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DISTRICT GOVERNOR MESSAGE

My Fellow Lions:

It seems as though the time is passing quickly by as we transitioned into 2015, so I hope that each of you were able to save time to enjoy a wonderful and memory filled Valentine's Day with your loved ones this month. I'm so proud of our club support to "pool donations" and meet our objective to obtain an LCIF 50/50 matching grant to purchase vision screening devices for use by all clubs

throughout our district. If your club hasn't contributed to this project, please consider doing so and contact either PDG's Larry Wong or Esther Lee who are both on our District Sight Related Committee.

Save the Date(s) - Don't miss our "First Ever" District 4-C4 Lions Float in the 2015 San Francisco Chinatown New Year's Parade on March 7. If you have time to assist in passing out infor-

mation, we'll need lions to staff our "Lions Membership Information" Booth during the parade weekend, March 7 and 8. Contact Lion 1VDG Macy Mak Chan if you or your club can help for a couple of hours on either day. Don't forget to save the date to attend our District Convention in Sacramento, CA., from May 14-17, 2015. The Convention Committee is hard at work planning this convention and they'll guarantee you'll have fun!

We experienced good fellowship, fun, laughs and tears at our MD-4 State Lions Convention in Visalia this past weekend. On the sad side, we honored PDG's during a memorial and all other lions who passed away. Both PDG's Ray Kliewer and Mike Newell were among those PDG's remembered and honored. On a happier note, our district nominat-



ed several lions and (or clubs) for recognition at the MD-4 Convention "Academy Awards" for the 2013 - 2014 year for "outstanding dedication and commitment and service to the Multiple District - 4 Lions." Runner

up honorees were: MD-4 Lion of the Year -Lion Rich Lee (Foster City Lions Club); Club of the Year - Peninsula Special Interest Lions Club; Large Club Project of the Year (SF Chinatown Lions Club); Kay and Denise Fukushima Couple of the Year - Lion 1VDG Macy and Lion Michael Chan (San Mateo Lions DUCPAL CHI CHI A GALLA MA AT PO BEF G G LA CHI A GALLA MA AT PO BEF G CHI A GALLA MA AT PO BEF

the above components in order to consistently remain outstanding clubs, with a focus and with projects that mirror and support their communities and their constituent group.



Club); and District LEO of the Year - Claudia Tang (Greater San Francisco LEO Club). Congratulations to all of these award winners, to their clubs, and to every lion within our district, because if it were not for you, your support and assistance, the award winners could not have achieved their recognition awards.

Great News - The San Mateo Lions Club has formed a new LEO Club at Aragon High School in San Mateo and GMT/GLT are working to finalize the formation of our newest district club, the Daly City Supreme Lions Club, which should charter in April. Clubs are reminded to ask for assistance from GMT/ GLT for membership development, membership retention, leadership assessment, leadership development, etc. Clubs need all of

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Thank you for all that you do and God bless you for your commitment to serve those who need our help and assistance. As a Lions Club Member you make a significant difference in the lives of those in our communities, our district, our nation and our world. Never forget that you have the power to change the world for the betterment of mankind; rise to the occasion!

Monthly Quote: "Whoever is make others happy too" - Appe

happy will make others happy too" - Anne Frank.

Lion Jack Van Etten, District Governor "TO PROTECT AND TO SERVE" Proven Leadership, Practical Experience and Personal Integrity

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FROM THE 1st VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR

Fellow Lions:

Happy Chinese New Year! Let's welcome and celebrate the Lunar New Year 2015 -Year of the Ram. May everyone have a happy and healthy year in 2015.

This past month, I have another opportunity to visit with members of my MD4 Council of Governors at the early DGE training in San Diego, along with DGEs from Alaska, Washington, Oregon, Montana, Idaho, Nevada and Hawaii. What a delightful opportunity it was to be able to shared stories, programs and challenges with other leaders throughout the US. I have completed my first version of my action plan for membership and leadership goals for 2015-16 that I will be sharing with you when the timing is right. I can assure you that member of my future cabinet will find these exciting, challenging and rewarding. One of my favorite LCI program that I learned at the training is on formation of branch clubs.

Club branches as they are often refer to are



a great way for your club to increase membership and expand service in your community. Branch members become part of an existing "parent" Lions club - your club - but they organize their own meetings, projects and officers just like a regular club. It only takes 5 people to form a club branch, which makes it easier to get started.

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A club branch is great way to add members and bring needed service to remote areas of your community. It's also a good option for potential new members who can't make your regular club meetings or for people who are passionate about a special and different type

of service. You will hear a lot more on Branch Clubs and Cyber Clubs real soon.

Southwest Airlines Chinese New Year Parade, one of the top ten parade in the world, will be on March 7th, 2015. This is very exciting for us because it is not only our first time but imagine the exposure and publicity we can get for our District and Lions

Clubs International. There will be over 1 million viewers locally and many more on Youtube and over the Internet. It is a great way to spread our Lions' spirits and programs. Thanks to our steering committee

who has spent their time and effort to complete our inaugural Lions Float entry.

To show the community that Lions Clubs value our Leos and their contribution to the community, I am happy to report that our Leos Clubs' presidents will be invited to participate in the parade for the first year...

Now, we need volunteers to help out at the Lions Booth on Grant Ave, between California and Broadway. The date will be March 7 & 8, Saturday from 10am - 4pm and Sunday from 9am-5pm. Please sign up with Lion Yvonne Kantola to serve for any duration you

> want and try to visit and enjoy the other booths and activities around Chinatown. Great time to bring your family and friends.

> Live broadcast on KTVU, Fox 2, and KTSF 26 (Chinese) on Saturday, March 7, 6-8pm. KICU TV 36 will rebroadcast the Parade on the same night 9pm-11pm, and KTVU Fox 2 will rebroadcast March 8, 3-5pm.

Lion Macy - 1st VDG Legacy Through Giving and Service



STREET YOUTH SCHOLARSHIPS

South San Francisco Golden Gate Lions has worked with the Dagupan City Gui-Ion Lions Club to create a Street Youth Scholarships Project.

During visits to the Philippines SSF GG Lions noticed a large number of needy young people wandering around on the streets. These children and youth experience poverty, neglect, abuse, violence, inadequate education and are even deprived of their basic needs. They spend time begging, selling cigarettes and newspapers, shining shoes and committing petty crimes.

Club members were deeply touched by the sight of these unfortunate children

and the Club decided to extend humanitarian service by providing Educational Assistance. As a start, the SSFGG Lions is providing \$250 per student for tuition, school kits and uniforms to attend Massage Therapy Vocational Course. The first group of recipients will graduate in April 2014.

The SSFGG LionsClub hopes to continue this project and help more youths to find jobs and earn money to support themselves and their families in the future.

Lion Helen Ariz Casaclang, MSW, MPA President SSF GG Lions Club







DG Jack Van Etten

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Lions Club has always been an advocate of lifelong learning. In support of this advocacy, our own GLT/GMT has been providing our members a wide spectrum of learning and development opportunities. The upcoming Train The Trainer Program is one event to look forward to. My sincere appreciation and congratulations to everyone comprising the GLT/GMT team for their time, efforts, and dedication in making sure our Lions are accorded with relevant learning opportunities at its highest standard.

On January 17-19, 2015, another wellattended, most interesting, enlightening, and fun conference was concluded - the 2015 MD-4 Lions Leaderships Institute in Ontario. I was pleased to have attended the said conference which I thought was a huge success and exceeded all expectations.

Another learning and development opportunity is upcoming, that is, USA/ Canada Lions Leadership Forum which will be held on September 17 -19, 2015 at Grand Rapids, Michigan. This early on, I would like to enjoin you to attend and participate in this forum and together let's take advantage of this annual opportunity and tradition of excellence



to continue to learn and develop, reconnect to fellow Lions across boundaries, and rededicate to Lionism. Preparations and registrations are well underway. More information can be found at http:// lionsforum.org/index.html.

On an equally important note, we are all excited about Lions Club's reaching a great milestone....Lions doing 100 years of humanitarian work! In our district, hundreds of Lions and non-Lions alike are expected to converge in March of 2017 to commemorate Lions unwavering commitment to public service/humanitarian work through the years. For the meantime, on March 28, 2015, District 4-C4 will hold a kick-off party at Mission Blue, so save the date! C4 Convention is fast approaching. This year's convention has been set on May 14 -17, 2015 in the great city of Sacramento. This Convention has become the most important annual gathering in our District calendar as it gives us the opportunity to promote and strengthen our camaraderie through fun-filled and exciting activities, and at the same time elect our new set of leadership for the next Lions Year.

This year's theme, "Law Enforcement Past & Future" and our focus "To Protect and To Serve" perfectly aligns with our priority, indeed the reason for our existence as an organization, is To Serve. Our convention is but a fitting venue to promote and celebrate such advocacy - our annual convention brings people together for mutual support, education, and inspiration.

I would like to thank in advance our Convention Committee volunteers headed by PDG Esther Lee for all their fine work and excellent planning to ensure that this year's convention promises to be one to remember.

Cheers, Lions! Lion Rod Mercado

Last but not the least, our Annual District 4-



FOSTER CITY LIONS present TWO GIANT CHECKS

The Foster City Lions were recognized at the Monday February 2, 2015 City Council meeting for the presentation of two major donations to support their community:

- \$10,057.87 representing our Club's donation to the City from July 4th parking funds raised.
- \$10,000.00 representing our Club's donation to the Foster City Foundation for the Foster City Lions Memorial to be built at the new "Destination" Park (along Beach Park Blvd.).

Lion and Foster City Mayor Art Kiesel led the Foster City Council members in applauding our work and thanking us for our generous donation to the City. Members of the public present also thanked us for what we do for our community! It's good to be recognized for our work, yet, better to know that we really do make a difference! Lion Amor Traceski, President

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HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE FEBRUARY 7, 2015 CABINET MEETING

Treasurer: - - Balances as of 2nd Quarter ended Dec. 31, 2014: Admin \$21,118.29, Y&CA \$7,876.21, Designated Funds \$18,685.44, Disaster Relief \$4,196.48, Total \$51,876.42 District is on budget. Please request reimbursements by email or regular mail rather than phone message.

DG Report:

Membership growth award: Brisbane Lions – Best net membership growth for last quarter

Disaster Preparedness: Dec 13-14 Floods we had a request from the American Red Cross to assist with the shelter at CSM – Thank you to the following Lions Clubs: Belmont, Burlingame, Half Moon Bay, San Bruno, San Francisco Host, South San Francisco Host. **IPDG Picchi** gave awards from his year - - apologized as International was 9 months late - - 100% Secretary: Bob Wilson Brisbane, DC Host Denise Kelly, Linda Minkey Peninsula Special Interest, May Seto SF Chinatown, Angelita Mostasisa SF Host, Helen Casaclan SSF GG

Picchi Club Presidents Excellence Award (formerly known as 100% President Award), BASO Sharon Bagley, Peninsula Special Interest Eleanor Lindquist, San Bruno Alan Hafter, Harriet Wong SF Chinatown, Anita Gacad SF Highlands, Roger Cayabyab SF Host, San Mateo Pat Hughes

Weingarten Children Center Speaker: Kathy Sussman - -Acknowledging a very generous donation from the Menlo Park Live Oak Lions. The Center is on the Peninsula but serve a much wider area. Help deaf children and parents. Presently seriving 70 children, youngest is 2 months old. Not only school in Redwood City, but also outreach via iPads to a wide region including Napa, Merced, Watsonville. Told story of one boy, Angel, born with low birth weight so automatically tested for hearing loss and was profoundly deaf. When then heard about the school Angel's dad quit his job so he could drive his son to school each day. The Center helped Angel got a Cochlear inplant (\$200K) Now he's in the Center kindergarten and speaks Spanish and English. Next year he'll go to his own school in Watsonville. Weingarten center helped dad to buy gardener tools, and hired him - - now he has his own business. They do not deny a child for any reason.

Lions Eye Foundation – John Schroeder – CPMC has signed lease and new facility will happen, hope to have open by end of year.

LCIF: PDG Esther Lee reported that the District has 359 Melvin Jones fellows and 69 progressive (more than one diamond in pin)

honoring two today with Melvin Jones Fellowship: Burlingame Kevin Kielty and SSF GG Mark Antony Casaclang. **Convention:** PDG Esther Lee: May 14-17. Convention packets distributed today to clubs with all forms. Blue and Gold, Protect and Serve. Expect some fun events including Pin the Handcuffs on the Arrestee, Hot Shot Pistol Range, Radio Controlled Police Car Race, Best Wanted Poster, plus games like matching district cabinet photos with their baby pictures. Dress for Friday night will be police/western/badguy anything along with that theme.

4-C4 CONVENTION Theme: PROTECT and SERVE COLORS BLUE and GOLD

Policies & Procedures PDG Simonini: Constitution and Bylaws revision on procedures for chartering a new club. Section 10 page 17 will be changed July 1st. No other requests so no need to vote at convention.

GLT/GMT: PDG Kantola, PDG Phillips - - Membership thru 2/6/2015 1217 which is a drop of 21 this year so far. 4C4 has lost some clubs over the last 5 years but we are chartering Daly City Supreme within 2 months, and working on another campus club. Various training sessions over the last quarter and today before meeting. Next session April 30 at Parkside school hopefully. June 13 large session ongoing training newly elected officers, region chairs, zone chairs.

Diabetes Awareness: Bill Britter – donating \$6500 from fundraiser to JDRF.

Peninsula Council Report: Chris Cheshire – Police and Fire Awards March 20 - 27 police officers and 4 firefighters receiving awards – if you've received invitation note that names in red do not know they are getting an awards, so please don't tell. \$55 ticket. PCL dinners will be raised to \$30.

SF Council – Lydia Taylor Bellinger – Councils will also sell Y&CA tickets to boost scholarship fund – SF Council Police and Fire Awards April 18th Patio Espanol.

Club Contest – Denise Kelly – March 31 is end of contests. Final entries must be received by April 7th. Eyeglass collection March 14, 9-11am, 31 Bepler St, Daly City 94014.

Centennial Committee Update – Rod Mercado – March 2017 marks 100 years of service of Lions International. Kickoff party for PDGs and Committee March 28, 2015, at Mission Blue in Brisbane. Trying to make it free. Those who can afford invited to pay. Committee headed by PDG Ray Rosenthal has almost 50 members. Urged every club to do your share, be proud of 100 years of humanitarian service.

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DISTRICT CABINET continued..

^{DG Jack Van Etten} ^{To Protect and to Serve'} **Chinese New Year Parade:** 1st VDG Macy Mak Chan – Southwest Airlines parade, first time our district Chinese Chamber of Commerce invited. March 7 2015. Great exposure for Lions with 1,000,000 watching on TV, Internet, YouTube. Need volunteers for booth in Chinatown, March 7-8, 10am – 4pm.

We have reserved 100 bleacher seats at \$30. Go back to club and get your Lions to sign up. There are also open positions on float, and for walkers behind the float. There will be a bus pickup in San Bruno/Millbrae, bus \$11.50.

Student Speaker Foundation IPDG Rich Picchi – Foundation is requesting \$7,000 per district for scholarships. Also accept ink cartridges and cell phones.

Lions Veterans Charities – Pat Hughes – Ongoing programs like Warm Coat / Gloves / Hats thanks to those who brought today. \$2500 donation received from Rotary for Bikes For Vets to buy parts, repairs etc for donated bikes. Work on homeless housing. About 15,000 homeless in San Francisco and San Mateo Counties, half of them veterans. Next fundraiser March 2016.

District Sight Preservation / Awareness / Action – Eleanor Lindquist Bitter – introduced sight preservation committee PDG L Wong and PDG E Lee. Getting 3 screeners (\$23,000) via 50-50 grant from LCI for clubs to use. Spot Pediavision and Plus Optics trainings coming soon. Grant sent in, accepted as written. Send checks to Lion Treasurer Jun Madrinan. Thanked all clubs, DG Jack and PDG L Wong.

Canine Companions – PDG George Habeeb - \$300 to train a dog, life membership. He'll take care of the rest. Presented life membership to Lion Lydia Taylor Bellinger.

Y&CA Sandee Ige - 27 clubs (of 41) participating, 8 clubs said no but 2 have recanted. 6 clubs undecided. Still time. Collected so far about \$14,168.

District Public Relations – Alison Wilson: Website doing very well compared to average non-profits. Higher open rate, higher click rate. In past year received requests from Austrailia and Germany. New event calendar. Also share photos at Flikr.com/ district-4c4 Send items to: lions4c4@gmail.com

Kases for Kids – Frances Tolosa: Ask each club to work on this 4C4 project.

Sunshine – Cindy Smith – Thank you for providing information. New forms for those who passed away. Club / achievements / picture for convention on Saturday morning remembrance. Acknowledged DG Jack for participating in all "sunshine" events. Candidates Introduced –

2nd VDG Candidate Mario Benavente - - chided DG Jack for not mentioning the golf tournament at convention - - our PDGs don't "retire" when their year is done. They keep going and that is extraordinary. Remember "It's a Wonderful Life" movie? You are George Bailey. We make the world better.

1st VDG Candidate Rod Mercado - - Unite, innovate, and deliver. Privileged to work with professional hard working district leaders. High Quality members doing community service. Unite: Clubs working together for partnership and synergy to accomplish more and maximize resources. Innovate: Change happens every minute and we need to also. Increase efficiency, enhance more what we do. Deliver: I will have tenacity to follow through and make sure district projects see through to completion.

DG Candidate Macy Mak Chan - - Completed DG training. Completed Membership and leadership plan should she be elected. As Lions we help the less fortunate to have a better life. It makes me happy and proud to help make the world a better place. 2017 Centennial Service Challenge to serve another 100 million people by 2018 25 million youth, 25 million environment, 25 million hunger, 25 million ?? Goal to be in top 3 districts of California. We want a life of purpose and legacy through giving. My motto: Legacy through giving and service.

Weingarten Children's Center



MENLO PARK LIVE OAK

At the recent District Cabinet Meeting the Kathy Sussman of the Weingarten Children's Center acknowledged a VERY generous donation of over \$20,000 from Menlo Park Live Oak Lions to upgrade a room with equipment and other modifications to enhance the Centers ability to restore hearing to very young children who would be considered deaf. Introduced by Lion Jim Bigelow.



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Student Speaker Foundation Update

The Lions Fourth District Student Speakers Foundation Inc., is a California non-profit corpo-

ration governed by a board of directors and fifteen trustees. Its purpose is to provide the scholarships given to winners of the California Student Speakers Contest.

The Foundation will provide \$103,500.00 total awards for the 2014-2015 contest. Assets of the Foundation are invested in a diversified portfolio to provide the highest rate of guaranteed return obtainable with maximum security for the principal. Under this in-

vestment policy and with continually increasing assets the Foundation will be able to raise substantially its annual contribution to the awards in future years. Each of the 15 Districts in California has an annual fund-raising goal of \$7,000.

The Student Speaker Foundation provides \$4,500 scholarships to the winners of the 15 District contests in California. The winners of the 4 Area level contests will receive at \$6,500 scholarship and the overall MD4 winner receives another \$10,000 scholarship.

Our District will have a winner who will receive a \$4,500 scholarship and then be able to compete at the Area contest for another \$6,500 scholarship.



Your club and individual donations are necessary to continue this program and to attract the student speakers to our contest. Donations in any amount will be accepted, but various awards are available for donations at different levels: Letters have gone out to every Club President with donation forms attached. If you need more, please send me an email at

rpicchi@comcast.net.



WHAT'S HAPPENING on the LCI WEBSITE ASK ONE PROGRAM -ALL IT TAKES IS ASKING ONE PERSON

Just Ask. If each of us just asked one person to become a Lion think about how much we could do for so many

people around the globe. The LCI website has resources and suggestions, such as the <u>Just Ask! Guide</u>, to lead your club through the process of recruiting new members and effectively managing club growth. **Promote your next meeting.** Spread the word about your club by using this <u>sample press release</u>. It can be quickly and easily customized to include your club's information. **NEW! Ask One buttons are now available!** Order today from <u>Club Supplies</u>.



Just imagine if every Lion, 1.35 million, asked one person to join their club...



...now imagine how much more Lions could do and how many more people they could serve!









Saturday, March 7

Sunday, March 8

Wednesday, March 11

6:00pm Millbrae Lions Marinated Crab Feed

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AROUND the DISTRICT

LIONS VETERANS CHARITIES UPDATE:

FYI we will be reducing our support of the USO/SFO; we buy and deliver over \$900 of supplies every two months (items as requested by USO/SFO), or over \$5,000 each year; this year, as in most past years, our "USO Night" fundraiser made a bit over \$4,000 (and donations from only 8 to 10 of the over 50 Lions Clubs in our District!).

For the second year, we asked the USO/SFO to help us publicize our fundraiser (using our flyer) and possibly suggest purchase of our tickets to their local supporters, and received no response! However, we have also heard that USO/SFO is receiving large annual grants from other local organizations.

With the large Homeless Veterans (and Homeless Civilians - men, women and even children; 7,000 in SF, 8,000 in San Mateo County and over 8,000 in Santa Clara County)) in great need for shelter, food, warm clothing and support, we will be devoting a great deal

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7:30pm Lions Center for the Blind Night Cheer on the Warriors

more time, effort and resources from this year on - you will be hearing more about our efforts this year; we have developed a simple and easy to build construction plan for livable/ clean shelters with food service and sites in specific locations, as well as a hiring plan for veterans, for development throughout our District (except San Francisco, which is a unique and difficult site for any housing).



We hope to have four major approvals and public agency support by the middle of this year.

Per our past discussions, Lion Gwen Strain has moved to Las Vegas recently; I am sure you will hear more.

Thanks again.

Lion Roger Chinn Lions Veterans Charities, Inc. 833 Constitution Drive Foster City, CA 94404 roger@chinnassociates.com

ANOTHER Good Reason to Visit the District Website - NEW DISTRICT CALENDAR

Find an event that interests you and click on the title for more details! Lion Allison Wilson does a GREAT job! Are you sending Lion Allison your flyers and announcements? You should be!

Saturday, March 14		WE SERVE San Francisco County, San Mateo County and the City of Palo Alto WE SERVE San Francisco County
9:00am Eyeglass Collection		
Friday, March 20		LIONS DISTRICT 4-C4
:00pm 50th Police and Firefighters Awards Banquet		Admens P.O. Box 25301 Ses Maleo, CA 14400 (1415) 545 8107 (5 Mer Loca Sterix ediametizati Serving San Francisco County, San Mateo County and the City of Palo Alto
Saturday, March 21		Lions at the heart of the community - more volunteers in more places than any other service organization. Join us, Every penny earned goes directly back to the community.
9:30pm San Francisco Host Lions Club Annual Charit	ty Dinnel Dance	WE SERVEL Calendar Events LEOs 2015 Your eadership Institute being held from March 27 - 29, 2015 LEOs 2015 Your eadership Institute being held from March 27 - 29, 2015 Jack Van Elten
Monday, March 23		Interview and Resistration on line. Characteristics within the Prood Lion Mentoring Program application on-line.
6:00pm PCL Monthly Meeting		CLORECTENTIATES SUBmit the P Proval Lion Mentaring Program application on Alle.
Wednesday, March 25		click here to donate to the Student Speaker Contest - cell phones, ink cartridges and donations
6:00pm SF Coordinating Council of Lions Monthly Me	eeting	The Student Speaker Topic 'Water Conservation - What can we do to Conserve, Recycle and RecLaim?"
Saturday, March 28	Friday, March 20	
8:30am 3rd Annual Children First Conference - Impro	6:00pm 50th Police and Firefighters Awards Banquet When Fri, March 20, 6pm – 10pm	
9:00am 3rd Annual Children First Conference		
Saturday, April 18		
11:30am Luncheon and Fashion Show		, 1221 Chess Drive, Foster City, CA 94404, United States (map)
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7.00mm Variable and Community Tickets	more details»	

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PLEASE SUBMIT PHOTOS AND ARTICLES to: Lion Randy Sahae rfsahae@aol.com DEADLINE for March BULLETIN is 3/25/2015



MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

Save the Date: Peninsula Police and Fire Awards -March 20, Foster City Crowne Plaza District 4-C4 Convention May 15-17, 2015: Red Lion Woodlake Hotel, 500 Leisure Lane, Sacramento, Ca. 95815 Registration and information packets now available on the District 4-C4 website: www.district4c4.org

International Convention June 26-30, 2015 Honolulu, Hi

See article on District Calendar on page 7 for more events.

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Rich Lee, District Lion of the Year f(2013-2014) And Lydia Taylor - Bellinger, Si Moyer Award Winner for service to the District Governor

LIONS OBJECTIVES

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.

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