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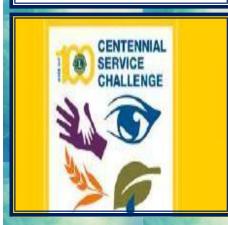
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PRESIDENT'S NOTE



Communications

Where has the journey taken us? Pictures, carvings, sound, language, talking, sign language, letters, telegraphs, telephones, TV's, short wave, walkie talkies, radar, pagers, cell phones, iPhone, computers, iPad, emails, instant emails texts, voice activated texts, hash tags, twitter, Facebook.

Webster's College Dictionary defines it as: the act of transmitting, a giving or exchanging of information, signals, or messages as by talk, gestures, or writing, close, sympathetic relationship the art of express.

In today's time, it not unusual to see a young family in a restaurant with Mom on cell phone, Dad texting and their children on iPad or some type of video game. In Silicon Valley, there are a lot of techie parents that send their children to schools without computers. With that it's time to put down all these techie devices and really try to communicate better with our friends, family, and our Lion friends. So as good Lions, maybe we should actually call a Lion instead of texting a message or emailing someone. Maybe it's better to not reply all. I know it's easier to do it.

But old fashion phone call on one to one is so much better. Sometimes you might get out the wrong message otherwise.

See you at next meeting.

Lion President Patrick 2017-2018

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NEXT MEETING

Date: 05/08/2018

Board Meeting @6:30 PM

General meeting @7:30 PM

@Foster City Rec Center

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Lions Clubs International Purpose

TO ORGANIZE, charter and supervise service clubs to be known as Lions clubs.

TO COORDINATE the activities and standardize the administration of Lions clubs.

TO CREATE and foster a spirit of understanding among the peoples of the world.

TO PROMOTE the principles of good government and good citizenship

TO TAKE an active interest in the civic, cultural, social and moral welfare of the community.

TO UNITE the clubs in the bonds of friendship, good fellowship and mutual understanding

TO PROVIDE a forum for the open discussion of all matters of public interest; provided, however, that partisan politics and sectarian religion shall not be debated by club members.

TO ENCOURAGE service-minded people to serve their community without personal financial reward, and to encourage efficiency and promote high ethical standards in commerce, industry, professions, public works and private endeavors.

SUNSHINE NEWS

Contact Sunshine Chair Lion Marsha Kliewer raymarshak@prodigy.net 650-574-7570

I am waiting to hear from you.
I will send out sunshine cards to our members who are sick or just need cheering up.

We even send cards to non-members who are your family friends or friends who have helped with our projects.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY LIONS!!

Roger Chinn May 22

Jon Froomin May 21

Joan Smith May 6

Sowmya Vundamati May 21

Melite Wood May 21

Tan Macy May 23



Lions Clubs Code of Ethics

TO SHOW my faith in the worthiness of my vocation by industrious application to the end that I may merit a reputation for quality of service.

TO SEEK success and to demand all fair remuneration or profit as my just due, but to accept no profit or success at the price of my own self-respect lost because of unfair advantage taken or because of questionable acts on my part.

TO REMEMBER that in building up my business it is not necessary to tear down another's; to be loyal to my clients or customers and true to myself

WHENEVER a doubt arises as to the right or ethics of my position or action towards others, to resolve such doubt against myself.

To Hold friendship as an end and not a means. To hold that true friendship exists not on account of the service performed by one to another, but that true friendship demands nothing but accepts service in the spirit in which it is given.

ALWAYS to bear in mind my obligations as a citizen to my nation, my state, and my community, and to give them my unswerving loyalty in word, act, and deed. To give them freely of my time, labor and means.

TO AID others by giving my sympathy to those in distress, my aid to the weak, and my substance to the needy.

TO BE CAREFUL with my criticism and liberal with my praise; to build up and not destroy.



FOSTER CITY LIONS CLUB OFFICERS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2017-2018

President Patrick Sullivan Past President Shikha Bakshi Hamilton 1st Vice President Pierre Morrison 2nd Vice President James Ness 3rd Vice President Mary True Secretary Wing Yu Admin Treasurer Matt Crom Bulletin Editor Sowmya Vundamati Charity Treasurer Jeanne Gallagher Membership Chair Melite Wood David Miller 1st Year Board of Directors Carolyn Cox Verdie Thompson Doug Crom James Traceski 2st Board of Directors Mark Nakano Wendal Quan Danielle Rosenthal Lion Tamer Charles 'Chuck' Ogburn

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NOTE FROM THE EDITOR

Hello Lions,



The election of new officers will be held at our Board Meeting tonight. Tonight we will also have a speaker from the Peninsula Humane Society. Please contact me by email (sowmyatwifan@gmail.com) to provide any information that you would like me to include in the bulletin or to include your ads in the bulletin.

Thanks, Lion Sowmya Vundamati

LIONS STAMPS FOR EASTER SEALS

Please remember to bring the stamps to the Club meeting and leave them at the registration table.

Cut out the entire cancellation as shown below.



LIONS ROARING













Congratulations to our Foster City Lion Willie Swann, who was honored by the NAACP with the Leonard Houston Carter Award!

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

LIONS RECYCLE FOR SIGHT

Eyeglass chairperson, Lion Marsha is asking you to bring your old eyeglasses to the meeting for collection. Each pair of eyeglasses must be intact i.e. the lenses must be there and both arms must be attached. She will take readers and sunglasses also. Please contact Lion Marsha if you have any questions @650-400-5876

SERVICE ANNIVERS	SARIES
Matt Crom	5/09/2010
Fred Kelley	<mark>5/01/1989</mark>
Charles Obgurn	5/12/2015
Willie Swann	5/01/1976
Maria Vorobiev	5/12/2015
Wing Yu	5/11/2010
ZAIVAII	

The proposed slate of office for 2017-2018:

President-Pierre Morrison

Past President-Patrick Sullivan

1st Vice President-Jimmy

2nd Vice-President-Verdie Thompson

3rd Vice-President- Chuck Ogburn

Secretary-Wing YU

Admin. Treasurer-Matt Crom

Charity Treasurer-Jeanne Gallagher

Bulletin Editor-Sowmya Vundamati

Membership Chair-Carolyn Cox

Tail Twister-Danielle Rosenthal

1st Year Board of Directors-Ray Rosenthal, Martin, Mary True, Melite Wood

2nd Board of Directors-Doug Crom, Jim Traceski

Lion Tamer-Marsha Kliewer

LCI Director-Shikha Bakshi Hamilton

The election of new officers will be held at the Meeting tonight.

BOARD MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Here are the highlights of the April 28th Board meeting:

Lion Melite sent the survey out to all Lions Club members.

Lion Roger Chinn and Lion Art Kiesel arranged for a letter of use of funds for the Don Isaacs donation to the city which was made on the 7th of May.

The board approved the reimbursement of \$100 per person per night attending the convention.

The board also approved a \$4568 donation to Lions Veterans Charity to support 2017-2018 veteran's projects.

UPCOMING EVENTS

THE FOSTER CITY LIONS CLUB INVITES YOU TO AN EVENING OF JEWELS

WHERE: Foster City Recreation Center, 650 Shell Blvd, Foster City, CA.

WHEN: Tuesday, June 12, 2018.

5:30PM – 7:00PM before Foster City Lions Club Meeting

WHO: Lions and Friends

WHY: Foster City Lion Dolly Deguzman Miller before her recent death donated to our club many pieces of beautiful jewelry. Dolly requested the club use the donations from the jewelry for a Helen Keller Award. Suggested donations are from 10\$ to 30\$. Jewelry includes earrings, rings,

pendants and bracelets.

For dinner reservations (if you are bringing a guest or if you are from another club) please inform Lion Mary True (email: maryttrue@hotmail.com or mobile: 650-571-8783).

MAY 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29	30	1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		Board Meeting @6:30 PM General Meeting @7:30 PM				
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
		Board Meeting @6:30 PM General Meeting @7:30 PM				
27	28	29	30	31	1	2
	Memorial Day					

JUNE 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27	28	29	30	31	1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
		Board Meeting @6:30 PM General Meeting @7:30 PM				
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
		Board Meeting @6:30 PM General Meeting @7:30 PM				



LIONS CLUB INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT 4-C4 VISITATION REPORT

Reporting Club Name		
Date	District	Number of Lions
Name of Club Visited		
Type of Visitation: Meeting/Social Event/Installation, etc		
If President and/or Se	cretary are included Please PRINT to	- Lions Only, Please d, please indicate title next to name. he names. e if applicable for Long Tail or Short Tail Contest
1.	1	11.
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4.		14.
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7		17
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Signature __		
Please print name		

Must be signed by:

Club President or Secretary for Regular Club Meetings, Club Installation, Club Fundraiser, Club Charter Event, and/or Club Social Event; Cabinet Secretary for Cabinet Installation, Cabinet Meetings Region Chair for Region Meeting; Zone Chair for Zone Meeting Presiding Officier for Other District Events; Council Secretary for Council Meetings Multiple District and International events please submit a copy of your registration form

This form must be submitted to Contests Commissioner with Monthly Contest Reports



Blood Centers of the Pacific provides blood to more than 50 local hospitals.

Lions Club at the Richmond District YMCA BLOOD DRIVE

Saturday, May 12, 2018 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Location: Bloodmobile

360 18th Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94121

To schedule your life-saving appointment, please visit: www.bloodheroes.com

Click "Donate Blood" & enter Sponsor Code: Richmond YMCA

For any questions, contact Tony Villa @ tvobsf@gmail.com

Lunch and tasty snacks provided with blood donations









2018-2019 President Venetia Young her Board of Directors and the San Carlos Lions Club

CELEBRATE

80

YEARS OF SERVICE

Presiding Officer
4-C4 District Governor Mario Benavente

Saturday, June 2", 2018 No Host Bar 12:30 pm Lunch will be served at 1:00 pm \$75.00 per person

Domenico's Winery 1697 Industrial Road, San Carlos

Kindly respond no later than May 21, 2018

For information contact Lion Paula 650.637.0650 paula@primaprinting.com

f Service and Installation of 2018-2019 Officers
kindly RSVP no later than May 21, 2018
rson x of guests Total Enclosed \$
to attend & would like to contribute \$
ake checks payable to the San Carlos Lions Club



Bocce Fundraiser FOUNDATION



for Parks Improvements

Washington Park Bocce Courts - Sat., May 12th

Check-in: 8:30 am; Tournament: 9:00am

- * Teams of 4 to 6 players must register by Fri, May 4th (\$100 per team - Space is limited to the first 12 teams to register)
- * Prizes for top finishers!

REGISTER in one of three easy ways:

- Online at: https://registration.burlingame.org/public/class/32666/
- In person at the Burlingame Recreation Center, 850 Burlingame Avenue
- Over the phone with Parks & Recreation staff at (650) 558-7300

DONATE

- Cash or Check payable to: "Burlingame Lions Charities" (Tax ID 94-3292425)
- Donate a raffle prize

SPONSOR A COURT FOR \$100: contact Randy Schwartz or Kwang Park

For more information, contact:

- Randy Schwartz, 650-520-3541, rschwartz@myastound.net
- Lion Kwang Park, 408-425-8622, burlingamelions@gmail.com







Burlingame Lions Club has been serving and supporting the local youth and community since 1929. Where there's a need, there's a Lion.



Burlingame Parks & Recreation Foundation raises funds for improvements to local parks, youth scholarships, and new recreation program opportunities.

AETA LIONS CLUB





SF Aeta Lions Club

ABCs For Global Health



Where: The State Room 306 Baden Avenue South San Francisco, CA 94080

When: Saturday, May 19, 2018 6:00 PM—Midnight Semi—Formal





DJ Music: Bring your dancing Shoes!

RSVP To:

Dr. Julieta Gabiola 650-255-7422 jettegabiola@gmail.com
Johnny Veloso 510-282-8922 ssspotlights@gmail.com
Fernando Briosos 415-971-1227 fbriosos@tsjobs.com

Write check payable to: SF Aeta Lions Club
Mail to: Fernando Briosos

P.O. BOX 14037

San Francisco, CA. 94114

We believe that depriving children of clean, safe water is not humane, because hydration is particularly important for **children** as they are at a greater risk of getting dehydrated. By protecting and restoring spring waters in the Aeta villages will satisfy the very basic needs of the Aeta people. We aim to improve health and create a new economy without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their needs.

Please consider coming to help us build water cement tanks in six Aeta villages that will save 1200 Aeta families and benefit approximately 6,000 people. Our goal is to raise \$30,000 and this equates to saving the lives of 6,000 at a cost of \$5 per person.

Donations are welcome at www.aetatribes.org and/or www.abcsforglobalhealth.org.



LIONS FIGHT HUNGER Saturday, May 26, 2018 9:15 am – 1:45 pm





121 Golden Gate Avenue, San Francisco 94102

This is a wonderful opportunity join your fellow Lions (and friends) to participate with District Governor Mario Benavente on his focus on hunger in our community.

Volunteers should be in good physical condition. After a brief orientation we will join staff and other volunteers to serve about 2,600 lunches to our poor and homeless neighbors – between 10:00 and 11:45 we will be serving families and seniors; from 11:30 to 1:30 everyone is welcome. Volunteers will serve trays, bus tables, work on the food line, and in the prep kitchen. All volunteers will have the opportunity to experience several different positions. You are a guest as well and do not need to bring lunches. On your lunch break you will share food and conversation with guests in the Dining Room.

There is street parking on Jones and on Golden Gate; carpooling/public transportation is suggested. We will help coordinate carpools.

St. Anthony's is asking us to pre-register so please email <u>lions4service@gmail.com</u> with the following information no later than May 20th:

Name Club Name Best Phone Number

Would you like to be included in a carpool?

More information about St. Anthony's is available at www.stanthonysf.org





Daly City Host Lions Club 77th Annual Installation and Awards Dinner Friday, June 15, 2018 6:00 PM - No Host Social; 7:00 PM - Dinner

Basque Cultural Center 599 Railroad Ave., South San Francisco 94080

\$40.00 per person

Dinner includes Salad, Entrée, Dessert, and Coffee/Tea
Choice of Entrée:
Roast New York Strip
Breast of Chicken Chasseur
Vegetarian Pasta

Please RSVP with payment and entrée selection no later than Thursday, June 7th

Please make your check payable to **Daly City Host Lions Club** & mail to: Daly City Host Lions Club, PO Box H, Daly City CA 94017-0667.

To arrange credit card payment call 650-755-9567

For additional information, please call 650-755-9567 or email dchostlions@comcast.net

We are sorry but we will not be able to accommodate walk ins.

We have to guarantee all meals in advance.

Payment for reservations cancelled after June 7th is requested.

No refunds after June 7th.



San Bruno Lions Proudly Celebrates 75 Years of Service

We invite you to our 2018-2019 Installation of Officers

PRESIDENT LION TOM FERNANDEZ & HIS BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Presiding Officer 4-C4 District Governor Mario Benavente

Date: Saturday June 16, 2018

Max's Restaurant 1250 Old Bayshore Hwy, Burlingame

Time: 5:00 pm - No host bar

Dinner at 6:00 pm

Dinner: Buffet Style \$60.00 Per Person

Please respond by May 25, 2018

For further information please contact:
Lion Tom Fernandez 650-333-0022 tom@ferntile.com
Or Connie Fernandez 650-697-4003 connie@ferntile.com

Lions Clubs International - District 4C4

Club Officer's Leadership Training & Orientation

SATURDAY, MAY 19, 2018

9:00 AM to 1:00 PM (Doors open at 8:30am)

Parkside Middle School Auditorium 1801 Niles Avenue, San Bruno

******* Free Continental Breakfast & Refreshments *******

A Great Opportunity for ALL Lions in the District!
A Must for ALL Incoming and Returning Club Officers!
Presidents, VP's, Secretaries, Treasurers, Membership Chairs,
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Introducing Service Chairs & Marketing Communication Chairs
Learn from Our very own Experienced Lions!
Learn how you can help your Club succeed!
And the Best... it's All Free!

******* RSVP BY MAY 16 ***********

RSVP WITH: LION'S NAME + NEW OFFICER TITLE + CLUB

RSVP by emailing the above information to:

Lion Venetia Young at venetiayoung58@icloud.com or Lion Ken Ibarra at lionkenibarra@yahoo.com

FAILURE TO RSVP WILL NOT GUARANTEE TRAINING MATERIAL AVAILABILITY

MAY 9





PLANT NIGHT

Bay Area Special Olympics Lions Club Presents Plant Night 6pm-9:30pm

Hope you will join the BASO Lions Club in a fun new adventure through the Paint Night Company. Come and put together a plant terrarium, while you enjoy some good food and drinks. Numbers are limited so reserve your spot early.

840 PER-PERSON, INCLUDES EVERYTHING

6:00 DOORS OPEN

6:30 DINNER
7:00 LET THE PLANTING BEGIN

RSVP: Victoria.Sciacqua@gmail.com

ORGANIZED BY SILICON VALLEY CYBER LIONS CLUB Installation of Officers and Members for 2018-19

Welcoming Our Lions Around The World

Attend The San Francisco Welcoming Banquet Party

請來三藩市參加世界各地獅朋的歡迎晚宴



Date: Friday, July 6th, 2018 (3rd day after Convention)
Time: 5:30pm to 11:00pm

Location: TBD Restaurant - Pending on Attendance Around San Francisco Bay Area

Program: Installation, 9 Course Banquet, Entertainment,

Singing, Possible Dancing, Raffle

Meeting Lions From Around the World/America

\$48.00 per person, \$55 after May 20 RSVP: svcyberlions@gmail.com

Make check payable to: "SVCLC". Mail to: SVCLC 1321 N. Carolan Avenue, Burlingame, CA 94010.

Or Use PayPal.com to pay this account: svcyberlions@gmail.com
Add \$2 if paying with PayPal.

Proceeds will be used for local community or international projects.

This Global Lions Welcoming Banquet Party creates a great opportunity for Lions & Lions Clubs worldwide to meet and share our experience and Lions spirit after attending the LCI Convention at Las Vegas. Please spread the news.

在拉斯維加斯參加獅子會國際會議後. 請來三藩市參加世界各地獅朋的歡迎晚宴和分享我們的獅子精神,經驗和感受.



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Best Wishes to the officers and members of the Foster City Lions Club for a spectacular and successful term.
From Lion Paul Larson ~ President.





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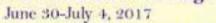
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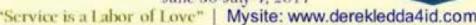


Endorsed Candidate for International Director
Lions Clubs International



Join us on the Road to Chicago







Derek carrying the centennial torch at the MD-4
Convention in Redding, California, after he was announced as the endorsed candidate for International Director.

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- Experience
- Innovation
- Fellowship
- Fun



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Global Action Team













Empowering Clubs through the Power of Action

The Global Action Team was built with a vision that one day every need in the world will be served by a Lion or Leo. It brings together the three key areas of Lions:

- Leadership development
- Membership
- Service



Global Service Team (GST) as the Global Action Team, we will create synergy and new opportunities for clubs to grow and serve.

Our Mission - The Global Action Team will champion the vision of LCI & LCIF and build on the passion of our Lions and Leos through service.

Our Goal - To impact over 200 million lives through service, increase our membership to 1.7 million Lions and Leos, and provide learning opportunities to over 500,000 members by the year 2020.

You'll see the Global Action Team Difference

The Global Action Team can help you energize your members and take your club to the next level.

- · Get great service resources and dynamic project support
- Identify leadership development opportunities to empower all Lions
- Find compassionate new members and keep current Lions coming back

You can do more good for more people when you have some extra help. That's your Global Action Team. At the end of the day, it's all about service.

Passionate volunteers. Dynamic leaders. Innovative service.

