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1969





1969
The backs reveals three different pin makers.



1971 1972 1972 V (Color) 1972 V (Color)







1973 1974 1975







There is a lighter color of this pin that was illegally made by a Canadian Lion.

1976 Ultra Mini

Although all are not shown, it is reported that there is a gold and silver of each of the Mini Lions pins issued for years 1976 through 1989

MDA began issuing Lioness pins as part of their regular set in 1981. There were no Lioness pins issued with the first five sets. Please see the Miscellaneous Section for further information on this matter.









1977 1977 V (Gold) 1977 Mini 1977 Ultra Mini







1978 1978 Mini 1978 Ultra Mini





These are two different reverses of the 1978 (Parliament Building) MDA Pin. Emblematic was the maker of this pin and they used several different die marks.







1979

1979 Mini

1979 Ultra Mini









1980

1980

1980 V

1980 Ultra Mini









1981

1981 Mini

1981 Mini V 1 **Small Emblem**  1981 V 2





1981 Ultra Mini





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1981 Lioness (Gold)

1981 Lioness (Silver)







1982

1982 Mini

1982 Ultra Mini





1982 Lioness

1982 Lioness V (Color)







1983

1983 Mini

1983 Ultra Mini







1983 Lioness

1983 Lioness V (Color)

1983 Lioness V (Color)









1984

1984 V (Silver)

1984 Mini

1984 Ultra Mini









1984 Lioness

1984 Lioness V (Silver)

1985

1985 V (Head upside down)







1985 Ultra Mini



1985 Lioness

NOTE Several issues are depicted as being a variations, as shown above for the 1985 issue, because the object on the pin is upside down or otherwise skewed. However, there is evidence that some of this has been caused by the object moving on the pin before the glue had dried.









1986

1986 Mini

1986 Ultra Mini

1986 Lioness







1987

1987 Mini

1987 Mini V (Color)







1987 Ultra Mini V (Color)



1987 Ultra Mini V ((Ontario Quebec Labrador on the base



1987 Lioness



1987 Lioness V Horse Facing Right & Wording on Base









1988

1988 Mini

1988 Ultra Mini

1988 Lioness







1989

1989 Mini

1989 Ultra Mini







1989 Lioness V (Color)









1990

1990 Mini

1990 Ultra Mini

1990 Lioness





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1991 Made by "Emblematic"



1991 V Made by "Logo Works"



1991 Lioness Made by "Emblematic"



1991 Lioness V Made by "Logo Works"



Reverse of Regular and Lioness pins made by Emblematic



Reverse of regular and Lioness pins made by Logo Works



1991 P Made by "Pin Connection"

NOTE: The pins made by Emblematic are thicker than the ones made by the Pin Works. Also, the Lioness logo is significantly different.



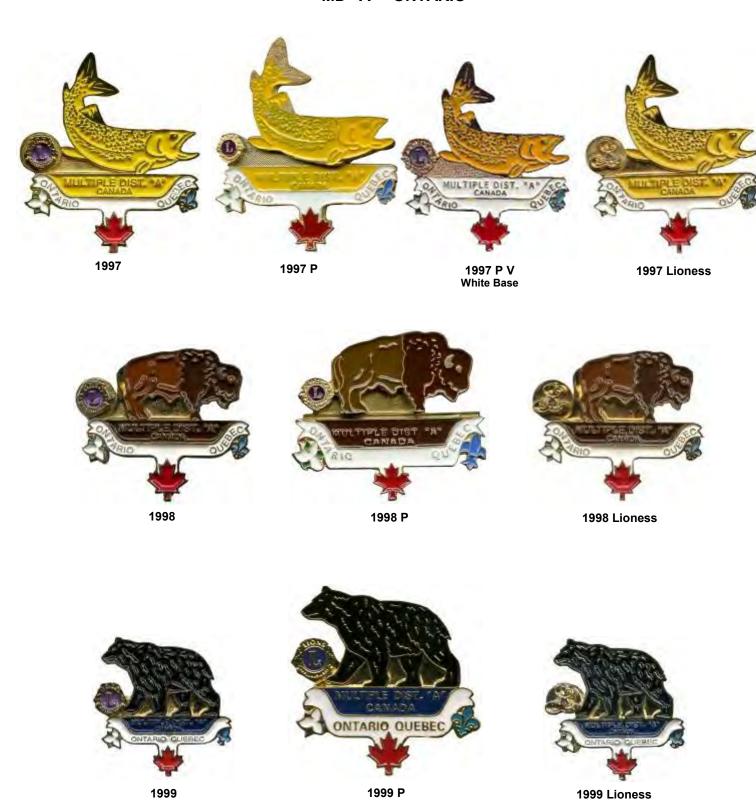
























2006 P







2007 P 2007 Lioness







2008 P 2008 Lioness









2009 P

2009 Lioness







2010

2010 P

2010 Lioness







2011

2011 P

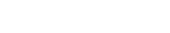
2011 Lioness







2012 P









2013 Lioness







2014 Lioness







2015 P









2016

2016 P

2016 Lioness





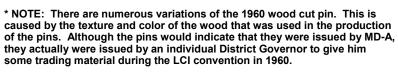


2017 P

2017 Lioness

#### **MISCELLANEOUS ISSUES**













Unknown Date Gold Silver



**Unknown Date** 









1972

1973

1974

1974









1975

1976

**Unknown Date** 

**Unknown Date** 

**Unknown Date** 

#### **MISCELLANEOUS ISSUES**





Front 1980 Back Diamond Jubilee Special Silver Coin



Windsor Downtown Lions Club 50th Anniversary



Unknown













Unknown

1996 Origin Unknown









This pin was given by clubs throughout Canada during the 1950's to their members who were attending International Conventions. Most delegates would then have their club name engraved on the pin under the L above the word Canada, as shown on the right above. More of these with club names can be found than those without, as shown on the left. The image at the right of each pin is magnified to show the bar where the club name was to be engraved.

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1991 Special



1991 Special Medallion



1992 Special



1976 Lioness



1977 Lioness



1978 Lioness



1979 Lioness



1980 Lioness

MDA began issuing Lioness pins as part of their regular set in 1981. There were no Lioness pins issued with the first five sets. In 1981 a decision was made to go back and issue a Lioness pin for each of the first five Maple Leaf sets. Unfortunately, not many made the so-called trading market. As a matter of fact, we are only aware of about 15 sets and it would appear that most pin traders will not be able to add these 5 pins to their collections. Accordingly, we have decided to show them in this Miscellaneous Section in the event you might be fortunate to obtain one of more of them.

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