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**DISTRICT 4-A3 CONVENTION
TO BE HELD
IN PASO ROBLES, May 4-6**

Be sure to get your registration information in early for the upcoming Convention in charming Paso Robles. This year the convention will be held at the Paso Robles Fairgrounds and should prove to be a great deal of fun and information.

Registration forms and information are included on our District website, www.lions4a3.org.

LIONS DISTRICT 4-A3

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A MESSAGE FROM DISTRICT GOVERNOR DICK KANE

This has been quite a year. As of March 14th we are **down** 14 lions in membership. We still have three months to move into the positive. I have inducted several members throughout the District.

Plans for reviving the Santa Ynez club are moving forward. 1st DG Tony and GMT chair Stan are working hard to bring them out of status-quo. The extention effort in Los Osos is moving quite slowly.

We are looking forward to having a great convention on May 4-5-6. The preliminary agenda should be out shortly. Don't forget the food faire on Saturday, May 5th. I am looking forward to it.

Don't forget, April 1st is the date that all contest information needs to be in by. If you have any questions, call contest chair Dave Wheeler.

In closing, I would like to thank all Cabinet, Administrative, Committee chairs and all others, too numerous to mention who have helped me this year. Without you the year would have been much more difficult.

DG DICK



CATCH NEW LIONS



A WORD FROM 1st VDG TONY MANUEL

This week marks the **1 year anniversary** of the destructive **Japan earthquake and tsunami**. On the 11th of March 2011, the most powerful known earthquake to ever hit Japan caused more than 15,000 deaths, 26,000 injuries and extensive structural damage in north-eastern Japan. Japan's Emperor Akihito said in a memorial ceremony at Tokyo's National Theatre, "We shall not let our memory of the disasters fade...I hope all the people will keep the victims in their hearts."

Thanks to your work and the generosity of thousands, more than **US\$21 million** was raised by Lions. Nearly half of the funds raised were used to support immediate needs such as food, clean drinking water, temporary shelter, and clothing. Currently, the Japanese Lions have transitioned into mid- and long-term rebuilding efforts. Recently, the Lions initiated a project to reduce radiation levels in buildings and homes through the use of 2,000 high pressure cleaners. This project will impact an estimated **20,000 people** and is just one of the many ways Lions are helping community members rebuild their lives.

This story dominated the headlines for months, while another quiet disaster was taking place every day –children dying from measles. Not only do **450 children die every day from measles**, but many more who contract measles have serious side effects, such as pneumonia, that cause lifelong adverse health conditions. The real tragedy is that this is so easy to prevent. It costs just **US\$1 to save a child** from measles.

LCIF Chairperson Sid Scruggs visited **Nepal** in February where he kicked off a vaccination campaign to vaccinate **9.9 million children** this year in Nepal against measles. To help vaccinate 157 million children worldwide, Lions have committed to raising more than US\$10 million as a match to the Gates Foundation's challenge grant of US\$5 million. More than **US\$1.2 million has been raised for measles** vaccinations to date.

For the measles initiative, MD4 has raised \$17,205 year to date and District 4A3 has donated \$685 year to date. The biggest donation has come from District 4L5, \$2,700 year to date. This year, when you make your donations to LCIF, please make them for both the measles initiative as well as towards a Melvin Jones. This is one of the few exceptions allowed by LCIF to have a donation count towards both. Thank you.

VDG Tony



**A MESSAGE FROM OUR 2ND VDG
and CABINET SECRETARY
MARGARET DUNLEVY**

Greetings Lions of District 4-A3!

Lions' activities are picking up and I am looking forward to seeing all of you soon. With City of Hope – Lions Tribute Day, the District Student Speakers contest, club elections, the District 4-A3 Convention, reports to Lions International of officers, and more, coming our way, be sure you are involved. The Convention in Paso Robles will be lots of fun, so don't miss out. Reserve your room today!!!

One of the joys Lions is visiting other clubs. As of Thursday, March 8, 2012, I was able to finish my final visit to obtain my long tail award that represents visiting each club in District 4-A3. I have been honored to be able to induct new members, share information from the District, the Multiple District, and Lions International, and be able to talk to club members. I have noted that each and every club has its own personality, just like each and every Lion has his/her own interests, relationships, and priorities. Our clubs are pursuing many worthwhile service projects and fund-raising activities.

I am looking forward to completing the duties of 2nd Vice-District Governor and District Secretary. In order to turn over the records to our incoming District Secretary, I am **appealing to each and every club secretary and president to be sure that they have filed their reporting of officers –the PU-101 for 2012-2013. Also, please check that you have updated any and all of your club members' addresses, phone numbers, and e-mails**, so I will have the correct information in the district database to give to those who are preparing the roster and loading the information to the District website.

If you have any questions, please call me at 805-340-5605 and/or e-mail at Margaret@venturalions.org. I will respond as quickly as I can. Please remember that I am in my classroom from 8:40 am to 3:15 pm. You are also welcome to text me.

Yours in service,
Lion Margaret Dunlevy
District Secretary
2nd VDG



District 4-A3

Food Fair

May 5, 2012

Santa Maria

Theme:

Expect the Unexpected!

Club Name: _____

Food/Beverage Item(s): _____

Contact Person: _____

Cell - _____

e-mail- _____

Judging will be for creativity of presentation related to the theme and “yumminess” of the food item(s) or beverages.

Please return your form to IPDG Mike Brown at

P.O. Box 717, Camarillo, CA 93011; 805-987-4272 (H & W), 987-7646 – Fax,

mjbelectric@att.net

INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT TAM SPEAKS OUT ABOUT THE MEMBERSHIP WORLDWIDE:

Dear Lion,

As we began the year, I asked you to treat the members of your club and the Lions in your district as you would the members of your own family. Reports show there currently is an increase in members around the world due to better member retention. It is because leaders like you are embracing the [My Club, My Family](#) concept. By now, most of you have taken positive steps towards this concept, but let me underline its importance to membership retention and the health of our clubs.

One club I know lost a member in a most tragic way. One of its senior members became very ill and could not attend meetings for more than six months. When he recovered, one of his first acts was to deliver a letter of resignation to his club president. During his lengthy illness, not one member of his club had visited him or inquired about his health.

Here is one lifetime of service that could have been preserved with a simple telephone call, a card or any expression of concern. I can't say I would have acted differently than that senior Lion. But I was lucky. When I first joined the Mt. Cameron Lions Club in Hong Kong, the senior members made me feel welcome, let me take meaningful responsibility and listened to my ideas.

That is one reason why I regard club presidents around the world as my own Lions family and developed the President Meets Presidents Program. I have met with more than 7,000 club presidents, have listened to their ideas and been inspired by their enthusiasm for service and respect for their fellow Lions. I was especially pleased to hear President Dennis Sew of the Hampstead Lions Club in Hampstead, Maryland, USA say:

"My Lions rally together to work annual fundraisers, support our causes and celebrate holidays and charter nights as a family would."

President Jalila Harchaoui of the Lions Club Blida la Rose in Algeria put it succinctly:

"One hand, one heart, we serve with a smile for better future. We serve because we believe more than ever!"

And I am confident that the Lions Club of Tumut, New South Wales, Australia, has a bright future because President Phyllis Darragh told me that:

"We are fortunate to have four of our charter members still with us. We do, however, need to attract members who can actively participate in our community activities. I will be making use of those more experienced than me in our Lions organization for guidance and assistance."

I plan to meet with many more club presidents before the end of our leadership year. In the meantime, I would be grateful if you would share the stories of your clubs service and membership successes by sending them to [to Submit Your Story](#).

As Lions, our main focus is and must always be on service. But let us remember that our fellow Lions are no less our neighbors and no less deserving of our care and concern than those we exist to serve. I believe this is crucial to making a strong finish to our leadership year. Our ultimate success as Lion leaders may well depend on reaching out to them outside the context of meetings and official occasions.

They are your Lions family as you are all my Lions family.

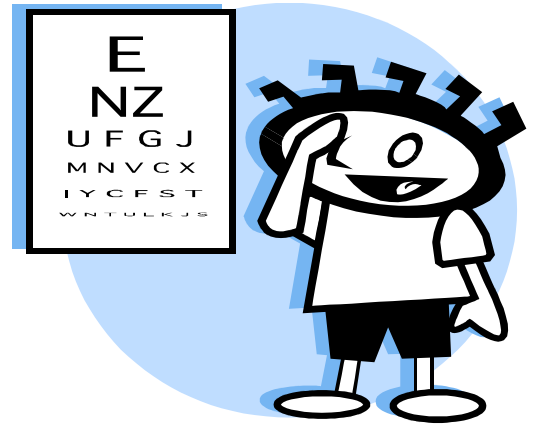
Sincerely,

Wing-Kun Tam

International President

FUNDS RAISED FOR CHILDREN'S EYE EXAM PROGRAM IN SAN LUIS OBISPO

The SLO Lions raised a total of about \$7500 at their annual Spaghetti Dinner. The money raised will be used primarily for the Children's Eye Exam Program. About 2000 exams are completed each year. Nearly 10% of the students examined are in need of vision correction. This year 12 people from the community volunteered to make the event a success. **We Serve**



Carpinteria Lions Festival of Trees

L to R - PP Rick Abney & PP Vince Choate (the 2 who started this Signature Event) & Pres Mike Dawson

Carpinteria Lions with Carpinteria FFA receipts of \$14,000 raised from our Festival of Trees



NEW LEO'S CLUB CHARTERED BY PLEASANT VALLEY LIONS CLUB

District 4-A3's newest Leos Club was celebrated with a charter dinner on February 28, 2012 sponsored by the Pleasant Valley Lions Club. 135 attendees watched District Governor Dick Kane preside over the ceremony which included the induction of seventeen charter Leos; presentation of the club's bell, gavel, banner; and induction of the new officers and board. Lion Past President Chet Price's cooking crew prepared and served a delicious and ample dinner for over 150 people including the Leos, their family members, teachers, school officials, Mayor Michael Morgan, visiting Lions, and the usual contingent of Pleasant Valley Lions.

This new Leos club is known as the **ACE Charter High School Leos Club**. ACE means Architecture, Construction, and Engineering. Lions Clubs International granted the official charter to the ACE Charter H.S. Leos Club on November 28, 2011.

The ACE Leos have already been very busy. They helped with the Rose Parade float decorations and have been supporting the Pleasant Valley Lions Club with its activities and projects. The Pleasant Valley Club donated \$500 to the new Leos club as seed money for future projects.

Pleasant Valley Lion Jim Compton led Pleasant Valley's successful effort to establish the ACE Leos club and Lion Pete Orozco accepted the challenging and busy position of Leo coordinator in a newly reinvigorated Leos program at the Pleasant Valley Lions Club.

Joe Hohenwarter
President, Pleasant Valley Lions Club



DG Dick Kane installs Ace Charter School Leo Club officers with advisor, Lion Pete



PV's new Leo's Club show off their new banner at the PV Lions Club meeting and installation of Leo's members.



Lion's thanking one of twenty Tree sponsor's with Certificates of Appreciation

Pres Mike with 2 young quest during our Kid's meet Santa Night (45 kids all got a gift). These two young men lead the audience in singing God Bless America



Carpinteria PP Randy Graham on Santa's Lap telling stories (all Good of course) holding a green balloon sword (for the kids).

PP Tom Smith's Great-granddaughter and Great Great-grand daughter



In Our Thoughts and Prayers

As we go about our daily lives, let's remember those who are ill or have lost a loved one.

Please keep the following Lions and their families in your thoughts and prayers:



Lion Anneliese Stepehns – Orcutt Lions

Lion Martha Curtis – Ventura Breakfast Lions

Lion Bob Georges – Saticoy Lions

PDG Nate Lipscomb – Santa Maria Sunrisers Lions

The Nipomo Lions Club thanks community

The Nipomo Lions Club chartered in 2006 and has since grown to nearly 40 members . Thanks to the generosity and support of our community, we are able to donate an average of \$12,000 yearly to over 25 local charities and in addition buy glasses for children in need and hearing aids for the hearing impaired. None of this would be possible without the help of our local businesses. We would esp. like to thank the local media for their ongoing coverage of our events. We are truly blessed to live in a community that is so willing to help others.

Bill Morrow

President – Nipomo Lions Club

morrowwg8@aol.com

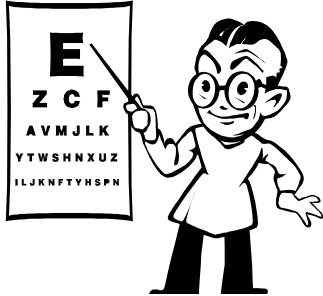
(Article printed in SLO Tribune 1/24/12)



San Miguel Fish Fry takes off with Lion Arnold Kalvans helping to serve their guests.

Lions John & Gladys Craspay. John is 90 years young and still goes to every function and fundraiser! He may very well be the oldest and most active Lion in our District!





**LOCAL LIONS CLUBS SIGHT SCREEN
MORE THAN 6,000 CHILDREN
THIS YEAR!**

Vision screening in the Santa Maria and Orcutt School Districts (includes grade school, middle school and high school) took place from Sept. – Dec. 2011. This project takes many Lions offering many hours of service, as indicated below.

Total Number of Students Vision Screened 6,738

Total Number of Suspected Vision Problems approximately 598 Students

Total Number of Suspected Vision Problems with Glasses 114

TOTAL NUMBER of Hrs for ORCUTT 180 1/2 Hrs with 4 Members helping (Sheri, Jack, Kathryn & Marina)

TOTAL NUMBER of Orcutt Lions Helping with Vision Screening 5 members

THE OTHER CLUBS THAT HELPED WITH VISION SCREENING WERE:

Santa Maria Valley Lions giving a **Total of 174 1/2 Hrs** with **7 Members** (Sally Cheever Ellen Bavaro Gail Hubble Joan Fletcher, Sharon Allen, Carol Gates & Madeline McEwan)

Santa Maria Noontimers giving a **Total of 203 Hrs** with **4 Members** (Paige Smith, Ron & Laura Selken & Jill Caldwell)

GRAND TOTAL OF SERVICE HOURS all Three Clubs = 558 Hours

GRAND TOTAL NUMBER OF LIONS all Three Clubs = 15 Members

Lions also assisted at a Health Fair vision Screening and screened 180 Adults and 20 Children.

Lompoc Host Lions

Bar-B-Que Fund Raiser



Lions Code of Ethics

TO SHOW my faith in the worthiness of my vocation by industrious application to the end that I may merit a reputation for quality of service.

TO SEEK success and to demand all fair remuneration or profit as my just due, but to accept no profit or success at the price of my own self respect lost because of unfair advantage taken or because of questionable acts on my part.

TO REMEMBER that in building up my business it is not necessary to tear down another's; to be loyal to my clients or customers and true to myself.

WHENEVER a doubt arises as to the right or ethics of my position or action towards others, to resolve such doubt against myself.

TO HOLD friendship as an end and not a means. To hold that true friendship exists not on account of the service performed by one to another, but that true friendship demands nothing but accepts service in the spirit in which it is given.

ALWAYS to bear in mind my obligations as a citizen to my nation, my state and my community, and to give them my unswerving loyalty in word, act and deed. To give them freely of my time, labour and means.

TO AID others by giving my sympathy to those in distress, my aid to the weak and my substance to the needy.

TO BE CAREFUL with my criticism and liberal with my praise; to build up and not destroy.



1st Annual Tim Miskel Memorial Golf Tournament

put on by the Ventura Downtown Lion's Club

May 24th, 2012 @ Noon

At Elkins Ranch Golf Course in Fillmore

Leonard "Tim" Miskel joined the Ventura Downtown Lion's Club in September of 1963 and later became Club President in 1976-77 and then was District Governor in 1982-83. His contribution to the Ventura Downtown Lion's Club will never be forgotten and this day of golf is a way of remembering.

Golf Tournament:

- Format : Scramble
- Prizes: Tee Prizes, Trophies, Raffle Prizes
- Dinner: After Golf, Dinner and Drinks will be served at the Elkins Ranch Golf Course Banquet facility in the club house

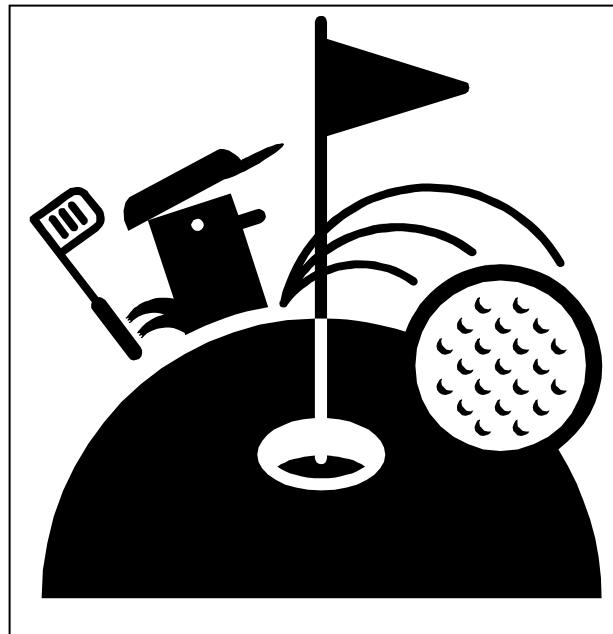
Price:

- Golf: \$85 per golfer (price includes dinner for that golfer)
- Dinner for non-golfer guest: \$25.00
- All members will be billed through the club

Registration and deadline: Fill out backside of this flyer and either deliver or fax to Bryan Easterly at 1463 South Victoria Ave, Ventura, CA 93003 or fax to 805-650-8555. For any questions give a call to Bryan Easterly at 805-794-4060.

Sign Up Now!!!!

(See backside of this sheet for sign up form)



Sign Up Sheet for the 1st Annual Tim Miskel Memorial Golf Tournament

Please Enroll the following Golfers:

Name of Golfers	Lion to Be Billed
1.) _____	_____
2.) _____	_____
3.) _____	_____
4.) _____	_____

Unless designated otherwise, each Lion's Club Member will be billed separately. You may include guests. However, designate how they will be paying. Remember, all golf fees include dinner. So if you are a golfer, do not sign up for dinner below.

Please sign up the following as dinner guests.

1.) _____	_____
2.) _____	_____
3.) _____	_____
4.) _____	_____

Ventura Downtown Lions Club

says,

“Hit a Grand Slam for Lions!”

Team 4-A3 for 2011-2012:

DG Dick Kane

1st VDG Tony Manuel

2nd VDG Margaret Dunlevy

Join us at a meeting:

1st three Thursdays of each month,

at the Derby Club

Ventura Co. Fair Grounds

12:00 noon – 1:00 pm

Call Secretary PCC Bill @ 383-6200

Camarillo Amber's Light Lions Club

"Funny Fundraiser"



Saturday, May 12

7:00 PM

Seating begins at 6:15 PM

Ventura Harbor Comedy Club

1559 Spinnaker Drive, Suite 205

Ventura, CA 93001

21 and over

Tickets: \$20

Make Checks payable to Camarillo Amber's Light Lions Club

Contact Lion Ellen Jochums for tickets, or more information.

(805)340-5306, ellen.jochums@verizon.net



2012 District President's Yearbook Contest;

Cut-off date and submission instructions:

Lions of District 4-A3, please be aware that the cut-off date for this year's contest is April 18th, at 8 PM. Your club's scrapbook must be received by Chairperson Kim Mueller by that time. Delivery address: 1567 Canyon Creek Road, Orcutt, CA 93455. For a .pdf file of scrapbook entry form, please go to the District web-site (<http://www.lions4a3.org/>) and click on the links provided there under the above-mentioned title.



District 4-A3 Convention
May 4 & 5



Paso Robles Event Center (Fair Grounds)

CAMPING INFORMATION
CONVENTION REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Limited RV sights are available for Thursday May 3 thru Sunday May 6.
6 (2 sights currently available) sites on the grounds with electricity & water
(Unit 1)

20 sites across the street with electricity, water, & sewer (Unit 2)

You may arrive after 3 PM on May 3 and must depart by 2 PM on May 6

Cost: \$30 per day X (number of days) _____ = \$ _____

Reservations are made through PCC George Stewart,

gstewart4a3@charter.net or

805 489-6541. Do not send camping fee until you contact PCC George.

Please provide the following:

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Cell: _____

Type of RV unit: Travel trailer: _____ 5th Wheel: _____ Motor Home: _____

Camper: _____

Length of rig: _____ Unit requested: Unit 1 or Unit 2 (circle one)

Arrival date: _____ Departure date: _____

Reservation for **non 4-A3** Lions will not be accepted prior to April 15, 2012

A WORD FROM I.P. TAM ON WOMEN IN LIONS

Dear Lion,

In an era in which membership in all types of civic, service and social organizations is declining, Lions Clubs International posted membership gains for four consecutive years. In the past four years the number of Lions clubs members worldwide has grown by 50,000. We are indebted to all who worked so hard to make this possible and we recognize that this success is due in large part to the steadily growing numbers of women in local Lions clubs. More than 300,000 women are now Lions, making up 23 percent of our total membership. Perhaps just as important, women now make up approximately the same percentage of Lion leaders. Having women advance into leadership positions in proportion to their overall numbers is a tremendous success and a source of pride for our association. It helps ensure that membership in a Lions club will be an even more attractive option for dedicated energetic women who wish to serve their communities and the world

Sincerely,
Wing-Kun Tam
International President



**Carpinteria Lions Club
President's Community
Service Project, Day 2**

**Boys & Girls Club Tree Planters
Six Dwarf Palm Trees
Saturday, March 3rd, 2012**

**PDG Ron Hurd PP Rick Abney Lion Ray Lane
Lion Rich Medel 3rd VP Gene Wanek
President Mike Dawson**

75TH ANNUAL STUDENT SPEAKER CONTEST

AREA LEVEL INFORMATION

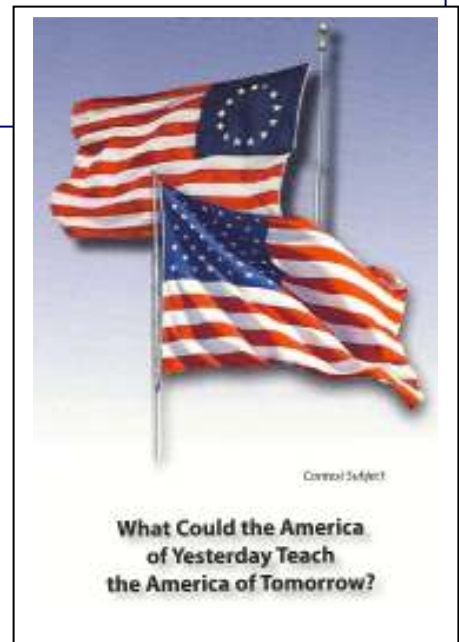
Greetings Fellow Lions,

The Area 3 Student Speaker Contest is set. Sheridan Agoura Hills Hotel, 30100 Agoura Hills Road , Agoura Hills, CA. 91301. The date is May 19th and the Contest time is 2:00pm. This Contest is being held at the 4-L1 District Convention, so we shall have a large audience for the students. Please send this important information to your Zone Chairs and have your Zone Chairs pass this along to all Clubs. This is VERY important and I am relying on you!!! I also want to receive from each of you a response to this message so I know for sure that you have received it.

For the District Chairs of L-3, A-2, and A-3: If you have a suggestion for a judge for this Contest from your Area please pass along to me their name and phone number and e-mail if you have it, so that I may communicate with them. I would like to target persons who have judged before, but it is not a requirement. All suggestions shall be contacted by me and if participation agreement is made I shall send each selected judge a small packet of information for them to read and familiarize themselves with our Contest. If I do not hear from you I shall find judges on my own which wont be an issue, but I want to give you all the opportunity to have a judge from your Area.

Thank you all for your participation and support for our Student Speaker Contest!!!!

Regards,
Lion Steven Morgan
Area 3 Chair



The Nipomo Lions Donates \$1,200 to RSVP

The Nipomo Lions Club recently donated \$1,200 to the local RSVP in San Luis Obispo. RSVP recruits and places senior volunteers in more than 300 non-profit and government agencies throughout San Luis Obispo and Northern Santa Barbara Counties.

Our club is impressed with not only the services RSVP provides (during 2010 RSVP volunteers gave over 190,000 hours of their time in support of our communities...valued at more than \$4 million dollars), but they provide a safe and effective environment for our seniors to give back to the community.

In short, it gets us seniors out of our easy chairs...doing something meaningful and productive..feeling needed, and filling the gap of budget shortfalls in non-profit organizations according to Bob McGill, Lions Chairperson for RSVP.



Every now and then we need to revisit why it is we become Lions. As the largest service club in the world, we have a great responsibility upon our shoulders and each of us should be in tune with the Lions Purpose. Take a moment and reflect on this as we continue to do our important work.

PURPOSE

To Organize, charter and supervise service clubs to be known as Lions clubs.

To Coordinate the activities and standardize the administration of Lions clubs.

To Create and foster a spirit of understanding among the peoples of the world.

To Promote the principles of good government and good citizenship.

To Take an active interest in the civic, cultural, social and moral welfare of the community.

To Unite the clubs in the bonds of friendship, good fellowship and mutual understanding.

To Provide a forum for the open discussion of all matters of public interest; provided, however, that partisan politics and sectarian religion shall not be debated by club members.

To Encourage service-minded people to serve their community without personal financial reward, and to encourage efficiency, and promote high ethical standards in commerce, industry, professions, public works and private endeavors.



Mission:

To empower volunteers to serve their communities, meet humanitarian needs, encourage peace and promote international understanding through Lions clubs

A Hidden Benefit...

At A RECENT ZONE meeting I was given the opportunity to speak briefly on the topic of “Club Officer Training,” a GLT-D task mandated by LCI leadership and coming due as we select our club’s directors and officers for the 2012/2013 Lionistic year throughout the Association. In the room were both very experienced Lions, and those not so much.

As I spoke I referenced the Club Officers Manual (document LA15), which has been around forever and is updated almost every year to reflect current practice in our organization. (It can be found on the LCI website – search by title in the members section.) I read this document when I first held a club president position, and have referred to it often since then. It is full of useful information that every club officer should be familiar with, some concerning the “rules,” as well as other timely information about a variety of topics.

As I was speaking at this Zone meeting I referred to some membership categories and rate structures, to which a seasoned and very experienced member replied with surprise that he had not been aware of the existence of one of those. Here was but another opportunity to market Lions membership to a specific category of individual, with the information so close at hand yet unknown for the lack of reviewing a key document prepared and designed for those of us in leadership positions.

The wisest mind has something yet to learn.

George Santayana (1863 - 1952)

This year LCI leadership has prepared a very specific mandate to the Global Leadership Team-District (GLT-D) Coordinators. It is three-pronged and consists of:

1. Training of 100% of the incoming District Zone Chairpersons;
2. Training of 100% of the Club’s Presidents;
3. Continue to create and pursue opportunities at the District level for the performing of New Member Orientation, Certified Guiding Lion training, and Club Excellence Process workshops.

The Club Officer Manual contains all of the “necessary” information, that once read and absorbed, meets the mandate of training club presidents! Of course the District will provide club officer specific training, at District meetings and at other times as appropriate, but consider how far and how easily we can go towards achieving compliance with this mandate by simply reading a key document!

Learning is not compulsory... neither is survival.

W. Edwards Deming (1900 - 1993)

There will be more specific information distributed to the incoming leadership of each club as we receive the PU-101 data, concerning the training of Club Officers/Presidents. I do encourage everyone, whether currently holding office or intending/hoping to do so this coming year, to look up this document and to read it. For only a few minutes of your time you will be enriched, rewarded and empowered! All this for the princely sum of zero dollars, zero cents, and you don’t have to pay only the shipping and handling, either!

GLT-D Pete Mueller



VDG Tony with his guest, VDG Dean Church at the 3rd District Cabinet meeting in Oai.

PDG Howard thanking everyone for their support for his run for ID



VDG Tony showing his alter ego – the Taz.



DG Dick's VIP guest, DG Ken Sherwood





The Fillmore Lions Club was pleased to host the Lions Past District Governor, Mike Brown (right), Monday, September 20th. As well as his inspirational talk, he was pleased to induct a new Lion member into the club, Brian Wilson (middle). Here he is pictured with Brian and Lions Club President Bill Dewey (left



IP Tam called for a Year of the Trees...and we met the challenge of 1,000 trees planted per District – and then some!

Our District has committed to plant over **4,620** trees this year!

Way to go DISTRICT 4-A3!!

