

# Leo Club Fees Common Questions

### Leo club organization fee

A US\$100 Leo Club Organization Fee is a flat fee billed to the sponsoring Lions club, regardless of the number of Leo charter members.

The organization fee covers supplies and associated freight for:

- The Leo Club Certificate of Organization
- Leo lapel pins for all charter members
- The Leo club officer kit
- The Lions club sponsor kit

The Leo Club Organization Fee does not include Leo new member kits.

#### Leo new member entrance fee

The Leo New Member Entrance Fee has been eliminated.

Sponsoring Lions clubs have the option to purchase Leo lapel pins for Leo members entering an existing Leo club via the LCI Store.

Sponsoring Lions clubs have the option to purchase Leo new member kits via the LCI Store. Some kit items, such as Leo membership guides, cards and certificates are now available for free download via MyLCI.

#### Can Leos order supplies from headquarters?

As a sponsored activity of a Lions club, a Leo club does not have an account with the association. However, members of a Leo club can purchase items through the Lions Club Supplies store using a credit card, US dollar check or money order. A club

can also bill the account of the Lions club sponsor if authorization is given by an officer of the sponsoring Lions club.

#### Annual leo club sponsor levy

Lions clubs are assessed an annual levy of US\$100 for each Leo club they sponsor.

The US\$100 fee appears on the sponsoring Lions club's July billing statement from International Headquarters each year.

In addition, when a Lions club initially charters a Leo club, the Leo levy is waived for that fiscal year only.

Leo levy credit for a terminated Leo club shall be given only if the sponsoring Lions club submits a signed Leo Club Termination Form (Leo-86) to the Leo Club Program Department at International Headquarters by October 31. Credit shall be given only for the current fiscal year.

## Can Lions clubs pay Leo fees and levies from their activity account?

Yes. Leo clubs are an official Lions club activity. Therefore, Leo fees and levies can be paid from the Lions club's activity and/or administrative account. Likewise, either account may fund the administrative expenses of the Leo club.

#### Can Leo clubs pay their own fees or levies?

Indirectly. A sponsor Lions club is responsible for all fees and levies relating to its Leo club. However, some Leo clubs choose to repay their sponsor Lions clubs for these items.