

Club Building Cash Reward



Lions Australia has established a “Club Building Cash Reward” to reward clubs that sponsor and support new Lions Clubs. The cash reward recognises the significant contribution made by a sponsor club to ensure the ongoing success and growth of a new club.

It acknowledges that Lions Club members are committed to supporting their communities through service while also contributing to the longevity and growth of our organisation.

The cash reward will run until 30 June 2028.

How Does It Work

The Multiple District will provide a rebate of the Multiple District Administration dues, excluding insurance charges and levies, to a club that sponsors a new club, for up to 3 years according to the following conditions.

The reward is provided as a rebate. Participating clubs will pay their dues as normal, and the applicable amount will be rebated directly to them from the Multiple District.

In Short...

- Sponsor a new Lions Club and receive a rebate on MD201 Administration dues for up to 3 years.
- Rebate starts after the third semi-annual dues billing (1 year + 1 day after charter of new club).
- Rebate is paid once the new club has paid its MD201 dues.
- Covers MD201 dues only (excludes insurance charges and levies).
- Rebate equals dues for up to a maximum of 20 members of the new club.
- Rebate cannot exceed the dues paid by the sponsoring club.
- New club must maintain at least 15 members to qualify.
- At least 75% of members must be new Lions (not transfers).
- Clubs can sponsor multiple new clubs, but rebate is capped to their own dues.
- Application must be submitted before the new club is chartered.
- Rebate is paid to the sponsoring club, not the new club.

TERMS OF THE REWARD

1. An existing Lions Club that sponsors and supports a new Lions Club receives a rebate on the existing Clubs' Multiple District dues for up to 3 years from the charter of a new club, while the new club continues to operate. If a new club is sponsored by multiple Lions clubs, only one club can apply.
2. The rebate commences from the third semi-annual dues billing after the charter of the new club. That is, the new club must be in existence for at least one year and one day.
3. The rebate is payable once the sponsored club has paid its semi-annual Multiple District dues.
4. The rebate covers the current MD201 Administration dues only, not insurance charges and levies.
5. The rebate is equivalent to the MD201 dues applicable to the number of members in the sponsored club, up to a maximum of 20 members. *For example, if the sponsoring club has 40 members and the new club has 20 members, the sponsoring club will receive a rebate of the MD Dues equivalent for 20 members.**
6. The rebate cannot exceed the Multiple District dues for the sponsoring club. *For example, if the new sponsored club has 20 members, and the sponsoring club has 10 members, the rebate payable will be equivalent to 10 members.**
7. The sponsored club must retain at least 15 members. If membership of the sponsored club falls below 15 members, no rebate is payable. If the sponsoring club succeeds in growing the membership to at least 15 members during the 3-year term, the rebate will be payable for the remainder of the term.
8. At least 75% of members of the sponsored club must be new Lions.
9. Council reserves the right to cancel the reward at any time but will give 1 month's notice of its intention to do so. Clubs already enrolled in the scheme will continue to receive the reward until the expiry of their 3-year term.
10. Once the application is approved, the rebate will be automatically paid by MD201, based on membership numbers in the Lion Portal.
11. A club may apply to sponsor more than one club; however, the rebate will be limited to the MD Dues exclusive of insurance charges and levies, of the sponsoring club, subject to these terms.
12. Sponsoring clubs must submit this form in advance of chartering a new club to be eligible.
 - * The rebate is calculated at the time the semi-annual dues are leviedIt is important to note that the rebate is paid to the sponsoring club, not the new club. As Lions we know that we pay dues to ensure that 100% of funds donated from the public go to our humanitarian causes. It is important that new members learn about the responsibility to pay dues.



Application Form

Sponsor Club Info

Application Date:

Sponsor Club Name & ID No.:

Contact Name:

Contact E-mail:

Contact Phone number:

Sponsor Club No. of Members:

Rebate Start Date –

(this would be either the first 30 June or 31 December after the new club has been in existence for a year and a day.)

Bank Details

Account Name:

BSB

Account No.

New Club Info

New Club Name & ID No.:

New Club Charter Date:

New Club No. of Members:

Please submit completed form to the Lions National Office at info@lions.org.au, using the words “Building Reward” in the subject line.

