



# Millbrae Lions Club

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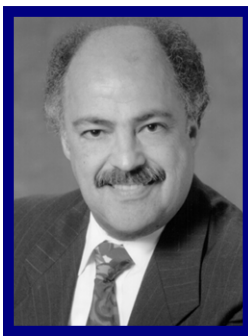
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## Message From President Lion Mike Morgan

January has turned out to be a very successful month. Lion P.P. Rich Bortolin reports that all who attended the Cioppino Crab Feed had a good time. Lion Rich hasn't finished the financial report yet but it looks like it was a successful moneymaker. I know Lion P.P. Rich will have a full report later on but I would like to thank all the Lions and their spouses who worked on this project. Working together made it happen! Lion Tail Twister John - "Outback" Baker reports the Raffle was very successful also. Lion John is another Lion doing a great job. Lion Lee Mahon did a fantastic job for the Opportunity Schol-



arship. I would like to thank the Lions who participated in this noble cause. By making it possible for some young person to attend a school and getting an education we have made our community a better place to live, work and play. Again, thanks Lion Lee. I just knew you were a good choice for this project. It's projects like this one that make me proud to be a Millbrae Lion. The Lions who participated should feel good about themselves. You have made a difference!  
In February we have our Student Speaker's Contest. This will be on February 1st and is not a spouse night. However

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Regular Meetings  
1st and 3rd Thursdays  
Of each Month  
7:30 PM  
Green Hills Country Club

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Board of Directors  
2nd Thursday  
of each month  
7:00 PM  
Millbrae Public Library



## From the Editor's Desk

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Attendance at our meetings seems to be an ongoing problem. The obvious solution is to have more of our members present at the meetings on the first and third Thursday of every month.

Another solution is to recruit new members. Lion PP Al Morando expended a great deal of effort several months ago to make the annual Invite-A-Member meeting a success. While the meeting itself was very successful, we need

to see the fruits of Lion PP Al's labors by seeing new members joining our club. These comments are directed to myself as much as to all the rest of the membership.

I would like to encourage all of us to make a sincere effort in the weeks and months to come to find and recruit new members for our club. We enjoy an exceptionally good relationship in our community and with the citizens of Millbrae, so it would seem a strong effort by all of us should result in new members.

Lion Bill Bartel

## Correction

In the last bulletin, your editor incorrectly announced that the February, 1st, 2001 meeting would be a spouses night. It in fact will not be a spouses night. The correct information being the next spouses night will be on February 15th, 2001, our annual Valentine's meeting. Many apologies for the error.

Bill Bartel, Bulletin Editor

## Message From President Lion Mike Morgan, Continued

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spouses are always welcome and this is a good night to come if you should so desire. On February 15<sup>th</sup> we will have our Valentine's Day meeting and spouses are not only welcome but we insist. This is one of the times the Board voted to have the spouses come as the guest of the club. So don't miss it.

I have some questions for

you. And, you can tell me in person, call me, write me or email me. It's your choice. What should we spend our project money on? Should we save some of it for a special project? Should we try to spend it all in the year it is raised? Should we help other organizations? Do you know where our money goes now? Do you care? I would just like to know! I have my own


opinion but I think the members of the club who make the decisions should know what **you** think. Let me know! Remember there is no wrong answer; it's just an opinion.

Yours In Lionism,  
Michael L. Morgan, President  
Millbrae Lions Club

## February 2001

Sun	Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri	Sat
				1 Regular Meeting Student Speakers	2	3
4	5	6	7	8 Board Meeting	9	10 Third Cabinet Meeting
11	12	13	14	15 <del>Regular Meeting</del> Valentine Dinner Spouses Night	16	17 Nominating Breakfast
18	19 Peninsula Council of Lions	20	21	22	23	27
25	26	27	28			

## March 2001

Sun	Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri	Sat
				1 Regular Meeting	2	3
4	5	6	7	8 Board Meeting	9	10  Marinated Crab Feed

### Next Meeting

Our next meeting will be held on Thursday, February 1st at The Green Hills Country Club. This will be our annual Student Speaker Night hosted by Lion Paul Larson.

Cocktails 6:30PM, Dinner and Meeting 7:30 PM. Greeters: Lion Lee Mahon and Lion Charles "Smitty" Smith.



## 4-C4 Convention – May 4-6

This year the Lion's District Convention at the Red Lion Hotel in Sacramento has a special meaning for the Millbrae Lions, as one our own members, Lion VDG Art Pignati is running for District Governor.

In order to plan for this convention, meetings will be held every Monday



night, beginning February 5th at 7:30 PM, at the home of Lion PP Al Morando. All members and spouses are encouraged to attend these meetings to share their suggestions on how we can best support Lion Art and come up with ideas to make this years convention in Sacramento exciting and fun.

### Third Cabinet Meeting

Hosted by Region Three Chair Jim Bigelow

Date: Saturday, February 10, 2001

8:45 - 9:30 a.m. Registration & *Meet and Greet* (Coffee, Juice & Rolls)

9:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Meeting

Burlingame Lions Hall

990 Burlingame Ave.

Breakfast, break and Lunch \$15.00

Please RSVP with Jim Bigelow  
no later than Monday, February 5th

Phone: (650)593-6372

Email: [JimBigelow@Yahoo.com](mailto:JimBigelow@Yahoo.com)

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## Youth and Community—2001

Many thanks to all of you who have already sold your tickets, either on your own or in downtown Millbrae. For those of you who have sold your tickets but have not yet turned them in, please do so as soon as you can along with the money collected. We can then concentrate on selling the "extra" tickets which is where our Club can generate a good deal of additional money for our treasury.

If you have not yet sold your tickets please contact me so that we can schedule a time for you to do so. We have one month left and I would like to see us raise as much money as we possibly can.

Lion Bill Bartel  
Y&C Chairman



## Wanted Dead or Alive

These Lions have not been sighted at a regular Lions Meeting in recent memory. Bail may be posted and a get out of jail card issued by attending a meeting soon. If you see any of these missing Lions, lasso them and bring them on in for a meeting.



## Millbrae Lions

Ed	Jim Chin
Avanzino	Gary Degli-
Maria Apo-	antoni
dacia	Robert Gar-
Troy Byram	rison
Gary Cake-	Steve
bread	Luzach
Charles Call	John

## Millbrae Lions Marinated Crab Feed—Saturday, March 10th



St. Dunstan's Hall  
 1133 Broadway, Millbrae  
 Cocktails: 5:30—7:00 PM  
 Dinner: 7:00—9:00 PM  
 Dancing: 9:00—Midnight  
 Tickets: \$37.50 Per Person  
 (Alternate Entrée Available by Advanced Request only.)  
 Contact Lion Don Beyer for more information

## Family Assistance Program

The Family Assistance Program wishes to extend a special thank you to Lion Carmen Rosales, who donated three hand knit blankets to the Hernandez baby girls.

Family Assistance Chairman  
 Lion Colleen Bedrosian



### Neighboring Clubs

#### San Bruno Lions Club

Meets 1st & 3rd Tuesday  
 Martinelli's Steak Pit-7:00 PM  
 1180 El Camino Real, Millbrae

#### Burlingame Lions Club

Meets Thursday's—12:10 PM  
 Burlingame Lions Hall  
 990 Burlingame Avenue  
 Burlingame

#### Pacifica Lions Club

Meets 1st & 3rd Tuesday's  
 Nicks Restaurant—7:30 PM  
 Rockaway Beach, Pacifica



## Sunshine Report



If you know a Lion, Spouse or Family member, sick or injured, please contact:

Lion PDG George Habeeb  
 650 588-4326

**Happy Birthday**

Feb 3 Lion Gordon Dito  
 Feb 3 Lynette Bartel  
 Feb 5 Marion Bourque  
 Feb 8 Lion Ron Pape  
 Feb 11 Lion Vice District Governor Art Pignati

**Happy Anniversary**

Lion Jim & Lisa Black  
 Lion Ricky & Sherry Friscia  
 Lion Roger & Rachel Chinn  
 Lion Steve & Carol Stirling

## Your District Officers

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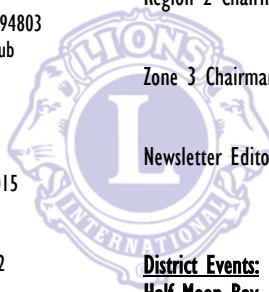
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**District Events:** February 19—Peninsula Council of Lions Meeting in Half Moon Bay.



# Our Last Meeting

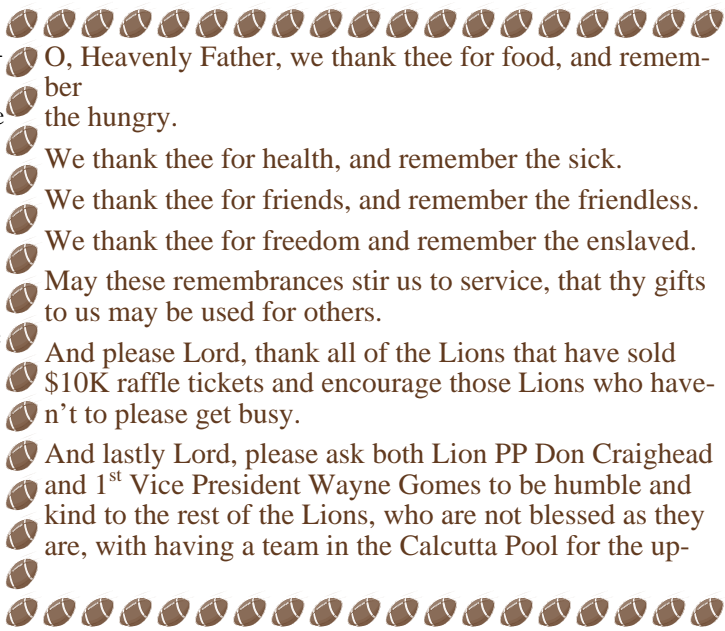
Our last meeting was called to order by Lion President Mike Morgan at 7:43 PM. Lion Don Beyer led us in the Pledge of Allegiance, Lion Millie Bishop led us in the singing of God bless America, and Lion PP Paul Borque gave the invocation. (See inset)

Lion 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President Wayne Gomes introduced the visiting Lions and guests. They were Yvette Garcia and Arnold, CA Lion Paul Pina. Lion Matt Fitzgibbons then got up to give us information about the Lions Magazine.

This was followed by the committee reports. First up was Lion PP Rich Bortolin telling us how the plans for the Cioppino Crab Feed were progressing and once again soliciting helpers to work the project. Lion Lee Mahon gave a report on the results of the Opportunity Scholarship raffle. The drawing has been completed (unfortunately no Millbrae Lions won) and Lion Lee reports the net to the Millbrae Lions Club was \$1,000. Nice job, Lion Lee. Yours truly then got up to report on the progress of the Youth & Community raffle project. Lion Carl Van Lowe provided us with “word of wisdom” and generally got a good laugh.

Our speaker for the evening was Mr. Mark Sandeen of Medi-Cal Regulation Specialists. He spoke to us

on preserving your estate and how to navigate your way through the Medi-Cal and Medicare thicket of regulations. It was a most informative talk and generated more than a few questions.



O, Heavenly Father, we thank thee for food, and remember the hungry.

We thank thee for health, and remember the sick.

We thank thee for friends, and remember the friendless.

We thank thee for freedom and remember the enslaved.

May these remembrances stir us to service, that thy gifts to us may be used for others.

And please Lord, thank all of the Lions that have sold \$10K raffle tickets and encourage those Lions who haven't to please get busy.

And lastly Lord, please ask both Lion PP Don Craighead and 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President Wayne Gomes to be humble and kind to the rest of the Lions, who are not blessed as they are, with having a team in the Calcutta Pool for the up-

Lion President Mike then turned the meeting over to Tail Twister Lion John “Outback” Baker. Raffle prizes were won by Lion PP Tony Montes, Lion Carmen Rosales, Lion Colleen Bedrosian, Lion Doris Morse, Lion Ricky Friscia, and Lion Charles “Smitty” Smith. The meeting was gaveled to a close by Lion President Mike Morgan at 9:57 PM.

## Twin Clubs

<b>La Serena Lions Club</b>	
<b>La Serena, Chile</b>	
<b>Sliema Lions Club</b>	<b>Kahalui, Lions Club</b>
<b>Sliema, Malta</b>	<b>Kahului, Hawaii</b>
<b>Guanajuato Lions Club</b>	
<b>Guanajuato, Mexico</b>	

If you know of a club that would like to Twin with the Millbrae Lions please contact Chairman Lion PP Frank Azzopardi.

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### **LIONS ETHICS**

TO SHOW my faith in the worthiness of 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 of profit for 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 others. To be loyal to my clients or customers and true to myself.

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

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

ALWAYS bear in mind my obligations as a citizen to my unswerving loyalty in word, act as deed; to give them freely of my time, labor and means.

TO AID my fellow man 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.



**Lion Al Morando**  
**Millbrae Lion of the Year**

### **LIONS OBJECTIVES**

TO CREATE and foster a spirit of "GENEROUS CONSIDERATION" among the peoples of the world through a study of the problems of international relationship.

TO PROMOTE the theory and practice of the principles of good government and good citizenship.

TO TAKE an active interest in the civic, social, and moral welfare of the community.

TO UNITE the members in the bonds of friendship and mutual understanding.

TO PROVIDE a forum for the full and free discussion of all matters of public interest, partisan politics and sectarian religion alone excepted.

TO ENCOURAGE efficacy and promote high ethical standards and professions: provided that no club shall hold out as one of its objects financial benefits to its members.