



INTRODUCING THE LEO TO LION PROGRAM

To position Lions as a leading humanitarian force with key future leaders, Lions Clubs International expanded the Student Member Program to include graduating Leos. The Leo to Lion Program is designed to encourage young adult participation in Lions and pave the way for these future Lion leaders. This program expands our recruiting efforts and gives more young adults the opportunity to join the association.

LEO TO LION PROGRAM COMPONENTS

- **Part I:** To provide an extended transitional period for graduated Leos (age traditionally deemed appropriate is 28), graduating Leos between the age of legal majority in the jurisdiction in which they reside and through the age of 30 qualify for the Leo to Lion Program.
- **Part II:** Additionally, in the event that a group of graduating Leos apply to charter a new club with other like-minded young adults, all new club members between the age of legal majority in jurisdiction in which they reside and through the age of 30 qualify for the Leo to Lion Program under the provision that at least 10 new club members meet the qualifications specified in Part I.

LEO TO LION INITIATIVE FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What benefits do qualifying graduating Leos and young adults receive under the Leo to Lion Program?

- 1) Half international dues
- 2) Charter/entrance fee waiver



Do qualifying graduating Leos and young adults have to be enrolled in an educational institution?

No

What are the eligibility requirements for graduating Leos?

Graduating Leos between the age of legal majority in the jurisdiction in which they reside and through the age of 30 are eligible for the Leo to Lion Program upon the submission of the Student Member and Leo to Lion Certification Form.

How does the program encourage Leos to form Lions clubs and recruit like-minded young adults ?

When at least 10 graduating Leos, who meet the qualifications specified above, form a Lions club, other young adults between the age of legal majority in the jurisdiction in which they reside and through the age of 30 are also eligible for the Leo to Lion Program. Members over the age of 30 qualify for membership in the club, but do not qualify for the Leo to Lion Program.

The future is now. These changes provide a way for graduating Leos to build upon the skills they learned as a Leo and recruit like-mind adults. Together we can prepare this emerging generation to lead the future of Lions.

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