THE LION'S TALE

THE LIONS CLUB OF FOSTER CITY

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Dear Fellow Lions,

Looking back these past 30 days sure was re assuring to see what was accomplished by us Lions. It's great to see many new members join our club with the spirit, motivation and desire to be a Lion. One of many examples is seeing our very own recently joined member Lion Grace show her energy and passion while working to serve not just us but our community is truly such an amazing sight to see. Lion Grace is also serving as a BOD recently appointed by our board. Lion Jon Rees helped raise an additional $12950 from the corporate match provided by Apple, his place of employment, which was attributed to the Comedy Show and Crab Feed fundraiser.

We now have a history of having our District Governor visit our club twice to induct the members who recently have become a Lion and are ready to join us in serving our community as well as the many charities we work hard to support. I want to thank all Lions who have helped with the organization of our meals this past month. Without their efforts, this would not be possible. Seeing us end the month of April and entering the month of May by witnessing Lion Kateryna spring into action this amazing drive for the Humanitarian Aid Fundraiser for Ukraine just shows what Lions are capable of doing when working together as a team. Meanwhile we are getting ready for our upcoming 4th of July event and Sumer Concert series to follow, so don't hesitate and prepare to volunteer for one of our largest events of the year. Please share your thoughts at any time for meal suggestions should you have any recommendations or requests. Our board has also been doing a great job working together to represent our members in their strive to make our Club even better and more organized. Lion Wing is preparing to take helm as incoming President and we are all looking forward to another great year in service. Please welcome all of our recently inducted new members along with the next batch of members arriving soon to join. Introduce yourself and help guide them into action.
Respectfully,
Lion Dave Melchner
Club President

CLUB MEETS THE 2ND AND 4TH TUESDAY AT 7:30 P.M.
Next Meeting FC Rec Center

Tuesday, May 10 , 2022

Board Meeting 6:15 p.m.
Meet and Greet 7:00 p.m.
General Meeting 7:30 p.m.
Program: Love Beyond Boundaries Performance

Meetings available on Zoom

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NEW DEADLINES
UKRAINE FUNDRAISER DINNER
TICKET PURCHASE EXTENDED TO MAY 3RD'
PURCHASE AT fostercitylionsclub.org
See pages 2-3 for info

DISTRICT 4C4 CONVENTION IN REDDING, REGISTRATION DEADLINE EXTENDED TO MAY 5TH
REGISTRATION FORM AND INFO, See pages 8-9

NEXT Blood Drive

Saturday, June 11th

FC Rec Center

NEED HELP! !

SET UP 6:30 – 7:45 a.m.

Food and beverage service and regi

1st SHIFT 8:00 – 9:40
2nd SHIFT 9:40 – 11:20
3rd SHIFT 11:20 – 1:00

CLEANUP 1:00 – 2:00

Lion Jim Traceski,
Blood Drive Chair
jimtraceski@yahoo.com

WE ARE NOW COLLECTING…
USED PRINTER INK CARTRIDGES
FOR THE STUDENT SPEAKER FOUNDATION.
PLEASE LEAVE THEM AT GREETER'S TABLE EACH MEETING!!

Sunshine News

With sadness, the FC Lions announce the passing of Lion Bob Goodwin. His obituary is on page 6. Our thoughts and prayers are with his family.

The celebration of life for Burlingame Lion Kevin Kielty will be held June 4th at 2:00 p.m. at the Burlingame Hall, 990 Burlingame Ave., Burlingame CA.

Lion Marsha, Sunshine Chair
raymarshak@prodigy.net

New Goal: $25,000

In Partnership With:

UKRAINIAN AMERICAN COORDINATION COUNCIL

COMPASS

MAY 6TH FUNDRAISER FOR UKRAINE

We have a new fundraiser on Friday May 6 and are proud to serve our community and provide assistance to Ukraine Humanitarian Aid.

We will host an event, currently with a little under 100 participants, in the Rec Center, and can use your help in filling out some remaining positions. Servers and bussers are particularly needed. This will be a great event and the shifts are short and not too challenging. Volunteers, please sign up at this link:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0545A8AD22A4F85-ukraine

Lion Kateryna Davydova, Chair
kateryna@kdavydova.com

Foster City Lions Club Humanitarian Aid Fundraiser for Ukraine

Support Ukraine

All Proceeds benefit the Lions Club International Foundation's Refugees and Displaced Persons Fund to respond to Humanitarian Crisis in Ukraine

Lions Clubs International FOUNDATION

All donations will be collected till May 9, 2022. Foster City Lions Charities Inc. (EIN 94-3385777) is a registered 501(c)(3) nonprofit.

How can you help?

1. Donate online to Support Ukraine

Visit our website at https://fostercitylionsclub.org or scan QR code

(100% Tax Deductible Donation)

SCAN ME

2. Attend live fundraiser to Support Ukraine

Date: **Friday, May 6, 2022, doors will open at 6 PM**

Have Dinner with us at 6:30 PM or Pick Up Your Meal between 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Salad, Bread, Lasagna (Meat or Vegetarian) from The Ravioli House, Dessert

Tickets: **$25.00** (Meal $12.00 / Tax Deductible Donation of $13.00)

Where: **Foster City Recreation Center at 650 Shell Blvd., Foster City**

Purchase your tickets by Sunday, May 1, 2022 by visiting our website at https://fostercitylionsclub.org or scan QR code

Contact for more information:
Kateryna Davydova: 650.867.0545 or kateryna@kdavydova.com

In Partnership with:

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MAY BIRTHDAYS

John Ficarra	May 6th
Joan Smith	May 6th
Patrick Sullivan	May 6th
Michel Ossene	May 19th
Jon Froomin	May 21st

MAY SERVICE ANNIVERSARIES

Congratulations to the following for their years of service.

Willie Swann	46 yrs
Matt Crom	12 yrs
Wing Yu	12 yrs
Chuck Ogburn	7 yrs

New Members please note:
The roster no longer is listing birthdays. If you'd like to have your birthday acknowledged, please send me your birthday month and date, no year.
Lion Karen, karenabolt@aol.com

FOURTH OF JULY

FC Lions will again take part in the festivities - our biggest fundraiser! Planning meetings are every 2 weeks through June.
Join in Zoom committee meetings :
Wed, May 4th and May 18th 7:00 p.m.
Zoom Meeting link
https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81890039296?pwd=Q1R4K0JiY01ZejVFQ0w1U3oycHJ1QT09
Meeting ID: 818 9003 9296
Passcode: FCLIONS

VOLUNTEERS

SIGN UP TO WORK THE 4TH OF JULY EVENT AT LEO RYAN PARK IN FOSTER CITY

Use the following link:
https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0c4caea82da2fcc70-4thofjuly

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Lions Clubs Objectives

TO CREATE and foster a spirit of under-standing among the peoples of the world.
TO TAKE an active interest in the civic, cultural, social and moral welfare of the community.
TO UNITE the choice in the bonds of friendship, good fellowship and mutual understanding.
TO PROVIDE a forum for the open discussion of all matters of public interest; pro-vided, however, that partisan politics and sectarian religion shall not be debated by club members.
TO ENCOURAGE service-minded people to serve their community without personal financial rewards, and to encourage efficiency and promote high ethical standards in commerce, industry, professions, public works and private endeavors.

Motto: ***WE SERVE***

District Governor – Dr. Jun Valera
1st Vice District Governor – John Hui
2nd Vice District Governor – Kevin Guess
IP District Governor – Fanny Chu
Region 5 Chair – Kali Azariah
Zone 1 Chair – David Melchner

District 4-C4
Annual Eyeglass & Hearing Aid Collection

Update from Lion Marsha Kliewer, Chair

Another good year for collecting eyeglasses and hearing aids. Eyeglass Chair Lion Marsha was very busy making her rounds around Foster City and Belmont emptying boxes during 2021 and earlier this year.
A big thank you goes to Lions, Jim, Shikha, Barbara and Wendel. Also, 5 Triple A rentals, the FC Library and Rec Center, Carlmont Optometry and Focus Optometry. Especially, thank you Lion Jim for helping assist with delivery of the glasses to the district committee in Daly City, The total weight of the glasses was sixty-eight pounds (1020 pairs) and 12 hearing aids were turned over to the committee this past March.

Thanks to all !!

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.

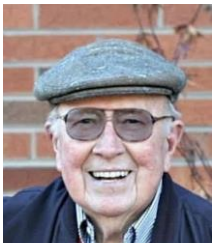
Whenever a doubt arises as to the right or ethics of my position or action towards others, to resolve such doubt against myself.

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.



Robert E. Goodwin

January 14, 1926 - April 15, 2022

Robert Edward Goodwin, born January 14, 1926 in San Francisco passed away peacefully at home April 15, 2022 at the age of 96. A third generation native San Franciscan, he served in the Merchant Marines during WWII. He is preceded in death by his wife Elizabeth Goodwin, daughter Kathleen Goodwin Buscema and son-in-law Tim Collins. He leaves behind his daughters Victoria Collins and Lesley Goodwin; son-in-law Vince Buscema; adored granddaughters Colleen Sullivan (Keith) and Kathleen Collins; cherished great grandsons Owen and Luke Sullivan. He is also preceded in death by his parents Claire and Percy, as well as his siblings Jack, George and Lois. Longtime member and past president of the Sunset Lions Club, lifetime member of The Olympic Club and The San Mateo Elks. He enjoyed years of wonderful summers with the family at their home in Hacienda at the Russian River. Bob was a devoted husband and father who loved life and had many great stories to tell. He will be greatly missed by his family and many friends. A visitation will be held on Friday, April 22 10am at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church in Belmont, followed by a Funeral Mass at 11am, with a graveside service at 12:30pm at Holy Cross Cemetery, Menlo Park.

CRIPPEN & FLYNN
Carlmont Chapel
650-595-4103

NEW MEMBERS INDUCTED APRIL 12TH

BY 1ST VDG JOHN HUI

UKRAINE FUNDRAISER GOES TO MARKET AT THE THE FC FARMER'S MARKET

Lion Kateryna even may it onto local TV stations who showed up to film the effort.

REBUILING TOGETHER

In partnership with Provident, FC Lions volunteers helped renovate a local home. Thanks to Lions Jim Traceski and Ray Rosenthal for spearheading the effort.

Just some before and after photos…

Different Cultures United in Service

District 4-C4 Convention
May 18-22, 2022
Red Lion Hotel, Redding CA

After 2 years Our Convention is in person!
You Don't Want To Miss It!

There will be a little business with a lot of fun including

Meet ID Debra Weaverling

Time Together

District Election

The registration form is a fillable pdf, download it, fill it in, and email it to lions4service@gmail.com – include your check number in your email. Mail the check to District 4-C4 Convention, P.O. Box 25301, San Mateo CA 94402. Click here for the form. Your registration form will be held pending your payment - payment must be received no later than May 10, 2022.

DISTRICT 4-C4 CONVENTION REGISTRATION
May 18-22, 2022
Red Lion Hotel, 1820 Hilltop Dr, Redding CA 96002

PLEASE PRINT

[A] _____ [B] _____
Lion's Last Name/First Name — Spouse/Partner/Guest Last Name/First Name

[A] _____ [B] _____
Lions Club Name — Lions Club Name

_____ _____ _____
Address, City, State, Zip Code — Phone — Email

First Time: [A] ___ [B] ___ **Meals: Vegetarian: [A] ___ [B] ___ Gluten Free: [A] ___ [B] ___**

Attending Partner in Service: [A] ___ [B] ___ **Name Badge Only: [A] ___ [B] ___**

PACKAGE A: Arrival Wednesday 05/18/22 includes
Deluxe accommodations Wednesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday nights;
Thursday BBQ Dinner, Friday Lunch, Friday Dinner, Saturday Breakfast & Dinner,
Breakfast on Thursday, Friday & Sunday for hotel registered guest

$ _____
$710.00 DOUBLE OCCUPANCY
(TWO INDIVIDUALS)
$575.00 SINGLE OCCUPANCY

PACKAGE B: Arrival Thursday 05/19/22 includes
Deluxe accommodations Thursday, Friday & Saturday nights;
Thursday BBQ Dinner, Friday Lunch, Friday Dinner, Saturday Breakfast & Dinner,
Breakfast on Friday & Sunday for hotel registered guest

$ _____
$600.00 DOUBLE OCCUPANCY
(TWO INDIVIDUALS)
$465.00 SINGLE OCCUPANCY

PACKAGE C: Arrival Friday 05/20/22 includes
Deluxe accommodations Friday & Saturday nights; Friday Lunch, Friday Dinner,
Saturday Breakfast & Dinner, Breakfast on Sunday for hotel registered guest

$ _____
$490.00 DOUBLE OCCUPANCY
(TWO INDIVIDUALS)
$355.00 SINGLE OCCUPANCY

PACKAGE D: Arrival Saturday 05/21/22 includes
Deluxe accommodations Saturday night; Saturday Dinner, Breakfast on Sunday
for hotel registered guests

$ _____
$210.00 DOUBLE OCCUPANCY
(TWO INDIVIDUALS)
$160.00 SINGLE OCCUPANCY

A LA CARTE ROOM RATE $110.00
Please indicate number of rooms each night
_____ Wednesday _____ Thursday _____ Friday _____Saturday **ROOMS Total $_____**

ACCOMODATIONS
We cannot guarantee your request - we will do our best to accommodate your request:
_____ Ground Floor Room _____ Handicap Room _____ Single bed in room _____ Two beds in room

A LA CARTE MEALS **MEALS Total $ _____**
Must be ordered in advance. Please indicate number of meals:
_____ Friday Lunch $38.00 _____ Friday Dinner $53.00 _____ Saturday Dinner $53.00
Teriyaki Chicken Oven Roasted Tri-Tip Chargrilled Salmon Filet

TOTAL ENCLOSED $_____

DEADLINE TO RESERVE HOTEL AT RATES LISTED ABOVE IS MAY 1, 2022
CHECK IN TIME IS 3:00 PM. We cannot guarantee your room will be available prior to check in time.

Make check payable to DISTRICT 4-C4 CONVENTION and mail with this registration form to:
District 4-C4 Convention, P.O. Box 25301, San Mateo CA 94402 Please keep a copy of this registration form for your records.

For Convention Use: Registration Number: A _____ Registration Number: B _____