

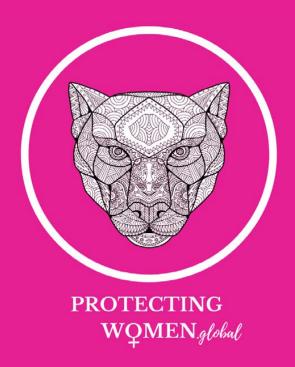


# NEW ZEALAND HEALING RETREATS



# Protecting Women Global is a Lion Academy initiative created and owned by the founder - Dion Jensen













## PROTECTING WOMEN OBJECTIVES

PROVEN GLOBALLY | AVAILABLE LOCALLY

**SAFETY** - Creating a safe space to learn how to protect yourself and others **EMPOWERMENT**- Learn actionable skills and techniques to take with you **HEALING** - Provide the space and expertise to learn how to heal yourself **TRUST** - Learn how to create, communicate and enforce boundaries **TRAUMA** - Get access to the worlds first 'good news' program about trauma **TOUCH** - Learn, re-learn or heal in order to feel comfortable with being touched **MOVING ON** - Unlock your 'sacred gifts' and move forward in your life **ACCESS OUR GLOBAL NETWORK** - Let us give you a head start

Prepared by Dion Jensen Global Influencer Founder of The Lion Academy www.thelionacademy.co.nz



# ABOUT PROTECTING WOMEN GLOBAL

Protecting Women Global was originally created by the founder Dion Jensen when he returned from a rotation overseas where he was working as a bodyguard and found out that violence against women was increasing in his community.

The initial programs were about *physical* protection, using your intellect to outsmart an attacker instead of trying to out-muscle him. The programs were run in New Zealand, Australia and Asia.

Due to his work on helping men and women through trauma, as the clinically endorsed author of the worlds first GOOD NEWS book about PTSD (Post Traumatic Stress Disorder), Dion extended the program to include his healing modalities.

Of note, was realizing that many of the wounds that women suffered at the hands of men, cannot be healed by other men. They must be healed by women. So Dion invited female healers that he had been working with globally, and made them available to Protecting Women attendees through his global academy, The Lion Academy.

He is now bringing these healing retreats to New Zealand.

### **MALE CHAMPIONS**

Most negative issues faced by women personally or professionally are caused or triggered by men.

It is men that are represent the highest percentage of offenders in rape, domestic violence and corporate bullying. And these type of men, do not fear women, nor do they respect them.

That's why we need male champions to stand up for women, to create and protect safe spaces, for women to be women. These male champions ARE feared and respected by male offenders. They will steer clear when they see a stronger male on guard duty.

We then have a safe space, protected by men, and female healers healing another woman's wounds.

### **RE-BRANDED IN 2021**

We changed the logo from a 'repelling attack' logo, in regard to our *physical* protection ethos and workshops, to honoring the multi-dimensional being that a woman is, in the form of a powerfully protective female entity of a big cat, in a safe space represented by the circle around the logo.

We kept the wording with the female symbol and added .global to the branding.

There are two color schemes, pink and white and black and pink. When we ran the courses in Singapore, the women there requested the black and pink option!

Now we carry forward the powerful new branding into the future!





2021





# SUPPORTING WOMEN'S REFUGE

Every Protecting Women Workshop or Retreat that we conduct, will ensure that those who support our women in need are also supported.

5% of all proceeds from all of our workshops and retreats are donated to the local Women's Refuge and a charity that supports women.

This Protecting Women Healing Retreat will donate 5% of our proceeds to Women's Refuge Palmerston North, and leave a free space on the retreat for a woman recommended by women's refuge.



# SUPPORTING WOMEN'S CHARITIES

5% of the proceeds from this healing retreat will be donated to Mental Health Therapies Charitable Trust NZ, a service that provides 12 months free counselling for victims of Intimate Partner Violence. (IPV)

Mental Health Therapies Charitable Trust as a specific aim to disrupt intergenerational trauma and is the ideal charity partner for Protecting Women Global in New Zealand.



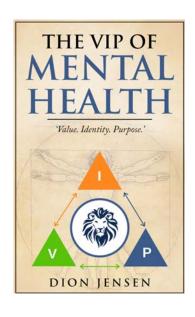


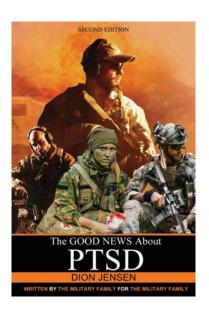
# The Founder DION JENSEN

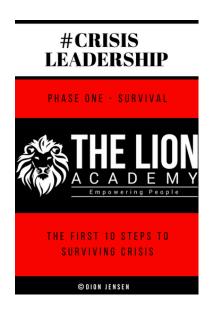
# GLOBAL INFLUENCER INTERNATIONAL SPEAKER AND TRAINER

Former New Zealand Soldier Former New Zealand Police Officer Former International Bodyguard

### CLINICALLY ENDORSED AUTHOR







#### **TESTIMONIAL**

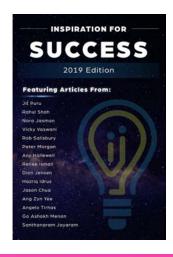
Dion emphasizes that our Values, Identity and Purpose, or VIP, permeates the way we present ourselves in all aspects of our lives (and he does so in non-clinical and uncomplex ways as he did in his first book, The Good News About PTSD.)

Jordan Braye | Organisational Psychologist

#### **FEATURED AUTHOR**









#### **BOOK EXCERPT - HUMANITARIAN ROCKSTARS**

"Tihei Mauri Ora!" suddenly ripples through the audience. And I look around.

Standing there is Dion Jensen, all 6'4" of him, his suit-clad body molded by years of military and police service. He is an impressive figure.

It's as if a king of the past strides onto the stage."



### **QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE**

Registered Member of The Global Trainers Federation
Certified Cultural Transformation Consultant
Certified Directive Communication Psychology Consultant
Clinically Endorsed Author of the worlds first good news book about PTSD
(Post Traumatic Stress Disorder)

Organizational Psychologist Recommended Author of The VIP of Mental Health
Author of #Crisisleadership, the eBook series that trended at Number 1. on LinkedIn
Featured on Singapore National Radio on Leadership, Bullying and Strategic Thinking
Known in the marketplace as 'The Confidence Coach' for individuals, teams and organizations.

#### Dion's Live Operational Experience:

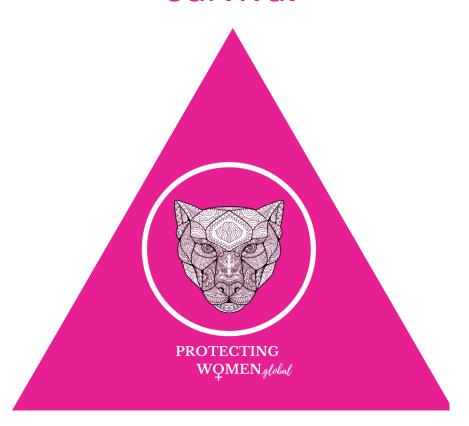
Corporate Culture and Psychosocial Consultant - Global
Regional Operations Manager - Asia Pacific (APAC)
Learning and Development Manager - Papua New Guinea (PNG)
Intelligence Manager - Australia
Regional Operations Manager - Australia
Security Operations Manager - Australia
Diplomatic Protection - Middle East
Probation Officer - New Zealand Department of Corrections
Police Officer - New Zealand Police Force
Professional Soldier - New Zealand Army

#### **Dion's Global Initiatives:**

www.dionjensen.com www.thelionacademy.co.nz www.protectingwomen.global www.successforsoldiers.com www.theptsdsolutionscommunity.com

## **OUR MODEL**

# **TRAUMA**Survival







"While watching Dion's videos on Trauma, all the feelings I had been trying to suppress came to the surface. At the time, I struggled to even hug my daughter because my past trauma related to touch. However, in 20 minutes of working with Dion, I was standing there hugging my daughter. This works. And although Dion showed me how to do it initially, now I can do it for myself!"

### **EVENT OUTLINE**

#### Friday 6pm

Dinner for those guests who wish to stay Friday night

#### Saturday 8:00am - 6:00pm

(Breakfast Available From 7:00am)

Full Day Workshop For 20 Participants

Your Subconscious Bodyguards - Overcoming Trauma
Equine Support - Trust and Boundaries
Stored Energy Release Through Yoga
Powerful Unicorn Lesson - Lisa Westgate
Sacred Vs Scared Lesson - Elaine Lees

#### Saturday Night 7:00pm

Dinner for Exclusive 1:1 Ticket Holders and those Group Workshop Guests that wish to stay Saturday night

#### <u>Sunday 8:00am - 6:00pm</u>

Full 1:1 Full Day For Exclusive Ticket Holders Only
1:1 Sessions with Dion
1:1 Sessions with The Horses

#### **Sunday Night 7pm**

**Exclusive Dinner and Burning Ceremony** 

Monday Morning Breakfast 7:30am - 8:30am

Depart by 9:00am

# TICKETS AND ACCOMMODATION PACKAGES

#### Group Workshop Ticket: NZD\$1500 Per Person (14 only)

Food Included for the day of the workshop (Saturday) Accommodation Packages Available (See below)

#### Exclusive 1:1 Ticket: NZD\$5000 Per Person (6 only)

Friday, Saturday, Sunday night accommodation provided
All meals and beverages are complimentary
Full day workshop on Saturday with the group, and
Full day Sunday with 1:1 sessions with the healers
Sunday night dinner and burning ceremony
Monday morning breakfast before departure

#### **Accommodation Packages**

Exclusive 1:1 ticket holders - Accommodation Provided

Group workshop ticket holders - Accommodation Packages available

upon request as below

#### <u>Accommodation Options (Group Workshop Tickets)</u> <u>Meals Included</u>

Arrive and stay Friday night, depart after workshop Saturday
\$POA
Arrive and stay Friday and Saturday night, depart Sunday
\$POA



# SAFETY, SECURITY AND FIRST AID INFORMATION

#### WE DO THIS FOR A LIVING!

One of the advantages of having Protecting Women Global as a Lion Academy initiative, is that we've fulfilled global roles in safety and security management and we take it very seriously!

#### **SAFETY**

- Protecting Women Instructors and Healers will be onsite for the duration of the retreat.
- Event staff will be onsite for the duration of the retreat.
- The event location has a robust emergency management plan and risk control measures in place for all their events.
- Event staff are trained to keep participants safe

#### **SECURITY**

- Dion Jensen is a former Soldier, Police Officer and International Bodyguard, trained at very high levels in security and will be onsite for the duration of the retreat.
- The event location is serviced by the local Police Service.

#### **FIRST AID**

- Event staff are trained in First Aid.
- Dion Jensen is a First Aid Trainer.
- There is a defibrillator onsite.
- There are multiple first aid kits onsite.
- The event location is serviced by local emergency services.



### PROTECTING WOMEN PHYSICALLY

Self-Defense and Personal Protection



## **PROGRAM OVERVIEW**

Protecting Women programs have been available in The South Pacific and Asia since 2018 through <a href="https://www.protectingwomen.global">www.protectingwomen.global</a>

Former New Zealand Prime Minister Helen Clarke was introduced to the concept while in Singapore and was gracious enough to pose with one of our T-shirts!

Based on the foundational principle that 'women are smarter' Dion Jensen shares his international bodyguard skills in teaching women how to *outthink* not *outmuscle* an attacker.

Added to this training is Dion's PTSD program *Your Subconscious Bodyguards* to help women through their trauma. He then connects women to female healers in his network to continue their healing journey.

#### **OBJECTIVE:**

Empower a woman to protect themselves and their loved ones physically

#### **OUTCOMES:**

understand Self-Defense Law and Legislation in New Zealand

Demonstrate Situational Awareness

Conduct a Threat Assessment of your daily routine

Conduct a Social Media Threat Assessment

Defend yourself from a selection of physical attacks

Defend yourself from the two main rape attempt positions

Understand how to safely prepare for a 'Girls Night Out!'

#### **Testimonial - Healing**

Rape Survivor



"I was sent on a 6 week ACC course to try and help me with overcoming all my negative feelings of being raped, and I came out of that course feeling worse...

After an hour with Dion, I learned more about why I was feeling the way I was and finally stopped blaming myself for what happened. Dion remains one of my closest 'battle buddies' and has helped me regain my power of CONSENT."

#### **Testimonial - Healing**

Domestic Violence Survivor



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#### **Testimonial - Protection**

Mother of Five



"The instructor was AMAZING! We were all very surprised at his demeanor, as we were expecting a 'tough guy,' not the softly spoken instructor that trained us. I have done self-defense courses before, but nothing that trained me how to THINK. I was shocked at how many danger signs I miss on a daily basis that the instructor pointed out to us. He even took us into town at night and showed us all the things that I never would have considered. A MUST do course."

#### **Testimonial - Protection**

**University Student** 



"I am not strong physically and a little timid, but I wanted to be able to go out and have fun without being scared. The instructor didn't brag about their experience, they were solely focused on training ME. They taught me with patience and encouragement. I realize now that my MIND is my greatest weapon and it's OK to be scared. This is actually an advantage. I understand why the instructors are hired to protect people for a living, they make you feel SAFE."

## COVID 19 LOCKDOWN MEASURES

#### **WE HAVE A PLAN!**

In the event that a lockdown occurs prior to the event, all participants will have their place on the retreat held until the event can be rescheduled.

The participants will also be offered online coaching and support from The Lion Academy whilst on lockdown, with access made available to the online content at no charge.

In the event that a lockdown occurs while the retreat is running, The Lion Academy will cover the cost of transporting participants to the closest airport to allow participants the opportunity to return to their home 'bubbles.'

Please note that The Lion Academy Ltd. and our Protecting Women events will comply with the COVID 19 protocols of the day that the event is run, within the guidelines of the current alert level followed.





For More Information about The Healing Retreat
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