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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Dear Millbrae Lions, Family & Friends,

We are excited to announce a new project that I'm sure many of you will want to be a part of. The City of Millbrae (City Manager/Lion Tom Williams) offered Millbrae Lions the opportunity to contribute to the construction of the new community center. Lion Tom offered MLC the opportunity to install the engineered wood flooring in the community room the largest room in the center. In exchange, MLC will receive monetary credit towards the rights to name a room in the community center, "Lion's Den". This may be worth up to \$50,000 towards our monetary contribution to buy the naming rights to a room. This project is not likely begin until the middle of 2022. Lion Bill Armanasco will coordinate with the City and direct Lions volunteers during the installation.

We are looking for a co-Chair to coordinate volunteers. Please contact Lion President Wayne Lee at millbraelions@gmail.com if you are interested in being a co-chair.

Do you have a preference for a particular room named as the "Lion's Den"? Fill out the survey at

https://forms.gle/Rj2nJDZPmarfJr6m6 (copy and paste on the browser's URL)

Millbrae Lions Club in the News

Millbrae Community Television (www.MCTV.tv) interviewed the President of MLC, me, on 3/3/21. MCTV is highlighting the MLC and their contributions to Millbrae. Mentioned was the fantastic annual events and the unique events of the past 12 months. Also discussed were the youth programs MLC supports including he Millbrae Leos, Millbrae Lions Club Baseball, Boy Scout Troop 355, and Boy Scouts Pack 355. When asked why people join the Millbrae Lions Club, the response was, the great satisfaction of a job well done and the knowledge of the impact on the community. What was forgotten, but is taken for granted, is the comradery and fun volunteering at a Lions Club project. It seemed so obvious.

Lions at Bi-Weekly Food Bank

Lion PP Randy Sahae and Lion Asst Treasurer Oscar Loza have been volunteering at regularly at the Food Distribution center at the Methodist Church on Chadbourne and Poplar.

Next General Meeting March 17, 2021 7:00pm Zoom Meeting General Meetings
1st & 3rd Wednesdays,
7:00pm
Zoom meetings

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

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE CONTINUED

They have been racking up hours of volunteer time and crediting the Millbrae Lions Club. Great lion hearts.

3rd Vaccination

You have probably heard that a 3rd vaccine by Johnson and Johnson has been approved. Though this vaccine is not as effective in preventing COVID19 infections, it will keep one from the hospital or death. That is still a pretty good vaccine! The Center for Disease Control (CDC) recommends you take any one of the available vaccines. If you need a ride or are having trouble getting an appointment when it is your turn, please call me and I'll help to hook you up. Many of our more mature Lions have already received their second dosage. I'm sure they are more than happy to answer any of your questions regarding vaccinations. You can register at myturn.ca.gov to receive alerts as to when you are eligible to receive a vaccination.

Student Speakers Contest

MLC hosted the annual club Student Speaker Contest. The topic was, "Remote learning, Pros and Cons." Nine high school speakers competed and they were all very good presentations, but there can only be one winner who was Gabriella Handoko! She presented compelling augments and demonstrated pose and effort. Congratulations Gabriella! Each contestant received a stipend and the winner received \$100 and a chance to compete at the District level.

MLC thanks Cybil Schroeder from Mills HS, Joyce Lynn from Capuchino HS, and Margaret Ng from Toast Masters for helping to coordinate the contest. Thank you to all the judges: Lynn Ferrario, Carrie Chinn, and Frank Seabode. Thank you to Lion DJ Foreman (producer), Lion PP Rich Bortlin (time keeper) and Lion Oscar Loza (teller) in assisting with a smooth program. Special mention goes to Lion Michael Kelly who assisted with some of the contestants who encountered internet connectivity issues.

Fundraisers

MLC is planning two fundraisers, one at the end of April (4/24), and the annual MLC golf tournament on September 13, 2021. Thank you to all the generous gifts from our Lions. We are very excited about the opportunity to raise money for our community. Lion Bulletin Editor Betcy Jacob has been working hard to gather prizes, document prizes, and organize the auction. Many of our stakeholders are supporting this fundraiser: Millbrae Education Foundation (MEF), Mills HS Parent Teachers Organization (PTO), Millbrae School District, and others organizations. The auction will be entirely online on April 24th. To register, please visit https://tinyurl.com/RegisterMLCAuction2021. Thank you to One Martial Arts for their continued support and offering their studio to host MLC's auction.

The MLC 2nd Annual golf tournament at Green Hills County Club will be on September 13th. Lion Ed Musa has been in constant contact with GHCC and it looks as though we might be able to gather and dine after the tournament. The Governor is planning a new stage, green, with protocols that allows for 100% openings. Fingers crossed!

Donation

Please read Lion Treasurer Calvin Chin's article on gifting of our annual donation to the Mills Annual Fund. This year it was \$5,000. This fund pays for Mills HS clubs activities and classroom needs. We used our new presentation check and afterwards posed for a goofy photo ala Lion Calvin Chin. It was fun day. Many parents and staff came out to social distance and greet each other.

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE CONTINUED

We are grateful to the late Lion John Bowers for his generous bequeath to MLC. This fund makes it possible for MLC to continue to give a meaningful, albeit smaller, donations.

Recognitions

We hope to announce the 2020 Lion President Rob DuCote's awards ceremonies soon. Please come to that meeting to support the recognition of many of our Lions and their fantastic contributions.

Next meeting

The next general meeting on 3/17 will feature a presentation by Mr. Brian Perkins, District Director for Congresswoman Jackie Speier. Mr. Perkins is very knowledgeable and helpful. I hope you will make this meeting.

Lion PP Dave Van Wart is working hard to bring more presenters to meetings. Thank you, Lion PP Dave! Stay tuned!

Please call other Lions to help them stay in touch and keep their spirits up.

In Lionism, Lion President Wayne

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Millbrae Lions Club: Meeting Agenda: March 17, 2021

MILLBRAE LIONS CLUB Meeting Agenda March 17, 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

Virtual Dinner

Presentations - Mr. Brian Perkins - Office of Congresswoman Jackie Speier

Business

Nominees for 2021-2022 Board - Action

Reports

- Lion's Auction on 4/24/21 (Lion BE Betcy Jacob)
- Golf Tournament on 9/13/21 (Lion Dir Ed Musa)
- Student Speakers Contest (Lion Pres Wayne Lee)
- Mills HS Graduation Banner

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

- General Meeting (March 17)
- Board Meeting (March 10)
- MLC Auction (April 24, 2021) Lion Bulletin Editor Betcy Jacob
- Golf Tournament (September 13, 2021) Lion Ed Musa
- Past President's Breakfast (February 21 @9:30 Zoom)
- Student Speaker's Contest (March 3) Lion President Wayne Lee

Tail Twister - Lion PP John Muniz Postponed

*ZOOM Login Information

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Password: 193801

Call In #: 669-900-6833

Phone options: *6 mute/unmute *9 raise hand to speak

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MILLBRAE LIONS: NOTES FROM LATEST MLC MEETINGS

Notes from Millbrae Lions Meetings (updates in bold)

- NEXT GENERAL MEETING: March 17, 2021, 7pm
- NEX BOD MEETING: April 14, 2021, 7pm
- Completed Projects:
 - Student Speaker's Contest (March 3, 2021)
 - Past President's Breakfast (February 21, 2021 @ 9:30am via Zoom)
 - 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 Betcy 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:

- Student Speaker (March 3, 2021)
- Online Auction: 4/24/21 (Lion Betcy)
- MLC Golf Tournament, 9/13/21 (Lion Ed)
- Other/Ongoing Projects:
 - Lions Youth Protection Program (Lion Pres. Wayne Lee)
 - Peace Poster Contest Lion PP Paul Larson

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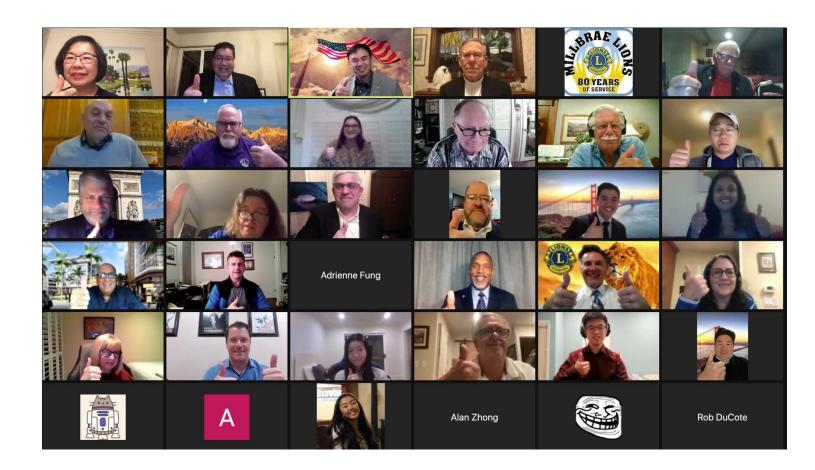


MILLBRAE LIONS: PHOTO FROM GENERAL MEETING ON MARCH 3, 2021

By PP Lion Calvin Chin

On March 3, 2021, the Millbrae Lions General Meeting was Student Speaker Night and the topic was "Distance and Online Learning — Pros and Cons". We had 8 student speakers and all gave thoughtful presentations via ZOOM!

Thank you to our special guests/judges. In addition, we had 2 new Lions candidates (<u>Tim Lee</u> and John Zhou) attend their 2nd meeting! Great that they experienced one of our important Lions Project!



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MILLBRAE LIONS: PHOTO FROM MLC BOD MEETIG ON MARCH 10, 2021

On March 10, 2021, MLC held our Board meeting. Mills PTO President Karen Bettucchi and Mills Grad Night Parent Angelica Gonzales attended (pictured below), requesting support to fund the Mills Highschool Graduation banner. Of course, Millbrae Lions BOD approved to support!



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MD-4 HUNGER SPECIALITY COMMITTEE QUARTERLY REPORT



REJUVENATE - REVITALIZE - REMOTIVATE

Governor Teams please encourage Lions & Leos to participate in CA Lions Care Food Collection project with non-perishable food.

Food insecurity for many has always been right in front of us but somewhat hidden. We could not see the depth of the many families suffering from hunger. Not so today. The Pandemic has put the challenge front and center and the Media has succeeded in showing us the long lines of people in need.

As Lions and Leos, we can serve this need is so many ways. Our committee will hold three workshops to describe in detail the many ways we can take on the challenge and not burn out your Lions club members. Join us on February 22, March 22, & April 12 at 6:30 pm on Zoom. See the link attached.

At our workshops we will cover the following ways to accomplish feeding thousands to tens of thousand's people according to the need in your area. We will also ask you to share what your clubs are already doing to solve the problem.

- 1. You can work with Farmers of all kinds to deliver their excess food to food pantries in your club's name.
- 2. A list of farmers of all kinds will be sent to you once you register for the workshop or you can find it on the Multiple websites.
- 3. All food pantries for the most part will work with clubs to box food for you to deliver to the homeless, the poor, those living in their cars, those living in shelters, and to senior, people with disabilities, and Veterans.
- 4. Companies such as, "Farm Fresh to You" will partner with you for a small donation or purchase to deliver Fresh Organic boxes filled with all foods for the underserved, or your friends or your own families and your club will earn a percentage of the purchase. We are talking, boxes filled with milk, eggs, meat, chicken, canned goods, veggies, fruit, nuts. You will not want to miss hearing about this opportunity.

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- 5. Power Growers around California produce 8X more food using 90% less water and have Zero carbon footprint. The food is organic and Power Growers support Lions in feeding people. We will tell you how to work with them to deliver food.
- 6. You can work with your local restaurants who will discount food for the hungry and you can deliver hot food where needed.
- 7. Canned food manufacturers such as Del Monte have a special deal for service organizations to work with their distributors to give away tons of food.
- 8. UNICEF will supply Lions with discounted food for the starving children and adults, Nationally and Internationally. This food is special food for starving people who can no longer digest whole food due to lack of food for an extended period. The food is organic and does not need to be mixed with water that is sometimes contaminated or will mold the food. It is called "Plumpy Nut".
- 9. You can also donate funds or equipment to your local food banks.

There are 12 more ways that we will feature at our workshops to support your "Hunger projects". There are also LCIF Pilot Hunger Grants and 24 secular grants that we will also discuss and give you access to.

We have already been in touch with many District Governors and or Lions Clubs Hunger Chairs and we would very much like to work with all club and support your ongoing hunger projects as well as assist you in starting new projects.

One club has already delivered over three million pounds of food of all kinds that has fed thousands. Other clubs have been extremely creative, and they also fed thousands. Join us and find out who these clubs are and how they do it.

Stay in touch, estjohn7@gmail.com or 415-378-6789 and come to our workshops where we can all share ways to support our fellow man. Thank you.

With Gratitude, Lion Eleanor Britter, Chair, Hunger Specialty Committee

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LEO'S CORNER: NEW PARK BENCH UPDATE

By Lion Michael Kelly

The Leo's asked – and Millbrae answered, in an enormous way! In just the 6th week of a 6 month project, the Leo's have collected/sorted/weighed/submitted/reported over 550 pounds of recyclable plastic, 10% over the entire goal and are now in the process of ordering the new park bench for Millbrae! The bench is expected to be delivered in the next 10-12 weeks from Trex (the company sponsoring the event), and the Leo's will be coordinating the next steps with Millbrae's Department of Public Works to help arrange for the site selection and installation.

The project has generated a huge amount of interest, support, and community involvement. Many Millbrae citizens have implored the Leo's to continue their effort – and, this afternoon (3/14), the Leo's Board met and decided that not only will they continue their own project, but they are going to expand their involvement by mentoring other youth groups in Millbrae to help them get their own 'Plastic into a Park Bench' projects launched – and the Leo's will share the plastic they are bringing in with other groups! First on deck is the Millbrae Daisies/Girl Scouts, the Leo's will be meeting with the 5-6 year old Daisies and the 10-11 year old Girls Scouts of Millbrae later this month on March 28 – to describe the program and demonstrate how to manage the plastic (sifting/sorting/weighing/submitting/reporting). The Leo's will be assisting the youngsters with logistics and encouragement in ensuring they have a successful program!

Below are pictures from the 'emergency' work-party on Wednesday afternoon, March 10 – when there was SO much plastic at City Hall that an unscheduled event had to be convened. Over 160 pounds was processed and delivered to the loading dock @ Millbrae Safeway (another shout out to Safeway Store Management/Directors Simo Elomari and Ryan Bain – they made themselves readily available to us AGAIN in supporting Millbrae and the Leo's!) We also need to call out City Employees Eduardo Gonzalez, Craig Centis, and City Manager Tom Williams who also helped with the efforts! Then yesterday, Saturday March 13 – ANOTHER 170+ pounds was processed by the Leo's at Millbrae City Hall!

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LEO'S CORNER: NEW PARK BENCH UPDATE: PHOTOS



City Employee Eduardo Gonzalez, Leo Secretary David Lock, Leo Treasurer Cayenne Wong, and Leo Projects Director Isabel Shinoki handling the unexpected influx of plastic at City Hall on 3/10



And even more was piled up (this is another appr 40 pounds) at the Front of City Hall!



Leo's Vice President Brian Wen, Leo's Membership Director Collin Tse, Leo Member Austin Wong, Leo's Treasurer Cayenne Wong, and Leo's Project Director Isabel Shinoki all showed up again on Saturday, March 13th for another 'work party', logging another 177 pounds of plastic!

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LEO'S CORNER: District 4C4 Leadership Training & Symposium

By Lion Michael Kelly

Millbrae Leo's well-represented at the **District 4C4 Leadership Training & Symposium** on Thursday night, 2/25!

Our Leo's club had President Daphne Situ and several Board Members, including Leo Webmaster Mark Soliman, Leo Budget Director Cayenne Wong, Leo Vice President Brian Wen and more - who all took part in learning important Leo-Club skills. The sessions included a deep dive into various club-officer positions, instruction on effectively managing meetings, an overview of the Lions/Leo's Youth Protection Policy, and an informative session on how to ensure accurate reporting of Club Service Activities. The event also included valuable information on how to handle/manage Grant Applications, an overview of the Leo's Youth Leadership Institute, insightful 'first-person' experience of 'how to move up the ladder' within Leo's, and the Leo's Global Youth Exchange program!

The Millbrae Leo's were one of 4 clubs to participate within the District event, and are expected to be instrumental in the resurgence of the District Club activities.

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LEO' CORNER: MEET THE LEO'S BOARD



Millbrae Leos Club Projects Director Isabel Shinoki

Hi, my name is Isabel and I am currently a Junior at Mills High School. I started volunteering with the Leos in 8th grade. I look forward to being the Projects Director this year. I hope to facilitate many worthwhile events, especially those that focus on environmental issues. Outside of school, I play varsity soccer, work as a construction member for the Boba Bots robotics team, and volunteer at my church. In my free time, I enjoy taking care of my plants, reading, and hiking.

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MILLBRAE LIONS CLUB FUN CORNER

Trivia

What common first name is shared by the most current MLC members?

Answers will be published in the next issue

Lions Club Trivia - Answer from Issue #16

How many of the past 9 Millbrae Lions who were also District Governors can you name?

Answer: , Art Pignati, Mike Siminoni, Rick Nutchatelli, George Habeeb, Earl Call, Matt Boxer, Don Lustenberger, Don Baciocco, Rocky Lombardi

Lion Laughs

Provided by Lion Ken Fowler (For St. Patrick's Day)

HERE'S TO
CHEATING, STEALING, FIGHTING AND DRINKING.
IF YOU CHEAT, MAY YOU CHEAT DEATH,
IF YOU STEAL, MAY IT BE A WOMAN'S HEART,
IF YOU FIGHT, MAY IT BE FOR A BROTHER MARINE,
AND IF YOU DRINK, BY GOD, MAY IT BE WITH ME

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MILLBRAE LION SPOTLIGHT



Millbrae Lion Name: Wayne Lee

MLC Member Since: 2007

MLC Positions Held: Current President, Bulletin Editor, Secretary

Awards/Recognitions/Positions: Millbrae Mayor (2x)

Birthday: January 15th

Birthplace: San Francisco (Presidio)

Hobbies: Volunteering, collecting fountain pens, collecting golf balls from various golf courses, collect shot glasses from various countries around the world

Why did you become a Lion: Loved the impact that the MLC has on the community

Sponsor: Lion Gina Papan

Interesting Facts:

- Proudest moment was to going to dad's hometown in Canton, China (population 3million+) in 2014 and being recognized by the mayor of Toysan which made his dad proud
 - Dad was in the army for 35 years
 - Lion Wayne was born in the original Letterman hospital in the Presidio which is still there

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MILLBRAE LIONS CLUB CALENDAR

NO CLUB VISITATIONS PLANNED

JULY 2020:

8 Board of Directors Meeting15 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

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

9 Board of Directors Meeting30 General Meeting CANCELLED

TBA Dress for Success

JANUARY 2021:

6 General Meeting

13 Board of Directors Meeting

20 General Meeting

FEBRUARY 2021:

• 3 General

10 Board of Directors Meeting

14 Millbrae Lunar Festival

17 General Meeting

21 BOD Nomination Breakfast

MARCH 2021:

3 General Meeting / Student Speaker

10 Board of Directors Meeting

17 General Meeting

 20 Millbrae Lions Baseball Season Opening Day – At Taylor

APRIL 2021:

7 General Meeting

14 Board of Directors Meeting

24 ONLINE/SILENT AUCTION

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

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TBD / POSTPONED EVENTS:

- Crab Feed
- Millbrae Lions BBQ at Baseball Tournament Taylor

OTHER/UPCOMING EVENTS:

MLC 2nd Annual Golf Tournament: September 13, 2021

CANCELLED EVENTS:

- Youth Week
- Marinated Crab Feed
- MLC Holiday Party
- Millbrae Machines
- Calcutta Night

March Birthdays:

March 4th – Lion Alice Kuang
March 7th - Lady Elisabeth Sutter
March 7th - Lion Paul Bourque
March 9th – Lion Bill Armanasco
March 10th – Lion Hilda Delgado
March 16th – Lion Randy Sahae
March 19th – Lady Amy Kelly Lauer
March 22nd – Lion Steve Luzaich
March 27th – Lady Elaine Celentano

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

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MLC PROJECT UPDATES: ONLINE AUCTION: APRIL 24, 2021

MLC "MOVERS & SHAKERS" AUCTION

When: April 24, 2021, 4:45pm-7:00pm

Where: Zoom*

*Link will be sent once you register

To register visit https://tinyurl.com/RegisterMLCAuction2021
Register on or before April 16th receive a FREE ticket to win door prizes!

Silent Auction Site*: https://tinyurl.com/MLCAuction2021
*Bidding will start on March 24, 2021

CALLING FOR AUCTION ITEM DONATIONS!!

*If you or anyone you know would like to donate an auction item or door prize, please contact Lion Betcy at 650-315-7060 or BetcyTheRealtor@gmail.com

A BIG THANKS TO AUCTION ITEMS / PRIZES DONATED SO FAR!

- Case of Stone Arch Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon 2005 (Lion Randy Sahae) NEW
- \$100 Gift Card to Colina's (Lion John Muniz) NEW
- Indian Cooking (meal for 4) (Lion Betcy Jacob) NEW
- 4 \$75 gift cards to Pape's Meat Market (Lion Ron Pape) NEW
- Weekend at Kingswood Village in North Lake Tahoe (Donated by Lion Bill Meyer)
- Foursome at Green Hills Country Club (Donated by Lion Ed Musa)
- 50 used golf balls (Donated by Lion Ken Fowler)
- Foursome to MLC Golf Tournament on 09/13/21 (Lion Steve Henderson)
- Millbrae Mayor For a Day (Lion Tom Williams)
- Millbrae City Manager For a Day (Lion Ann Schneider)
- Kitchen faucet with installation (\$1000 value) (Donated by Lion Anthony)
- D'Artagnan 13-piece Gourmet Roasting Ham & Luxury Charcuterie Gift Box 12.5 lbs. (Donated by Lion Michael Kelly)
- AWC (air Duct & Window Cleaning) gift certificate (Donated by Lion Ron Frediani)
- Sharp Park Golf Passes / Golf Balls (Donated by Lion Betcy)
- AND MUCH MORE!!!

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MLC 2nd Annual GOLF TOURNAMENT: SEPTEMEBER 13, 2021

MLC 2nd Annual Golf Tournament Monday, September 13, 2021 Green Hills Country Club

To register, visit https://tinyurl.com/MLCGolf2021

We are looking for sponsors, raffle/auction prizes. Please reach out to Lion Ed at eyadmusa@sbcglobal.net or Lion Betcy ta BetcyTheRealtor@gmail.com if you know of anyone who is interested in playing and/or donating raffle/auction items.



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MLC PROJECT UPDATES: MLC SUPPORTS MILLS HIGH SCHOOL

By PP Lion Calvin Chin

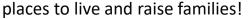
Mills High School (serving over 1,200 students) is currently having their important Mills Annual Fund Drive with a goal to raise \$100K this school year.

The Millbrae Lions Club is once again proud to be a sponsor and on March 4, 2021, Lion President Wayne Lee presented our \$5,000 donation to Mills PTO President Karen Bettucchi, Mills Principal Pamela Duszynski and members of the Mills PTO leadership.

Please consider supporting our Mills High School by donating to their annual fund. How lucky that we have the best high school in the SF Peninsula; a nurturing school of learning that prepares our teens for their young adult hood. To learn more how you can help, please check out their website: https://www.millshspto.org/annual-fund

Both Mills High School and the Millbrae Elementary School District represents our MILLBRAE SCHOOLS ECO-SYSTEM, providing the best possible school experience for our close to 4,000 Millbrae students.

Both are equally important and one of the attributes why the City of Millbrae is one of the best









SUPPORT THE MILLS ANNUAL FUND!

To donate or for more information about the Mills Annual Fund, visit

https://millsannualfund.dojiggy.io/millsannualfund?fbclid=IwAR1ia1scPLzjQSom4TT5JCq1oNT91wzcy 13RXP ekSom yWq Yd1Am1zdUI



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CITY OF MILLBRAE ANNOUNCMENTS







This course teaches young students the essentials of building confidence in public speaking. Taught using the fun concepts of (don't) show and tell, storytelling (scary and funny stories!), reciting poems, pretend games, this is an excellent class to start developing confidence in young students in a fun way. The participants learn how to stand tall and speak confidently in front of a group. They begin to understand the concepts and importance of maintaining eye contact, good posture, volume, and expressions.

Register Millbrae Recreation Department bit.ly/milrec

Or Call 650-259-2360



Gurus Education

More info: 510 573 2497 (Tel) or info@guruseducation.com

THE MILLBRAE CULTURAL ARTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

VIRTUAL ART SHOW! LLBRAE'S SPRING 2021 ART SHOW & CONTE<mark>ST</mark>

Participate in our 2nd Virtual Art Show and Contest by submitting a clear photo of your artwork against a blank background by May 3rd at bit.ly/millbraeartshow

Submissions can be viewed online at bit.ly/VirtualArtShow

JUDGES WILL VIEW ALL SUBMISSIONS AND THE WINNER IN EACH CATEGORY WILL BE NOTIFIED ON MAY 14.

WINNING PIECES WILL BE FEATURED ON CITY SOCIAL MEDIA!

The show is open to everyone (adults, seniors, young adults, and school-aged children) who lives, works, or goes to school in Millbrae.

Entry fee: \$5 for adults, \$1 for students & seniors.

Email ggabrieleci.millbrae.ca.us for any questions.

This program is not sponsored by the Millbrae School District. Approval to distribute flyers is a community service & does not imply endorsement

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MARCH 2021:

- 15 MD-4 M.E. Chats Online: The Art of Online Media NEW
- 20 MD-4 M.E. Chats Online: Diabètes 101 NEW
- 21 San Francisco Unified Lions Club Book Drive NEW
- 21 Lions Float, Inc Charity Golf Tournament Rancho Murieta NEW
- 22 <u>District 4-C4 Peninsula Council of Lions Clubs Meeting NEW</u>
- 22 Save the date: MD-4 M.E. Chats Online: Hunger: Sources and Demos II
- 24 <u>District 4-C4 San Francisco Coordinating Council of Lions Club Virtual</u> Meeting NEW
- 24 Save the date: MD-4 M.E. Chats Online: Agenda & Meetings
- 27 Multiple District 4 Leadership Institute
- 27 District 4-C4 Eyeglass & Hearing Aid Collection
- 27 Bay Area Global Outreach Lions Club Pre-Easter Drive Thru Taste of Filipino
 Cuisine
- 27 Save the date: MD-4 M.E. Chats Online: Hosting an Exchange Student
- 27 San Bruno Lions Club Bruno Bingo NEW
- 28 Save the date: City of Hope Lions Tribute Day Virtual

11:00 PM - District 4-C4 Leo District Officer Nominations Deadline NEW

APRIL 2021:

- 10 Save the date: Bay Area Global Outreach Lions Club Charter Event
- 11 Foster City & Foster City Bair Island Cyber Lions Clubs Erik's Big Fight Fundraiser NEW
- 17 Half Moon Bay Lions Club Poker Chip Rally NEW
- 18 San Francisco Unified Lions Club Book Drive NEW
- 24 Multiple District 4 Leadership Institute
- 25 Foster City & Foster City Bair Island Cyber Lions Clubs Erik's Big Fight Fundraiser NEW
- 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
- 29 Save the date: District 4-C4 Leo District Election of Officers NEW

MAY 2021:

- 14 -16 Save the date: District 4-C4 Convention Virtual NEW
- 15 Save the date: MD-4 M.E. Chats Online: 501(C)3 Compliance and Your Club
- 16 Foster City & Foster City Bair Island Cyber Lions Clubs Erik's Big Fight Fundraiser NEW
- 21 23 Multiple District 4 Convention NEW
- 22 Save the date: MD-4 M.E. Chats Online: New Technologies in Diabetes
- 24 Save the date: District 4-C4 Peninsula Council of Lions Club Meeting
- Save the date: San Francisco Coordinating Council of Lions Club Virtual Meeting
- 29 Peninsula Special Interest Lions Club Memorial Day Veterans Celebration

JUNE 2021:

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

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AUGUST 2021

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

SEPTEMBER 2021

- 9-11 Save the date: USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum
- 18 Save to date: Cancel Out Parkinson's Walk

NOVEMBER 2021

20 Save the date: Bay Area Global Outreach Lions Club Pre-Thanksgiving Drive Thru
 Dinner

ONGOING EVENTS

- CALIFORNIA LIONS PROJECT CARE: HUNGER <u>Click here</u> for details on statewide Food Drive during February 2021
- DIABETES AWARENESS & ACTION COMMITTEE District 4-C4 Diabetes Support Group
- STUDENT SPEAKERS CONTEST

2020-2021 Theme: "Distance and Online Learning: Pros and Cons"

Click here for District 4-C4 Student Speakers Contest Schedule UPDATED

For additional information, email District Student Speaker Contest Co-Chairs Lion Michael

Coffaro and Lion Adlai Jew

GLOBAL INITIATIVE FOR HEALTH AND WELLNESS

COVID-19 Testing

COVID-19 Vaccinations

LIONS PROJECTS

- LCIF Club Annual Donations
- Lions Clubs International Foundation Campaign 100
- Lions California Foundation
 - City of Hope Diabetes Innovation Fund
- Lions Eye Foundation:
 - Don Stanaway Fellow
 - Don Stanaway Life Member
 - Helen Keller Fellow
- Lions Project for Canine Companions for Independence:
 - LPCCI Fellowship
 - LPCCI Family Life Membership
 - LPCCI Life Membership
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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.

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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.

The Lion's Den

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2019 – 2020 MILLBRAE LION OF THE YEAR

Due to SARS-CoV2, the announcement of 2019-2020 Lion of the Year has been postponed until further notice.

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USEFUL LINKS

Click here for the latest information on Covid-19 for California

CLUB NEWSLETTERS:

- Lions Clubs International Foundation
- District 4-C4 NEW
- Daly City Host Lions Club NEW
- Menlo Park Live Oak Lions Club NEW
- Millbrae Lions Club ISSUE #16
- San Carlos Lions Club
- San Francisco Chinatown Lions Club
- San Francisco Geneva-Excelsior Lions Club NEW
- San Francisco Global Business Lions Club
- San Francisco Nikkei Lions Club
- San Francisco Unified Lions Club

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Step 2: Make sure you are logged in. From the Accounts & Lists dropdown on the top right section of the page, select "Your AmazonSmile"

Step 3: Select the option to set a new charity or change your charity. Type in "Millbrae Lions Youth Center" and click "Select."

Step 4: Check "Yes I understand that I must always start at smile.amazon.com to support Millbrae Lions Youth Center

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