

LIONESSE REPORT

Report by: Lioness Anne Scott, Chairperson

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This report time frame is from February 1st – March 30th, 2016 and represents the 14 LIONESSE Clubs of MD 19. Membership: 233 Volunteer hours: 3,400 Donations: \$26,272

All Lioness Clubs within MD19 were delighted to receive the A-Frame sign boards and currently all are in use!! THANK YOU!!

VOLUNTEER ACTIVITY HIGHLIGHTS from each Club.:

KELOWNA LIONESSE: Blood Donor Clinic; Okanogan Metis/Aboriginal Housing; Kelowna General Hospital; Cancer Clinic; Freedom's Door and Days for Girls. **OLIVER LIONESSE:** Delivering School Lunches; School Lunch Muffin project (baking& delivering); giving assistance to an immigrating Syrian Family; distributing Drug Awareness Books. **MOSES LAKE LIONESSE:** Columbia Basin Cancer Foundation Sweethearts Dinner, Dance & Auction; Homeless Warming Program; assisting at Lions bingo; the Veterans Parade. **NANAIMO HARBOR LITES LIONESSE:** Operating the Lions concession at their Flea Market; the Baby Expo, attended 19-I Lioness Forum at Camp Shawnigan; assisted at an elementary school Vision Spot Scanner session; enjoyed a visit from DG Brian. **SOUTH CARIBOO LIONESSE:** participated in Family fun night; baked cupcakes and volunteered at the SPCA; held a successful Yard Sale; enjoyed a visit from the D.G.; held a couple of fun meat draws and kept score for the special Olympics Program. **PARKSVILLE LIONESSE:** attended introductory session on Vision Spot Scanner; hosted membership/Retention Seminar for Lions 19-I; D.G. Brian made an Official visit. **PORT McNEILL LIONESSE:** held a successful garage sale; catered LIONS dinner meeting; sponsored the Indoor Farmers Market; **AND, have raised enough funds to purchase a 3rd Guide Dog!!** Just waiting for that GIC to mature this summer! **PRIEST RIVER:** held a membership Drive and inducted seven new Members; made a donation to the West Bonner fire Department towards purchase of an Imaging Apparatus; volunteered at the Soup Kitchen, Newport Extended Care Home and Aspen Spring Nursing Home and are currently holding the Mother's Day Cedar Chest Raffle. **SOOKE DISTRICT LIONESSE:** Tree "Chip in for the Kids"; volunteered Sooke Food Bank; D.G. Brian made an Official visit; Attended Lioness Forum at Camp Shawnigan; Lioness World Week of Service prepared, and served lunch at Vital Vittals; 14th Annual Yard Sale; assisted Lions Catering for Lion Ken's Celebration of Life and sponsored a Tree in the LIONS Memorial Forest in his name. **TOLEDO LIONESSE:** this was a quiet time for them although they had a visit from DG John, who presented their 'A-frame board; regularly bake treats for the Volunteer fire Department and with their LIONS Club are sponsoring a park bench in memory of Lioness Pheobe and her husband Lion Bill Phillips. **VICTORIA CHINATOWN LIONESSE:** "Chip in for the Kids" highly successful – in excess of \$5,000; served Chinese New Year Lunch to the homeless at Our Place; sponsored their Annual Chinese New Year Dinner and Auction Night. **WESTBANK LIONESSE:** volunteered alongside their Lions Club's Annual Pickerel Dinner; worked at the Thrift shop; assisted at harmony Day in the local Schools; held a bowling fund raiser for Camp Winfield. **WILLIAMS LAKE LIONESSE:** volunteer regularly at the Red Cross Loan cupboard; bundled daffodils for the Cancer Society; the Vesey Bulb Sale net proceeds towards a defibrillator for the Senior's Centre and the ever popular Barkerville Raffle. **WINLOCK LIONESSE:** a very quiet time for them just now, but thoroughly enjoyed an Official visitation from DG John with A-frame board presentation; held their annual Valentine's Bake Sale and volunteer at their local Food Bank.

DONATIONS: KELOWNA LIONESSE: Melvin Jones, Guide Dogs, Larry Schrodt, Harmony Days School District # 23, Gospel Mission Walk, Parkinson's., Freedoms Door, MD19 CARE, BC Cancer Foundation **MOSES LAKELIONESSE:** Freedom Wrestling Academy. Little League 'spartans' Tournament Team . Boys and Girls Club Auction sponsorship, Columbia Basin Elite Volleyball Club, Homeless Warming Centre, LIONS 4H Dinner Auction, Youth Dynamics, Moses Lake Library Foundation, Senior Centre,

OLIVER LIONESSE: Camp Winfield, School Muffin Program, Medical Expenses for a child, Local Food Bank, **NANAIMO HARBOR LITES :** M.S. client, ALS, Diabetes Campership, Judge Brian Stevenson Fellowship, **PARKSVILLE LIONESSE:** Judge Brian Stevenson Fellowship \$100, **PORT MCNEILL LIONESSE:** Spot Scanner Project, Campership Camp Shawnigan, Judge Brian Stevenson Fellowship, **SOOKE DISTRICT LIONESSE:** Sooke Food Bank, Sooke Loan Cupboard, LCIF, CARE, Dog Guides, Vital Vittles Lunch, I-Phone Project, Judge Brian Stevenson Fellowship, **LIONS Memorial Forest,** **SOUTH CARIBOO LIONESSE:** BC LIONS for Diabetes, **TOLEDO LIONESSE:** Memorial Park Bench **PRIEST RIVER LIONESSE:** West Bonner Fire Department Imaging Fund, **VICTORIA CHINATOWN LIONESSE:** Bridges for Women, Our Place Lunch, Puppets for Peace, Lioness birthdays, Judge Brian Stevenson Fellowship, **WEST BANK LIONESSE:** Boys & Girls Club, COACH, CNIB, CO Child Development Assoc., **KIDNEY Foundation,** Harmony Day, Arthritis Society, Kelowna General Hospital Orthopedic Rehab, **WILLIAMS LAKE LIONESSE:** Hospice, Pregnancy Outreach, 'CONTACT' Women's Society, Camp Winfield, Camp Kakamela **WINLOCK LIONESSE:** Leader Dogs and Local Food Bank

Respectfully submitted Sunday, May 8, 2016
Lioness Anne Scott,
MD19 Lioness Chair.