

PCL Bulletin

Peninsula Council of Lions Clubs
District 4-C4 October 8, 2017



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Next Gathering: **Wednesday, October 25th**

Joint Meeting with the SF Coordinating Council

Basque Cultural Center

599 Railroad Ave, South San Francisco, CA 94080

6:00 PM cocktails, 7:00 PM dinner

PCL President's Message

WOW! I cannot believe it is already October. I would like to thank Millbrae for hosting the first gathering of the year, and thank you for all that came. Our Heart giving raised \$150 for LCIF, our next giving opportunity will be in November with the San Carlos Lions. I wonder if we could beat our September number. I look forward to seeing all of you in October at our joint gathering, October 25 at the Basque Cultural Center. Please makes sure you RSVP with your club name and meal choice.

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!

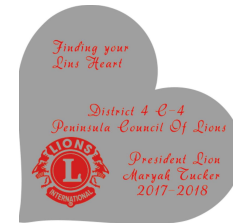
Bay Area Special Olympics: We are excited to welcome Jane Simonini as a BASO Lion. Looking forward to our Halloween party on October 11 at 6:30 where we will be collecting new Halloween costumes for Children's Hospital also putting together goody bags and decorations so the children can have a hallowing party of their own. BASO is also looking forward to our annual November meeting with the Peninsula Veterans Lions on November 8 at 6:30. Where we will have our first Thanksgiving feast of the month and talk about joint projects.

Daly City Host: Daly City Host Lions will continue to do vision screening to children in Daly City with a goal of 1,500 in October/November. We will also be providing lunch for the 10/28/17 Make A Difference Day Volunteers.

Half Moon Bay: Will be providing hamburgers, corn-on-the-cob and sodas to the crowd at the annual Pumpkin Festival on October 14 & 15.

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Club Presidents Reports, Continued

Millbrae: Planning to celebrate our 80th year as a club! Our theme for this year is for our members to go out and do the sweat equity and just not write the check! So far the club has been following through. In September we were out serving beer at the Art and Wine Festival and cooking at Spring Valley Schools annual fund raiser. October will also be busy with our first of two crab feeds and one of our signature events - The Monster March for the youth near Halloween.

Peninsula Special Interest: The Veterans Stand Down was postponed because our medical buses, medical supplies, medical personnel and dental buses were not going to be available to us. Our generators that we needed to keep medical supplies and food cold were not available. The committee is trying for the weekend of December 7 – 9. Further questions can be sent to Lion Eleanor.

Redwood City Downtown: Will be hosting a pastry and coffee sale at the Portfest on October 7, hosting the annual Veterans Day Celebration Service Project at Courthouse Square on November 11 and will host a Magical Bridge Masquerade fundraising dinner on November 18.

San Mateo: October 7, Partnering with Walgreens to do a flu shots at the Mid-Peninsula Boys and Girls Club. On October 13 We will be participating in the Lions Veterans Charities USO Night Dinner at the Foster City Rec Center.

San Mateo County 1st Responders: 2nd Annual Murder Mystery, February 10, 2018 at St Dunston's Church

Silicon Valley Cyber: Currently we are working on getting 2 Corporate Sponsorships to support Lions of Life Campaign to save children dying of diarrhea, and also the project of building a medical clinic in Nepal. This Corporation is either donate monies or their medical devices. We are going to Guangzhou, China in November working on twinning club with Guangzhou Lions Club. We donated \$1,000 to LCIF for the Hurricane Relief Fund.

South San Francisco Golden Gate: Our Club participated the D4C4 Health Fair every weekend in 13 Locations which started September 10 to October 29, 2017. We are going to have a Casino Trip on November 11 to Thunder Valley Casino. 2nd batch of donated Infant Formula and milk will be sent to orphanages in the Philippines. Our Christmas Caroling project will start practicing next month.

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 Hickock , 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



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Faces in the Crowd



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 7:30 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