

**Menlo Park Live Oak Lions Growler and other**  
**Lions Activities**  
**P.O. Box U, Menlo Park, CA 94026**  
**Club President Tina Morris**

**MARCH/APRIL 2022**

**Club ICARE Committee is back SPOT Vision Screening once again!** On March 16, 2022 our Club ICARE Committee members returned after a COVID-19 coronavirus interruption to St. Raymond's School to screen 97 students. Both of the Club's SPOT Vision Screening machines were used and the ICARE members finished in record time. It is anticipated that Children Centers and local schools will now begin to schedule more vision screenings with our Club ICARE.

This has been a key community service of our Club and we are certain that referrals of some children being screened will require follow up by professionals to further check the vision screening results. Mary Ellen Horwath, Committee Chair and her team it is great to see you back in action!

**Menlo Park Live Oak Lions Club Celebration of 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of our Sunday Farmers Market** At our March Club Board meeting after discussion it was decided that June 12, 2022 would be the Sunday for our Club to celebrate our 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of our Sunday Farmers Market. Tina Morris, Club President has been looking into a cloth shopping bag with our Club name and indicating we have achieved 30 years of community service as a Sunday Lions Farmers Market. The budget is being finalized to have a minimum of 500 shopper bags with handles to give away free of charge as a thank you to the shoppers for patronizing and supporting this community activity.

Other activities are being considered and some special award recognitions that will be in order for sustained support by our Lions volunteers, farmers, vendors and Friends of the Lions who help out on Sundays with some having been involved for all 30 years. A City of Menlo Park Proclamation is anticipated and several special guests will be invited to help out with our celebration.

**Election of Club Officers for Fiscal 2023 (7/1/22 – 6/30/23)** Tina Morris has appointed a Club Nominating Committee to recommend a slate of Club Officers for our next Fiscal Year. Any Club members who would like to be considered for a Club Board position should let Tina know if they are interested. Tina's phone number is 650-854-3684 or if you see her in person let her know. At our Club April Board meeting being held on Monday, April 11<sup>th</sup> the Club membership can vote on the Club Officers after any additional

**nominations are considered at the meeting then the vote takes place. The new Club Board will assume their duties on July 1, 2022.**

**Lions MD4 Multiple District statewide Convention was held in San Diego from Thursday, February 24<sup>th</sup> through Sunday, February 27<sup>th</sup> It was an honor to have our Lions Clubs International President Douglas Alexander present for the entire Convention. There were lots of seminars to attend on all aspects of Lions activity and service to our communities. Jim Bigelow attended representing our Club and District 4-C4 was well represented. During the Convention LCI President Alexander held a question and answer session where any Lion member could ask questions or provide input to our International President.**

**A major point made by IP Alexander during this open session was his importance of Lion members being seen in the community and providing meaningful help directly to people in need. To him that is what Lions are all about community service. Just giving cash donations where Lions are not visible in helping the community was a lesser priority but fundraising can also be worthwhile.**

**As you are aware our Lions sponsored Sunday Farmers Market in downtown Menlo Park as a fundraiser, generates donated produce for the needy and directly allows the community a great source of fruits and vegetables and other items. Our ICARE Committee began doing the SPOT vision screening in children centers and schools is another example of hands on contact of Lions in the community.**

**Our Club was nominated by PDG Fanny Chu for an MD4 Academy Award, for the large Club category and we were honored to be listed in the banquet program but another Lions Club won that honor. The Kay & Denise Fukushima Couple of the Year was awarded to District 4-C4 Debbie and Kevin Kielty of the Burlingame Lions Club. Both were not only active in their own Club but District wide activities and beyond and big supporters of The Peninsula Council.**

**I was sitting at a table while the Academy Awards were being presented with other District 4-C4 members and one of our Lions members called the Kielty's and informed them of being awarded Couple of the Year in Lions of California. I remember seeing a cell phone picture of Kevin in bed with a big smile! Kevin has been fighting a battle with cancer and he passed March 14<sup>th</sup>. It was really great that he was alive to see this recognition. I have known Kevin and Debbie for many years they are the best and Lion Kevin will really be missed!**

**District Eyeglass Collection on March 19<sup>th</sup> John Hickson, Tina Morris and Ruthie Wilkins have been collecting and sorting eyeglasses and Saturday, March 19<sup>th</sup> was the day for all Clubs to turn in the eyeglasses. Tina Morris and Ruthie Wilkins turned in our Club eyeglasses and the weight was 152 pounds that equals over 2,000 pairs of glasses. Now we**

have a Lions eyeglasses donation box every Sunday at our Farmers Market and shoppers are now bring and dropping eyeglasses in every Sunday.

**Club Farmers Market Report Update** The results of our Lions Sunday Farmers Market so far this Fiscal year from July 1, 2021 through last Sunday, March 20<sup>th</sup> are 26,525 pounds of donated produce collected from our farmers and provided to needy non-profits and gross income from vendor booth spaces is \$34,390.00. Our revenue is within \$1,000 of last year of this time and due to weather affecting our farmers we are running behind about 10,000 pounds of donated produce but spring is coming and farmers are planting so we hope to see increased donations of produce between now and June 30<sup>th</sup> as our Fiscal year comes to an end. We appreciate all the volunteer help each Sunday and the efforts of our vendors!

**District 4-C4 Redding, California Convention coming up in May** An in person convention at the Red Lions Hotel in Redding will be held from May 18<sup>th</sup> through 22<sup>nd</sup>. Many activities are being planned and it is a fun time for all who are attending. Attached to this Growler email is the District 4-C4 Convention registration form. At the Convention the District Officers for District Governor, First Vice District Governor and Second Vice District Governor and any bylaws changes will be voted upon and decided. Our Club will be represented at the Convention

Prepared by Jim Bigelow, Club Secretary

## **Menlo Park Live Oak Lions Important Dates To Remember**

**NOTE: Sunday Farmers Market Hours are 9 am – 1 pm**

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| <b>Mar. 6<sup>th</sup><br/>(Sunday)</b>  | <b>12:45 pm</b> | <b>Menlo Park Live Oak Lions Farmers Market pickup of farmers donated produce for the Needy operating under modified COVID-19 Coronavirus ORDERS.</b> |
| <b>Mar.13<sup>th</sup><br/>(Sunday)</b>  | <b>12:45 pm</b> | <b>Menlo Park Live Oak Lions Farmers Market pickup of farmers donated produce for the Needy operating under modified COVID-19 Coronavirus ORDERS.</b> |
| <b>Mar. 14<sup>th</sup><br/>(Monday)</b> | <b>11:00 am</b> | <b>Menlo Park Live Oak Lions Board meeting via ZOOM hosted by Club President Tina Morris</b>  |

<b>Mar. 16<sup>th</sup></b> <b>(Wednesday)</b>		<b>St. Raymond's school SPOT Vision Screening by the Club ICARE Committee of 97 students</b>
<b>Mar. 20<sup>th</sup></b> <b>(Sunday)</b>	<b>12:45 am</b>	<b>Menlo Park Live Oak Lions Farmers Market pickup of farmers donated produce for the Needy operating under modified COVID-19 Coronavirus ORDERS.</b>
<b>Mar. 27<sup>th</sup></b> <b>(Sunday)</b>	<b>12:45 pm</b>	<b>Menlo Park Live Oak Lions Farmers Market pickup of farmers donated produce for the Needy operating under modified COVID-19 Coronavirus ORDERS.</b>
<b>Apr. 3<sup>rd</sup></b> <b>(Sunday)</b>	<b>12:45 pm</b>	<b>Menlo Park Live Oak Lions Farmers Market pickup of farmers donated produce for the Needy operating under modified COVID-19 Coronavirus ORDERS.</b>
<b>Apr. 10<sup>th</sup></b> <b>(Sunday)</b>	<b>12:45 pm</b>	<b>Menlo Park Live Oak Lions Farmers Market pickup of farmers donated produce for the Needy operating under modified COVID-19 Coronavirus ORDERS.</b>
<b>Apr. 11<sup>th</sup></b> <b>(Monday)</b>	<b>11:00 am</b>	<b>Menlo Park Live Oak Lions Club Board meeting format and location to be announced</b>
<b>Apr. 17<sup>th</sup></b> <b>(Sunday)</b>	<b>12:45 pm</b>	<b>Menlo Park Live Oak Lions Farmers Market pickup of farmers donated produce for the Needy operating under modified COVID-19 Coronavirus ORDERS.</b>
<b>Apr. 24<sup>th</sup></b> <b>(Sunday)</b>	<b>12:45 pm</b>	<b>Menlo Park Live Oak Lions Farmers Market pickup of farmers donated produce for the Needy operating under modified COVID-19 Coronavirus ORDERS.</b>
<b>May 1<sup>st</sup></b> <b>(Sunday)</b>	<b>12:45 pm</b>	<b>Menlo Park Live Oak Lions Farmers Market pickup of farmers donated produce for the Needy operating under modified COVID-19 Coronavirus ORDERS.</b>

- May 8<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) 12:45 pm Menlo Park Live Oak Lions Farmers Market pickup of farmers donated produce for the Needy operating under modified COVID-19 Coronavirus ORDERS.**
- May 15<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) 12:45 pm Menlo Park Live Oak Lions Farmers Market pickup of farmers donated produce for the Needy operating under modified COVID-19 Coronavirus ORDERS.**
- May 18 – 22<sup>nd</sup> (Thursday – Sunday) District 4-C4 Convention at the Red Lion Hotel, Redding, California. Registration information is provided with this Growler email.**
- May 22<sup>nd</sup> (Sunday) 12:45 pm Menlo Park Live Oak Lions Farmers Market pickup of farmers donated produce for the Needy operating under modified COVID-19 Coronavirus ORDERS.**
- May 29<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) 12:45 pm Menlo Park Live Oak Lions Farmers Market pickup of farmers donated produce for the Needy operating under modified COVID-19 Coronavirus ORDERS.**

### **Lions Objectives**

**To create and foster a spirit of understanding among the peoples of the world.**

**To promote the principle of good government and good citizenship.**

**To promote an active interest in the civic, cultural, social and mural welfare of the community.**

**To provide a forum for the open discussion of all matters of public interest; provided, however that partisan politics and secretarian religion shall not be debated by club members.**

**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.**

## **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.**

**To hold friendship as an end and not as a means. To hold that true friendship exists not on account of the service performed by one another, but that true friend demands nothing but accepts service in the spirit in which it is given.**

**Always to bear in mind my obligations as a citizen in my nation, my state, and my community, as to give them my unswerving loyalty in work, 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.**



**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

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 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 \_\_\_\_\_