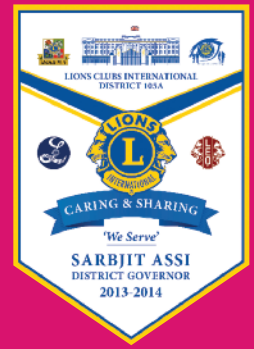




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National Brain Appeal



Wembley (Brent) Lions Club, formed in 1969, elected its first Lady President in 2012. NBA was her chosen charity and in order to support this cause the Club has held various events in the past year. On 4th December 2013 at its business meeting, the club was delighted to present a cheque for £1,575 to CEO of NBA Ms. Theresa Dauncey.

Lions Peace Poster Competition

This year it is the 26th Year of the Lions Peace Poster competition.

Last week our own District Competition came together; the skill, art work and ideas of the young people taking part once again left us in awe. The winners were:

1st prize - Lyaswara Valentine age 13 from Northwood College. Sponsored by the Lions Club of Harrow and Pinner.

2nd prize - Callum Collins age 13 from Princes Risborough School. Sponsored by the Lions Club of High Wycombe.

3rd prize - Mari Watkins age 12 from Biggleswade Academy. Sponsored by the Lions club of Biggleswade and Sandy.

Lion Lesley Spence

Nominations for the Club of the Year

Self-nominations for "Club of the Year: Service in the Community Award" for 2012 - 2013 are to be sent no later than Friday, 14 February 2014.

Rules and procedures can be found on the 105A District website. On the top menu select Competitions. A list of competitions will appear. Select the third item: "Club of the Year for Service in the Community" for the information provided. Self-nominations should be submitted in writing and sent by post (not Email) to: 11 Everest Road, London SE9 6PX. However, please send me an Email (e.shubert@sky.com) indicating that you are sending a nomination by post.

Please ensure that you provide adequate documentation, including copies of newspaper articles, etc.

The Rules are structured so that small and large clubs have an equal chance of winning. If you have any questions, please contact me.

The winning club for 2012-2013 will be announced at the 2014 District Convention.

PDG Prof Elliot Shubert & Dr Eileen Cox
Sponsors of the Club of the Year Award

Lions Club of Osterley

8th Charter Night
Friday 24th January 2014
at Indian Gymkhana Club
7.30pm till late
Thornbury Avenue
Middlesex TW7 4NQ
Tel: 0208 568 4009

Mouth watering four course Menu

Generous Raffle prizes

Starter served from 8pm

An evening of fun, dance and music

Money raised for Lionistic Charities

Ample free parking

Energy Packed Bollywood Dance

Contact Jassi: 01753545224
Meena: 07984772809

Tickets £27

... NOTICE BOARD ...

Senior Citizens Celebrations on Sunday 2nd February 2014.

Make sure your Club takes part in this hugely popular event. Contact PDG Lion Parveen Verma for details.

District 105A Convention:

Some Clubs have still not sent in their booking forms. Go to the District 105A website or contact PDG Lion Ken Rouse for details.

LCI Purpose:
*To Unite the clubs
in the bonds of
friendship, good
fellowship and
mutual
understanding.*





DG Sarbjit's Story



My Fellow Lions

I hope you and your families all had a good Christmas and I wish you all a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

In December I visited London Mill Hill, Tring, Barking, Letchworth, Fairlop, Winslow and Milton Keynes Stony Stratford Lions Clubs. While on my visits I was very pleased and impressed to see how everyone was working towards making Christmas a happy and enjoyable one for those who are less fortunate than ourselves, by distributing presents, food parcels, holding Christmas Fetes, Santa slays etc. Thank you to all.



DG Santa distributing presents

My visit to the Log Cabin (an Ealing Charity) on the 18th Dec. accompanied by my club members from London Acton was welcomed by the children and their families. For the last 15 years I have visited as Santa distributing presents to the children, we have been supporting this charity for the last 30 years.

The Log Cabin provides opportunities for children with additional needs or disabilities to

socialise and play and giving their parents and carers respite.

On the 19th December Kuldip and I had the pleasure of attending the High Tea in Churchill Room at the House of Commons in aid of her nominated charity Alzheimer's. The event was organised by Zone D Chairperson Lion Manju Parmar. It was attended by many Lions from my own club, London Acton, as well as members from other clubs and also MP Bob Blackman. I would like to thank ZC Lion Manju for all her hard work and also all the Lions for their support.

Our Convention from 28th Feb - 1st March will be upon us soon, so I request you all to please book now if you have not done so. Booking form is on our website.

Membership, my fellow Lions, is a concern to us all for the wellbeing of our District 105A. I urge all members to invite new members and possibly form new clubs. This is the only way forward.

I would also like to say thank you and well done to our PDG Lion Surjit Bhalla, who visited Lions Club of Rishikesh Divine – District 321C-1 – India in aid of the Uttarakhand Disaster Relief fund. He presented the donations collected from various clubs from our District. I would also like to say thank you to all the clubs in our District 105A for their tremendous efforts in helping the community Locally, Nationally and Internationally.

As you all know that this is the second half of my year as District Governor. I would like to mention to all my fellow Lions that the new year stands before us, like a chapter in a book, waiting to be written. We can help write that story by setting goals for the next six months.



Inducting new member Richard Winslow LC

We as Lions have a deep understanding of our true value and worth of our unlimited potential to work as teams to help the less fortunate than ourselves by **Caring and Sharing. We Serve.**

DG Sarbjit Assi

DG's wife's message

Thank you to all the clubs for supporting my nominated charity Alzheimer's.

Kuldip



MK Stony Stratford Official visit

My Diary – January 2014

- 6th OV Newport Pagnell & Olney Lions Club
- 8th OV Wanstead & Woodford Lions Club
- 12th Cabinet Meeting with Partners
- 13th OV London China Town
- 14th OV Kenton Lions Club
- 15th OV London Host Lions Club – Lunch meeting
- 15th OV London Belmont Lions Club – Evening
- 21st Zone B Meeting
- 23rd OV Moor Park Lions Club
- 24th Osterley Lions Club Charter Celebration
- 25th CoG Meeting
- 26th CoG Meeting
- 28th Visit to No. 10 Downing Street
- OV = Official visit



House of Commons MP Bob Blackman