



MD19 A1A7 JOINT BULLETIN FOR DECEMBER 2007



JOINT MESSAGE FROM ZC ELLIE & ZC TROY

*"IT IS ALWAYS A
SUNNY SMILE, AND
LITTLE IT COST IN
THE GIVING, BUT LIKE
MORNING LIGHT, IT
SCATTERED THE
NIGHT, AND MADE
THE DAY WORTH
LIVING!"*



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First let us wish you all a **"Merry Christmas"**.

This is the time of year for sharing, giving, and receiving. But let us not lose sight of the fact that hundreds of families are in need of Lions help this time of year. Open your hearts, your homes, and your clubs.

Our motto is: *TO SERVE* this is what Lions do best. It's not too late to get together with your club members, and other club's members, and serve the needs of your community.

It takes very little effort to make a difference in someone's life. Collect Toys for needy children, food hampers for needy families, care packages for battered women, and clothing for the homeless.

The rewards will come back to you in many ways. The biggest reward is the feeling inside that you cared enough to give. This is the true spirit of Christmas, and the true spirit of being a Lion.

Serving your community is one of the greatest gifts you can give.

Let all Lions become Santa's this month. Make this Christmas a Lions Christmas.

" May all your Christmas wishes come true."!





LATEST NEWS UPDATE



VDG
Candidates to
be elected at
our Spring
Conference on
April 5, 2008



A7
Lion Troy
Dalen, ZC

**A7 Zone Chair Elect
2008-09
Pres. Shella Keung
Vancouver Broadway
Lions Club**



A1
Lion Dickie
Lam, IPZC



CANCELLATION OF DISTRICT 19A DIABETES FUNDRAISING DINNER

Due to International President's schedule conflict, District 19A Diabetes Foundation has no other option but to cancel the dinner on January 5, 2008. Good news is that the Mobile Van is undergoing "interior finishing" and will be ready to operation very soon! Stay tuned.....



ANOTHER CONCEPT TO "JOINT CLUBS TWINNING CEREMONY DINNER" "CHALLENGE FOR CHANGE"



"Pentagon" Joint Clubs Twinning Ceremony Dinner for Vancouver Marpole Lions, Vancouver East Lions, Vancouver Chinatown Lioness, Vancouver Pacific Lions, and Vancouver Shaughnessy Lions Clubs will be

held on January 17, 2008 at Victoria Seafood Restaurant, Vancouver. \$25.00 per person at 6:30 p.m. ALL LIONS & LEOS FROM 19A are welcome to join these clubs for fun and fellowship! "Joining forces, Step up and Think beyond" STRIKES AGAIN!!!!

THE FIFTH ROUND OF APPLAUSE TO ALL THE HARDWORKING SECRETARIES!!!

**A1 AND A7 ACHIEVED
100% MMR AGAIN!!!**



A1 "ORIENTATION DAY"



Date
Nov. 25, 2007

Time
10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Venue
Vancouver East
Lions Den



A1 "ORIENTATION DAY"....

Dear fellow lions and leos, I was very happy with the participation and the enthusiasm exhibited by the members of the Clubs in A1. We had a good representation from the total number of Clubs in our Zone, and had closed to 70 members and guests. Really, it did take us (the Zone Team and me) quite a bit of time putting this together, but no doubt it is those who came that made it meaningful and successful.

All those wonderful pictures were mainly taken by Lion Alice Tu, partly by Lion Grace Hwo and Lion Harold Yuen. Thanks to the positive and encouraging comments by PZC Grace Hwo, IPDG Rita Fok and DG Henry etc.

Kudos to the 19A LEMPR Team's kick off (VDG Cecil Fung, PZC Marco Radunz, PZC Barney Tzau, PZC Grace Hwo, and PZC Angela Lam); the informative power point presentation of the "Open House Concept" by IPP Harold Yuen; the fun filled Tail Twisting by "Brat Pitt" Lion Kevin Tam, and the interactive presentation of "Members' Retention" by PZC Angela Lam.

Thanks again to Vancouver East Lions Club for booking the venue, ordering the marinated meat and sausages at a super reasonable price, and having the 3 handsome guys (Pres. Sam, PP Alec and Lion Jacky) doing the grill work. This was such an enjoyable day to be remembered.

Special thanks to the Zone T-shirt donor, a very good friend of ZC Ellie and Past Lion member of Vancouver Shaughnessy Lions Club.....Mrs. Karen Leung who is now residing in HK. This is a gesture of true Lionism which is much appreciated! Welcome to our lions dignitaries: Vice Council Chair Polly Voon, District Governor Henry Ng, Vice District Governor Cecil Fung, Cabinet Secretary & PDG Carol Simkin, IPDG Rita Fok, A7 Zone Chair & Vice District Governor 2008-09 Candidate Troy Dalen who joined us on that day.



Lion Alice Tu will be making a Scrap Book especially for this Zone Event and a complete set of photos was already posted on our Zone website for your enjoyment.

CLUBS Representation:

A1

Vancouver Arbutus Lions Club
Vancouver Cambie Lions Club
Vancouver Cathay Lions Club
Vancouver Cathay New Century Lions Club
Vancouver Chinatown Lions Club
Vancouver Central Lions Club
Vancouver East Lions Club
Vancouver Pacific Lions Club
Vancouver Shaughnessy Lions Club
Vancouver Templeton New Century Lions Club
Vancouver West Leos

A2

North Vancouver Host Lions Club

A7

Vancouver Marpole Lions Club
Vancouver South Lions Club
Vancouver Broadway Lions Club

A9

Burnaby Lougheed Lions Club



Super thanks to Lion Josephine for cleaning up the lady's room after the event. It is the courtesy & generosity of the Van.



East Lions to let us use their den for free. Please ensure to keep the property neat & tidy including the restrooms!



RECAPS



Congratulations to PZC Lion Marco Radunz (A7) and PZC Lion Grace Hwo (A1) for successfully complete the 2007-08 Senior Lions Leadership Institute for Lions from USA, Affiliates, Bermuda & the Bahamas and Canada. This institute took place in Oak Brook, Illinois, USA with approx. 50 participants in this unique learning experience. Their enthusiasm to enhance their knowledge and leadership skills for the benefit of the district, club and further leadership development are highly appreciated. Do make use of your sharpened skills by sharing this experience with others. It is this continual sharing of knowledge that will allow us all to look forward to a bright future for Lions Clubs International. Lion Grace has her feedback posted on the District website at LEMPR link and enjoy the photos of the Institute.

~ZC Ellie & ZC Troy~

More photos can be viewed at the A7 & A1 photo gallery webpages

Vancouver East Lions Senior Christmas Luncheon



Van. East Lions at the Remembrance Day



Van. Cathay NC Annual Curling Fundraiser



ZC Ellie's official visit to Van. Cathay NC Lions



ZC Troy's official visits to various clubs in A7



A1 LIONS' FAMILY CIRCLE



• Happy Retirement, Sec. & PP Lion Josephine Lee, Vancouver East Lions Club.

• Introducing Lioness PP Betty Chin's baby lion (her

first grandson Tylor).
Happy 10 months old!



Deepest Condolence to A1 Zone Secretary Lion Winnie Liu for losing her beloved mom in HK.

CONGRATULATIONS...

The Following lions have been awarded their President Excellence Award for the year 2006-07:

Linda Wong - Vancouver Arbutus Lions Club

Harold Yuen - Vancouver Cambie Lions Club

Peter Cheng - Vancouver Cathay Lions Club

Kenny Hsu - Vancouver Cathay New Century Lions Club

Bennie Mah - Vancouver Chinatown Lions Club

Margaret Kwok - Vancouver Pacific Lions Club

Teresina Lau - Vancouver Shaughnessy Lions Club

Michelle Pan - Vancouver Templeton New Century Lions Club

Shella Keung - Vancouver Broadway Lions Club

May Ho - Vancouver Metropolitan Lions Club

ERROR & OMISSION:

Omitting Sec. Nancy Fong from Vancouver Pacific Lions for achieving the 100% Secretary Award on the November bulletin.

UPCOMING A1 & A7 EVENTS & CHARITIES

Dec. 31 (Mon.)

* Vancouver Chinatown Lions Club New Year's Eve Ball at Pinnacle Hotel, Vancouver. \$98.00 per ticket.

** Vancouver Cathay Lions Club New Year's Eve Ball at Fairmont Waterfront Hotel, Vancouver. \$108.00 per ticket.

Jan. 17 (Thurs.) Joint Clubs Twinning Ceremony Dinner at Victoria Seafood Restaurant, Downtown Vancouver: \$25.00 Vancouver Pacific Lions (A1), Vancouver Shaughnessy Lions (A1); Vancouver East Lions (A1), Vancouver Marpole Lions (A7); and Vancouver Chinatown Lioness Clubs

Jan. 23 (Wed.) Vancouver Pacific Lions Club Open House at Fortune Restaurant, Oakridge Centre, Vancouver.

Feb. 2 (Sat.) Vancouver Shaughnessy Lions 20th Charter Anniversary Celebration Ball at Pinnacle Ballroom, Marriott Vancouver Pinnacle Downtown. \$98 per person.

Feb. 13 (Wed.) Vancouver Chinatown Lioness Master Kam Chinese New Year fortune telling at 6:30 p.m., Spicy Court Chinese Restaurant.

Feb. 16 (Sat.) Vancouver Broadway Lions Annual Fundraising Event.

March 2 (Sat.) Vancouver Metropolitan Lions Project "C" Phase II Fundraising Project.

**Zone A-7 15TH ANNUAL LIONS
FUNDRAISING ZONE PROJECT 2008
"CARNIVAL" DINNER & DANCE CRUISE**

**JUNE 1, 2008
M.V. "BRITANNIA"**

**District Governor's Upcoming
Official Visits (Revised):**

January 10	Vancouver Pacific New Century Lions Club (A1)
January 31	Vancouver Templeton Leos Club (A1)
February 5	Vancouver Marpole Lions Club (A7)
February 6	Vancouver Burrard Lions Club (lunch) A7
February 6	Vancouver Mandarin Lions Club (dinner) A1
February 12	Vancouver Cambie Lions Club (A1)
February 21	Vancouver Kingsway Lions Club (A1)

**ZONE CHAIRS OFFICIAL
VISITATION**

A-1 ZC Ellie:

January 28
Vancouver Mandarin Lions Club

March 5
Vancouver
Chinatown Lioness Club

A-7 ZC Troy:

January 8, 2008
Vancouver Marpole Lions Club

January 23, 2008
Vancouver Burrard Lions Club



**ANOTHER NEW CLUB TO BE
CHARTERED ON JANUARY 4, 2008**

BURNABY CENTRAL LIONS CLUB (A9)

**Charter Night at Floata Seafood Restaurant
Vancouver
\$25.00 per person**

Details at 19A district website

**NORTHWEST LIONS LEADERSHIP
INSTITUTE**

FEBRUARY 14-17, 2008
WENATCHEE, WA

CHECK MD19 WEBSITE FOR DETAILS
REGISTRATION DEADLINE
DECEMBER 15, 2007

**Pres. Lap Cheung from Van. Cathay NC Lions
(A1) will attend the institute.**

Congratulations to Vancouver West Leos' Installation Night...



Congratulations on Vancouver West Leo' Installation Night on December 7th. It was awesome!! Such energy, such vigor, a great group of future leaders!! I see the Lions Club's future in the hands of young Lions like yourself and your members. I am particularly impressed with the many Club projects you guys have , and headed by so many individual members. This

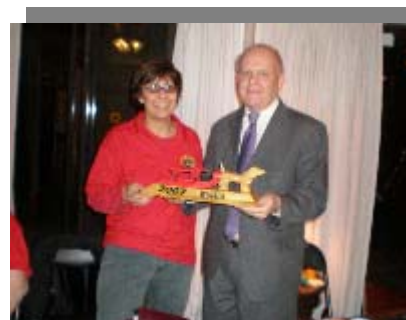
is exactly what we have emphasized in the A1 Zone Orientation Day...to put the Lion members to work, to get them involve in Club activities....and this will in turn create a spirit of belonging and this is what "Retention" is all about. The Entertainment provided was very professionally put together and I enjoyed it very much. Once again, thank you for inviting me and letting me be part of it. I am sure with Lion Paul Wong and CP Lion Linda Wong around, you Club is in good hands. I will encourage you and your Sec. to continue to come join us in the Zone Meetings if you could. Let us keep the communication channel open. Wishing your Club the Very Best !

~ ZC Ellie ~

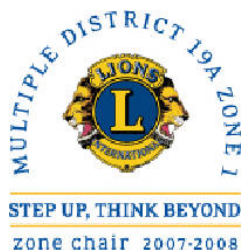


Sharing A7 Zone Social
 "Dog Race" fun photos...

**Winner of the President's Race
 Vancouver Burrard Lions Club!**



VDG Banner Passing
 November 14, 2007



A1 ZONE MEETING
January 27 (Sun.), 2008
Vancouver East Lions Den

A7 ZONE MEETING
January 12 (Sat.), 2008
Vancouver Marpole Lions Den

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