# PENINSULA COUNCIL OF LIONS We Serve





President's Message

PENINSULA COUNCIL OF LIONS June, 2006

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IPP Kris Bakshi Foster City Lions Club 602 Bainbridge Street Foster City, CA 94404 R 650-349-8159 B 650-594-9440 On behalf of the Peninsula Council of Lions Clubs, I want to thank President Don Beyer and all of members of the Millbrae Lions Club for hosting our May PCL Dinner meeting at the Terrace Café' in the El Rancho Inn on May 22, 2006. Once again, the PCL had an excellent showing of clubs and members from throughout San Mateo County. Our pledge was led by Millbrae Lions Club President Beyer. The song was led by Millbrae Lions Club Tail Twister Lynn Azzopardi. The invocation was made by none other than Millbrae Lion and PDG George Habeeb. Everyone was "on-key" and singing well for the evening.

As usual, the Burlingame Lions Club was out of order, but still sang, "where the hell is Burlingame." They had competition from the members of the San Carlos Lions Club, who also sang their lions song, and from the unexpected swimmers we all saw in the café pool. The location and dinner were both excellent as usual for this location, so thanks again Millbrae!

It was my distinct pleasure, on behalf of the Officers of the Peninsula Council of Lions Clubs, to present Nancy Montes (who is not a Lion) with a special plaque in recognition for her years of volunteering for the Annual PCL Police and Fire Dinner Banquet. This event wouldn't be as successful as it recently has without the leadership and assistance from Nancy. The plaque contained a specially made "Peninsula Council of Lions Club" gold badge with our district "4C4" also engraved on it. Thanks again, Nancy!

During our dinner meeting, Past PCL President Paul Davis (Burlingame Lions), the Chairman of the PCL nominating committee introduced and recommended the slate of PCL Officers for 2006-2007 year. The slate included: IPP-Jack Van Etten; President-Al Hernandez; 1<sup>st</sup> VP-Bob Wilson; 2<sup>nd</sup> VP-Rick Ochsenhirt; Secretary-Toni Nava; Treasurer-Mike Simonini. I asked for nominations from the floor, however, no one was nominated. The formal nomination slate was moved to be closed and seconded. A vote was then taken from the PCL membership to accept the formal slate of nominations. The vote was unanimous.

Our current District Governor Eugene Chan was present, as were District Governor elect Al Russell and Vice District Governor elect Maxine Frazier. Formal congratulations were made to BOTH Al and Maxine. Our District Governor elect will be installed on July 16, 2006, at the Sheraton Hotel in Burlingame (cocktails 4:30 pm, dinner 6:00 pm). SF Council of Lions President Bill Sipinovitch was also in attendance at our meeting.

Mark your calendars for the last regular PCL monthly dinner meeting (hosted by the Foster City Lions Club) which will be held at Raffaello's Italian Restaurant, 1473 Beach Park Blvd in Foster City on June 26, 2006.

Don't forget to support PCL President elect Al Hernandez and all of the new PCL Officers at the 42nd Annual Installation Dinner held on Sunday, August 20, 2006, at Dominic's at Emerald Hills (located at the Elks Lodge) 938 Wilmington Way in Redwood City. Cost is \$35.00 per person and dress is semi-formal. More information about the installation will be forthcoming in the mail, in our next newsletter and at the June PCL dinner in Foster City.

Until our June (and final regular PCL meeting) dinner in Foster City, God bless you and keep up the great job of helping others and making our communities better places for us to live.

Jack L. Van Etten, President Peninsula Council of Lions Clubs

PS – If your club would like to host a monthly dinner meeting for the PCL (in the north, central and south portions of San Mateo County), please contact current PCL Secretary Rick Ochsenhirt.

#### CLUB REPORTS



**BRISBANE** – Events; Scholarship Awards to nine students totaling \$12,000 and thirteen Lions attended the convention. Donated \$1,775 to the Summer Renting Program and \$1,200 to the Junior Blind.

**BURLINGAME** – Events; School Staff Awards, BHS Scholarships, Mills High –Outstanding Student and Roots & Shoots. Upcoming events; Art in the Park, Cars in the Park and the installation of our new officers.

**DALY CITY GATEWAY** – Four new members. 710 volunteer hrs. last month, seven members attended the convention and recognized by lacal pre-school for vision screening. Installation is on July 23<sup>rd</sup>.

**DALY CITY HOST** – Three new members. Events; Butler Carnival, 65<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, Rebuilding Together and Student Speaker. Six members attended the convention. Upcoming event; 65<sup>th</sup> Annual Installation on June 16<sup>th</sup>.

**FOSTER CITY** – Events; Rebuilding Together, Silent Auction, World Wide Induction, two members attended the convention and presented four scholarships to Leos. Upcoming events; Art & Wine Festival, Cancer Society Relay for Life, Concours and our Installation of officers.

**HALF MOON BAY** – Events; Seven members attended the convention, donated \$3,000 to Coastside Adult Health Center, Student Speaker lost at the area contest, Annual Rock the Block Party and Annual Senior Appreciation luncheon.

**MENLO PARK HOST** – Three members attended the convention. Hosted the Muti-Club Dinner meeting. Club Officers Installation is June 3<sup>rd</sup>.

MILLBRAE – Events; Spring Valley PTA Pancake fundraiser, forty members attended the convention, Taylor PTA fundraiser, Lomita PTA fundraiser, Sports Appreciation Night and Mills HS Graduate of the Year Award. Upcoming; Hillsborough Fun Run, MLC Baseball pancake breakfast and on June 17<sup>th</sup>, Annual Installation of Officers.

**PACIFICA** – Events; Rummage Sale raised over \$4,000, ten members attended the convention, World Wide Induction and sponsored the Jr. Olympics. Donations; \$500 to Joe Dimaggio Baseball, \$1,085 to Pacifica Historical Society, \$1,078 to Good Sheperd School and \$700 to Good Sheperd Church. Club officers installation will be on July 23<sup>rd</sup> at Nick's.

**PALO ALTO HOST** – Visited Weirgarten Peninsula Oral School for the Deaf, two members attended the convention and held a Memorial Coffee Gathering for a deceased member. Upcoming events; Orientation and meeting for the Concours d'Elegance. June 24<sup>th</sup>, Concours Dinner and June 25<sup>th</sup>, Classic Car Show.

**REDWOOD CITY SUNRISE** – Donations made to; Pets in Need, 2<sup>nd</sup> Harvest Food Bank, Guide Dogs of the Desert and Redwood City Symphony. Upcoming events; serving food at the Hiller Museum's Vertical Challenge and serving food at the Palo Alto Concours

**SAN BRUNO** – Donations; four \$500 scholarships to Cappachino HS. Twenty members attended the convention. Upcoming events; Posy Parade June 4<sup>th</sup>, Installation of officers June 10<sup>th</sup>, and Fireworks sales June 28<sup>th</sup>-July4th.

**SAN CARLOS** – Twelve members attended the convention. Two new members. Gave out two scholarship and participated in Hometown Days. Upcoming events; Installation of officers, June 17<sup>th</sup> and assist Palo Alto club with the Concours, June 25<sup>th</sup>.

**SAN MATEO** – Eight members attended the convention. Sponsored Youth Lions International and the Youth Exchange. Participated in WW Induction and Rebuilding Together.

**SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO HOST** – Eight members attended the convention. Received several awards from the district. Upcoming events; Eight members will be attending the International convention in Boston and the installation of officers on June 13<sup>th</sup>.

**SSF GOLDEN GATE** – Eighteen members attended the convention. Regular volunteer at Dolger Community Center. Installation of officers on August 5<sup>th</sup> at SSF Grosvener Hotel.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

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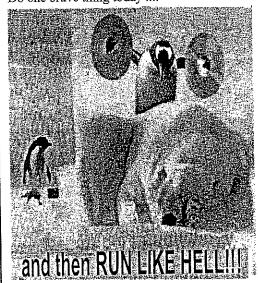
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# PENINSULA COUNCIL OF LIONS CLUBS We Serve



#### ANNUAL COUNCIL INSTALLATION DINNER

Please make plans to come and enjoy the 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Installation of Officers Dinner Banquet. In addition, all Club Presidents and PCL Past Presidents will also be honored. This will be a memorable and entertaining evening!

Mark your calendars and look for additional information (fliers, invitations, etc.) that will be sent to all clubs in the near future.

Date: Sunday, August 20, 2006

Time: No Host Cocktails and Hors D'oeuvres 4:30-5:45 PM, Dinner 6:00 PM.

Location: Dominic's at Emerald Hills (Emerald Hills Golf Course/Elks Lodge)

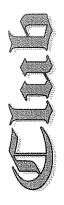
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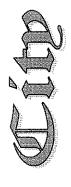
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# Peninsula Council of Lions Monthly Meeting Monday, June 26, 2006

# Raffaello's Italian Cuisine

Beach Park Plaza 1473 Beach Park Boulevard • Foster City

NO HOST COCKTAILS 6:15 pm
DINNER 7:15 PM
\$25.00 PER PERSON

## Main Entrée

Chicken Piccata

Eggplant Parmesan

Beef Dish

Coffee, Tea and Dessert

# GREAT RAFFLE PRIZES COME JOIN US!

Contact PCL 2nd VP Bob Wilson at (415) 467-3427 or e-mail <a href="mailto:skipperbob@ship134.com">skipperbob@ship134.com</a> to confirm your attendance by Wednesday, June 21st as we will need to know your choice of Entrée and a reasonable accurate count for the restaurant.