



Multiple District 105 Lioness Clubs Travelling Lioness Competition Rules



1. **The competition shall be known as** the 'Multiple District 105 Lioness Clubs Travelling Lioness Competition'.
2. **The object of the Competition** is to encourage Lionesses to visit other Lions, Lionesses and Leos throughout the Multiple District and Internationally.
3. **The competition year runs from 1st January - 31st December** and the trophy will be won by the Club within Multiple District 105 which has scored the greatest number of points in this period.
4. **The trophy shall be presented at the Multiple District 105 Lioness Clubs Annual Conference each year** and shall be held by the winning club for a period of one year.
5. **The winning Club will be responsible for:**
 - a. **The safekeeping and insurance of the trophy** from the presentation until it is returned to the Sergeant at Arms the following year.
 - b. **The engraving of their name on the trophy** in similar style to that already present.
 - c. **The return of the trophy to the Sergeant at Arms** at the beginning of the next conference ready for presentation to the new winner.
- b) Divide this figure by the total number of members in your Club to give you the number of points you can claim. **If the number of points to be claimed end in .5 or above** then round up to the next full point, however if it is below .5 then it should be rounded down)
4. Points can only be claimed for full members. Honorary and Privileged members and those 'at large' are not eligible to claim points for their Club.
5. **In the event of a tie between two or more Clubs at the end of the competition year**, the total number of visits made by the Club shall be added to the total points awarded to determine the winner.
6. **A visit shall have deemed to take place when one of the following meetings or events has been attended:**
 - a) **Club**
 - Regular Business Meeting
 - Social Event (including Formation and charter celebrations)
 - Fund-raising Event
 - Service Activity
 - b) **Region/Zone**
 - Official Region / Zone Meeting
 - Region / Zone Forum or Seminar
 - Region / Zone Social Event
 - Region / Zone Fund-raising Event
 - Region / Zone Welfare Activity
 - c) **District, Multiple District & International***
 - Forums and Workshops
 - Conventions, Functions and Events
 - Lioness Conferences

How does the Scheme Work?

1. **Points will be awarded to a Club** (not an individual) for Lionesses visiting other Lioness, Lions or Leo Clubs.
2. All Lioness Clubs in Multiple District 105 are eligible to compete, including those formed during the period of the competition.
3. **The number of points which can be claimed per visit are to be calculated as follows:**
 - a) Count the number of members partaking in the activity and multiply it by the mileage from your Club meeting place to the venue you have travelled to (as indicated in Google Maps).

- c) **District, Multiple District & International***
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**Only one claim can be made per club attending.*

NB: District / Multiple District Officers visiting in their official capacity are not eligible to claim points for their Club. A Lioness accompanying a Lions District Governor/Officer as their partner, who is attending a function in his official capacity, is also ineligible to claim points for their club.

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7. **In the event of a meeting or event being cancelled**, no points can be claimed by visiting Lionesses.
8. **In any one year of the competition, points can be awarded for:**
 - A maximum of two visits to the same type of meeting or event per club.
 - A maximum of two visits to the same type of Region / Zone meetings or events.
 - A maximum of two visits to the same type of District, Multiple District or International events.

NB: Where an event runs over several days, only one claim can be made for the whole event.

9. **In order to claim points** the visiting Club must complete an official Travelling Lioness Competition Report Card.

NB: PLEASE specify clearly the type of event attended (see section 6) and complete all sections in block capitals.

10. **The card should be signed by one of the following persons who is present when you attend:**
 - a. For visits to a Club, the President or Secretary of the Club visited.
 - b. For a Zone or Regional Visit, the Zone or Region Chairman.
 - c. For a District visit, the District Chairman or Governor.
 - d. For a Multiple District visit, the Council Chairman / Secretary, your host District Governor or Multiple District Lioness Chairman.
 - e. For International Conventions, your own incoming / out-going District Governor or Multiple District Lioness Chairman

11. **The signed card should then be posted to the Multiple District 105 Lioness Clubs Travelling Lioness Officer** ensuring they receive it within 28 days of the event being attended.

NB: Points will not be credited if this rule is not complied with.

12. **A league table of points will be recorded** in the Multiple District 105 Lioness Clubs newsletter, which is circulated to all clubs and is available to view on the website.

13. **Report cards can be downloaded from the website** or alternatively they can be obtained **by post from the Multiple District 105 Lioness Clubs Competitions Officer.**
14. Any queries relating to the competition rules and the awarding of points should in the first instance be referred to the Multiple District 105 Lioness Clubs Competitions Officer.
15. **In the event of any differences of opinion regarding the interpretation of these rules and / or the final points awarded**, the matter shall be referred to the Deputy Multiple District 105 Lioness Clubs Chairman, whose decision shall be final.



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