

Peninsula Council Chronicle

Peninsula Council of Lions Clubs



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President's Message



The year 2007 has begun with a great beginning. We had a great turnout at the South San Francisco Elk's Lodge and many thanks to President Sandee Ige and members of the South San Francisco Host

Lions for hosting the first Peninsula Council of Lions dinner meeting. Thank you to all the clubs for their reports. Monday, October 22nd Pacifica Lions will host the special joint meeting at Nick's Restaurant in Pacifica. This is a joint Halloween meeting of the Peninsula and San Francisco Council. Wear your best costume and win a prize for best original, funniest and scariest. Please plan on attending and showing your support to both councils.

Your council officers are actively working on the Police and Fireman's award banquet dinner on March 28, 2008. It is my goal to have a concise and informative fun meeting. I would like all attendees to get home at a reasonable time and feel that attending Peninsula Council is a positive experience.

A good listener is not only popular everywhere, but after a while they know something.

Thank you in lionism, Lion Bob Wilson

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Lion Bob Wilson PCL President 2007-2008 Brisbane Lions Club



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



Lion Toni Nava PCL 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

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PCL Meeting Schedules

October 22, 2007

Joint Halloween Council Meeting Peninsula & San Francisco Council Hosted by: Pacifica Lions Club

November 26, 2007

Hosted by: San Bruno Lions Club **December**, **2007** – No Meeting

January 28, 2008

Hosted by: Burlingame Lions Club

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

PCL Server DISTRICT 4-C4

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PCL Attends SF Council Meeting

PCL President Bob Wilson, Brisbane Lions and other members of the Peninsula Council of Lions attended the San Francisco Council of Lions meeting, September 26, hosted by the San Francisco Marina North Beach Lions held at the Lakeside Café in Ocean Avenue, San Francisco. Congratulations to President Margaret Lee for the big turnout and also to the hosting Club, San Francisco Marina North Beach Lions.

In attendance from the Peninsula Council is Immediate PCL Past President Al Hernandez, Redwood City Sunrise Lions; PCL & District Treasurer Mike Simonini of Millbrae Lions; Vice District Governor Emil Kantola of Pacifica Lions; Yvonne Kantola, Past President of Pacifica Lions, Barbara Fields, President of Pacifica Lions; Leadership Chair Ken Ibarra of San Bruno Lions; Doug Borland, R3 Zonel Chair, San Mateo Lions and the secretary & bulletin editor of the Peninsula Council of Lions Rudy Pedagat, Past President of South San Francisco Golden Gate Lions.

The winning club for most the attendance 6 members is San Francisco Circle Lions. The hosting club is 9.

Keep up the good work San Francisco Council.

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; Esther Lee, Past President, SF Marina North Beach Lions; Lydia Taylor, District Executive Director, SF Merced Heights 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.....

Don't Miss Out!
Peninsula Council of Lions
Police and Fire Awards Banquet
Friday, March 28, 2008

Get Well Soon

Lion David Keller President of San Bruno Lions

COMING SOON

Monday, November 26, 2007 PCL Meeting with

"Get The News or Loose Contest"

Hosted by: San Bruno Lions

Think outside the box, your imagination and ideas made by newspaper structures, sculptures or costumes and win the top award

The Chronicle's Best Award
The Zaniest Award
The Most Creative Award
The Most Fashionable Award
The Most Colorful Award
The Scariest Looking Award
The Ugliest Looking Award

Great prizes will be awarded to all categories and to ALL CLUBS returning their entries.

FLYERS WILL BE OUT SOON

REST IN PEACE

Lion Magherita Gado
President of Atherton Lions
Died of heart attack, October 3, 2007
Our thoughts and prayers to Lion Rita's
family and to the members of Atherton Lions
She will be missed by all of us.

Prayers



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Atherton Lions

President: Margherita Gado

Report: No Report

Belmont Lions

President: Stuart Latimerlo

Report: No Report

Brisbane Lions

President: Romiro Ibarra

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 BBQ at the Park.

Burlingame Lions

Reported by: Dan Anderson, President

Attendance: PDG John Benson, PDG Don Stanaway, PDG Ray Kliewer, PCLPP Bob Goodman, PCLPP Paul

Davis, Erik Winkler and Toni Nava

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

Reported by: Marian Mann

Attendance: Lorraine D'Ellia, Denise Kelly, and

Marian Mann

September 14, Pasta Bingo raised \$1,800.00 thanks to

Foster City Lions and Pacific Lions.

Future Activities: October 1-serve dinner to homeless, No. Peninsula Food Pantry & Dining Center of Daly City; October 6 & 7- White Cane Collections at Westlake Shopping Center; October 27-Make a Difference Day Project; October 26-sponsor Take My Hand fundraising dinner; on going projects eyeglass collection and Don Riker Recycling fund bottles and

East Palo Alto Lions

President: Freda Johnson

Report: No Report

Foster City Lions

President: Jon Froomin

Attendance: Jon Froomin, Lucy Tan

Reported by: Jon Froomin

Sept 7-White Cane Chicken Dinner & Bingo fundraiser raised \$2500 for White Cane; Sept 9-join Annual kicka-thon fundraiser, cooked 2400 hot dogs, served nachos and fruit punch to AYSO players & families; Sep 10-The City Council of Foster City recognized & named Lion Fred Kelly member of the 2007 City honors list for his community service as coordinator of the Community Blood drives; Sept 16- Annual club picnic, 50 people attended at Hoover Park, Redwood City; Sept 22 – teamed with Foster City Rotary Club to clear area at the City Corporation yard for club storage.

Future Activities: Sept 25, District Governor Maxine Frazier visitation; Sep 28 – Bingo fundraiser; Oct 5 – Night at the Races at Bay Meadows; Oct 11 – teamed up with the Fire Department to sponsor fire safety poster contest.



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Half Moon Bay Lions

President: Ron Fenech

Attendance: Ted Boysow, PCLPP Rich Picchi, and

PCLPP Steve Picchi

Reported by: Ted Boysow, Secretary

October 1 – District Governor Maxine Frazier visitation; October 8 – Mid Peninsula Golf Tournament joint venture with Burlingame Lions & San Mateo Metro Lions to be held at Crystal Springs Golf Course; October 13 & 14, Half Moon Bay Pumpkin Festival will be selling hamburgers, corn and sodas; Future Activities: Student speakers contest.

Menlo Park Host Lions

President: John Fenstermaker

Report: No Report

Menlo Park Live Oak Lions

President: Phyllis Van de Mark

Report: No Report

Millbrae Lions

President: John Muniz

Attendance: Lyn Azzopardi, Ron Frediani, PDG George Habeeb, John LaDuca, Paul Larson, PCLPP Tony Montes, John Muniz, PDG Art Pignati, Mike

Simonini

Report: John Muniz, President

September 15, Meadows School pancake breakfast and Leo's cleaned up Meadows Park storm gutters; September 16, annual Rocky Lombardi Family picnic; September 19, Calcutta night; September 22, MLC winter social; Informational booth by the Lions Leo's at the Millbrae Art & Wine Festival.

Future Activities: October 5 & 6, White Cane Days; October 17, Honolulu Night, District Governor Maxine Frazier visitation; Peace Poster Contest @ Millbrae Schools chaired by Paul Larson.

Donation: \$400 to Millbrae Fire Dept. LEND program to purchase special radios for citizen volunteers.

Inducted 3 new members; 33 Leo's active members.

Pacifica Lions

President: Barbara Fields

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

Muller; Nancy Pope. Total Attendees = 7 Reported by: Michael Guisto, Secretary

Purchased eye glasses for one student; collected 50

pairs of eyeglasses.

Future Activities: October 5 & 6, White Cane Day; October 16, District Governor Maxine Frazier visitation; Lion in Sight Cruise next year; The club will participate in the Pacifica Fog Fest Parade and Sight night in October.

Donation: \$350 to grammar school student to attend the National State young leaders conference in San Jose;

\$100 to Peninsula Scout Council.

Palo Alto Host Lions

President: Marylou Robson

Attendance: Jenny Jump; Joan Peterson; PCLPP Al

Thomas.

Reported by: Joan Peterson, Secretary

August, provided eyeglass and free exams to 2 recipient kids; September, provided eyeglass and free exams 2 recipient kids.

Future Activities: October 19, Elizabeth Seton walk-athon; October 19, BUA Blind Awareness and white Cane day, downtown Palo Alto City Hall; October 26 & 27, Halloween Haunt, Foothill Park, Palo Alto.

Donation: \$500 to Halloween Haunt.

Inducted 2 new members

Redwood City Sunrise Lions

President: Boyd Schauer

Attendance: PCLPP Doris Grason; IPCLPP Al

Hernandez; Boyd Schauer.

Reported by: Boyd Schauer, President

July 4, fundraising food booth at the Redwood City 4th of July Parade; Fundraising food booth at the Blues Festival, Redwood City; September, Fundraising food booth at the Palo Airport with the famous hot food and cold drinks. Annual Club Picnic at Huddart Park with 25 lions and families.

Future Activities: Meals on wheels to the residents of the Maple Street Shelter in Redwood City.

Donation: \$500 to Habitat for Humanity



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Redwood Shores Lions

President: Trevor Newman

Report: No Report

San Bruno Lions

President: David Keller

Attendance: Mario Benanvente; Ken Ibarra

Reported by: Mario Benavente, Immed.Past President October 6, Autumn Fest in San Bruno Park will sells hotdogs and hamburgers including white cane and promote lions. October 17, San Bruno Lions Golf Tournament with San Bruno Rotary Club to be held at Crystal Springs Golf Course.

Donation: \$100 to St. Roberts Parish Festival; Memorial donations of \$100 to Lions Eye Foundation.

San Carlos Lions

President: Curtis Wright

Attendance: Connie Barba, Frank Cauterucci, Sam

Nervino, IPDG Al Russell.

Reported by: Sam Nervino, PP & Treasurer

October 13, Tri-Tip Feed fundraiser; October 29,

Children Haunted Event.

Donation: \$800 to provide dinner to walks relays for life approximate 400 participants; \$125 to shelter network social night BBQ at Burton Park; \$500 to San Carlos Education Foundation highway clean up, highway 101 interchange.

San Mateo Lions

President: Ray Mahaffay

Attandance: Elaine Borland, Ron Borland

Reported by: Elaine Borland

On going projects White Cane, membership drive

eyeglass collection and health fair.

San Mateo Metro Lions

President: Cindy Zheng Report: No Report

South San Francisco Golden Gate Lions

President: Cipriano Ayalin

Attendance: Feli Mele, Rudy Pedagat, Ora Seyler,

and Verdie Thompson.

Reported by: Ora Seyler, 2nd Vice President

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. September 9, Club picnic at Coyote Point.

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; Cleaning eye glasses at the LIS Warehouse; Casino Nights Christmas party for Veterans & seniors at the war memorial.

Donation: \$100 to North Peninsula Food Pantry

& Dining Center of Daly City.

Two new members added to the club.

South San Francisco Host Lions

President: Sandra Ige

Attendance: Ron Fornessi, Theresa Garcia, Sandra Ige, Pat Mayer, Sam Mosunic, Rick Ochesenhirt, Helen Olson, Charles Shultz, Arlene Shultz, Terry White.

Reported by: Sandra Ige, President

September 15, Day in the Park Fundraiser with the Kiwanis Club; September 29, California Coastal cleanup day; October 5 & 6, White Cane Day; October 12, CSFII Race for sight; October 28, Guys & Dolls Fall Fashion Show fundraisers.

Donation: \$250 to the SSF Indians children baseball team, 3rd placer in California and 2nd place in the nation.



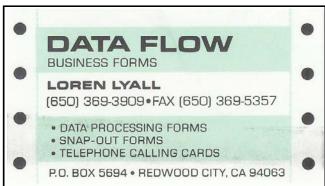
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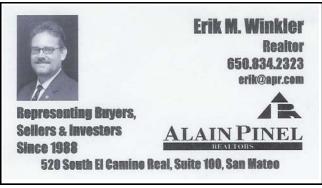














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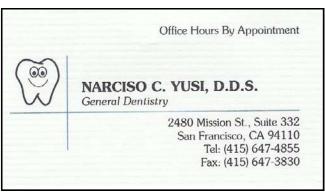














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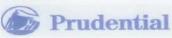
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October 5, 2007 2007 Scholarship Fundraiser Sponsored by: South San Francisco Host Lions October 8, 2007 Mid-Peninsula Lions Club Golf Tournament, Crystal Springs Golf Course Sponsored by: Burlingame Lions, Half Moon Bay Lions and San Mateo Metro Lions October 12, 2007 Race For Sight @ Bay Meadows, San Mateo Benefit for Campaign SightFirst II October 13, 2007 Foster City Community Blood Drive Sponsored by: Foster City Lions Donate Blood and Save Lives October 20, 2007 Lion In Sight In October 2007 A wonderful day of service (a) Lion In Sight Warehouse, Vallejo Sponsored by: SSF Golden Gate Lions October 21, 2007 San Bruno Lions Ladies Tea Party Sponsored by: San Bruno Lions October 26, 2007 Halloween Masquerade Sponsored by: SF Bay Area New Century Lions October 28, 2007 Food Tasting Party Sponsored by: Redwood Shores Lions October 28, 2007 Fundraiser trip to Feather Falls Casino Sponsored by: SSF Golden Gate Lions November 3, 2007 Open House Breakfast Sponsored by: SF Bayview Hunters Point Lions November 3, 2007 Fundraiser Casino Night Sponsored by: SSF Golden Gate Lions November 4, 2007 Crab Feast and Dance Sponsored by: San Francisco Circle Lions November 9, 2007 Nickel Auction Sponsored by: Daly City Host Lions November 16 and 17, 2007 Ralston Florist Open House Sponsored by: Ralston Florist & Belmont Lions