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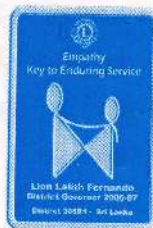
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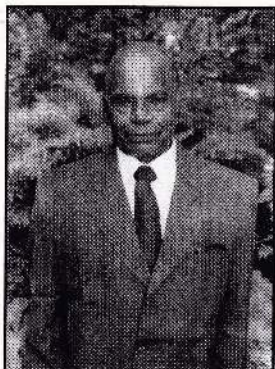
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Message from the President

Lion K. Thirunavukkarasu

It gives me immense pleasure in presenting my message to our News Bulletin "Elukathir" released by the Lions Club of Mallakam/Tellippalai. Our Lions club is too young, just three years old, to boast about its activities. Yet it has done yeoman service in bringing up the living conditions of the poor disabled citizens of this area.

Our club is situated in the war torn area far north of Sri Lanka devoid of all human facilities. The educated well-to-do citizens of this area have gone abroad during the ethnic period and settled there. A part of the poor disabled population have come here and resettled. So our task is too heavy to think about. We believe in Lionism and the spirit of Lionism is there to guide us and give us a fillip in all our endeavours. The inspiration to serve blossoms in the hearts of every one of us. We receive utmost satisfaction and pleasure in mind, only by serving others. The successful people in this field are deemed to have lived their lives.

The administrative arena of our club coincides with that of our district governor's theme "empathy key to enduring Service". We have got lot to do in uplifting the living conditions of the poor disabled public. For this year let us concentrate on certain very important aspects of human life like education, health and environment. Let me appeal to you all, friends, Colleagues, Well-wishers and well-to-do public to give us your hands and co-operate with us in fulfilling the aspirations of our club.

Thank you

*The whole world is one single tree
The different countries are its branches
Its root is God
Human beings are the flowers
Happiness is the fruit
Self realization is the sweet juice therein.*

*Healthy life!
Peaceful life !
Life of Love !
Devine Life !*



Editors Report

Arise Awake and Serve! Serve is the life Motto of Lionism. Every member of our Lions club must understand the crucial importance of Exercising their passion for extending our arm of humanitarian service to the needy.

The present day race especially in the north are under going and experiencing all kinds of difficulties. Irrespective of all Lions in the north are out to do their maximum. The man's disaster cannot be overlooked by the International organization Lion. Our Lions club 306 B1 Mallakam/Tellipallai Chartered on 21-04-2003 is in its very infant stage. Still the members here are very united and enthusiastic to serve.

We have to wriggle like the worms in monitoring our projects. Let us all pray to have peace in our heart and do all the best we can. Computer is another pressing need. Computer is like an electronic brain. It stores much more information than most peoples brain can and sorts through it more quickly. Funds are necessary to carry out our movement efficiently effectively and successfully. If there is a will there is a way. Hope and pray the Almighty will bless us.

Thank you.

Humanitarian look on mankind

Human beings, born on earth, are endowed with certain rights and privileges with which they live amicably and happily. The negation of these rights and privileges results in enormous conflicts that cannot be solved easily. The disparity shown among the nations and races in the world may give room to one of an ethnic conflict.

Sri Lanka faces this ethnic conflict during the last two decades. In this conflict it is the people who are most affected. The recent imposition of curfew indefinitely now and then, the closing of high ways to passengers, the disturbance of transport and communication, the cut in the supply of electricity, the shortage of essential commodities and its supply are some of the burdens put on the shoulders of the public. People have to stand in the hot sun in mile long queues throughout the day to purchase their commodities. The mental agony and sufferings caused cannot be told.

Lionism is based on the "We serve" principle, ameliorating the grievances of the needy public. It is up to every Lions club to go through their needs and enlighten their living conditions.

May God bless them all.

Well wisher.

High lights of the project's this year



Lion V. S. Sockalingam J. P. District Co - ordinator handing over the tack to the new President lion K. Thirunavukkarasu



Lion S. Arumuganathan Imm past president gardanding the new president Lion K. Thirunavukkarasu



Exhibition of the project of sculpture and Architecture conducted by Lion A. Vethananthan (Kalapooshanam) held at Sitpalayam during the installation ceremony.



President Lion. K. Thirunavukkarasu and his wife lady Lion Sivapackiam garlanding Lion V. Sivakumaran chairperson Zone 2 and his wife Ranjithamalar on their visit to the Club



Lion V. Sivakumaran Zone 2 chairperson handing over a gift parcel to children "Valvakam" on the white cane day.



Lion. V. Sivakumaran Zone 2 chairperson honouring an elderly person K. Sunderamoorthy on children-elders' day.



Lion V. Sivakumaran Zone 2 chair person wearing a spectacle to a person on Sight first day



Lion. V. Sivakumaran Zone 2 chairperson honouring Lion P. Sundaralingam a member of our club on his retirement as principal of Mahajana College.



Durkathuranthari Kalanithy Thangammah Appakuddy handing over cash to the less privileged student of Mahajana College on her section to University studies.



A dance programme by the children of Aranery School at Thurgapuram held on the children's day.



*Quests elders, and members of
the club on the elder's day.*



*Members of our club and staff of Mallakam
Maha Vidyalayam on the U. N. Day.*



President Lion K. Thirunavukkarasu introducing the principal and main speaker to the gathering



President Lion K. Thirunavukkarasu is planting a Coconut palm on the tree planting ceremony at Nadeswara College.



President Lion K. Thirunavukkarasu is handing over a deepavali present to the less privileged person.



President Lion K. Thirunavukkarasu is wearing a spectacle to a person on the sight first day.



