Lions District 410W Sight Newsletter





As you may know as well as being District Chairperson for Sight, I also serve on the Lions Brightsight committee. This past weekend at our Zoom meeting I received some really exciting news which I would like to share with you all.

LCIF (Lions Clubs International Foundation in the

United States) which is the fund-raising and fund-giving arm of Lions Clubs International is so impressed by the work done by Brightsight in providing spectacles to the underprivileged people in our country that they have given Brightsight an amount of \$10,000 (over R150 000) to help provide even more spectacles to needy schoolchildren. The Brightsight committee has decided to allocate these funds exclusively to District 410W, which is fantastic news for our District.

The way the grant will be administered is that any Club which sends a script to Brightsight will receive the spectacles at no charge, delivered free by Seabourne Couriers to a business address of your choice. This is a wonderful opportunity for Clubs who would have liked to get involved in providing spectacles to children in their community, but never had the funds to be able to do so. So please speak to an optometrist in your community and get him or her on board for this very exciting project. R150 000 will buy many pairs of spectacles for needy school children.

A friendly reminder to all Clubs that the new script form, which can be downloaded from the Brightsight website: www.lionsbrightsight.co.za has examples of the types of frames available, so that the patient can choose the style of frame they would like.

If any Lion or Lions Club has any queries, please feel free to contact me on cell number 0832540437 or email me at peterdaniel@mweb.co.za

Yours in Lions,
Peter Daniel (DC Sight)

