

District 4-C5

Lions Pride



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DG Sarah Enloe (Front Row/Right) during visitation with Newcastle Golden Spike Club

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District Governor Sarah Enloe's Message



Dear District 4-C5 Lions:

Well, the Ghosts, Goblins, and other scary little ones have come and gone, as has October. I hope everyone had an enjoyable Halloween passing out lots of treats. November has quietly arrived ending Daylight saving time. Meaning we are back on standard time. We have fallen back and gained a much-needed extra hour of sleep!

Of course, it's also the beginning of the holiday season with Veteran's Day and Thanksgiving just around the corner. But, alas, our Lions work doesn't slow down. Matter of fact, our Lions work and tempo increases because this is the season when the less fortunate need us the most! Our Clubs throughout the District are gearing up to ensure that our communities have a beautiful and bountiful Thanksgiving!

The tempo in District 4-C5 is increasing with every passing hour and our Clubs are growing and very active. They are working very hard and definitely demonstrating that they have taken International President Choi's challenge to heart. Proving that District 4-C5 has accepted the challenge! During our District Governor's (DG) Visitations, we our hearing about all the Clubs' various projects and what they are planning for the rest of the year. Not to mention, during several of our visitations I have been asked to induct several new members, which is an honor. We are extremely proud of our Clubs' efforts! In the past month, we completed twelve District Governor visitations, bringing the total visitations for the year to 26, which is half of our clubs. We are schedule to conduct ten visitations this month.

The International Food Fair was held at the Folsom Community Center, Folsom, CA on October 20, 2019. It was a fun filled afternoon with great and delicious food and exciting entertainment. Proceeds will benefit the District Leadership Grant. We are encouraging all the Lions of District 4-C5 to prevail themselves of

this resource for future leadership training assistance.

World Diabetes Day is November 14. Take steps to fight diabetes. If you haven't started planning a diabetes service activity yet, or if you want to do more, you can support this important global cause at any time. Please visit the Diabetes Service Journey website for access to educational materials, planning resources, and more. For additional information, please Contact Lion Lynn Ventura, District 4-C5 Diabetes Chair at 916-798-4423 or lynnvent@aol.com

Our next Cabinet, meeting was hosted by Washoe Region Chair Becky Bell and her team was held on November 9, 2019, at the Newcastle District Office, 645 Kentucky Greens Way, Newcastle, CA 95658. We had a District wide new member orientation presented by Lion Sheri Retzlaff during the first hour of the cabinet meeting. This orientation was beneficial for, not only our new members, but was a refresher course for our long-time members.

November 11 is Veterans Day. In honor of all the men and women who served and continue to serve this great country, "Happy Veterans Day!" Thank you for your service and sacrifices. God bless you and America.

In closing, Thanksgiving is just around the corner and I would like to close by wishing all District 4-C5 Lions and their families a very Happy and Bountiful Thanksgiving Holiday. I also would like to take this opportunity to thank you for all you do.

I look forward to seeing you during the upcoming visitations and other events in the District.

Together in Service,

District Governor
Sarah and Lion Carle
Enloe

**"Hand in Hand, We
Can Do More"**



1st Vice District Governor Cat Gon's Message



Fall Greetings and Happy Thanksgiving!

Wow! This year is steaming by in a hurry. Here it is already November and I cannot begin to tell you where October went.

Warm Indian summer and an arid wind has made the foothill a powder keg again this month. Many of our Lions have had the power shut off as safety recourse but the loss of power, refrigeration as well as heat has taken its toll.

During our visitations we have noted that several events have been postponed until such time as PG&E opts to return power. We are almost out of the woods and into cooler times. If Mother Nature will just send us the much-needed rain, we'll be sitting pretty and able to enjoy the beautiful autumn colors without the fire danger.

October proved to be a very busy month...beginning with the amazing "Pasty Fundraiser" hosted by Donner Region Chair Tim Luckinbill at the Higgins Diggins Clubhouse on October 5th. The event was proficiently orchestrated with the assistance of Partner in Service MaryAnn Luckinbill, 2nd Vice District Governor Donna Prince, and a whole host of Higgins Diggins Lions. The entire building was filled with mining equipment and memorabilia for everyone to enjoy. RC Tim pulled antique mining artifacts from every known resource in the foothills.

The pasties were delicious! Many of the participants took home the few extra pasties for another wonderful meal. I cannot begin to thank Tim and MaryAnn Luckinbill, 2VDG Donna, and the magnificent Higgins Diggins Lions enough for all their efforts. A very emphatic THANK YOU to all who attended, donated funds and opportunity offerings, and silent auction items. This pleasurable event should become an annual Foothill happening.

Congrats to all those who were able to attend the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation (JDRF) Walk, October 6th. As we are entering November, please remember that this is Diabetes Awareness Month. Please become a supporter and consciously be mindful of the signs and preventative measures we can take to avert this senseless disease.

The Council of Governors meeting was held in Redding from October 23-27. One major topic that will be up- coming for compliance will be the **Background Checks** for all Lions who have close contact with Exchange Students, Leos, and youths under our care during events and programs. The information will be forthcoming as soon as policy is able to be written and

course of action forwarded to each of the Districts. Student Speaker packets should have been received by the clubs by now. Zone and Region packets will be available at the November 4th Executive Cabinet Meeting or the Washoe Region Cabinet Meeting on November 9th in Newcastle.

November 11th is Veteran's Day. During this month we celebrate and honor all members, past and present of our Armed Services. Please remember that some had paid the ultimate price for the freedoms that we enjoy. Their tenacity and perseverance in safeguarding this country and its citizens has enabled us to experience these freedoms. Thank you for your service to this country and the preservation of our everyday life which allows each of us to freely engage in our distinct pursuits.

November 15th is tax filing day for all Lions Clubs returns. Please be sure that your club returns for 501(c3), 501(c4), DOJ's Registry of Charitable Trusts are filed and updated.

November is also men's health awareness month. You will probably see many men who will forego shaving or grow a mustache to bring awareness to men's health issues. Other than being a little scruffy for the month, let's be sure to pay attention and be supportive of our awesome guys.

The Holidays are quickly approaching, and we have continued to serve in many distinct ways and for the District. It has reinforced my belief that we are a strong District consisting of diverse and committed Lions from the smallest to the largest Lion Clubs in the execution of humanitarian services to those less fortunate in our respective communities --- Thanksgiving is upcoming and we as Lions have a lot in common with that Holiday. We are thankful for our good fortune and share those blessings with those in need.

Many of us will spend this holiday with our families. Some will distribute meals to those less fortunate. Some will be alone, some by choice, others due to circumstances beyond their control. If you are able, reach out and adopt someone for the day. Keep the spirit of Thanksgiving alive by sharing: Run to Feed the Hungry 5/10K race, Volunteer at a food pantry, assist in packing food distributions, take a dinner to a shut-in, do a welfare check on an infirmed friend, share a meal with a stranger. The opportunities are endless.

So, how are you going to celebrate this Thanksgiving? Warm wishes for a safe and blessed Thanksgiving from our house to yours.

Lion Cat, PDG Erv Gon and Family



2nd Vice District Governor Donna Prince's Message



Dear Fellow Lions,

Happy November! October was certainly a month many of us are happy to have in our rear view mirror for various reasons. Thankfully, the devastating fires that hit our state once again in the north and south are near containment. Hopefully cooler temperatures, higher humidity levels and less wind events will keep new fires from flaring up, and keep the lights on for all of us who depend on PG&E for power. After the last blackout, Lion Jerry Wondergem pointed out some good things that came from the outages - families and friends got together around kitchen tables, dusted off their board games and playing cards and actually spent time together! We also reached out to assist neighbors in need of help. And if the generators weren't humming too loudly we also engaged in verbal conversations. Hopefully rediscovering the value of spending quality time with loved ones and friends continues after the threat of more power outages fade.

The news coverage showing the devastation caused by the fires and the people suffering through the aftermath is heartbreaking and brings to mind our mantra, "Where There's a Need, There's a Lion." There are many ways to assist those affected by disasters; including donations to charitable foundations and organizations that help victims directly. Two, we can be very proud to support are the California Lions Foundation (CLF) and Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF). If your club has not had a presentation on CLF or LCIF, I encourage you to contact our District Representative and Coordinator. You may also go online to the foundation websites.

◇ **PDG Nick McNicholas** is our CLF District Representative:

(530) 908-2048 Email: lormac2@mchsi.com

Website: www.CaliforniaLionsFoundation.org/grants

◇ Our LCIF District Coordinator is **PDG Andy Anderson**:

(916) 687-8133 Email: andersj@frontiernet.net

Website: www.lcif.org

As we enter the season of sharing and giving, many clubs will host and assist with community service projects and events to help those in need. Donations to food closets, distributing food baskets, hosting holiday dinners, coat and toy drives and volunteering to serve at shelters is widespread, needed and greatly appreciated.

As your club plans their projects, I want to encourage you to also consider supporting your local animal shelter. This is easily done by donating money and/or having club members bring pet food and supplies to a meeting. Soft blankets, towels, toys and pet beds are always appreciated by fur babies awaiting adoption. Contact your local shelter to find out what they need most during the cold months ahead. You may also volunteer to work at the shelter doing various tasks. Who knows, you might even find the perfect new addition to your family who is anxiously waiting for a forever home.

Whatever projects you and your clubs do please be sure they are reported to Lions Clubs International via MyLion. If you need help navigating the system contact our **District Global Service Coordinator, Jill Santos (916) 337-2421**, or **Zone Chair Jeri Wartena (916) 217-9486**.

Happy Thanksgiving from our house to yours!

Second Vice District Governor Donna & Lion Brad Prince



**District 4-C5 Convention
Marriott Hotel, San Ramon, CA – April 24 - 26, 2020**

“Wish Upon a Star”

PLEASE COMPLETE ONE FORM PER PERSON REGISTERING FOR CONVENTION

Registration Package

- \$320 **Before September 1, 2019 Includes:** Full Registration, Food Fair Friday Lunch, Friday Dinner, Saturday Presidents Breakfast, Saturday Hosted Lunch, Saturday Dinner Banquet and Sunday Breakfast. *(Requires \$100/person deposit which includes non-refundable registration fee)**
- \$335 **Between September 1, 2019 - February 2020 Includes:** Full Registration, Food Fair Friday Lunch, Friday Dinner, Saturday Presidents Breakfast, Saturday Hosted Lunch, Saturday Dinner Banquet and Sunday Breakfast. *(Requires \$100/person deposit which includes non-refundable registration fee)**
- \$350 **Between March 1, 2020 - April 23, 2020 Includes:** Full Registration, Food Fair Friday Lunch, Friday Dinner, Saturday Presidents Breakfast, Saturday Hosted Lunch, Saturday Dinner Banquet and Sunday Breakfast. *(Requires \$100/person deposit which includes non-refundable registration fee)**

*** All refunds subject to District’s discretion on an individual basis, non-refundable deposit applies.
NO REFUNDS ISSUED AFTER APRIL 1, 2020**

Convention Registration ONLY (Included in Packages above. All Attendees must pay registration fee)

- \$35 Registration Between September 1 – February 28, 2020
- \$50 Late Registration between March 1 – April 23, 2020
- \$75 On-Site Registration – April 24-26, 2020

Individual Meals A-la-Carte Options

- \$70 Friday Dinner
- \$50 Saturday Breakfast
- \$55 Saturday Lunch
- \$85 Saturday Dinner
- \$55 Sunday Breakfast

Discounted Room rates are available **September 1, 2019 - April 1, 2020**
Reservations made after April 1, 2020 will be subject to availability and will be charged at the regular room rate.

Room Reservations must be made through the San Ramon Marriot after September 1st. You may call them at 925.867-9200 or use the attached link: <https://www.marriott.com/event-reservations/reservation-link.mi?id=1565827897793&key=GRP&app=resvlink>

Registration Information: Is this Your First District Convention **Yes** **No?**

Club Name _____ Club Officer/ Position _____
 First Name _____ Last Name _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Phone _____ Email _____

Using Payment Plan? Y N

Total Remittance

\$ _____ Registration Package

\$ _____ Convention Registration

\$ _____ Convention Payment Plan Remittance

\$ _____ Ala Carte Meal Costs

\$ _____ **GRAND TOTAL REMITTANCES**

Make checks payable to District 4-C5. Mail form & check
 To Lion Jeri Retzlaff, 6921 Mitchlen Court, Sloughouse, CA 95683

List any dietary restrictions here:

2020 Convention Registration



CALLING ALL DISTRICT LIONS AND CLUBS!

**YOUR AD FOR THE 2020 DISTRICT 4-C5
CONVENTION PROGRAM BEING TAKEN NOW!**

Don't be left out

Get your Convention Ads in Today!

Deadline is March 31, 2020

Advertise Your Club Fundraisers

Celebrate Your Club Successes

Honor Your Club Officers

Recognize Your New Members

The opportunities are endless!

Full page (5.5 x 8.5") - \$100

Half page (5.5 x 4.25") - \$50

Business Card (3.5 x 2.0") - \$25

(Printed in Black and White only)



Submit Ads in jpeg (*Preferred*), Microsoft Word, Publisher, or PDF format to:

liondprince@gmail.com, catgon@att.net



**Payment: (Checks payable to District 4-C5)
and a hard copy of your ad should be mailed to:**



1st VDG Cat Gon

32 Sunlit Circle

Sacramento, CA 95831-1657



2019-20 MD-4 Lions Leadership

>> Interactive, team building training! Leadership for success!

An opportunity to:

- Enhance / build skills
- Network with Lions
- Experience Hands on Learning

This 3 day Institute focuses on: Personal Mission Statement, Diversity, Membership Public Speaking, LCI Forward, Motivating Club Members, Strategic Planning, Issues and Opportunities, and Leadership in Service.

This program is for all MD-4 Lions interested in leading and motivating volunteers using the style and skills taught by Lions Clubs International.

Cost: \$300 includes room and meals. A single room cost \$420 for room and meals. Make checks payable to MD4 Lions. Send to PCC Liz Crooke, MD4 GLT Coordinator, PO Box 1264, Salinas, CA 93902

Lions Leadership Institute Application

Check One: Santa Rosa 1/25-27/20 Rancho Cucamonga 3/20-22/20

Earle Baum Center, 4539 Occidental Rd, Santa Rosa • 9191 Baseline Road, Rancho Cucamonga

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____ Phone _____ (best way to reach)

Email _____

Club _____ Highest Office Held _____

Date _____ District _____ Check # _____

2019-20 MD-4 Lions Leadership Institute

Send application and check made out to MD4 Lions to:

PCC Liz Crooke, MD4 GLT Coordinator

PO Box 1264, Salinas, CA 93902

E: liz@lianliz.com

C: 831-328-6282

**Santa Rosa: Open to the first 40
Lions who register by 12/15/19**

**Rancho Cucamonga: Open to the
first 50 Lions who register by
1/31/20.**

Special Quilt Presentation

Submitted by IPDG Doug Wight

During the District 4-C5 Cabinet Meeting held on November 9, at Newcastle Elementary School, Folsom Lake Lion Bernardette DeCuir presented Immediate Past District Governor (IPDG) Doug Wight with a special quilt that she recently completed.

Traditionally, Lion Bernardette makes various quilts for sitting or IPDGs, based on their theme for the year serving as District Governor. In IPDG Doug's year, his theme was "Ride the Gold Road of Lionism." That theme echoed IPDG's love for classic cars and the fact that he lives in the heart of the Gold Country located in the northern Sierra Foothills.

Lion Bernardette captured all of that detail in this special quilt with a winding "Gold Road" that has many classic cars heading up the road and small communities typical of those found in the foothill communities.



IPDG Doug Wight with quiltmaker Lion Bernardette Decuir

Thanks Lion Bernardette so very much for this wonderful quilt! It is now proudly displayed on our living sofa.

November 15th Deadline for Compliance

ATTORNEY GENERAL CHARITY RESOURCES AND COMPLIANCE

- ◆ [Form RRF-1 and Instructions:](#)
Annual Registration Renewal Fee Report
Form RRF-1 must be filed annually within 4 months and 15 days after the end of an organization's accounting period.
- ◆ [IRS Form 990 Series and Instructions](#)
- ◆ [The Registry's Guide for Charities Page](#)
- ◆ [Nonprofit Transactions Requiring Notice or Attorney General Approval](#)
- ◆ [Audit Requirements under the Nonprofit Integrity Act](#)
- ◆ [Executive Compensation under the Nonprofit Integrity Act](#)

CHARITY RESEARCH RESOURCES

The [Registry Verification Search tool](#) allows a registrant's public filings to be viewed and downloaded from the Registry database. These public filings include a copy of the federal annual informational return (IRS Forms 990, 990-PF, and 990-EZ) initial and renewal registration forms and data (e.g. Forms CT-1, RRF-1), other documents that organizations are required to file with this office, and incoming and outgoing Registry correspondence. For help using our search tool and interpreting the results, please review [Registry Verification Search Tips & Filing Status Definitions](#).

Members with 40 or More Years of Community Service

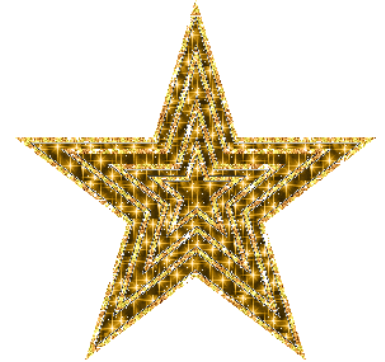
The Milestone Charter Monarch and Monarch Chevron Awards are to honor Lions for their dedication to community service. These service awards are based on the Lion's join date and on the fiscal year of July 1, 2019 thru June 30, 2020.

On behalf of Lions Clubs International and District 4-C5, we would like to congratulate, thank, and recognize the following Lions for their faithful, dedicated, and sustained service as Lions for 40 or more years of community service.

Your contributions to your communities throughout the years are invaluable and priceless. We know you have made many sacrifices throughout the years to continue providing stellar community service. We greatly appreciate each and every one of these sacrifices.

Sincerely in Lionism,

Sarah Enloe
District Governor, District 4-C5, MD4
Hand in Hand, We Can Do More



Name	Club	Years
Perry, Le Roy	Rio Linda	60 - Chevron
Shields, Robert	Auburn Host	55 - Chevron
Malcolm, Gary	Woodland Reveille	50 - Charter Chevron
Raine, Gary	Auburn 49ers	50 - Charter Chevron
Lee, Michael	Loomis	50 - Chevron
Merz, Richard	Folsom City Host	50 - Chevron
Skinner, Walter	Auburn 49ers	50 - Chevron
Arnold, Raymond	Auburn 49ers	45 - Chevron
Cagle, Douglas	Auburn 49ers	45 - Chevron
Hardesty, Lee	Country Club	45 - Chevron
McDaniel, Dean	Sacramento Embarcadero	45 - Chevron
Schultz, William	Mother Lode	45 - Chevron
Sherry, John	Folsom City Host	45 - Chevron
Sweeney, James	Mother Lode	45 - Chevron
Wilson, Ralph	Auburn Host	45 - Chevron
Melliza, Bert PDG	Sacramento Maharlika	40 - Charter Chevron
Brenner, Thomas	Auburn 49ers	40 - Chevron
Bull, Dennis	Rocklin	40 - Chevron
Cuevas, Antonio	Lincoln Host	40 - Chevron
Fallai, Bill	Orangevale	40 - Chevron
Mallery, Jim	Auburn 49ers	40 - Chevron
Mc Govern, Craig	Grass Valley Gold Country	40 - Chevron
Roberts, Derrell	Placerville	40 - Chevron
Valencia, Edward	Rio Linda	40 - Chevron
Zendner, Dan	Colfax	40 - Chevron



Lions Reading Action Program (aka Kindle Project)

Kudos to all clubs that sponsor a Reading Contest at one or more local schools!

If you haven't contacted your schools regarding hosting your contest yet, I suggest you do so very soon. The upcoming holidays and associated school activities have all staff scrambling so the sooner you get confirmation the better.

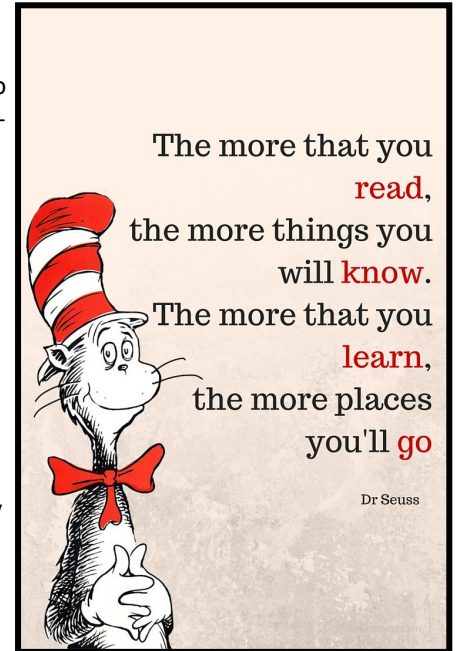
I am very proud that this project has taken off in our district and we are encouraging students with all levels of reading abilities to read more books in hardcover, paperback and electronic forms. As my favorite author from childhood Dr. Seuss said, *"The more you know, the farther you will go!"*

If your club is hosting this project, please let me know which schools you are covering. I want to update my list of participating clubs and the schools they are covering.

If your club has not joined in on this project, I would be happy to introduce the program to you. It is very simple to implement, the cost is relatively low and the results are simply incredible! It also showcases what Lions do in our communities to the students, parents and guardians, teachers, administrators and other school personnel.

Be sure to pick up a book to read yourself this month!

Regards,
2nd VDG Donna Prince
liondprince@gmail.com



Operation "Clip Cat"



1st Vice District Governor Cat Gon is growing her hair in an effort to raise funds and donate her hair for a wig for cancer survivors. Special wigs cost \$1,000 or more. Her goal is to reach \$4,000 in donations that will be donated to Pediatric Cancer Support and Research.

At her August 2020, Cabinet Meeting, she'll undergo the clipping of her locks!

Donations can be made payable to District 4-C5 Lions with memo to Pediatric Cancer Campaign. This will also be reports to Lions Clubs International!



The **Sacramento Camellia Lions** will not be meeting on November 14, 2019. The monthly meeting is rescheduled to November 13, 2019, and the destination is changed to celebrate a member's birthday. Contact club for more information.

Welcome New Lions Members!!

District 4-C5 Newest Members for October 2019

Name	Club Name	Zone	Region	Month
Anderson, Michelle	Downieville	Sierra	Donner	Oct 21
Bitondo, Brittany	Galt	Sutter	Sacramento	Oct 10
Blue, Josie	Maharlika	Sutter	Sacramento	Oct 1
Brown, Peter	Mother Lode	Marshall	Washoe	Oct 8
Bullis, Lori	Antelope	Wolfskill	Dos Rios	Oct 3
Bullis, Robert	Antelope	Wolfskill	Dos Rios	Oct 3
Gamache, Jeff	Colfax	Foothill	Donner	Oct 1
Goff, Carol	Citrus Heights	Wolfskill	Dos Rios	Oct 2
Petersen, Kathy	Mother Lode	Marshall	Washoe	Oct 24
Reyes, Ryan	Maharlika	Sutter	Sacramento	Oct 1
Smith, Steve	Auburn 49ers	Foothill	Donner	Oct 17
Wisnia, David	Grass Valley Foothill	Sierra	Donner	Oct 15



Region	New Members for 2019-2020	Reinstated members for 2019-2020
Donner	8	7
Dos Rios	12	0
Sacramento	13	2
Washoe	9	1
Totals	42	10/52

Lions Gone, but Not Forgotten

Lion George Mendoza, Higgins Diggins

Lion Roy Brooks, Grass Valley Host

Lion Patrick Taylor, Loomis

Lion Robert Farmer, Fort Sutter



Lions Clubs International Foundation Donations

Quarterly Report Updated as of 9:30 AM, Oct 14, 2019

Club Name	Zone	2018-19 Totals	JUL-SEPT 2019	OCT- DEC 2019	JAN-MAR 2020 To be processed	DATE VISITED OR To visit
Auburn 49ers	Foothill	20				8/08/2019
Auburn Host	Foothill	20				
Citrus Heights	Wolfskill	1220				10/16/2019
Colfax	Foothill	986	20			9/03/2019
Country Club	Wolfskill	3000	2000			9/23/2019
Davis Aggies	Gordon	20				10/21/2019
Delta	Sutter	40				11/14/2019
Downieville	Sierra	25	100		1,000	9/16/2019
Elk Grove	Sutter	1800	325	100	200	7/22/2019
Esparto	Gordon	460				11/21/2019
Fair Oaks Host	Wolfskill	600				11/14/2019
Folsom City Host	Marshall	1200	300			9/04/2019
Folsom Lake	Marshall	1245	20			9/12/2019
Foresthill	Foothill	1070				10/01/2019
Galt	Sutter	1000		250		10/10/2019
Grass Valley Foothill	Sierra	2880				9/11/2019
Grass Valley Gold Country	Sierra	20				
Grass Valley Host	Sierra	1930				
Higgins Diggins	Foothill	1800	2,000			7/18/2019
Lincoln Hills	Eureka	1000				11/02/2019
Lincoln Host	Eureka	20				10/17/2019
Loomis	Eureka	1020				10/01/2019
Meadow Vista	Foothill	2600	200			
Mother Lode	Marshall	1250	100	100		8/11/2019
Nevada City	Sierra	2020				9/11/2019
Newcastle Golden Spike	Eureka	20				10/22/2019
Orangevale	Marshall	20	300	100		9/17/2019
Penn Valley	Sierra	1325				9/26/2019
Placerville	Marshall	534				12/03/2019
Pride of LC	Sutter	1180				7/17/2019

Lions Clubs International Foundation Donations

Club Name	Zone	2018-19 Totals	JUL-SEPT 2019	OCT-DEC 2019	JAN-MAR 2020 To be pro- cess	DATE VISITED OR To visit
Rio Linda	Wolfskill	1090	420			8/28/2019
Rocklin	Eureka	3150				9/3/2019
Roseville Host	Eureka	40				8/21/2019
Roseville Sunrise	Eureka	20				12/17/2019
Sacramento Antelope	Wolfskill	1020				9/25/2019
Sacramento Camellia	Crocker	300				12/12/2019
Sacramento Capitol	Crocker	300				12/18/2019
Sacramento Embarcadero	Crocker	885	450	150		1/08/2020
Sacramento Fort Sutter	Wolfskill	3870				10/22/2019
Sacramento Golden State	Sutter	440				11/13/2019
Sacramento Mabuhay	Crocker	1985				11/17/2019
Sacramento Maharlika	Sutter	1470	250	70		7/16/2019
Sacramento Metropolitan	Crocker	20		25		2/05/2020
Sacramento Midtown	Wolfskill	2800				9/12/2019
Sacramento Nepalese	Crocker	20				8/25/2019
Sacramento Senator	Crocker	1536	126	42		1/02/2020
Sacramento Valley Hi	Sutter	20			1000	8/18/2019
Winters	Gordon	20				1/08/2020
Woodland Host	Gordon	2520			20	10/23/2019
Woodland Reveille	Gordon	50		20		10/2/2019
Woodland Yolo Sunset	Gordon	513			20	12/14/2019

26 of 51 (50.98%) Clubs have been visited about the LCIF

14 of 51 (27.45%) Clubs have donated to the LCIF

6 of 8 (75%) Zones have been visited about the LCIF

50 of 51 (98.04%) Clubs has a Club LCIF Coordinator

Total goal for the District is 15.32%

2 Clubs Purple = \$2,000 <

0 clubs Brown = \$1,000 to \$1,999

0 club Red = \$750 to \$999

0 clubs Blue = \$500 to \$749

6 clubs Green = \$250 to \$499

6 clubs Left side of column Black = \$0 to \$249

Global Membership Team Report

(Oct 14, 2019)

I am working on the clubs that are under 20 in membership and try to assist them in getting above the 20 mark in membership. Their original membership is based on the LCI Report for July 6 2019 @ 8am CST. Items in **Red** are updates to my original listing.

Esparto	19 members	Sac Midtown	15 members(-1)
Fair Oaks Host	20 members(+1)	Roseville Host	15 members
Placerville	18 members(-1)	Sac Antelope	15 members
Rocklin	19 members	Sac Nepalese	18 members(+3)
Sac Fort Sutter	19 members	Winters	15 members(+1)
Nevada City	18 members	Woodland Yolo	12 members(-2)
Woodland Reveille	18 members	Folsom Lake	13 members
Country Club	17 members	Sac Golden State	13 members
Newcastle GS	14 members(-3)	Citrus Heights	10 members(-1)
Orangevale	17 members	Delta	11 members
Sac Mabuhay	16 members	Sac Metropolitan	12 members(+1)

I will also be keeping an eye on the following clubs to make should that they don't fall below 20 in membership:

Folsom Host	21 members	Grass Valley Host	19 members(-1)
Gold Country	19 members(-2)	Lincoln Hills	20 members
Penn Valley	20 members(-1)	Lincoln Host	19 members(-7)

I will work with the club's President, Secretary and Membership Chair to work on a program for one of their meeting to talk with them about how to attract new members. So far 20 clubs (39.22%) has either new members or reinstated members for this year totaling 41. I have attended 28 club meetings and 6 Zone meetings to date.

Total new members for this year is 31.

PDG Andy Anderson

International Food Fair Fundraiser

FOLSOM COMMUNITY CENTER



Cuisine of the Pacific Rim



This annual event was initiated with District 4-C5's very own Past International President Kay K. Fukushima. Over the past 15 years, almost \$50,000 has been raised to provide educational leadership grants to Lions in our district who are interested in attending leadership training. These grants help offset the cost of Lions members expenses to attend the training. The grants are It also promotes Lions fellowship and fun by coming together once a year, a chance to speak with other members, get new ideas about service projects, etc.

Grants are approved by the Global Leadership Team—visit District 4-C5 website for more information about educational/training grants! If more funds are raised, more grants can be issued!

Where There is a Need.....

Higgins Diggins Lions Club held a Meat Loaf Dinner on November 2nd to benefit the California Lions Foundation (CLF) and Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF).

One hundred guests attended the event chaired by Higgins Diggins' LCIF Club Chairperson Pat Tavare. Past District Governors Nick McNicholas and Andy Anderson auctioned the 22 desserts that followed dinner. Their skills netted \$1,335 in bids.



District 4-C5 dignitaries at the meat loaf dinner!

An array of unusual door prizes was given; all were items one might need to prepare for the next PG&E blackout- a flashlight with batteries, bottle of Naggiar wine, warm blanket, a box of packaged food, case of bottled water, and cans of soup with a saucepan to cook it on the winner's Coleman stove!

Nearly \$2,500 was raised at the event, and will be donated to CLF and LCIF from Higgins Diggins.



A 4th Grade teacher from Del Dayo Elementary School contacted the Country Club Lions to assist in obtaining new glasses for her student. The student above, was squinting and

stating she couldn't see the board. She had glasses, but lost them and her family could not afford a new pair.

The Lions recently received the thank you note from the student. Ms. Andrews relayed that "she wanted to thank the Lions from the bottom of her heart." With the help of the voucher provided, she was able to get a new prescription and is proudly wearing her new glasses.

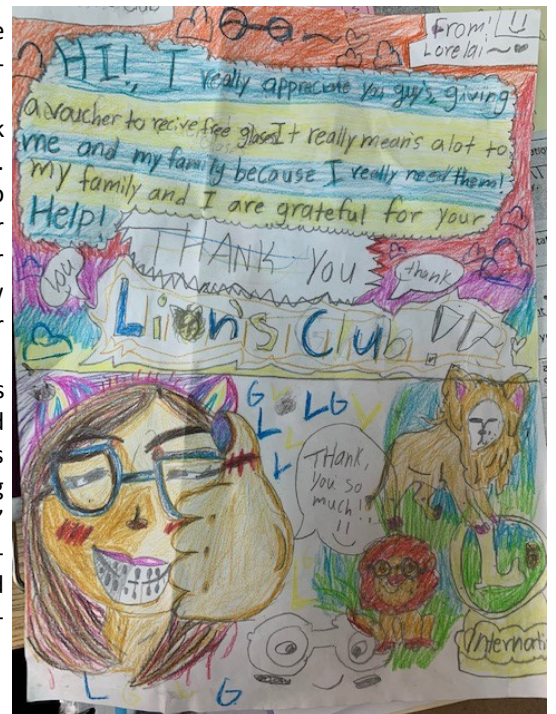
Ms. Andrews also stated, "She is proud, confident, and raises her hand to participate. This child, who was withdrawn and quiet, is now beaming with self-confidence thanks to YOU!" She further stated that they are grateful for the assistance, keep doing good work and know it deeply impacts people in your community!

Couldn't agree more—WE SERVE!



District 4-C5's annual all Treats no Tricks delivery of those precious Pop Tabs to make a difference for the kids & their families at Ronald McDonald House (RMH). Our "Hills Club" was represented by Colfax Lions Club Lion of the Year RC Tim Luckinbill and our "Flatlanders Club" by Sacramento Embarcadero Lions Club Past President Alex Eng & PDG Erv Gon.

Yes, you do make a BIG difference by keeping a cup/zip lock bag magnetized to your 'fridge to drop those soda, soup, beer & Spam Pop Tabs into. For us we barely collect a cupful every 12 months, but together over \$6,000 worth was donated to RMH



Healthy Heroes Initiative

Have you heard about the wonderful new partnership with Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF) and Anthem Foundation? LCIF was awarded a \$250,000 grant from the Anthem Foundation to create the Lions-Anthem Foundation "Healthy Heroes Initiative" to help improve the health of communities across the country. Grants are being awarded to Lions clubs and districts with programs that support improved health outcomes. The partnership began in 2015 and has been active in communities throughout the United States. District 4C-5 had the opportunity to be a partner in service with Anthem last month.

District Governor Sarah Enloe received an e-mail from Lion Sarah Hermann, LCI Volunteer Engagement & Events Manager, asking if there was a club in our district interested in hosting the River City Food Bank Project on October 19, 2019. DG Sarah sent out an e-mail to Region and Zone Chairs, requesting assistance from a club. Wolfskill Zone Chair Jeri Wartena immediately responded to Lion Sarah Hermann, offering the Antelope Lions or Wolfskill Zone Clubs as the host club. Lion Jeri thought this would be a great way to meet potential new members! The role for Lions involved was mainly to welcome Anthem volunteers, check in volunteers, and serve alongside them. The Lions were also asked to provide a very brief overview of how they serve in the local community.



Lion Jeri packing cilantro for the shoppers

Lions Jeri Wartena, Lori and Robert Bullis, and Dos Rios Region Chair Dennis Puccetti joined Lion Nicole Matia Saturday morning at The Center at St. Matthew. After conferring with Jenna, the Lions began greeting the volunteers as they arrived. The Lions guided the 17 Anthem volunteers in their first local project. The first two hours were spent repacking

fresh fruits and vegetables and setting up the "store." The doors opened at 11 a.m. and guests began shopping. Please bear in mind many of the people had arrived at 7 a.m., wanting to be sure they were able to receive food. Tables full of food were arranged around the perimeter of the room (think the size of a basketball court), with room in the middle for shoppers. After signing in, the guests moved past each table, choosing the items they thought were best for their family. The guests were appreciative of what they were receiving, but the volunteers assembled were truly the recipients of something wonderful.

Working with the Anthem volunteers and additional community volunteers, the Lions assisted over 366 families (resulting in more than 1,400 people) "shop" for much needed groceries over a three-hour time period. Everyone with food needs received what was right for them, with no one being turned away. And guess what? Some of the Anthem volunteers were so impressed by what Lions do, they



Lion Jeri with prospective new members

want to become Lions! They live in El Dorado Hills, and when Lion Jeri told them that we don't have a club there, they wanted to know how to start one! Lion Jeri and PDG Andy Anderson will be meeting with the prospective Lions later this month.

The River City Food Bank serves food every Saturday at the Center at St. Matthew. They can always use the help and they have everything planned out perfectly. Isn't this a great opportunity for the Lions Clubs in the Sacramento area to help our community? Make it a Club, Zone, or Region project. If you would like more information from Lion Jeri's perspective, please call her at (916) 217-9486. If you and your club would like to volunteer, please call River City Food Bank Volunteer Coordinator Jenna Robinson, at (916) 217-1213.

Where There is a Need.....



Members of **Folsom Lake Lions Club** recently worked at a packing event for **Feed My Starving Children (FMSC)**. We hand-packed meals consisting of soy, rice, vegetables and vitamins. The dried ingredients are sealed in plastic bags and packed in boxes. When the ingredients are mixed with water, each bag will feed 6 people. In two hours time, our team, consisting of approximately 12 people packed enough to feed 7,000 individuals.

FMSC produces three special MannaPack™ meal formulas developed by food science and nutrition professionals to supplement nutritional needs. Many communities lack local food sources or families cannot afford to buy food. FMSC provides the food to distribution partners all over the world, who in turn provide the meals to individuals and families in communities who are suffering from hunger and poverty.

The **Folsom Lake Lions Club** also participated on November 2 with decorating the Folsom Zoo and Sanctuary for Christmas Wild Nights 2019. Yes, it is that time of year already. Our area to decorate is the Miners Shack, which the club has done in past years, better known as the skunk cage. At the present time, in addition to the skunk there is a possum also living in the Miners Shack.



The Zoo will also have 50 community decorated trees scattered throughout the zoo. We will return on November 30 to decorate a tree.

A magical winter wonderland awaits guests at the Folsom Zoo Sanctuary's 10th annual Wild Nights and Holiday Lights event. There are thousands of feet of bright and colorful light strands, 100 decorated trees, and many sparkling ornaments. All of the animals homes are decorated and it is truly a beautiful sight to behold.

The **Sacramento Valley Hi Lions Club** is making a world of difference! Our new President Luis D. Yanez along with our all our fellow officers and members embark on new challenges and ideas in delivering more local and global service projects. Here are some of the important highlights of what we are working on for both locally and internationally:

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Where There is a Need.....



95-years young, Sacramento Capitol Lions Club Charter Member, Lion Frank Wong received his 65 years Lions Club International award for contributing his time, talent



Zone Chair Helene Smith presenting Region Chair Tim Luckinbill with a bag of Pop Tabs! Remember to save them and give to PDG Erv Gon for the Ronald McDonald House!



Foresthill Lions Clubs received an award from the Foresthill High School Varsity Football team for the efforts in serving their community. The award was presented at the annual Homecoming game and it was a big surprise to the club.



Every year for Homecoming morning Foresthill Lions cook breakfast for the football players, cheerleaders and some of the staff. They start at 6 am to have it ready at 7 am. They make scrambled eggs, pancakes and ham. They have been doing this since 2014. The kids are the best. So polite and friendly. And boy can they eat !!!

District Governor Sarah Enloe's Visits



Rio Linda Lions



Lincoln Hills Lions



Gold Country Lions



Antelope Lions



Orangevale Lions

Redding Multiple District 4 Council of Governors

District Governor Sarah Enloe, 1VDG Cat Gon and 2VDG Donna Prince attended the Redding Council of Governors. They met with their councils to share information and learn more about being a District Governor. In addition, they had some fun carving pumpkins, murder mystery dinner, ice cream social, etc. The work consisted of budget-

ary items for the Multiple District 4 (MD4) California Lions, upcoming February MD4 Convention seminars and Academy Awards, Lions International Convention in 2020 (Singapore), Long Range Planning, Youth Exchange, and special reports, such as Sight, Cancer, Rose Parade.



District 4C-5 Peace Poster Contest



Peace Poster Contest Chair Larry Vogelesang, Woodland Host Lions, conducted the annual contest at the November 9 Cabinet Meeting. There were nine peace posters presented for judging.

The winner's poster symbolizes this year's theme of "Journey of Peace." The road has different countries flags, while the middle symbols represent welcome in foreign languages. The dove is holding an olive branch and the wings are wrapping around planet earth.

This year's winner is 13-year old Anali Yanez who attends Granite Oaks Middle School in Rocklin. The Rocklin Lions are the proud sponsor of the winner!

The poster will move on to the MD-4 Peace Poster Contest.

Upcoming Events

December 7, 2019 Elk Grove Lions Crab/Shrimp Feed/Dance Elk Grove SES Portuguese Hall 10427 E. Stockton Blvd., Elk Grove	\$50 per person 6 pm social, 7 pm dinner, 9-11 pm dance Tickets available at www.ElkGroveLionsFoundation.org or contact Jack Edwards @ (916) 240-9302
December 7, 2019 Senator Lions Club Dandelions Arts/Crafts Show Sacramento Buddhist Church 2401 Riverside Blvd., Sacramento	9 am—3 pm For more information, visit www.SacramentoSenatorLions.org
January 3 & 4, 2020 Maharlika Lions Club Crab/Shrimp Feed VFW Post 67 2784 Stockton Blvd., Sacramento	\$50 Adults, \$10 Children under 12 6 pm Social, 7 pm Dinner Contact Lynn Ventura @ (916) 798-4423, Myrna Agbunag @ (916) 505-1421 or Vickie Debord @ (916) 524-3452
January 12, 2020 Embarcadero Lions Night at the Theatre “Pump Boys and Dinettes” presented by the Sacramento Theatre Company	\$40 per person 5:30 pm dinner, 7 pm show Contact Mark Steffens @ (916) 214-8650 or steffens.mark@gmail.com for more information and tickets
January 18, 2020 Folsom Lake Lions Crab & Shrimp Feed Folsom Community Center 52 Natoma St., Folsom	\$50 per person 6 pm Social, 7 pm Dinner Contact Margaret @ (916) 941-9724, Carol @ (916) 988-3491 or Bernie @ (916) 624-9210 or order online at www.folsomlionscrabfeed.com
February 29, 2020 LCIF/CLF Bowling Tournament Fundraiser County Club Lanes 2600 Watt Ave., Sacramento	\$25 per bowler, or \$125 Team (5 bowlers) 9 am Registration, 10 am Tournament Starts Contact PDG Andy Anderson @ (916) 955-3882 or PDG Nick McNicholas @ (530) 908-2048
March 7, 2020 El Dorado Human Trafficking Hotline Poster Outreach Placerville, CA	10 am to 2 pm Sign-up to be notified when registration opens for this event at: http://bit.ly/HotlinePOST
March 14, 2020 Lions Project for Canine Companions Annual Crab Feast Citrus Heights Community Center 6300 Fountain Square Dr., Citrus Heights	\$50 Early Dog Per Person before 1/1/2020, \$60 after 1/1/2020 6 pm Social , 7:15 pm Dinner Order online at http://lppccicrabfeed.com/ or if you have any questions, email wwstrand@mac.com or contact Mark Steffens @ (916) 214-8650.



Don't forget to advertise your club events! See Page 24 for details!!

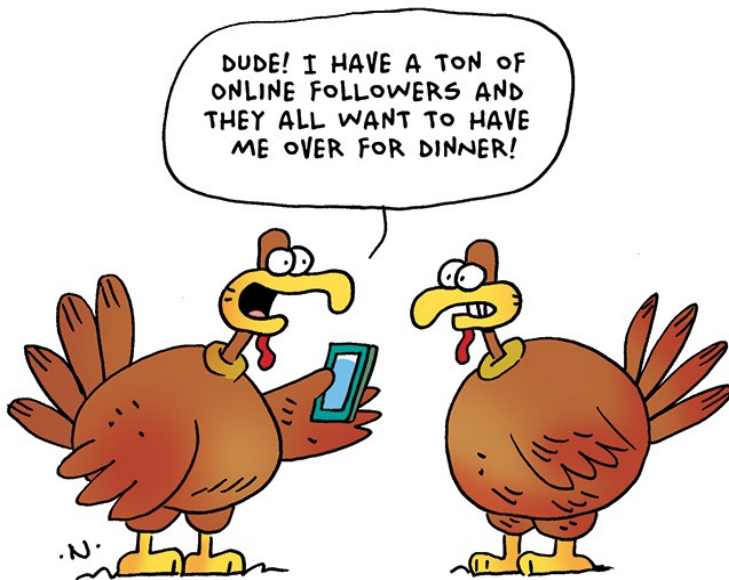
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Thanksgiving blessings to you and your family!

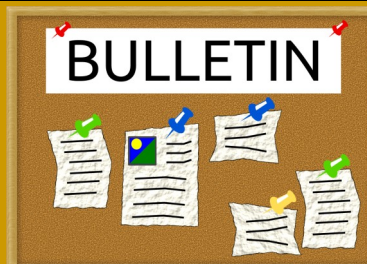
Share your club's event flyers to advertise throughout the district!!
Send information to the following:

1. Email blast messages—Messages@district4c5.org
2. Webmaster—Events@district4c5.org
3. Facebook—pr@district4c5.net
4. Pride Bulletin—editor@district4c5.org



Pride Bulletin Editor:
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Please forward all articles and photos (please identify who is in photos) by the 5th of each month!



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