

District 4-C4



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We Serve

## San Francisco Chinatown Lions Club The Pride of Chinatown Club Newsletter

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Dear Fellow Lions:

Thanks to our fellow Lions and guests who joined our SFCLC annual picnic on September 29<sup>th</sup> and made it work out well and had a fun get-together! We welcomed Lions Erik Winkler, Kevin Kiely (Burlingame), President Carol Fung (SF Unified), Lions Reuben, Annie Chen (Silicon Valley) and Mary Koo (our Associate member) to our gathering. Also thanks to Endorsed Candidate Ken Ibarra (San Bruno) and Lion Amy Fink (BASO) for dropping by, too.

Some of our upcoming events are our annual health fair with the North East Medical Center on November 2nd which unfortunately is the same day as the 2nd Cabinet meeting. We will have share members at both events.

We will participate in the Rise Against Hunger in November month.

Please make sure to sign up for these events and more at each meeting. Starting October, Lion Yvonne K will start sending out a list of upcoming events after each meeting so you can also sign up if you missed the general meeting.

We just had our kickoff meeting for our 50th Miss Teen Chinatown Scholarship & Charity Gala. It's set for April 25, 2020 and as we are paying tribute to our early years, we are returning to the event as Miss Teen Chinatown and the theme will be Memories. Flyers are on the thread and applications are now ready to be given out. They can be found at our club Facebook page or email a request to me or our club email: [sfchinatownlions8@gmail.com](mailto:sfchinatownlions8@gmail.com) Please save the date!

We just had a successful White Cane Day which occurred at the Autumn Festival in Chinatown. Four teens from our Teen Chinatown court and 23 Lions participated in the parade, on stage to talk about Lions and went around for donations. We received over \$1,600 in donations!

Thank you for your hard work to make this a successful month and I look forward in working with you to make this coming year a continued success!

Yours in Lionism,

*Irene Young*  
Lion Irene Young



## San Francisco Chinatown Lions Club Officers for 2019-2020

President	Irene Young
Immediate Past President	Sandy Su
1st Vice President	Sherman King
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Treasurer	Nancy Lau
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PDG Eugene Chan	
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GLT Chair	Fanny Chu
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PDG Eugene Chan	Joseph Kwok
Lily Chan	Johnson Lam
PDG Macy Mak Chan	Peter Lam
Grace Chang	Margaret Lee
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PCC Emil Kantola	Albert S Tam
Yvonne Kantola	Harriet C Wong
Michael Kay	PDG Larry Wong
Barbara C Yee	

### Note from the Editor:

October is birthday month for the following Lions:

Evangeline Lum and Mia Hue

Happy birthday to all.

PCC Emil Kantola

## San Francisco Chinatown Vision Service Foundation Club Officers for 2019-2021

Chair	Johnson Lam
Secretary	Margaret Lee
Treasurer	Michael Kay

### Trustees

Patrick Auyeung	PDG Eugene Chan
Lily Chan	Grace Chang
PDG Macy Mak Chan	Fanny Chu
Helen Hui	Yvonne Kantola
Michael Kay	Joseph Kwok
Johnson Lam	Peter Lam
Margaret Lee	Yvonne Lee
Albert Tam	Harriet Wong
PDG Larry Wong	Shirley Y Wong
Barbara C Yee	

From the editor:

I would like to thank Lion Yvonne Kantola for doing the newsletter for month of August. I was a little under the weather and Yvonne did the newsletter so it would get out on a timely manor.

**THANK YOU LION YVONNE K**

PCC Emil Kantola  
Newsletter editor.







For several Sundays some of our members volunteered on the "Sunday of Waverly" program. The program was to help promote Chinatown.



September 7th was very busy. Some members attended the San Carlos Lions Club Lobster feed. Mmmmm



Club Members attended the Multi-Club Installation. Several clubs had their officers installed at the same time. 19 new Lion members were also installed.



And of course there was the White Cane Day at the at the Chinatown Autumn Festival in Chinatown.







Congratulations to this years chair Lion Sherman King - We raised over \$1,600 this year.  
The SF Chinatown Lions Club was also in the Autumn Festival Parade.







Congratulations to the Pacifica Lions Club on their 70th anniversary. The Pacifica Lions Club was sponsored by the San Bruno Lions Club in 1949.



So Francisco Golden Gate Lions Club anniversary and installation.



The Peninsula Council of Lions Meeting.





President Irene Young and her grand daughter celebrated their birthdays at the Espetus Brazilian Steak House.  
Happy birthday to all



The San Francisco Council of Lions was held at the Canton Restaurant in Daly City. The SF Council had the highest attendance at the council meeting.



The San Francisco Chinatown annual picnic was held at the San Bruno Park. Great barbequed steak and sausage. We also had an abundance of watermelon, salads, fruits, chips, and of course cookies. Plenty of great food and of course great friends. Our Leos also attended and were a great help.







Do you have:

Poise  
Enthusiasm  
Character  
Charisma  
Leadership  
and Talent

Do you like to have fun  
make a difference  
and help your community

San Francisco  
Chinatown  
Lions Club

&

Vision Care  
Service Foundation

Are Proud to Present  
The 50th Annual  
Miss Teen Chinatown  
Scholarship & Charity Gala

# JOIN US

SIGN UP BEFORE 2-23-2020

Contact the San Francisco Chinatown Lions Club  
for Application Package at:

[sfchinatownlions8@gmail.com](mailto:sfchinatownlions8@gmail.com)

or download at: <https://tinyurl.com/2020MissTeen>

All Participants will receive a scholarship,  
parent/daughter adventures, meet new  
friends, and serve your community.

Join us for a once in a lifetime adventure.



2019 Miss Teen Chinatown Morgan Harrold



To be held on  
**APRIL 25, 2020**

at the

**Crown Plaza**

1221 Chess Drive

Foster City, CA 94404



## Upcoming Events

Oct 3-5	Foster City Veterans Stand Down
Sat Oct 12	District 4-C4 Disaster preparedness Partner shelter training
<b>Sat, Oct 19</b>	<b>Lions Veterans Charities USO Night</b>
Oct 19	SF Host Lions Club 100th Installation
Oct 20	Burlingame Lions Club 90th Anniversary
<b>Nov 2</b>	<b>District 4-C4 2nd Cabinet Meeting</b>
<b>Nov 2</b>	<b>Health Fair with the North East Medical Center</b>
<b>Nov 17</b>	<b>District 4-C4 Rise against hunger</b>
<b>Jan 25</b>	<b>San Carlos Crab Feed (Visitation)</b>
<b>Feb 1</b>	<b>District 4-C4 3rd Cabinet Meeting</b>
<b>Feb 8</b>	<b>San Bruno Crab Fee</b>
<b>Feb 21 to 23</b>	<b>MD4 Convention - Visalia Convention Center</b>
<b>Sat Mar 28</b>	<b>San Francisco Council of Lions Police &amp; Fire Awards</b>
<b>May 14-17</b>	<b>District 4-C4 Convention (Redding)</b>

Please check out the weekly Thread for flyers of the above and many more events. Lion Secretary distributes the weekly Thread each week to all club members. If any questions please see the flyers on the "Thread" or call PCC Emil Kantola or Lion Yvonne Kantola for details on the above events. **Items posted in red are club visitations.**

### Club Meeting for the San Francisco Chinatown Lions Club:

The San Francisco Lions Club meets on the third Thursday of each month. The board meeting starts at 6:15 and the dinner meeting at 7:15. We meet at the Far East Restaurant, 631 Grant Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94108

### Monthly Humor (?)





### ***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.

### ***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.



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TO:

