



# THE RENO REVIEW



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The Latest News & Information for the Reno 2023 USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum

## A MESSAGE FROM OUR GENERAL CHAIR JAMA WAHL



For those of you who have already registered for the USA Canada Lions Leadership Forum to be held in Reno, Nevada, from Sept. 21-23 2023, thank you. We appreciate your interest and look forward to your joining us in this dazzling city for what we promise will be a grand learning adventure. You will grow as a Lion if you take this opportunity!

For those of you not yet registered, please consider putting that on your "to do" list to be completed in the near future. The registration process is simple.

1. Go to [www.lionsforum.org](http://www.lionsforum.org)
2. Click on Online Registration.
3. Complete the form and submit.

A Lion can register for the Forum, the Strides Walk or to be a Friend of the Forum at the same time. If you are not 100% sure of your plans, just register for the Forum and come back to register for the Strides Walk or to be a Friend of the Forum. Hotel registrations are made by our Forum Registrar, Lion Geri Drabak. There is no need to contact any of the hotels at THE ROW. Our Forum Registrar extraordinaire handles room registration and provides all pertinent information.

Many times, I have heard Lions say the connections made at the Forum are impactful, not just while at the Forum, but once back home. Beyond the Lions' lessons learned in the seminars, ideas shared at the general sessions, the camaraderie developed at the Strides Walk or the Service Project and the great purchases that can be made at the Forum Store, Lions make connections with other Lions. Meeting Lions from different parts of the United States or Canada or even around the world encourage Lions to embrace the idea of Lions' service, locally and globally. Hearing about other Lions' Clubs projects can be a springboard for new ideas for service at home.

So, please register now and impact the service we provide to so many!

We want to see you Reno!

*Up and Away with Leadership*

*Jama*



Space Whales sculpture in downtown Reno, Nevada.  
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## SCENIC RENO STRIDES WALK

YVES LÉVEILLÉ  
RENO STRIDES WALK CHAIR

We have a great view in store for our Strides Walk again this year. Participants will start near the arch – the iconic "Reno – The Biggest Little City in the World" – on North Virginia Street. Walkers will make a loop to finish at the entrance of THE ROW, our Forum venue.

Along the Strides Walk route, you will cross a bridge to see a huge whale that has come out of the Truckee River. You will follow the river to see nice restaurants and shops. With another cross of the river, participants return to THE ROW.

The overall route is approximately 1.25 miles and is accessible for people with motor difficulties.

The cost to participate in the Strides Walk remains the same: \$25, which including a \$10 discount coupon for your lunch in the food court at THE ROW and a souvenir Strides Walk sweatshirt.

Proceeds from this event will be donated to diabetic youth camps in California and Nevada.

Please join us in the Strides Walk on Sept. 21 to make this event a great success. Checkmark the Strides Walk box on your Forum registration form at [www.lionsforum.org](http://www.lionsforum.org).