

LEONARD GIFFEN
PAST INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR

Leonard "Len" Giffen, of Milford, Nova Scotia, Canada, served a two-year term as a director of The International Association of Lions Clubs following his election at the association's 78th International Convention, held in Seoul, Republic of Korea, July 4-7, 1995.

Past Director Giffen is an organizational development consultant, president of Innovative Marketing Group Ltd.

A Life Member of the Milford and District Lions Club, Past Director Giffen has been a Lion since 1969. He has held many offices within the association, including club president, deputy district governor and district governor. He was also chairman of several district and multiple district committees and served as presenter and moderator at a number of International Conventions.

Past Director Giffen has received numerous awards in recognition of his service to the association, including the 100% Club President Award, the 100% District Governor Award, numerous District Governor Appreciation Awards, two Extension Awards, two International President's Certificates of Appreciation, an International President's Award and the Ambassador of Good Will Award, the highest honor bestowed upon a member by the association. He is also a Melvin Jones Fellow.

In addition to his Lion activities, Past Director Giffen is an active volunteer in many community organizations and has served as president of the Chamber of Commerce and the Community Recreation Association. He also was a member of the Curriculum Development Committee on Management for Voluntary and Not-For-Profit Organizations for the Canadian Center of Philanthropy and the National Advisory Committee for Grants to National Social Service Organizations for Health Canada.

Past Director Giffen and his wife, Anita, have three children and four grandchildren.