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Sydney Chinese Lions

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President's Message

My Fellow Lions

On 31 March, we featured our Charity Ball 2007 at the Parkside Ballroom of the Sydney Convention and Exhibition Centre. As witnessed by many, the event was a huge success.

There were some 400 guests attending the function. It was a fun-filled and colourful event. John and Lucy Brogden were our Guests of Honour, DGE Carol Alderson accompanied by husband Dean were our Special Guests, Benjamin Chow AO acted as our Auctioneer while PDG Ray Cook took up the key role as Master of Ceremonies.

While a detailed account of the Ball is given on Pages 2 and 3, I wish to thank all of you heartily for the time and effort that you have put into the project. As we are all aware, without this selflessness in Serving, we won't be able to achieve success at this very high level year after year.

As the 2006-7 Lions Year is fast approaching to an end, it's now time for us to plan for our Changeover 2007. While the

majority of members on the 2006-7 Board have been re-elected onto the 2007-8 Board, we see a few new and valuable additions on the new Board.

would be a good opportunity to get to know more about this and to meet Lions from other clubs coming from NSW and other States.



**Sydney Chinese Lions at Charity Ball 2007
Parkside Ballroom, Sydney Convention & Exhibition Centre**

Similar to previous years, we are having our Changeover Dinner on the first Wednesday in June. So this year it'll be Wednesday, 6 June. The venue is Zilver Restaurant and the cost is \$45 per person.

On 17-20 May, Lions in Australia are celebrating our 60th Anniversary of Lionism in this country. The National Convention is held at the Sydney Convention and Exhibition Centre at Darling Harbour. If you wish to know about more details or to register for the Convention, please access the their official website at www.lionsclubs.org.au/Sydney2007Convention/index.html. For those of us who have never attended a Lions Convention before, it

On Sunday, 6 May, Sydney Innerwest Lions are featuring a Charity Family Day at Henly Park, Enfield. As the Club is a long time supporter of our Club, the Board has resolved to donate a sum of \$2,000 to sup-

port this charity drive of theirs. Their President Patrick is attending a CQ Presentation Ceremony at our May Members Meeting.

Sydney Waratah Lions are holding their "Masked" Charity Gala Dinner on Saturday, 26 May at Dockside, Darling Harbour. The cost is \$98 per person. Redfern Waterloo Lions (Charter President—Norma Ingram) are holding their Charter night on Friday, 22 June at NSW Masonic Centre. The cost is \$40 per person. If you can spare the time, do come along and help fly our Club's banner at these functions to support our fellow Lions.

Yours in Lions
Anthony

Charity Ball 2007

Our Charity Ball 2007 was held on Saturday, 31 March 2007, at Parkside Ballroom, Sydney Convention & Exhibition Centre, Darling Harbour.

At the Ball, we had an award-winning 50-piece strong Castle Hill RSL Youth Band performing for us. The Band was fully sponsored by the Castle Hill RSL Club. Their performance added a warm and classy atmosphere to the function and received great acclaim

THE LIONS CLUB OF SYDNEY CHINESE INC.
CHARITY BALL 2007
31 March 2007
Parkside Ballroom
Sydney Exhibition & Convention Centre, Darling Harbour

雪梨華人獅子會
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in support of St John Ambulance (NSW) and its volunteer community programmes including its highly respected first aid services

Open Auction Prizes

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Rémy Martin

Louis XIII de Rémy Martin (700ml)
路易十三
700毫升特級干邑

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Porsche classic MARTINI RACING chronograph limited edition
限量發行保時捷
馬天尼大賽名貴手錶

Zilver Restaurant

Zilver's Dragon King Royal Banquet for 12
同樂軒十二位
龍皇御宴盛筵一席

Rémy Martin

Louis XIII (50ml) the Fluer de Diamant
路易十三
50毫升鑽石精裝
特級干邑珍藏品

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Acknowledgements & Prizes

Charity Ball 2007

Over 45 of our own members turned up and all had a great time ... Amongst the big ticket donations, we are most appreciative of the \$10,000 donation generously made by Manchester Unity, through their CEO - our Guest of Honour Mr John Brogden ...

from an appreciative audience. Their accompaniment of the National Anthem, sung by our own Lion Rita, started the evening's proceedings with style.

Amongst a good number of prizes and souvenirs given out at the Ball, we have our 36-page full colour 12th Anniversary Commemorative Booklet. It is a lovely memento of the celebrations and if you haven't laid your hands on one, please make sure that you come and collect a copy at our May Members Meeting on 2 May.

well as other donors and supporters.

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donated by the end of May. Currently, our accounting team led by Treasurer Robert is working very hard to this end. Amongst the big ticket donations, we are most appreciative of the



Some VIPs at Charity Ball 2007



Mr John Brogden at Charity Ball 2007 Pledging a Donation of \$10,000

a whole range of tasks that evening including, guests greeting and reception, dinner money collection, raffle tickets selling, open auction ushering, silent auction prizes handling and raffle prizes handling. In addition, Lion Simon's floor management, Lion Arthur and Lion Mei's trouble shooting, Roger Leung's AV management were instrumental to the smooth running of the Ball.



The Award-winning Castle Hill RSL Youth Band



DGE Carol Alderson at Charity Ball 2007

As you are aware, our Major Beneficiary of the Ball is St John Ambulance (NSW). They were out in force to support our function, led by their Vice Chancellor Dr Neil Conn, their NSW Chairman the Hon. Peter Collins and their NSW Commissioner Maj. Gen. Warren Glenny. The Ball accounts are yet to be finalized as we are still in the process of collecting monies pledged. However, similar to previous years, we expect to announce the sum to be



Some Sydney Chinese Lions at Charity Ball 2007

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More photos of Charity Ball 2007 can be found at the official website of Sydney Chinese Lions: www.sydchineselions.org.au



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We Serve

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 200 countries and geographical areas all over the world. In District 201N5, which covers the Sydney area and Norfolk Island, there are some 78 Clubs with around 1,800 members. Amongst these, there are around 6 Chinese-based Clubs. Sydney Chinese Lions is the first of these Chinese-based Clubs chartered in April 1995.

Over the past twelve 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 raised and donated over a hundred and fifty thousand dollars to a number of charities including the Australian Red Cross, the Sir David Martin Foundation, the Fred Hollows Foundation, the Westmead and Concord Hospitals, the Children's Mobility (Hart Walker) Foundation and the Elderly Australian Chinese Homes. Thousands had reaped the benefits. The Club is also mindful of encouraging young adults to participate in humanitarian services, hence, it has organised its humanitarian scholarships.

www.sydneychineselions.org.au

Upcoming Events

Function	Venue/ Dress Code	Date & Time	Cost per person
Changeover 2007 Sydney Chinese Lions	Zilver Restaurant Club Uniform or Lounge Suit	Wednesday 6 June 2007 7:00 for 7:30pm	\$45 per person or \$450 for a table of ten
Charity Family Fund Day Sydney Innerwest Lions	Henley Park Enfield	Sunday 6 May 2007	
Multiple District 201 Conven- tion 60th Year of Lions in Australia	Sydney Convention & Exhi- bition Centre, Darling Har- bour	Thur.-Sun. 17-20 May 2007	To register, please click www.lionsclubs.org.au/ Sydney2007Conven- tion/index.html
"Masked" Charity Gala Dinner Sydney Waratah Lions	Dockside, Darling Harbour "Masked" outfit	Saturday 26 May 2007 6:30pm	\$98 per person
Charter Night Lions Club of Redfern Waterloo	NSW Masonic Club Club Uniform or Lounge Suit	Friday 22 June 2007 7:30pm	\$40 per person

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