

It gives me great pleasure to post this Christmas message on our District website.

I am indebted to you for your continued support. This support gave my journey as District Governor a flying start. I am having a dream run to date. As I approach the half way mark in my DG tenure, I wish to take this opportunity to share with you some of the highlights.

July 2014

Completed training as District Governor Elect in Toronto, Canada and was inducted as

District Governor at the Lions International Convention in Toronto

Hosted a joint changeover of eight Chinese Australian Clubs with IPIP Barry Palmer officiating

Co-hosted District N5 Changeover 2014

August 2014

Two new Lions clubs chartered: New South Wales Campus and Sydney Ancho Sudan Lions Clubs Attended Council of Governors Meeting and ANZI Pacific Forum in Adelaide

September 2014

Hosted a 5-day visit by International President, Lion Joe Preston and Lion Joni Preston Hosted the Inaugural Lions Skills Sharing Expo & the District PR Forum Officiated at the 50th Anniversary celebrations of the Norfolk Island Lions Club

October 2014

Attended two District Conventions, N4 and V1-4, as a Special Guest Attained approval for a Certificate of Organisation for two new Leo Clubs



November 2014

Hosted a dinner meeting with PIP Wing Kun Tam as Guest of Honour Presided over a very successful District N5 Convention at the Castle Hill RSL Club

December 2014

Completed visiting 85% of the clubs. Have been scheduled to attend many Club Christmas parties.

Thanks to DGE Joanne and VDG Dennis for sharing some of the club visits

Writing and sending out Christmas wishes to all N5 Lions Clubs and District Officers

Looking ahead in 2015

- Lions Skills Sharing Expo: Sunday, 12 April 2015 at Castle Hill RSL, 2-course dinner at \$28
- Incoming Club Officers Training Forum: Sunday, 17 May 2015
- District Changeover: Saturday, 18 July 2015 at Castle Hill RSL Club

If you wish to find out more about the above, please checkout **DG Anthony's Treks** on the District web-site. To date, I have a collection of 12 articles posted there awaiting to be read.

Finally, from Emma and I, we sincerely wish you and your loved ones a Merry Christmas and a Happy, Healthy & Prosperous 2015 ahead!

District Governor (2014-2015)

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Lions Clubs International

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