

# 9th - 11th May 2025 Multiple District 105

# **CONVENTION NEWSLETTER**

A message from our Council Chair

### **CC Lion Kavaljit Dev**

- **Dear Lions and Friends,**
- We are thrilled to welcome you to the picturesque coastal town of Llandudno for this year's Lions Clubs National Convention. This annual gathering brings together passionate Lions from across the country, uniting us in our mission to
- G serve and make a difference in our communities.
- **Convention Highlights** 
  - Opening Ceremony Join us on the first day for an inspiring opening ceremony. We are joined Past International President Lion Brian Sheehan and his wife Lion Lori. We will be featuring



- keynote speeches from motivational speakers, setting the tone for a dynamic convention. Expect emotional stories
  - and powerful messages that will reignite your passion for
    - If you have not booked in yet for the Host Night or the Celebration Dinner on Saturday evening, Venue Cymru will soon require our final numbers, and once those figures are submitted, they cannot be changed due to catering commitments. To avoid disappointment, I kindly encourage you to complete your bookings online as
    - soon as possible. These events are key highlights of the weekend and a wonderful opportunity to come together in fellowship and celebration.

Let's also show our full support for our incoming District Governors Elect on Sunday morning, it would mean a great deal to them to see a strong turnout.

A gentle reminder: Kindly refrain from using glitter, in keeping with venue policies. I very much look forward to seeing you all in Llandudno.

When in the CYMRU CENTRE, visit our Exhibition area and explore our Exhibitor Hall where we will have our Multiple District Officers showcase their projects. Discover new ideas and see resources that can support your club's initiatives, and take the opportunity to learn about them.

#### **Gala Dinner**

Join us for a night of celebration during the Gala Dinner. This formal event will include the wonderful entertainment supplied by 'Summit of Soul', who will have you dancing the night away.

#### **Travel and Accommodation Tips**

Llandudno offers a range of accommodations to suit every budget. From charming bed-and-breakfasts to luxurious hotels, you will find the perfect place to relax after a day of inspiring sessions. You can always take the open top bus to nearby Conwy and see the fabulous castle.

Transportation to the convention venue is easily accessible. with public transport options and parking available at the Venue Cymru (Convention Centre) for those traveling by car. We encourage you to explore the stunning surroundings of Llandudno, including the Great Orme and the beautiful beaches, as you take a break from convention activities.

We are excited to come together as a community of Lions, united by our commitment to service. This year's convention promises to be a memorable experience filled with learning, inspiration, and fellowship. Thank you for your dedication to making a difference, and we look forward to seeing you in Llandudno!

## FRIDAY NIGHT HOST NIGHT

**FUN STARTS** FROM 6pm IN THE MAIN HALL **COME AND TRY** YOUR LUCK WITH A NUMBER OF **CARNIVAL GAMES** WITH LOADS OF PRIZES AND CUDDLY TOYS





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# **CELEBRATING 75 YEARS OF LIONISM IN THE BRITISH ISLES**

### **Join us at National Convention!**

This year marks an extraordinary milestone in our proud history - 75 years of dedicated service by Lions in the British Isles.

Since our beginnings in 1949, Lions have been a beacon of kindness, community spirit, and unwavering service. Generation after generation, we have worked hand in hand to serve those in need. champion worthy causes, and uphold the values that have guided us from the very start.

Now, it's time to come together and celebrate all that we have achieved - and all that is still to come. We warmly invite all Lions, past and present, friends and supporters, to join us at this year's National Convention, where we will honour our rich legacy and look forward to a bright future of service.

#### What else is happening...

Please come and support or take part in the Friday afternoon litter pick starting at 1.15pm, details on the Lions registration desk. Also don't forget throughout the weekend we will have prostate cancer, diabetic and iron

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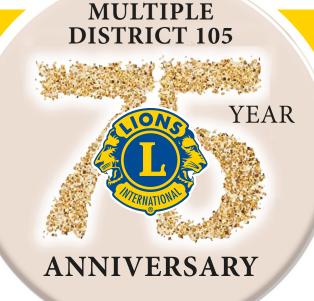
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deficiency screening for members Friday afternoon and throughout Saturday.

The Dementia bus will also be parked at the rear of the Convention venue for lots of info on Dementia.

#### **Come and celebrate 75 proud** vears of Lionism in the British Isles - TOGETHER, AS ONE FAMILY.

To support our celebrations we want to highlight some of our wonderful recycling projects - so please bring your spectacles so that we can collect 75,000 spectacles - bring food so we can collect 75kgs of food for the local food bank - and 75 bras for breast cancer research, 75 hearing aids, 75 old mobile phones. PLEASE don't forget your foreign coins and old postage stamps.





We look forward to welcoming you to Convention