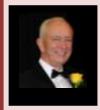


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A Message from District Governor Bob Susaeta



March was really a great month for L4. We got back on track with our visit with the Ensenada Lions. I was not able to attend in person but thanks to Lions Dewey and Carol Linehan I was taken along in the form of a picture. I was told by all that attended that it was a fantastic trip and all are ready to go back next year and I will be with them.

We completed our three Region Meetings and Student Speaker Contests. All three were well attended and the speakers were fantastic. It was great to hear the students' ideas and how they presented them.

Our membership numbers continue to look great for the year. We have a net increase of 134 members which puts us at 1,364 members. We will be chartering a new Campus Club within the next month that will be known as the "OC MBKU LIONS CLUB." This is the Optometry School located in Fullerton. I would like to give a big thank you to Lion Mark Piva for his assistance in getting this done.

Due to circumstances beyond our control we were forced to move the date of our next District Meeting to April 22nd. Please attend and encourage your members to attend also. This is our last District Meeting of the year and it will also be our District Student Speaker Contest. I promise that you will not be disappointed in hearing these three great speakers.

~District Governor Bob

From the Desk of 1st Vice District Governor Judy Barr



Happy Spring Lions! I love the longer days. It gives me more time to get out visiting our clubs again. It's hard for me to fathom that this will be my last "campaign season" for District Governor before the vote in May at Convention. I have truly enjoyed seeing all of the clubs in action whether at their general meeting or an event. I am so impressed with how active you are in working on your Centennial Challenges for this year. Just in our state alone, we have served 14% in Vision, 19% in Hunger, 24% in Environment, and 43% in Youth. At our International Convention in Chicago, LCI will be bringing forth their new strategy for the next 100 years. It's called LCI Forward. The primary goal is to respond to growing needs worldwide by improving the lives of at least 200 million per year by the year 2020 through humanitarian service. We currently serve about 58 million annually. Wow! That's an amazing goal to set forth. But I know Lions! We can accomplish this! We CAN do it!

After seeing all three Region Student Speaker Contests, I look forward to our District meeting later this month to see the students compete at the next level. These students are amazing! I hope to see you there to experience the quality first hand of students we have participating. Thank you again for your support this year and remember, let's not keep Lions as the best kept secret in town. Let's go out there and show the world—WE SERVE!

~Yours in Lionism, Lion Judy Barr, 1st VDG

CABINET TREASURER REPORT

Club Treasurers, LCI and MD4 have sent out the Invoice/Dues Statements for the Jan – June 2017 timeframe for the amount of members you have listed. When you receive your invoice please pay it as soon as possible. **Why pay your Dues?** The main reason is because you do not want your club to be delinquent. The District relies on your dues so that they can operate. Second, you want your club to be eligible to vote at our District Convention in May. I will be checking and making calls if your dues have not been paid.

Thank you, Lion Carol Linehan District 4-L4 Treasurer cadl8029@yahoo.com 714-716-9380

CABINET SECRETARY REPORT

Happy April Fellow Lions!! We had three great Region Student Speaker Meetings. What fantastic speakers we had. **The date of our final District Meeting for the year has been changed to April 22nd.** Please be sure to RSVP by April 9th!!! This will be our District Student Speaker Contest so please come out and hear what our leaders of tomorrow have to say on the subject.

Our District 4-L4 Convention is coming up. Please make sure that each club sends in a delegate form. This must be signed by the club secretary or president. If you need a copy please email or call me. These forms MUST be received by Thursday May 18^{th} and dues must be CURRENT with both MD4 and LCI by 5/4/17 - 15 days prior to the opening of the convention. Please be sure to get your MD4 dues paid and make sure your LCI account has nothing over 30 days.

Clubs should be starting to elect their new officers for the 2017/2018 Lions year. Please don't forget to fill out the new officers online. Please take the time to check your meeting time and location and update if necessary before submitting. Remember the deadline is May 15th – this includes campus clubs. Campus clubs, if you are not electing officers until September then PLEASE submit this year's officers, you can then update in September. Failure to submit can cause clubs to be locked out after July.

NEW OFFICER TRAINING is June 10th at the Brea Scout Center. Please have your new incoming President, Treasurer, Secretary and Membership Chair plan on attending for information and updates.

I want to thank all the Presidents that took time to write such wonderful letters about your Secretary so she/he could be nominated for Secretary of the Year. Secretaries you are all doing such a wonderful job and your presidents appreciate your hard work and dedication to the club. We again have a spectacular group of hard working Secretaries this year.

The year is NOT over so please don't stop reporting just because the contests have come to an end. Please continue to enter your club activities and report membership changes.

> ~Lion Diane Quinlan Cabinet Secretary

2017 PEACE POSTER KITS AVAILABLE NOW!



It's the 30th anniversary of LCI's Peace Poster Contest! To celebrate, they have redesigned the Peace Poster kits.

Invite young artists in your communities to submit a poster design that expresses the theme, "The Future of Peace." The contest is a great way to connect with your community and encourage youth to express their vision of peace.

Children aged 11–13 are eligible to participate. All you need to do to unlock a child's creativity is purchase a Peace Poster kit from club supplies. Purchase your <u>Peace Poster kit</u> today!

DON'T FORGET TO READ YOUR APRIL 2017 ISSUE OF THE LION MAGAZINE!!

LIONS, PLEASE PLEASE READ THE APRIL 2017 ISSUE OF THE LION MAGAZINE! It contains a very informative article about our Lions Clubs International Foundation and everything they do to make the world a better place. According to LCIF Campaign Chair and PDG Elizabeth Warren, "The article conveys much more than I can tell you about what LCIF does and how important it is." So take a few minutes and "read all about it" today!!

STUDENT SPEAKER FOUNDATION

Thank you to all of the individual Lions who have participated in the \$1 raffle. When I reach the goal to purchase a Fellow I will pull the name of who will become a Fellow or receive another Student Speaker Foundation Award. I will be pulling the winning ticket at the 4th District Meeting on April 22nd. Good Luck to everyone who participated.

I want to THANK the wife of an **Orange County Korean American Lion** who donated back to the Foundation her 50/50 winnings at the Orange Region Meeting.

Thank you Huntington Beach Host and Tustin Host for continuing to turn in cell phones and used ink cartridges. Every one that is turned in helps to attain our yearly goal of \$7,500 which our District is asked to contribute to the Foundation.

~Lion Carol Linehan

District 4-L4 Student Speaker Trustee 2016-2017 Student Speaker Foundation Director 2016-2018 Phone 714/716-9380 <u>cadl8029@yahoo.com</u>

LCIF CAMPAIGN

MELVIN JONES FELLOWSHIP DRAWING ALERT!

There are only 107 tickets left at \$5 each for the Melvin Jones drawing for a Fellowship. I shall be selling tickets at the next District Meeting on April 22nd and again at our District Convention in May. Let's try to get this one done during the current Lion Year. Join the ranks of PDG Jon Casteel and Lion David Stillwell who both became Melvin Jones Fellows for the amazing sum of \$5!!!

> ~PDG Elizabeth Warren LCIF District 4-L4 Coordinator



ATTENTION ALL DISTRICT 4-L4 LIONS!!

DUE TO UNFORESEEN CIRCUMSTANCES THE DISTRICT MEETING HAS BEEN CHANGED TO SATURDAY APRIL 22, 2017. WE APPOLIGIZE FOR THIS, BUT IT IS BEYOND OUR CONTROL.

PLEASE BE SURE TO LET ALL YOUR CLUB MEMBERS KNOW OF THIS CHANGE ASAP. PLEASE SEE THE UPDATED FLYER BELOW.



Final 2016/2017 4-L4 District Meeting DISTRICT STUDENT SPEAKER CONTEST

SATURDAY, APRIL 22, 2017

Yorba Linda Country Club 19400 East Mountain View Ave - Yorba Linda, CA 92886 Cost: \$25 per Person

Registration Starts 8:00 AM

Breakfast & Meeting 9:00 AM

Clubs are asked to bring a raffle prize with a value of at least \$25 District to provide \$100 CASH PRIZE

Please send your reservation by April 9th

\$28 after 04/09 or NON-Registration

Club Name:

Number Attending:

(Please include Student and any student guests if your club had the winner for the Region) Amount enclosed:

> Each Club Region Winner covers the cost of ONE JUDGE Make checks payable to Lions District 4-L4.

RSVP via Email with names of those attending before April 9th deadline PLEASE BE SURE TO INCLUDE STUDENT AND ANYONE COMING WITH STUDENT

Please send payments to Diane Quinlan, Cabinet Secretary: 9206 La Paloma Ave, Fountain Valley CA 92708. / Email: mrsquinlan@hotmail.com

MD4 LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE – 1ST VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR JUDY BARR

The weekend of March 4-6 was a great time where several of our L4 Lions attended the Lions Leadership Institute held in the city of Ontario, CA. Whether Lions were considering further District aspirations or just wanting to learn how to be better leaders within their clubs or communities, the three day event was inspiring and to some, life changing. Along with fellowship and a little fun, these Lions learned how to work through club conflicts and how to better lead a club or promote a project. The graduates received pins and certificates at their graduation ceremony on the third day. The MD4 GLT (Global Leadership Team) led by PDG Steve Robeson conducted a great weekend training that will leave a lasting impression on all who attended. If you missed it this year, please remember to sign up next year for the best three days of your Lions career!





Dear Friends...**"Stay Strong"** is what the rubber bracelet sitting on top of my desk reads. The bracelet was given to me by a patient nearly two years ago. This patient had undergone numerous surgeries to alleviate the physical torment he was going through such as uncontrollable hiccups and stabbing facial pain. Unfortunately, this patient is back for additional treatment to address the growing numbness to the right side of his body.

About a week ago, I sat in my chair thinking about tasks I needed to complete. I felt the all too familiar tug from the multitude of directions. Deadlines had to be met, decisions had to be made, and bills had to be paid. I was distracted and not sure how I'd get it all done. When I took a break from my computer screen, my eyes fell on the bracelet. "Stay Strong." Not only was it a call to stay the course, it was a call to put things in perspective. As I juggled the demands of the day, I was reminded to be thankful that I was healthy enough to tackle the tasks at hand. It was a gentle reminder that the whirlwind of my duties pales in comparison to the pain our children endure and the burdens our parents carry. It was nice to end the day, with a reminder from this brave patient. I was grateful to receive this gift of insight from the bracelet he had given to me. Coincidentally, this patient is also on my Walk For Kids Team - Team McAwesome. Even though the 5k course is physically too challenging for him, he is committed to raising funds and awareness for our House by being a Virtual Walker. If, like Chris, you aren't able to physically be at the 2017 Walk....consider this an open invitation to join our team as a Virtual Walker. Sign up <u>HERE</u> today! Or support Chris, <u>here</u>.

~Noel Burcelis, MSW Executive Director Orange County Ronald McDonald House





ORIGINAL ARTWORK AVAILABLE

I am happy to make available this image to all District 4-L4 clubs. The image is created in a digitalized high resolution format that can be printed in posters and/or banners for fund raising projects or any other Lion activities.

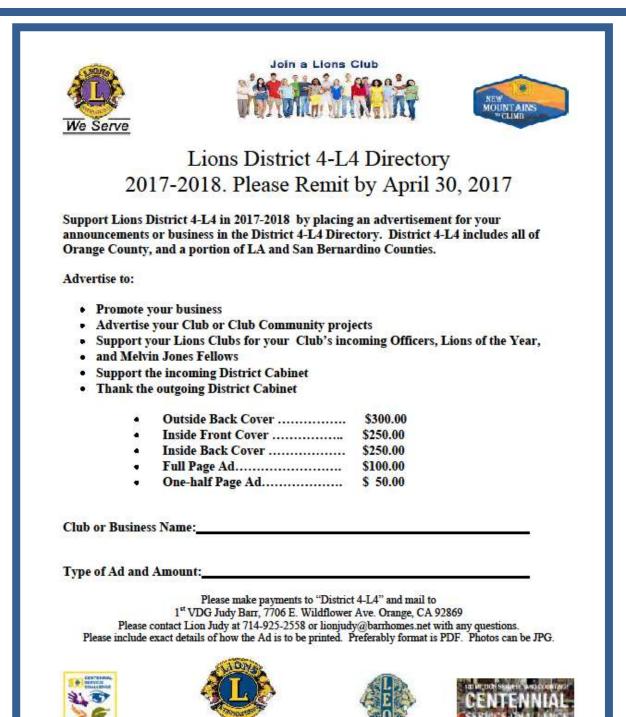
Please let me know if you would like to make use of the image and I will share it via either Dropbox and/or CD. I cannot email the file due to its size. Thank you!

~Lou Alfonso, District Photographer <u>lou.alfonso@verizon.net</u>

ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITY IN 2017-2018 DISTRICT DIRECTORY

Hello District 4-L4 Lions! I am asking for your help. As you know, one of the largest expenses in our District is to produce and distribute the District Directory. Each President and Secretary receives a directory for free. However, the overall costs run about \$4,000 of our L4 budget. As incoming District Governor, it is my responsibility to sell ads in the directory to help defray some of the expense of it. I am asking you to consider purchasing an ad for the directory. An ad can be any idea such as promoting recent projects with photos, sending congratulatory notes to incoming club officers, thanking current officers for a great year, promoting upcoming events in 2017-2018 and/or promoting your personal business. If you look through the current directory, you will see all kinds of different ways to advertise and get your club's or your name out there for all to see. See details in the flyer below. Your kind donation would be greatly appreciated. Please call me at 714-925-2558 or email <u>lionjudy@barrhomes.net</u> for any questions. I will be happy to help set it up. Thank you again for your consideration!

~Yours In Lionism, Judy E. Barr 1st Vice District Governor



DISTRICT LEOS UPDATE

Applications for the District Leos Board are due by midnight on April 21st. Each applicant must send a resume and a cover letter to <u>leodistrict4l4@gmail.com</u>. Please see application requirements below. Board positions available include: Secretary, Treasurer, Media/Communication, District Newsletter, Historian, Club Outreach Coordinator, Fundraisers, Orphanages of Thailand, Talent Show, Activities and Ronald McDonald House.

All board positions will need to:

Attend board meeting at end of school or during summer (date to be determined) to meet everyone, to learn about your position, and to plan for next year.

- Commit to attending board meetings one week before the general District Meeting whether it is online or a teleconference.
- Commit to attending District meetings.

Help plan and attend the District Leadership training meeting in the fall.

Put together a committee to help with their responsibilities.

Will be responsible for reaching out to designated clubs in the District.

Report to the President, Vice President, and the Advisor.

Each person applying must send in a formal resume with the following information:

Personal Information

- Name
- Email
- Phone number
- Home address

Educational Status

- School
- Grade
- GPA

Experience

- Activities you have organized
- Other clubs you've joined
- Volunteer Activities
 - Number of hours
 - Events you've headed up

Leadership

- All leadership roles you currently hold or have held in the past
- Events such as Leadership Institute
- Extra Curricular Activities
 - Sport, other clubs, etc.

You also need to send in a cover letter that includes your top three positions, why you want each position, and a bit about yourself that the resume alone cannot tell us. By applying for a board position, you are agreeing that you will give your full effort to your duties throughout the whole 2017-2018 Leo Year. Applicants will know what positions they have received by May 5th and should plan on attending the installation in Garden Grove on May 21st.

<u>April 30 Cook Dinner at Ronald McDonald House 4-8PM.</u> If you have any questions or anything feel free to Julia Dillenback, Ronald McDonald House Chairperson, at <u>julialuvsmoose12@gmail.com</u>

<u>April 30 Midnight Quarterly Reports Due</u> Please send completed form to <u>leodistrict4l4@gmail.com</u>. Email must be titled with subject: *ClubName* QR# (Diamond Bar Community QR3)

May 13 Cook Dinner at Ronald McDonald House

May 21 Leo District Awards and Installation of Officers 2-4pm at Garden Grove Lions Clubhouse, 9860 Larson Ave, Garden Grove, CA. More details to follow.

Our Leo District Facebook page is <u>https://www.facebook.com/groups/175890419184528/</u>. Our Leo District website is <u>http://leo4l4district.weebly.com/</u>. To add anything to either page, please contact Tran To for Facebook at <u>to.h.tran@gmail.com</u> or Emily Jacobsson for website at <u>emjacobsson1@gmail.com</u>.

If you have any questions or comments, please let us know! ~ Chardy Lang

~Chardy Lang 4-L4 Leo District Advisor VBA Leo Advisor <u>chardylang@gmail.com</u> 562-477-7444 ~Madi Berry Leo District 4-L4 President madisonberry@verizon.net

FOOTHILL REGION CHAIR ANDY MEGAW

FOOTHILL ZONE A CHAIR TAMARA MARTIN







The <u>Cucamonga District Host (CDH) Lions Club</u> were 10 strong at the Foothill Region/Student Speaker Contest on March 27th. The Region came out 55 strong to support our students, who all did fantastic jobs. Also in March, our club collected 900 pairs of used eyeglasses. In addition, we continue to collect non-perishable food items for our local shelters. In April, we are concentrating hard on our Third Annual Fashion Show/Luncheon/Vendor Expo to be held on May 6th at the Ontario Doubletree Hotel. Be sure the date is on your calendar and look for our flyer elsewhere in this issue. We really hope you will come out to support us, and all of our Lions' charities, as well as to have a fantastic time. You may also support this fundraiser by purchasing an opportunity ticket for \$5.00 (or 5 tickets for \$20) which may win you the following prizes: First prize-3 night stay in Las Vegas in a one bedroom condo with a full size living room, kitchen and master bedroom suite (three different locations to choose from and you choose the date!), second prize-a beautiful hand-made quilt and third prize-\$100 cash! Send an email to Lion Steve Lacey (sllacey54@gmail.com) if you want to purchase tickets.

The **Ontario-Upland Lions Club** hosted their annual Bunco Night on March 18th. There were lovely snacks and fun opportunity prizes but most of all there was a lot of fun, laughter and Lion fellowship. We would really like to thank **Cucamonga District Host** and **Chino Valley Lions** clubs and all our families, friends and fellow Lions who came out to support us. It was a lovely evening. We are now busy planning for our Spring Tea coming up on June 13th. Be sure to make your reservations early.



The <u>Upland Host Lions</u> are very proud of our beautifully refurbished eyeglass collection box which is in the parking lot of the Upland Public Library and City Hall. We are also proud of Lion Joey Amaro who is keeping us informed about the status of his work to develop <u>Upland Host Lions</u> Club's first Leo club. Joey had ordered the necessary supplies to get the club started but was informed by LCI that the club mist be formed and chartered prior to ordering the supplies. Several <u>Upland Host Lions</u> accompanied several of the high school students to the March 13th City Council Meeting, where Joey used the opportunity to hand out flyers regarding the Leo club formation. He and club president Jim K. made presentations to the council about Lions Clubs International and the <u>Upland Host Lions</u>.

FOOTHILL ZONE B CHAIR MICHAEL SHAW

The <u>Ontario Host Lions</u> were proud to install four new members to their club last month. Their student speaker won the zone and will represent them in the Region contest at the end of March. Seven of the Chaffey Leos and their advisor will attend the leadership camp this month in Teresita Pines. Other projects are in the works as the <u>Ontario Host</u> and the <u>Cucamonga District Host Lions</u> join together to grow vegetables for their local communities. Flag day is planned for April and the annual golf tournament is just around the corner. Lion Michael Shaw was able to attend the Lions Leadership Institute at the start of March and was so inspired by the stories and projects our Lions are doing throughout our District. He realized that as Lions, "We see things not as they are, but as we are." He said that he was very proud to be in an organization that gives so much of themselves to help others whenever and wherever they can.









The <u>Western U Lions Club</u> participated in the Food Bank Packing Service Project in Garden Grove on January 21st to help pack various food items/necessities that were to be donated to those in need. The <u>Western U Lions Club</u> also screened about 110 people in the Vietnamese Community Winter Health Fair on March 5th, where 20 <u>Western U Lions Club</u> members provided free vision screenings, with Dr. John Tassinari, to those in the Vietnamese community who may not be able to afford eye care. The <u>Western U Lions Club</u> will be working with the same group of volunteers on April 23rd to continue providing the same services, however, this time in Santa Ana. The <u>Western U Lions Club</u> will also potentially be participating in the Anaheim Health Fair on August 20th.

The <u>Pomona Host Lions</u> continued its service to the community through the month of March. The two major focus areas were hunger and literacy, feeding the body and the mind. Because of the rains, the Pomona Winter Homeless Shelter extended its days of operation through March instead of closing at the end of February so <u>Pomona Host Lions</u> cooked and served two more dinners, each to about 150 homeless men and women. The club also helped with the Kennedy-Austin Foundation food distribution and organized a large food collection at Albertsons for April 1. In the area of literacy, the <u>Pomona Host Lions</u> continued collecting used books and stocking its Little Free Libraries. The Lions are delighted with how popular the libraries have become. The club's *Lions Roar for Reading* first grade book distributions have now begun and will continue through May. In total, the <u>Pomona Host Lions</u> will give approximately 1,000 books to the first graders at the nine elementary schools, which have 95% or more of its families living in poverty. The <u>Pomona Host Lions</u> also collected used eyeglasses, provided school children with free eye exams and new glasses at the Pomona Lions Vision and Hearing Center, made visitations, participated in *Joining Hands in Service*, and attended District functions. Once again this month, the club inducted a new member. Finally, the <u>Pomona Host Lions Club</u> invites everyone to its upcoming Quartermania, which will be held on Saturday, April 29 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. It will be lots of fun, and all money raised will be spent on community service.

FOOTHILL ZONE C CHAIR DAVE STILWELL

The **Diamond Bar Breakfast Lions** were busy helping two local schools with their fundraising events. They provided much needed help to the Decker Elementary School Run and the Maple Hill School Run. A total of four Lions worked at the events for a total of seven hours and served a total of 200 people. A good time was had by all students at both events.

The <u>Walnut Lions</u> are extremely excited that their club sponsored Student Speaker Contest winner Natalie Jiang. She has won at the Foothill Zone C and the Foothill Region Student Speaker Contest levels. This is the first time their club has achieved a win at this level. Almost the entire <u>Walnut Lions Club</u> attended the Foothill Region meeting. They were delighted to show support for this special student. The club also collected 87 pairs of eyeglasses and 3 hearing aids for the Walnut Senior Center.

<u>Chino Valley Lions Club</u> member Carole Mc Clearly has reached a milestone in her knitting of hats for newborn babies' first ride home from the Pomona Valley Hospital. She has now knitted 1,500 hats since 2011. Congratulations Carole! Members also provided roadside clean-up and collected food from local grocery stores to be distributed to the local food distribution center for residents in need. The club also had a fundraiser at a City of Chino Track meet selling soft serve ice cream. Numerous local schools participated and a good time was had by all participants.

ORANGE REGION CHAIR LARRY ROTTWEILER

Raise Your Community Visibility, Provide a Community Gift, Make a Community Impact



Lions are turning 100. What a Legacy. Some of our clubs have completed a legacy project, in Seal Beach a Clock Tower, in Tustin and Orange a Liberty Tree. What has your club planned? This is a great way to connect with your City. Maybe even getting some good publicly and new members. Another way is a community needs assessment. This survey is given to community leaders to find out what your community needs. It is a good introduction for your members to interact with different city entities and other nonprofits. Also, many clubs are eligible for a club excellence award. If you have completed a few projects and have a net gain in membership you qualify. Check the web site for more information. If you have any questions or needs please call any cabinet member and they will be glad to help.



ORANGE ZONE A CHAIR WALT ROUNTREE

Brea Lions helped the Girl Scouts' Pancake Breakfast fundraiser and collected 99 pairs of glasses last month. 4 or 5 Lions visited the City of Hope on Lions Tribute Day. This year they got to see the laboratory on their tour for the first time. They will participate in the Centennial Parade on May 20th and participate in a citywide cleanup with LOVE BREA on the 29th.

In March the **Fullerton Host Lions Club** received 540 pair of glasses from St. Jude Hospital in a special drive. Additionally, the club will receive glasses donated by the Women's Club in April. Our boxes had over 300 pair. On March 11th Lions participated in Arbor Day, planting three trees accompanied by Leos and co-sponsored the Morrison Chess Tournament. Two Leos accompanied one Lion on a beach cleanup in Huntington Beach March 27th.

La Habra Host Lions sponsored the Miss La Habra contest again and they are more beautiful than ever this year. They are ready to sell tickets for the Corn Festival raffle. The Pasta Fest raised over \$7,000 to help seniors in La Habra. 25 Lions and 16 Leos worked the event under the supervision of chair, Josie Anderson. They collected more than 500 pairs of eyeglasses and two Lions donated blood products to the City of Hope.



The **O.C. Korean American** Lions were excited to have five students participate in the club Student Speaker Contest this year and their winner also captured the zone contest. Many Lions and family members attended the Orange Region Meeting to root for their contestant. Unfortunately she was defeated by a student who is a Leo Club president. OCKA Lions also collected more than 600 pair of eyeglasses.

ORANGE ZONE B CHAIR MIKE SMITH



Zone B was very busy in March. The **Chapman University Lions** put together a Food Drive benefitting the Families Forward organization. Eight of their club members collected several boxes of donated food which they delivered to the Families Forward warehouse.

The <u>Anaheim Host Lions</u> spent the month preparing for their biggest event, a 75 team baseball tournament. This is an outstanding project that has teams from all over the state, and some from out of state, participate in a week long tournament. All of the teams play throughout Anaheim and Fullerton.

The **Orange Lions** had a fundraiser at the Garden Grove Lion's Den where they served spaghetti dinners to 80 hungry people and then played BINGO for a couple of hours. They had a great attendance from other clubs in the District supporting the Governor's theme of "Joining Hands in Service."

Rounding out the zone was the **Buena Park Lions** who collected clothing and misc. items for the American Cancer Society Relay for Life. They set up eye exams for eight needy people and proceeded to collect eight hearing aids. The aids were donated to the Lions Sight and Hearing Center in Long Beach. Great Job Lions!!

ORANGE ZONE C CHAIR MARCELLA MCSORLEY



Two members of the <u>Garden Grove Host Lions Club</u> were recently honored for their community service in the City of Garden Grove. Lion Ric Lerma was presented the Cypress College Americana Award as Citizen of the Year for the City of Garden Grove at the Disneyland Hotel's Grand Ballroom in recognition of his many volunteer efforts in service to the community. In addition to being a member of the <u>Garden Grove Lions</u> since 2000 and serving as club president in 2012-13, Ric's volunteer efforts have included service as either a board member or president in the Garden Grove Neighborhood Association, Catholic Big Brothers, Garden Grove Downtown Business Association, St. Columban's Catholic Church Parish Council, Garden Grove Chamber of Commerce, and the Garden Grove Community Police Advisory Board. He also received the Silver Spoon Award from the Garden Grove Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce in 2015 in recognition of his service with the Lions. Ric owns both Experience Commercial Cleaning and Experience Vinyl Windows and Doors in Garden Grove which are both managed by his wife of 21 years, Susan, who also volunteers her time and helps Ric with his various service projects.

For his service to the community, Lion Chuck Lake has been honored as the 2017 Garden Grove Man of the Year by the Garden Grove Chamber of Commerce at its 111th Annual Gala Dinner at the Great Wolf Lodge of Southern California. Chuck has been a member of the **Garden Grove Lions Club** since 2008, served as Club President in 2011-12, and has been Club Secretary for the past five years. In addition to being a Lion, Chuck has been involved in the Garden Grove Historical Society, providing resources necessary for the preservation of the original 1905 office building of the Garden Grove Lumber & Cement Company located on the grounds of the Stanley Museum in Garden Grove. He also served as President of the Garden Grove High School Alumni Association for the period of 2008-2016 with responsibility for preserving the school's on-campus museum in Heritage Hall that documents the 95-year history of the school. He is a two-time recipient of the Garden Grove Chamber of Commerce Women's Division Silver Spoon Award for his service with the Lions and the Alumni Association. Chuck is a third generation member of the **Garden Grove Host Lions**. His grandfather, a charter member of the Club when formed in 1922, father, uncle, and brother have all been members and he is the third member of his family to serve as club president. He is recently retired after a 42-year career as a Civil Engineer and has been married to his wife Julie for 41 years.

Both Ric and Chuck truly epitomize the vision of Lions Clubs International and its motto: We Serve!



Seal Beach Lions Knute Fredholm, Marcella McSorley, Karen Russell and Judy O'Neill, were very proud to visit the Ensenada Mexico Lions Club in March via the Carnival Cruise. Joining over 20 others from Lions District 4-L4, they were happy to be a part of the 58th year tradition, the longest string of a "Lions Visitation" in all of the world of Lions visiting another Lions Club. Pictured are many of the Ensenada Lions Club Members, including Rolando and David! The goal is for the Seal Beach Lions Club to help refurbish the new building and adjacent playground on the "local" beach. Ensenada Lions Club is in pursuit to open a sundries shop to further fundraising of their many service activities including giving free fruit and bread every Thursday, giving medical equipment, and giving eyeglasses to those in need. WE SERVE.

Seal Beach Lions were protecting lives during their annual St. Patrick's Day Designated Driver Program. It was quiet most of the night then picked up at the end like usual. We had 23 volunteers (total volunteer hours were 110), gave 19 rides home for a total of 30 people and received tips of \$175.00 for the Every 15 Minutes program at Los Alamitos High School. We stayed with three vans and Chair Lion Laura Ellsworth recommends that amount for next year. The helpers for the night were Lion Dave Schwien who began the day with Lions Greg Senneff, Lloyd Ikerd, Steve Hollen, Robert Miller, Barbara Avakian, Nancy Herbert, Tracey Rangell, Alan and Lorraine Chavez, Diana Showaker-Banks, and Janice West, and New Lions Angana Pathak and Malcom. New Lions met each other, drove together and had a wonderful experience of Lionism. The last shift is always the longest and those super stars were Lions Gary Snow, Ramona Kies, Bob, Biff, Ellen Liebherr, Camille Romano, Diana Showaker-Bangs and Mark Kavanagh in a kilt! Our hardest working late night crew is also your past treasure team - - Lions Mike Gibbons, Terry Stevenson and Laura Ellsworth. As always, Straub Beer covered the costs of this event.



Nineteen years ago, The Youth Center came to the Seal Beach Lions with the idea of starting a program at the high school called "Every-15-Minutes" and the partnership between the two was formed. Along with the high school and Los Alamitos Police Department, the first event was presented in May 1999. Since that time, the Every-15-Minutes program is presented at the high school every other year in the spring and directly affects more than 5,000 students, teachers, volunteers and families. Our mission is to dramatically show the consequences of drinking and driving with the hopes of helping young people make good decisions about drinking and driving. This year's program on March 23 and 24 was one of the best with 23 Lions actively involved from beginning to end. Lion Lina Lumme chairs the event with Lion Scott Newton as Vice Chair and Lion Gina Phillips in training to take the reins next time. Every 15 minutes throughout the day a student is pulled from class by the grim reaper and an obituary is read by a police officer. Simultaneously, police officers are giving death notifications to the parents of teens killed every 15 minutes. At lunch, there was a huge crash scene on Los Alamitos Blvd. that included 4 police vehicles, five first trucks, one hearse, three ambulances and a medivac helicopter. This realistic enactment is pretty amazing. Many other things happen throughout the day including a trip to the jail by the drunk driver, critically injured students going to the ER, a mock trial in Westminster court and a pretend funeral at Forest Lawn. The following day, there are two all school assemblies with speakers and a video from the previous day's events. This is also where parents and students reunite after being separated for 30 hours. The Seal Beach Lions Club has received many letters showing how they are saving lives with this project and should have a great deal of pride for our continued participation. Many Lions helped but some significant contributors include: Lions Scott and Gina who were with the kids 24/7 during the program and were up until 3am at the hotel; Lions Bruce and Chris who were grim reapers; Lion Phil who read obituaries; and Lion Steve who did death notifications. Of course, our leader was Lion Lina.

SADDLEBACK REGION CHAIR CHRIS BARR



Hello from Super Saddleback! We did it! A super successful Student Speaker Contest was held at the Region level. From Clubs to Zones to Region, we heard many excellent speeches from some very bright students. Congrats on a job well done by all. Lions Eyes Across California was also very successful. I was encouraged by all of the clubs that came together with their eye glass donations. We continue to shine with all of our activities. I have been visiting other clubs this past month with 1st VDG Judy and am so pleased hearing about how busy the clubs are serving in their communities and helping each other out. Many clubs have been working with other zones or regions as well, which shows what a great district we are in. So let's keep up the great work. We only have three months left until a new fiscal year begins. Let's go out with a RRROARRR! We help, we give, we share, we support, WE SERVE!

SADDLEBACK REGION ZONE A CHAIR MARK PIVA



It is said a picture is worth a thousand words, so this month Zone A clubs are going to share pictures of their activities and less than a thousand words. I had the opportunity to attend the MD4-Leadership Institute with Lions 2nd VDG Randy McMillan (La Habra), PDG Dan Mayer (Mission Viejo), Rick Bedel (Tustin Host), Lou Alfonso (Chino Valley), and oh yeah Mike Shaw (Ontario Host). Over 60 Lions throughout California attended two and a half days of leadership classes in Ontario. This is a worthwhile opportunity to learn more about being a leader and sharing with other Lions. Make plans to attend next year's Leadership Institute. Now onto the clubs...



The Costa Mesa Newport Harbor Lions Annual Fish Fry will be held at Fairview Park in Costa Mesa on Friday June 2, Saturday June 3 and Sunday June 4, 2017. The Fish Fry will kick off Friday evening about 5 pm with fish dinners, other food, a beer and wine garden, a car show, comedy with Lion Bob Ooten and others, a carnival and a great selection of bands. Saturday and Sunday continue with more of the same and much, much more. More information will be posted on the website as the event is planned. Pictured to the left is a 1963 photo of the 16th Annual Fish Fry in Lions Park.

The special free event held on March 11th at the Long Beach Veterans Hospital was a presentation of the radio version of "It's a Wonderful Life". Hosted by Costa Mesa Orange Coast Lions President Walden Hughes, this radio play celebrated the 70" anniversary of the classic story of a man who learns just how many lives he touched. Just like a Lion.

Harbor Mesa Lions once again concentrated on service and fun. They made shamrock centerpieces for Newport Subacute Healthcare, baked cookies for four fire houses (I guess they didn't believe me when I said I had a firehouse, because I got no cookies. So I think this is just a way to see firemen), and cooked breakfast at the Ronald McDonald House. Several club members





went on the somewhat annual Ensenada cruise to visit local Lions and donate towards furthering their efforts.



Huntington Beach Host Lions held their 19th Annual Crabfest and what a fest it was. Over 300 people from the community and other Lions clubs visited and ate crab, crab, and more crab. This year the club designated three local groups which provide services in key goal categories to share a larger portion of the net proceeds: Off the Streets Huntington Beach (homeless), Therapeutic Riding Center (physically and developmentally challenged), and Oakview Elementary School (community). This continues an initiative begun three years ago to put a greater emphasis on the local community. April is starting off as a busy month with the club helping its community partner Brethren Christian School with its fun run, cooking pancakes at the Annual Ronald McDonald Walk, and holding the first of several fundraisers for its 2nd VDG candidate Lion Mark Piva. This will be a Chili Cook-off open to all on April 22 from 3 - ??. For more details see flyer in this issue.

SADDLEBACK REGION ZONE B

Twenty one Chinese American Lions took a field trip to the Huntington Library on March 25th. It is a beautiful library. Many members had been meaning to go for years and were happy to be able to visit together. Before the library, they stopped by India Temple in China Hill for a short visit to another culture of India. This trip was awesome and most members were happy and requested the club plan more day trips going forward. We will have a medical lecture at our April 18th meeting. The topic is how to make your life better. The speaker is Doctor Cheng, who is a stomach cancer survivor, and is regarded as a cancer fighting hero in the Taiwanese community. Ten years ago, his doctor told him he had only half an year to live. But it has been more than 10 years and he is still living in a healthy and happy life. He is always sharing his experience how is he fighting with cancer.









SADDLEBACK REGION ZONE C CHAIR JOHN ULRICH

The Laguna Niguel Lions finished up the month of March with great expectations for 2017!

Save the date on Sunday, May 7th for the annual wine tasting fundraising event at Salt Creek Wine in Laguna Niguel. Great wine, food, friends all equals a wonderful evening as we work toward funding all our projects within our community. See attached flyer.

Once again, Micky Scholte, the club senior member, continues to perform his exceptional efforts collecting used eye glasses throughout the Laguna Niguel community. During March, Micky has collected 680 used eyeglasses. Always fully motivated to the collection efforts, Micky has collected 5,536 and 2,451 used cases with a revised upward target of 8,000 for the year. Micky continues to maintain his high level of effort almost single handedly within our area by maintaining relationships, encouraging club members to find used glasses and his lifelong Lion dedication.

The club continues our book collection effort partnering with the Laguna Niguel Libraries, Laguna Niguel Senior Center, individual donors and **Pomona Host Lions** to donate children's books to the little free Libraries.

The club is continuing our partnership with the Laguna Niguel Botanical Preserve. Several club members worked the monthly Saturday work day cleaning, weeding and general maintenance activities. We are actively assisting with the planning for the Laguna Niguel Earth day on April 22th. Over 200 city volunteers are expected to be involved in planting and maintenance during the event with the Lions playing a major role.

The Partnership of Kids for Vision, Illumination and Laguna Lions will have a full agenda of vision clinics throughout the community at several elementary schools and homeless shelters during the 2017 year. Laguna Niguel Lions will assist as the events are scheduled with our partners. An event was scheduled at the Lighthouse Church located in Costa Mesa to dispense prescription glasses that are a result of our most recent event. Unfortunately well over 800 glasses were lost in shipment. We devoted a Saturday to recover from the loss of the glasses that resulted in many happy and satisfied folks needing the tools to help them with their sight requirements. Loads of fun [©]

The club level Student Speaker contest was a great success at the El Niguel Golf Club and continued through the zone and region levels with our Mission Viejo student winning and looking forward to the next level. Justin made a great impression with all involved and his hard work and preparation were obvious to all. Amazing proud parents and family make all this a even more a wonderful experience.

Aloha from the <u>Newport Beach Hawaiian Lions Club!</u> We would like to share a story about our member Hans Witten who began a program at the VA in Long Beach. To date in one year, he has donated eight hours every weekend since last March 5th for a total of 416 hours and counting! As a total stranger and without any connections to the VA in Long Beach Hans contacted them with the idea of helping veterans suffering from PTSD (or PTSI - Post Traumatic Syndrome INJURIES) by providing them with classical music sessions as a form of therapy. The audience consists of veterans from all military services who have been severely injured while on active duty and are now suffering endlessly including from "invisible wounds" such as PTSD and TBI (Traumatic Brain Injuries). "We have veterans who show up in wheel chairs with their legs missing, their arms amputated, blind and visually impaired veterans, SCI (Spinal Cord Injuries) veterans on their gurneys and 'Stand Down' (homeless) veterans. One thing they all have in common-they close their eyes and are smiling while they are listening to the classical music that I select from my laptop into the sound system. Some Marine veterans were crying and had tears in their eyes while listening to the classical music," reports Hans. A Big Mahalo to Lion Sally Nockold for your donation of speakers for this wonderful program! A warm Mahalo Hans from your Lions Ohana, for your continued work and dedication to our military men and women.

Lions Gary Place and Cindy Kleczko donated the paper plates, napkins, flat ware, coffee and juice cups for the Ronald Mc Donald Walk on April 9th.

Lion Sally Nockold donated 90 half way boxes for the Sailors of the USS Alexandria. The boxes were filled with socks, toiletries, gum and candy. Lion Sally has also been named God Mother of the Ship which is a Special Honor. Congratulations Lion Sally! Lion Sally also provided all the supplies for the welcome home signs for USS Alexandria which will be coming home soon! The kids are excited to be welcoming home their Moms and Dads with their creative posters!

Mahalo to Lions Tom and Bertha Hollister, as they continue to donate blood to the American Red Cross monthly.

The H.B. Car Cruise scheduled for March 25 and 26th was postponed by the Car Club due to anticipated weather conditions. Our club will be participating with the Lions Sight & Hearing Van (complementary vision screening) and selling Car First Aid Kits as a fundraiser, once a new date is confirmed. Mahalo Lions Cynthia Metzger and Bob Dickie for all your efforts putting this fundraiser together.

SAVE THE DATE: NBHLC 4th Annual Day At The Races! Where the Turf Meets the Surf-Del Mar Race Track on August 19th. The Pacific Classic! The Most Popular Race of the year! Only 50 seats will be sold. For more information contact Lion Sally (949) 644-6105

The new date for the Ohana Luau will be in October!

More Exciting Events Coming!

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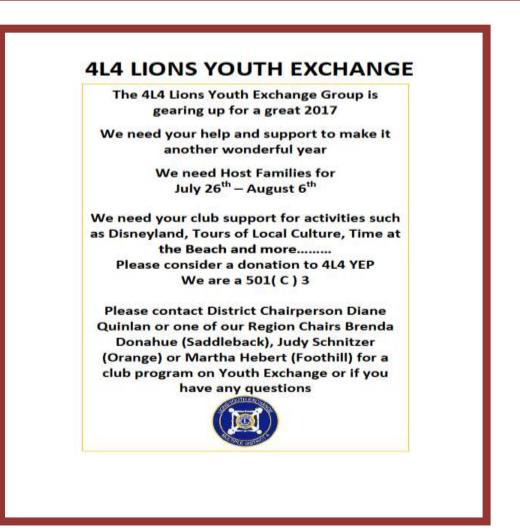
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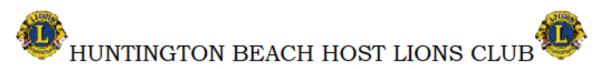
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SATURDAY, APRIL 22, 2017

3:00 p.m. to ? \$15 per person. Includes, chili, cornbread, salad, dessert, coffee and a no host wine/beer bar.

> At the Van Holt Hacienda 9650 Nightingale Ave., Fountain Valley

Enter your favorite Chili and give it a name. Limited to 10 entries. Entry Fee is \$10. Those who contribute Chili will not be charged the \$15. Prizes given to top three. Make enough chili to feed 8 - 10 people. To enter your chili and make reservations, mail your checks by <u>April 18</u>, made out to <u>Huntington</u> Beach Lions Foundation and send to: Carol Van Holt at above address.

Don't miss this fun event with an Opportunity drawing and more. Wear your Western or Mexican attire. This special fund raiser will help us support our member, Mark Piva, in his candidacy for District 4L4 2nd Vice Governor. Please check out his website at www.markpiva.com.

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Where: Golfer's Paradise 1600 N. Harbor Blvd. Fullerton, CA When: Sunday, April 23rd, 2017 Check-in time at 1:00 or 3:00pm Shotgun start at 1:30 or 3:30pm

Entry Fees: \$25 per Adult or \$15 per Student Pre-paid Foursome only \$80.00 if received by April 15th, 2017 To Register, fill out the form below and send with a check to: Fullerton Lions Club, PO Box 177, Fullerton, CA 92832 For More information, Call 714–501–5726 or Email knwinc@sbcglobal.net

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Honoring 2016-2017 Recipients

Dinner \$15.00

Garden Grove Host Lions Club

APRIL 28,2017

9860 Larson Ave Garden Grove, CA 92844

Keynote Speaker

6:30 -7 Social 7-8 Dinner 8-9:30 Program

RSVP Lion Jennifer Kelder

714-345-6232

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Send checks to Lion Hank Garcia PO Box 6471 Buena Park, Ca 90622

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Saturday, April 29, 2017 1:00-4:00 at the Kennedy Austin Foundation 2501 N. Garey Ave., Pomona \$15 (Includes lunch, auction paddle and door prize ticket)

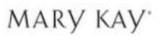
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Diamond Bar Breakfast Lions Club



An Invitation to celebrate our youth.

New Service Club for the City of Diamond Bar

For:	Diamond Bar Community Leo Charter Ceremony and Dinner
Date:	May 8, 2017, Monday
Place:	Diamond Bar Golf Course 22751 Golden Springs Drive Diamond Bar, CA 91765
Time:	6:30 - 8:30 pm, Dinner and Charter Installation Ceremony
Cost:	\$20.00 per person. Cash or Checks can be written to: Diamond Bar Breakfast Lions And send to: 480 Wayside Place, Diamond Bar, CA 91765
	Includes dinner, beverage & dessert.
RSVP:	Lion Debbie Avila-Mott at <u>Coach_Ms_Debbie@yahoo.com</u> By Monday, May 1, 2017.
Questions:	Leo Advisors: Debbie Avila-Mott at (909) 860-2680 or Iyun Yi at (626) 780-0698.

Diamond Bar Community Leo Club



ALPHA Leadership, Experience, Opportunity

Charter and	Installation	Ceremony	Dinner
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Date:		VP by Monday, May 1, 2017 to Lion Debbie <u>ebbie@yahoo.com</u> or (909)860-2680		
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	No,	(Lion Name) is unable to attend.		
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	Yes,	(Lion Name) will attend on May 8, 2017.		
	Total number attending.			
	Yes, we understand there is a \$20.00 per	person dinner cost, and it is included in this RSVP.		
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At our District Convention in May our District Governor wants to celebrate YOUR CLUB'S success. Please forward pictures of your club project, fundraisers and other activities to our convention chair PDG Dan Mayer at <u>liondmayer@cox.net</u> so he can include them in the video that will be playing during the convention.

We look forward to all the fun pictures of Lions in action!



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Clubs - here is the information for the New Officers Training. Please be sure to share this with the incoming 2017/2018 Officers.

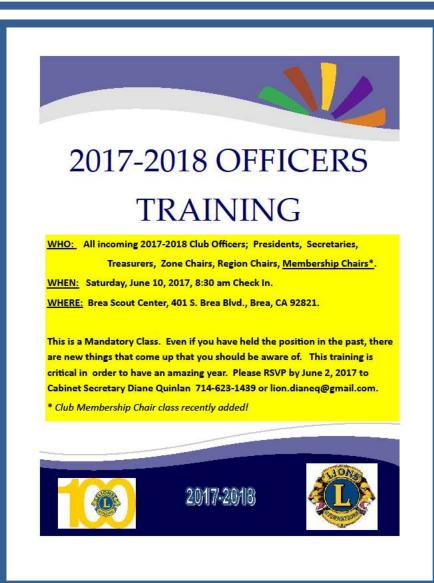
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RSVP BY 06/02/17 TO DIANE QUINLAN - 714-623-1439 OR Lion.Dianeg@gmail.com

SCHEDULE 8:30 AM - CHECK IN (COFFEE & PASTRIES SERVED) 9:00 AM - OPENING COMMENTS 9:30 - 11:30 BREAKOUT SESSIONS (CLUB PRESIDENT & VP'S, CLUB TREASURER, CLUB SECRETARIES, MEMBERSHIP, ZONE & REGION CHAIRS) 11:30 - 12:00 - FINAL COMMENTS

> Please DO NOT show up before 8:30 as there is another event in the building. Please be on time as we have to be out on time due to another event after our training



Ontario Host Lions Club







Don't miss out Save the Date !



Invite you to



Thursday, June 15, 2017

Sierra LaVerne Country Club 6300 Clubhouse Drive, La Verne, CA, 91750 Telephone (909) 481-1180

www.ontariohostlionsclub.com

1:00 Shot-Gun Start

Sponsorships Available



January 2017

Tax ID #95-6133538

The Ontario Host Lions Club is hosting our sixth annual, **"We Serve"** Golf Tournament fundraiser. This event will be held on Thursday, June 15, 2017 at Sierra La Verne Country Club Golf Course located La Verne Ca. This fundraiser provides the majority of our funding needed to support our many services and projects.

The Ontario Host Lions Club members have been volunteering their time in service to our Community since 1922. We are in our 93rd year of service and are very proud to be able to reach out and help our Community. Over the past year we have sponsored the following services and projects:

- Military Active Duty Banners
 - o Sponsored 10 Military Active Duty Banners in the City of Ontario, donating \$4,000 to the Ontario Chamber of Commerce
- Holiday Food Baskets
 - \circ Delivered 207 food baskets (containing over 61 food items) to local area families in need
 - Purchased \$4,500 in perishable food to include in the baskets
- Eye Exams/Glasses
 - Provided 40 children and adults in need with eye exams and glasses
- Shoes & Socks for the Homeless
 - o Partnered with the Dorothy Quesada Center in Ontario to provide shoes & socks to over 70 people in need
- Student-of-the-Month High School Recognition Lunch
 - o Recognized 106 students from the five Ontario high schools awarding them a \$25 gift card and certificate
- Lunch with Santa
 - Hosted 30 special needs students from Lincoln School, providing each child with a "letter to Santa" individual present, donating over \$800
- World Vision Day
 - Partnered with Toms Shoes to focus attention on blindness & vision impairment, collecting over 90 pair of prescription glasses
- Student Speaker Contest
 - Provided Ontario area high school students an opportunity to earn scholarship money through competitive participation in the Lion's sponsored program
- Student of the Quarter Scholarship
 - Provided four \$250 scholarships to the San Joaquin Valley College Student of the Quarter
- Homer Briggs Scholarship Award
 - Awarded \$1,000 Scholarship
- Literacy Program
 - Volunteered at Montera School during Literacy month, reading to students.
- Camp Teresita Pines in Wrightwood
 - Donated \$5,000 to support camp needs
 - \circ ~ Sponsored a camp experience for blind children and others at the Lion's owned camp

We need your help. We are requesting sponsorship to help offset the cost of the golf tournament. We are also seeking donations for our raffle and silent auction. (Please see the attached brochure for ways you can contribute.)

Our event promotional advertisements and program will reflect a list of all sponsors and donors who supported this year's event. We hope you will consider participating in this annual event fun filled day of golf and gourmet dining.

We wish to thank you in advance for considering becoming one of our quality sponsors for our annual Golf Tournament.

Sincerely,

Ontario Host Lions Club Lion Dean R. Munoz Lions Club Tournament Chairman PO Box 463 Ontario CA 91761 909/481-1180 www.ontariohostlionsclub.com

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"We Serve"



Golf Tournament

Sierra La Verne Country Club 6005 County Club Diffic. La Valie, CA 91752

Telephone 909-506-2100

Thursday, June 15, 2017 Organized by On and Hest Lions Club



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	15	TUSTIN HOST LIONS EASTER EGG HUNT
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	17	ORANGE LIONS 32ND ANNUAL CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT
	22	EARTH DAY
	22	CALIFORNIA LIONS FRIENDS IN SIGHT SCREENING IN HIGHLAND/SAN BERNARDINO
	22	DISTRICT MEETING #4 – STUDENT SPEAKERS CONTEST HOSTED BY ORANGE REGION
	22	TUSTIN HOST LIONS CITY WIDE GARAGE SALE
	22	HB HOST CHILI COOK OFF FUNDRAISER FOR MARK PIVA
	22	CMNH LIONS 90TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION
	23	FULLERTON HOST LIONS PUTTING TOURNAMENT
	25	DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS TO THE MAY 10TH FORUM
	26	TUSTIN HOST FIESTA FUNDRAISER AT DON JOSE
	28	TEEN RECOGNITION DINNER AT GARDEN GROVE LIONS CLUBHOUSE
	29	POMONA HOST QUARTERMANIA FUNDRAISER
	29	CALIFORNIA LIONS FRIENDS IN SIGHT SCREENING IN SAN JACINTO
	30	DISTRICT LEOS COOK DINNER AT RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE
	30	DEADLINE FOR ADS IN 2017-2018 DISTRICT DIRECTORY
MAY 2017	1	DELEGATE FORMS DUE FOR DISTRICT 4-L4 CONVENTION
	5	CINCO DE MAYO
	6	CUCAMONGA DISTRICT HOST FASHION SHOW
	7	LAGUNA NIGUEL LIONS ANNUAL WINE TASTING FUNDRAISER
	8	CHARTER NIGHT FOR DIAMOND BAR COMMUNITY LEOS
	12-14	CALIFORNIA LIONS FRIENDS IN SIGHT SCREENING IN SONORA-BAJA MEXICO
	13	HUNTINGTON BEACH HOST LIONS ANNUAL MOTHER'S DAY PANCAKE BREAKFAST 7:30 to 11:30
	13	ONTARIO UPLAND LIONS AFTERNOON TEA
	13	AREA STUDENT SPEAKER CONTEST AT CHAPMAN UNIVERSITY/HASHINGER SCIENCE CENTER 2PM
	13	DISTRICT LEOS COOK DINNER AT RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE 4-8PM
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	16	TAIWANESE COMMUNITY CELEBRATION – FORMOSA ACROBATS
	17-21	DISTRICT 4L4 CONVENTION AT PALA MESA RESORT IN FALLBROOK
	18	FULLERTON HOST LIONS LECTURE – OBSERVING BLACK HOLES FROM ACROSS THE UNIVERSE
	20	GUIDE DOGS FOR THE BLIND RAFFLE DRAWING
	20 21	CALIFORNIA LIONS FRIENDS IN SIGHT SCREENING IN RIVERSIDE LEO DISTRICT AWARDS AND INSTALLATION
	21	DEADLINE FOR AREA STUDENT SPEAKER CONTEST
	22	DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS TO THE JUNE 10TH FORUM
	25	2ND ANNUAL SIGHT AWARENESS WEEKEND AT LIONS CAMP AT TERESITA PINES
	20-29 29	MEMORIAL DAY
JUNE 2017	1	HELEN KELLER DAY
	2-4	COSTA MESA NEWPORT HARBOR LIONS ANNUAL FISH FRY
	2-4	COUNCIL OF GOVERNORS MEETING IN PASADENA
	3	MD4/STATE STUDENT SPEAKER CONTEST FINAL AT HILTON HOTEL IN PASADENA
	10	NEW OFFICER TRAINING AT BREA SCOUT CENTER 8:30AM TO NOON
	15	ONTARIO HOST LIONS CLUB WE SERVE GOLF TOURNAMENT FUNDRAISER
	18	FATHERS DAY
	25	DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS TO THE JULY 2017 FORUM
	-	INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION IN CHICAGO ILLINOIS USA – 100TH ANNIVERSARY!!
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2017-2018 DISTRICT DATES

	JULY 15-16	SEAL BEACH FISH FRY
	JULY 16	HARBOR MESA LIONS 25TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION AT NEWPORT DUNES
	JULY 22	DISTRICT MEETING #1 HOSTED BY SADDLEBACK REGION
	JULY 26	YEP STUDENTS ARRIVE IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA
	JULY 27	YEP THANKSGIVING DINNER – MEET THE GOVERNOR
	AUGUST	HARBOR MESA LIONS TACO FIESTA FUNDRAISER
	AUGUST 2-6	1ST USA LEO LEADERSHIP FORUM IN NEW YORK CITY
	AUGUST 4-6	COUNCIL OF GOVERNORS MEETING #1
	AUGUST 19	NEWPORT BEACH HAWAIIAN LIONS 4TH ANNUAL DAY AT THE RACES
	SEPTEMBER	LEO LEADERSHIP
	SEPTEMBER 11	FOOTHILL REGION MEETING
	SEPTEMBER 18	SADDLEBACK REGION MEETING
	SEPTEMBER 21-23	USA/CANADA LIONS LEADERSHIP FORUM IN PORTLAND OREGON
	SEPTEMBER 26	ORANGE REGION MEETING
	OCTOBER	WHITE CANE DAY
	OCTOBER 6-8	TUSTIN TILLER DAYS
	OCTOBER 14	NEWPORT BEACH HAWAIIAN LIONS OHANA LUAU FUNDRAISER
	OCTOBER 20-22	BUENA PARK LIONS SILVERADO DAYS
	OCTOBER 20-22	GOVERNOR'S FUNDRAISER
	OCTOBER 27-29	COUNCIL OF GOVERNORS MEETING #2
	OCTOBER 28 NOVEMBER 18	HARBOR MESA LIONS MURDER MYSTERY DINNER FUNDRAISER DISTRICT MEETING #2-FOOTHILL REGION
	NOVEMBER 23	
	NOVEMBER 30	PEACE POSTER DUE TO MD4
	JANUARY 13	MELVIN JONES DINNER AT ORANGE COUNTY MINING COMPANY
	JANUARY 27	DISTRICT MEETING #3 ORANGE REGION-LUNCH AT YL COUNTRY CLUB AT 10AM
	FEBRUARY	DEADLINE FOR CLUB LEVEL STUDENT SPEAKER CONTEST
	FEBRUARY	COUNCIL OF GOVERNORS MEETING IN AT CROWNE PLAZA HOTEL IN SAN DIEGO
	FEBRUARY	MD4 CONVENTION AT CROWN PLAZA HOTEL IN SAN DIEGO
	MARCH	DEADLINE FOR ZONE STUDENT SPEAKER CONTEST
	MARCH	LIONS DAY AT CITY OF HOPE
	MARCH	MD4 LION LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE
	MARCH 19	ORANGE REGION MEETING-STUDENT SPEAKER CONTEST
	MARCH 20	SADDLEBACK REGION MEETING-STUDENT SPEAKER CONTEST
	MARCH 26	FOOTHILL REGION MEETING-STUDENT SPEAKER CONTEST
	APRIL 28	DISTRICT MEETING #4-SADDLEBACK REGION-STUDENT SPEAKER CONTEST
	MAY	DEADLINE FOR AREA STUDENT SPEAKER CONTEST
	MAY 17-20	DISTRICT 4L4 CONVENTION AT CROWNE PLAZA HOTEL IN SAN DIEGO
	JUNE 29-7/3	INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION IN LAS VEGAS NEVADA USA
2018-2019	SEPTEMBER 20-22	USA/CANADA FORUM IN COLUMBUS OHIO
	MAY	DISTRICT 4L4 CONVENTION
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THANK YOU!

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