

# Li ns Link

Lions Clubs International District 37L Newsletter

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## Newsletter

## Submission

Deadline: January 22



Fort Saskatchewan Lions with more than five hundred pounds of food collected for the Fort's Food Bank

- Rod Lindemann

## Special Convention

Lions Clubs in Districts 37L and 37I are strongly encouraged to send delegates to a Special Convention to be held in Fort Saskatchewan on January 10, 2015 to elect a *District Governor*, a *First Vice District Governor*, and a *Second Vice District Governor* for

District C-1, which comes into being on July 1, 2015.

Details at the end of this Lions Link

### The 4 stages of life:

1. You believe in Santa Claus
2. You don't believe in Santa Claus
3. You dress up as Santa Claus
4. You look like Santa Claus

### Pins and Certificates

Past District Governor Joan Lubbers has an abundance of new member certificates and pins, so if you have need...

[jlubbers@telus.net](mailto:jlubbers@telus.net)  
780 963 5654



### *Season's Greetings*

from your District Governor  
and all the members of  
District Cabinet!

## REGIONAL LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

LETHBRIDGE, CANADA

APRIL 16-19, 2015

The purpose of the Regional Lions Leadership Institute is to provide Lions with an opportunity to enhance skills in preparation for leadership responsibilities at the club zone, region and district levels.

### PARTICIPANT QUALIFICATIONS

1. Candidates for this institute from Constitutional Area I & II – United States of America, in MD 37 & Canada. This institute will be conducted in English. Candidates must be capable of understanding and participating in the language of instruction at this institute.
2. Candidates in the institute will be chosen from MD 37 and will be open to MD 19, MD 5, if there are any openings after applications are received from MD 37
3. Candidates must be willing to commit to attending all days of the institute, including group mealtimes, and understand personal time is extremely limited. Attendance at all classroom sessions and scheduled meals is mandatory.

### COST OF THE INSTITUTE

MD 37 will provide meals and lodging according to the schedule of the institute. Please note that a participation fee of CND \$125.00 for 37, CND \$300.00 in MD 19 and MD 5, will be required to the offset these costs for all institutes. This fee will be due no less than six weeks prior to the institute start date. Participants are also responsible for their own transportation and related travel expenses to and from the institute site.

**\*\*All candidates will be notified of selection status after the application deadline via the email address provided on the application form.**

### APPLICATION PROCEDURE

All candidates must complete the Application and Nomination Forms and submit them as indicated prior to the deadline. Signature of District Governor or GLT not mandatory prior to submission but the Presidents authorization is. **APPLICATION SUBMISSION DEADLINE DATE: February 22, 2015**

### Expectations of RLLI Graduates

1. Pursue additional leadership roles and responsibilities in their respective clubs, zones, regions, and districts.
2. Help to develop Lions leaders in their respective clubs, zones, and districts.
3. Serve as a leadership resource in their respective clubs, zones, regions and districts.
4. Share their institute experiences with members of their club, zone and district and encourage other qualified Lions to apply to the institutes.

MD37 GL Team Coordinator

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*To ensure timely receipt of your application, please submit by email or fax, unless forwarding cheque in advance.*



**REGIONAL LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE**  
**APPLICATION FORM**  
**April 16-19, 2015**



*Application Submission Deadline Date: February 22, 2015*

District #: \_\_\_\_\_ Membership #: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
First Name Last Name

Highest District or MD Position held: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Lions Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address (Used for ALL communication regarding the Institute) \_\_\_\_\_

State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: Male Female

Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Club #: \_\_\_\_\_ Month/Year joined Lions: \_\_\_\_\_

Offices Held Within Lion Club(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Committee Positions Held Within Lion Club(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Yes, I am capable of understanding and participating in the language of instruction (English) at this Institute.

MD 37 is not responsible for personal costs, including but not limited to, those associated with the following: illness, unanticipated or other personal events, lost or stolen property of participants. Participants are requested to carry medical insurance information in the event they require medical services.

Candidate Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



## REGIONAL LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE APPLICATION FORM



*Application Submission Deadline Date: February 22, 2015*

Please Note: The District Governor and Global Leadership Team District Coordinator of the applicants district must complete this form

Please see Application Procedure instructions. Please type or print.

**1. Please complete this information about the candidate:**

NAME of Candidate: \_\_\_\_\_  
First Name Last Name

Why will this applicant benefit from Attending the Regional Lions Leadership Institute?

☐ Yes, this Lion is capable of understanding and participating in the language of instruction (English) at this Institute.

**2. To be Completed by the Applicants Club President**

I understand that in the event that the above named candidate is selected to attend and does not cancel his/her registration for the Regional Lions Leadership Institute in writing 10 days prior to the institute, or does not attend any portion of the institute, the district will be billed for one nights meals and lodging according to Board policy.

I have read and agree to the above cancellation policy statement.

NAME of President: \_\_\_\_\_  
First Name Last Name

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Club President: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Yes, this application has been reviewed and supported by the 1st and 2nd Vice District Governors prior to its submission.

**3. To be Completed by the District Governor or District GLT Coordinator**

NAME of DG or GLT Coordinator: \_\_\_\_\_  
First Name Last Name

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of DG or GLT Coordinator: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



## District C1 SPECIAL CONVENTION

January 10<sup>th</sup>, 2015

Fort Saskatchewan United Church  
10409-100 Avenue, Fort Saskatchewan  
9:00 AM



Registrant's Name	Club & District	Email	Delegate Y/N	Meal Yes or No
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				
6.				
7.				
8.				
9.				

Registration Fee includes Lunch \_\_\_\_\_ x \$15.00

Payment by \_\_\_\_\_ cheque \_\_\_\_\_ cash

Make cheque payable to MD 37 Lions Clubs

**Deadline for registration is January 5<sup>th</sup>, 2015**

Special Convention Information Contact: CC Betty Ann Robson  
Box 8 Beaverlodge, AB T0H 0C0  
Phone: 780-402-1375  
Email: [robsonba@telus.net](mailto:robsonba@telus.net)

**Special Convention Registration Contact:**

PDG Donna Wozney  
9545 – 86 Street, Fort Saskatchewan, AB T8L 2V1  
Phone: 780-998-3865  
Email: [gmawoz@shaw.ca](mailto:gmawoz@shaw.ca)

The registration deadline is January 5, 2015 if you want to have lunch.

If you do not want lunch, there is no charge for Lions to attend, and, while registration beforehand is not mandatory, it will be appreciated for planning and **certification purposes.**