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THE LIONS CLUB OF
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SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- LCI 92nd International Convention
- Membership Fees 2009-10 due
- Welcome to Eileen Zhang & Winston Tu
- International 1st Vice President Sidney Scruggs and PID Barry Palmer to join Club as Associate Members

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Editorial

My Fellow Lions

3 Delegates from Sydney Chinese Lions attended the LCI 92nd International Convention held in Minneapolis, USA. On 10 July, they participated in and witnessed the successful elections of International President Eberhard Wirfs, International First Vice President Sidney L Scruggs III, International Second Vice President Dr Wing Kun Tam and members of the International Board who will serve in the 2009-2011 Lions years. They brought home a pleasant experience. Highlights of their Convention experience can be found on pages 2-5.

Membership fees for the 2009-2010 Lions Year is now overdue. Lion Jasmine Wong, Assistant Treasurer will be in touch with those whose payment is still outstanding. Please send your

cheque for \$150 in favour of *The Lions Club of Sydney Chinese Inc* to PO Box K422, Haymarket NSW 2000 if you yet to pay.

At our Monthly Members Meeting held on 1 July, two new members were inducted to our midst. They are Lion Winston Tu and Lion Eileen Zhang. We bid them a warm welcome.

At our club's Board meeting held on 22 July, resolutions were passed to invite International 1st Vice President Sidney Scruggs III and Past International Director Barry Palmer to be our Associate Members. Further, Ms Irene Li and Mr Tommy Liu are to be invited to join us as Regular Members.

The Charity Ball 2010 Organising Committee met for the first time on 22 July. It was confirmed that the

Ball will be held on 20 March 2010 at Parkside Ballroom of the Sydney Convention & Exhibition Centre. At this stage, Sponsors and Donors for are being sought.

On 24 July, eight of us attended the District Changeover at Condell Park. We witnessed IPDG Elvio Munzone passing the reins of the District over to DG Beryl Payne. At the function, Sydney Chinese Lions was awarded a Bulletin Award in Best Coverage - Projects & Activities. This is the third year in recent times that our club has won an award with our monthly bulletin. President Mei extends her congratulations to the club bulletin editing team for this marvellous and consistent achievement.

Yours in Lionism
Chief Editor



Sydney Chinese Lions at Monthly Members Meeting on 1 July 2009

International Convention 2009

Tidbits

The 92nd International Convention of Lions Clubs International was held on 6-10 July 2010 in Minneapolis, USA. Lions the world over congregated at the Convention. Amongst them were President Mei, Immediate Past President Anthony and Vice President Wendy of Sydney Chinese Lions. Like other previous International Conventions, the Minneapolis Convention was conducted smoothly. It was a great experience for all those who attended and a wonderful opportunity to develop and cement ties with fellow Lions at the international level.

During the Convention, Sydney Chinese Lions participated in and witnessed the successful elections of International President Eberhard Wirfs, International First Vice President Sidney L Scruggs III, International Second Vice President Dr Wing Kun Tam and members of the International Board who will serve in the 2009-2011 Lions years.



International President Eberhard Wirfs, Immediate Past International President Al Brandel, International 2nd Vice President Dr Wing Kun Tam and International 1st Vice President Sidney Scruggs III



at LCI International Parade on the streets of Minneapolis, USA



PID Barry Palmer, International 2nd Vice President Dr WK Tam, IPCC Anthony Benbow, PID Bob Coulthard and PID Paul Fan at Downunder Breakfast



DG Beryl, International 2nd Vice President Dr WK Tam, IPP Dr Anthony Cheung and President Mei at Downunder Breakfast



President Mei and 3rd Vice President Wendy at Demonstration at the Minneapolis Convention

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More International Convention 2009 Tidbits



Sydney Chinese Lions with San Francisco Chinese Lions at Chinese Night Reception



President Mei, PDG Teresa Mann and 3rd Vice President Wendy at Dr Tam's Reception



With International President Eberhart Wirfs



With International 1st Vice President Sidney Scruggs III

Sydney Chinese Lions is privileged to have VP Sidney Scruggs III joining them as Associate Member



With International 2nd Vice President Dr WK Tam

Our Newest Members

At our monthly members meeting held on 1 July, 2 new members were inducted to our midst. They are Lion Winston Tu and Lion Eileen Zhang. Lion Winston Tu, a professional working in the field of education, is sponsored by 3rd Vice President Wendy Lin. Lion Eileen, a qualified accountant, is sponsored by IPP Pearl Lin of Sydney Northwest Lions. We extend a warm welcome to both of them. We also look forward to Serving together with them in the near future.

Sponsoring new members is a collective effort. The club welcomes more quality members joining our rank and file. Do keep a vigilant lookout for prospective quality members and bring them to our monthly meetings.



(from left to right) IPP Pearl Lin of Sydney Northwest Lions Sponsoring Lion Eileen Zhang, President Mei Cheng, Lion Winston Tu and his Sponsor 3rd Vice President Wendy Lin, IPP Dr Anthony Cheung

Induction and Welcome



**Eileen Zhang &
Winston Tu,
flanked by their
Sponsors,
inducted by
IPP Dr Anthony
Cheung**



**Sponsor Wendy Lin
helping New Inductee
Winston Tu
with his
Lions Lapel Badge**



Sydney Chinese Lions Welcoming New Inductees

Club Bulletin Award

At the District Changeover on 24 July 2009, Sydney Chinese was presented a Club Bulletin Award for Best Coverage - Projects and Activities. Congratulations to the Bulletin Editing team!



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Lions Clubs International
DISTRICT 201N5
The Lions Clubs of Sydney and Norfolk Island

Club Bulletin Competition 2008-2009

Best Coverage - Projects & Activities

Winner

The Lions Club of Sydney Chinese

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District Governor

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The Lions Club of Sydney Chinese Inc. is a member of Lions Clubs International, an international non profit community service organization, upholding a common motto "WE SERVE". Today, there are Lions Clubs in 205 countries and geographical areas all over the world. In District 201N5, which covers the Sydney area and Norfolk Island, there are some 75 Clubs with around 1,700 members. Amongst these, there are around 7 Chinese-based Clubs. Sydney Chinese Lions is the first of these Chinese-based Clubs chartered in April 1995.

Over the past fifteen years, under the leadership of President Dr. Anthony Cheung and other Past Presidents, in conjunction with the relentless effort of its members, and on top of all these, the generous donations and sponsorships received from the community, the Club has donated over \$350,000 to a number of charities including the Royal Flying Doctor Service of Australia, St John (NSW), the Australian Red Cross, the Sir David Martin Foundation, the Fred Hollows Foundation, Westmead and Concord Hospitals, the Children's Mobility (Hart Walker) Foundation and the Elderly Australian Chinese Homes. Thousands have reaped the benefits. The Club is also mindful of encouraging young adults to participate in humanitarian services, hence, since 2003, it has been offering its humanitarian scholarships.

Visit us at our Award Winning Website
www.sydneychineselions.org.au

Upcoming Events

	Function	Venue/ Dress Code	Date & Time	Cost per person
	August Members Meeting Sydney Chinese Lions	Zilver Restaurant After 5	Wednesday 5 August 2009	\$30 per person for dinner
	Welcoming New District Governor	Emperor's Garden Seafood Restaurant, 100 Hay Street, Haymarket	Monday 3 August 2009	\$30 per person for dinner
	Visiting Indo-Chinese Elderly Hostel Sydney Chinese Lions	Indo-Chinese Elderly Hostel 680A Cabramatta Road West, BONNYRIGG	Saturday 5 September 2009 10:30am	Free of Charge
	District Convention District 201N5	Bomaderry Bowling Club 154 Merroo Road Bomaderry	13 - 15 November 2009	\$155 for full registration & hospitality package; accommodation extra

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