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*Wishing you all in District N2 a season filled with
joy, service, and community spirit.*



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2024-2025**

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February 2025

Winter Cabinet, 8 Feb 2025
\$5.00 registration, \$20.00 lunch
Windsor Community Centre,
76 Thomas Street More info available
soon at <http://edistrict.org/sites/n2/index.php>

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Message from DG Jane



Lions of District N2

Can you believe it, almost six months have gone by and we are all getting ready for the 2025 in a few weeks.

We may have gotten off to a rough start but I am sure that over the next few months we will get back on track, moving the district forward.

FVDG Kim, SVDG Pat and I have only a couple of our official visitations left to do and we have enjoyed our visits immensely. Remember we are here for you, if you have any questions or concerns just reach out to one of us.

The District Team and I have been working hard at getting ourselves back on track with our goals. With your help, we will reach our membership goals of Net 2 for CA 2, Mission 1.5. We can't possibly do it without you.

After the Fall Cabinet and the information, we received from LCI Legal, we have found that we need to retrain our brains in our vocabulary. What we have always known and what we know now, has made us rethink the wording of our cabinet meetings and team meetings. So, you will see some changes coming out over the next few weeks or months.

We are working on the Winter Cabinet Meeting, what we are now calling our Winter Conference. Below are the guest speakers that we have for this event and brief write up on them and what they are presenting. If you have any ideas of a guest speaker you would like to see for future conferences, please let us know.

From my family to yours, have a Happy Holidays and a Joyous New Year. Stay safe and we will see you in the new year.

Yours in Lionism,

DG Lion Jane

Amherst



At their November dinner meeting the the Amherst Lions Club made a donation to the Navy League of Canada, Amherst in support of the Sea Cadets. In the center Lions Justin and Melissa Siddall present the cheque to Lieutenant Stephen Rayworth (left) and Petty Officer 1st Class Kylie Siddall.



The Amherst Lions Club recently made a donation to Camp Maxwell. Here Lions Cheryl and Dan hold the cheque.



Some members of the Amherst lions Club gathered to check out the boxes that had been packed for the Samaritan Purse Christmas boxes. This year, thanks to the club donation, individual Lions, our wonderful Bingo players and friends, 69 boxes were made ready to be shipped out. Great work guys!



Beaver Bank Kinsac

Breakfast Program checks from Beaver-Bank to the following schools:
Monarch Dr. Elementary,
Harold T Barrett Junior High and
Beaver-Bank Kinsac Elementary.



District N2 Diabetes trophy for giving the most money.



Rookie of the Year Lion Scott.



Outstanding Lion of the Year Lion Marjorie.

Pubnico

The Pubnico Lions held their Christmas Party on the 14th and all members plus the new members that will be inducted in the new year! Lions from Barrington Lions club joined us as well. We had a special guest, Lions Russell and Tami's Great Granddaughter, Cloud was our little Elf helping to hand out the Christmas gifts. Also, Brennan, their Grandson, who is a Jr Sous Chef at the Digby Pines, prepared our meal.



Lion Ole is our unofficial "taste tester" for the evening.



Cloud, our Little Elf, Brennan and his partner, Jordyn helped hand out the gifts.



Lion Jerry with his new "hair".



All the gifts unwrapped!



KL Emerson and Lion Russell (Chair for the Christmas Party) donated half of the gifts to the Yarmouth Salvation Army and the other half went to Barrington Salvation Army.



Yarmouth



The Yarmouth Lions Club donated \$2000 to the Salvation Army for their Christmas boxes



The Yarmouth Lions Club donated \$2000 to the Yarmouth Food Bank.

Dartmouth



The Lions Club of Dartmouth handed out diabetes information at the local Princess Auto for Diabetes Awareness Month. Seated are Lion Bert on the left and Lion John on the right giving information to a shopper.



Lion Mike and Tony "Wear it Wednesday"

Dartmouth



A presentation of a cheque in the amount of \$1600 to Mike, President (2nd from right) of the Dartmouth Stroke Support Club. The funds will help the stroke club with expenses for rent and physio for their 20 or so members. Life can be difficult for individuals after a stroke. Mike is behind Lion Jeff...lol.



Sec. Lion Elaine presenting donation to Betty, Sec. of North Dartmouth Outreach Resource Society for their food bank. The funds are greatly appreciated. They served more people today than ever before.



Ray's 80th birthday party at Mic Mac AAC attended by a number of Lions and a couple of spouses.

Spryfield



The Spryfield Lions in the Spryfield Santa Claus Parade.



St. Margaret's Bay



Christmas Daddies Fund Raising.



Elizabeth from Bonnylea Farm visited the St. Margaret's Bay Lions Club and made a presentation on 21 Nov. L to R - Lions Michael, Troy, Margot and Elizabeth, Lions Leonard, Bill and Rennie.



BL Troy, KL Derek and PKL Leonard. The photo was taken on 5 Dec at our regular meeting. BL Troy was inducted as a member of the St. Margarets Bay Lions Club by PKL Leonard and received his membership certificate. Lion Michael was the sponsoring member. The induction ceremony was followed by a New Member Orientation presented by Lion Michael. There were 7 members of the Spryfield Lions Club visiting and they claimed our gong.



Riverport



Our Baby Lion Edyth being inducted into Riverport Lions Club by 2nd Vice Pat.



Our Baby Lion Edyth being presented with the Baby Lion tools by Lion Cate.

Middleton



DG Jane receiving a cheque to be forwarded for the Capital Campaign at LFCDG by Pres Lion Linda of the Middleton & District Lions Club. We would like to say Thank You to the District Governor for her official visit.

Hantsport



KL Duncan presenting a Life Membership in the Lions Foundation of Nova Scotia to 2nd VDG Pat in recognition and appreciation for his Official Visit to our Club this past November.

TRURO & DISTRICT LIONS
1100 Prince St

2nd Fri - Dinner Mtg 7pm
4th Fri - Business Mtg 7pm

Pres: Howard Horne
902-893-1146

Port Williams & Dist Lions Club
1st Wed. - Business 7:00pm
3rd Wed. - Supper 7:00pm
72 hrs Notice Required
Lions Den - Community Centre
1045 Main St. (Hwy 358)


Lion Randy Conrad
902-698-8695

 **BEDFORD LIONS CLUB**
NOVA SCOTIA, CANADA



1st & 3rd Thurs. at 7PM
36 Holland Ave, Bedford
secretary@bedfordlions.ca

Barrington Area Lions Club
Meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday
both Dinner Meetings 7:00pm (72hrs notice)



President: Alvin Nickerson
902-635-1104


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CANSO LIONS CLUB
1st Wednesday Dinner 6:30pm
3rd Wednesday Business
6:30pm

KL Barry Lumsden
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SHEET HARBOUR LIONS CLUB
Meeting 3rd Tuesday of each
month, 7pm
Sheet Harbour Lions Centre
Apr to Dec
Eastern Shore Memorial
Hospital Board Room Jan-Mar
sheetharbourlionsclub@gmail.com

Eastern Passage Cow Bay
1st Monday Business Meeting - 7pm
3rd Monday Dinner Meeting - 7pm

 **65 Hornes Road, Eastern Passage**



President: Wendy Dumas
902-461-2439

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ST. MARY'S LIONS CLUB
8004 Hwy 7, Sherbrooke
Meetings are 2nd & 4th(meal)
Thursday 7pm
902-522-2949

Pres: Debbie Findlay
Sec: Nancy Chaston
Treas: Heather Laybolt

LIVERPOOL LIONS CLUB
Lions Hall 108 College St
Meetings are 2nd & 4th Mondays for
10 months 6:30pm
Jul & Aug meetings decided at the
Jun meeting.

KL: Gordon O'Hearn
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**CHESTER BASIN-NEW ROSS-
CHESTER LIONS CLUB**

Meeting: 1st Monday of the month,
except for statutory holidays and then
meetings are held on the 1st Tuesday
of the month
Time: 7:00pm
Location: Chester Basin
Legion 25, Hwy #12 Chester Basin

PUBNICO & AREA LIONS

2562 Hwy3, Pubnico Head
2nd Thursday - Dinner Meeting
6:00pm
4th Thursday - Business Meeting
6:30pm

President: Emerson McCullough
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Beaver Bank- Kinsac Lions Club
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beaverbankkinsaclions@gmail.com

3rd Tuesday - General Meeting - 7pm

President: Brian Britten brianbritten@live.com

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**WHYCOCOMAGH &
AREA LIONS CLUB**
Meetings
1st Wednesday each month
7:00pm
Whycocomagh
Education Centre,
50 Norman McLeod Rd
902-756-2764


BADDECK LIONS CLUB

Meetings
2nd Thursday each month
6:00pm
Location TBD

KL Dave Baker
1-902-371-0140

**MUSQUODOBIT VALLEY
LIONS CLUB**

2nd and 4th Wednesday 7:00pm
4th Wednesday Dinner Meeting

 **72 Hours Notice**

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