

## **ZONE CHAIRPERSON EXCELLENCE AWARD RULES**

To all Zone Chairpersons who qualify for this honor, Multiple District 19 presents a gold Zone Chairperson Excellence Award at the Fall Annual Convention following their term of office. This Award shall be given by the Contests and Awards Committee based on the statistical record of the MD19 Office for the period of July 1 through June 30. Questions concerning the decisions of this Committee must be sent in writing to the MD19 Contests and Awards Committee Chairperson before December 31 of the year in which the Zone Chairperson served.

TO QUALIFY FOR THIS AWARD, the Zone Chairperson must have been elected by September 1, of his/her year in office and a minimum of **640 points** must have been earned from the following:

### **POINTS**

1. He/she shall attend the following meetings:
  - a. The Zone Chairperson's School immediately preceding his/her year in office; **25**
  - b. The Fall Annual Convention during his/her term of office; **25**
  - c. His/her District Conference during his/her term of office; **25**
  - d. District Cabinet Meetings **(15 points each) MAX 45**
2. He/she shall publish ten (10) newsletters to each of his/her clubs (July through June inclusive) with copies to the District Governor and Multiple District 19 Office. **60**
3. He/she shall make one Official visit to each club in his/her Zone. If possible, it should be made before the District Governor's Official Visit. Club Branches, status quo or problem clubs are included in visitation schedule. These visits must be reported on the Zone Chairperson's Monthly Report Form provided by the MD19 Office. (If not all clubs visited a % of the 100 points is given) **100**
4. He/she will be present and introduce the District Governor on his/her Official Visit, or make suitable arrangements. These visits must be reported on the Zone Chairperson's Monthly Report Form provided by the MD19 Office. (If not all clubs visited or arrangements made, a % of the 100 points is given.) **100**
5. Each month he/she shall report on a Zone Chairperson's Monthly Report Form provided by the MD19 Office, all visitations made during that month. This form must be sent to his/her District Governor with a copy to the MD19 Office postmarked by the 10th of the month following the visitations. (Assure that visitations are noted in the proper block on Form) **60**
6. All Club MMR & VAD Reports shall be accounted for throughout the year. **120**

The MMR Reports must be submitted by the individual clubs in the zone directly to Lions Clubs International. Reports filed online through lionsclubs.org must be submitted by the last day of the current month. Any other form of submission must be postmarked by the 20<sup>th</sup> day of the current month (hard copy).

VAD reports must be received in the MD19 Office by the last day of the current month.

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A prorated share of points will be awarded based on the number of reports received "On Time" (full credit), "Late" Reports (half credit) or "No" Report (No Credit) and the number of reports due. In all cases where reports are delinquent, the Zone Chairperson shall inform the MD19 Office by the 10th of the following month as to what action he/she took to obtain the report.

**POINTS**

- 7. He/she shall hold and conduct 3 Zone Meetings by April 30 of his/her year. **45**
- 8. He/she shall report his/her Zone Meetings to the MD19 Office within 30 days on the Zone Meeting Report Forms supplied by the MD19 Office. **15**
- 9. The Club Officer Report Forms (P.U.19) for all Lions, Lioness and Club Branch Clubs in his/her Zone must be sent to the MD19 Office postmarked on or before April 30. Points are determined by the % of clubs in the Zone reporting on time.

**MAX 15**

The Club Officer Report Forms (P.U.19) are to be forwarded to the Zone Chairperson's successor by May 30 along with a form to be sent to the MD19 Office signed by his/her/ successor indicating the Club Officer Report Forms have been received. This form will be sent to the Zone Chairperson at the same time the Club Officer Report Forms are sent to the Lions Clubs. **10**

- 10. He/she will have submitted the name, address, etc. of his/her successor to the MD19 Office by April 30, if his/her successor has been elected. **20**
- 11. All active clubs in his/her Zone must be in good financial standing with MD19 on June 30 of his/her year in office. Good financial standing means that all charges through the month of June have been cleared. Points are determined by the % of clubs in the Zone in good financial standing on June 30. **MAX 25**
- 12. He/she will provide a Club Officer Training Session after Club Officer Elections and prior to June 30 of the Zone Chairperson's term of office, unless a District Leadership Training meeting is held during that time. The Club Officer Training form must be sent to the MD19 Office on or before July 15<sup>th</sup>. **25**

If Zone Chairperson attends the Club Officer Training Session. **5**  
(Training Session, Zone Chairperson attendance and Club Presidents and Secretaries at the Training Session will be reported on a Form provided by the Multiple District 19 Office.)

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**ZONE CHAIRPERSON OF THE YEAR AWARD RULES**

**(Formerly known as Zone Chairperson Efficiency Award)**

- ◆ One Award for a Zone Chairperson serving a Zone of up to 8 clubs.
  - ◆ One Award for a Zone Chairperson serving a Zone of 9 or more clubs.
- (Number of clubs determined at the beginning of Zone Chairperson's year in office)

The selection of the Zone Chairperson of the Year Award Winners shall be made by the Contests and Awards Committee based on the statistical records of the Multiple District 19 Office through June 30. The winner(s) will be named each year for each of the categories listed above and the awards will be given at the Fall Annual Convention. To be eligible for the Zone Chairperson of the Year Award, the Zone Chairperson must have qualified for the Zone Chairperson Excellence Award with additional points to be earned as follows:

## **ZONE CHAIRPERSON EXCELLENCE AWARD RULES continued**

- 1. MEMBERSHIP INCREASE WITHIN ZONE. MAX 25**  
25 points will be awarded to the Zone Chairperson with the highest percentage gain in MD19. Other Zone Chairpersons will receive their proportionate share of the 25 points. Transfers and deaths do not affect the Membership total in conformance with Lions International.
- 2. NEWLY ORGANIZED CLUBS 20**  
20 points will be given for a new club or clubs organized in his/her Zone during his/her year in office and reported to Lions International prior to July 1.
- 3. INTER-ZONE CLUB VISITATIONS 25**  
If there is evidence that each club within the Zone has made interclub visitations as of April 30, 25 points will be awarded.
- 4. DISTRICT CONFERENCE ATTENDANCE BY CLUBS IN ZONE 10**  
10 points will be given if at least one member of each club in his/her Zone is in attendance and registered at their District Conference.
- 5. CLUB CONTESTS AND AWARDS COMPETITION 20**  
20 points will be awarded if all clubs within his/her Zone compete in any of the following MD19 Contests at their District Conference:
  1. Achievement (5 Min Speaking)
  2. Club Scrapbook
  3. Club Bulletin
  4. Musical Comedy
  5. Musical Performance
  6. Tall Tales

A percentage of the 20 points will be awarded based on the percentage of clubs that compete in the contests.

Points For Rule #5 Will Be Based On The District Contests And Awards Chairperson's Report Which Must Arrive In The Multiple District 19 Office With A Copy To The Multiple District 19 Contests And Awards Chairperson Within 30 Days of the District's Spring Conference.

- 6. CLUB PLANNING SESSION 25**  
25 points will be awarded if all clubs within his/her Zone have held a Club Planning Session within the Lions year. A percentage of the 25 points will be awarded based on the percentage of the clubs in his/her zone that hold a Club Planning Session.

### **IN CASE OF A TIE:**

The following items will be used to break a tie, if one occurs, in the order that they are written:

1. Attendance at the required meetings.
2. Completion of all required visitations, as taken from required written reports received at MD19 Office.
3. Held a Zone/District Leadership Training Session and reported it in writing to the MD19 Office on or before July 15<sup>th</sup>.
4. Has completed a monthly Zone Bulletin and sent it to the MD19 Office.
5. His/her Zone's Clubs in good financial standing on June 30 as taken from Club VAD Reports (donation section) sent to the MD19 Office.
6. Monthly Zone Reports completed and sent to the MD19 Office.
7. Zone's Clubs' Club Officer Report Forms (P.U. 19) sent to MD19 Office on time.
8. Zone's Clubs' MMR and VAD Reports received at MD19 Office as required.
9. Zone's Clubs' participated in the Contests and Awards at the District Conference and reported this on the VAD Report, visitation section.

**ZONE CHAIRPERSON OF THE YEAR AWARD WINNERS**  
**(Formerly known as Zone Chairperson Efficiency Award)**

1952	Leo Kite	Aberdeen
1953	Vern Carstens	Rearden
1954	Roger Stephenson	Bonnors Ferry
1955	Lou Valentine	Mount Vernon
1956	Nels Beaton	Vancouver-East
1957	A.J. Strom	Toppenish
1958	Cecil Griffith	Spokane-Central
1959	Wesley Wolther	Abbotsford
	Howard Grimm	Olympia-Host
1960	Jack R. Cissna	Federal Way
1961	George Forsyth	Seattle-University

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1962	Jack VanDerbeek	Aberdeen
	Orly Sorrel	Seattle-Capitol Hill
1963	Neil Klenz	Cosmopolis
1964	Merle Isaminger	Seattle-Wedgewood Sand.
1965	Earl Eddy	Mount Vernon
1966	Cliff Halfhill	Lakewood-First
1967	Walter Bebich	Aberdeen
1968	Bill Biggam	Moscow
1969	Dick Hunt	Tacoma-Downtown
	John Carto	Comox Valley
1970	John Stevens	Elma
1971	Art Rye	Kamloops-North
1972	Whitney Miller	College Place
	Garey Ham	Mount Seymour
1973	C.T. Purdom	West Valley
	Chuck Plank	Orofino
1974	R. William Wilbert	Gig Harbor
	N.L. Rocky Stone	Bremerton-Central
1975	William Shepherd	West Valley
1976	Dennis Gudbranson	Bellingham-Central
1977	Marvin Boyer	North Delta
1978	Clem Such	Victoria-Central
1979	Jim Fouty	E. Wenatchee -Eastmont
1980	William Friend	Clearbrook
1981	Robert Brown	Parksville
1982	Harold Lovingood	Tacoma-Lincoln
1983	Dave Bartlett	Spanaway
1984	Thomas A. Nordstrom	Capilano
1985	Kerry G. Mulhall	West Vancouver

**ZONES OF UP TO 8 CLUBS**

1986	C-5	Richard D. Bryan
1987	C-5	Jim Lipsy
1988	C-3	Van Gabriel
1989	D-7	Ron Spears
1990	C-6	Richard Matzen
1991	D-8	Ben J. Warnders
1992	C-3	Frank Powers
1993	C-7	James E. McCown
1994	A-7	Polly Voon
1995	C-3	Don Lockwood
1996	C-6	Grace L. Gius
1997	C-2	Bob Wotten
1998	B-4	Rosemary Richert
1999	C-6	E. Dennis Reed
2000	H-3	Ray Tremblay
2001	F-6	Bob Ferger
2002	E-11	Bob Ekler

**ZONES OF 9 OR MORE CLUBS**

A-1	L.H. Mike Michalson
G-4	Brian Panush
H-2	Joe Weber
I-2	George Triplett
G-1	O. Jim Reinecke
C-4	Ron E. Wooten
H-4	Leroy Carlaw
H-4	Ruth R. Roberts
A-1	Anne Huntley
I-2	John Wilson
C-4	Carl J. Freeland
I-2	Don Graham
C-4	Marge Stone
H-3	Judy Tocher
H-5	Richard Simonson
H-3	Paul Hand
H-1	Walter Freshwater

2003 A-2 Sharon Hansen  
2004 G-3 John Martin

**ZONES OF UP TO 8 CLUBS**

2005 C-4 Karl Ostheller  
2006 C-6 Roberta Pinson  
2007 C-6 Mitzi Ludwig  
2008 B-5 Donna McMillen  
2009 B-6 Steve Brooks  
2010 TO BE ANNOUNCED AT THE FALL FORUM

H-5 Richard Simonson  
H-7 Garry Lutz

**ZONES OF 9 OR MORE CLUBS**

B-5 Nathalie Fuentes  
B-5 Janet Rinehart  
H-4 Gloria Lee  
C-3 Charles Russell  
C-3 Andi Lanxon