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Message From President Lion Mike Morgan

November 16th is our “Invite – a – Member meeting. The idea is to bring in potential new members so that they can see what we do and how we do it and then join. I’m going to offer you a second choice to this idea. Find someone who is already a member who hasn’t been to a meeting in a while and invite him or her. In fact don’t just invite them, **INSIST!**

I was reading September’s message from the President of the Lions International, Dr. Jean Behar. He wrote about increasing Lions membership. The point that he made is that we need to show people that we are a quality organization and if they want to be well thought of they need to belong to the local Lions club. We don’t need a lot of members we just need people who want to belong to a group that is making a difference in their community and want to help in

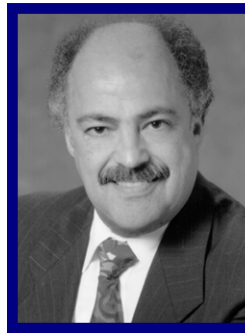
that endeavor. Remember, there is a reason why large numbers of our members don’t live in Millbrae, and that reason is they want to belong to a quality organization. Some of those members are our most involved members and we would be in trouble without them.

P.P. Lion Al Morando has planned an interesting evening, but it is all for naught

if you don’t do your part and bring that special someone who could help us make a difference in Millbrae. Remember, one good quality member is much better than four “knife and forkers” or worse someone who never shows up.

Our next meeting will be a fun one, our Silent Auction night. Lions Matt and Kevin have been working on this night for months. If you haven’t been to a Silent Auction meeting in a while, this is good one to start with.

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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
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You will notice in this issue a return of an old feature used by previous Bulletin Editors; namely, the Lions Cage. For our newer members, this is a list of Millbrae Lion Members who have been missing meetings recently. Since attendance has not been good of late, it was felt that the time had come to reinstate this hallowed institution.

Also, Lion John Baker needs many more volunteers for the Christmas Tree lot, particularly

King Lions. Lion John informs me that you have two more weeks to volunteer, after that there will be involuntary assignments. Seriously, volunteers are very badly needed. Lion John has worked hard on this project and needs your support.

Lion Matt Fitzgibbons needs your "stuff". He needs it for the Silent Auction coming up at our next meeting. Lion Matt informs me any items you might have to contribute will be most welcome.

Lion Bill Bartel
Bulletin Editor



**Millbrae Lion President Mike
Morgan with District Governor**

Millbrae Lion Carl Van Lowe participating in the successful White Cane



Message From President Lion Mike Morgan, Continued

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Bring your spouse, your check-book, and a member who hasn't been in a while. It will be fun!

I want to thank all the members and their spouses who came to the last meeting in costume. (It was for


Halloween) I don't know what's up, but I saw DVG Lion Art Pignati with a blonde that night. I guess now he can be next years Governor. We also had a very informative speaker. It all added to the fun of the evening! See what you missed!

Thanks for all your help!
Yours in Lionism

Michael L. Morgan

2000-2001 Club Calendar

November

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2 Silent Auction Regular Meeting	3	4
5	6	7	8	9 Board Meeting	10	11
12	13	14	15	16 Invite a Member Regular Meeting	17	18 Christmas Tree Lot Construction
19	20	21	22	23 	24	25 Christmas Trees Arrive
26k	27k Peninsula Council of Lions	28k	29k	30k		

Christmas tree lot open

December

Sun	Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri	Sat
					1k	2k
3k	4k	5k	6k	7k Regular Meeting	8k	9k

Next Meeting

Our next meeting will be held on Thursday, November 2nd at The Green Hills Country Club. This will be our annual Silent Auction and, of course, be a spouses night as well.

Greeters: Lion Bob Jorge and Lion Mike Sanfilippo

Cocktails 6:30PM, Dinner and Meeting 7:30 PM



Christmas Tree Lot

Lion John Baker needs everyone's help to get the trees ready to sell. At the Christmas Tree Lot. Construction on the lot will be on Saturday, November 18, 2000. Any Lion who is a craftsman or journeyman is encouraged to help. Those of lesser skills are invited as well.



In addition, Lion John needs a King Lion for every day starting Sunday, November 26, 2000 through Monday, December 18th. Please contact Lion John to sign up for a day. Also, each Lion is requested to sign up for 4 shifts of 6 hours each. This

On Saturday, November 25, 2000 the trees may be our last year so let us make it the most profitable one. will arrive. Many volunteers will be needed

Invite a Member—November 16

Thanks My fellow Lions. I've always believed that no other Lion's club in the District does more than the Millbrae Lions. This is due to the teamwork and the many members who carry their share of the load.

Our problem is that our membership numbers have dwindled due to attrition. When the burden of a project is placed upon a few, the fun aspect tends to disappear and it becomes work. "Invite-a-Member" is a good solution to our problem. November 16th is only a few weeks off, but time enough to invite someone who

would appreciate our club's activities and would be an asset to our club.

Millbrae Lions are always helping others, let's be a little selfish by helping ourselves by bringing in new members to share the load. Please call me at 692-4029 with the name of your guest, so I can prepare a welcome package.
Lion PP Al Morando

Happy Anniversary

November 4 Lion Matt and Karen Fitzgibbons

November 5 Lion Kevin and Ann Woolen

November 12 Lion Paul and Marion Bourque

Happy Birthday

November 1 Lion Tom Enberg

November 8 Jane Simonini

November 8 Lion Kevin O'Connell

November 10 Lion Rajiv Gujral

November 11 Candy Fowler

November 11 Rosemarie Morando

November 12 Lion Dan Quigg

November 13 Lion Ed Bertocchi



Last Meeting

Our last meeting was called to order at 7:43 PM by Lion President Mike Morgan. Judy Craighead led us in the Pledge of Allegiance, Lady Lynette Gianni led us in the singing of God Bless America, and Lady Pam Sanfilippo gave the invocation.

Halloween costumes were the order of the evening and many Lions and their spouses responded in magnificent fashion.

Lion 1st Vice President Wayne Gomes acknowledged Lion PP Don Craighead who introduced his guest, Judy Craighead, who is his brothers wife.

Lion John Bowers gave a report on the recently concluded White Cane Days. He started out the evening reporting a net of \$1,380.70 and by the time he had coerced a few more members at the meeting to contribute the final tally was a net of \$1,437.70.

Good job, Lion John. Lion Lee Mahon gave us some more information on the Opportunity Scholarship Fund. For every \$10 contribution you will get a chance on a 3 day cruise from San Francisco to Vancouver, B.C. and return air fare. Lion John Baker reminded us all that many volunteers are needed for the Christmas Tree lot. Lion Matt Fitzgibbons talked about the upcoming Silent Auction, he needs gifts and also encouraged us to bring a guest or two. Lion PP Al Morando got up to push the upcoming Invite-A Member night on November 16, 2000. Lion Millie Bishop told us about

Red Ribbon Week which is part of National Drug Awareness. 3rd Vice President Lion Mike Sanfilippo reported on the Monster March and Dance coming on Saturday, October 28, 2000. Volunteers are needed. This was followed by a couple of pretty good jokes, courtesy of Lion Paul Larson.

Lion Bill Bartel got up to introduce the speaker of the evening, Mike Mangini. Mr. Mangini is the Founder and Executive Director of the Golden Gate Railroad Museum located at the former Navy facility at Hunters Point. He gave a very interesting and informative presentation. It included a short video of restored Southern Pacific locomotive #2472 and a slide presentation of the Museum facility at Hunters Point. Many members recalled seeing # 2472 at the San Mateo Fairgrounds many years ago.

Tail Twister, Lion "Outback" John Baker conducted the raffle. Winners were Lion Isaac Mejia, PGD Lion Rocky Lombardi, Lady Jo Lombardi, Lady Lynette Gianni, Lady Lynette Bartel, and guest Judy Craighead.

The meeting was gavelled to a close by President Lion Mike Morgan and 9:58PM.





Twin Clubs

La Serena Lions Club

La Serena, Chile

Sliema Lions Club
Sliema, Malta

Kahului, Lions Club
Kahului, Hawaii

Guanajuato Lions Club
Guanajuato, Mexico

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

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



Don't Miss It!

Millbrae Lions Club Silent Auction



The November 2nd meeting will be the annual administration account FUNdraiser. All money raised goes to our club to help keep our dues low.

Bring your Spouse!!

We are gathering items for the auction NOW, and need much more. We request that ALL members donate something. We will auction off almost anything. Liquor, paintings, odds and ends, sports memorabilia, etc.

Dinners at a Lions home are always a popular item and a fun way to spend time with our fellow Lions and spouses.

Bring your Checkbook!!

We guarantee this will be a fun evening with plenty of great items up for auction. Please call Matt Fitzgibbons at 697-2685 to let him know what item you will donate for the auction.



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,

Millbrae Lions

Don Beyer	P.P. Ron Johnson
Ralph Bravo	Steve Luzaich
Doug Button	Reuben Martinez
Troy Bryam	Mike McCoy
Gary Cakebread	Kevin O'Connell
Jim Chin	Bart Speccia
Bob Garrison	Bill Tsanakas
Mary Griffin	
Rajiv Gujral	

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	Foster City Lions Club				
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	Millbrae Lions Club				
Newsletter Editor	Judy Malfatti	650 343-5363	777 Morrell #301	Burlingame, CA	94010
	Burlingame Lions Club				

District Events

November 17-19 District 4C4 Second Cabinet Meeting—Carmel Mission Inn

Millbrae Lions Club
260 Sebastian Drive
Millbrae, CA 94030-2955



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.