





14th June 2016

NSR 2017

Dear Lions friends of Scandinavia.

We have opened for registration for the NSR2107 meeting next January on our website <u>www.lions.is</u>. We therefore send you a NSR2017 registration form (Excel document). We ask you to register all your delegates (and their spouces if they are coming) before 1st October 2016. Information for each delegate (and spouse) should be sent to <u>maggaj@mmedia.is</u> or by mail to Lions office, Soltun 20, IS-105 Reykjavik, Iceland.

In order to minimize bank fees we ask the different multiple districts to arrange to pay for all their delegates in one payment into our account

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On arrival in Iceland Your best way to get to the conference hotel Radisson Blu **Hotel Saga** is by the Fly bus from Keflavik airport to Reykjavik. The fare today is 2.800 ISK (about 20 Euro).

On the registration form we ask for information about your arrival date and flight number in order to facilitate for us to have your Fly bus go directly to our conference hotel **Hotel Saga**. This applies only to those that arrive on Thursday 19th January 2016.

Many tourists visit the Blue Lagoon on their way from Keflavik Airport to Reykjavik. Information etc. can be found on <u>http://www.bluelagoon.com/</u> or <u>https://www.re.is/blue-lagoon-schedule</u>. The NSR arranging committee will not arrange any Blue Lagoon tours. Please notify that it is necessary to book entrance to the Blue Lagoon in advance.

Spouse program is planned for Friday 20th January 2017. Visit to De Code genetics and the Nordic House (both close to Hotel Saga). Therefore Saturday 21st January is "free" for the spouses. Look for ideas on <u>http://www.whatson.is/</u>, <u>http://www.visitreykjavik.is/</u>, <u>https://www.re.is/</u>.

We will try to assist those groups that wish to extend their stay in Iceland with ideas for activities.





Regarding seminars the arranging committee has suggested to the AU group / CC group to have 3 - 4 seminars.

- ✓ Women in Lions
- ✓ IR NSR projects
- ✓ Children in need (The forgotten children)
- Diabetes in children and risk of eye disease or heart/vein diseases related to diabetes

We are planning to have the IR seminar Friday morning at the same time as the CC and AU groups meet.

The main theme for NSR2017 is connected to the Centennial program. The name is "Where have Lions been last 100 years and where to should Lions head the next 100 years?" according to decision of the 2015-16 CC-group. This is related to LCI100 so we will not have a special seminar on that matter. After 1-hour presentation by ID Svein Berntsen the delegates will have 2 hours to discuss this in the morning and 1-hour plenum discussion in the afternoon.

We kindly ask the different MD's to send us information about how many delegates will attend different seminars so we can arrange for the right size of meeting rooms.

On behalf of the preparation committee

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