2011 Lions Global Service Action Campaigns.

To receive this award, at least half of the clubs in your district participated in two or more of the

service campaigns and in doing so, helped shine our light even brighter.

Congratulations on your achievement. I hope you will continue to light the path to serve and be a Beacon of Hope to those in need.

Sincerely,

***Sid L. Scruggs, III
Immediate Past International
President***



During my year, the Lions in District 5M-1 were Beacons of Hope to many in your many projects. It was an extreme pleasure and honor to serve as your district governor for the year 2010 through 2011. Thank you again for supporting me during the year, and continue being the light to the world with all we do as Lions.

Sincerely,
Immediate Past District Governor Randi Fravert

Public Relations Done Right

By PDG Bob Andraschko

The Winona Sunset Lions Club was fortunate to have had Lion Gale Bruessel, the District 5M1 public relations chairperson, speak at a meeting during the last Lions year.

If your club would like someone to give an excellent presentation and make your Lions members stop and think about what they can and should do to blow their Lions club horn, get Lion Gale.



Lion Gale Bruessel

Some really great ideas will be presented to your club members. One of them that really struck me was putting together a handout of what your club does throughout the year. This can be done on a ¼ sheet of 8 ½ x 11 paper. Lion Gale has the club information on one side of the handout, and the other side has a recipe for white chili. This could be a handout to use every time you have a club project.

We had a pancake breakfast last February, and we had this recipe idea available. It was surprising how many were picked up. Our club used a different recipe; you could have a different one for each project during the year. We also had available at that time extra copies of club newsletters, the LION magazine, and items about Lions in general.

Lion Gale mentioned that a lot more clubs in the district now have newsletters, which to me should not be a problem for any club. With the availability of the internet and most of the members having access to it, all clubs should have a simple newsletter. Get someone with a camera for club activities, a column by the president, your club calendar, minutes from your last meeting, an up-coming project, an item from our

outstanding District 5M1 newsletter, an item from the Lions Clubs International (LCI) website and, in a couple of hours, you can put together a newsletter to keep your club members informed — especially those Lions who have missed a meeting. Use email for sending most of your newsletters.

The most important thing your club can do is to invite Lion Gale Bruessel to your meeting. You won't be disappointed.

5M1 Lions Support MS

By PDG Dudley Parsons

For the past 22 years, the Multiple Sclerosis (MS) Society has sponsored a pledged bicycle ride in Minnesota. **The Ride Across Minnesota (TRAM)** started and ended in Rochester this year.



Rest Stop in Mantorville. Lion Dave Aakre gets ready to fill his water bottle and chats with Lion Lynn Knutson before heading to Owatonna.

This year, and many other years, several other Lions from 5M1 either rode in or volunteered in the ride. Lions whom I know participated besides me include **Lion Dave Aakre, Kasson-Mantorville Lions; Lion Lynn Knutson, Lion Schultz, Cannon Falls Lions; Lion Ger Danielson, and Lion Mike Haider, Pine Island Lions.** I'm pretty sure there are others from the district, and I know there are many other Lions from around the state who also participate. In total, the 800 or more riders collected around \$800,000 in pledges this year.

IF you get asked by a Lion to support him or her with a pledge, please do it! MS DOES cause vision problems, so it is not a stretch to think that this could be a Lions project.



Lancer Leo's at Work

By *Lion Rande Gustafson*

LANCER LEO'S PARTICIPATE IN AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY RELAY FOR LIFE

Sixteen Lancer Leo's participated in the Houston County Relay for Life event on August 5th and 6th in La Crescent, Minnesota. The Lancer Leo's registered their team in March and began raising money for the Relay for Life event in April. They set a goal of raising \$1,000 for the American Cancer Society. Two weeks prior to the Relay For Life Event, the Leo's had already raised over \$1,700, so they set a new goal of raising \$2,500. By the morning of August 6th, the Lance Leo's RFL Team had raised over \$2,800 for the American Cancer Society



At the Relay.

The Leo's Relay For Life Team met at least five times in June and July to brainstorm ways to raise money and encourage involvement. Some of the ways the Leo's raised funds for the Relay for Life included:

- Selling daffodils
- Selling luminaries
- Securing a business sponsor
- Having a bake sale
- Soliciting individual donations
- Donating a silent auction item
- Selling glow sticks at the event
- Selling cupcakes at the event

The Lancer Leo's Team had at least two members at a time walking all night to show support for cancer victims, cancer survivors and their families. Leo's also helped with setting up the event, helped with the entertainment, and participated in several activities throughout the night. The Leo's team captain, Corinna Wang, also served on the Relay for Life planning committee. Ms. Wang put in dozens of hours to help make the event a huge successful.



Taking a break. Several members of the Lancer Leo's Relay for Life Team stop for a picture.

The Lancer Leo's are sponsored by the La Crescent Lions and the Hokah Lions. They currently have 31 active members and will be recruiting new members when school begins. The Lancer Leo's began meeting in January and were chartered in March. Since January they have conducted five successful service projects and put in hundreds of volunteer hours in the community.

Dennison Lions in Action

The Dennison Lions have, once again, in conjunction with Dennison Days, provided a mini-health clinic with this year's Waffle Breakfast on Saturday, August 6th.



Dennison Lions Blood Glucose Screening. Pictured here are three of the volunteers who assisted with diabetes screenings and blood pressure testing. Standing in the background, wearing a yellow Lions cap, is organizer Lion Gary from Dennison.

Thanks to Lion Gary and the Dennison Lions for being proactive in the efforts to provide diabetes awareness. Nearly 20 free screenings have been sponsored by Lions clubs throughout District 5M1 this year.

2011 District 5M1 Lions Fall Forum



WE SERVE

October 8, 2011 8:30-Noon
Rochester Community Technical College
Heintz Center
1926 College View Road SE
Rochester, MN 55904



WE SERVE

Park in lot east of the Heintz Center. Driving directions:
<http://www.rctc.edu/campustour/getting-to-ucr.html>)

Schedule
8:30-9:00 Breakfast
9:00-12:00 Forum
12:00 Lunch
Cabinet meeting following lunch- any Lion is welcome to attend.

Speakers
<i>Global Leadership Team (GLT) – PID Ron Duffe</i>
<i>Innovation and Creativity - Dave Weber</i>
<i>Social Networking - Steve Wasserman</i>

Please fill out one registration form for each member.

Clubs can send one check for all members. Provide a SEPARATE FORM for EACH member

Name: _____ Club: _____
 Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
 Phone: _____ Email: _____

Check if this is your first Fall Forum (previously Leadership Forum)

Registration

Check items you wish to attend	Item	Cost
	Fall Forum and Breakfast: Bagels with a variety of spreads, yogurt and berries, Danish rolls and muffins, fresh fruit, orange juice, coffee	\$10.00
	Lunch: Croissant or Kaiser roll stuffed with ham, roast beef, or turkey along with lettuce, tomato, cheese, and mayonnaise; fresh fruit, pasta salad and pickle; water and coffee	\$8.00

Registration deadline is September 30, 2011!

Cash
 Check Number _____
 Total Submitted \$ _____

Make checks payable to: District 5M1

Mail Registrations to:
 Larry Stryker
 407 N. 14th Street
 La Crescent MN 55947
 Or email: larryinmn@gmail.com

There will be a drawing for a 5M1 mid-winter convention hospitality book -- must be present to win.

Lion Joe Schlichenmeyer
District Governor 5M1

1242 Morse Avenue
St. Charles, MN 55972



Feel free to copy any portion of this newsletter.

Club Request for District Governor Joe's Visit

Today's date: _____

Club name: _____

Name and location of meeting place: _____

Dates in order of preference: 1st _____ 2nd _____

Time of meeting: _____ Social time: _____ Meal: Yes/No

If this is a joint meeting with another club, please specify the club name: _____

List any functions you would like me to do: (awards, inductions, etc.)

Do I need to bring the PA system? Yes/No Podium? Yes/No

Name of club president: _____

Contact person: _____ Telephone: _____

I will confirm the date after it is scheduled on my calendar.

Please send your request to me as soon as possible. Thank You.

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