

# PRIDE OF LIONS



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## District 105A News DG Sarbjit Assi

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## District 105A twins with German District 111NW





#### LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT TWINNING

#### 105A (ENGLAND) AND 111NW (GERMANY)

Wilhelmshaven, 26 April 2014

This certificate is signed on the occasion of the District Convention of 111WV to confirm the friendly twinning of the two Districts. We pledge to promote joint activitys in pursuit of our Lions Clubs objects, and for the benefit of the peoples of the world.

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Sarbiit Assi, District Governor 105A

Diese Urkunde wurde anlässlich der Distrikt-Versammlung von 111NW unterschrieben, um die freudschaftliche Partnerschaft der beiden Distrikte zu bekräftigen. Wir versprechen, gemeinsame Aktivitäter zu fördern, die Ziele von Lions zu verfolgen, zum Wohle der Völker der Welt.

1. Bierna Dr. Ursula Biermann, District Governor 111NW

## The Black, White and Shades of Grey Gala Ball

Probably the most prestigious charity event of 2014 takes place at the Double Tree by Hilton Milton Keynes on Saturday 14th June 2014. The magnificent Ballroom will set the scene for this not to be missed event.

The purpose of the evening is to celebrate the achievements of people living with disabilities, and raise the profile of some of the leading organisations working within this field. Organised by Lions Clubs International the evening will raise much needed funds for three very worthy charities, **Special Olympics Great Britain, MK Dons Sports and Education Trust Disability Sports and Medic Alert.** 

We are looking for knowledgeable Lions to host each table, we expect to cater for approximately 400 people, including famous guest celebrities and athletes. We would also ask if any Lion would like to sponsor a table of 10 people for which a number of packages are available at different prices. So if you feel this is something you might be able to help with, or would like more information, please call: IPCC Martin Morgan on 01908 379500.

## Change of name for a Lions Club

would like to notify that starting immediately London White City Lions Club will be known as Wormholt and White City Lions Club. DO Lion Kadu Shah



### ... NOTICE BOARD ...

#### LIONS CLUB OF LONDON HORNSEY

LP PDG Wesley de Mendonca and the Members of the Lions Club of London Hornsey announce 30th Charter Anniversary DINNER AND DANCE Saturday 17th May 2014. VENUE.... ALEXANDRA PALACE, LONDESBOROUGH ROOM, ALEXANDRA PALACE WAY. N22 7AY TIME: -7.30 pm PRICE £35 per person LCI Purpose: To Show my faith in the worthiness of my vocation by industrious application to the end that I may merit a reputation for quality of service.





# DG Sarbjit's Story





Official Visit Watford

It gave me a great pleasure also to induct two new members in Watford Lions Club.

Harrow and Pinner Charter night on the 12th was a very enjoyable evening. Then the following day we had a Leo Awareness Lunch. We were joined by Leos and Lion Minesh Mehta.

I was privileged to attend the Vaisakhi fund raising function of Wanstead & Woodford Lions club on the 18th and Fairlop Lion club on the 19th. Both evenings were very enjoyable and full of fun. Substantial amount of funds were raised in aid of Eye Camps. Well done.

On Easter Sunday Kuldip and I joined members of Lions Club of Ealing accompanied by our DGE Lion Ramesh Parmar, for tree planting. These trees were sponsored by club members, an excellent environmental activity.



Official Visit Staines & Ashford

Kuldip and I travelled to Germany on the 24th April to attend the Convention and the Twinning of District 111NW with our District 105A, which took place in Wilhelmshaven in Germany on the 25th-26th April.Our International Relations Officer Lion Mike Baldwin and his good lady Janet were also present. Informal get together on Friday was very interesting and enjoyable. It was a nice atmosphere with Jazz music and a delicious buffet, Lions from the whole District participated.

On the Convention day I endorsed in my speech that our Partnership with District 111NW was a wonderful opportunity to fulfil the Third Purpose of Lions Clubs International: "To create and foster a spirit of understanding among the peoples of the World". By establishing a formal twinning relationship, we have opportunities to mutually cooperate on a variety of projects, learn from each other's cultures and customs, and foster more club and community twinning in our Districts.

After the Convention was over, we headed back to London to attend the 37th Charter of my own club London Acton. We returned at 7.40pm and we were then whisked away by our son to the venue.



London Acton Charter

Next morning we attended Lions club of Thame's charter lunch. It was an honour for me and other Lion officers to be invited by the Worshipful Mayor of Thame Councillor Peter Lambert to accompany him to take the salute from the Scouts in a parade.

MD Convention in Manchester is fast approaching on 9th -11th May. If you have not booked yet please do so. This is a fantastic opportunity to meet members





Leo Awarness Lunch

from all the Districts and is promised to be a very enjoyable weekend.

My Fellow Lions, membership and formation of new clubs is the key to our organisation's prosperous future, so please work to achieve this goal.

Dreams are hard to follow, but don't let anyone tear them away, together we can face any challenges by "Caring & Sharing" we serve.

DG Sarbjit Assi



Mayor, DG and members Thame LC

DG's wife's request to all the Clubs If you have already supported my nominated charity by your generous donations a 'Big Thank You', and if any other clubs would also like to send donations to support my charity it will be much appreciated. Many thanks.

Kuldip

#### My Diary – May 2014

- High Wycombe Lions Club Charter 3"
- 7<sup>th</sup> **MD** Convention Manchester
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- 10<sup>th</sup> MD Convention Manchester
- 14<sup>th</sup> OV Stanmore Lions Club
- 15<sup>th</sup> Visit Enfield Lions Club
- 16<sup>th</sup> London Park Royal Lions Club Charter Celebrations
- 17<sup>th</sup> Edgware Lions Club Charter Celebrations
- 18<sup>th</sup> Cabinet Meeting
- Family Day
- <sup>1</sup> Incoming Officers Seminar
- 26th Family Day
- 30th Zone D Social
- 31<sup>st</sup> Family Day
- OV = Official visit