

Chance of a Lifetime – A Centennial Year Lions International Convention

Chicago, Illinois - Officially recognized birth place of Lions.

June 30 – July 4, 2017

Register now and save some money in registration fees. When you register, mark that you want to stay in your delegation hotel. You will be staying at the Holiday Inn Chicago Mart Plaza. \$149.00 plus tax. In the scheme of things this is not a bad price for Chicago in the summer. MD19 Hospitality Room will be in this hotel.

Plan now to march in the Convention Parade if you are able to walk the mile. It is an experience that you will long remember. The MD19 Uniform is **one of the most photographed uniforms** in all the parade. You will meet many great Lions and sometimes the only word you can both understand is "Lions", but it's enough.

Purchase your **official MD19 cowboy hat** now. You can get the hat at the MD19 Convention in Spokane, at the MD19 Office in Bellingham and at your District Spring Conference **IF** you order from the MD19 Office and ask that it be delivered at the conference.

It's worth taking the hat to the convention. Many Lions will want to trade hats or other items of their uniform for your hat. It's very popular. You will also need the **red MD19 vest, white shirt, white slacks or skirt, white shoes and an MD19 bag** if you are planning to carry anything with you in the parade. Start asking around to see if you can borrow someone's vest and save some money. You must have the official MD19 Parade uniform including the hat to walk in the Centennial Parade this year.



Come celebrate Lions 100th Birthday with Lions from around the world. It will be an amazing experience! Here the band "Chicago" and the "Beach Boys" play at the International Show. Plan now to make it happen now. Don't want to wait until the last minute.

Celebrate 100 years with your Fellow Lions from around the globe.