



MINI MARATHON

Each year, family and friends of Bray Lions Club take part in the Flora Women's Mini-Marathon in Dublin to help raise funds for the club.

PEACE POSTER

The International Peace Poster Competition is run by Lions Clubs across the world in October each year. Bray Lions run a regional competition among local primary schools.

NEW YEAR SWIM

For over 30 years, the Bray Charity New Year's Day Swim has taken place in Bray raising much needed funds for a wide variety of local charities.



SENIOR CITIZEN HOLIDAY

In June each year, the Bray Lions Club hosts a group of senior citizens at Trabolgan, Co. Cork for a well deserved holiday.

SIGHT FIRST

Lions Clubs across the world have saved the sight of over 27 million people. Bray Lions Club continues to support this international campaign to end avoidable blindness.

SOCIAL MEDIA

Visit our website at www.braylionsclub.com or follow us on Facebook and Twitter.

SPECTACLE RECYCLING

Bray Lions Club collects used spectacles which are distributed to people with sight problems in the Third World.

ST PATRICK'S DAY

Lions take part in the St Patrick's Day Parade in Bray to thank the public for their support.



STUDENT OF THE YEAR

Each year, the Bray Lions Club presents the Student of the Year trophy to students in many of the local secondary schools.

YOUNG AMBASSADOR

Every year, Bray Lions selects its Young Ambassador who represents the Club at further stages of this multi-national competition.

YOUTH EXCHANGE

We entertain a group of young people for a day during the Lions Ireland Youth Exchange Programme.

CONTACT US

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BRAY LIONS CLUB



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WHO WE ARE.....

Lions are men and women who volunteer their time to humanitarian causes in their local communities. More than 44,500 in number, these Clubs are part of the world's largest service organisation, with over 1.4 million members in 203 countries. All funds raised by Lions Clubs from the general public are used for charitable purposes.

....IN BRAY

Bray Lions Club was founded in 1987 and currently has 29 members. We undertake more than 30 projects each year principally in the areas of health, education and community development and we also help and support Lions International projects in the Third World.

WHAT WE DO:

Projects which we completed over the past year include:

MENTORING

Bray Lions Club has a panel of trained mentors who assist local businesses in association with County Wicklow Enterprise Board.

WINDOWS ON THE WORLD

We matched 17 primary schools in Bray with 17 Embassies. The pupils were visited by Ambassadors and senior Diplomats, studied the culture of their 'partner nation' and prepared a window display for the St. Patrick's Festival.



AUTISM

Bray Lions Club is supporting the ASIAM charity established by our 2012 Young Ambassador Adam Harris to create greater awareness of autism in Ireland as well as supporting autism-related projects in the Bray area.

BBQ

Bray Lions has hosted BBQs over the last number of years for many different causes, including Wicklow Hospice, Autism Care, and Social Development in India.



CARERS WEEKENDS

Bray Lions Club hosts a number of local carers on special weekends during which they can enjoy a break from their caring duties and participate in workshops.

CLEAN SWEEP

Boys and girls from St Cronan's and St Patrick's Schools help make Bray a cleaner place by collecting litter from the streets of Bray with Bray Lions Club members.

CHRISTMAS FOOD APPEAL

In December, you will find Bray Lions collecting food and subscriptions at Tesco and Superquinn for Christmas Hampers which are distributed to those in need in Bray with the help of local St Vincent de Paul volunteers.

CIRCUS

Each year, the Bray Lions Club joins forces with Dun Laoghaire Lions Club to bring a group of deserving children from local schools to Fossett's Circus.

DEBATES

For many years, the Bray Lions Club has run a debating competition among local secondary schools.

DIABETES SCREENING

A free diabetes screening service is run by the Bray Lions throughout the year. These screenings are usually run in Tesco Bray, and members of the public are screened by volunteer nurses with instant results.

DREAM AUCTION

Our Dream Auction is held in November and is a great event for Christmas shopping.

DRUG AWARENESS

Bray Lions Club is a member and supporter of Bray Drugs Awareness Forum.

GOLF

Bray Lions and friends 'get in the swing' every year at our annual Charity Golf Outing. Watch out for details of the next event. We hope that you will join in the fun.



MAMBO RACE

Bray Lions Club and Bray Sea Scouts organise a fun canoe race for the all ages on the River Dargle

MESSAGE IN A BOTTLE

This project involves the distribution of small containers to people in the Bray area who are taking medication or have a medical condition. Health and medication details are placed in the 'bottle' which is stored in the refrigerator and Emergency Services are made aware of its location.