



DISTRICT 201N5

The Lions, Lioness and Leo Clubs of Sydney and Norfolk Island

DISTRICT CONVENTION

NOMINATIONS FOR DISTRICT POSITIONS

HAVE YOU EVER THOUGHT OF TAKING THAT EXTRA STEP ?

HAVE YOU THOUGHT OF BEING A DISTRICT GOVERNOR ?

HAVE YOU THOUGHT OF BEING A FOUNDATION DIRECTOR ?

THE FUN AND SATISFACTION FROM GIVING JUST A LITTLE BIT MORE IS MORE THAN ENOUGH REWARD.

GIVE IT A GO ! YOU ARE EQUAL TO THE CHALLENGE ! ASK SOMEONE WHO'S BEEN THERE.

IT REALLY IS EASY - CHECK WHEN NOMINATIONS CLOSE - ASK YOUR CABINET SECRETARY HOW

WHAT'S INVOLVED ? ? ? ? ? **READ MORE**

DISTRICT GOVERNOR

To be a District Governor you must first be elected as 2nd and then 1st Vice District Governor. In turn, the 2nd VDG must be nominated as 1st VDG and the 1st VDG must be nominated as the District Governor and all accepted by a majority of convention delegates.

VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR

To be nominated as 2nd Vice District Governor you must satisfy the requirements of Article IX, Section 6 (c) of the Lions Clubs International Constitution Which, in part states:

A candidate for the office of second vice district governor shall:

(1) Be an Active Member in good standing of a chartered Lions club in good standing in his/her single or sub-district.

(2) Secure the endorsement of his/her club or a majority of the clubs in his/her single or sub-district.

(3) Have served or will have served at the time he/she takes office as second vice district governor:

(a) As president of a Lions club for a full term or major portion thereof, and a member of the board of directors of a Lions club for no less than two (2) additional years; and

(b) As zone chairperson or region chairperson or cabinet secretary and/or treasurer for a full term or major portion thereof.

(c) With none of the above being accomplished concurrently.

It is normal for the candidate to be nominated by his/her club in a letter sent to the Cabinet Secretary.

DIRECTOR, LIONS NSW-ACT SAVE SIGHT AND PUBLIC HEALTH CARE FOUNDATIONS

These foundations are run by the five Districts in the State of New South Wales and the Australian Capital Territory. The purpose of the foundations is to raise the necessary funds to allow grants to be given to assist various Sight & Public Health related projects initiated by clubs, districts or affiliated organisations.

The expectation of you as a director are:

- ◆ A three year term as a foundation director.
- ◆ Directors take office from the 1st January in the

year following the district convention at which they are elected.

- ◆ Attendance at 3 Foundation Meetings per year that are generally held on a Saturday and Sunday at Bankstown Sports Club. Agenda and business papers are sent for perusal prior to each meeting.
- ◆ Promote the work of the foundation whenever the opportunity presents itself.
- ◆ The foundation board of directors is composed of the District Governor in office and three directors from each of the five district mentioned before.

NURSES SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

A project of District 201N5, the Nurses Scholarship Foundation promotes and assists nursing education for undergraduate and post graduate enrolled and registered nurses in NSW and the ACT with at least 3 years experience and to award travelling scholarships and provide nursing education in country areas.

The expectation of you as a director are:

- ◆ A three year term as a foundation director.
- ◆ Directors take office from the 1st January in the year following the district convention at which they are elected.
- ◆ Attendance at 4 Foundation Meetings per year that are generally held from 12noon to 3.00pm on a Friday at Waterloo. Agenda and business papers are sent for perusal prior to each meeting.
- ◆ Promote the work of the foundation whenever the opportunity presents itself.
- ◆ The foundation board of directors is composed of the District Governor in office and nine directors with three directors replaced each year by directors elected at the District 201N5 Convention.

HOST CLUB - DISTRICT 201N5 CONVENTION

Should your club wish to nominate as the Host Club for the District Convention either contact the Cabinet Secretary for full details of the requirements or check Rule 8 of the District Constitution on the website.