



## **Jack Peebles, Second Vice District Governor Candidate District 19-O**

After serving with Mentors PID Dur Roberson and PCC Rod Barnes, Lion Jack Peebles joined the North Whidbey Lions Club in 1998. After being inducted, he was elected to the office of Club 3<sup>rd</sup> Vice President, then moved through the chairs to 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President and 2 years as the club's 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President.

Jack attended the Northwest Lions Leadership Institute at Lake Oswego Oregon, April 2017, to prepare for becoming the North Whidbey Lions Club President. He served two terms in that position of leadership. Jack has attended 3 USA/Canada Forums to grow his leadership abilities.

Upon Completing the Guiding Lions Course in November 2018, the MD-19 Leader Development Course of Instruction January 2019. and graduating from Zone Chairperson Training in June 2019, he served two terms as H-7 Zone Chairperson - 2019-2021. He simultaneously served as North Whidbey Lions Club Secretary, Lion Tamer, LCIF Coordinator, and Membership Chairperson 2020-21. He is currently serving on the 19 H Cabinet as the Global Membership Approach Champion (GMAC) and 19 H Global Service Team (GST). On January 22, 2022, he completed the Lions Clubs International Guiding Lion Program via Zoom with Lions from the world over.

Retired from United States Navy after 21 years, Lion Jack has never been one for just sitting around twiddling his thumbs. He has received his Lions University Doctorate, Master's, and Bachelor's Degrees. He has a Master's degree in teaching, a BS Degree in Aeronautics, BA in Business Management, Math Major, Science Major, and several other degrees.

He was Awarded North Whidbey Lion of the Year for 2017-2018 and received the Multiple District 19 Lions Clubs International President Excellence Award that same year. He also has received the Zone Chairperson Excellence Award. In 2019-2020 and 2020-2021, Lion Jack received the Zone Chairperson of the Year Award. To top it all off 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice District Governor Jack has received a Lions International President's Letter of Appreciation, the 4<sup>th</sup> Highest Lions International Award.

For 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice District Governor Jack, the reach of his volunteer work goes beyond the boundaries of his home community. He and His wife Christina helped in 2018 with a Lions International Medical/Eyeglasses Project in Mexico. They have also served on the International Lions Christmas Ship December 2017, 2018, and 2019.

In addition to his Lion activities, Lion Jack is a member of several other local clubs. He is a Life Member of the VFW, and belongs to the American Legion, and the Fleet Reserve, among others. He also ushers with his wife at the Whidbey Playhouse, teaches Sunday School, and is the President of Sunset Development Community Club Water Association. He created and actively maintains an Adopt-An-Elder Program, has his private pilot's license, and is a rescue diver for region 10.

Lion Jack and Christina have a daughter, Ereeha, and 2 grandchildren.