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THE NIKKEI LIONS CLUB OF SAN FRANCISCO - DISTRICT 4-C4

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HAPPY NEW YEAR!!

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January 2, 2019	NO BOARD MEETING OR GENERAL MEETING due to the 2019 New Year Holiday
February 2, 2019	District 4-C4 Cabinet Meeting @ Mission Blue Center, 475 Mission Blue Drive, Brisbane, 8:30 am, \$20 per person if before January 28th. Make check payable to District 4-C4 and send to Lion Rich Picchi, PO Box 1987, El Granada, 94018
February 6, 2019	Board Meeting, 6:30 pm @ Mifune Bistro, San Francisco. Fundraising Committee will meet right after the adjournment of the Board meeting.
February 13, 2019	Student Speaker Contest @ National Japanese American Historical Society, 1684 Post St, San Francisco Japantown, 6:00 pm. Topic this year is "Freedom of the Press: What does It Mean".
March 6, 2019	Board/General Meeting, 6:30 pm @ Mifune Bistro, SAn Francisco

HAMILTON FAMILIES TRANSITIONAL HOUSING FOR SINGLE PARENT HOMELESS FAMILIES Lion Bill delivered all the supplies that had been collected through membership donation to the Hamilton Families location in the Tenderloin District on December 12th. Lion Bill delivered disposable diapers of sizes 2,3,4,5; baby wipes; baby drinking cups; baby blankets; children underwear; infant "onesies"; children socks; baby hoodie towels; baby shampoo. The total donation of supplies was \$301.60 according to Lion Bill. Thanks so much to all and especially Lion Bill for all you have done for our club on our support of the Hamilton Families.

NCCBF QUEEN PROGRAM SPONSORSHIP: Since we do not have a fundraiser to support our sponsorship in the NCCBF Queen Program, we are asking all members to find donations in any amount to raise the necessary funds for this year. This is an unusual request so thank you very much for your cooperation.

THE HEARING FOUNDATION - EAR OF THE LION: We will be the official Lions Club sponsor for two individuals who are residents of San Francisco to receive hearing aids from The Hearing Foundation. Both have been vetted by the Foundation and meet all requirements to be recipients of the free service. The two individuals are Lowell Murphy and Jean Picot.

2019 NCCBF SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM: The Nikkei Lions Club has handled the scholarship program for the NCCBF the past 20+ years. We award two \$2500 scholarships with funds provided by a NCCBF Trust Fund. Applications will go out January 5th to all high schools with a due date of March 16th.