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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Dear Millbrae Lions, Friends and Family,

The end of the tunnel is in sight. Vaccines are being rolled out. Everyone is encouraged to sign up for notifications at the San Mateo County website at <https://www.smchealth.org/covid-19-vaccination>. Visit the site to get updates, notifications to when you are eligible for vaccinations, and sign up for vaccinations.

Some people flew to Los Angeles to get vaccinated, but of course, they will have to return for the second dose. The first dose only protects you up to 50% and that takes a few weeks. Even if you are fully vaccinated, it does not mean you cannot infect others. In fact, if we all want to resume our lives shopping and eating outside of our homes without restrictions, we all need to pull together and continue to wear masks until the

government has announced there is enough people vaccinated that we can resume some activities.

Although, if all citizens of the US are vaccinated, other mutated strains from out of the country can negate the effectiveness of the current vaccination. So hopefully, enough people in the World get vaccinated.

On the Millbrae Lions front, the board has decided to donate our stockpile of masks to the Samaritan House and Second Harvest. Samaritan House temporary houses the homeless and displaced people. Thank you to Lady Carol Meyer for assisting MLC with their donation. Thank you to Lion Oscar Loza for arranging the donation to Second Harvest. Second Harvest provides food to those without food. Second Harvest output almost quadruple to meet the need.

On February 21, 2021, the past presidents will gather (on-line) to plan for the next term's board. Lion Gary Pellegrini will likely be chosen to become the next president of the Millbrae Lions Club. If you are interested in serving on the board and help decide the direction of the club, please consider joining the Board of Directors. Meetings are every 2nd Wednesday at 7 PM and dinner is provided, provided the board physically meets.

Next General Meeting
February 3, 2021
7:00pm
Zoom Meeting

General Meetings
1st & 3rd Wednesdays,
7:00pm
Zoom meetings

Board Meetings
2nd Wednesdays,
7:00pm
Zoom meeting



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE CONTINUED

The Student Speaker Contest occurs on Wednesday, February 17th. Please wear a coat. Ties are optional. We want to give the students a good impression. Looks like we have at least six contestants. The deadline to apply is February 12th. Applications are available at the following link: <https://md4lions.org/files/documents/603ff30c-706d-4e6e-b655-146c9e4498b8.pdf>

Applications are to be submitted to millbraelions@gmail.com

Lion 2VP Steve Henderson hosted a joint meeting with the Mills High School Parent Teacher's Organization (PTO), Karen Buttucchi, and the Millbrae Education Foundation President, Joy Henry, to discuss their needs and asks. They provided a brief overview of their fundraising efforts. They plan on doing online auctions in February. If you would like to participate by donating or donating prizes, please contact them

<https://www.millshspto.org/> and <https://www.millbraekids.org/contact>

Thank you to Lion 1VP Bill Meyer, Lion 2VP Steve Henderson, Lion Ed Musa, Lion Treasurer PP Calvin Chin, and Lion Bulletin Editor Betsy Jacob for taking the time to attend the meeting.

The Millbrae Lions are planning our annual Mover's and Shakers Online auction for the last Saturday in April 2021. If you have a prize to auction off, please contact Lion BE Betsy Jacob.

Please consider donating some of your quarterly dues to the Millbrae Lions project account. All proceeds go to the community. If you take pride with the impact on the community, this will be a gratifying contribution. Just send your check to our mailing address or in the envelope sent to you.

**In Lionism,
Lion President Wayne**



Millbrae Lions Club: Meeting Agenda: February 3, 2021

MILLBRAE LIONS CLUB

Meeting Agenda

February 3, 2021

*Zoom login information bottom of agenda**

Call to Order – 7:00 PM

Pledge of Allegiance

Song –

Invocation – Lion PP Rich Bortolin

Introduction of Visiting Lions and Guest – Lion 1st Vice President Bill Meyer

Membership Conversation

Virtual Dinner

Presentations – None

Reports

- On-Line Auction
- Student Speakers Contest
- Lunar New Year

Upcoming Events/Projects – List of activities/events at www.millbraelions.club

- General Meeting (February 17) Student Speaker Contest. Please wear a coat. Ties optional.
- Board Meeting (February 10)

Tail Twister – Lion PP John Muniz Postponed

*ZOOM Login Information

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3403489745?pwd=R2FkdIMxSmpiRkduYzJtTIIGQ1I5QT09> (copy and paste)

Meeting ID: 3403489745

Password: 193801

Call In #: 669-900-6833

Phone options

*6 mute/unmute

*9 raise hand to speak



MILLBRAE LIONS: NOTES FROM LATEST MLC MEETINGS

Notes from Millbrae Lions Meetings (updates in bold)

- **NEXT GENERAL MEETING: February 3, 2021, 7pm**
- **NEX BOD MEETING: February 10, 2021, 7pm**
- **Completed Projects:**
 - Family Assistance & Toy Drive Programs – Lion IPP Rob DuCote & Lion Anthony Caccia
 - MLC Veterans Day Event on 11/11/20
 - Halloween Candy Distribution on 10/31 at Millbrae Public Library (Co-Chair: Lion Gina Papan)
 - Millbrae Goes to the Drive-In (August 14 & Sept 25 & Oct 31st) Project (Co-Chairs: Lion BE Betsy Jacob & Lion IPP Rob Ducote)
 - To date: Raised ~\$ from snack pack sales and donations
 - Millbrae Lions Masks have arrived! – Masks were distributed to members during the weekend of October 10th Please contact Lion President Wayne if you have not received your masks.
 - MSD Students Kits Project (Co-Chairs: Lion Steve Henderson & Lion Kevin O'Neil)
 - On 10/7/21 General meeting, we had special guest Millbrae School Superintendent Mrs. Debra French who thanked Millbrae Lions Club for the 700 School kits.
 - Relay for Life (Virtual Event on September 26, 2020) (Co-Chair: Lion Bill Meyer & Lions Oscar Loza)
 - MLC committed \$3,000 to Self Help for the Elderly, to support their mission to support the elderly in Millbrae with meals and social support.
- **Upcoming Projects:**
 - Online Auction: **UPDATE: Date moved from 3/3/21 to 4/24/21 (Lion Betsy)**
 - Drive by crab feed (Led by Ron Frediani) – **CANCELLED**
- **Other/Ongoing Projects:**
 - Lions Youth Protection Program (Lion Pres. Wayne Lee)
 - Peace Poster Contest - Lion PP Paul Larson - Winning Peace Poster student, Zachary Yui from Taylor Middle School



MILLBRAE LIONS CLUB: MEETING WITH MEF & MILLS HIGH SCHOOL PTO

By PP Lion Calvin Chin

On January 29th, Lion President Wayne Lee and several Millbrae Lions met with the Presidents from both the amazing Millbrae Education Foundation (MEF) - Joy Henry and Mills High School PTO Karen Bettucchi (all part of the Movers and Shakers of Millbrae Community Family).

Facilitated by Lion 2nd VP Steve Henderson, our meeting objectives:

- 1.) Understand the current needs from our important Millbrae Schools "Eco-System" (close to 4,000 students from our MESD and Mills High community) and their respective fundraising events to address current gaps, especially during this difficult COVID environment.
- 2.) Share/collaborate how each of our upcoming fundraising events may help address our school communities needs.

Later this year, the Millbrae Lions will announce our fundraising event, but now it's more important to support the upcoming MEF and Mills High School events (click on the links below to learn more about these terrific 100% parent volunteer organizations about their impact to the Millbrae Schools Community):

1.) MEF's FUND THE FUTURE FUNDRAISER - February 22-27 2021

<https://www.millbraekids.org/fundthefuture>

2.) MILLS ANNUAL FUND 2020 <https://millsannualfund.dojiggy.io/millsannualfund>

Many of the Millbrae Lions in attendance are both MESD and Mills Parents Alumni; 3 were involved with the founding of MEF in 2007.

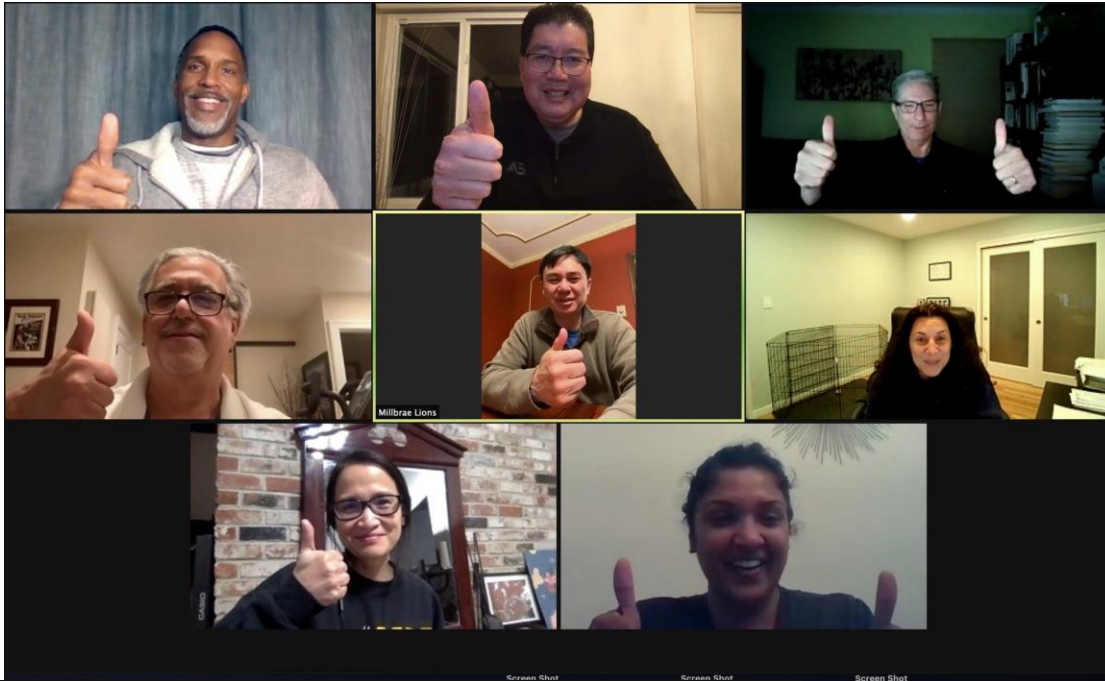
We are so impressed and proud how the new generations of parent volunteers (like Joy and Karen...plus many others, too many to mention) have elevated their collaborative efforts to truly ensure our Millbrae Students (close to 4,000) have the best possible school experience in the Millbrae Schools Eco-system (MESD and Mills). Like the Millbrae Lions, they know how to have FUN!

The Millbrae Lions Club continues to be a proud sponsor to our fellow Movers and Shakers of Millbrae.

Please join us in supporting MEF and Mills fundraising events!



MILLBRAE LIONS: PHOTO FROM MEETING ON JANUARY 29, 2021



Why the MEF needs your support now more than ever

Due to the **uncertainty** of local and state funding, AND the **inability to host our signature event** in February, we need to emphasize the need for donations in order to **KEEP** existing programs.



School year 2020-2021 Goal: \$650,000
These funds will help the District maintain existing programs and keep staffing level.

Donations last school year WITH the Gala: (Families and Sponsors): \$565,000

Donations to date: \$204,515+

District Programs/Roles that depend on MEF dollars:
SEL Counselors (all elementary schools), technology instruction, & Elementary Music



Mills Annual Fund 2020

DONATE STUDENT REGISTRATION

\$37,060 RAISED

37% raised of \$100,000 goal



CAMPAIGN

UPDATES (1)

DONATIONS (108)

CLASSES (44)

Weathering The Pandemic Together

Welcome to the Mills Annual Fund - ONLINE! We have moved our fundraising campaign, "Weathering the Pandemic Together," to an online platform to make giving even easier! With a simple student registration process, you make your gift and we give credit (and prizes) to your student! You and your student can also reach out to family and friends for additional donations -- every donation makes a difference! Our student gifts and prizes are listed below, and you can check out our *Updates* page to see our growing list for raffle prizes!

What is the Mills Annual Fund?

As many of you know, the school district's annual operating budget allocation for Mills doesn't fully cover the costs of all that Mills needs each year. The Mills Annual Fund was created to bridge that funding gap to ensure that we do all we can to support our kids' learning experience. The Annual Fund supports a wide variety of school needs including Chromebooks, scientific calculators, science lab materials, teacher education, student counseling and clubs, just to name a few.

Donations Will Benefit

Mills Annual Fund

Details

No goods or services were provided by the organization in return for the contribution. Viking Parent Group (parent organization of Mills PTO & Mills Annual Fund) is a 501(c)(3) organization. All donations are tax deductible and employer-match eligible. Tax ID #94-2353182.



SUPPORT MEF: UPCOMING EVENTS

To donate or for more information, visit

https://www.millbraekids.org/home?fbclid=IwAR30hGwz91ta_JzLSSaNoFlw3jeDbSy0E7i-Rur8LNvfFuU7riHJyMg3nSw



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**SUNDAY
JAN. 31
4-8 P.M.**

**SAVE
THE
DATE**

SUPPORT



**THE 2021
FUND THE FUTURE
FUNDRAISER**

Benefiting Millbrae School District Schools
Silent Auction: February 22-27
Main Fundraiser: February 27 6 p.m. start time

hosted by the Millbrae Education Foundation
#MillbraeTogether 



SUPPORT MILLS ANNUAL FUND

To donate or for more information, visit

https://millsannualfund.dojiggy.io/millsannualfund?fbclid=IwAR1ia1scPLzjQSom4TT5JCq1oNT91wzcy_13RXPekSom-yWq_Yd1Am1zdUI

Mills Annual Fund 2020

DONATE

STUDENT REGISTRATION

\$37,310 RAISED

37% raised of \$100,000 goal



27
days

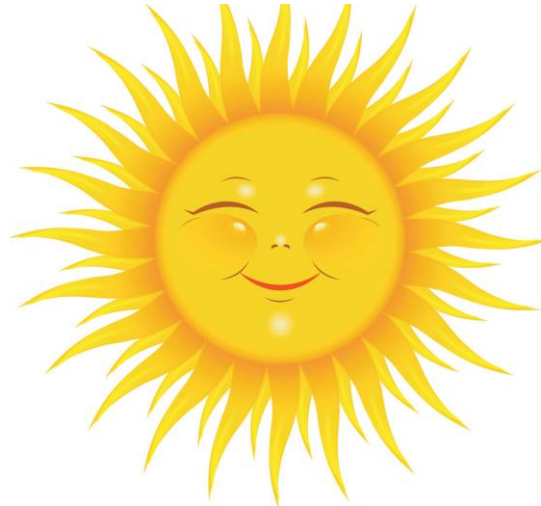
23
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49
mins

19
secs



SUNSHINE REPORT



I sent a flower and a card to Lion Bob Bourque who was recently hospitalized.

Sent a card to Lady Rosemarie Morando who is recovering from the Shingles,

Sent a card to PP Lion Dan Quigg who had eye surgery on Monday.
1/25/2021.



We Serve

A Word from the Sunshine Chairperson

If you know of a Millbrae Lion or Spouse who is ill or has passed, please contact Lion PP John Muniz so I can send a card & flowers.

Also, share some good news
650 455-3473 or jfmflash600@gmail.com

Thank You, Lion John



YOUTH WEEK UPDATE

Greetings Millbrae Lions,

After careful consideration and brainstorming between myself and Lion Steve Luzaich, along with being on the same page with Lion President Wayne Lee, we came to the following conclusion: Due to the local circumstances with regard to COVID-19 our best course of action would be to cancel our "Youth Week" activities for 2021. Last year at this time we were busy making preparations and planning for "Youth Week" which has been a Millbrae Lions Club tradition since 1961. ("Youth Week" consists of various projects including the "Student Essay Contest", the "Educator of the Year Award", "Youth in Government", the "Youth Week Newspaper" and our annual "Youth Week Awards Dinner" in April). In January 2020 we had no idea that the oncoming pandemic would not only be around a year later, but would be escalating. We ended up canceling "Youth Week" 2020. With a vaccine in sight hopefully we will have "Youth Week" again in 2022.

Take care and stay safe, from Lion PP Paul Larson.



2019 Winners: Millbrae Lions Club Youth Week "Student Essay Contest" and "Educator of the Year Award"



MILLBRAE LIONS CLUB FUN CORNER

Trivia

Who was the first Millbrae Lions Club President?

Lions Club Trivia - Answer from Issue #13

Which 2 current MLC members are parent founders of the Millbrae Education Foundation (MEF)?

Answer: Lion President Wayne Lee & Lion PP Calvin Chin

Lion Laughs

Provided By Lion Ken Fowler

THE PERKS OF BEING OVER 50..

- 1. Kidnappers are not very interested in you.**
- 2. In a hostage situation you are likely to be released first.**
- 3. No one expects you to run into a burning building.**
- 4. People call at 9 PM and ask, "Did I wake you?"**
- 5. People no longer view you as a hypochondriac.**
- 6. There is nothing left to learn the hard way.**
- 7. Things you buy now won't wear out.**
- 8. You can eat dinner at 4 P.M.**
- 9. You can live without sex but not without glasses.**
- 10. You enjoy hearing about other people's operations.**
- 11. You get into heated arguments about pension plans.**
- 12. You have a party and the neighbors don't even realize it.**
- 13. You no longer think of speed limits as a challenge.**
- 14. You quit trying to hold your stomach in, no matter who walks into the room.**
- 15. You sing along with elevator music.**
- 16. Your eyes won't get much worse.**
- 17. Your investment in health insurance is finally beginning to pay off.**
- 18. Your joints are more accurate meteorologists than the national weather service.**
- 19. Your secrets are safe with your friends because they can't remember them either.**
- 20. Your supply of brain cells is finally down to manageable size.**



MILLBRAE LION SPOTLIGHT



Millbrae Lion Name: John Muniz

MLC Member Since: 2001

MLC Positions Held: Past President, Tail Twister, Sunshine Chairman, Leos Advisor for 13 years

Awards/Recognitions/Positions: Lion of the Year (2003), Melvin Jones, Lifetime member of Lion Eye Foundation, President of the Millbrae Historical Society, Trustee at the Italian American Social Club, Board of the Millbrae Cultural Committee, Sister City Commissioner, Italian Catholic Federation at St. Dunstan, Mayors Civic Coordinating Council for the Millbrae Man & Woman of the Year

Birthday: August 3rd

Birthplace: Ross, CA

Hobbies: Photography, Taking care of Patty

Why did you become a Lion: Encouraged by his sponsor

Sponsor: Kevin Woolen

Interesting Facts: Half Italian and Half Puerto Rican; 2nd cousin to John La Duca



MILLBRAE LIONS CLUB CALENDAR

NO CLUB VISITATIONS PLANNED

JULY 2020:

- 8 Board of Directors Meeting
- 15 General Meeting (Zoom)

AUGUST 2020:

- 5 General Meeting
- 12 Board of Directors Meeting
- 14 Millbrae Goes to The Drive-In
- 19 General Meeting (Zoom)

SEPTEMBER 2020:

- 2 General Meeting (Zoom)
- 9 Board of Directors Meeting (Zoom)
- 16 General Meeting / Scout Night(Zoom)
- 25 Millbrae Goes to The Drive-In
- 26 [Relay for Life \(Virtual Event\)](#)

OCTOBER 2020:

- 7 General Meeting / Baseball Night (Zoom)
- 14 Board of Directors Meeting (Zoom)
- 21 General Meeting (Zoom)
- 31 Millbrae Goes to The Drive-In
- 31 Halloween Candy Distribution at the Millbrae Library, 3-5pm
- TBA Backpack Donations
- TBA Lion's Family Picnic

NOVEMBER 2020:

- 4 General Meeting
- 11 Board of Directors Meeting

DECEMBER 2020:

- 2 General Meeting / Leo's Night - **4C4 District Governor Fanny Chu Visit**
- 4 Millbrae Goes to the Drive-In Holiday Movie
- 7 Holiday Gifts
- 9 Board of Directors Meeting
- TBA Dress for Success

JANUARY 2021:

- 6 General Meeting
- 13 Board of Directors Meeting
- 20 General Meeting

FEBRUARY 2021:

- 3 General / Student Speaker Meeting
- 6 Crab Cioppino at St. Dunstan Parish -

CANCELLED

- 10 Board of Directors Meeting
- 14 Millbrae Lunar Festival
- 17 General meeting / Student Speaker
- 20 BOD Nomination Breakfast

MARCH 2021:

- 3 General Meeting
- 10 Board of Directors Meeting
- 17 St. Patrick's Dinner Meeting at St Dunstan Parish
- 20 Millbrae Lions Baseball Season Opening Day – At Taylor

APRIL 2021:

- 7 General Meeting
- 14 Board of Directors Meeting
- 21 General Meeting - Youth Week
- 24 MLC Movers and Shakers Online Auction **NEW**
- TBA Car Rally

MAY 2021:

- 5 General Meeting
- 12 Board of Directors Meeting
- 19 General / Past President's Meeting
- TBA Taylor Middle School Graduation Picnic

JUNE 2021:

- 2 General / Project Recognition Meeting
- 5 Millbrae Lions Baseball Pancake Breakfast – At St. Dunstan Parish Center
- 9 Board of Directors Meeting
- TBA Board of Directors Installation



MILLBRAE LIONS CLUB CALENDAR

TBD / POSTPONED EVENTS:

- Millbrae Lions BBQ at Baseball Tournament Taylor

CANCELLED EVENTS:

- Crab Feed
- MLC Holiday Party
- [Millbrae Machines](#)
- Calcutta Night
- [Millbrae Lion's 2nd Annual Charity Golf Tournament](#)
- [Millbrae Art & Wine Festival](#)

February Birthdays:

February 3rd – Lion Gordon Dito
February 8th – Lion Ron Pape
February 11th – Lady Carol Meyer
February 19th – Lion Jeff Spicker
February 20th – Lion Tony Montes

February Anniversaries:

February 2, 2002 – Lion Mike & Angela Mullins
February 15th - Lion Ron & Lois Pape
February 28, 1976 – Lion Tom & Mary Ann Enberg

If you are a Millbrae Lion and would like to share your and/or your significant other birthday/wedding anniversary, please email BetsyTheRealtor@gmail.com or call 650-315-7060. Thank you!



MLC PROJECT UPDATES: ONLINE AUCTION

Online



April 24, 2021, 5:30-7:30pm

CALLING FOR PRIZE DONATIONS FOR MLC 1st ONLINE AUCTION*
UPDATE: DATE CHANGE FROM MARCH 3rd to APRIL 24th

A BIG THANKS TO PRIZES DONATED SO FAR!

- Weekend at Kingswood Village in North Lake Tahoe by Lion Bill Meyer
- Foursome at Green Hills Country Club by Lion Ed Musa
- 50 used golf balls by Lion Ken Fowler

*If you or anyone you know would like to donate an item to be auctioned off, please contact Lion Betsy at 650-315-7060 or BetsyTheRealtor@gmail.com

Stay tuned for more details!



CITY OF MILLBRAE ANNOUNCEMENTS/UPDATES

1. Cross Country Elementary is sold out with a waitlist, and Middle School has 3 spots left.
2. AARP Tax help has 50 sign-ups.
3. Spring Break Camp is open for registration.
4. First virtual bingo will be on February 11 at 6:30 pm. Registration on our website is live and it's an activity for the entire family!
5. We will be doing a "Valentine's Cookie Mix and Craft pack pick up". Buy the pack on our website at bit.ly/milrec and drive by to pick up a bag of fun activities to do at home. Registration is live and the pick-up date is February 8, 2020.
6. There will be the second Senior Stories event on Tuesday, February 2nd at 10 am.
7. Online e-sports tournament scheduled for 2/18-2/19. We are still looking for registrants!
8. You still have time to find Millie! There are 2 options:
 1. Visit one of Millbrae's parks and you may find a photo of Millie! Hint: Try a bench, a fence or a picnic table. Take a selfie with Millie's photo in at least 9 locations to receive a free Millbrae Recreation button in the mail! Simply email your pictures to recreation@ci.millbrae.ca.us.
 2. Millie can still help you explore Millbrae Parks! Millie visited the Millbrae Parks! But can you tell which park is which? Take our quiz to find out! If you get all the answers correct, you will receive a Millbrae Recreation Button in the mail. Just visit bit.ly/findmillie to take the quiz.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

The poster is set against a vibrant red background with traditional Chinese New Year motifs. At the top center is the Millbrae Cultural Committee (MCC) logo, a circular emblem with a floral design and the text 'MILLBRAE CULTURAL COMMITTEE' and 'MCC'. Below the logo, the text reads: 'MILLBRAE CULTURAL COMMITTEE PRESENTS LUNAR NEW YEAR VIRTUAL CELEBRATION 10:30 AM ON 2/13/2021 VIEW LIVE ON CABLE CHANNEL 27 COMCAST 27 / AT&T 99 MCTV.TV KUNG HEI FAT CHOY 恭喜發財 牛運亨通'. At the bottom center is a cartoon illustration of a smiling ox, the zodiac sign for the year, sitting on a pile of gold coins. The entire poster is framed by decorative elements including red lanterns, white and pink blossoms, and traditional Chinese patterns.



DISTRICIT 4-C4 CLUB CALENDAR

FEBRUARY 2021:

- 6 [District 4-C4 3rd Cabinet Meeting](#)
- 7 Save the date: San Francisco Chinatown Lions Club Miss Teen Chinatown Scholarship and Charity Gala **POSTPONED**
- 20 [Foster City Bair Island Cyber Lions Club Drive Thru BBQ](#) **NEW**
- 22 Save the date: District 4-C4 Peninsula Council of Lions Club Meeting
- 24 Save the date: San Francisco Coordinating Council of Lions Club Virtual Meeting
- 26 Save the date: Daly City Host Lions Club 80th Anniversary Virtual Event
- 27 [Multiple District 4 Leadership Institute](#)
- 27 [Foster City Lions Club 21st Annual Crab Dinner – Drive Thru](#) **NEW**

MARCH 2021:

- 7 Save the Date: District 4-C4 Region 3 Student Speaker Contest
- 13 [Multiple District 4 Lions Leadership Summit](#) **NEW**
- 13 [Burlingame Lions Club Drive Thru Corned Beef & Cabbage Dinner](#) **NEW**
- 24 Save the date: San Francisco Coordinating Council of Lions Club Virtual Meeting
- 27 [District 4-C4 Eyeglass & Hearing Aid Collection](#) **NEW**
- 27 Save the date: Bay Area Global Outreach Lions Club Pre-Easter Drive Thru International Dinner **NEW**
- 27 [Multiple District 4 Leadership Institute](#)

APRIL 2021:

- 10 Save the Date: Cancel Out Parkinson's Walk
- 10 Save the date: Bay Area Global Outreach Lions Club Charter Event **NEW DATE**
- 24 [Multiple District 4 Leadership Institute](#)
- 26 Save the date: District 4-C4 Peninsula Council of Lions Club Meeting
- 28 Save the date: San Francisco Coordinating Council of Lions Club Virtual Meeting

MAY 2021:

- 12 -16 Save the Date: District 4-C4 Convention, Redding
- 24 Save the date: District 4-C4 Peninsula Council of Lions Club Meeting
- 26 Save the date: San Francisco Coordinating Council of Lions Club Virtual Meeting

JUNE 2021:

- 12 Save the date: Bay Area Global Outreach Lions Club Drive Thru Filipino Breakfast **NEW**
- 23 Save the date: San Francisco Coordinating Council of Lions Club Virtual Meeting
- 25-29 [Lions Clubs International Convention, Montreal](#) **NEW**
- 28 Save the date: District 4-C4 Peninsula Council of Lions Club Meeting

AUGUST 2021

- 14 Save the date: Bay Area Global Outreach Lions Club Drive Thru Summer Dinner **NEW**

SEPTEMBER 2021

- 9-11 Save the date: USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum

ONGOING EVENTS

- **CALIFORNIA LIONS PROJECT CARE: HUNGER**

[Click here](#) for details on statewide Food Drive during February 2021

- **DIABETES AWARENESS & ACTION COMMITTEE**

- [District 4-C4 Diabetes Support Group](#)



MILLBRAE LIONS CLUB PRESIDENT'S GOALS/VISION

2020-21 Wayne Lee

- Strengthen relationships with community partners.
 - Schools
 - Community Organizations
 - Private/Public Benefit Organizations (St Dunstan and other faith based organizations)
 - Youth Organizations
 - City of Millbrae
 - Safety Services
- Strengthen Club Membership programs/involvement
 - Build upon spouse involvement/programs (All Hands-on Deck)
 - Grow on past initiatives to grow membership
 - 100% participation (meetings/projects/activities)
 - Grow program to train new project chairs on an on-going basis to ensure a high-quality product
- Initiate programs for the elderly
- Grow Youth Programs (Leos/Youth Week)
 - Build STEAM program (high school/middle school)

2019-20 | Rob DuCote:

- Continue to actively recruit community members into the Millbrae Lions Club, ensuring effective and robust relations across our diverse Millbrae community.
- Continue to form strategic partnerships with key civic and social groups, resulting in greater collaboration and leveraging of each organization's unique capabilities.
- Identify and incorporate new project management "best practices" to optimize delivery and impact of projects and Club operations
- Create and maintain the delivery of high quality, impactful projects to the Millbrae community through effective management.
- Year over year, provide opportunities for MLC members and spouses/significant others to have FUN while growing and nurturing friendship and camaraderie

2018-19 | Bart Speccia:

- Empower Millbrae Lions Club members to serve the community through our many projects. Encourage all to be active, reinforcing traditional Lions projects while finding new ways to broaden and deepen the impact that our club has in Millbrae, and beyond.



LIONS CODE OF ETHICS / OBJECTIVES

LIONS 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.

LIONS OBJECTIVES:

- To CREATE and foster a spirit of understanding among the peoples of the world.
- To UNITE the clubs in the bonds of friendship, good fellowship, and mutual understanding.
- To TAKE an active interest in the civic, cultural, social, and moral welfare of the community.
- To PROMOTE the principles of good government and good citizenship.
- 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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2019 – 2020 MILLBRAE LION OF THE YEAR

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