

## Lions Club Of Chinchilla



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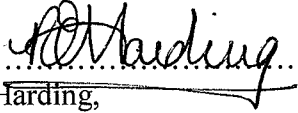
The Chinchilla Lions Club was established in 1965 and is a local service club supporting the community by way of establishing permanent infrastructure in our community. Some of our achievements include the establishment of a Lawn Cemetery, the Meals on Wheels building providing the Building, Kitchen etc from where the Organisation is able to operate. The establishment of the Lions Park providing hours of enjoyment for the children of the town. We have also established a "Mobile Scooter" bank where people who are not fully mobile can obtain a Mobile Scooter for their own personal use.

As well as these permanent fixtures we also give very generous donations to people who are in need eg people who face disasters because of fires etc. We also give donations to organisations such as all the Schools in the district, Kindergarten, Local Ambulance Committee, Cancer Campaign just to name a few.

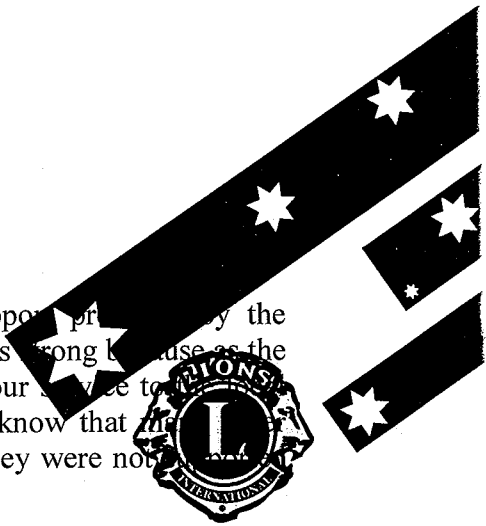
All of this would not be possible without the generous support we receive from our local RSL Club. We have had a very good relationship with this Club over a period of years. This Club allows us to conduct weekly Raffles. We estimate that the value of these raffles would be \$ 500.00 per week and greatly assists us in our fund raising endeavours. As we are only a small club this level of support is critical to our ongoing existence.

The Club also allows us space to display and sell our Lions Mints which is also a good fund raiser. As well as this the Club provides a venue for our fortnightly meetings

As you can see our Club has benefited greatly from the support provided by the Chinchilla RSL Club over a long period of time. Our relationship is strong because as the Club is a not-for-profit organisation it understands the need for our services to the community. We are only one beneficiary of the RSL Club, we know that the community services and programmes would not be available if they were not provided by the RSL Club.



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