



Message from the Zone Chair

I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate the newly elected Board of Directors for all the clubs in my zone for 2009-2010.

Under the leadership of our District Governor, Virginia Edgelow, our 7 Zone Chairs have been named "Team Oscar" – just like the Oscar Stars shining in our communities as "Lions for Purpose".

It will be a challenge for me to be Zone Chair for H4. I would really like to thank those people who have shared their precious experience with me and will be guiding me to keep the steep learning curve manageable. Special thanks go to PZC Lion Gary Semenoff of the Tsawwassen Boundary Bay Lions for being our Zone Secretary and PZC Steven Wong of Richmond Chinatown Lions to be our Bulletin Editor for this year.

Please join me and all those new club Presidents, Secretaries and their executive board members at our Zone Social on July 25th. I am sure we will all have a good time and will work as the best team among all the zones.

Yours in Lionism,

Belinda Wu

Zone Chair
19H-4



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Clubs in Zone 4

Delta Scottsdale Lions
Ladner Lions
North Delta Lions
Peace Arch Monarch
Richmond
Richmond Almata
Richmond Asiana
Richmond Chinatown
Richmond Mandarin
Steveston Harbour
Strawberry Hills
Tsawwassen Boundary Bay
White Rock Lioness

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Team Oscar



Introduction of DG Virginia Edgelow

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**19H DG Virginia Edgelow
2009 - 2010**



Let's have our warmest welcome to Lion Virginia Edgelow as our new District Governor for 2009-2010.

DG Virginia has a long and distinguished service record with the Lions. She and PDG Grev are not only partners in life but also Lions for life. DG Virginia was born in Vancouver and educated in South Burnaby. She has raised three children - Tony, Tami and Shawn.

DG Virginia has nicknamed her Zone-Chair-team as "Team Oscar" with a slogan "Lions for Purpose" for her reign.

Lions Service

- ❖ 10 year member of the Lions family
- ❖ Proud member of the Lynden Lions Club
- ❖ CSF II Group Co-ordinator – 3 years
- ❖ Vice District Governor for District 19H 2008-2009
- ❖ Zone Chairperson for Zone H1 2006-2007
- ❖ Graduate NW Lions Leadership Institute 2007
- ❖ District H LEMPRR Team Facilitator
- ❖ Presidents Trainer for District H
- ❖ Club Planning Facilitator
- ❖ MD19 International Understanding Chair 2002-2003

Lions Achievements and Recognitions

- ❖ 100% Zone Chairperson
- ❖ Lioness of the Year
- ❖ Recipient of numerous District Governors Appreciation Awards
- ❖ Judge Brian Stevenson Fellow of the Lions Foundation of Canada
- ❖ Judge Brian Stevenson Progressive Fellowship
- ❖ Melvin Jones Fellow of Lions Clubs International Foundation

Personal Profile

- ❖ Career as a Certified Personnel Consultant
- ❖ Retired with a passion for volunteering as a "Lion"
- ❖ Spouse of the PDG for District H, Grev Edgelow
- ❖ Blended family of three grown children
- ❖ Loves to travel and dance!

Introduction of ZC Belinda Wu

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Lion Belinda came to Canada with her family in 1981. She studied at B.C.I.T. and she worked for five years with the Vancouver School Board Administration Department. Aspiring to achieve something higher, she changed her career path and became an Independent Financial Advisor in 2001.

Lion Belinda is a hard-working and dedicated single mom. Her 16-year-old daughter shares a common passion of community service by volunteering at school and community projects.

Lion Belinda has been involved with community volunteering for more than 25 years. Activities include:

- Committee Member of Richmond Hospital Foundation Gala Dinner,
- President of Provincial Party in Vancouver Kingsway Riding Association,
- Chinese Delegate of Federal Party of Tri-City Riding,
- Scrutineer of Federal Election, Federal Party Election Volunteer Team,
- Member of SUCCESS Chinese Parents Association and
- Capitan of Block Watch Association of the Oaks.

In March 2008, her hard work was recognized by the Chinese Women Association of Vancouver as a recipient of the "Vancouver's 2007 Outstanding Chinese Women Award". Her community contribution has also been acknowledged by the Federal Government of Canada and Belinda was presented by the Member of Parliament, Vancouver South Riding with a certificate of Recognition.

In 2004, Lion Belinda extended her volunteering from local organizations to an international organization - Lions Club International. She served her home club "Richmond Chinatown Lions Club" as Lion Tamer. In 2005-2007, she served as Vice President, and was the Club President in 2007-2008.

She is an active member of the Richmond Lions Club and is a recipient of:

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| 2009 | 100% President Excellence Award |
| 2008 | Melvin Jones Fellowship Award |
| 2007 | President's Committee Chair Award - Christmas Brunch |
| 2006 | Larry Schrodt Memorial Award |
| 2005 | International President's Certificate of Appreciation
President's Committee Chair Award |
- Journey for Sight
 - Appreciation & Installation
 - Chinese New Year
 - Bronze Certificate of New Member Sponsorship



Belinda Wu - Zone Chair H4

Under Lion Belinda's guidance and leadership as President (2007-2008) and with hard work and great support from club members, the club involved itself in many international projects and achieved the following awards.

- Lions Recycle for Sight - donated more than 88 pairs of old eye glasses
- Donated US\$3,000 to China Sichuan Earthquake relief
- Campaign Sight-First II – the club achieved the Model Club Award by pledging US\$18,000 in six months rather than the normal two years time frame
- 1 - Camp Horizon Fellowship Award
- 1 - CARE Fellowship Award
- 6 - Judge Brian Stevenson Fellowship Awards
- 12 - Melvin Jones Fellowship Awards

Her club donated more than CDN\$35,000 to a number of local charitable organizations. In March 2008, the club raised CDN\$25,000 for the Richmond Food Bank alone.

She believes that in order to make our communities a better place to live, we have to improve them first. She continued to serve local community projects through Lions Club International.

Upcoming Events

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DISTRICT 19H BANNER PASSING DINNER

Richmond Chinatown Lions Club

CORDIALLY INVITES YOU TO COME & JOIN

**District Governor Virginia Edgelow
& HER**



Date : 18th July, 2009

**Place : Richview Banquet Hall
14500 River Road, Richmond, B.C.
Dinner Ticket : \$25.00 per person**

Evening Program
Cabinet Meeting : 14:00 – 15:30 For Dinner Tickets & Reservations,
Banner Passing : 16:00 – 17:00 Please Contact:
Dinner : 17:00 – 19:00 PZC Kenny Lee : ksl@jetpac.ca
Social : 19:01 -- Late Tel: 778-883-2819 or Fax: 604-214-8933

**For a fun filled evening of fellowship
Serving together as " Lions on Purpose "**



Whale Watching Cruise

August 22, 2009

District H Lions, families and friends,
this is one event you will not want to
miss!!!!!!

We have arranged a fabulous price of
\$65.00 per person. Payable in either
Canadian or US dollars

Boarding time ----- 9:30 am

Departure time ---- 10:00 am Bellingham

Arrival back ----- 5:00 pm Bellingham

Boarding will be at:

Island Mariner Cruises

2621 S Harbor Loop

**Bellingham, WA --- next to the Big
Killer Whale (Orca)**

All bookings and payment in full must be
received by **July 15th/09**.

***Detail information can be obtained
from ZC Belinda Wu.**

H4 Zone Social Invitation

Date: July 25, 2009

Time: 11:00 am to 1:00 pm

**Venue: Kyung Bok Palace
#720 Lansdowne Centre
5300 No. 3 Road, Richmond
Tel: 604-207-1120**

Host: Richmond Asiana Lions

**RSVP by July 20/09
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*You're cordially invited by Zone
Chair Belinda Wu for H4 Zone
Social.*

*Come and meet your Fellow Club
Presidents and Secretaries. Board
members also welcomed.*

Dress Code: Casual

Official Visitation Schedule

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	Clubs	Zone Chair	District Governor	Time	Venue
1.	North Delta	Sep 14	Sep 28	7:00 pm	White Spot
2.	Peace Arch Monarch	Oct 1	Oct 15	11:30 am	Semiahmoo Fish & Game Club
3.	Richmond Mandarin	Oct 27	Nov 24	7:00 pm	Continental Seafood Restaurant
4.	Richmond Chinatown	Nov 3	Nov 17	7:00 pm	Shiang Garden Restaurant
5.	Steveston Harbour	Nov 5	Dec 3	6:30 pm	Crono's Restaurant
6.	Richmond Asiana	Nov 10	Dec 8	7:00 pm	Shiang Garden Restaurant
7.	Strawberry Hills	Nov 18	Dec 2	7:00 pm	Strawberry Hall
8.	White Rock Lioness	Jan 4	Feb 1	11:30 am	Semiahmoo Fish & Game Club
9.	Richmond Almeta	Jan 4	Mar 1	7:00 pm	Crono's Restaurant
10.	*Ladner (Held jointly with Richmond)	Jan 5	Jan 19	6:30 pm	Crono's Restaurant
11.	Richmond (Held jointly with Ladner)	Jan 5	Jan 19	6:30 pm	Crono's Restaurant
12.	Delta Scottsdale	Jan 12	Jan 26	7:00 pm	White Spot
13.	Tsawwassen Boundary Bay	Jan 18	Feb 1	7:00 pm	Cambridge House

Events and Conferences

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Zone Events

Date	Events	Host	Venue	Time
Jul 25, 2009 (Saturday)	Zone Social	Richmond Asiana	Kyung Bok Palace (Lansdowne Mall) 5300 No. 3 Road, Richmond	11:00 am – 1:00 pm
Sep 20, 2009 (Sunday)	1 st Zone Meeting	Richmond Chinatown	West Rmd Com. Centre 9180 No. 1 Road, Richmond	2:00 pm – 4:00 pm
Nov 15, 2009 (Sunday)	2 nd Zone Meeting	Richmond	West Rmd Com. Centre 9180 No. 1 Road, Richmond	2:00 pm – 4:00 pm
Jan 17, 2010 (Sunday)	3 rd Zone Meeting	Steveston Harbour	Steveston Com. Centre 4111 Moncton Street, Richmond <i>*(To be confirmed)</i>	2:00 pm – 4:00 pm
Jun 5, 2010 (Saturday)	Presidents/Secretaries Training	North Delta	Kennedy Seniors' Rec. Centre 11760 – 88 Avenue, Delta <i>*(To be confirmed)</i>	10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Forum/Conference/Convention

Date	Events	Venue
Oct. 23-24, 2009	Fall Forum	Red Lion Hotel Spokane, WA
Mar. 26-28, 2010	District H Spring Conference	Best Western Lakeway Inn Bellingham, WA
May 13-16, 2010	MD19 Annual Convention	Red Lion Hotel Olympia, WA

**Club Presidents and Secretaries are required to attend a minimum of two conferences in order to qualify for their Excellence and Efficiency Awards.*

MD 19 International Conventions

Date	Events
July 6-10, 2009	Minneapolis, MN
June 28 – July 2, 2010	Sydney, Australia

Other Events

Date	Event	Venue
July 11, 2009	Open House	Camp Squamish
Dec. 12, 2009	Christmas Ship	Washington Ferry Dock Fair Haven, Bellingham WA
Feb. 4-7, 2010	Northwest Lions Leadership Institute	Coast Wenatchee Hotel Wenatchee, WA

MMR & VAD Reports

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Club Secretaries: MMR & VAD reports each month need to be sent to:

LCI (filed online)

www.lionsclubs.org

(Once you have entered your information, save a copy to your documents AND THEN submit. *You cannot save after you have submitted the report!*)

Next, please send "1" email to all of those listed below and attach the MMR and VAD you saved to your documents, and you are done!

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Reports Cut-off Time:

Report Period:

The clubs' monthly cut-off time should be 15th of each month.

Anything received after 15th should be reported in the following month.

Deadline to MD19:

Email/Online/Fax: 20th of the current month.

By mail: MMR must be received by MD19 Office post-marked 20th of the current month.

*To avoid the mad rush and online jamming, please file online on or before the 20th. This gives you 5 days to have a chance to make changes if adjustments need to be made. And you will never miss the MD19's 25th deadline.

Contests and Awards

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Every year, Lions International offers many “Contests and Awards” to help nurture teamwork and team spirit. These Contests and Awards also help you better build and manage your club’s overall branding, marketing and efficiency. Before you start your team, why not discuss with your board and come up with a game plan.

You can find out more information by visit: <http://lionsmd19.com//forms/Awards>

1.	Club Membership Director Excellence Award	2.	Club Brochure & Business Card Award
3.	Club Bulletin Award	4.	Club Excellence Award
5.	Club Inspirational Award	6.	Club Membership Award
7.	Club Scrapbook Award	8.	Club Web Site Award
9.	Convention Attendance Award	10.	Distinguished Service Award
11.	Induction Ceremony Award	12.	Lioness and Leo Awards
13.	Lion Environment Photo Contest	14.	MD19 Trading Pin Award
15.	Musical Comedy Award	16.	Musical Performance Award
17.	President Excellence Award	18.	Secretary Excellence Award
19.	Secretary Efficiency Award	20.	Tall Tales Award
21.	Uniformed Delegation Award	22.	Visitation Award

Message to Club Secretaries

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Always remember to send “Congratulatory Letters” to all new clubs in MD19 and also send a copy to the MD19 Office within 30 days following the announcement of the new Club’s organization. You will find all information in the Border Crossing.

Quick Reference to Lions Websites

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www.lionwap.org

www.md19hlions.com

www.lionsmd19.com

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