



Kiwaniis



To: District Governors, Provisional District Chairs,
and Kiwanis Nation Representatives in Asia-Pacific

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Subject: **2021 ASPAC eConvention: Bulletin #2 on "Things-to-Prepare"**

Dear Kiwanis Leaders,

Greetings !

In this ASPAC Bulletin #2, we are pleased to inform you of the following:

1. "Things-to-Prepare"
 - a. "Best Service Project" Contest;
 - b. "Best District Report" Contest and "Best Kiwanis Nation Report" Contest;
 - c. "Live" Broadcast by District Governors, Provisional District Chairs, and Kiwanis Nation Representatives;
 - d. Election of 2021-2022 Officers for Kiwanis Asia-Pacific (ASPAC);
 - e. Bidding for the 49th Annual Convention of Kiwanis Asia-Pacific in 2024.

1. "Things-to-Prepare" by each District/Provisional District/Kiwanis Nation in Asia-Pacific

The following are a list of items to be prepared for the 2021 ASPAC eConvention:

a. "Best Service Project" Contest:

- i. There will be a "Best Service Project" Contest at the ASPAC eConvention.
- ii. Each District/Provisional District and each Kiwanis Nation is invited to submit only one (1) Best Service Project for the contest.
- iii. The submission can be made in the following format:
 - written report with photos in colour (A-4 size, 5-pages maximum); or
 - power-point slides (10 slides maximum); or
 - video clip (3 minutes maximum).
 - **Kindly upload your submissions by 15th April 2021 to the eConvention website: <https://2021aspac.kiwanis.is/>**
- iv. **The Best Service Project must preferably have taken place during the calendar year 2020, from January 2020 to December 2020.**

- v. The Best Service Project will be judged on the following criteria:
 - Impact – Number of children served or impacted by the project;
 - Inspiration – Number of Kiwanis members involved in the project;
 - Image – Publicity generated by the project;
 - Quality of the project report.
- vi. One award/prize will be given for the Best Service Project which was carried out within a District/Provisional District.
- vii. One award/prize will be given for the Best Service Project which was carried out within a non-districted Kiwanis Nation.

b. “Best District Report” Contest and “Best Kiwanis Nation Report” Contest

- i. District Governors and Provisional District Chairs – kindly prepare a report of events, activities, projects, and achievements to be presented at the eConvention (maximum 10 minutes each in a power-point slide or video format).
- ii. Kiwanis Nation Representatives – kindly prepare a report of events, activities, projects, and achievements (maximum 4 minutes each in a power-point slide or video format).
- iii. The Report must preferably cover the period from January 2020 till to-date.
- iv. Kindly submit your Report by 15th April 2021 by uploading to the eConvention website: <https://2021aspac.kiwanis.is/>
- v. Awards/prizes will be given for the Best District Report and Best Kiwanis Nation Report.

c. “Live” Broadcast by District Governors, Provisional District Chairs, and Kiwanis Nation Representatives

- i. The Special Committee will contact each of you soon with regards to the requirements and preparations for “Live” Broadcast from your respective District Office/Locations.
- ii. Please reply by email to Lee Kuan Yong at: 2021aspac@kiwanis.is;
 - How many “Live Broadcast” locations that your District plan to have;
 - Name of each location;
 - Person in Charge, and email address of each location;
 - Note that good internet connection is essential for “Live Broadcast” locations.

d. Election of 2021-2022 Officers for Kiwanis Asia-Pacific (ASPAC)

- i. Election will be held for the following positions:
 - Kiwanis Nation Representatives 2021-22 (3 positions);
 - ASPAC Vice Chair 2021-22;
 - ASPAC Chair-elect 2021-22;
 - ASPAC Chair 2021-22
(sole candidate is ASPAC Chair-elect, Clinton Green).
- ii. Please refer to the ASPAC Bylaws Article VII Section 8 regarding the eligibility and requirements of the candidates for office.
- iii. A copy of the ASPAC Bylaws can be downloaded from the ASPAC website: <http://www.kiwanisaspac.org/Page/25480>

- iv. **Kindly submit required documents, and a copy of bio-data with photo, to the ASPAC Secretary/Treasurer Eli Jan Gumabong (email: pyokgumabong@gmail.com);, preferably before 15th March 2021.**
 - v. We also encourage all candidates to contact the ASPAC Special Committee at this email: 2021aspac@kiwan.is; as soon as practicable in February 2021 to make early arrangements for “Live Broadcast” of their candidate speech (5-minutes) and nominating speech (1-minute). Thank you.
- e. Bidding for the 49th Annual Convention of Kiwanis Asia-Pacific (ASPAC) in 2024**
- i. Qualifying Districts/Provisional Districts/Kiwanis Nations are invited to submit your application to the ASPAC Secretary/Treasurer Eli Jan Gumabong to host the 49th ASPAC Convention in 2024.
 - ii. Kindly submit your application by 15th March 2021 based on the requirements set out in the ASPAC Policies and Procedures; a copy of which can be downloaded from the ASPAC website: <http://www.kiwanisaspac.org/Page/25480>

Please do send us an email to: 2021aspac@kiwan.is; if you need further information or clarification.

We look forward to seeing you and your fellow Kiwanians and guests at the 2021 ASPAC eConvention.

Please share this ASPAC Bulletin #2 with as many Kiwanians as possible, and encourage them to attend the ASPAC eConvention in BIG numbers! Thank you.

Yours in Kiwanis,

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6. Jon Fadri Huder, President, Kiwanis International Europe and Board members of KI Europe;
7. District Secretaries in the Asia-Pacific Region (kindly distribute to the club presidents, club secretaries, district board members and past governors in your district/provisional district);
8. Club Presidents and/or Club Secretaries in the Kiwanis Nations in the Asia-Pacific Region;
9. ASPAC Committee Chairs;
10. Erin Bakemeyer, Denise Parker, Sharon Alseth (Kiwanis International).

Attachments:

Appendix “A”: Official Convention Program (Tentative, subject to change)