

PCL Bulletin

Peninsula Council of Lions Clubs
District 4-C4 January 10, 2018



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Next Gathering: **Monday, January 22nd**

Burlingame Lions Hall

990 Burlingame Ave, Burlingame, CA 94010

6:00 PM cocktails, 7:00 PM dinner

PCL President's Message

I cannot believe we have entered 2018. I hope you all had a very merry and happy holiday season. Now we are back to work.

First thing is I hope you will all be joining us for the first PCL gathering on January 22, at the Burlingame Lions Hall 990 Burlingame Ave. This month the Heart of the Lion collection will be going to the Lions Eye Foundation. The Foundation is currently really looking for donations to buy medications. I am hoping that our small conurbation will come in handy. We really have been helping originations all over one quarter at a time.

Coming up in February is the Presidents Project Gathering. Please remember to bring your clubs puzzle piece with you to the meeting. If you have miss placed your piece or cannot remember what you are supposed to do please get in touch with me (Lion Maryah). Although, to spark your memory, each club president was given a puzzle piece to take back to their club and decorate it showing what their club does to help their community.

Hope you all have an amazing 2018!

PCL 2nd VP on the move!



PCL 2nd VP Bill Fowler is leaving the Peninsula and will be taking a new job in Seattle, Washington. Lion Bill is a long-time member of the Belmont Lions Club and has served both his club and the PCL with distinction.

We wish Bill well on his new endeavor and hope that he continuous his Lions activities in his new location. Bill has already moved begun his new job.

Good Luck, Bill!

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Club Presidents Reports

Please email your president's report to the PCL secretary each month for inclusion in the bulletin! Without an email copy of your club's report, there is no guarantee that your club report will be listed!

NOTE: No Club reports this time. Please email your report to RSVP2PCL@GMAIL.COM

PCL By-Laws Change

The PCL Advisors (PDG Jack Van Etten, Lion Rich Picchi and Lion Scot Marsters) in consultation with the PCL Board would like to modify PCL By-Law #4 to allow us more flexibility when looking for candidates to serve on the PCL Board. So at the January 22nd PCL meeting I will be introducing the following change:

Current: "No Club shall have more than one officer on the Board of the Peninsula Council of Lions Clubs."

New: "No Club shall have more than one officer (excluding the Immediate Past President) serving on the Board of the Peninsula Council of Lions."

It has not been easy to find volunteers to serve, and we believe this would help. The agenda item will be introduced at the January meeting and it will be discussed and voted on at the February meeting. I encourage you to contact me if you have any questions about this.

Police and Fire Update #1

By now your clubs should have received a request for Ads for the PCL Police and Fire Awards Program. Each year for the past several, every Lions Club in the PCL has taken out an ad (from \$50-\$500) to help support your event recognizing Police and Firefighters in your community. These Nominees have shown outstanding Heroism, Valor or Service in our communities in many cases saving someone's life sometimes while putting their own lives on the line. Please work with your club's Board to determine how your club is planning to support this event. If I (Lion Scot Marsters) don't hear from your club by February 1st, I will be contacting you directly. Sadly, only one club has responded so far.

Just a reminder that the PCL also asks that your club also make a \$200 donation to the PCL to help sponsor the Nominees and their Guest's dinners.

Police and Fire Update #2

We have been contacting the various Police and Fire departments around the Peninsula to make sure that they get their nominations in for the awards that we will be presenting. Please assist us with this.

Chiefs

POLICE					FIRE				
City	Chief Name	Phone Number	E-mail	Comments as of 1/5/18	City	Chief Name	Phone Number	E-mail	Comments as of 1/5/18
Belmont	Daniel J. DeSmidt	(650) 595-7400		Left message	Belmont	John Healy	(650) 522-7902	JHealy@cityofsanmateo.org	Same as Foster city and Belmont, talked with him and he was about 90% sure that they would do 1 nomination for all the people that went north or south to fight the fires but other than that he didn't want to just nominate to nominate he thought it should be
Brisbane	Lisa Macias	(415) 467-1212		Left message	Brisbane	Ron D. Myers	(650) 991-8138		Left message! same as Daly City and Pacifica
Burlingame	Eric Wollman	650.777.4100	mmortz@burlingaempolice.org	Left message, talked to assistant and e-mailed forms again.	Burlingame	John Kammeyer	650-344-9950		Left message, same as Hillsborough, and Millbrae
Daly City	NO CHIEF CURENTLY	650-991-8119		Talked to Angie the Admin Assistant, Nomination on the way	Daly City	Ron D. Myers	(650) 991-8138		Left message! same as Brisbane and Pacifica
East Palo Alto	Albert Pardini		apardini@cityofepa.org	Sent e-mail	East Palo Alto	Kathy Jackson, Administrative Services Manager	650-688-8400		Office is open from M-TH 8-5. Left message Same as Menlo Park
Foster City	Joe Pierucci	650-286-3300	jpierucci@fostercity.org	Left message	Foster City	John Healy	650-522-7902	JHealy@cityofsanmateo.org	Same as Foster city, talked with him and he was about 90% sure that they would do 1 nomination for all the people that went north or south to fight the fires but other than that he didn't want to just nominate to nominate he thought it should be something that the
Half Moon Bay	Captin J. Munsey	650-726-8288	jmunsey@smcgov.org	Sent e-mail	Half Moon Bay	Ian Larkin	(831)335-6700		Left Message for Chief Larkin as well as Assistant Chief Cole
Hillsborough	Mark O'Connor	650-375-7565	mkoconnor@hillsborough.net	Left message	Hillsborough	John Kammeyer	650-344-9950		Left message, same as Burlingame, and
Menlo Park	Robert Jonsen	650-330-6300	policechief@menlopark.org	Left message with assistant	Menlo Park	Kathy Jackson, Administrative Services Manager	650-688-8400		Office is open from M-TH 8-5. Left message, same as East Palo Alto
Millbrae	Sargent Dan Guiney	(650) 259-2300	dguiney@smcgov.org	Left message, Talked to Dan and sent e-mail with forms that he didn't have.	Millbrae	John Kammeyer John Kammeyer	650-344-9950 (650) 558-7600		Left message, same as Hillsborough, and Burlingame
Pacifica	Dan Steidle	650-738-7314		Left message	Pacifica	Ron D. Myers	(650) 991-8138		Left message! same as Daly City and Brisbane
Palo Alto		650-329-2413	barbara.teixeira@cityofPaloAlto.com	Talked to Assistant Barbara Teixeira and e-mailed the forms.	Palo Alto	Eric Nickel	650-329-2184	fire@cityofpaloalto.org	Left message, and sent e-mail
Redwood City	Jenny Steler, Administrative	650-780-7100	JCorral@redwoodcity.org	Left message	Redwood City	Stan Maupin	(650) 780-7400	smaupin@redwoodcity.org	Left message. Same as San Carlos
San Bruno	Ed Barberini	(650) 616-7100	EBarberinisnbruno.ca.gov	Talked to Assistant will be calling back, talked to Ed, and sent e-mail with forms.	San Bruno	David Cresta	(650) 616-7096		Left message
San Carlos	Greg Rothaus	(650) 802-4277	grothaus@smcgov.org	Talked to Greg and e-mailed forms	San Carlos	Stan Maupin	(650) 780-7400	smaupin@redwoodcity.org	Same as Redwood City, Left Message
San Mateo	Susan Manheimer	(650) 522-7700	police@cityofsanmateo.org	Nominations are in the mail.	San Mateo	John Healy	(650) 522-7900	JHealy@cityofsanmateo.org	Same as Foster city and Belmont, talked with him and he was about 90% sure that they would do 1 nomination for all the people that went north or south to fight the fires but other than that he didn't want to just nominate to nominate he thought it should be
South San Francisco	Jeff Azzopardi	(650) 877-8900 605-877-8931	jeff.azzopardi@ssf.net	Talked to the "Watch commander" and left message for assistant	South San Francisco		(650) 829-3950		left message with assistant
Woodside					Woodside	DAN GHIORSO	(650) 851-1860	dghiorso@woodsidefire.org	Nominations are being worked on.
BART	Carlos Rojas	510.464.7022	crojas@bart.gov lstokes@bart.gov (assistant)	Talked to new assistant and sent e-mail with all information attached.					
Shirff	Carlos G. Bolanos	(650) 363-4911		Left message					

Save the Date for PCL Events

October 25	Joint Gathering w/SFCCL	March 16	PCL Police and Fire Awards Dinner
November 27	San Carlos	April 23	Half Moon Bay
December	No Gathering	May 28-30	Joint Gathering with SFCCL
January 22	Burlingame	June 25	BASO
February 26	San Mateo		

Police & Fire Awards Dinner replaces March meeting*

PCL Past Presidents

2016-2017	John Gill , San Mateo LC	2000-2001	Al Russell , San Carlos LC
2015-2016	Scot Marsters , San Carlos LC	1999-2000	Bette Gould , Half Moon Bay LC
2014-2015	Christine Cheshire , RWC Sunrise LC	1998-1999	Tony Montes , Millbrae LC
2013-2014	Ora Seyler , SSF Golden Gate LC	1997-1998	Bill Hickok , RWC Sunrise LC
2012-2013	Paul Larson , Millbrae LC	1996-1997	Laura Warner , Menlo Park Live Oak LC
2011-2012	Mario Benavente , San Bruno LC	1995-1996	John LaDuca , Millbrae LC
2010-2011	Rudy Pedagat , SSF Golden Gate LC	1994-1995	Steve Picchi , Half Moon Bay LC
2009-2010	Toni Nava , Burlingame LC	1990-1991	Paul Cademartori , San Carlos LC
2007-2008	Bob Wilson , Brisbane LC	1988-1989	Pat Battaglia , RWC Sunrise LC
2006-2007	Al Hernandez , RWC Sunrise LC	1987-1988	Jim Mona , Pacifica LC
2005-2006	Jack Van Etten , Burlingame LC	1985-1986	Jim Stanaway , Millbrae LC
2003-2004	Al Thomas , Palo Alto Host LC	1978-1979	Rich Picchi , Half Moon Bay LC
2001-2002	Bill Robertson , Atherton LC	1976-1977	Chuck Gillingham , Pacifica LC

President's Project:

Each of our Lions clubs is a piece of a large puzzle. We are asking you as club Presidents to work with your members to find out how they think their club shows its heart to the community. Then cover your puzzle piece in photos or in words to represent the way your club shows its heart. The most important thing is that you want to bring these pieces to the February Gathering so the puzzle can be put together and we can see the ways the clubs of the Peninsula Council show their Lions hearts. The clubs that picked up their pieces will see that there is a number written on the piece that is the back of the piece. If you have any other questions please contact Lion Maryah Tucker by phone (650)576-9909 or by e-mail at MaryahLTucker@gmail.com.

Know Your 2017-2018 PCL Officers



Photographer Alison Wilson, Secretary Rich Picchi, Treasurer Nick Marinaro, Immediate Past President John Gill, President Maryah Tucker, 1st VP Erik Winkler, 2nd VP Bill Fowler and Photographer Paul Larson.

Know Your 2017-2018 District Leaders



District Governor
Mario Benavente
San Bruno Lions Club
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1st Vice District Governor
Lydia Taylor Bellinger
SF Merced Heights Lions Club
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2nd Vice District Governor
Helen Casaclang
SSF Golden Gate Lions Club
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See you in Burlingame on Monday January 22!

Know Your 2017-2018 PCL Clubs and Presidents

Bay Area Special Olympics LC
 President **Victoria Sciacqua**
 2nd Wednesday 6:30 pm

Belmont LC
 President **Christine Beard**
 1st Tuesday 12 noon

Brisbane LC
 President **Sharon Boggs**
 1st, 2nd, 4th Tues 7:30 pm

Burlingame LC
 President **Kwang Park**
 1st & 3rd Thurs 12:10 pm,
 5th Thurs 6:30

Daly City Host LC
 President **Don Fleming**
 1st & 3rd Wed. 12:10 pm

Foster City LC
 President **Patrick Sullivan**
 2nd & 4th Tuesday 7:30 pm

Half Moon Bay LC
 President **Suzanne Mau**
 1st & 3rd Monday 7:15 pm

Menlo Park Live Oak LC
 President **Margaret Carney**
 2nd & 4th Monday 11:45 am
 1st & 3rd Wednesday 7:15 pm

Millbrae LC
 President **David Vanwart**
 1st & 3rd Wednesday 7:30 pm

Pacifica LC
 President **Susan Beckmeyer**
 2nd Monday 7:30 pm

Palo Alto LC
 President **Bernard Director**
 1st, 2nd & 3rd Tuesday 12 pm

Peninsula Special Interest LC
 President **Ramesh Azariah**
 1st & 3rd Monday 7 pm

Peninsula Veterans LC
 President **Tamera Guess**
 1st Thurs & 3rd Tues 6:30 pm

Redwood City Downtown LC
 President **Christine Cheshire**
 2nd and 4th Wednesdays 11:45 am

Redwood City Sunrise LC
 President **William Jackson, Jr.**
 Wednesdays 7:15 am

Redwood Shores LC
 President **Norma Villa**
 1st Tuesday 6:30 pm

San Bruno LC
 President **Peter Carey**
 1st & 3rd Tuesday 7 pm

San Carlos LC
 President **Kent Yunk**
 2nd & 4th Thursday 6 pm

San Mateo LC
 President **Ray Mahaffay**
 2nd Thursday 7 pm

SMC First Responders LC
 President **James Papas**
 1st Wed & 3rd Thurs 6:30 pm

San Mateo Metropolitan LC
 President **Cindy Zheng**
 2nd Thursday 7 pm

Silicon Valley LC
 President **Asia Kan**
 3rd Wednesdays 7 pm

Silicon Valley Cyber LC
 President **Mary Koo**
 2nd Thursday 7 pm

SSF Golden Gate LC
 President **Faye Pobre**
 2nd & 4th Tuesday 7:30 pm

South San Francisco Host LC
 President **Luis Alvarenga**
 1st Tuesday of Sept, Dec, Mar and
 June at 6:00 pm

Lions Ethics

TO SHOW my faith in the worthiness of 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 of profit for 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 others. To be loyal to my clients or customers and true to myself.

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

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

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

TO AID my fellow man 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.

Lions Objectives

TO CREATE and foster a spirit of "GENEROUS CONSIDERATION" among the peoples of the world through a study of the problems of international relationship.

TO PROMOTE the theory and practice of the principles of good government and good citizenship.

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

TO UNITE the members in the bonds of friendship and mutual understanding.

TO PROVIDE a forum for the full and free discussion of all matters of public interest, partisan politics and sectarian religion alone excepted.

TO ENCOURAGE efficacy and promote high ethical standards and professions: provided that no club shall hold out as one of its objects financial benefits to its members

Event flyers and announcements are available on the District Thread which is emailed out each Sunday evening. If you do not receive the Thread, please send an email to LIONS4SERVICE@GMAIL.COM