



**Bantry Bay Lions**  
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## General Data Protection Regulation Policy

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With reference to The United Nations Declaration on Human Rights, the European Convention on Human Rights and

the Human Rights Act 2003, Data Protection laws are not adequate for privacy threats and issues today so the Regulation was enacted in 2016 to make the right to privacy supreme in each Member State as a Fundamental Human Right. As a Regulation it comes into effect on 25th May 2018 without any action by the Oireachtas as it has direct effect, unlike the Directives which led to the Data Protection Acts 1988 and 2003 which required passing of legislation.

This Club has adopted the General Data Protection Regulation Policy of our District 133 to conform with the Act which is set out below.

Lions Clubs International District 133 Ireland is committed to meeting the requirements of the General Data Protection Regulation and the Principles of Data Protection. We know that the member`s personal data is private and important and undertake that our ethos and culture recognise privacy as paramount in Lions Clubs. We confirm that it will not be used for any purpose

other than the objectives and purposes of the Lions Clubs. It will never be divulged to any other body

for any Commercial purposes and only provided to a third party when required by the legitimate interests of Lions Clubs or by law.

When a person applies for membership they will be advised to this effect, will freely and fully

consent to their personal data being used by Lions Clubs International, Lions District 133 Ireland and

the particular Lions Club for the purposes and objects of Lions Clubs only. This consent may be withdrawn at any time. A member has a right to access the information held, which will be provided

immediately, and if inaccurate to have the data amended. When membership ceases for any reason,

the data will be deleted from all records. If a member provides a Personal Public Services Number

for the purpose of a tax refund under Section 848A of the Income Tax Acts, it will only be used for that purpose and only advised to Revenue Charities Section exclusively, as sensitive data.

In committing to the Data Protection Principles, the Lions Clubs recognise that it is a Data Controller

and bound to comply with the principles in relation to any personal data collected, stored or processed. They are:

- Obtain and process information fairly;
- Keep it only for one or more specified, explicit and lawful purposes,
- Use and disclose it only in ways compatible with these specified purposes,
- Keep it safe and secure,
- Keep it accurate, complete and up to date,
- Ensure that it is adequate, relevant and not excessive,
- Retain it for no longer than is necessary for the purpose or purposes,
- Give a copy of his/her personal data to an individual on request.

In addition, the Lions Clubs will undertake a programme to ensure compliance by May 2018 with the

G.D.P.R. This will take the form of ten steps to be completed on time and comprise the following :

- Awareness Raising,
- Appoint Data Protection Officer,
- Complete a Data Register,
- Outline basis for Data Collection,
- Communicate Privacy Information,
- Review Data Security and Data Breach Plan,
- Subject Access Requests,
- Privacy by Design,
- Update Policies & Procedures,
- Review Forms and Update.

Lions Clubs International District 133 Ireland will revise all the documentation and notices used by Lions Clubs, will align our processes and policies with the Regulation and ensure that the right to privacy and data protection of all living persons in Lions Clubs are safeguarded.

## District Convention 2018

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Submitted by [bbl\\_admin](#) on Wed, 16/05/2018 - 10:01

### District Convention 2018 Report Westport Co. Mayo April 27th - 28th 2018

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This was the 1st convention for District 133 and the 49th Convention in Ireland presided over by District Governor Teresa Dineen and hosted by Westport Lions

Westport is well worth a visit, a nice little town on a lovely stretch of coast. Very picturesque. The Hotel was excellent, and all went well for Myself, Ramor & Inki Craigie and Mary O'Regan Barsum and Anne O'Regan who attended from Bantry Bay Lions. (Photo Francis)

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Here are the BBLions Ramor, Anne, Mary and Francis (Photo Mary)

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Rather than sitting in rows we were seated around tables which was much more friendly, and enabled discussion more readily. (Photo Francis)

**The Treasurer** reported that of the 106 Clubs in the District, 91 were paid up, 15 had not paid, and only 79 had submitted accounts.

#### Projects included:

- Diabetic Screening of around 13 thousand people.
- Anti Bullying cards are available
- RTE Nationwide did a program in December 2017 on Lions
- An Post Project to celebrate the Centenary of Lions (Ramor, Jerry)
- Guide Dogs for the Blind, Autism and Assistance – we have paid our €1500 towards this.

There has been €120,000 raised for Breeding in the republic and Training in the North Susan from Ballincolig Lions came with a dog and gave a small presentation.

#### Business Section:

- Nominees for DG Frank O'Donoghue, 1stVDG Bernard Black, 2ndVDG des Ryan
- GDPR (Data Protection) Policy was adopted.
- Greeting from District 105D
- Convention 2019 to be organised by the Kinsale Club
- International Speaker – Past International Director Cliff Hayward from New Zealand gave a very entertaining and enthusiastic talk. He pointed out something that NZ and Ireland have in common, which I did not know, We have no snakes. His main message was to be inclusive in our service and also Service gives us opportunity. If you are not happy about something then speak up about it.

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BB Lions members seen here with PID Cliff Hayward at the Dinner (Photo Mary)

#### Discussion Groups:

This was the first time that this has been tried at Convention as far as I know.

The groups discussed the following subjects and then presented the results

- Global Awareness of Lions
- Growing Lions in Ireland
- Conventions of the Future
- Awareness of Lions in Ireland

From these discussions and presentations I have collected some points to consider:

At Club Level:

- Invitations to new Lions should be Personal

Consider a Wine & Cheese presentation for potential new Members

Advertising & PUBLICITY

Run a Pub Quiz

Book Sale

New members should get the first year Free

Create a Leo Club

One Club has 50 members and 50 on the waiting list.....

- Change the 'Motto' for 'We Serve' to 'Ordinary people doing amazing things'
- Educate Clubs in obtaining grants from LCIF to boost funds raised by a Club.

At District Level

- Not enough 'Turn Over' in Cabinet. Perhaps there should be a 3 year cycle
- Improve communication between district and Clubs

### **More Talks**

Past Internation Director Phil Nathan from the UK chatted about his involvement in a Shoe Box Delivery Trip. Also to areas in Europe hit by disaster supplying Water and Tents etc. He also noted that Lions have helped 9 million have Cataract Surgery, 27.4 million help with river Blindness and 116 million with disaster relief.

2ndVDG Bernard Black presented a rather nice interactive session using a voting system on our mobile phones relating to different aspects of how we run our Clubs and what we do. The results could be seen in real time on screen. If we had had one device per Club then the results would have been more meaningful but as far as I could see we as a Club perform well above average. Well Done Bantry Bay Lions I say!

Incoming 2nd VDG Des Ryan exhorted the troops!

There were various Certificates awarded

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District Governor Teresa Dineen with her Orchid (Photo Francis)

### **Message In A Bottle – Golf Tags**

I was able to obtain some sample Golf Tapes for this project which Ernie & Marion are progressing.

## **St Patricks Day Parade, Bantry**

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Submitted by **francis** on Wed, 21/03/2018 - 10:35

The Lions were on parade with a Lion this year. Crafted by Peter, Francis & Susy it got us noticed!

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Our thanks to Nora for the 'grass' and flowers

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## Lions Diabetes Screening at the National Ploughing Championship 2017

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Submitted by **francis** on Tue, 09/01/2018 - 10:33

Anne O'Regan and Mary O'Regan-Barsum participated in the Lions Diabetes Screening Project at the National Ploughing Championships held in Screggan, County Offaly. 5,976 people were screened, comprising of 3,239 males and 2,737 females.

As a result, 255 males and 152 females were found to be outside the normal ranges and were referred to their GP for follow-up.

DiabeticScreeningPloughingChamps2017.jpg

Shown in the picture are Mary and Anne with (from left to right) Past District Governors John O'Donovan (Carlow Lions Club), Liam Lyons (Thurles Lions Club) and Paul Allen (Kildare Lions Club).

## Christmas Food Appeal

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Submitted by **francis** on Tue, 09/01/2018 - 10:06

The Bantry Bay Lions held their annual food appeal at the new SuperValu store in Bantry on December 15, 16 and 17. Non-perishable food items and money were donated to give a total value of €1,886.34, a superb response from the community.

As a result, 36 food hampers were delivered by the Lions Club to the Saint Vincent De Paul organization for distribution to needy families in the local community. Special thanks to Jim O'Keeffe at SuperValu and to Eamonn Maginer and all the excellent SuperValu staff for their help.

foodAppeal2017.jpg

Pictured from left to right are Tom Wilson, Nora Lynch, Anne O'Regan, Ramor Craigie, Mary O'Regan-Barsum and Meg Wilson.

## 10 Year Service Awards

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Submitted by **francis** on Mon, 13/11/2017 - 15:28

Our District Governor Teresa Dineen was able to present two members of the Club, John Dervan and Marion Rouse with their 10 Year service Awards. The photo below shows from left to right, President Francis with Teresa, Marion and John.

FrancisTeresaMarionJohn.jpg

## Delicata Wine Festival - Malta - August 2018

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Submitted by **francis** on Mon, 13/11/2017 - 15:13

I am planning to visit this Festival in August next year, and make contact with the Lions in Malta.

Peter Marren went last year, and had such a good time, he is going again this year. Susy & I are going to join in. Please contact Peter for more information.

It would be really good fun to have a few members of the Club travel as well.

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Here is some information from Peter about this:-

The PROVISIONAL dates for the Delicata Wine festival are the 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> August 2018, Valletta will also be Europe's Capital of Culture in 2018.

The wine festival takes place in the Barrakka Gardens overlooking the Grand Harbour, every evening from 7pm until midnight. There are 24 wines to sample as often as one likes from stalls spread along the garden's periphery.

### Upper Barrakka Gardens

The way it works is straightforward. Entrance is free. To try the wines, you just purchase a wristband for the night and a personal souvenir glass for €14. As if it were a wine lover's magic wand, showing the wristband at a wine stand will prompt dedicated wine stewards to pour a 60 ml taster of the wine on show in the bespoke festival glass. The last glasses and wristbands are sold at 11pm, the last wine poured at 11.30pm and the festival closes at midnight.

Live cooking stalls will be serving a tempting variety of both traditional Maltese and international dishes to tease a wide range of palates. Maltese favourites are prepared by Maypole, Indian dishes by Gate of India and sushi by MedAsia. There are also various cheese and charcuterie platters as well as desserts to try and match to see for yourself how compatible and versatile Delicata wines are with a variety of cuisines.

### Lower Barrakka Gardens

**Salute!** is a fully-seated al fresco wine and fine dining experience laid on at the reserved, lower level of the Saluting Battery on Friday, Saturday and Sunday night. **Salute!** offers a delicious menu of plated dishes and matching wines, all served under the starry sky over the Grand Harbour which is steeped in history to which every course and each glass aspire to add a new enjoyable chapter. It is

organised by the Delicata winery in close collaboration with Island Caterers.  
Event tickets are sold **at €45 per person**.

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Let's go and enjoy Malta for a few days.

## Paint Ball Arcade - Sunday 26th November

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Submitted by [francis](#) on Mon, 13/11/2017 - 15:04

The Lions Paint Ball Arcade for the National school in Bantry on Sunday 26th November was a great success.

There were plenty of children and adults willing to have a go.

We managed to raise €316 which will be split equally between the School and the Lions.

Well Done to Peter Marren for organising this.

## Lions Disaster Appeal - Street Collection for 21st October POSTPONED

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Submitted by [bbl\\_admin](#) on Wed, 11/10/2017 - 13:55

Lions - Take Action Now!

There would have been a Street Collection on Saturday 21st October to raise money for the Lions International Disaster Relief Fund.

However Storm Brian put paid to *that*. We are trying to arrange another date.

Please add you name to the Rota [here](#)

## Glengarriff Fun Day

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Submitted by [francis](#) on Tue, 19/09/2017 - 09:03

On 16th September we attended the Fun day in Glengarriff providing a Paint Ball Arcade as per last year.

The rain held off until mid afternoon, so there were plenty of people to come and try their luck.

As last year the event was dominated by Saoirsa McCarthy, joined by her sister who was as good a shot as her.

We collected nearly €250 Euro for Glangarriff Community.

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