

"Every child deserves a chance at
a healthy life"
Our Vision
100% Survival for kids with cancer

Dear School Principal

Each year, too many children, and therefore families and schools, are touched by Childhood Cancer.

The **Australian Lions Childhood Cancer Research Foundation (ALCCRF)** donates funds to support research into childhood cancer. Lions Clubs are community service organisations with volunteers working towards a future where all children will survive childhood cancer. In 2020, **Lions Australia** is attempting to break the "Guinness Book of Records" **World's Longest Coin Line** in order to raise money for **ALCCRF**. These funds will further enhance Research into **Childhood Cancer**. We have funded over 10 major research projects and have partnered with the following... The Children's Hospital at Westmead, Sydney Children's Hospital Randwick, Monash Children's Hospital, The Royal Children's Hospital Melbourne, Hudson Institute of Medical Research and Garvan Institute of Medical Research over the past 10 years. Our latest project is a world first Genome Sequencing project for kids with high risk cancers. For this project \$4 000 000 has been raised which has seen some early successes with a number of children surviving who clinicians have said would have otherwise died.

Schools, can you ask students bring in some coins on **Childhood Cancer Awareness Month (September 2019/20)** and lay them in a line at the school? You are then encouraged to photograph the line, with students if acceptable, and post it on the Facebook page **Australian Lions Longest Coin Line** or Instagram and Twitter **#LionsCoinLine**.

Your local Lions Club will be pleased to work with you on this challenge. They will also collect the money and deposit it into the specially designated bank account for the challenge or Schools can make the deposit directly if preferred. All participating schools will be notified of the outcome of the record attempt and thanked.

The collected funds will then be converted into 5c coins and laid out with the Guinness Book of Records criteria met in November 2020. The project is being coordinated by the Lions Club of Elmore Vale, NSW, who have contributed \$60,000 to ALCCRF over the past ten years.

Please help us to raise needed funds to put an end to Childhood Cancer.

Yours in Lionism,

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Lion Garry Patten,
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Australian Lions Longest Coin

Banking Details

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