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Millbrae Lions

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A message from President Millie Bishop

Dear Friends and Fellow Lions,

I realize that many new Lions may not know their president as well as others may. I've included in this issue my bio which was published a couple of years ago in Frank Azzopardi's bulletin column.

Lion Millie

President's Bio:

Millie was born into a Quaker family, grew up in Berkeley, attended the private Anna Head School, took classes at Cal Berkeley while still in high school, majored in math and physics and graduated from Berkeley Cum Laude.

She and her husband, Bill, have resided in Millbrae since 1971, moving here upon their marriage.

Millie is the past president of Taylor PTA, Mills PTO, Millbrae Council of PTA's and 17th District PTA. In these capacities she originated the Red Ribbon Week and Block Parent programs in Millbrae. She helped organize Cub Pack 320 and served on San Mateo BSA Council. She has also served on the State PTA Board. Millie is a long time member of the Board of Directors of the Family Service Agency of San Mateo County, a non profit agency that runs a variety of day

care, senior services, counseling and family programs including this county's Visitation Center. She sat on the Millbrae Chamber of Commerce Board for two terms, serving as president for two years.

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Regular Meetings

1st and 3rd Wednesdays
of each month
7:30 PM
Green Hills Country Club

Millbrae Lions President

Millie Bishop
P.O. Box 1550
Millbrae, CA 94030
(650) 692-3348
BishopUSA@msn.com

Board of Directors

2nd Wednesday
of each month
7:00 PM
Dave Chetcuti Room



From the Editor's Desk



Surprise! Not all issues of the bulletin will be in living color...I don't want you to get spoiled. I have a lot of new ideas for features and stories to publish...you'll see them in upcoming issues. Also, please make sure that your roster information is correct, and email me with your email address if you want it included.

I have been away and missed our last meeting. I have been attending the California Funeral Directors Association convention which is being held at the Disneyland Hotel in Anaheim. Too bad that it conflicted with our first meeting of July, but lately it seems like a LOT of Chapel related duties conflict with my Lions duties....BUT I always do my best to get the job done, no matter what it may be. I'll see you when I get back. Enjoy this issue.

From the Editor.

The Millbrae Lions Club Bulletin is published semi-monthly by Lion Paul Larson, (650) 742-0545 at home or email at oceanboy@earthlink.net.
Deadline for the next edition is the day after our Regular Meetings at Green Hills

Next Meeting

Our next meeting will be on **Wednesday, July 21, 2004** at Green Hills Country Club. Attire: **Summer Dress**.

Be prepared to feast on: Veal Scallopini, Marsala Sauce, Mushrooms, Grilled Polenta, Veggies, and for dessert Apple Pie & Vanilla Ice Cream.

Cocktails: at 6:30 PM

Dinner: at 7:30 PM

Greeters: Rocky Lombardi and Frank Barbaro

Neighboring Clubs

San Bruno Lions Club

Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 7:00 PM,
At the 16 Mile House, Broadway, Millbrae.

Burlingame Lions Club

Meets every Thursday at 12:10 PM,
Burlingame Lions Hall, 990 Burlingame Av,
Burlingame.

Pacifica Lions Club

Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 7:30 PM,
Nick's Restaurant, Rockaway Beach,
Pacifica.



Know your 2004 - 2005 District 4-C4 Officers

District Governor

Ray Rosenthal, Foster City Lions Club, rosieinc@comcast.net

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La Serena, Chile

Sliema Lions Club

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Guanajuato Lions Club

Guanajuato, Mexico

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

Dr. Dave's Doggie Does Deed: Best in Show

Ogden Utah, June 2004—The “Best of Opposite Sex” winner at the 2004 ASSA Dog show was Lion Dr. Dave Heaton’s dog Sea Ha-ven Chasing Moonbeams. “Chasie” for short, is a case study in correct head detail. He characterizes standard with his soft, pleasing expression, strongly supported by his correct ear set and dark, almond, obliquely set eyes, embodies beauty in proportion, balance and correct substance. Masculine in his overall carriage, completely fills the eye of the beholder. Lion Dave and wife Marcialyn are extremely proud for their champion.





- July 18, Mara Kopp
- July 19, Emily Jorge
- July 19, Alma Massolo
- July 19, Walter Ramseur
- July 24, Ron Frediani
- July 25, Barbara Baker
- July 26, Doug Button
- July 27, Wanda Mitchell
- July 29, Helen Habeeb
- July 30, Me-Kee Mao-Sa

Millbrae Lions Trivia

1. Q– Besides Lion Tamer, what other office has Lion Jim Caccia held?
2. Q– Besides the Millbrae Lions Club, Lion Don Baciocco is active in what other Lions Club?
3. T or F– Lion Don Beyer works for ABC Mitsubishi.
4. T or F– Lion Paul Bourque was Millbrae Lions Club President in 87/88.
5. T or F– Lion John Bowers is a former U.S. Navy Seal.
6. Q– Lion Tom Cullina has a pet dog named _____ (Fill in the blank).

(Answers on page 9)

SUNSHINE REPORT

All Lions doing well and are all accounted for. Happy Day!



Please call (Ambassador of Good Will) Lion George Habeeb if you know of a Lion or a family member that is sick. (650) 588-4326 or email at habeeb490@aol.com





Our Last Meeting

1. Lion President Millie Bishop called the meeting to order at 7:38 p.m.
2. Lion Dan Quigg led the Pledge of Allegiance.
3. Lion Al Morando led the singing of “America The Beautiful”.
4. Lion Tom Cullina gave the invocation.
5. Lion Smitty Smith announced the visiting Lions and guests.
6. Lion Don Stanaway gave Lions Information—

7. PROGRAM

- A. PDG Lion Don Stanaway thanked the Millbrae Lions Club for their sponsorship and help with “Rocky’s Wine Tasting and H’ors d’oeuvres Extravaganza” event for the benefit of the “Lions Eye Foundation of Northern California and Nevada Inc.”. The event netted \$40,000 plus which represents \$400,000.00 worth of professional eye care services provided through the “Lions Eye Foundation of Northern California and Nevada Inc” clinic located at the California Pacific Medical Center.
- B. PP Lion Al Morando inducted Frank Barbaro as our newest member of the Millbrae Lions Club. Lion Frank’s sponsor is PDG Lion Art Pignati. In Lion Art’s absence, PDG Lion Rocky Lombardi acted as the official ‘bib hanger’. Lion Frank is a nine-year Millbrae resident, married with two children. Lion Frank is past and current President of the Spring Valley School PTA in Millbrae. The Millbrae Lions Club welcomes Lion Frank Barbaro and extends our best wishes.

8. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A. Lion John Muniz reported on the success of the annual collaboration of the “Millbrae Historical Society’s Fourth of July Picnic” and Millbrae Lions Club. This year’s event was held at the Millbrae Community Center. We served 104 guests, hot dogs, hamburgers, chili, potato salad, and ice cream. Proceeds from the event benefit the Millbrae Historical Society’s preservation efforts such as the Millbrae Museum, and Railroad Station.



Our Last Meeting (Continued from page 5)

9. ANNOUNCEMENTS

- A. PP Lion Tom Enberg announced Wednesday, August 25, as the date of our annual Millbrae Lions Club Calcutta Nigh fund raiser, at the Green Hills Country Club.
- B. Millbrae Lions Club President Millie Bishop informed our members of a Board of Directors training session to be held at the home of PDG Lion Rocky Lombardi. Details will follow.
- C. Sunday, July 18th, the District 4-C4 installation of officers will be held at the Green Hills Country Club. The Millbrae Lions Club will put together a table of eight. Contact MLC President Lion Millie Bishop if you would like to attend.
- D. A special officers training session will be held on Saturday, Sept. 18th, at the Foster City Recreation Center. The cost is \$5.00. Millbrae Lions Club Officers are encouraged to attend. Contact MLC President Lion Millie Bishop.
- E. The first Peninsula Council Cabinet meeting will be held on Saturday, August 28th. Contact PP Lion Tony Montes is you would like to attend.
- F. Lion Troy Acevedo (our official drink token seller) thanked Lion Don Beyer for a fantastic Baseball Barbeque at S & C Ford.
- G. Perpetual Plaques were given out to the following Lions for chairing events.
 - * PP Lion John La Duca, Crab Chioppino Bar Chairperson.
 - * PP Lion Mike Gianni, Crab Chioppino Co Chairperson.
 - * PP Lion Al Morando, Christmas Tree Lot Co Chairperson.
 - * PP Lion Rich Bortolin, Christmas Tree Lot Co Chairperson.
 - * Lion Bob Jorge, Christmas Tree Lot Co Chairperson.

10. TAIL TWISTER RAFFLE—Lion Dr. David Heaton

- A. The winners of the raffle were: Lions Cynthia Silva, Steve Luzaich, Wayne Gomes, new member Frank Barbaro (already a winner), Dave Ocampo, Tony Montes, and Mike Simonini.

11. ADJOURNMENT

- A. Lion President Millie Bishop adjourned the meeting at 9:07 p.m.

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| Attendance: | Members | Spouses | Guests | Prospective Members |
| 39 | 37 | 0 | 0 | 1 |



Historical Society Picnic

Millbrae Ca. July 4, 2004—The Millbrae Chamber of Commerce could not have ordered a more perfect day. The sun was shining, no wind, or fog, just another successful Millbrae Historical Society “Fourth Of July Picnic”. For many years the Millbrae Lions Club has provided the hamburger, hot dogs, buns, cooking and serving labor for the annual Historical Society Picnic. We served 105 guests hot dogs, hamburgers, potato salad, beans and ice cream. There was live music and dancing. The Millbrae Community Center provided a fantastic venue for the event.



The Millbrae Historical Society is an organization dedicated to the preservation of Millbrae’s rich history and historical locations. The proceeds from the “Forth of July Picnic” go toward the preservation and upkeep of the Millbrae Historical Society Museum. The Societies newest acquisition is the restoration of the old Millbrae Railroad Station just south of the Bart Station.

I want to express my appreciation to those Millbrae Lions who took time out from their holiday activities to help out.

Thank you follow Lions wives: Ron Frediani, Ed and Karen Romain, John Bowers, PP Michael Sanfilippo, PDG George and Helen Habeeb, Lee Mahon, PP Tom and Judy Cullina, and my advisor PP Mike Simonini. Thank you Millbrae Historical Society President Mary Vella Treseler and her crew for making the event such a seamless success.

Top picture, Mary Vella Treseler thanking the Millbrae Lions Club for their continued support of the Millbrae Historical Society “Fourth Of July Picnic”. Second picture, the Lions cooking crew, last picture, the chow line.

Lion John Muniz Chairperson





New Member Induction

Millbrae, Ca. July 7th, 2004—As a crowd of Lion well wishers looked on, PP Lion Al Morando inducted Frank Barbaro as our newest member of the Millbrae Lions Club. Lion Frank’s sponsor is PDG Lion Art Pignati. In Lion Art’s absence, PDG Lion Rocky Lombardi acted as the official ‘bib hanger’. Lion Frank is a nine-year Millbrae resident, married with two children. Lion Frank is past and current President of the Spring Valley School PTA in Millbrae. Lion Frank owns Golden Gate Bolt & Supply Co. in South San Francisco. The Millbrae Lions Club welcomes Lion Frank Barbaro and extends our best wishes.

Lion John Muniz



L to R :

MLC President Lion Millie Bishop, Installing Officer PP Lion Al Morando, and jubilant Lion Frank Barbaro (wearing his bib with pride).



L to R:

PDG Lion Rocky Lombardi pins the official Lions emblem on new Lion Frank Barbaro.

Beware of the SACK



Here we have our new Tail Twister Lion Dr. Dave Heaton trying to coerce new Lion Frank Barbaro to putting his hand in the “SACK” Beware of the “SACK”, especially if it belongs to our Tail Twister. Heaven knows what’s in the “SACK”. So, Lions, be on guard, because you will be seeing a lot of the “SACK”. Looks like were getting off to a fine start. Get it? ‘Fine’, the Tail Twisters job.

Lion John Muniz



President Millie's Bio (from page 1)

She has received PTA's Honorary Service award and Golden Oak Award, and the Soroptomist Club's Woman of Distinction Award. She was awarded a Commendation of Appreciation by the Millbrae City Council for her "inestimable contributions to the welfare and improvement of the Millbrae Community (and for) serving as a worthy model for all public spirited people of Millbrae", was nominated to the San Mateo County Women's Hall of Fame, and honored as Millbrae's Woman of the Year in 1996.

Millie currently sits on the Mayor's Civic Coordinating Council, Senior Focus Committee of the Mills-Peninsula Hospital Board, and Music at Kohl Mansion Board. She chairs the Millbrae Man and Woman of the Year Committee and is President of the Millbrae Community Founda-

tion. She plans to resign or not run for re-election to most of these positions so that she can focus on her year as President of the Millbrae Lions Club.

Millie joined the Millbrae Lions Club in 1997 because the Club projects embody her desire to benefit children, those who live in poverty or in dysfunctional families, and to improve the civic climate in Millbrae. The Lion Motto "We serve" is one in which she firmly believes.

Lest "all work and no play" comes to mind she and her family enjoy water skiing at their summer home in Nevada City, and snow boarding and skiing at their condo in Park City, Utah. Millie loves to fish, is a gourmet cook, and pitches for an airline traveling softball team.

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Answers to Trivia Questions on page 4

1. A- Tail Twister.
2. A- The Reno Plum Lane Lions.
3. F. (S & C Ford).
4. F. (1989/1990).
5. F. (U.S. Marine).
6. A- Danny

Prospective New Member

We have a prospective new member, about to take the leap into the ranks of the Millbrae Lions Club. Our new prospect is well known and respected in the community. She is the "Production Manager" of Millbrae Community TV. Can you guess??? We have an application and check in hand. Just waiting for the interview and board approval. She will bring many new ideas and management experience to our club. Yes, it's Randy Sahae. We look forward to Randy's installation.

Lion John Muniz



Lions (*Panthera leo*) Part 1

Of all the great cats, the lion has always held a supreme place in man's esteem and imagination. The lion has always been honored by man, crediting the regal beast with attributes he prizes most; nobility, courage, loyalty, combative skills and sexual prowess. This attribution applies to both sexes, for a lioness is a creature of sinuous beauty, but the full-grown male, whose magnificent mane ranging in color from a rich golden brown to a deep blackish-brown, mark him as the veritable monarch of the plains. The legacy of the lion, King of Beasts, as the model throughout history is demonstrated by its appearance among the earliest drawings made by humans over 15,000 years ago. The myth of the supernatural powers of the lion survives today; by consuming or wearing parts of a lion it is believed that one can revive lost powers,



cure illness, attain courage and win immunity from death.

Full grown males displaying a regal and imposing nonchalance, are regularly exceeding 400 pounds in the wild, and measuring up to 10 feet in length, from the tip of the tail to the nose. Females, only slightly smaller, range from 275 to 400 pounds and measure up to nine feet in length. (Continued in next edition).

Upcoming Events

August 4 - General meeting 7:30 – Green Hills Country Club

August 11 - There is NO Board Meeting. Due to a scheduling conflict at Green Hills, the Board of Directors will meet on August 18th, and the General Meeting will be on August 25th.



August 2004

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 Reg. Meet. | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 NO Board Meet. | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 Board Meet. | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 Reg. Meet. | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| 29 | 30 | 31 | | | | |

September 2004

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
|-----|-----|-----|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| | | | 1 Reg. Meet. | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 Board Meet. | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 Reg. Meet. | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | | |

Upcoming Events (continued from Page 10)

August 18 - Board of Directors 7:00 – Community Center Game Room

August 22 - Board of Directors Training – Chairman PDG Lion Rocky Lombardi

August 25 - General Meeting – 7:30 – Green Hills Country Club
Calcutta Night – Chairman PP Lion Tom Enberg



Millbrae Lions Club

c/o Lion Paul Larson

Chapel of the Highlands

El Camino Real at Millwood Drive

Millbrae, CA 94030-1392



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.



Millbrae Lion of the Year
Lynn Azzopardi

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.