



**The Lions Club  
of Mandurah Inc.**

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# BULLETIN

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PRICELESS

## President's Report

Lion Robert Kelly



Being the President of a great organisation called the Mandurah lions Club is a great honour and achievement. Having 56 members to lead and be responsible for is a huge task, which is going to take some organisation, tact and assistance from my fellow lions.

My 3 Vice Presidents, Paul, Des and Bob have already shown a fantastic commitment to the running of the Mandurah Lions Club. Presently they have organised chair people for most of our projects. We still need a few more members to commit to some projects. So if you do not have a project to assist the club this year than put your hand up and catch up with Paul, Des and Bob.

My plan this year is to have a business night the second Tuesday of the Month meeting and enjoy a social concept for the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month meeting.

Our second meeting of the month will be taken up with fun, games, guest speakers and socialising.

The seven years I have been a Mandurah Lions member has been interesting to say the least. Cooking BBQs, meeting people in need, assisting people and lending a hand. These are the activities we as Lions are involved in.

In my seven years I have been Membership Chairman, Secretary and Vice President a

few times. I am starting to understand the inner workings of Lions, Multiple District, Lions Australia and Lions International. The processes of Lions are all set out and when you understand them it is clear and a process that has a purpose and meaning to it.

Do not ever be afraid to get involved in an activity/project of the club. If you are unsure or need assistance, members of our club will always assist you. Please just ask a Mandurah lion. They are all warm, interesting people who are living interesting lives.

I am looking forward to leading the Mandurah Lions Club during the 2017/2018 year and hope all Lions will join together as one and do what we do best and serve and make sure we have fun, fellowship, gain new skills and find out about ourselves during the process. Each year multiple District organise courses to assist Lions improve their knowledge and understanding of what being a Lion is all about.

On the Weekend of the 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> August at Busselton, we have a Leadership Training course and I hope Mandurah Lions members will see fit to complete this course.

It is in Busselton and you will learn new things and ideas and move out of your comfort Zone. Please think it through and put your hand up for this weekend.

Please feel free to approach any member of the board as we are here to assist the members of your club.

### QUOTE OF THE MONTH

***“Never look down on anybody unless you're helping him up”.***

**Jesse Jackson**



## 2nd Vice President's Report

Lion Des McLean

This is the first report for our new year and if it is any indication of things to follow verrrry busy. We don't realise the work that goes on behind the scenes. I have now contacted all the schools on our Book awards list advising them to send details to me when the time is right at the end of the year. I now know how much Lion Ray Blythe did in this area.

I have had discussions with the Manager of Disability services about the Children of courage awards. I asked him to have his Local Area Coordinators to look out for a couple of possible candidates amongst their client base.

A little later with Lion John Osborne we took damaged burners out of the big trailer and my grandson Shane is going to repair them One BBQ at a time. Next Friday John and I will be at the den to give the BBQs a thorough clean and inspection to make sure they are legal again.

Mean while back at the ranch I spoke with Kirsty at MADSAR about the Halls head swap meat ??? meet BBQs. The first one is to be held on the 13th August so at the meeting Tuesday night i will be looking for 8 volunteers to help. We are planning to Roster two shifts of 4 people. This will save us having 20 people standing around or worse still onlt two turning up to help.

Did I mention this is one Busy time



## 3rd Vice President's Report

Lion Bob Halford

I would like to thank those members who have taken on leadership roles in the Projects that I am responsible for. You all make up the 3rd Vice Presidents Advisery Committee and I look forward to working with you all. I have developed a basic Job Description of your roles and if there are any further developments to be made we will discuss them at a forthcoming Committee Meeting. I am still looking for someone to take on the Role of Guest Speakers.

**Club Purchasing Officer** (Den and Block Requirements, NOTE: each Project Chairperson is responsible for their own project purchases and should submit a budget prior to the Project to the Treasurer, these purchases are not the responsibility of the Club Purchasing Officer) **Jean Erasmus**

**Club Visitations** (To encourage the visits to other Clubs and Organizations that would be beneficial to our members) **Ian Kelly**

**Club Records / IT / Web Page / Face book** (Collate information and keep up to date records and events of all social Media platforms that the Club Administers) **Rob Garratt**

**Guest Speakers** (To org anise appropriate Guest Speakers for the 2nd Dinner Meeting of the Month with a 20 - 30-minute presentation) **Vacant**

**Lions Foundations** (To collate requests received and make recommendations to the board in support of those requests) **Evelyn Kelly**

**Dinner Steward / Apologies** (Responsibility of the Lion Tamer) **Wendy Ripley**

**Club Catering** (To coordinate any necessary catering for functions outside the Club's Dinner Meeting Program) **Ruth Norwell**

**Bar Project** (A cash book needs to be used on purchases and sales and a float system to be administered, Stocktake and ordering) **Anton Erasmus**

**Bar Serving Members** (We require members to serve only on Dinner meeting nights) **Ian Kelly, Garry Irvine, Bob Halford**

**Marketing / Publicity** (To org anise Marketing and Publicity for the Club in Newspapers, District Newsletters and liaise with the District Publication Chairman) **Bob Halford**

**Club Bulletin** (To assemble a monthly Bulletin and make it available to the Club Members of the events that have taken place and to take place) **Bob Halford**

**Club Program** (To coordinate the Club Program and publish the events on the Web Page and liaise with Bulletin to make members aware of up-coming events) **Wendy Ripley**

**Hall Hire** (To coordinate the hireage of the Den, keep up to date records of the tenants and keep a Calendar of the bookings on the Club Web Page) **Wendy Ripley**



# SENIORS INFORMATION DAY LUNCH BBQ

Thursday, 22nd June 2017 at Masonic Lodge



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RSVP by 5th August 2017  
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*request the pleasure of the company of*

**Mandurah Lions Members**

*to a Brunch at the Lions Service Centre  
95 Park Road, Mandurah*

*on*

*Saturday, 12th August 2017*

*at 10.30 am*

*to show our appreciation and thanks for your support*

## CLUB'S CHANGEOVER PHOTOS Sunday 9th July 2017



*Left: Lion of the Year, Joyce Covell Right with President Clive Cartledge*

*Right: Mandurah Lions Member Harald Lorek Life member receives a Certificate of Service by President Clive Cartledge on behalf of the Lions Centennial Committee. Harald was one of the 100 members who received this certificate. Harald has completed 50 Years of service to Lions Clubs International*



# MADSAR Community Group Presentation



The Mandurah Lions Club is supporting community groups who are assisting their community. MADSAR group assist people with disabilities and make sure they have everything they require to lead the best life they can. They also assist the families of these children and organise activities and support to make the families run a little smoother.

The Mandurah Lions Club donated a \$1000.00

cheque to MADSAR at a presentation at the Den on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> July 2017 before our meeting. Garrick Snell, a student I taught at Mandurah Education Support Centre presented a plaque to the Mandurah Lions Club in appreciation of our donation after being presented with our cheque. We will be assisting MADSAR again this year with monthly BBQs at Halls Head Shopping Centre.

## SERVICE TAGS PRESENTED

25/07/2017



*At the Dinner Meeting 25th July 2017  
Membership Chairperson Lion  
Margaret Halford presented Service  
Tags to the following Lions: Left, Lion  
Des McLean MBE 7 years, Middle, Lion  
Evelyn Kelly 26 Years and  
Above, Lions Graham Madigan 44  
years*