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Peninsula Council of Lions Clubs



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President's Message

Due to the busy holiday season, we don't have meeting in December, 2008 has begun with a great beginning. In 2007, we made tremendous progress in our programs at the Peninsula



Council of Lions meetings. Participation by the clubs is impressive and I would like to say thank you for all of your hard work in 2007.

However, do not forget that our next regularly schedules dinner meeting will be on Monday, January 28, 2008 and will be hosted by the Burlingame Lions Club.

The members of the board of directors of the Peninsula Council have already begun working on our big event, the Police and Fire Awards. This event will take place on March 28, 2008. Everyone is invited to attend this Gala Event and I promise that you will not be disappointed.

I want to wish everyone a prosperous and happy 2008, the Year of the Rat! Remember, eighty percent of success is showing up.....

God Bless, Lion Bob Wilson

PCL Meeting Schedules

January 28, 2008

Hosted by: Burlingame Lions Club

Double Tree Hotel

835 Airport Blvd, Burlingame, Ca

February 25, 2008

Hosted by: Foster City Lions Club

March 28, 2008

Police & Fire Awards Night

Crowne Plaza Hotel, Foster City, Ca

April 5, 2008

Y&CA Raffle Award Dinner

April 28, 2008

Hosted by: So SF Golden Gate Lions Club

May 19, 2008

Hosted by: Millbrae Lions Club

June 2008 - TBA

Hosted by: Brisbane Lions Club

Peninsula Council of Lions Officer's



Lion Bob Wilson PCL President 2007-2008 Brisbane Lions Club



Lion Rick Ochsenhirt
PCL 1st Vice President
So. San Francisco Host Lions



Lion Toni NavaPCL 2nd Vice President
Burlingame Lions



Lion Rudy Pedagat
PCL Secretary & Bulletin Editor
SSF Golden Gate Lions



Lion Mike Simonini PCL Treasurer Millbrae Lions



Lion Al Hernandez
PCL Immediate Past President
Redwood City Sunrise Lions

SF Council Supports Peninsula

The Peninsula Council of Lions would like to thanks the following for supporting the Council. District Governor Maxine Frazier; Margaret Lee, President of San Francisco Council of Lions, San Francisco Chinatown Lions; Robert Ramos, Region One Chair, SF Hispanic Lions, Sandra Ramos, SF Hispanic Lions; Bill Stipinovich, Region 1 Zone 4 Chair and secretary of San Francisco Council of Lions, SF Nikkei Lions; Rosie Jones, District Executive Coordinator, SF Ocean Ingleside Lions.

Thank you all.....



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PCL Board Club President's

Bill Robertson Atherton Lions Belmont Lions Stuart Latimerlo **Brisbane Lions** Romiro Ibarra Dan Andersen **Burlingame Lions** Daly City Gateway Lions Dave Hoffman Daly City Host Lions Lorraine D'Elia Carol Klatt East Palo Alto Lions Freda Johnson Jon Froomin Foster City Lions Half Moon Bay Lions Ron Fenech Menlo Park Host Lions John Fenstermaker Menlo Park Live Oak Lions Phyllis VanDeMark Millbrae Lions John Muniz Pacifica Lions Barbara Fields Palo Alto Host Lions Marylou Robson Rdwd City Sunrise Lions **Boyd Schauer** Trevor Newman **Redwood Shores Lions** San Bruno Lions David Keller San Carlos Lions Curtis Wright San Mateo Lions Ray Mahaffay San Mateo Metro Lions Cindy Zheng So SF Golden Gate Lions Cipriano Ayalin Sandra Ige So SF Host Lions

Peninsula Attends San Francisco

PCL President Bob Wilson, Brisbane Lions and other members of the Peninsula Council of Lions attended the San Francisco Council of Lions meeting, November 28, hosted by the San Francisco Chinatown Lions held at the Gold Mountain Rest., San Francisco. Congratulations to President Margaret Lee for the good meeting and also to the hosting Club, San Francisco Chinatown Lions.

In attendance from the Peninsula Council are Bob Wilson, President of Peninsula Council & secretary of Brisbane Lions; Al Hernandez, PCL Immediate Past President, Redwood City Sunrise Lions; Mike Simonini, PCL & District treasurer, Millbrae Lions; Emil Kantola, Vice District Governor, Pacifica Lions; Yvonne Kantola, Past President Pacifica Lions; Sandra Ige, Contest Commissioner, SSF Host Lions; Verdie Thompson, Region Two Zone Chair, SSF Golden Gate Lions and Rudy Pedagat, PCL Secretary & Bulletin Editor, SSF Golden Gate Lions.

Keep up the good work San Francisco Council.

Important Dates and Events

December 15, 2207 – Foster City Abalone Feed, District wide Lions Eye Foundation, Foster City Recreation Center.

January 5 & 12, 2008 – Lions In Sight Warehouse Workdays, 1404 Lemon Street, Vallejo, Ca

February 1 to 3, 2008 – MD-4 Convention in Modesto, Ca

February 9,2008 – D4-C4 3rd Cabinet Meeting, Region 3, Redwood City Veteran's War Memorial Building.

February 15 to 17, 2008 – Flag Day February 18, 2008 – Club Contest, Student

Speaker Completion Date

March 1 to 2, 2008 – Hearing Days

March 8, 2008 – San Francisco Police and Fire Awards

March 20, 2008 – Zone Contest, Student Speaker Completion Date

March 23, 2008 – Lions Day at City of Hope March 28, 2008 – Peninsula Police and Fire Awards, Crown Plaza Hotel, Foster City.

March 29, 2008 – Eyeglasses Collection Day April 5, 2008 – Y & CA Raffle Award Dinner April 7, 2008 – Region Contest, Student

Speaker Completion Date

April 19, 2008 – Worldwide Induction Day **April 28, 2008** – District Contest, Student Speaker Completion Date

May 14 to 18, 2008 – D4-C4 District Convention, Sacramento Radisson Hotel

Don't Miss Out

Friday, March 28, 2008
Peninsula Council of Lions
Police and Fire
Awards Banquet

Crown Plaza Hotel Foster City, California



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Atherton Lions

President: Bill Robertson Report: No Report

Belmont Lions

President: Stuart Latimerlo Reported by: Stuart Latimerlo

Attendance: Christine Beard & Stuart Latimerlo

Nov 16 & 17 Ralston Florist's Open House, fundraiser for the Belmont Lions. Free demonstration and unlimited shopping. Dec. 2 Holiday Party with the San Carlos Lions. April 22, 2008, Earth Day-Shedder Project.

Homeless Shelter Project in conjunction with

Redwood Shores Lions.

Brisbane Lions

President: Romiro Ibarra

Attendance: Bob Wilson & Elizabeth Wilson (2) Reported by: Bob Wilson, Secretary Community Service: Free hot dogs - Seven Friday Night Concerts in the Park, Free BBQ for the Lagoon cleanup, 5 members participated. Donations: \$250.00 to the Train of Smiles and \$1000.00 to Schools Mountaineer Club.

Future Activities: White Cane Day, Community Festival in the Park, Free flu shot, Pumpkin patch

fun run and BBO at the Park.

Burlingame Lions

President: Dan Anderson Reported by: Dan Anderson

Attendance: PDG John Benson, PDG Don Stanaway, PDG Ray Kliewer, Bob Goodman, Paul Davis, Erik Winkler and Toni Nava (7) July 28-Cars-in-the Park raised \$9,500.00; August 28-Burlingame Back-to-School BBQ for

over 300 teachers.

Future Activities: October 6 Burlingame Centennial Community Picnic to serve 1000 lunches; October 7 Relay for Life Pancake breakfast to serve 400 breakfast; October 8 Mid-Peninsula Golf Tournament at Crystal Spring Golf Course.

Daly City Gateway Lions

President: Dave Hoffman Attendance: Katherine Ferriols

Report: No Report

Daly City Host Lions

President: Lorraine D'Ellia & Carol Klatt

Report: No Report

East Palo Alto Lions

President: Freda Johnson

Report: No Report

Foster City Lions

President: Jon Froomin

Attendance: Barbara Bergero, Carolyn Cox, Jon Froomin, Bod Goodwin, Janis Kiesel & Lucy Tan

Reported by: Jon Froomin (6)

Oct. 26 – Bingo sales fundraiser, Oct. 27 – Cheer on Lions sponsored soccer team, Nov. 3 - Senior Flu Clinic, Nov. 4 – painted part of local Elementary School, Nov. 10 – 8 members attended 2nd cabinet meeting, Nov. 25 – hosted Bingo lunch for local seniors, Dec 8 – Club Holiday Party and Dec 15 - sponsored Abalone

Dinner.

Half Moon Bay Lions

President: Ron Fenech

Attendance: Rich Picchi & Steve Picchi (2)

Reported by: Steve Picchi

Dec. 19-Christmas Party at Mezza Luna. February Student Speakers Contest. March 1, 2008-3rd Annual Wild Game Feed. October and

November new member was inducted.

Menlo Park Host Lions

President: John Fenstermaker

Report: No Report

Menlo Park Live Oak Lions

President: Phyllis Van de Mark

Report: No Report

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Millbrae Lions

President: John Muniz

Attendance: Rod Frediani, Lew Grasberger, Paul Larsen, Tony Montes, John Muniz & Mike

Simonini (6)

Report: John Muniz

Nov 7-Silent Auction, Dec 8 - Donated Christmas tree and decoration at the Emmanuel Nursing Home in Millbrae, Dec 9 - annual Winter Social at Lion Mary Griffin residence, Dec 13-free Senior Citizen Pancakes breakfast sponsored by Millbrae Lions and Millbrae Fire Dept, Dec 14-Christmas Party, Jan 12 – annual Crab Ciopino Feed, Millbrae City Council honored Leo chairperson Lion Doug Callahan for his worth with young people of IE Millbrae Lions Leo's Club, Five Millbrae Lions and six Leo members attended the 2nd District cabinet meeting, Sylvia Chen of Taylor Middle School winner of the District Peace Poster Contest was announced by DG Maxine Frazier and Lion Paul Larsen, Peace Poster Contest Chair, Millbrae Lions received \$500 from Citi Group, Smith Barney on behalf of Lion Lucy Denos, long time member of Millbrae Lions for community service hours over 6 years of service, will participate in the Y&C ticket

Currently Leo members = 40 members Currently Millbrae Lions membership = 77 members

Pacifica Lions

President: Barbara Fields

Attendance: Barbara Fields; James Gillchrist; Michael Guisto; VDG Emil Kantola; Yvonne

Kantola & Mary Schutz (6)

Reported by: Michael Guisto, Secretary Donated \$100 to the Pacifica school volunteers and \$100 to Relief Fund Southern California fire victims. Participated in sight nite with the help of two girl scout troops and three senior apartment complexes collected over 350 eye glasses. Held rummage sale in early November with the help of the Pacifica Historical Society. Pacifica Lions participated in the City of Pacifica 50th anniversary dinner and served the bar. Participated in a community informational for various service and community groups. Sponsored two eye exams & glasses two Pacifica residents. 7 members attended the 2nd cab. mtg

Palo Alto Host Lions

President: Marylou Robson

Attendance: Jenny Jump, Joan Peterson, Marylou

Robson & Al Thomas. (4)

Reported by: Marylou Robson, President Scheduled orientation for two newest members. Clothing drive for City Team. Palo Alto blind veterans walk. Participated in Palo Alto Halloween Haunt and St. Eliz Seton Walkathon. Big game visitation with East Bay Clubs. 12/16/07 Palo Alto Lions Holiday Party. Future activities: Student Speaker Contest and

2009 Concourse D'Elegance Project

Redwood City Sunrise Lions

President: Boyd Schauer Attendance: Al Hernandez (1) Reported by: Al Hernandez

Dec 1-Christmas Party and collecting toys and

gifts for Sheriffs Department.

Donations: \$100 for Redwood City Police Officers Association; \$100 for Salvation Army; \$100 for Books Aloud; \$100 for Second Harvest Food Bank; \$100 for St Frances Center; \$100 for LCIF (California Wildfire Relief Fund); \$100 for Lions Eye Foundation; \$100 for Veterans Fishing Foundation; \$85 Student Speaker Foundation & \$50 for Youth Exchange Program.

Total Donation = \$935.00

Redwood Shores Lions

President: Trevor Newman

Report: No Report

San Bruno Lions

President: David Keller

Attendance: Mario Benanvente; Ken Ibarra and

Michael Samatia (3)

Reported by: Mario Benavente

For the month of November: Participated in Golf Tournament with \$4500 profit. PIS Tammy Keller hosted a Tea Party. Sponsored two Peace Poster Contests. Participated in Daly City Host Turkey Bowl with 121 strikes. Leo Club back in operation.

For the month of December: Attending Foster City Abalone Feed. 12/16 Sunday Holiday Party Brunch. Operation Santa Claus - toys for mentally challenged children. Operation food basket for needy families.



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San Carlos Lions

President: Curtis Wright

Attendance: Connie Barba, Frank Cauterucci,

IPDG Al Russell. (3) Reported by: Connie Barba

Holiday Party with Belmont, San Mateo, Menlo Park Host attending 80 people at Dominic's Poplar Creek Rest. Orientation for two new members (father & son). Preparing for Melodrama skit, Chickens ball, April 2008. Annual Kids Halloween Costumes Contest & Pumpkin Carving, October 27, 2007. Donations: \$5000 – San Carlos Park & Recreation Foundation toward new kids Playground equipment. \$250-4H Club, Highway clean-up. \$450 for White Cane Day & \$450-Cup

Board. Total Donation = \$6150.00

San Mateo Lions

President: Ray Mahaffay

Attendance: Elaine Borland, Mary Brut, Lou Himenes, Ray Mahaffay & Kay Rabb (5)

Reported by: Ray Mahaffay

January 26, 2008-3rd Annual Fundraising Bowling Tournament. November 12, participated in Marine Corp Lake Cutting. 4 members participated in Samaraton House Food Give-

Away, November 17, 2007

Donation: \$300 for White Cane Days.

Total Donation = \$300.00

San Mateo Metro Lions

President: Cindy Zheng Report: No Report

Introducing The Lions of The Future

Brianna Marie Galea, the granddaughter of Lolo Lion Ken Ibarra and Nana Amy Fink of San Bruno Lions.

William Boyd Clancy the grandson of Lion Doug and Elaine Borland of San Mateo Lions. Congratulations to the new Granddad and Grandma.

South San Francisco Golden Gate Lions

President: Cipriano Ayalin

Attendance: Rudy Pedagat, & Verdie Thompson.

(2)

Reported by: Verdie Thompson
Club to raise \$1500 to build a house (Habitat for
Humanity) for underpriviled family in the
Philippines, projected to end of year 2008.
Operation empty bottles and cans for recycling
for White Cane fund drive. Four members
participated in Finger Printing at Mater Dolorosa
School with 150 student were fingerprinted from
K-9 grades. Six members attended the 2nd Cabinet
Meeting. Cleaning eye glasses at LIS Warehouse.
Nov 27-District Governor Maxine Frazier club
Visitation.

On going projects: Every 2nd Monday of the month feed the hungry (homeless), North Peninsula Food Pantry & Dining Center of Daly City. Volunteer work twice a week, Doelger Senior Center. Volunteer work one's a month, Martinez Juvenile Hall Martinez, Ca. 4-hrs volunteer work, Kaiser Permanente San Rafael. Future Projects: Christmas Caroling fundraising, practicing once a week. Participating in Student Speaker Contest. Dec 11, Christmas Party. Fundraising: \$80 raised Palawan State University Concert. \$560 raised Local Casino Night. \$192 raised for White Cane Day from collecting bottles & cans and Penny Drive.

South San Francisco Host Lions

President: Sandra Ige

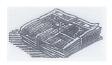
Attendance: Sandra Ige & Rick Ochsenhirt

Reported by: Sandra Ige, President

December 11, Christmas Party @Oyster Point Club. Conducted a fundraiser to help with the Sight First II pledge. December 18, distribution of food and toys to the needy of SSF. November 20, two Melvin Jones awarded to Lion Geo Stognoro & Lion Sam Moseenic.



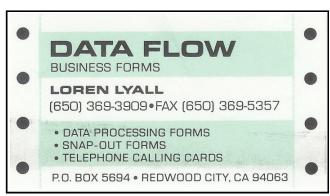
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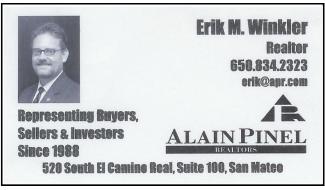












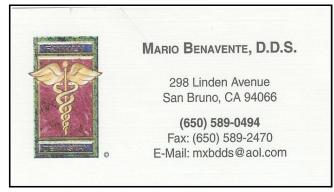


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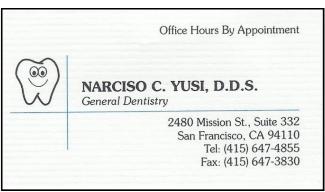














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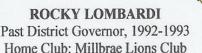
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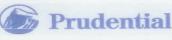


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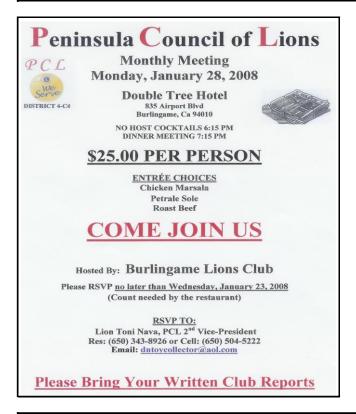
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PENINSULA COUNCIL "GET THE NEWS OR LOOSE" CONTEST





CONGRATULATIONS WINNERS

The Most Fashionable Award won by Sandee Ige of South San Francisco Host Lions
The Most Colorful Award won by John Muniz of Millbrae Lions
The Most Scariest Looking Award won by Jon Froomin of Foster City Lions
The Most Zaniest Award won by Stuart Latimerlo of Belmont Lions
The Most Creative Award goes to Barbara Fields of Pacifica Lions
The Most Practical Award goes to Marylou Robson of Palo Alto Host Lions



THE PENINSULA COUNCIL OF LIONS CLUBS PURPOSE



TO PROVIDE communication and the exchange of ideas between clubs

TO PROMOTE coordination of dates and social functions to avoid conflict among clubs.

TO ENCOURAGE cooperative effort on club projects of mutual interest.

TO ACQUAINT the administrative personnel of other clubs.

TO AID and ASSIST in further the ideas of Lionism.

TO SHARE with others the sources of good program.

WE SERVE

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