

Weekly Leader #14 - September 29, 2019

I am awesome. You are probably wondering why I am telling you something you know.

I am awesome, because I picked the best Zone Chairs ever. Within the next few weeks, we will have had Zone Meetings for every Zone. This is remarkable. Now you are thinking, what's the big deal, all Zones have meetings. To this I say - pshaw.



All Zones *should* have Zone Meetings, but you guys have done such a good job we will have 100% of our Zones meet. And because you guys thought outside of the box, we touched more District Lions and Clubs than in the recent past, including our Campus Clubs. You embraced our vision and the concept of a greater Lion community and are working together to lead our legacy into the future. You held your meetings at club events, club meetings, via conference call, and in casual settings. You invited club officers and members and began

conversations to find out what clubs are up to. You are in contact with many of your clubs on a fairly regular basis.

You are awesome, which in turn makes me awesome. Awesome for having picked the best Zone Chairs ever.

- District Governor Mark Piva

Visitations This Week

This week we have 6 Club Visitations:

- Tuesday, October 1 Tustin Host Lions Noon
- Wednesday, October 2 Laguna Niguel Lions Noon
- Wednesday, October 2 Seal Beach Lions 6 pm
- Thursday, October 3 Brea & Fullerton Lions 6:30 pm
- Saturday, October 5 Greater Orange County Lions 5 pm

During the visitations, our role is to learn about the club, listen, inform them of key dates and goals, and offer help when asked.

Click here for the latest [Visitation Schedule Update](#).

Normally, we would not have this many visitations in a week. We felt that with

two at noon and combining Brea and Fullerton this would be OK. It is still a full week and I appreciate your support.

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Zone F	-	September 28, 2019	<i>COMPLETED</i>	

Zone F Meeting

This week ZC Dr. Corina van de Pol held a Zone F Meeting at her home. This was no ordinary Zone Meeting. Zone F is our Campus Club Zone. It is comprised of OC Marshall B Ketchum University, Western University, and Chapman University Lions Clubs.

We formed this Zone to place greater emphasis on our Campus Clubs, to give

them opportunities to increase their service opportunities as Lions, and to encourage them to remain Lions upon graduation by joining or forming cyber clubs. Since then, ZC Corina has made very good progress in connecting with all three schools and has started forging bonds among them.



Nine Lions from two of the schools attended the meeting and shared information about their projects, vision clinic mission trips, and possible ways to interact. Recently, they came out in force to help at the Cucamonga CLFIS Vision Screening in Ontario with their optometry students providing much needed help.



Governor's Fundraiser

Being a Governor is a choice a Lion makes. It is a four year commitment to help our District grow and thrive as one of the premier Districts in the state of California. We have the most Leo Clubs in the state, the most Campus Clubs in the state, the largest club in North America, we are a pilot project for a new effort by California Lions Friends in Sight, we rank among the top in the state in contributions to LCIF, and we recently implemented a KidSight program among many other outstanding projects. This is the result of many District Lions and Clubs and through the leadership of many District Governors.

The costs associated with being a District Governor are higher than they should be. This is why we hold a District Governor Fundraiser each year; to help our leader fill-in some of the expenses he or she incurred over the four years of service.

Zone Chairs please reach out to your club Presidents and encourage them to

come with several club members.

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Buy tickets now online at: [Governor's Fundraiser](#) or click here for the [Governor's Fundraiser Flyer](#) for more information and where to mail your check.

Leadership Conference Call

Our fourth monthly conference call is Saturday, October 5th at 8 am. The dial in number is 712-775-7031 and the access code is 264279. This call is for cabinet members with special focus on the Zone Chairs. ZC please be prepared to talk about what you and your clubs are doing and what help may be needed from other cabinet members or clubs. GAT please be prepared to update us



on your goals and activities to date.

GLT Seth Eaker leads and moderates these calls. Please be prepared in your remarks, as you know we keep these calls to 60 minutes or less.

Second District Meeting



Save the Date for our 2nd District Meeting on November 2, 2019 at City of Walnut Senior Center, 21215 La Puente Road, Walnut, CA 91789. 8:00 am – Noon. Plan to be there at 7 am and leave at 1:00 pm to help with set-up and clean-up.

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Weekly Leader #15 - October 6, 2019

This was quite the week. We visited six clubs and inducted a bazillion new members. It is an honor for a District Governor to be asked to induct new members and present special awards at clubs. Seal Beach and Laguna Niguel Lions asked me to induct 40 and 3 members respectively. It was a fun time.



Over 100 Lions were at the Seal Beach meeting to welcome 40 new Lions. We also recognized 25+ Proud Lions. This brings the membership count in Seal Beach to 371. What was equally impressive was the crowd of sponsors we recognized who were responsible for the new members. It takes more than a single Lion to make a club. Laguna Niguel also welcomed new members with a good contingent of their membership on hand and they too had multiple sponsors.

In all, we grew our membership by about 3% in the first quarter. I attribute this to the renewed energy, fun, and focus each one of you is communicating by being visible and accessible to your clubs. Members are getting excited and they want to share their excitement and the opportunity to serve to others.

- District Governor Mark Piva

Visitations This Week

This week we have 2 Club Visitations:

- Wednesday, October 9 Santa Ana Host Lions 11:30 am
- Thursday, October 10 Ontario-Upland 6:45 pm

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Student Speaker Contest

Here is how the District will conduct the Student Speaker Contest this year.

Because this is a state-level contest it is important we do not deviate from this approach or the dates. Find out more about the contest

here: <https://md4lions.org/student-speakers-contest>

4-L4 Student Speaker Contest Committee Chairs:

- 4-L4 District Committee Chair Lion Dewey Linehan
- Chair Zones A and B – Orange Lion Susie McIntosh
- Chair Zones C and D – Saddleback Lion John Ulrich
- Chair Zones E and F – Foothill Lion Mike Shaw

Note – While designations such as Orange, Saddleback, and Foothill are shown they DO NOT relate to the way the clubs are structured in each Zone. The designations are simply to make it easier for people to understand the

region-level of the contest.

For the region-level of the Student Speaker Contest, we will combine two Zones each to compete, structured as:

Zones A and B – Orange

Zones C and D – Saddleback

Zones E and F – Foothill

STUDENT SPEAKER CHAIRS: You are responsible for coordinating and training the student speaker contest at the club, zone, and region levels. It is your responsibility to work with the clubs and Zone Chairs on making this event a success.

ZONE CHAIRS: You are responsible for working with the Student Speaker Chairs and ensuring your clubs have their packets and know the dates they need to run the contest to meet the District-level dates. The dates below are cast in stone to accommodate the mandated dates for the contest. Please be sure to schedule now (with the Student Speaker Chairs) and communicate these dates to the clubs. The dates for the District 4 L4 Student Speaker Contest are:

Zone A	March 2, 2020	Student Speaker
Zone B	March 4, 2020	Student Speaker
region-level (Zones A & B) Speaker	March 31, 2020	Region-level Student Speaker

Zone C	March 9, 2020	Student Speaker
Zone D	March 11, 2020	Student Speaker
region-level (Zones C & D) Speaker	March 30, 2020	Region-level Student
Zone E	March 16, 2020	Student Speaker
Zone F	March 16, 2020	Student Speaker
region-level (Zones E & F) Speaker	April 1, 2020	Region-level Student

District Student Speaker April 25, 2020

The state-level Student Speaker dates 2019-2020:

Club	on or before Monday, February 24, 2020
Zone	on or before Monday, March 16, 2020
Region	on or before Monday, April 6, 2020
District	on or before Monday, May 4, 2020
Area	on or before Monday, May 25, 2020
MD4 Final	Saturday, June 6, 2020

Peace Poster Contest

Let your clubs know!

This year the theme of the Peace Poster Contest is “JOURNEY OF PEACE”. Young people—ages 11, 12, and 13— by November 15, 2019 are eligible to participate in the contest. This allows our young people to express their visions of peace through art in the Lions International Please Poster Contest. Lions clubs around the world proudly sponsor the contest in local schools and youth groups.



Please order your kits by October 1, 2019. You can contact Lions Clubs International and order the kit by either calling Club Supplies at 1-630-571-5466 or ordering the kit on line.

Participants can use a variety of mediums, including charcoal, crayon, pencil and paint, to express their vision of peace. (No computer art is allowed) The works vary greatly and reflect the young artists’ life experiences and culture. Please

Club entries must be brought to the 2nd District meeting for judging. Please make sure that you follow the directions for labeling each poster entry. The winner will be sent on for the next level which will be the MD4 contest by the District Governor. Deadline for the District Governor to submit one winning entry is December 1, 2019. The Multiple District winner must be submitted to the Public Relations Department of Lions Club International by December 15, 2019. The winner will be notified on or before February 1, 2020.

The winning poster will receive a cash award of \$5,000 and a trip to a special

award ceremony. There will also be awarded 23 merit winners. They will receive a cash award \$500 and a certificate of achievement.

If you should have questions, please contact District Peace Poster Chair Marianne Allen at 714-658-2232 or email me at sarahcait@sbcglobal.net

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2019 District Governor's Fundraiser

Join us for Fun, Food & Games

Each club (or any individual) is asked to donate a basket or item for the Chinese Auction at the Governor's fundraiser.

Saturday, October 12, 2019 – 6-10 pm

\$35 per person – RSVP by October 5th

**Garden Grove Club House
9860 Larson Avenue, Garden Grove 92844**

**Buy Tickets Online at
www.4l4lionsstore.com**

or send check to: **RSVP by October 5, 2019**
Mike Smith, Cabinet Treasurer **Cathy Waters, Cabinet Secretary**
1261 Eric Court, Anaheim, CA **Secretary@district4l4.org**
92805

For more information contact:
IPDG Randy @ 562-458-1773
Randymcmilan4l4lion@gmail.com

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Leadership Conference Call

We had a great call yesterday morning with great participation. Each Zone Chair reviewed their activities and indicated where help may be needed. Several ideas were offered for areas to focus on and we will pursue some of these. One of these ideas was to have a breakout session at the next District Meeting for Tail Twisters. The group felt that Tail Twisters are an important element to make meetings better and more interactive, and a mini-workshop may help some folks with ideas.

This call is open to all Cabinet Members. If you have not had an opportunity to attend these meetings on a regular basis, I strongly encourage you to do so and support the team in its efforts to make this the best district in the state. The calls are the first Saturday of the month at 8 am and we use the same call in number.

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Weekly Leader #16 - October 13, 2019

Whew! We have 4 club visitations remaining. It is now time to focus on the second phase of our efforts to achieve our goals for this Lions year as we enter the next quarter.



We visited clubs early to be able to answer any questions members may have had regarding the change in our District structure. As expected, most Lion members were unfazed by the change. They recognized it had little to no impact on the service they do.

What we discovered is it opened up many opportunities for us as a District to lead our Lions into a new and exciting future. Streamlining layers of management and placing eager and excited leaders at the helm is helping us keep the positive attitude alive in many of our clubs.

We focused on individual Lions and talked about the clubs during visitations.

We talked about what they do and about the legacy they created. We have them thinking about what they can do to keep their legacy of service alive. We encouraged them to work with other clubs that need help and to ask for help when they need it.

Lions are happy and working together on projects. Clubs are reaching out for help and working together. Please ask others who may be unsure, to take a chance and come along with us on the road to the future - a future they can help create, a future filled with more opportunities to serve, a future filled with fun and fellowship.

- District Governor Mark Piva

Visitations This Week

This week we have 1 Club Visitation:

- Tuesday, October 15 OC Chinese American 6:30 pm

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1st Quarter Update

"I think I can." "I think I can." And we are!

We have achieved some pretty cool things over the last three months. Allow me to briefly brag about what we have accomplished.



- Membership - Beginning: 1,199, Current: 1,233, Increase: up 2.8%.

- Enhanced communications - The Forum (monthly) continues to go to every Lion in the District, now with a teaser email highlighting key articles.
- Enhanced communications - The Weekly Leader sent, well weekly, to cabinet, some club officers who opted in, and guests.
- Enhanced communications - Monthly DG to Club Officers update.
- Enhanced communications - Periodic notices of club and District activities and events to club officers - brighter and more interactive.
- Enhanced communications - website is updated more frequently.
- District Directory published online for second straight year.
- 2 CLFIS Vision Screenings with District trained volunteers held.
- 88% of Governor Visits completed.
- District Finances transferred to Quickbooks.
- 40+ Lions from our District and L2 and L5 participated in our 1st Leadership Workshop.
- District Meeting #1 was highly interactive and engaging.
- 83% of our Zones completed Zone Meetings.
- 65 Lions attended Zone A Meeting.
- 3 (and soon to be 4) clubs became LCIF Model Clubs
- Santa Ana Lions increased membership by 50% going from 4 to 6 members.
- Fullerton Lions and OC Korean American Lions set clear goals to reach 20 members this Lion year. They are currently at 16 and 17 members respectively.
- Seal Beach Lions recognized over 25 Proud Lions. Cucamonga District Host Lions recognized 2.

The Next Three Months



We will face some of our biggest challenges over the next three months. We must sustain our momentum, keep our successes alive, and remain visible. Here are some things we will work towards.

- Start 1 new Lions Club.
- Increase the gap between new members and dropped members - Add more - Lose Less.
- Have 10 District Lions register for Regional Lions Leadership Institute.
- Initiate Floating Learning Centers on following topics: Social Media and e-newsletters, Quickbooks for Clubs, MyLion.
- Increase clubs using MyLion by 10.
- Conduct Leadership Workshop #2
- Conduct District Meeting #2
- Visit 8 clubs or club events

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SUNDAY NOVEMBER 17TH 2019

THE PRIZE TO BE	PRICE OF EVENT	WHAT'S IN STORE FOR YOU
Garden Grove Lions Club 9998 Larcass Garden Grove CA	\$30 per person Groups of 10 or more: \$25 per person	Food, Buffet Prizes, Fun
TIME OF EVENT 2:00PM - 7:00PM RSVP by 11/18/19	TICKETS INCLUDE Dinner \$100 Cash/raffle	WHAT'S THE BEST PART? Prizes reserved for your participation will be most to sponsor (2000) 0-5000 to regional and area. Prizes as well as prizes included in your participation.

PURCHASE TICKETS NOW AT
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RSVP REQUIRED BY NOVEMBER 10, 2019

Payment by Check:
Payable to: Lions District 4-L4
Mail to: Treasurer Mike Smith
1281 Sycamore Court
Anaheim CA 92805

STILL HAVE ? Contact PDB Ellen Linkner
ellenlinkner@lionsofanaheim.net
(714) 458-3077

Helping our District Reach It's Potential

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about 20 minutes to meet and talk about their goals.

Governor's Fundraiser

Thank you all for the efforts you put into making this year's Governor's Fundraiser a successful and fun event. Special thanks go to IPDG Randy and CS Cathy Waters for all the work they did in making this a fun time. Thank you to the La Habra Lions for their culinary skills, Huntington Beach Host Lions for their pouring skills, and Garden Grove Lions for their Clubhouse and incredible new patio. Thank you Lion Carol Van Holt and Lion Suanne White for your decorating skills. Thank you Lion Eileen Jensen for your giant flower and Lion Debbie Karlson for your keeping track of the beverage tickets, and Alan Hauser for keeping track of the CS.



And thank you to all the Lions who attended from across the District to show their support. Picture left are Tustin Lion President Patty Lee, and Mission Viejo Secretary and President Milan and Cherie Steijn.

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Weekly Leader #17 - October 20, 2019

Over the past couple of years, people have come to me and asked "How does the Seal Beach Lions Club do what they do?" I have come to realize this question is actually "How do they get so many members?". The answer is actually quite simple (it's the work that is hard) - Plan and Implement.



Plan and Implement. They established a vision and mission of service and then planned how they would meet this. Like any good organization, they regularly assess where they are at and they make adjustments as needed. They created a

culture in the club and modeled the good practices. They communicate regularly and have fun. They work their plan all the time. And yes, they are just volunteers.

Are they perfect? No. Are they successful? Yes.

They are a learning and vibrant organization that attracts large numbers of people to them because they have service projects, they give new people opportunities, they work their plan, they ignore the noise, they focus on the mission.

As we enter this 2nd quarter of the Lions year, I encourage each of you to do the same. Create your own vision and mission as to the type of Zone Chair, GAT leader, Cabinet Secretary, Cabinet Treasurer, Cabinet Officer you want to be. Create a plan to achieve your vision and mission. Implement your plan. Check it along the way and adjust it as necessary. Consider setting your vision and mission around the central premise Members, Clubs, and District first.

Be the difference that others only talk about!

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Here are some upcoming events you should be sure to put on your calendar now.

Nov. 2, 2019 - District Meeting #2

Nov. 9, 2019 - Leadership Workshop 2

Nov. 17, 2019 - Game Night Fundraiser

Dec. 14, 2019 - Cabinet Holiday Party

Jan. 4, 2020 - Leadership Workshop 3

Jan. 12, 2019 - Melvin Jones Dinner

Jan. 18, 2020 - District Meeting #3

May 15-17, 2020 - District 4-L4 Convention



Share the Joy!



A key goal this quarter is to form one new Lions Club and share the opportunity of service with more people. How do we do this?

Share your thoughts with me and I will prepare a clear plan for how we can share the joy of membership with others.

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Payable to: Lions District 4-14
Mail to: Treasurer Mike Smith
1281 Erie Court
Andover, CA 92805

STILL HAVE ? Contact PDG Ellen Liebherr
elieb@lionsclubinternational.net
(714) 458-3077

RSVP REQUIRED BY NOVEMBER 10, 2019

Helping our District Reach It's Potential

District Workshop #2

We are looking for a new name for our Leadership Workshops. It appears the

word leadership may be limiting our potential audience by implying the workshop is only for those Lions interested in Lion Leadership positions. This is not the case.

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4L-4 DISTRICT GOVERNOR
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November 9th, 2019
"Multiplying Lion Leaders Through Service"

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16645 Grand Avenue, Bellflower, CA 90706
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HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS
Reservations and Hotel Grouped by Filene Rosewood
888 Riverside Blvd., Rosewood, CA 91070, Phone 714-223-8888
Group Code: L02123 Group

- December 28, 29 Room Rates: \$175 Single and Double / Jr. Suite Rates: \$270
- December 31st Room rates: Single and Double: \$200 / Jr. Suite Rates: \$270

Reservations must be made on or before December 4th. After that, table rates will be subject to availability.

THE INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION
Monday, December 30 from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Sponsored by Filene Rosewood 888 Riverside Blvd., Rosewood, CA 91070

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- Sunday, December 13 2:00PM to 6:00PM
- Monday, December 14 8:00AM to 2:00PM
- Tuesday, December 15 8:00AM to 2:00PM
- Wednesday, December 16 8:00AM to 2:00PM
- Thursday, December 17 8:00AM to 2:00PM

FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT WWW.LIONSROSEFLOAT.COM

events.

Please share with your clubs ZCs.

DATES TO REMEMBER

District & Club Happenings

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Oct 21

Oct 24

Oct 26



Brea Lions Club
Charity Golf Tournament
Sunday, Oct. 25, 2019
Check in 7:00am
Tee Time 8:00am

Scramble Format

Tournament Cost:
\$1,000 (includes:
Breakfast
Golf Cart
Range Balls
Lunch)

Prizes:
\$100,000
\$50,000
\$25,000
\$10,000

Green Card

Name: _____
Phone #: _____
Address: _____
City: _____
State: _____
Zip: _____

All Proceeds Benefit:
Brea Senior Center
Brea Center of the Arts
Brea Public Library
Local Charities

Brea Golf Tournament



Lions Club of Santa Ana
Invites you to join us for
Lunch or Dinner
Thursday, October 24th
at
WILAS EL RANCHITO MEXICAN RESTAURANT

2300 E. Pina St.
Santa Ana, Ca
Phone: 714.247.5539

Thanks to Avila! -- 20% of the guest tickets will go to Lions Club to support Eye Care and Glasses for Santa Ana United children in need. Be sure to bring a copy of this flyer with you.

Santa Ana Lions Fundraiser



QUARTERMANIA
Presented By:
HARBOR MESA LIONS
Saturday, October 26, 2019
9:30pm-12:30pm

At Casa Mesa Senior Center
405 W. 185 Street
Costa Mesa

\$25 (includes Italian dinner, auction, paid for and one free prize ticket)
RSVP BY OCTOBER 18, 2019
Get your tickets before they are gone!!
All Auction items minimum of \$25

**We thank the just quarters (do not forget to bring those rolls of quarters)
We will also have a silent auction with great items!!**

For tickets, visit us email: Janice.Kelley_g@lionsclub.com (714) 448-8232
lionsclub.com

NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AT THE DOOR

Harbor Mesa Lions Quattermania

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- 10/25/19 [**Ronald McDonald House Trunk or Treat**](#)
- 10/26/19 [**Fullerton Lions Diabetes and Vision Screening**](#)
- 11/9/19 [**District 4-L4 Leadership Training #2**](#)
- 11/14/19 [**Chino Valley Lions Anniversary Celebration**](#)
- 11/17/19 [**Leadership Game Night Fundraiser**](#)
- 11/18/19 [**Ontario Upland Lions Outback Fundraiser**](#)
- 12/01/19 [**Chino Valley Lions Resort Drawing**](#)
- 12/01/19 [**Orange County Central Lions Recipe Request**](#)
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If you would like to be included in these emails, please send me an email and let me know you want to be on this list. They are sent on Sundays of each week.

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Send email to - mark@markpiva.com.

Weekly Leader #18 - October 27, 2019

If you have a question, ask me. If you disagree with me, let me know. If you want to strengthen our organization, work with me.

I may not give you the answer you want. I may not agree with you. I will listen and gratefully accept your help.



This year I developed organizational goals and personal goals for the type of District Governor I want to be. In creating the organizational goals, I reached out to many of you and asked for your input and advice. In creating personal goals, I did much the same thing. I talked with people and I looked at the last 10 years of my Lion experience. And as in most Lion things I do, I looked to and at my club.

I have a tendency to sound definitive when I speak. Some folks interpret this as a lack of being open or willing to listen. I prefer email and face-to-face discussions, and yes the dreaded text. Some folks see this as a lack of accessibility or a coldness. I expect a lot. Well, that is true.

When I was thinking about restructuring the District, I spent a considerable amount of time looking at numbers, conducting research, and talking to people. That formed into an initial plan, and then I did the same thing. I refined the plan and presented it to our PDGs.

I sound definitive when I speak about it, because I thought a lot about it from many perspectives. I made efforts to mitigate the impact by working on plans to adjust for things like the Student Speaker Contest. I visited our clubs early to listen for concerns and make adjustments if needed. I still listen and adjust

based on what I hear.

The improvements we have experienced in communications, the way we conducted Governor Visitations, District and Zone Meetings, the move away from business as usual are all part of the efforts to move our District forward. The effort to bring the best people to the table at the Zone and GAT level, the emphasis on visibility, the continued focus on the inverted pyramid which places members and Clubs at the top are all being done to achieve our goal of having a strong, vital organization. In truth, we are doing more than changing our structure, we are changing our culture.

In changing our culture we need to continue the best of what we have done, to eliminate those things which no longer yield positive benefits, and to create new traditions. I see this happening throughout the District. Clubs and members that want their legacy of service to continue are making difficult decisions to change by eliminating meals, reducing the number of meetings they have, increasing their service projects, joining hands in service, setting goals. They are not doing business as usual. (One thing I wish they would maintain is the lavishing of gifts upon the District Governor :-))

What we are doing will not be accomplished in a year. Changing our culture is a multi-year effort. And believe it or not, we actually started making these changes several years ago, back when PDG Sheila Casteel changed the way the cabinet dressed. Since then, successive PDGs have made changes some subtle, some not, which have moved us forward. Last year IPDG Randy changed the way we look at our District by placing clubs and members first, moving us to an

online Directory, and encouraging us to have fun.

This year we are capitalizing on this foundation of change, and we are making changes which are a bit more visible. In truth, I didn't plan to implement so many changes so soon. But I did and the train is moving forward; please get onboard with me.

So, if you have a question, ask me. If you disagree with me, let me know. If you want to strengthen our organization, work with me. And yes, feel free to call me.

- District Governor Mark Piva

Visitations This Week

This week we have 0 Club Visitation. Our next one is:

- Thursday, November 7 Walnut 6:00 pm

During the visitations, our role is to learn about the club, listen, inform them of key dates and goals, and offer help when asked.

Click here for the latest [Visitation Schedule Update](#).

Zone Meetings - Completed!

Way to go team! We completed all the Zone Meetings. You guys did a great job pulling these meetings together and making them fun and engaging.

Zone A - September 19, 2019 *COMPLETED*

Zone B - September 18, 2019 *COMPLETED*

Zone C - October 22, 2019 *COMPLETED*

Zone D - October 8, 2019 *COMPLETED*

Zone E - September 30, 2019 *COMPLETED*

Zone F - September 28, 2019 *COMPLETED*

Second District Meeting

Reach out to your clubs and encourage them to attend. We need their RSVPs quickly. If each ZC contacts their clubs it will make the task easy and fun (really, I am not just saying this).

Plan what you will do for your 20 minute mini-meeting with your Zone. Make it fun and engaging.

District Meeting #2 is on November 2, 2019 at City of Walnut Senior Center, 21215 La Puente Road, Walnut, CA 91789. 8:00 am – Noon. Plan to be there at 7 am and leave at 1:00 pm to help with set-up and clean-up.

4-L4 DISTRICT GOVERNOR
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SECOND DISTRICT MEETING
2019 – 2020

November 2nd, 2019

City of Walnut Senior Center
22215 La Fuente Rd.
Walnut, CA 91790

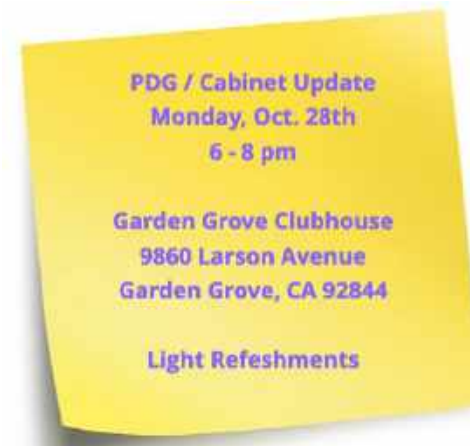
Cost - \$20/person includes breakfast
RSVP and pay by October 21st, 2019

Registration at 8:00 am – Breakout Session at 8:30 am
Meeting begins at 9:00 am
Each club is asked to bring a raffle prize value of \$25 or more

Breakout Session – The Fine Art of Tail Twisting
Quarterly District Update
Interactive Activities
Team Building, Membership, Service Topics

PDG Cabinet Update Meeting

One of my goals this year is to engage the Past District Governors and keep them informed of how the District is performing. I met with the PDGs in February 2019 and obtained their buy-in to the District Restructure Plan. In April 2019, I met with them to discuss my health and my ability to lead the District after my medical issue. Next, I will meet with them on Monday, October 28th to provide a 1st Quarter Update on how the District is



doing.

The Cabinet is invited to this update and encouraged to attend.

Save the Date!

Here are some upcoming events you should be sure to put on your calendar now.

Nov. 2, 2019 - District Meeting #2

Nov. 9, 2019 - Leadership Workshop 2

Nov. 17, 2019 - Game Night Fundraiser

Dec. 14, 2019 - Cabinet Holiday Party

Jan. 4, 2020 - Leadership Workshop 3

Jan. 12, 2019 - Melvin Jones Dinner

Jan. 18, 2020 - District Meeting #3

May 15-17, 2020 - District 4-L4 Convention



Leadership Fundraiser

The 2nd Annual Leadership Fundraiser is on November 17, 2019. If you attended last year's event you know it was quite a lot of fun. PDG Ellen Liebherr hosts and puts on this event to raise money at the District-level to help us provide stipends for Lions in the District to attend Leadership events.

This year we formed a District Committee to oversee the funds and determine how much will be used and which leadership events will be supported. To develop the best leaders in Lions we need to help defray some of the training expenses and encourage participation in events such as the Regional Lions Leadership Institute, USA/Canada Forum, Advanced Lions Leadership Institute, and other opportunities.

Support District 4-L4 Leadership Development





**FUNDRAISER
GAME NIGHT**
SUNDAY NOVEMBER 17TH 2019

THE PRIZE TO BE	PRICE OF EVENT	WHAT'S IN STORE FOR YOU
Garden Grove Lions Clubhouse 9568 Larkson Garden Grove CA	\$30 per person Groups of 10 or more: \$25 per person	Food, Buffet Prizes, Fun
TIME OF EVENT 2:00PM - 7:00PM RSVP by 11/16/19	TICKETS INCLUDE Dinner \$100 Cash/ Gift	WHAT'S THE BEST PART? Prizes valued to your participation will be used to sponsor (200+) O.S.C. Lions in regional and area meetings as well as provide required training opportunities.

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Group Code: L019125 - Globe
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• December 27th Room rates: Single and Double: \$200 / A. Suite Rates / A. Suite Rates: \$275
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THE INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION
Monday, December 28 from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
• Tickets by Filion Rosewood 180 Woodville Blvd., Rosewood, CA 91070
• Tickets & information contact: Lori Henry-Walton at 925-910-1663
• Tickets are \$20 and are on sale from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM
• Make checks payable to District 4-L4 with a carbon copy of the receipt
• Complimentary wine as well as a Cash Bar & two stations of live entertainment.

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Nov 14

Nov 18

Dec 1



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