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PRESIDENT'S NOTE



I hope that all the Lions and their families enjoyed the wonderful Thanksgivings. I look forward to the rest of the holidays and look forward to serving. Please mark down your calendar for our December 8 holiday party.

Time moves by so quickly. Wow I am halfway through my term!

As I reflect for a few moments I am so proud of our club. We have a complete Board with very dedicated offices. We had a successful Bingo Night raising more money than in the past with new leadership. We have two new members.

Our club also had successful events: Fourth July, Bingo Night, USO Night, Senior luncheon, blood drive and Regatta event. Yes it is about dedication and volunteerism. So many events.

As we approach the halfway mark, I want Lions to remember our moto. "Ask not what your Lions group can do for you ask what we can do together." Our goal is to serve first of all our community. I look forward to the rest of the year and next year.

*Let me leave you with:
An Irish Blessing
May the road rise with you,
May the wind be
Always at your back,*

*May the sun shine
Warm upon your face,
And rains fall soft
Upon your fields,
And until we meet again,
May God hold you in the
Hollow of His hand*

*See you all on 28th November.
Lion President Patrick
2017-2018*

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NEXT MEETING

Date: 11/28/2017

Board Meeting

6:30 PM

Meet n Greet

7:00 PM

**Dinner and General
meeting**

7:30 PM

@Foster City Rec Center

100 CENTENNIAL
SERVICE
CHALLENGE





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!!

Matt Crom	26 Dec
Kateryna Davydova	31 Dec
Steve Morria	14 Dec
John Piper	14 Dec
Saloni Priya	7 Dec
Rama Ramachandran	22 Dec
Sandi Rocco	6 Dec
Ray Rosenthal	31 Dec
Mike Hewett	28 Dec



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

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NOTE FROM THE EDITOR

Hello Lions,



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.

Congratulation to the 2 new FC Lion Members - Martin Ticas & Jim Liu who will be inducted on 11/28/17 by PDG Jack Van Etten.

*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.



UPDATE ABOUT LION STEPHEN MORRIS

Email sent by Lion Stephen Morris's family members:

Dear Family and Friends,

We are very sad to share that Steve suffered a stroke last Thursday which has left him with Global Aphasia - severe impairment to his speech and comprehension <http://tactustherapy.com/global-aphasia/> . He is unable to communicate his wants and needs and his speech is unintelligible. He is also not able to understand us when we speak to him. Over the weekend, he moved into a skilled nursing facility and he started therapy yesterday. Recovery from stroke is a long and slow process and we don't know how long it will take and how much recovery to expect.

We know how much you all care for Steve but the only things we want to ask you for are your prayers and your patience. We will update you when there is something to update, but until then, we want to ask you to please refrain from calling and asking for information or asking to visit him. At this time, a visit from you will not be helpful to his recovery, but if that changes, we will reach out to you individually. We know that you are hurting, but I'm sure you can understand that this is a very upsetting situation for us, and while we appreciate your good wishes, the many requests are becoming overwhelming.

Please don't respond to this email, we know your thoughts and prayers are with us.

"Heal me, O Lord, and I shall be healed; save me, and I shall be saved, for you are my praise."

Sincerely,

Nancy, Julie and Lynette

LIONS ROARING





NOVEMBER 2017

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

DECEMBER 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26	27	28	29	30	1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	1	2	3	4	5	6
		Board Meeting @6:30 PM General Meeting @7:30 PM			Holiday Party Social @6 PM Dinner @7 PM	Blood Drive 8AM – 1PM @Foster City Recreation
		Dark Night (No meeting)				

UPCOMING EVENTS

BLOOD DRIVE

DATE: 12/09/2017 (Saturday)

TIME: 8:00AM – 1PM

VENUE: Foster City Recreation Center – Spirit Room (650 Shell Blvd., Foster City, CA-94404)

To sign up please contact Jody Johnson at (jody@solarart.com)

*Donors will be given a T-Shirt



SERVICE ANNIVERSARIES

Art Kiesel	12/01/2004
Lois Gilbert	12/14/2010
Fabiola Suwanto	12/01/1993

**KEEP
CALM
AND
JOIN A
LIONS CLUB**



Give more than thanks this season



GIVE | SAVE BLOOD | LIVES

On average, patients undergoing *open heart surgery* need 6 to 8 units of blood. Please support your community and donate blood.

Donate Blood December 1st - 20th and receive a Golden State Warriors inspired t-shirt! 'Dub City Donor - Warrior for Life'

BLOOD DRIVE

Sponsored by Foster City Lions Club

Saturday, December 9, 2017

8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

LOCATION: WM Walker Rec Center: Spirit Room

650 Shell Blvd, Foster City, CA 94404

Please schedule your life-saving appointment online at www.bloodheroes.com

Click on "Donate Blood" and enter Sponsor Code: **FosterCity**

With questions, please contact Jody Johnson at JJohnson@windowsolutions.com



@bloodcenters



• PLEASE BRING A PHOTO ID • PLEASE EAT AND DRINK PLENTY OF WATER BEFORE DONATING •

FOSTER CITY LIONS CLUB'S HOLIDAY PARTY DECEMBER 8, 2017

6:00 P.M. SOCIAL 7:00 P.M. DINNER



BRING THE FAMILY
FOR A FUN EVENING!!!

DRESS CODE PARTY

OUR PARTY WILL BE CATERED BY NING.

WE WILL CONTINUE OUR TRADITION OF THE PIRATE GAME. FOR THOSE WHO WANT TO PLAY, PLEASE BRING A WRAPPED \$20 GIFT.

WE WILL BE COLLECTING UNWRAPPED GIFTS FOR TEENS. OUR FIREFIGHTERS WILL PICK THEM UP AT THE PARTY.

PIRATE GAME AND TEEN GIFTS ARE BOTH OPTIONAL.

WE MUST GIVE AN ACCURATE COUNT TO OUR CATERER SO PLEASE MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS AT OUR MEETING, NOV. 28TH, OR BEFORE DECEMBER 4TH OR EMAIL YOUR RESERVATION TO MARY TRUE, marytrue@hotmail.com

F.C. LIONS NAME _____

NUMBER OF ADULT GUESTS AT \$20 EACH _____

NUMBER OF CHILDREN 5 – 13 AT \$10 EACH _____

NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 5 (FREE) _____



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 _____

Reporting Club Members - Lions Only, Please

If President and/or Secretary are included, please indicate title next to name.

Please **PRINT** the names.

Please indicate Long Tail or Short Tail next to the name if applicable for Long Tail or Short Tail Contest

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|-----------|-----------|
| 1. _____ | 11. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 12. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 13. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 14. _____ |
| 5. _____ | 15. _____ |
| 6. _____ | 16. _____ |
| 7. _____ | 17. _____ |
| 8. _____ | 18. _____ |
| 9. _____ | 19. _____ |
| 10. _____ | 20. _____ |

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 Officer 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

Lions Clubs International at the Pac-12 Championship Game



Levi's Stadium

Friday,
December 1st,
2017

contact Bob Stewart at
(408) 568-3863 or at
Bob@lionstewart.com

About

Join the Lions of District 4C6 at the PAC-12 Football Championship, December 1, 2017, Levi's Stadium, Santa Clara for a festive fund raising event supporting the Diabetes Youth Families and Camp de Los Ninos scholarships.

Purchase your lower reserved seating tickets online at www.lions4c6.org, and plan to participate in a private pregame Lions tail gate party.

For additional information: www.lions4c6.org.



General info

100 Level Seats are \$50

\$15 per ticket goes back to Diabetes Youth Foundation

Network with fellow Lions throughout the district and West Coast



Please Join the Bay Area
Special Olympics Lions Club at
their Paint Night, Paint Party.



January 10, 2018 at
6:30
\$30 Per Person
Burlingame Lions Hall
990 Burlingame Avenue
Burlingame, CA 94010

Discover a different kind
of night out! Get creative
while you laugh, drink,
eat, paint and have a great
time. No experience
necessary to leave with
your own masterpiece!



You will get wine, refreshments, finger
foods, dessert, paint, brushes, 12" x 18"
canvas, 2 hour trained instruction.



Name(s) of Painters: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____



Enclosed in my check made out to BASO Lions
in the amount of \$_____, for _____ Painters (\$30 Per)

Please send all Reservations to:
BASO Lions
% Lion Rose Marie Morando
706 Clearfield Dr
Millbrae, CA 94030



Please join the Burlingame Lions Club in a fun filled

Bingo Night

Friday, December 1, 2017

5:30 - Doors Open

6:30 - Dinner

7:30 - First BINGO Game

Time subject to change

\$25 - In Advance

\$35 - At The Door

All funds collected will go towards fighting hunger on the Peninsula.

Bring a Toy with you for a free raffle ticket!!!

Name(s): _____

Phone Number: (____)____-_____

Number attending: _____

Check enclosed (\$25 per): \$_____

Please send before November 29, 2017 to

Burlingame Lions Bingo,

PO Box 206, Burlingame, CA 94010



November Gathering

Dinner: Buffet
\$30 Per-Person
6:00 No-Host
Cocktails
7:00 Dinner

Peninsula Council of Lions
November Gathering
Hosted by San Carlos Lions
Monday November 27, 2017
Mahany Hall Community
United Church of Christ
1336 Arroyo Ave
San Carlos, CA 94070



Dinner Discussion
The perfect
Newsletter
Lion's Heart
Collection: Lions
Canine Companion

Please RSVP to PCL on
or before November 20th
with your name and your
club by sending an e-mail to
RSVP2PCL@gmail.com

AETA LIONS CLUB



SF AETA LIONS CLUB

Holiday Dinner Dance!



**Sponsored by Aeta Tribe Foundation
in collaboration with FASBAFA
(Fil-American Social-Ballroom & Fitness Association)**

**Help bring JOY and HOPE to the indigenous Aeta communities
living in Eastern Botolan, Zambales this holiday season.**



**Where: Centerville Community Center
3355 Country Drive,
Fremont, CA 94536**



**When: Sunday, December 3, 2017
from 5:00 PM—11:00 PM**

Ticket Price: \$25.00 - Donations welcome

DJ Music: Bring your dancing Shoes!



Raffle Prizes

Contacts:

Johnny Veloso	510-282-8922	ssspotlights@gmail.com
Marian Castillo	415-269-9652	marianc2002@comcast.net
Fernando Briosos	415-971-1227	fbriosos@tsjobs.com

**We hope to raise \$3,000.00
to provide 5-gallon blue plastic containers for 600 households
of Aboriginal Aeta tribes in botolan Zambales.**

Donations are fully tax deductible and payable to:
Aeta Tribe Foundation
Federal Tax Identification #47-3714375



**San Francisco Coordinating
Council of Lions Clubs {SFCCLC}**
Lions Club International, District 4-C4

**NOVEMBER
MEETING & FELLOWSHIP**

Monday, November 27, 2017

**6:30pm Arrival/Greetings
7:00pm Dinner/Meeting**

Boulevard Cafe

**2 Poncetta Drive {Cr. John Daly Blvd}
Daly City, CA 94015
Dinner \$30.00**

**HOSTED BY
SUPREME LIONS CLUB**

**RSVP BY NOV 17, 2017
CALL OR TEXT**

**Lion George Poon - 1-650-438-4118
Lion Billy Camota - 1-415-260-6011**

**Please make checks payable and mail to:
Supreme Lions Club
575 Acacia Ave., San Bruno, CA 94066**

Main Agenda Items:

**March 28, 2018 New Officers Election
April 14, 2018 Peace Officers Award Night
April 14, 2018 Student Scholarship Grant
May 23, 2018 Joint Meeting with PCL
June 20, 2018**



2018



New Year's Eve Dinner and Dance

Latinos Unidos Lions Club Cordialmente invite you to the great Dinner-Dance of Farewell of the Year 2017 and Welcome of the Year 2018

*Sunday December 31, 2017 • Best Western Grosvenor Hotel
380 So. Airport Boulevard • So. San Francisco, CA 94080*

Featuring: Central Latino Allstar & DJ

Admission: \$110 per person

Include:

Dinner served, salad, dessert and 2 bottles of wine per table.

Dinner will be served from 8:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

You can buy your ticket by calling:

Lion Mariano Bermúdez (650) 745-6929 • Lion Rufino Ramos (415) 609-7263

Lion Vilma López (415) 602-5276 • Lion José Ma. Ibarra (415) 902-3307

Lion Thelma Egan (415)770-8781

Doors will open at 6:00 pm • Credit cards accepted • Reservations only with credit cards

Book your room in time at the hotel.

Get Best Price by Mentioning "Lions Club Block Group"

You can book from now until December 15 at (650) 873-3200 (Front desk)

There will be no room reservation with special price after that date.

We recommend buying the ticket first before you book the hotel.

**Celebrating Lions
100th Anniversary!**



Lion Erik Winkler



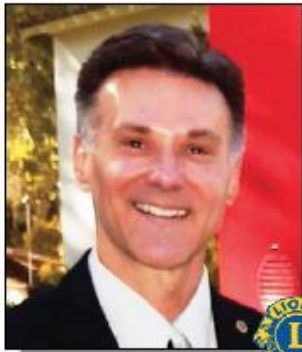
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Best Wishes to the officers and members of the Foster City Lions Club for a spectacular and successful term. From Lion Paul Larson ~ President.



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Lion PCL PP Paul Larson ~ President

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PCC DEREK LEDDA 
Endorsed Candidate for International Director
Lions Clubs International

 Join us on the Road to Chicago
June 30-July 4, 2017 
"Service is a Labor of Love" | Mysite: www.derekledda4id.com



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

- Service
- 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

By unifying the Global Leadership Team (GLT), Global Membership Team (GMT) and 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.