Every extra set of hands means the more we can do for our community, if you want to know more about volunteering with us read on....

Pop Up Art Display

Our winners from the Mangawhai Lions Photography Competition in July this year can be seen in our Pop Up Art Display along the Estuary Boardwalk.
Thank you to Kaipara District Council for letting us put this display up - makes for a wonderful splash of colour on your walk or cycle along the Estuary.

Bunnings Fathers Day Sausage Sizzle

Tony & Alex were on hand to sizzle the FREE sausages for Bunnings Fathers Day evening. Over 200 sausages in just 2 hours!!!
Bunnings are fantastic supporters of our Club and we like to be able to pay this back by helping out at their events whenever we can.

Give the Gift of Sight

In just about any home, one can find a pair of eyeglasses that are no longer being used. That same pair of eyeglasses can change another person's life. That's why the Lions started the Recycle For Sight program. Everyone can help.
If you have used eyeglasses you no longer need, you can donate them now. Lions accept prescription and reading glasses, sunglasses and plastic and metal frames. Children's glasses are especially needed.

Drop off to Hospice Shop in the village or to Mangawhai Optometrists.

Mangawhai Lion Mandy dropping off glasses to the Eye Clinic in Lautoka Fiji

Lions Christmas Cakes

YES it's that time of year again!
Lions Christmas cakes have arrived. They SOLD OUT last year throughout New Zealand in record time.

Price is the same as last year just $25 for a full uniced cake
or $10 for a ¼ size iced cake (Ideal gift for seniors)

We will have pop up stalls around Mangawhai or you can email mangawhailions@gmail.com to order yours now and we can deliver (within the village/heads area) or arrange a spot for you to collect.
email mangawhailions@gmail.com to order your cakes now!

Lions Clubs Cancer Trust

New Zealand along with Australia has the highest rate of incidences of skin cancer per population in the world. In New Zealand 504 people a year die of melanoma.
Early detection of skin cancer saves lives.

The statistics were alarming and Paul O'Connor of the Lions Club of Halswell, Christchurch took up the challenge to produce a feasibility study to convince the 8500 members of Lions New Zealand of the necessity of a **Free** Skin Cancer screening service. Paul attended each of the 7 Lions District Conventions, to speak on the importance of being part of a solution to save lives.

The trustees encouraged Lions clubs in their area to raise funds and have to date raised a total of $500,000 towards the building of two vehicles, one for each Island.

The first vehicle is up and running in the South Island and we are very close to having the funds for the second North Island vehicle.

Mangawhai Lions have just donated $250 this month to the Lions Clubs Cancer Trust.

If you want to find out more about this project
https://www.lions.org.nz/lions-cancer-trust.html

If you would like to make a donation towards this FREE Skin Cancer Screening service

Bank account is 030674 0280918 00
Lions Clubs Cancer Trust

Lions Fundraising Calendar

Our 2026 Calendar is on sale NOW
Price is the same as last year just $15

Funds raised from this calendar will go towards supporting the Te Whai Community Services Food Bank.

Because of our amazing sponsors all the printing costs have been covered so 100% of the the money you pay for the calendar will go directly to Te Whai Community Trust. Every 10 calendars sold is a food basket for a family of four. Help us to help those who need our support in our community.

Please also support our sponsors where you can, their generosity means more funds going to help those in need.

Shelley Boyed - Barfoot & Thompson
Artesian Water Mangawhai
Mangawhai Golf Club
Morris & Morris Funerals
Mangawhai Tyres
Fit Plus Personal Training
Mangawhai Heads Auto Repair
Yoounger Builders
The Bunker
EngTech
Parker Lime
Mangawhai Memo

Heart Kids

We ran a sausage sizzle in support of Heart Kids at Bunnings and raised $470. Thank you to all those who stopped for sausages.

Can Cage at MAZ

It's our 1 year anniversary of the can recycling cage at MAZ. Over the past year your recycling has helped us donated $1595 back to MAZ!

Want to know more?

If you are interested in volunteering we would love to have you join our team.

Peoples number one question is **HOW MUCH TIME WILL IT TAKE???**
The answer is - As much as you wish to give.
Meetings are NOT compulsory .....Attending every project is NOT compulsory
You give what you can when you can.

As well as doing local projects we are also a SAFE social group, Lions is a fantastic way to make new friends. We have a social get together once a month and if you want to know more and meet the team we'd love to invite you along.

We have a mixed club that includes families, kids and grand-kids are welcome too!
All ages all abilities, everyone has something to give and can be included.

If you want to find out more about Lions
please give Clive a ring on 021 802 532.