

The International Association of Lions Clubs

(Lions Clubs International®)

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Dear Lions Club President / Secretary / Treasurer:

Please accept with my congratulations the enclosed Club Renewal Banner Patch in recognition of your club's commitment to finding new ways of operating to meet the needs of today's members and communities.

Every Lions club is the sum total of its members' motivations, creativity, abilities and dreams. Each Lions club is like no other and is limited only by what it truly wants to accomplish. The plan you have reported represents your club's unique blueprint for a positive future.

I am confident that the changes you have identified will make your club stronger, more relevant, and better able to serve your community in the years ahead.

I commend your Lions club for your initiative and welcome you as an important part of the new Lions Clubs International.

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Sincerely,

Jimmy M. Ross, International President

Enclosure

CLUB RENEWAL BANNER PATCH.EN





Club Renewal Analysis Report

Lions Clubs International

Club Number: 97184

1. Club activities and practices we plan to continue / expand because they are strengthening our club:

What we are presently doing well.	How we plan to expand it.
<p>Membership- Currently have an active membership of 23- increasing to 25 in June 2007. Have been selective in choosing our membership to ensure all members can contribute to the cause.</p> <p>Fund-Raising We raise around £25000- £30000 PER YEAR from a couple of major events. We support LCIF projects as well as our own local, National, and International projects.</p>	<p>We wish to consolidate first and will create a waiting list in the process. We are fortunate to have members with good social circles and at present have no difficulty in attracting members. Plan is to expand gradually which may mean a Branch Club. Also wish to sponsor our own Leo Club in the foreseeable future.</p> <p>In the process of putting a calendar of events together to be held each year- our club wants to at least double our fund-raising within in next 12 months.</p>



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2. Club activities and practices we plan to change / improve because, even while still valid, they may be poorly adapted to today's needs. We have determined specific ways in which our club will make improvements.

What we presently need to change.	How we plan to change / improve it.
<p data-bbox="329 768 792 856">Need to increase our fellowship amongst the Lions community. We are a fairly new club with many inexperienced members although board members have many years of experience</p> <p data-bbox="329 919 699 945">Increase the clubs awareness of LCIF Projects</p>	<p data-bbox="833 768 1302 877">Monthly Rota amongst our membership will be created for 2 members each month to visit other clubs. President/Secretary to attend official meetings such as Conventions and District and Zone meetings on a regular basis.</p> <p data-bbox="833 898 1302 966">Each member will be allocated a LCIF project/programme as their responsibility which our Charity Officer will oversee. Will get District officers to visit and do presentation</p>



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3. Club activities and practices we plan to discontinue because they are not meeting the needs and interests of our members or the community.

What we plan to discontinue.	Our brand new initiatives.
<p>We have only developed positive practices in our club- all with the aim of raising funds for those less fortunate. At Present we have no plans to discontinue anything.</p>	<p>Creation of our website almost complete; aiming to produce our own small brochure to increase awareness; more interaction with the local press , perhaps by doing a monthly article- also ensure we report our success stories to the press and Lions publications.</p>