

Prostate Cancer officer Lion Dave Ebsworth

I have now been in post for two years now, and unfortunately due to the Pandemic it has brought testing at venues to a stop. We are aware that Prostate Cancer has now overtaken Breast Cancer, so this remains a fast-growing problem, which as Lions we are aware of. There is still those in the medical profession in some parts of the UK that still do not support the way of testing that we continue to do.

I believe that it is very important that when we come out of lockdown we try and get back to arranging testing as soon as possible.

I am aware of a small number of clubs within our district and others that are doing the home kit testing using The Graham Fulford trust. I have also been speaking to clubs during their zoom meetings. I am pleased to say that at District level we have been working with Prostate Cancer UK and we have now a Lions/Prostate cancer badge which is on sale at £4.50. Please contact me or MDHQ to purchase one.

I am hoping that I will be able to visit clubs this year and available for advice.