Zone 9 District 2-X1, Lions Clubs International **Zone Meeting 09/26/2023**

September 26, 2023, 6:30 PM Via Zoom (Flyer Attached)

ATTENDEES:

District 2-X1: DG Prakash Gautam, FVDG Radha Krishna Kaphle, GST Coordinator Virginia Lamb, RC Manuel Palavicini, PCC John Eads, ZC Meena Chhetry, ZC Kedar Timalsina, ZC Khem Bastola. Lions from Zone 10 Clubs.

Clubs from Zone 9: Ferris Lions Club and DeSoto Lions Club



Opening formalities: Formal opening of Zone meeting by ZC Suresh Basyal

Prayers (Invocation) by RC Manuel Palavicini and Pledge of Allegiance by Lion Jim

AGENDA

- District Governor Prakash Gautam's Remarks District Goals and Updates
- Service Activities reporting and ideas presentation GST Coordinator.
- Build Bed for Kids Success PCC John Eads
- Resources available for the clubs
- Success and challenges

Introductions (2-5 minutes): Ask participants to introduce themselves by giving their name, title, and club name. (Also requested to rename on Zoom with Name, Club Name, and Position)

DG Prakash Gautam's Remarks - District Goals and Updates Presentation. District 2-X1 is one of the leading districts in MD2 with membership growth, service activities, and reporting along with Chartering 3 new clubs. He also emphasized the contribution to LCIF by clubs and individual Lions.

GST Coordinator Lion Virginia Lamb - Briefly shared the service framework and how it relates to every club in the District. Reporting is getting better and still, Leo clubs are not reporting all their activities. Additional ideas to increase activity hours.

PCC John Eads:

PCC John shared the service activity our district concluded recently by building 175 beds benefiting our communities. Additional opportunities to build beds will be announced soon.

Club Service Projects Idea Exchange:

Lion Jim Swafford shared how Ferris Lions Club got engaged in the community by alliance with other service organizations like School District, and Chamber. PCC John Eads shared the regular club activities of DeSoto Lions Clubs especially the Adopted park in the city of Desoto.

Various clubs from Zone 10 similarly shared their club activities.

District Announcement by FVDG Radha Krishna Kaphle:

FVDG Kaphle shared his participation at the US-Canada Lions Forum and encouraged Lion Leaders to look for the next Forum. Announced district's main events soon. Again emphasized the reporting of MMR and Club Activities in the portal on time.

NOTES

- Sharing the presentation material from GST Coordinator Virginia Lamb.
- Follow up with missing clubs for dues

ACTION ITEMS

1. Fixing the next zone meeting date and time



NEXT Meeting Agenda

Will be shared after the 2nd Cabinet Meeting.