



Hello fellow Lions,
 What a wonderful District meeting in Fresno last month. Thank you, to all that helped put it together. I hope everyone had a good time and came away a little more knowledgeable and enthused about Lionism. In this newsletter will be the registration for both the New Members Night in Caruthers and our next District meeting in Bakersfield. Mark your calendars and get those registration forms in quickly and plan to have a great time. I know that 1VDG Al and 2VDG Kevin will be just back from the USA/Canada Forum and will be sharing their experiences with us at the New Members night.

Lion Christie and I had the privilege of attending the Charter Night for the Sanger Lions last week, and what a great time it was. It was a beautiful backyard setting and great weather to match. Congratulations to all of the Sanger Lions and a special thanks to all the Parlier Lions and Lion Hank for sponsoring and guiding this wonderful addition to our Lion family. We had so much fun there that 10 more joined that night! Way to go Sanger.

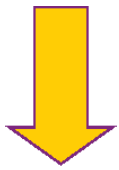
Each time I open a monthly membership and activities report, and read about all the service you are providing and the lives you are impacting, I swell with pride. Thank you for allowing me to serve as your Governor.

DG Craig

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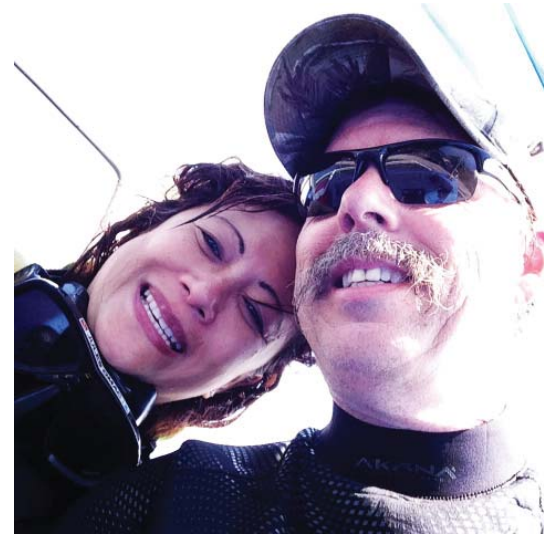
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Hello Lions Family

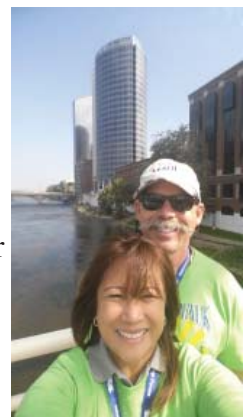
Both my wife and I have really been enjoying ourselves here at the USA Canada forum in Grand Rapids Michigan. I am always amazed at all of the new leadership training that is presented to you here, along with new ideas for projects and fundraisers that may benefit our clubs in our district. Next year it will be in Omaha, Nebraska. Attending this event is well worth the time and money you spend, I don't think that you will be disappointed. You are receiving leadership training from Past International Presidents, Past International Directors, Past District Governors, you are also able to talk to the current International President and sit with all of the active International Directors for this year and the year coming. If you get the time to go, it is well worth the trip.



Did you know that you can go back to college for free, well, this is Lions College and it is on line but you do receive a degree all the way up to Dr. and you are being taught by teachers that are very versed in the field that they are teaching. One of the instructors that is teaching the public speaking part of the college has her doctors degree at a university, when I heard her give her keynote speech at District L5 when I was visiting their convention, she nearly blew me away, it was the best keynote speaker that I've ever heard speak at alliance event. The first graduating class out of this new Lions University was numbering over 200, we are very proud of having 2 graduating students in our district. Congratulations are in order to our Second Vice District Governor Kevin Patel and Past District Governor Judge Fred Dupras. Way To Go!!!

I am so glad that I am a Lion and that lions are so generous in helping out others. When we arrived at Grand Rapids Michigan for the USA Canada forum we got to our hotel at 12 o'clock midnight to find out that there was no room for us and that we were unable to stay in the lobby until the afternoon when we would then be able to get our room. Thank you so much to Past District Governor Honorable Judge Dupras and to his wife Pam for allowing us to impose upon them and get a good night sleep. I was so thankful and also so embarrassed I must've thanked him at least 5 to 10 times and he told me that is what lions do, they help out the homeless, even if they are the First Vice District Governor. Thank you again so much, we will never forget your kindness.

This is truly an exciting time to be a lion with our centennial knocking at our back door, soon we will be in an organization that has reached the hundred year old milestone. We as lions have come such a long ways in the past almost hundred years and to let everyone know exactly what we have been doing, we need to remember to report all of our events that we have been performing as a club, and really let others know how our club have been impacting our community. It is time to show off all of our good works. On the way to Grand Rapids Michigan I started thinking about our clubs in our district. Fresno Host Lions Club will be celebrating its hundred year old birthday on the 20th of Oct 2017 and I started to think about how some of our clubs like Fresno host, Reedley, Dinuba, to mention a few have been in existence way before Helen Keller gave her speech asking us to become Knight of the Blind. A lot of the older clubs charter was even signed by our founder, Melvin Jones. Our district holds a lot of history being the second oldest club in the multiple district. Fresno Host Lions Club is the second oldest club in California and we are still growing. Please come to new members night and help us welcome in our newest club, Sanger Lions. Just a little nostalgic history first, the old Sanger Lions Club was the one



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“ROAR OF THE LION”

that put the snack bar in at the old football stadium for the Sanger High School, I know this club is going to be a fantastic, strong club. I'm so excited to have a club back into Sanger, Congratulations!!

If you have not been up to Bearskin Meadows Camp, our district project for kids with type one diabetes, please come and join us as soon as we are able to get back up there. We can use all the help that we can get to clean up the camp after the forest fires we are a little behind due to the fires but it looks like everything has survived up there. The caretakers James and Paulette have moved back up there and reported seeing a very young small cub bear strolling across the pasture, but no sign of the mother, we hope everything is okay with the mama bear. While James and Paulette were evacuated, a bear went through the dining area through the double doors and had a feast in the kitchen area, they shared pictures on Facebook it was quite a sight. I'm so glad that James and Paulette were able to return back to the camp, and that the camp survived the fire, what a blessing.

Our district is growing stronger by the numbers and we need the new members to help keep our service projects strong. Immediate Past District Governor Anthony, asked last year only to have a gain of one per each club, and look where our district is back in the 2000+. It is also important to remember that people do not join clubs, they join causes. Let show everyone what we do and what our causes “We Serve.” District Governor Craig will do a fine job this year helping clubs and the growth of our district. It is because of you that our district is so strong. Keep up the good work and thank you for your service. I am so proud to be in this district.





Lion Chiragkumar Patel

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Very honored to have picture with First International Lady Lion Dr. Toshiko Yamada at the USA CANADA leadership forum, Grand Rapids



Dear Lions, Lioness & Leos,

I am very delighted to begin my term with great enthusiastic Lions Clubs activities/projects, meetings, Installations and Visitations. You all have given me great support and love which keeps my lionistic spirits in great. Thank-you! In the month of June it was my pleasure to do installation for Easton Lions club officers for the 2015-2016 term and for Fresno Host Lions Officers in July with unique style in Candle Light which was a great experience. It was fun and lot of fellowship with a great hospitality. I am fortunate to induct 14 new lions for the Laton Lions Club and to induct 6 New Leos for the Hanford Leo Club and also for being guest for the Diwata Lions Club, attended 75th Anniversary Celebration of Selma Lions Club, installation of Kings Lions Club and Charter Presentation of Sanger Club. Took part along with Spouse & Hanford Breakfast Lions Club in Zumba Fundraiser by Diwata Lions Club, Kings Brewfest-2015 and sponsored Indian Food, Lemoore Lions Brewfest-2015 and also sponsored food & Kings Luau – by Kings Lions Club which was all really a very good Fundraisers & a great PR of our Lions Clubs. I also took part in Leo Clubs Food Distribution at Hanford & Laton then had Highway Clean-up, Fun Picnic to Cambria Beach by Hanford Leos in supervision of great Leo advisors of Hanford Breakfast Club, viz. Lion Susan & Lion Jim Boyd. I did receive invitations from other clubs but due to tight schedule I couldn't make it.

As you all know we had a Great Installation and District Meeting in August. Welcomed our guests from other districts. Thanks for welcoming & accepting my fellow Council Of Governor 2nd Vice District Governor from District 4-C5 Lion Thomas “Nick” McNicholas.

The support which I am able to get from our District is able to make me a proud Lion of our District to represent in the USA/CANADA Leadership Forum, Grand Rapids, MI. It was an extraordinary experience to get the Leadership training, chance to attend the seminars by the National & International Dignitaries of Lions Clubs International. There were variety of about interesting sessions in this Forum from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. like :- Strides – Lions for Diabetes Awareness, Lions KidSight USA – Why we do it?, How to Replace Yourself as a Leader, Public Speaking – 25 Skills, Qualities of a Good Leader & Leadership, Stop Recycling Leaders, The AHA Moment, Nurturing the next Generation, Ice Breakers through Lions University Course, Identifying & Mentoring Future Leaders, Power of Diversity, Gearing up for the Centennial, Your Lions Club is a Business, Advance Social Media Users, GMT/GLT Combined, Motivational Speaker Lisa Whelchel and more. I encourage our members to use me for your knowledge about these topics, try to arrange seminars with Zone clubs or possibly Region wise. Please contact me whenever you need me.

During this Forum I was lucky along with other two Lions Hon. PDG Lion Judge Fred Duprah and Lion David of Sunset Lions Club to get Bachelor's graduation Certificate in the very First Batch of Lions University received through our International President Lion Jitsuhiro Yamada. We also participated in the Strides Walk for Diabetes Awareness along with almost 450 Lions from all over the USA & Canada. I insist Lions Club to encourage Lions to attend and participate in USA/Canada Leadership Forum. Next year it is going to be held in Omaha, Nebraska between September 15 – 17, 2016. So, don't wait register online at www.lionsforum.org

I got invited by 2nd Vice District Governor Lion Marianne Keese of 4-C1 to their Second Cabinet meeting held on September 25-27, 2015 at Lakehead which was a great experience and learnt a lot especially I was very impressed of their two Foundations. They already have done 1150 vision screening of children from 6 months and up but under 18. Their District already have Four Vision Screening Cameras and are approved for another four during the cabinet meeting, each camera worth of \$14000 approximately. Myself and my wife Lion Falguni attended two COG (Council of Governors) meetings at San Jose & Riverside.

Further, I'm also selected for the Advanced Lions Leadership Institute going to be held at Chicago between November 13 - 17, 2016. I'll pass its more information after attending.

I request our District Club Officers & members to regular visit our District Website: www.4A2lions.com, Multiple District 4 website : www.md4lions.com & of course the Lions Clubs International website www.lionsclub.org for all the latest updates.

Fellow Lions, Lioness and Leos of District 4-A2,



We just finished a tremendous year for membership growth. We offer our special thanks to the 30 clubs that ended the year with a positive growth of one or more members. We also recognize and appreciate the clubs that had no change in their membership numbers which means you kept your friends in your Lion family. To the clubs experienced a net membership losses we offer our assistance to reverse your trends. LCI membership leaders teach that you can't grow membership in a district without chartering one or two new clubs. I don't think they were talking about District 4-A2, our year was exceptional, we were +71 members without a new club. We added 20 members with the chartering of the Sanger Club in June. Our final number was +91 members, which was 3rd best in MD-4. I believe that we can do better than 3rd.

The membership growth leaders for the year were: 4th place tie Fresno Diwata and Fresno North with +10; 3rd place, Richgrove at +11; 2nd place, Laton at +13; for the 2014-2015 year with the most membership growth was Buttonwillow with +16. You all are awesome! The Membership Growth Trophy has created some excitement and contributed greatly to our success this year. My club, Ponderosa, added 7 new members trying to earn a spot on the trophy but fell short, maybe this year. We had four different quarterly winners last year ; Diwata, Richgrove, Buttonwillow and the Pixley Lions won the last quarter. There are five opportunities to add your club name to the trophy, win one of the four quarter or have the best total gain for the year. Our best success last year and I am proud of the five clubs that started the year with their membership totals in the mid teens and finished in the mid 20s. Fresno Pride, Parlier, Richgrove, McFarland and Pixley can now better serve their respective communities.

At the end of August the District is -6 for the year with only 10 clubs that have positive membership growth. We have a three way for first place with 3 each: Clovis, Reedley and Selma Central Valley Lioness Lions. Your September success or short fall will dictate the winning club. It is great to see that Clovis is beginning to grow again and Fresno Unlimited is + 2 members already , awesome!

“Ask 1” is still our challenge this year but I have seen it written with a word added “Ask One Today” This challenge added to our success last year, let's have all of our 63 Clubs meet the challenge this year. I am positive that if we do, the District will end the year in first place in MD-4 and maybe even the leader in the USA.

This is our Centennial Year which offers all of us some tremendous opportunities which includes increasing our ability to serve our communities by increasing our membership in our clubs as well as the district. This year our new member pin will have the word Centennial making it more desirable and the member sponsor will receive the awesome Centennial Sponsor pin. Special Banner Patches, more media attention, etc.. Take advantage of the extra tools. Remember, we are to focus on Protecting our ENVIRONMENT, Relieving the HUNGER, Sharing the VISION, and Engaging our YOUTH. When you record these activities note the number of people affected by your efforts.

I am still offering my ‘Just ask’ membership recruitment workshop for multiple or individual Clubs. The training will include a review of all current membership programs i.e., Student programs, Family , Veterans, etc. if you want to grow “Just Ask”

I have tremendous respect for our new Governor, Craig Cooper, I believe that he truly has a Lion Heart. There doesn't appear to be any fluff, just a straight forward honest and caring approach to all that he does. Let's make his year better than our last.

In Lionism,

F. Dean Church
PDG/GMTC

Membership Growth Trophy



The new Membership Growth recognition trophy was unveiled at the second Cabinet Meeting in Lemoore. The Lion that stands on the top of the trophy came from Pennsylvania, the base was made by an Auberry, CA cabinet maker so we can safely say it is a “one of a kind” trophy. It is a three year trophy that offers 15 opportunities for your club to be recognized by having the highest net gain in membership for a quarter or the highest total net gain for the year. The trophy will be presented to the winning club at the first Cabinet Meeting or Convention following the close of the quarter and the winning club is identified. Each quarterly winner will retain the trophy until it is time for it to be update for the next recipient. The club who’s name appears on the trophy the most during the three year contest will keep the trophy for all to see when you visit their club.

Contest rules are as follows:

Participating clubs must be in good standing with Lions Clubs International.

Membership results must be positive: example a) previous results -2 members, current quarter net +3 members equals + 1 for the quarter; example b) previous results +10 members, current quarter net +3 members equals +3 for the quarter.

The minimum requirement ; the club’s membership net total must exceed the membership numbers record on the last day of the previous year and must increase by 1 member during the contest quarter.

There will be 12 quarterly winners, the club with the highest net gain in membership for the quarter.

There will be 3 annual winners, the club that has the highest net gain in Membership for each year.

LCI, MD-4 & District 4-A2 dues for the new member must be paid.

The trophy must be returned in the same condition as it was when you took possession.

Branch Club members are included in parent club totals.

New Clubs do not qualify for this award their Charter year.

There are two primary components of membership growth, the first is member retention, keep the members that you have. There are always recognizable signs that indicates a member is less than excited about being a Lion, i.e., he or she stops attending meetings or club events, slow to pay dues, nonparticipant during meetings, becomes antisocial, etc. Sometimes it is easier to retain one rather than find one. Second, “Ask One”, new members are out there, we just need to invite them to join a club that they find attractive and is doing the things that they want to be associated with.

There is an easy formula to win your club name plate on the trophy; Retain Members + Add New Members = growth. I am always available to assist you with planning and conducting membership drives.

Congratulations to our first club to receive this recognition; the Fresno Diwata Lions Club. They recorded a net gain of 12 members during the first quarter of year 2014-2015. Awesome!

Good Recruiting to all

F. Dean Church,

PDG/GMTC

"ROAR OF THE LION"

District 4-A2 59th Annual Convention

Friday- Sunday

April 22- 24, 2016

Lions, Can You
See Us Now

District Governor CRAIG COOPER

CAYUCOS, CA

Name of Lion, Lioness or Leo		E-Mail Address		
Address	City	Zip Code	Cell Phone	
Club Name	Region	Zone	District or Club Office Held	
Name of Guest or Other Lion				

Convention Package Plan Includes:			Post Marked Before April 7th	PostMarked After April 7th	
Registration, Convention Pin, Friday's Food Fair, Saturday's Lunch & Governor's Dinner, Sunday Breakfast Early Bird Special!			\$ 90.00	\$100.00	\$.00
Lions & Guest	Lions & Guest attending the convention are required to register (Food Fair included)		\$ 25.00	\$30.00	\$.00
Friday	International Food Fair	Summer Beach Wear	FREE	FREE	\$ 0.00
Saturday Melvin Jones Luncheon 12pm	Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Potato Salad, Chips, Cookies, Assorted Soft Drinks	Cabinet Dress Attire	\$15.00	\$18.00	\$.00
Saturday Dinner	_____ Cayucos Tri-Tip _____ Chicken Breast Baked Potato, Chili Beans, Salad, Garlic Toast, Pie & Ice Cream. Assorted Beverages	Formal Attire	\$38.00	\$40.00	\$.00
Sunday Breakfast	Orange Juice, Apple Juice, Coffee, Tea, Mix Fruit Cup, Scrambled Eggs, Hash Browns, Sausages	Business Casual Attire	\$15.00	\$18.00	\$.00
DISTRICT 4-A2 CONVENTION PINS (\$3.00 EACH)					\$.00
Total Amount Including Registration =					\$.00

**SEND CONVENTION
REGISTRATION TO:**

Make check payable To:
District 4-A2

Mail To: Cabinet Treasure
Jan Betty- Taylor
710 N. Vista, Visalia, Ca 93292
559.802.3345 or 559.909.1817

CONVENTION CHAIR:
PDG WALTER JUAREZ
4032 W. Crowley Ct.
Visalia, Ca 93291

waltjuarez08@aol.com
559.741.1044 or 559.308.4154

Optional Stays near Cayucos:
Cambria, Ca
Morro Bay, Ca

HEADQUARTERS HOTEL
Cayucos Beach Inn
333 S. Ocean Ave.
Cayucos, Ca 93430

Phone: (805) 995.2828
Fax: (805)995.0131
admin@cayucosbeachinn.com

No Vacancy



FOOD, MUSIC & FUN for EVERYONE!!

District 4-A2 International Food Fair!

Friday, April 22, 2016

CAYUCOS BEACH INN

333 SOUTH OCEAN AVE.

CAYUCOS, CA 93430



Club Name		Chairperson	
Address		City	Zip Code
E-Mail Address	Region	Zone	Cell Phone
What Type of Food Will be Prepared			
Mail To: Cabinet Treasurer Jan Beatty- Taylor 710 N. Vista, Visalia, Ca 93292			

The DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Bakersfield is the only full service hotel in the Hilton Family located within the city of Bakersfield. At the Doubletree you'll find spacious guest-rooms, flexible meeting space, excellent dining opportunities, on-site entertainment, outdoor swimming pool, whirlpool and a fully-equipped fitness center.



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Here is a Bio for the entertainment that will be at October 30th dinner .
He has been a friend for almost 30 years. could you put it in the newsletter if you can,
or even the webpage .

Thank you !
Lion Steve Stratton

The Life of George McCaman AKA “Country George”

My name is George McCaman, but no one can say McCaman so it’s just “Country George.” The name of my band has always been “The Western Edition.” The members of the band are Eddy Albany, who plays bass guitar and vocals and Scott McArthur on drums and vocals. We have a lot of fun together. They’re great musicians and they are also my good friends.

I was born and raised in San Mateo, California in 1953. I was born 3 months premature and was given too much oxygen, and it ruined my retinas. Later, as a child, I developed cataracts which resulted in my total loss of vision. People did not know a lot about blind kids in 1953, so the Lions Club was a great help to my parents, and to me, when it came to things having to do with blindness. The Lions even helped us learn brail, so when I found out the Lions wanted me to perform for them I just couldn’t say no!

I started playing music when I was 5 or 6. I played all around the bay area for 20 years. The music scene in the bay area slowed down, so I started selling cars in 1983. The cost of living in the bay area, along with raising three kids, took a toll on us. My wife Lorrie was working, and I worked 2 jobs, so my wife and I moved to Bakersfield in 1988, and I have been playing music here ever since. Once the music slowed down again, I started selling cars for a local dealer in 1996. Our kids are grown up now, and we have 5 grand-kids. My wife still likes me after all these years. I think we have a good life. I still enjoy playing music very much; it’s a blast!

Country George will be performing on Friday night at our 2nd District 4-A2 Cabinet meeting in Bakersfield on October 30, 2015. We hope to see you all there to enjoy great music with a man who was personally touched by the Lions so many years ago!

***REGISTRATION FORM FOR THE:
2015-2016 Second District Meeting
Halloween Costume Party, October 30, 2015
District Business Meeting Saturday, October 31, 2015***



Please join District Governor Craig Cooper, District Officers and fellow Lions on Friday, October 30, 2015, at the Doubletree Hotel, 3100 Camino Del Rio Court, Bakersfield, CA. Social Hour at 6:00 PM, Dinner at 7:00 PM, Costume Judging to follow. The District Business Meeting will commence at 9:00 AM Saturday, October 31, 2015 at the Doubletree.

NAME OF LION OR LEO		EMAIL ADDRESS	
ADDRESS	CITY	ZIP CODE	CELL PHONE
CLUB NAME	REGION:	ZONE	DISTRICT OR CLUB OFFICE HELD

NAME OF GUESTS OR OTHER LIONS

EARLY LIONS & GUESTS REGISTRATION \$10.00	REGISTRATION AFTER OCTOBER 9th \$15.00	PD LATE OR AT THE DOOR, POSSIBLY NO MEALS	\$
PACKAGE PLAN INCLUDES:		POST MARKED BEFORE October 9th	POST MARKED AFTER October 9th
REGISTRATION, DISTRICT GOVERNOR CRAIG COOPER GIFT, FRIDAY DINNER & COSTUME PARTY, & SATURDAY LUNCH		\$78.00	\$100.00
FRIDAY	#___Tequila Lime Tri Tip Dinner #___Chicken Cordon Bleu Dinner #___Egg Plant Parmesan #___Stuffed Portabella Mushroom	COSTUME PARTY	\$40.00
SATURDAY	Breakfast is on your own	CABINET DRESS UNIFORM	\$50.00
SATURDAY Lunch 12 PM	Make Your Own Sandwich Bar	CABINET DRESS UNIFORM	\$28.00
EXTRA: DISTRICT GOVERNOR CRAIG COOPER TRADING PINS (\$3.00 Each)		(\$3.00 Ea.)	\$
TOTAL AMOUNT - INCLUDING REGISTRATION:			\$.00

FRIDAY: SOCIAL HOUR AT 6:00 PM, DINNER AT 7:00 PM AT THE DOUBLETREE BY HILTON
SATURDAY: DISTRICT BUSINESS MEETING 9:00 AM—2 PM (LUNCH 12 PM) DOUBLETREE HOTEL

<p><u>CABINET MEETING REGISTRATION</u></p> <p>MAKE YOUR CHECK PAYABLE TO: DISTRICT 4-A2 Mail to: Cabinet Treasurer Jan Beatty-Taylor 710 North Vista, Visalia CA 93292 Cell 559-909-1817</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>HEADQUARTERS HOTEL</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">The Doubletree by Hilton Bakersfield 3100 Del Rio Ct, Bakersfield, CA PHONE: 661-323-7111 www.bakersfield.doubletree.com MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS DIRECTLY WITH HOTEL Rooms: Standard Room \$85.00 plus fees and taxes</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>ALTERNATE HOTELS</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Available in the area: Springhill Suites - 661-377-4000 Courtyard Bakersfield -661-324-6660 Comfort Suites 661-325-8000</p>
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RIVERLAKES GOLF BAKERSFIELD

2nd District 4A2 Lions 2015-2016 Golf Tourney

WHERE: Riverlakes Golf Course
 5201 Riverlakes Drive - Bakersfield

TELEPHONE: 661-587-5465

WHEN: 10 AM Friday, October 30, 2015

FEE: \$45 and includes Golf Cart

DEADLINE: October 20, 2015 (Golf Course requires guarantee). **PLEASE** reserve early with this form or call Bill – saves confusion!



COUNTRY CLUB SETTING & SERVICE

FORMAT: 4 Person Scramble

#	PRINT NAME	EMAIL	TELEPHONE	CLUB NAME
1				
2				
3				
4				

Make Checks Payable to: Lion Bill Diltz, Golf Chair

And mail it with this form to: 4314 W. Nicholas Ave. Visalia, 93291

559-732-6897 or 559-288-2933

Email: bcdiltz@comcast.net



Riverlakes Golf Course is recommended by a fellow Lion who loves playing it... come see why and bring a friend.

The course is 2 miles west of Hwy 99 off of Olive Drive.

Come join in the fun of Scramble Golf!!!

“ROAR OF THE LION”



Dear Lion,

For nearly one hundred years, Lions have strengthened communities around the world through service. To celebrate our 100th anniversary, we are asking Lions to help 100 million people through our Centennial Service Challenge. We have impacted more than 40 million lives so far, but there are millions more who need us.

I am asking every club to host at least one service project in each of our Centennial service areas of youth, vision, hunger and the environment during this Lion year. Together, we can save sight and ensure that young people have a brighter future. Together, we can keep our communities healthy and clean, and help make sure that our children don't go to bed hungry.

Participating clubs can earn a Centennial banner patch when they report their projects through the MyLCI Service Activity Report. But the real reward is the joy of helping others and the satisfaction that comes from changing a life. Join me and Lions around the world in reaching our Centennial goal and bringing dignity to others!

Sincerely,

Dr. Jitsuhiro Yamada
Ask One to Increase Your Impact



Ask One to Increase Your Impact

Your club can make a larger impact in your community through the Ask One campaign. New members can increase your service and position your club for ongoing success. And it all starts by asking someone to join your club.

Encourage your Lions to Ask One family member, friend or neighbor to serve with you – that's all it takes to make a difference in your community. Check out the Ask One Web page today!

Worldwide Week of Service in Sight

You can save sight in your community by organizing a special service project for the Worldwide Week of Service in Sight on October 4-10. This is a great opportunity to strengthen your community, earn recognition and celebrate our Centennial with Lions around the world.

Visit the Worldwide Week of Service in Sight page for planning guides and project ideas for this international Centennial Service Challenge event. Download the club flyer and share it with your Lions, then start planning your project today!

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Lions Clubs International Foundation

Lions, as your District Coordinator, I will be available to come to your club and speak on the importance of having a Disaster Preparedness and Response Program. We need to analyze the potential types of disasters that could occur within our district. This includes natural disasters (wild fires, floods, tsunamis, earthquakes, hurricanes, tornadoes, heat alerts, severe cold weather, etc. (As well as man-made disasters (pipeline gas explosion, airline crashes, train derailments, oil spills, nuclear or biological events, terrorist attacks, etc).

Additionally we need to have contingency plans for working with the other Districts in our area in the event a District is overwhelmed and needs additional mutual aid resources from neighboring Districts with our area. LCIF will provide a \$10,000.00 grant that is available to each district to help them with monetary expenses when they're involved in a Local Disaster.

Your donation to LCIF is what makes all this possible. This year we are asking each member to donate \$20.00 to LCIF Will your club be a first responder and give 100% club donation to LCIF.

Contact me I am here to serve our district as you LCIF Coordinator.

Judy Arribere-Woolley
559 916 252
judyarribere@aol.com

Bearskin Meadow Update

Thank you to all the Lions and Leos who sign up to go and close the camp. We will not be able to do that this year due to the fire. Our caretakers Pauline and James the camp will be closed for the winter. Next weekend some can go help with the overhand on the decks. If you want to help call PDG Walt.

James needs 9 guys or gals to go up for a few hours to remove one item at camp. It is the large tarp around one of the decks called the Yurt. It is very large and James will need help for this task. Please call PDG Walt if you can go up as a team. He will need your name to give to the Forest Dept for your safety. We can meet at the Library in Squaw Valley and go up as a group. Fewer cars are best. This has been completed. Thank you Lions.

We have received our first donation from Sequoia Lions for this New Year, Thank you. We will really need all the help for Memorial Day to open the camp. We will need your donation for a new door that the bear took off. There will be a need many cleaning supplies. I have no idea what we will see when we do arrive. Donations go to our district Treasurer Jan.

Thank you Lions and Leos for you support.

PDG Judy Woolley

Lions Clubs International

Celebrating 100 Years of Service

Our Centennial Celebration brings Lions together to celebrate 100 years of life-changing humanitarian service.

Starting with the kickoff in July 2014 and ending in June 2018, Lions in clubs around the world will join in the celebration by expanding our community project work and inspiring others to join us in service.

It's an exciting time to be a Lion. Let's celebrate together!



Ways your Lions club can celebrate and serve

Lead through Service

Organize Centennial Service Challenge projects to benefit youth, vision, hunger, and the environment

...and share your successes with your local media and on MyLCl.

Invite for Impact

Participate in the Centennial Membership Awards by inviting new members and sponsoring a new club

...and encourage your new members to participate in Centennial service projects.

Connect with Community

Identify needs in your community and plan a Centennial Community Project to make a lasting local impact

...and share your Centennial projects through social media with the #LIONS100 hashtag.

Start your Centennial Celebration today!

1. Talk about the Centennial with your club and invite them to join the celebration.
2. Choose a Centennial Club Chairperson and/or committee.
3. Create a plan for your club to Lead through Service, Invite for Impact, and Connect with your Community.
4. Share your plan with your District Centennial Coordinator — other clubs can benefit from your ideas.
5. Share the impact of your service on MyLCl at mylci.lionsclubs.org.

Centennial Resources

Visit lions100.org for everything Centennial, including planning guides, project ideas, presentations, and videos to inspire

Join the Centennial Service Challenge at lions100.org/centennial-service-challenge

Invite new Lions to join you in service and celebration at lions100.org/centennial-membership

lions100.org

"ROAR OF THE LION"

Lions District 4-A2 New Members Night

Thursday, October 22, 2015 — 5:30 - 8:30 pm
13599 S. Raider Ave., Caruthers Fairgrounds, Caruthers, CA 93609



LIONS, CAN YOU SEE US NOW



This is the night to give a big Lions welcome to all our new Lions in 4-A2! Let's show them how happy we are that they have joined the largest service club in the world!

Club Name	Region	Zone	Contact Name	Contact Number	
Package Plan Per Person Includes: Registration, Steak and Chicken Dinner	Post Marked BEFORE October 9 \$27.00		Post Marked AFTER October 9 \$35.00	Total # Attending	Total \$\$ Amount Enclosed \$ _____
MAKE YOUR CHECK PAYABLE TO DISTRICT 4-A2 & MAIL TO: CABINET TREASURER, LION JAN BEATTY-TAYLOR - 710 NORTH VISTA, VISALIA, CA 93292					

Lion Attendee Name	New Member?	Non-Lion Guests
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Please put the same information for additional attendees/guests on the back of this sheet

“ROAR OF THE LION”

Dear Lions and friends,

Here are some pictures from KidsFest. We were raising money for One Shot - One Life, promoting our club, and showing off the Dunk Tank. We had several good contacts on all fronts. 10 members participated in our booth.

Photo one shows Lions Ruth Stratton, Phil Masonheimer, Marty Crawford, and Lowell Geissel waiting for the kids.

Photo two shows Lions Brian Small & Todd Lortscher in front of the Dunk Tank, & our “Knock Out Measles” game for the kids. We used white plastic cartons that also had the measles.

In the center is our donation jar with a bad case of measles. \$129.25 has been raised so far.

Of course we promoted the measles initiative.

Far right photo shows “Knock Out Measles” in action with Lion Brian Small.

All in all it was a worthwhile event with lots of info and fun!

Rosedale Highway Lions

Bakersfield, CA



"ROAR OF THE LION"

District 4-A2 2015 - 2016 Budget

Income		2015-2016	Actual To Date
Estimated roll over 2014 - 2015 Budget	\$	25,000.00	46,082.93
Dues District 4-A2 1960@ \$15		29,400.00	472.00
Ad Sales		4,000.00	4,225.00
Interest Income		100.00	-
Misc. Income, Directory Sales/Bank Credits		-	-
District & New Members Meeting Registrations/profits		2,000.00	5,424.00
Total Income	\$	60,500.00	56,203.93
Administrative Expense			
Treasurer's Bond	\$	100.00	-
District Audit		600.00	-
District Directory		4,000.00	24.27
District Newsletter		1,000.00	-
Postage & Communications		700.00	-
Printing		700.00	-
Supplies		1,500.00	-
Awards		4,000.00	-
District Governor Ring		800.00	-
Cabinet Meetings/Convention		3,500.00	-
Capital Outlay		1,500.00	-
Cabinet Officers Party		450.00	-
Total Administrative Expense	\$	18,850.00	24.27
Executive Budgets			
District Governor		2,000.00	-
1st Vice District Governor		1,500.00	-
2nd Vice District Governor		1,500.00	-
Cabinet Secretary		500.00	-
Cabinet Treasurer		500.00	-
Global Leadership Team		1,000.00	-
Global Membership Team		1,000.00	-
USA Canada Leadership Forum (DG, 1st & 2nd VDG)		3,000.00	1,500.00
Cabinet Officers Uniforms		4,000.00	1,378.73
Total Executive Budgets	\$	15,000.00	2,878.73
Student Speakers			
Regional Awards 4 @ \$200		800.00	-
Zone Awards 12 @ 150		1,800.00	-
Student Speakers Chair Budget		400.00	-
Total Student Speakers	\$	3,000.00	-
Other Expenses			
Convention Committee 2000 @ \$2.00	\$	4,000.00	-
Leadership Training/Officer Training		1,500.00	-
Youth Exchange		200.00	-
Public Relations/Lions Information		500.00	-
Contingencies		500.00	-
Peace Poster		250.00	-
Misc. Expense		500.00	-
Campaign Reserve		2,000.00	-
New Member Night		500.00	-
Recycle Eye Glasses		750.00	-
Total Other Expenses	\$	10,700.00	-
Total Expenses	\$	47,550.00	2,903.00



Kingsburg Lions Golf Tournament

Benefitting the Kingsburg Cancer Volunteers, Community Charities and Local Youth Activities



**4 Man Shamble
Long Drive
Closest to Hole
Hole-In-One wins a Car
Breakfast / Lunch / Hors d'oeuvres**

**October 30th, 2015
8:30am Breakfast
9:00am Check-in
10:00am Shotgun**

Kings River Golf & Country Club

- I would like to be a Gold Sponsor \$750**
(Includes green fees for four, range balls, cart for four & advertising on tee box)
- I would like to put a team together \$500**
(Includes green fees for four, range balls, cart for four)
- I would like to be a Silver Sponsor \$250**
(Advertising sign on green)

- 1. Golfer Name:** _____
Phone: _____
- 2. Golfer Name:** _____
Phone: _____
- 3. Golfer Name:** _____
Phone: _____
- 4. Golfer Name:** _____
Phone: _____

Contact Information:

Name: _____

Company: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Benefitting:
**Kingsburg Cancer Volunteers,
Community Charities &
Local Youth Activities**

Please **return payment with this form** &
make all checks payable to:
Kingsburg Lions Club
P.O. Box 453 · Kingsburg, CA 93631

Questions? Email kingsburglions@gmail.com

Lion Leroy Earl Moore, Bakersfield Host Lions Club

B www.bakersfieldcalifornian.com/obituaries/2015/09/26/leroy-earl-moore.html

July 6, 1941 — September 21, 2015

Born and raised in Bakersfield, Leroy married, the love of his life, Shirley Shell in November 1963. They were married until her death in 2008. Together they are survived by sons Gregory (Kathryn), Michael (Denise) and Eric and grandchildren Logan and Asha. He is also survived by his brother Fred Kirksey of New York. He is also survived by his girlfriend Edith Cooper.

Leroy attended local schools, graduating from Bakersfield High School in 1959. He was quick to tell people, "Once a Driller, always a Driller!" After graduating high school, Leroy started his career with the County as an orderly at Kern General Hospital.

Leroy joined the National Guard in November 1960, where he was a Senior Radio Mechanic and obtained the rank of Sergeant (E-5). He was honorably discharged in November 1966. He joined the Kern County Sheriff's Department in September 1966. He worked various assignments throughout his career including Patrol, K-9 and Detectives. After 27 years of dedicated service he retired as a Commander in March 1994.

Leroy continued to serve his community as a member of The People's Missionary Baptist Church and a member of the Bakersfield Host Lions. He loved working the Lion's booth at the Kern County Fair, as he said he loved meeting new people and it kept him young at heart.

Leroy's graveside service will be on Monday, September 28th, 11:00 am at Hillcrest Memorial Park, all are invited to attend. He didn't want a funeral, he wanted a party. Tell the great stories, the good jokes, the happy memories, but do not be sad for a man who lived a great life filled with friends and family. No suits, no dark clothes, you are to dress for celebration!!!! Honor the man by sharing the joy that was his life. We are to celebrate the life that he lived. There will be a repast immediately following at The People's Missionary Church, 1451 Madison Street and all are invited to attend.





Lemoore Leo Club Non-Profit Organization



Hanford Leo Club





Multiple District Four
LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL



2016 YOUTH LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

April 15 to 17, 2016

Lions Camps at Teresita Pines

22801 Big Pines Hwy, Wrightwood, CA 92397
info@campteresitapines.org • 800.585.3245 or 760.249.3580

Fellow Lions, Leo Advisors & Leos,

The price of the Youth Leadership Institute is \$130 per attendee with **check made out to MD4 with Youth Outreach in the Memo Area.**

Raffle tickets will be sent on request to help subsidize the Youth Leadership Institute expenses.

Each attendee can sell \$130 worth of tickets to subsidize the price. Tickets sell for \$5 each & the 1st prize is \$300, 2nd \$200, 3rd \$100. Order Raffle Tickets from Melanie Hunter. Mail to Lion Melanie Hunter at 2734 Starlight Boulevard Redding, CA 96001 on or before March 28, 2016. Maximum enrollment is 200 Leos, Advisors and Chaperones. Preference will be given to registrations received with payment.

Include:

- **Registration Form**
- **Permission Slip & PARTICIPANT AGREEMENT ON CAMP RULES, Signed by Parent/Guardian & Leo & Advisor Sold raffle ticket stubs with check (No Cash) for \$130:**

Check Made out to MD4 with Youth Outreach in the Memo Area for your attendance.

Please **PRINT** your name properly & clearly, so we can prepare your **Name Badge**.

Do not forget to indicate your **T-shirt size** (including advisors, chaperones, or Youth Outreach Committee member). For proper cabin assignment, please indicate your gender.

Thank you,

Gary Hall, Youth Outreach Chair
printer70@verizon.net
Cell (626) 327-0564

For more information contact:

Lion Melanie Hunter,
MD4 Leo Chair
2734 Starlight Boulevard
Redding, CA 96001
(530) 921-3600 cell
mhunter@sdsengineering.com

Enclosures:

Registration Form
Permission Slip Form
PARTICIPANT AGREEMENT ON CAMP RULES
All Signed by Parent/Guardian & Leo





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REGISTRATION FORM

Permission Slip & PARTICIPANT AGREEMENT ON CAMP RULES MUST Accompany
Registration Form along with \$130 fee, Submit ALL Forms by March 28, 2016

include for each attendee: \$130 and ticket stubs for any sold.

Checks Payable to: MD4 with Youth Outreach in the Memo field (Do not mail to Santa Barbara)

Mail to: Lion Melanie Hunter before March 28, payment must be made by 3/28/16, no refunds after this date.

Lion Melanie Hunter
2734 Starlight Boulevard
Redding, CA 96001

T-shirt size: S M L XL XXL Other _____

Age _____ School Grade _____ M / F Leo / Advisor or Chaperone/ Trainer / Other

Please Print clearly - (this is what will appear on your badge)

Leo Club _____ Sponsoring Lions Club _____ District _____

Name _____

Address: _____

City / State: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

August 26, 2015



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PERMISSION SLIP

IMPORTANT - PLEASE READ!

We must have the completed Permission Slip & PARTICIPANT AGREEMENT ON CAMP RULES (with parent signature for a Leo youth below the age of 18), (those 18 & older may sign their own forms), and the Registration Form before an individual can be assigned to a cabin.

The Youth Outreach Committee reserves the right to prohibit a Leo Youth from participating in this event based on behavioral or disciplinary concerns. The parent/guardian must provide transportation for any Leo sent home. The committee is required to have a chaperone of 21+ years of age of appropriate gender in every cabin. Pictures will be taken at the camp for display at the camp and on the appropriate MD4 websites, if you do not wish pictures taken of your youth please check here .

Sponsoring Lions Club Name: _____ District: _____

Leo Club Name: _____ Advisor's Name _____

Leo's Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____

Special Instructions / Dietary requirements / Housing requirements / Allergies/etc.: _____

I hereby give my son/daughter/charge, permission to participate in this Lions/Leos Club International activity. In the event of an emergency, and I cannot be reached, I give my permission to the Youth Outreach Program and/or it's agent to obtain whatever medical assistance is necessary at my expense.

I, _____, being parent, guardian or other person entitled to legal custody of _____, a minor child, do hereby authorize the Lions/Leos Club International, to whose care I have entrusted said minor child to any x-ray, examination, anesthetic, medical or surgical diagnosis or treatment and hospital care to be rendered to said minor child under the general or specific supervision and upon the advice of a physician and surgeon licensed under the provision of the Medicine Practice Act, or to consent to an x-ray, examination, anesthetic, dental or surgical diagnosis or treatment and hospital care to be rendered to said minor by a dentist licensed under the provision of the Dental Practice Act.

Parent or Guardian: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____

Doctor: _____ Phone: _____

Insurance Co: _____ Policy #: _____

August 26, 2015



YOUTH LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

Lions Camps at Teresita Pines



PARTICIPANT AGREEMENT ON CAMP RULES

It is the goal of the Youth Outreach Committee that every participant has a fun and safe experience during the Youth Leadership Institute. To help ensure this, we are asking you to review the following rules and sign this contract to abide by them.

- I will stay on camp property at all times during the Youth Leadership Institute weekend.
- I will not intentionally injure or endanger myself or any other person either physically or emotionally.
- I will respect the environment, camp, camp property and personal property of others. I will not enter others cabins or touch anyone’s property without permission. If I do not, my family will be liable for damages caused.
- I will not use foul or abusive language.
- I will not engage in any sexual contact, indecent exposure, or entering a cabin of opposite sex.
- I will not use or possess tobacco products, drugs, alcohol or weapons.
- I will demonstrate respect for staff and fellow campers at all times.
- I will not engage in harassment or ethnic/racial/religious/political slander of any person or group.
- I will be on time for all activities and meals. I will participate in all scheduled activities. I will be in the right place at the right time doing the right thing.
- I will remain in my cabin during designated quiet hours. If I must leave the cabin for any reason during these hours (i.e. restroom), I will notify my chaperone.
- I will be quiet and courteous when instructions are being given.
- I will keep my cabin area neat and will ensure that I leave my space clean at the end of the weekend.
- I will not eat or store food in my cabin.
- If I am with someone who is breaking one of the above rules, I will talk with my chaperone or a Youth Outreach Committee member about it.

If I do not follow these rules, I

1. Can be promptly dismissed from camp.
2. Must have a parent/guardian come to camp to pick me up at their own expense.
3. Forfeit all camp fees.
4. Risk losing the privilege of returning to camp in the future.

I have read and understand the rules. I promise to abide by them and help to enforce them.

Participant’s Name (Please PRINT)

Parent/Guardian’s Signature

Participant’s Signature

Advisor’s Signature

Date

Date

August 26, 2015



YOUTH LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

April 15 - 17, 2016

*Camp Teresita Pines
22801 Big Pines Highway
Wrightwood, California 92397*



Friday, April 15, 2016

- 3:00 pm – 10:00 pm Check-In *(Leavy Hall)*
6:00 pm – 7:00 pm Dinner *(Leavy Hall) (participants arriving after 6:00 pm will need to eat prior to arrival)*
7:00 pm – 10:30 pm Orientation / Introductions / Getting To Know You Activities *(Leavy Hall)*

Saturday, April 16, 2016

- 8:00 am – 8:45 am Breakfast *(Leavy Hall)*
9:00 am – 9:15 am Flag Salute / Introduce Team Challenge Activity *(Flag Pole)*
9:30 am – 10:30 am Leadership Training Session One *(See Board for Locations)*
participants will rotate in groups to four different sessions including:
 - *Session One (topic to be announced) by PDG Sheila Casteel*
 - *Session Two (topic to be announced) by PDG Jim Goodheart*
 - *Session Three (topic to be announced) by PCC Denny Grotrian*
 - *Session Four (topic to be announced) by PCC Liz Crooke*
- 9:30 am – 10:30 am Best Practices for Leo Advisors *by (Dining Hall Annex)*
10:30 am – 11:00 am Team Challenge Activity Continues
11:00 am – 12:00 Leadership Training Session Two *(See Board for Locations)*
11:00 am – 12:00 Best Practices for Leo Advisors (continued) *by*
12:00 am – 12:15 pm Turn In Team Challenge Activity Results (round one)
12:15 pm – 1:00 pm Lunch *(Leavy Hall)*
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm Leadership Training Session Three *(See Board for Locations)*
2:00 pm – 2:45 pm Just For Fun Activity *(Leavy Hall)*
2:45 pm – 3:45 pm Leadership Training Session Four *(See Board for Locations)*
3:45 pm – 4:45 pm Team Challenge Activity Continues
4:45 pm – 5:30 pm Prep for Club Presentations *(Sunday Morning Bragging Rights)*
5:30 pm – 6:15 pm Dinner *(Leavy Hall)*
6:15 pm – 6:45 pm Keynote Speaker
6:45 pm - 7:00 pm Youth Exchange Presentation *by Eileen Blummin*
7:30 pm – 8:30 pm Graduation Ceremony
Life After Leos / Campus Club Presentation
8:45 pm – 10:15 pm Campfire
10:30 pm – 11:15 pm Evening Activity / Turn In Team Challenge Activity Results (round two) *(Leavy Hall)*

"ROAR OF THE LION"



LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL 97TH ANNUAL MD-4 CONVENTION DOUBLETREE by HILTON MODESTO, CA FEBRUARY 5-7, 2016



Use one form for EACH Registrant Please PRINT or TYPE No Telephone Registrations Accepted

CLUB NAME DISTRICT

CURRENT OFFICE IN CLUB/DISTRICT/INTERNATIONAL

NAME NAME ON BADGE

ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP

PHONE CELL EMAIL

Registration Refund Deadline: Friday January 8, 2016

1 Choose Your Package:

	Postmarked By 12/31/2015	Postmarked After 12/31/2015	Registration paid at Convention
SUPER SAVER PACKAGE (Includes all seven à la carte items)	\$ 210.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 300.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 330.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
à la carte			
Registration (required)	\$ 50.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 60.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 65.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
Convention Pin	\$ 5.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 5.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 5.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
Friday Leadership Luncheon	\$ 35.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 40.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 45.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
Friday Dinner	\$ 50.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 60.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 65.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
Saturday International Dignitary Luncheon	\$ 35.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 40.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 45.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
Saturday Council of Governors' Banquet	\$ 50.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 60.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 65.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
Sunday Breakfast with Special Speaker	\$ 30.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 35.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 40.00 <input type="checkbox"/>

2 Choose Your Meals:

Friday Leadership Luncheon	Flat Iron Steak Salad Grilled: <input type="checkbox"/>	Vegetable Salad: <input type="checkbox"/>
Friday Dinner	Chicken Cordon Blue: <input type="checkbox"/>	Vegetarian Plate: <input type="checkbox"/>
Saturday International Dignitary Luncheon	Sautéed Chicken Breast: <input type="checkbox"/>	Vegetarian Plate: <input type="checkbox"/>
Saturday Council of Governors' Banquet	Prime Rib: <input type="checkbox"/> King Salmon: <input type="checkbox"/>	Vegetarian Plate: <input type="checkbox"/>
Sunday Breakfast with Keynote Speaker	Scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage or ham, potatoes, muffin, juice: <input type="checkbox"/>	Vegetarian Plate: <input type="checkbox"/>

Special Dietary Needs Request:

3 Choose Your Payment: (Check a box)

GRAND TOTAL: \$ 0.00

<input type="checkbox"/> By US MAIL and CHECK (mail form and check together) Make check payable to: MD4 Convention 2016	<input type="checkbox"/> By US MAIL and CREDIT CARD information. <div style="border: 1px solid red; padding: 2px; font-size: small; color: red;"> You may send this form by EMAIL if you know how to save and attach this file. Address is below. </div> <p style="color: red; font-weight: bold;">\$5 service charge for credit card usage.</p>	
MAILING ADDRESS: Lion Claudia Miller 3909 Shawnee Drive Modesto, CA 95356 (209) 596-1219 Claudia Miller	MAIL THIS FORM: First Print this completed form with credit card information or include check and send to Lion Claudia Miller.	Credit Card type: SELECT Name on card: _____ Card number: _____ Expiration date: month 01 Jan year 2015 3 digit number on back: _____
Make Hotel Reservations: Double Tree by Hilton Hotel 1150 9 th Street Modesto, CA 95356 phone: 866-460-7456 Group Code : LMD (Feb. 4—7 = 3 nights @ \$100 per night) Reservation Deadline: Friday January 8, 2016		<input style="background-color: gray; color: white;" type="button" value="PRINT"/>

This registration is not valid without payment. Payment by check or credit card. Return (not honored) check fee \$25.
YOU MAY SUBMIT CREDIT CARD REGISTRATION BY EMAIL, if you know how to **save** and **attach** this file.

md4convention2016@md4lions.org



JOIN THE

Centennial Service Challenge!



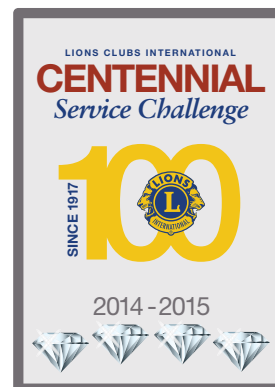
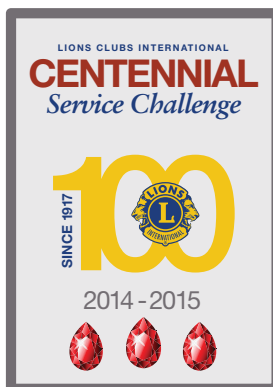
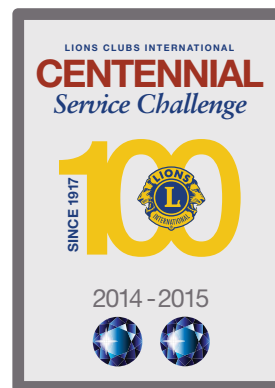
For nearly 100 years, Lions have served their communities and impacted millions of people around the world. In celebration of our 100th anniversary, we are asking you to help reach our Centennial Service Challenge goal of serving 100 million people by June 30th, 2018. Your club can play a part in reaching our goal, and you can earn special Centennial recognition when you serve!

Earn Special Centennial Recognition for Your Club

Your club can earn a Centennial Banner Patch with a special gemstone design each year you sponsor a Global Service Action project impacting Youth, Vision, Hunger or the Environment.

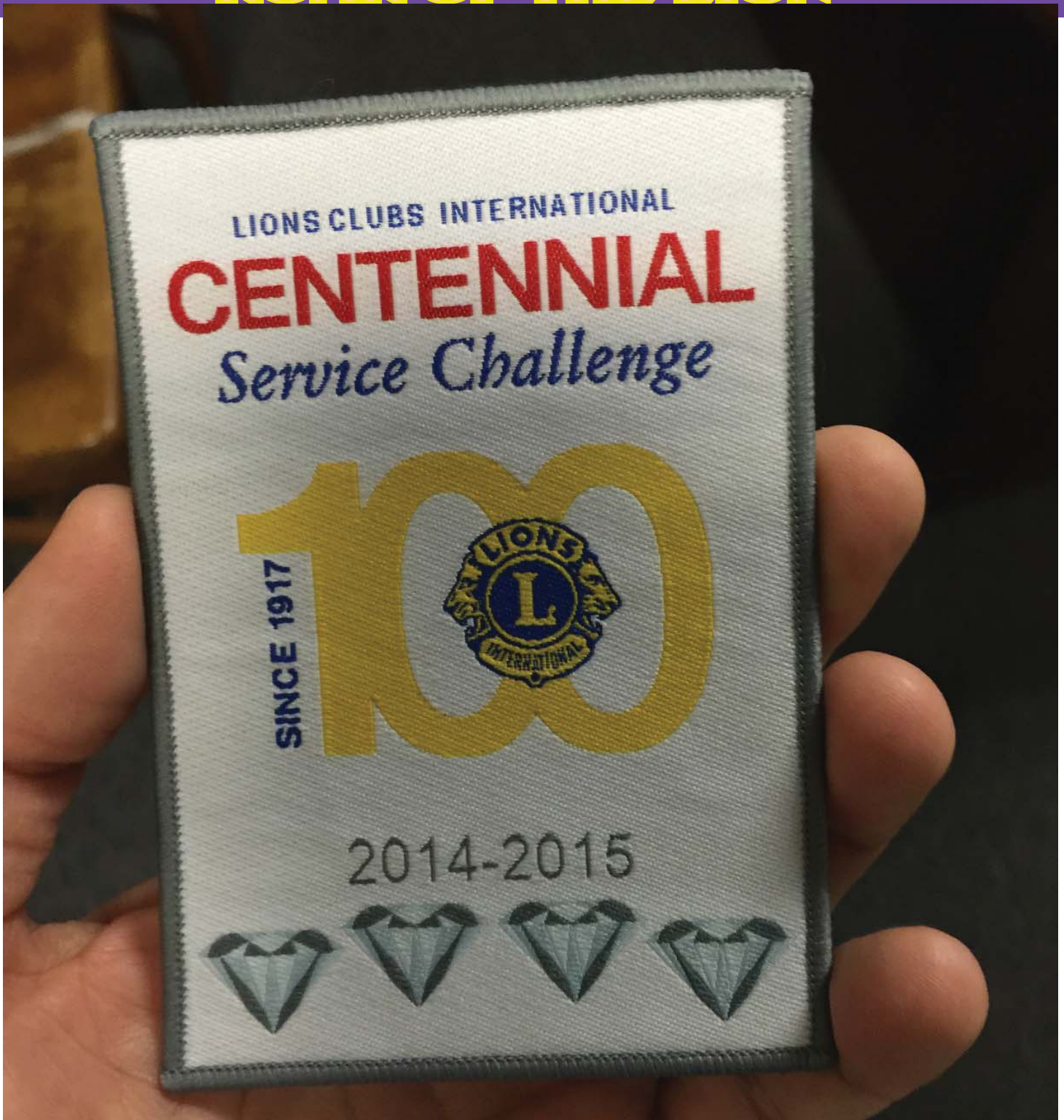
- Each gemstone represents the number of different Global Service Action Campaigns that your club participates in during the fiscal year.
- The more campaigns you participate in, the more gemstones you can earn for your banner patch.
- Earn a diamond-level Centennial Banner Patch by participating in all four Global Service Action Campaigns!

Your club can **earn up to four Centennial Banner Patches** by participating in each year of the Centennial Service Challenge.



All Centennial service activities must be reported through MyLCI's Service Activity Report to receive recognition.

Bannera Patch next page



District 4-A2 is proud to announce that three of our clubs have already earned the 4-Diamond Banner patch! This indicates these clubs have performed work in each of the four Centennial Service Challenge categories: Vision, Youth, Hunger and Environment.

“ROAR OF THE LION”





IT IS OFFICIAL

THE LIONS EYE CLINIC IS MOVING

For some time, I have been sharing with you that the Lions Eye Foundation has been planning on moving the clinic to a new location. Now, after many years of being housed in a 1920’s era former dormitory located at the California Pacific Medical Center (CPMC), the Lions Eye Clinic will be moving to a state-of-the-art facility located at 711 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco. The new facility is scheduled to be completed by the end of March 2016!

The Lions Eye Foundation Capital Campaign, which started over 10 years ago, has raised \$2,000,000 to help with the move, but more funds are needed to purchase new equipment and build out a surgical center to be located at the site. This new Lions Eye Clinic will enable us to not only continue to serve those in need as we have for over 55 years, but also to outreach to many more.

The Lions Eye Foundation has developed a way to recognize donors to the Capital Campaign. Individuals and Lions Clubs that have donated to this Capital Campaign will be recognized at the new Lions Eye Clinic according to the following donation levels:

\$ 5,000	Dream Builder	plaque, name on wall in LEF clinic
\$ 10,000	Hope Builder	plaque, name on wall in LEF clinic
\$ 25,000	Care Builder	plaque, name on wall in LEF clinic
\$ 50,000	Foundation Builder	plaque, name on wall in LEF clinic
\$ 100,000	Sight Builder	plaque, name on wall in LEF clinic, and name in building public area.

The Don Stanaway Fellow is also available in three levels: \$250, \$500 and \$1,000.

Remember, your contribution is a great way to recognize individuals, club members, club officers and our district.

For more information about how you and your club can contribute to this project, please visit our web site at lionseyefoundation.com or contact one of the district Trustees.

Submitted by: Lion Lillette Quesnoy, District Lead Trustee



Camp Pacifica Benefit



Sporting Clays Tournament

Rooster Ranch | 26166 Kelly Road | Hilmar, CA 209-667-0483

Saturday May 2, 2015

NSCA Registered & Open Shoot

Registration 8:00a – Shotgun Start 9:00a

Golf Carts – Reserve Now

\$90 Entry Fee Includes

- Breakfast & Lunch
- Shooter's Range Bag
- Henry Golden Boy Special Shoot Off
- And More

Sponsored by Alquist Arms

15 - \$90 Class Award Gift Cards

15 - Winning Class Range Bags

Registration & Golf Carts - 209-667-0483

***Camp Pacifica is a Lions Club Youth Hearing Impaired Free Summer Camp
Hwy 49, Between Mariposa and Oakhurst, CA (www.camppacifica.org)***

Camp Pacifica is a 501-C3 Non-Profit Organization – E.I.N. 77-0269193



Save the Date

October 30th, 2015

Kings River Golf & Country Club



Inaugural Kingsburg Lions Golf Tournament

Benefitting the Kingsburg Cancer Volunteers, Community Charities and Local Youth Activities

"ROAR OF THE LION"



PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT
CLUB ACTIVITY REPORT
 FOR THE MONTH OF
December
 MONTH JUST COMPLETED

ALL CLUB ACTIVITY MUST BE REPORTED EACH MONTH ON THIS FORM AND

MAILED BY THE 20th OF THE REPORTING MONTH

TOP DISTRICT CLUB WILL BE DETERMINED ONLY FROM INFORMATION REPORTED ON THIS FORM.

Club Identification No. 2349	CLUB NAME: Lemoore Lions Club	DATE: 1/01/2015
DISTRICT 4-A2	REGION: Western	ZONE: 2

Service Projects*				Fund Raising Projects*			
Date of Project	Number of Members Participating in Project	Number of Man Hours	Money Expended on Project	Date of Project	Amount Raised	Number of Members Participating in Project	Number of Man Hours
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Number of Club Officers attending a Zone Advisory Meeting this month	0	Number of Members as of July 1	27	Participated in Flag Day this month – May	<input type="checkbox"/>
Number of Non-Officer Members attending a Zone Advisory Meeting this month	0	Number of members at end of this period	29	Participated in White Cane Day this month	<input type="checkbox"/>
Number of Club Officers attending a District Cabinet Meeting this month	0	Number of new members gained this month	0	Participated in Student Speaker Contest this month	<input type="checkbox"/>
Number of Non-Officer Members attending a District Cabinet Meeting this month	0	Number of members dropped due to death	0	Published a Newsletter or Bulletin this month	<input type="checkbox"/>
Number of Certified Delegates attending the MD-4 Convention this month	0	Number of members dropped due to transfer to another club	0	Sponsored a New Lions Club this month	<input type="checkbox"/>
Number of Non-Delegate Members attending the MD-4 Convention this month	0	Number of members dropped for any reason other than death or transfer	1	Sponsored a New Leo Club this month	<input type="checkbox"/>
Number of Certified Delegates attending the District 4-A2 Convention this month	0	Average percentage of active member attendance this month	99%	This Club is a Member of the Lions Eye Foundation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Number of Non-Delegate Members attending the 4-A2 Convention this month	0	Number of Youth Exchange Students Sponsored	0	This Club is a Member of the Lions Ear Foundation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Number of Members attending the Esenada Operation Friendship trip	0	Number of Proud Lions Awarded this month	0		
Number of official club visitations this month	2	Membership and Activity Reports mailed by the 20 nd of the reporting month		Date Mailed: 1/01/2015	
Visited all of the clubs in the Zone since July 1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Semi-Annual Dues paid to Lion International by- July & Jan		Date Paid: 07/14/2014	
Number of times club was published in newspaper or other media (Attach Articles)	1	Semi-Annual Dues paid to MD-4 by- August and February		Date Paid: 08/27/2014	
Number of Members participating in the Bearskin Meadows Camp project this month	0	Amount of money donated by the club this month List names of each Donee in section below.		\$9,100	

CONTINUE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON SEPARATE SHEETS: TYPE ANY INFORMATION AND GIVE MORE DETAILS

1. 5 Lions helped the Hanford Breakfast Lions Club with their annual Breakfast with Santa. Total of 20 hours worked and served over 500 people.
2. 7 Leos helped the Hanford Breakfast Lions Cub with their annual Breakfast with Santa. Total of 28 hours worked.
3. 13 Lions Participated in the Christmas Parade to help pass out flyers for our annual Breakfast with Santa. Total of 26 hours worked.
4. 8 Leos Participated in the Christmas Parade to help pass out flyers for our annual Breakfast with Santa. Total of 16 hours worked.
5. 18 Lions worked our annual Lemoore Lions Breakfast with Santa. Total of 160 hours worked and served over 925 people.
6. 14 Leos helped the Lemoore Lions with their annual Breakfast with Santa. Total of 98 hours worked and served over 925 people.
7. Lemoore Lions donated \$350 to the Local Soup Kitchen
8. Lemoore Lions donated \$7,000 to West Hills College for Scholarships.
9. Lemoore Lions Donated \$250 to the Lemoore Police Presents on Patrol.
10. Lemoore Lions Donated \$1,000 for Presents on Patrol to feed the hungry.
11. Lemoore Lions Donated \$300 for gift baskets for the Nursing Home.
12. Lemoore Lions Donated \$200 for the City of Lemoore Shoe Drive.
13. 8 Lions Helped the Lemoore Police Department wrap gifts for Presents on Patrol on 12-17-14. Total of 32 Hours worked.
14. 6 Lions helped the Lemoore Police Department distribute gifts and food for Presents on Patrol on 12-19-14. Total of 18 hours worked and served 50 families with a total of 230 people served.
15. 3 Leos helped the Lemoore Police Department distribute gifts and food for Presents on Patrol on 12-19-14. Total of 9 hours worked.
16. 8 Lions helped wrap gifts for the Elderly at the Kings Nursing and Rehabilitation Center on 12-13-14. Total of 24 hours worked.
17. 12 Lions helped distribute gifts and sang Christmas Carols for the Elderly at the King Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. Total of 18 hours worked and served 48 people.
18. 13 Leos helped distribute gifts to the elderly at the Kings Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. Total of 19 hours worked and served 48 people.
19. 10 Lions hosted a Movie Night for the Lemoore Leos for all their hard work throughout the year. Total of 50 hours worked and served 14 Leos and Cubs.

Signature of Club President: President Lion Greg Martella EMAILED TO DG - iamlionanthony@yahoo.com CS - parlierlions@yahoo.com ; RC AND ZC - 1/01/15 - INPUT TO INTERNATIONAL	Signature of Club Secretary: Lion Bill Mayer
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