

Leadership 101 / Membership 201 Report

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Council of Governors, Fellow Lions, Leos, and Guests:

MD19 is very fortunate to have Leadership 101 and Membership 201 training programs. During this Lions year 5 out of our 9 districts have held Leadership 101 training sessions and several have asked questions regarding the program.

District's C, D, E, G, and I have all had Leadership 101 training sessions. Each have been well received when presented to the members. District C did something unique this year in making it free for all participants using their district funds to cover expenses for the training. District B was scheduled to have a Leadership 101 training session but canceled at the last minute due to short notice about the training and lack of participants signing up.

All across MD19 clubs are turning in their charters. In two instances that I am aware of these clubs have refused the opportunity to have a Membership 201 program to help them recruit new members. As our membership continues to decline all of us needs to help promote opportunities to add members or form new clubs.

District I has held several Membership 201 courses and is seeing success with the program. District B was looking at doing a Membership 201 course. MD19 GMT Laura Wintersteen-Arleth has been willing to help districts with this program. Promoting and having Membership 201 courses for zones and clubs would be helpful in growing our organization.

Respectfully submitted

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