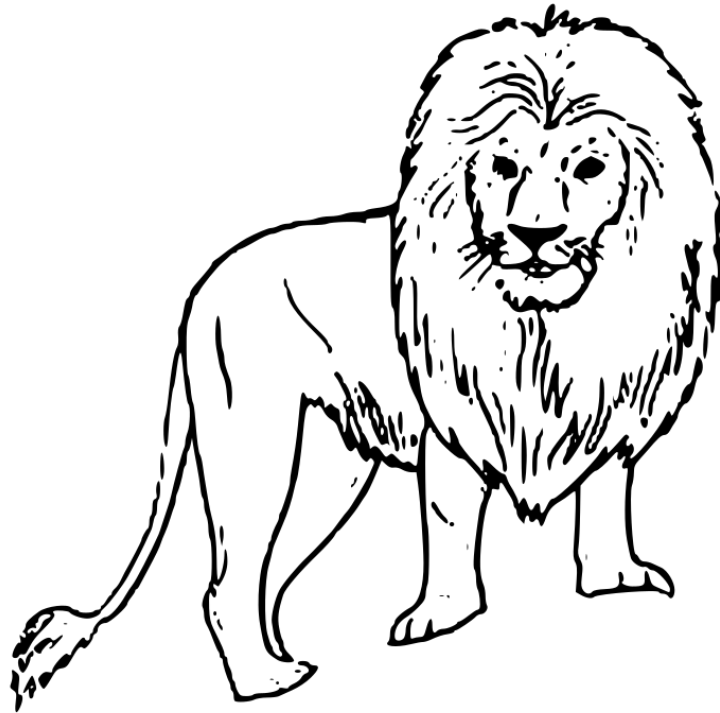


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AWARD
NEW MEMBER
ORIENTATION PROGRAM
BOOKLET



Multiple District 13 Orientation Award Program

Lion completing orientation

Sponsor

Lions Club

Join/Start Date

Round One...

Club Project-

The new member must participate in a service project of his or her Lions club and complete this written section.

Service Project and Description:

Location and Date:

How does this project benefit the local community?

How long has the club done this project?

How did the club recognize the need for this project?

Round Two...

Club Fundraiser-

The new member must participate in a fundraiser of his or her Lions Club and complete this written section.

Fundraiser and Description:

Location and Date:

What club programs does this fundraiser benefit?

How long has the club done this fundraiser?

How does the club prepare for this fundraiser?

Round Three...

Club Board Meeting-

The new member must attend a meeting of his or her club's Board of Directors and complete the written section below.

Location and Date:

What items did the board meeting cover?

On what items did the board take action?

On what items will the board make recommendations to the club membership?

How did attending this board meeting help you understand the functioning of your own Lions Club?

Round Four...

Leadership Event-

The new member must attend a Lions leadership event. Those events that qualify as Lions leadership events are: District Leadership Conferences, MD-13 Lions Convention, MD-13 Lions Winter Retreat, Lions Clubs International Convention, USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum, and Lions Clubs International Leadership Institutes (Emerging Lion or Senior Lion). The new Lion must then complete the written section below.

Lions Leadership Event:

Location and Date:

What was the purpose of this event?

What sessions did you attend?

How will attending this event help you as a Lion?

Round Five...

Zone Meeting-

The new member must attend 2 Zone Meetings and complete the written section below.

Location and Date:

- 1. _____
- 2. _____

What Clubs attended Zone meeting?

Which District Officers were there?

What service projects did the other clubs in the zone do since previous meeting? Were any of these something your club could do?

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____

Were there speakers at the meeting? Who? What did they talk about?

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____

How did attending the Zone meetings help you understand the functioning of your Lions District?

Round Six...

Introduction to District Officers-

The new member must introduce himself or herself to the District Governor, First Vice District Governor, Second Vice District Governor and Cabinet Secretary/Treasurer and complete the written section below.

Introduction to District Governor

Location and Date: _____

Signature of DG: _____

Introduction to the First Vice District Governor

Location and Date: _____

Signature of First VDG: _____

Introduction to the Second Vice District Governor

Location and Date: _____

Signature of Second VDG: _____

Introduction to the Cabinet Secretary/Treasurer

Location and Date: _____

Signature of CST: _____

Round Seven...

Introduction to Past District Governors-

The new member must introduce himself or herself to four Past District Governors, only one of which may come from the member's own club, and complete the section below.

What is the person's fondest memory as a District Governor?

Signature of PDG: _____

District _____ District Governor Year _____

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District _____ District Governor Year _____

Round Eight...

Club Understanding-

The new member must meet individually with his or her own club's President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Tail Twister and complete the written section below.

What service projects and fundraisers does your community most closely identify as projects of the local Lions Club?

What challenges are the greatest for a club President?

What challenges are the greatest for a club Secretary?

What challenges are the greatest for a club Treasurer?

How does the club Tail Twister try to bring fun and humor into club meetings?

Round Nine...

Self Reflection-

While the first eight rounds can be completed in any order, these final rounds should be saved for last, as they are the culminating experience of the "O" Awards Program. The new member must reflect on his or her experiences as a Lion and complete the written section below.

There is more to being a Lion than simply reciting an oath and wearing a lapel pin. At what point in your Lion service did you realize what it felt like to be a Lion?

What project of the International Association of Lions Clubs means the most to you as an individual Lion?

What about this program made you choose it?

In what ways can you contribute to this program and ensure that this program continues to be meaningful to Lions and to those whom "We Serve?"

Round Ten...

Individual Goal Forming-

While the first eight rounds can be completed in any order, these final rounds should be saved for last, as they are the culminating experience of the "O" Awards Program. The new member must form some individual goals for his or her own service as a Lion and complete the written section below.

What goals can you set for yourself to accomplish as a Lion in the next year?

What goals can you set for yourself to accomplish as a Lion in the next three years?

What goals can you set for yourself to accomplish during your lifetime in Lionism?

In what ways can you make your local, state, and world communities' better places through your service as a Lion?

How can you embody the Lions Clubs International motto "We Serve" in your daily personal and professional life?

Multiple District 13 Orientation Award Application...

Newly Oriented Lion-

I have completed the Ten Rounds of the "O" Award Program and I meet the Eligibility requirements outlined at the front of this booklet, I am applying for the Multiple District 13 Orientation Award.

Signature: _____

Sponsoring Lion-

I certify that I am the sponsor of the above named Lion and that the Lion has met the requirements of the Multiple District 13 Orientation "O" Award.

Signature: _____

Club President-

I certify that I am the club president of the above named Lion and the Lion has met the requirements of the Multiple District 13 Orientation "O" Award.

Signature: _____

Previous Recipient of "O" Award? ____ Yes ____ No

Upon completing this page, mail the entire booklet to the District GMT Coordinator for final review. (District GMT Coordinator will need to send name and club to MD 13 GMT Coordinator. MD GMT will present "O" pins at Multiple District 13 Convention.)

→ *See the District Directory for the name and address of the current 13 OH2 District GMT Coordinator.*

Congratulations on successfully completing the Multiple District 13 "O" Award Program!