



## Attention Lions

Below is a list of waivers, discounts and rebates currently offered to new Lions clubs by Lions Clubs International that may not be reflected in various publications.

- 1) Family Membership Dues Rate** - The family Initiative allows one family member to join as a charter member for the established US\$30.00 charter fee, then up to four charter members from the same household will receive a charter fee waiver and pay only half of the international dues.

**\*New Amendment to the Family Membership Program & Dues Provision** - To ensure financial viability of new family based clubs chartered under the Family Membership Program, new family clubs are now required to have a minimum often (10) full paying members at the time of charter.

- 2) Club Branch Member Charter Fee Waiver** - Club branch members receive a transfer fee waiver when their branch converts to a new Lions club. Members must submit the Club Branch Conversion Form (CB-21) with the new club application in order to receive the club branch fee waiver.
- 3) Student Member Program** -All students enrolled in an educational institution between the age of legal majority in the jurisdiction in which they reside and through the age of 30 receive an entrance/charter fee waiver and pay only half international dues of US\$19.50 annually. Student members are required to submit the Student Member and Leo to Lion Certification Form (STU-5).

**\*New Student Member Program Policy Update:** In the case of a newly chartered campus club, or a club with a majority of student members, each charter member who qualifies for the Student Member Program is now required to prepay one year of international dues at the Student Member Rate (US\$19.50). Such fees are submitted with the charter application.

- 4) Extended Billing Adjustment Period for Campus Lions Clubs** - Campus Lions clubs with student members have through April 15 for the January per capita billing and through October 15 for the July per capita billing to amend the club roster to accommodate the typical school schedule.
- 5) Leo to Lion Program** - Current and former Leos between the age of legal majority in the jurisdiction in which they reside and through the age of 30 receive an entrance/charter fee waiver and pay only half international dues of US\$19.50. Those eligible are required to submit the Student Member and Leo to Lion Certification Form (STU-5).

Additionally, in the event that a group of 10 or more former Leos, who meet the qualifications above, 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 dues concession. Qualifying young adults must submit the Student Member and Leo to Lion Certification Form (STU-5).

If you have any questions regarding these waivers, please contact the New Clubs and Marketing Department by phone at 630-571-5466; extension 522, or by e-mail at [newclubs@lionsclubs.org](mailto:newclubs@lionsclubs.org).