

The Lion's Den

Millbrae Lions Club Bulletin
District 4-C4, Region 6, Zone 1



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2021-2022
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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Hello Fellow Lions,

I am writing this on Sunday night after a weekend away and I see that our Auction may have raised over \$13,000 (before expenses). Congratulations to Lion's Betsy and Ed and their Committee for a successful event. Thank you for all the hard work and time that you all put in.

We have 3 new Lions: Gabe Ortiz, Ramiro Hernandez and Laura Pellegrini-Bisbee. They were inducted at our last General Meeting (which was also Leo's Night). I know they will bring a lot of energy and hard work to our Club. Congratulations to all three of you and welcome!! Also, we have another 5 people interested in joining.

Our Leo's Night was a rousing success. We had about 100 Leo's and parents, Lions and guests. We were shown a video, then heard

about the recognitions they have received and the **President's** (Biden...not Pellegrini) **GOLD** Volunteer Service Award that they earned, as well. It's been a phenomenal year for the Leo's and their membership is growing (65 members). Congratulations to all the Leo's and their advisors, Lion's Michael Kelly, Ann Schneider and Tim Lee. Thank you for your time and dedication to the Leo's.

At the same meeting I was honored to hand a \$25,000 donation to the Millbrae Community Foundation for the new Rec Center. The Lion's have been quite generous this year. We have donated to MEF, Mills High School, Family Assistance Program, Tongan Relief, Ukraine Relief and more. **All told, we have donated over \$106,000!!!**

We have also used our culinary skills to cook and feed many members of our Community and schools. We recently cooked for Lomita Park School and this coming Saturday we're cooking lunch for our Baseball Program and I believe later this month we're cooking for Meadows School...busy, busy Club. We also have the District Convention in 3 weeks!!! I hope to see many of you there.

Best Regards,

Lion President, Gary

Next General Meeting
May 4, 2022
7:00pm
Green Hills
Country Club

General Meetings
1st & 3rd Wednesdays,
7:00pm
Zoom or @ Green Hills
Country Club

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



2021-2022 MILLBRAE LIONS CLUB BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Millbrae Lions Club: General Meeting Agenda: May 4, 2022

General Meeting Agenda May 4, 2022 @ 7pm (doors/cocktails @ 6:30pm) Green Hills Country Club

Assembly – 6:30 PM **Call to Order – 7:00 PM**

- Pledge of Allegiance - Member Selected by the President
- Song – Lion PP Randy Sahae
- Invocation – Lion PP Rich Bortolin
- Introduction of Guests – Lion 1st VP Steve Henderson

Dinner

Business

- We need a volunteer to chair the White Cane Day project.
- Ukraine donation drive – Lion Ann Schneider

Reports

- Sunshine – Lion PP John Muniz
- Leos – Lion Michael Kelly
- Baseball – Lions Steve Henderson & Kevin O'Neil
- Scouts – Lion PP Dave Van Wart
- Lomita Park School BBQ – April 22nd, Lion Joseph Ortega
- District 4-C4 Convention, May 19-22, 2022, Lion Paul Larson
- Live Silent Auction – April 30th

Upcoming Events and Announcements

- Baseball Program End of Season Lunch – May 7th, 2022
- Meadows Spring Carnival – May 15th, 2022
- 4-C4 Convention – May 19-22, 2022
- Police and Firefighters Awards – Friday May 27th, 2022
- Taylor Middle School Graduation BBQ – Tuesday May 31, 2022
- Past President's night – General Meeting, Wednesday June 1st, 2022
- MLC Installation - Saturday June 18th, 2022 @ GHCC
- Burlingame Lions Club Cars in the Park – Saturday July 30th, 2022
- Car Show – Saturday August 20th, 2022
- Golf Tournament – Monday September 19th, 2022

Good of the Order

Tail Twister



Millbrae Lions Club Recent Meeting – LEOs Appreciation Night: April 20th, 2022 (page 1 of 3)

By Lion PP Calvin Chin

Last night (4/20), close to 100 attended the Millbrae Lions General Meeting at the prestigious Green Hills Country Club! It was a vibrant and joyous event where we celebrated:

Our amazing Millbrae Leos (65 Leos members strong). Out of 6,600 Leos Clubs worldwide, our wonderful Millbrae Leos was recognized as one of the top Leos Clubs (about 70 Leos Clubs) via Lions International! Throughout the night, they received many other recognitions including but not all, the President's (of the USA) GOLD Volunteer Service Award (PVSA) and as the **top Leos Club for our District 4-C4** plus Club President **Brian Wen** was named **4-C4 Leo of the Year!**



Congratulations to our Millbrae Leos and the proud Leos Parents/Grandparents/Guardians who attended (part of our Millbrae Lions Club FAMILY). KUDOS also goes to our extremely hard- working Millbrae Leo Advisors (Lions Michael Kelly, Tim Lee and Ann Schneider) who give up their free quality time to help nurture our Millbrae Leos to be the best they can be (Give Back to our community) and also have FUN! Past Leos Advisors (PP John Muniz/Wayne Lee/Randy Sahae/Yours Truly) plus the rest of the Millbrae Lions are so PROUD!!!





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By Lion PP Calvin Chin

Last night (4/20), close to 100 attended the Millbrae Lions General Meeting at the prestigious Green Hills Country Club! It was a vibrant and joyous event where we celebrated:

Our Millbrae Lions Club FAMILY, we inducted 3 new Millbrae Lions (pictured wearing new Lion bibs, below) - 2 super active school parents and also baseball coaches/leaders (**Gabe Ortiz** and **Ramiro Hernandez**) from our legendary Millbrae Lions Youth Baseball Program and long-time active Millbrae resident volunteer **Laura Pellegrini-Bisbee** (also sister of Lion President Gary Pellegrini).



We also had 5 more members from our community who (Wilson Yee/Jacklyn deVera/Angelina Cahalan/Yoko Wong/Isbella Carlos) expressed interest in joining our Millbrae Lions FAMILY. Grateful to have new members who believe in our Millbrae Lions mission: "Help Make Millbrae a Wonderful Place to Live and Raise Families"!



Millbrae Lions Club Recent Meeting – LEOs Appreciation Night: April 20th, 2022 (page 3 of 3)

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Last night (4/20), close to 100 attended the Millbrae Lions General Meeting at the prestigious Green Hills Country Club! It was a vibrant and joyous event where we celebrated:

Lion President **Gary Pellegrini** presented our \$25,000 donation for the new Millbrae Recreation Center to MCF 1st VP **Lynne Ferraio**, City Manager and Lion **Tom Williams**, City Council and Lions **Anders Fung** and **Ann Schneider**. Another proud moment that our club is able to help support the opening of our new recreation center for all our Millbrae residents (22,500) who "We Serve"!



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Millbrae Lions Youth Group – Lions Baseball!

By Lion 1st VP Steve Henderson

Baseball End-of-Season BBQ Celebration!
Starting @ 11:30am thru 2pm, this Saturday @
Taylor Fields/Caroline Shea Center – May 7th



Millbrae Lions Baseball

End of Season BBQ

Join us for the Food Festivities and Games

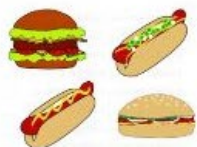
Saturday, May 7th - Food Served 11:30 am till 1:00 pm

Parking Lot of the Caroline Shea Center

Above Taylor Field #1 (Near Richmond Drive)

A hot dog or hamburger, chips and a drink

will be served to every baseball family member



Our Millbrae Lions Club will also be honoring
Lion Disen Cai, for his (very generous) donation of
Baseball Field Scoreboard(s!)



Millbrae Lions Club – in the Community! Lomita Park Elementary School Cook-out/Fund-Raiser

By Lion PP Calvin Chin

Last night (April 22nd), the Millbrae Lions Club was grateful and honored to co-host with the Lomita Park PTA to provide our world-famous Millbrae Lions BBQ Dinner for our important Lomita Park School Community. The annual Lomita Park FAMILY BBQ is one of the largest and highly anticipated school community event where the school families look forward to.

We had a BLAST spending quality time with our LOMITIANS, sharing meals and having oodles and oodles of laughter and FUN.



Kudos goes to the Lomita Park PTA (President Nicol Nishikawa/[Kiera Illusorio Garrone](#) and many others) and our Lion **Joe Ortega** for leading/organizing the event.

Lion President Gary Pellegrini (who was a LOMITIAN 60 years ago, now 61 years old right? LOL!) presented Lions \$500 donation to Lomita Park PTA President Nicole Nishikawa, to help ensure they have funds for future school needs.

Thank you again Lomita Park for inviting your friendly Millbrae Lions Club!

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Millbrae Lions Club – in the Community! Lomita Park Elementary School Cook-out/Fund-Raiser (cont.)

By Lion PP Calvin Chin





Lions District 4-C4: Student Speakers Contest

By Lion PP Paul Larson

On Sunday, **April 24, 2022**, at Burlingame Lions Club Hall - Lions, families and students all gathered to participate in the 4-C4 District Level Student Speakers Contest. The student speakers attending were each winners at their individual Club Level contests, then continued up the ladder winning their Zone Level contest, on to winning their Region Level and now are at the District Level contest. 4 Students competed, including our Millbrae Lions Club winner, Capuchino High School Student Vivien Danielle Brown (2nd from left, below). District 4-C4 Student Speakers Chair Lion Mary Carbullido conducted the contest. Various Lions also acted as timers and tellers, and 5 non-Lions acted as Judges, and I acted as photographer.



The competition was close, and each speaker did an excellent job in their own unique way, but after the judging the winning student was from San Francisco. Thanks to all who participated and those who attended. The next level will be the Area Contest between the District 4-C4 student winner and 3 other Bay Area Districts on Sunday, May 15, 2022 at 1:00 PM at Burlingame Lions Club Hall.



Peninsula Council of Lions Clubs w/San Francisco Coordinating Council of Lions Clubs

By Lion PP Paul Larson

Officers and members of both the "Peninsula Council of Lions Clubs" and the "San Francisco Coordinating Council of Lions Clubs" met at the Portuguese Cultural Center in Half Moon Bay on **Monday April 25, 2022** for a joint meeting and social event. Millbrae Lions in attendance were Lion PDG Mike Simonini and Lion PCL PP Paul Larson. The meeting was hosted by the Half Moon Bay Lions Club. Lion PCL President Venetia Young called the meeting to order at approximately 7:00 PM.



Back Row: PCL 2nd VP / R5Z1 Chair David Melchner, PDG Mike Simonini, PDG Steve Picchi
Front Row: PCL PP / R6 Chair Paul Larson, PCL President Venetia Young

Following a wonderful buffet dinner served by Half Moon Bay's Spanishtown Restaurant, a number of informative reports were given, a few brief words by 1st VDG and incoming DG John Hui, along with campaign speeches by Lion Eleanor Britter and Lion Clayton Jolley who are running for Second Vice District Governor (with voting taking place at our upcoming District 4-C4 Convention in Redding this coming May 19-22, 2022). Upon the arrival of SFCCLC President August Valera time was given for him to provide words of encouragement. The meeting concluded with the ring of Lion August's President's bell. Thanks to all who attended and all who put this meeting together.



2nd Annual Millbrae Lions Club Silent + Live Auction! GOALS = MET!!!

By Lion PP Calvin Chin

This past Saturday night (4/30), the Millbrae Lions had a successful fundraiser - MILLBRAE LIONS 2ND ANNUAL SILENT/LIVE AUCTION held at our dear community friends ONE MARTIAL ARTS. We are still tabulating the final net dollars raised, but we are on target to exceed our goal! All net funds raised will be INVESTED back into our important Millbrae Community.

#43 Trinchero Wine Tasting Package



Thank you to
Lion Ed Musa
for
coordinating
this donation!

TRINCHERO
Family Estates

Shout-outs go to our Auction co-chairs Lions [Betsy Jacob](#), [Ed Musa](#) and the auction committee (Lions John Celentano, [Kevin O'Neil](#), [Timothy Lee](#), Michael Kelly, Wayne Lee, [Derek Forman](#), Oscar Loza and Lady [Elaine Celentano](#)) for their many many hours in putting together this important event.



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<https://www.millbraelions.club/>



Knights of the Blind and Visually Challenged (from March 15, 2022)

By Lion PP John Muniz

(note – apologies to Lion John, the Bulletin Editor neglected to include this timely article in a previous newsletter)

Knights of the Blind and Visually Challenged

In 1925, Helen Keller, the internationally famous advocate for the blind and deaf, addressed the Lions Clubs International Convention in Cedar Point, Ohio, USA, and challenged Lions to become "Knights of the Blind" in the crusade against darkness.

The Millbrae Lions Club has accepted the Helen Keller challenge and has served the visually impaired in Millbrae for over eighty-four years.

Back in December of 2020, while I was photogating the Holiday Card Distribution in the front of Mills High School a teacher by the name of Dana Inescoza approached me because I had on my Lions sweatshirt. He asked if the Lions provided a new pair of glasses to students and families who were underserved and could not afford them. I gave Dana my Lions card and told him to contact me if one of his students for a family that needed help. Well, last week Dana contacted me. He had a young man of 17 in 11th grand attending Mills. He said his glasses were taped together, so I got the ball rolling. Yesterday, 3-14, Osvaldo and his father meet me at the Airport Costco. Osvaldo was given a complete eye screening which included an Ultra-Wide Digital Retinal Imaging (which is an extra cost) to ensure his retina was in good shape. We then took the prescription to the frames department and new frames were selected. All paid for by the generosity of the Millbrae Lions Club.



We Serve

PP Lion John Muniz



Millbrae Lions – Donations for the war victims in Ukraine

By Lion Ann Schneider

Millbrae Lions,

Our Board voted to match Lion donations up to \$1000 to help people who have been displaced by Putin's war against Ukraine. The Lions Club International Foundation (LCIF) has a standing fund where every dollar donated is sent to Lions Clubs that are directly helping displaced people. Millbrae Lions have already raised over **\$2,000 dollars** that will be matched by the Club so **\$3,000** that will go to Lions Clubs in Poland and the other countries next to Ukraine and working to help over 4 million displaced people, predominantly women, children and elderly fleeing the war.

If you would like to participate, you can donate by writing a check directly the LCIF and in this case make sure the check asks for funds to go to **LCIF Ukrainian Refugees and Displaced Peoples Fund**.

OR, you can **give cash or check to the Millbrae Lions Club** asking that this donation go to the **Ukrainian Refugee and Displaced Peoples Fund**. Every \$1,000 donated by the Millbrae Lions Club earns our Club a Melvin Jones Fellowship Award.

<https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/give-how-to-give/melvin-jones-fellowship>

https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/donate?utm_source=intruder-banner&utm_medium=link&utm_campaign=humanitarian-resettlement

We'll be collecting donations at the Millbrae Lions Membership dinner at Green Hills on **May 4th**. Or you can mail a check to the Millbrae Lions, PO Box 328, Millbrae, CA 94030.

Thanks and keep safe.

Lion Ann Schneider
Chair, Millbrae Lions Ukrainian Refugee Fund Raising Project

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District 4-C4 Convention – May 18-22 in Redding CA

NOTE – Registration has been extended to MAY 5th

Hello Millbrae Lions! It is VERY important that anyone/everyone planning to attend the '22 4-C4 Convention fills out and submits the form (linked below) – ASAP! YOU NEED TO BE THERE BY 10pm FRIDAY, 5/20 TO VOTE ON SATURDAY, 5/21!



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
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
MEALS Total \$ _____

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 _____



District 4-C4 Convention – May 18-22 in Redding CA

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Different Cultures



United in Service

We are looking forward to seeing you at

2022 DISTRICT 4-C4 CONVENTION

May 18-22, 2022

Red Lion Hotel, Redding CA

Registration Deadline is **May 5, 2022**

Click here for the [REGISTRATION FORM](#)

There is still time to:

Play golf - [Kevin Kielty Invitational Golf Tournament](#)

Join 3 of your friends and form a [Barbershop Quartet](#)

Share your best cultural look in [Costume Parade Contest](#)

Show us your talent in [Amateur Show](#)

Entertain us in [Tail Twister Contest](#)

Share your culture with food at [International Food Fair](#)

Hospitality Rooms are sold out

Reminder:

Delegates must be reported by 5:00 PM Thursday, May 19, 2022

Delegates must be certified by 10:00 PM Friday, May 20, 2022



LION LAUGHS – by Lion Michael Kelly

MILLBRAE LIONS CLUB FUN CORNER – WORST JOKES OF 2022 (so far...)

What's better than Ted Danson?

Ted singing and Danson!

What did the drummer call his twin daughters?

Anna one, Anna two!

What does a baby computer call his father?

Data!

What do you call a bear without any teeth?

A gummy bear!

Does anyone need an ark?

I Noah guy!

I bought a ceiling fan the other day.

Complete waste of money. He just stands there applauding and saying "Ooh, I love how smooth it is."

What do you get when you cross a snowman with a vampire?

Frostbite.

Why did Cinderella get kicked off the football team?

Because she kept running from the ball!

What does a zombie vegetarian eat?

"GRRRAAAIIINNNNS!"

What's at the bottom of the ocean and shivers?

A nervous wreck!

What's the difference between a well-dressed man on a unicycle and a poorly dressed man on a bike?

Attire!

How many ears does Spock have?

Three. The left ear, the right ear, and the final front-ear!

How did Darth Vader know what Luke got him for Christmas?

He felt his presents!

What time did the man go to the dentist?

Tooth hurt-y!

What do you call someone with no body and no nose?

Nobody knows!



MILLBRAE LIONS CLUB CALENDAR

NO CLUB VISITATIONS PLANNED

May 2022

- 4 General Meeting/Cinco de Mayo Night
- 7 Baseball Program End-of-Season BBQ Lunch/Celebration
- 11 Board of Directors Meeting
- 15 Meadows Elementary School Spring Carnival
- 18 General Meeting
- 18-22 District 4-C4 Convention
(Redding, CA)
- 27 Police & Firefighters Awards
- 31 Taylor Middle School Graduation BBQ

June 2022

- 1 General Meeting/Past President's Recognition Night
- 8 Board of Directors Meeting
- 18 MLC New Board Installation Dinner @ GHCC

July 2022

- 30 MLC New Board Installation Dinner @ GHCC

August 2022

- 20 Millbrae Machines Car Show

September 2022

- 19 Golf Tournament @ GHCC



MILLBRAE LIONS CLUB SUNSHINE REPORT



Sunshine

Millbrae Lions Club Sunshine Chair PP **Lion John Muniz**

Lion Past President David Van Wart lost his father Jerry Van Wart, a card and potted plant were sent to the family in Mantica, Ca. Our deepest sympathies to the Van Wart family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this painful time. Service information is below: Chapel of the Highlands

Jerry Van Wart	Visitation Monday, May 16, 2022 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CHAPEL OF THE HIGHLANDS	Funeral Liturgy Monday, May 16, 2022 11:00 AM CHAPEL OF THE HIGHLANDS	Graveside Service Monday, May 16, 2022 2:00 PM Holy Cross Catholic Cemetery 1500 Mission Road Colma, CA 94014	American Heart Association 1710 Gilbreth Road Burlingame, CA 94010 (800) 242-8721 www.americanheart.org American Cancer Society 3 Twin Dolphin Drive, Suite 175 Redwood City, CA 94065 (800) 227-2345 www.cancer.org	Sunday 5/15/2022 by 3:00 PM CHAPEL OF THE HIGHLANDS
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Lady Nancy Montes, wife of Past President Lion Tony Montes was hospitalized last week, she is now at home. Lady Nancy will respond to your calls. Lady Nancy and Lion Tony were regularly active Lions and dedicated community servants and of course, the "Life of the Party".



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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



May Birthdays

May 13th – Lion Vince Gigi
May 14th – Lion Tony Montes
May 18th – Lion Bob Vogt
May 19th – Lion Ken Fowler
May 19th – Lion Paul Slattery
May 21st – Lion Joe Bronzini
May 24th – Lion Ron Johnson
May 28th – Lion Lew Grasberger

May Anniversaries

May 10th – Lion Bruce & Elisabeth Sutter
May 12th, 2014 – Michael & Alice Kuang
May 19th – Doug & Mary Ann Button
May 29th, 1999 – Lion Kevin & Gabrielle O'Neil

If you are a Millbrae Lion and would like to share your and/or your significant other birthday/wedding anniversary, please email MichaelKelly@POBox.com or call 650-504-1029. Thank you!



DISTRICT 4-C4 CLUB CALENDAR

UPCOMING EVENTS

MAY 2022

Thurs, May 5 [San Francisco Fil Am Lions Club Golf Tournament](#)

Fri, May 6 [Foster City Lions Club Fundraiser for Ukraine](#)

Sat, May 7 [District 4-C4 Service at SF-Marin Food Bank](#)

Sat, May 14 [District 4-C4 Service at SF-Marin Food Bank](#)

Sun, May 15 [Multiple Clubs Fundraiser for Ukraine](#)
[San Francisco Chinatown Lions Club 51st Miss Chinatown Event](#)

Thu, May 19 - Sun, May 22

District 4-C4 Convention

[Registration](#) **EXTENDED TO THURSDAY, MAY 5, 2022:**

The registration form is a fill able pdf, download it, fill it in, and email it to ions4service@gmail.com – include your check number in your email. Mail the check to District 4-C4 convention, PO Box 25301, San Mateo CA 94402. Your registration form will be held pending your payment - **Payment must be received no later than May 10, 2022.**

[Kevin Kielty Invitational Golf Tournament](#)

[Hospitality Rooms](#) **SOLD OUT**

[International Food Fair](#)

[Amateur Show](#)

[Barbershop Quartets](#)

[Costume Parade](#)

[Tail Twister Contest](#)

[Sample Ballot](#)

Sat, May 21 [District 4-C4 Service at SF-Marin Food Bank](#)

Fri, May 27 [Peninsula Council of Lions Clubs Police & Firefighters Awards](#)

Sat, May 28 Save the date: District 4-C4 Club Officer Training
[District 4-C4 Service at SF-Marin Food Bank](#)

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DISTRICT 4-C4 CLUB CALENDAR

JUNE 2022

Fri, Jun 3 [Multiple Clubs Blood Drive](#)

Sat, Jun 4 [Celebration of Lion Kevin Kielty's Life](#)

Sat, Jun 18 Save the date: Millbrae Lions Club Installation

Wed, Jun 22 Save the date: San Francisco Coordinating Council of Lions Clubs Meeting

Fri, Jun 24 – Tue, Jun 28 [Lions Clubs International Convention](#)

Mon, Jun 27 Save the date: Peninsula Council of Lions Club Meeting

JULY 2022

Sun, Jul 3 Save the date: District 4-C4 Bowling Tournament **NEW**

Sat, Jul 16 – Sun, Jul 17 Save the date: San Francisco Unified Lions Club Lion Dance Festival

Wed, Jul 27 - Sun, Jul 31 [5th USA/Canada Leo Leadership Forum](#)

Sat, Jul 30 Save the date: Burlingame Lions Club Cars In The Park

AUGUST 2022

Sat, Aug 13 Save the date: District 4-C4 Cabinet Installation

SEPTEMBER 2022

Thu, Sep 15 - Sat, Sep 17 [46th USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum](#)

Sat, Sep 17 Save the date: Bay Area Global Outreach Lions Club Installation



MILLBRAE LIONS CLUB PRESIDENT'S GOALS/VISION

2021-22 Gary Pellegrini

Assist in bringing the Millbrae Lion's Club and the Millbrae Community back to a state of normalcy.

- Continue to support and strengthen relationships with the Community we serve:
School District, schools, MEF: fundraising, donations
Continue to support: Youth programs, Scouts, Baseball program
Community Organizations: "Movers & Shakers"; City of Millbrae: Co-sponsor events
- Strengthen and Increase Millbrae Lion's Club Membership:
Recruiting during Community events; Promoting Club Membership
Having current Members recruit friends & Family
Promote more Spouse/significant other involvement
I would like to see 80 Members by 6/30/2022
- Getting our Leo's to become more engaged in the Community:
Continue down the same road as the Plastic Bench Project, which is an amazing accomplishment.
Confer with Leo's Advisors more often to come up with ideas on how to assist each other when planning projects and events.
- Getting "Back on Track"
Resume our projects, fundraisers, events, Family assistance programs.
More participation from our Members...it's going to be busy this year
Recruiting new project chairs to pair up with our "veterans"
Promote Spouse/Significant other participation in our projects, events.
Work hard, have fun...be Proud to be a Lion.

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)



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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