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Loma Rica Foothill Lions Club



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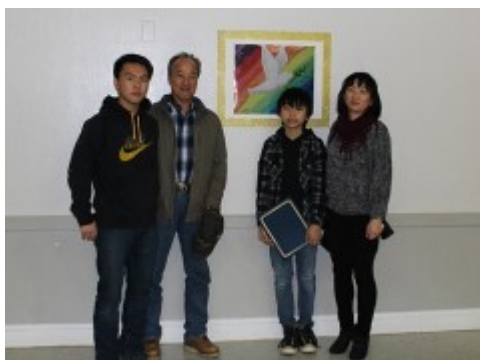
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Local "Peace Poster Contest" Winner Announced



Poster Theme: Kindness Matters

At our general meeting on Thursday, December 6, 2018, President Sheri Vess presented our local winner, Kenjiro Nakajima, with a check for \$100 and a Certificate of Achievement.

Eighth grade student, Kenjiro Nakajima, age 13, won our local contest and is pictured here with his family and his winning entry. His older brother, Shin, won the Peace Poster Contest in 2015 for our club. It looks like artistic talent runs in the family.

Kenjiro's poster was submitted to the District 4-C1 District Governor Susan Kerr to compete with the entries from other clubs in our district. The winning district entry will be submitted for consideration to the MD4 level. Congratulations to Kenjiro for his achievement and good luck in the next competition. The winning International entry will receive a grand prize of \$5000.

Submitted by Lion Sally Carter



**OUR MOTTO:
WE SERVE!**

**Meetings are held on the 1st and 3rd
Thursday of the month at 7 P.M.**

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2018-2019 Officers

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Lion Gerry Farrell (692-1507)
Lion Laurie High (701-7589)

Editor's Message



Lion Laurie High

Many thanks to **Lion Sally Carter** for all of her wonderful articles and pictures!

I encourage all members to submit pictures and articles for the Foothill Lions bulletin. Let me hear your ROAR!

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December 50-50 Winner!

Congratulations, Stanley O'Dell, our December 50-50 winner and soon-to-be lion!



Treasurer's Report

Unrestricted Income:

Bar Income	\$2146
Dues	\$500
Hall Rental	\$300

Expenses:

Bar	\$1098
Repairs/Maintenance (Grounds)	\$ 724
Utilities	\$1206
Christmas Program	\$1800
Donations	\$ 300

President's Message



Wow, another year is gone!

As I sit here and reflect, I smile with a great pride of having the honor to be President of the Top Club of the District. It seems like it was just yesterday when my term began.

The summer Aug. 2018 kicked off our Taco Mondays, September continued our Taco Mondays and club visitations, and our Car Show and Line Dancing classes, and septic problems. October rolls in with our Wonderful Chili Cookoff and Cascade fire ceremony, not to mention more club visitations, Taco Mondays and Line Dancing! In rolls November with our Crab Feed, Taco Mondays, Club visitations, and Line Dancing. December comes and finally Taco Mondays have ended for the year.....and believe me, the ladies have this event down to a science. We had our Love Lights a Tree Ceremony, Peace Poster Winner, and our Christmas Program. The end of the month brings us New Year's Eve where we finally have a dance that has no cover charge

News Years is a time most people make their New Year's Resolutions whether it's going on a diet, quitting smoking, starting the gym, or spending more time with your family. Whatever yours might be, I wish you all the luck. As for myself, I am going to try to be more patient, and really try hard to bite my tongue before I speak. So, I am really going to work on that.

December we took a break from club visitations, but in January we will continue! I wish you Health and Happiness for 2019.



January 2019

Lion Birthdays

- Paul Halcolm
- Shari McKim
- Jason Mowery

**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY!**

Please join us for your Birthday dinner celebration to be held during the first General Meeting of each month. Birthday dinners for the Birthday Lions will be FREE!



Do you know of any Lions who could use a bit of sunshine?

Please do not hesitate to reach out to our **Sunshine Chairman, Lion Diana Wheeler** at 741-1502. She'd love to hear from you!

Our thoughts and prayers are with Lion Carlos Quihuis, Lion Joni Patterson, and Lion Dave Thomas.

Lion Carlos' mother passed away recently, as well as Lion Joni's and Lion Dave's brother. Wishing you strength and comfort in the many fond memories of your loved ones.

Annual Foothill Lions Christmas Craft Faire and Bazaar



The Annual Christmas Craft Faire and Bazaar was held on December 1, 2018 at the Foothill Lions Club

The event was hosted by Lions Sally and Gertie and prospective new member, Anne Call.

The event was very successful and festive! There were

crafters and vendors presenting their wares while Christmas carols played in the background. All had a great time and signed up to attend next year!

Lion Gertie prepared hot dogs for the hungry people, along with sodas, water, coffee, specialty teas and hot apple cider. If you weren't there, you missed a very special Christmas event!





Love Lights a Tree Ceremony

At the general meeting on December 6, 2018, we held our Love Lights a Tree Ceremony before the meeting. This is such a special ceremony for those of us who have lost loved ones to cancer or for other reasons. The lighting of the candle and the announcement of the names gives comfort and remembers the lives of our loved ones.

Lion Cindi lights a candle at our Love Lights a Tree ceremony.



Lion Joni is standing along side our beautiful Christmas Tree which contains envelopes with the names of children for Gifts for the Needy.



Submitted by Lion Sally

Christmas Exchange & Potluck Dinner

As you can see, the Christmas gift exchange and potluck dinner at our general meeting on December 20, 2018 was a fun event.

The sound of paper being ripped, packages being opened and the sounds of ooh and ahh were heard throughout the building.

This is one of the fun times where we can visit, talk and enjoy each other during the holidays. HAPPY NEW YEAR – 2019

Submitted by Lion Sally



Spring Valley School Christmas Program



December 13, 2018 brought Santa Claus to visit the children with special needs at the Spring Valley School in Loma Rica. Santa Claus (aka

Lion Mike Fitzgerald) and elves Lions Cindi and Sally visited with the children and their parents. This year there were 7 children receiving special gifts donated by the members of the Foothill Lions Club.

Before Santa and the elves gave out the gifts, the children sang Christmas songs to Santa while clapping their hands to the music. It was a happy time for all.

One of the little boys liked his gift of a book so much he wanted to read his book to Santa! He read the story while Santa listened with a big smile under that beard!

The children gave Santa Claus a present!



The picture contains personal handprints from each of the children and the pictures were dressed up to look like Christmas birds sitting on snow.

It is really very cute and made Santa and his elves smile!

Submitted by Lion Santa (Mike Fitzgerald, Lion Cindi (elf) and Lion Sally (elf)



Angel Tree Christmas Gifts for The Needy Families



The Angel Tree contains names of children that need gifts for Christmas. A member picks an envelope, talks with the parents about what each child would like to have, and the monies raised through the Christmas Tacos throughout the year go to fund these gifts. Tacos with LOVE!



PARENTS/GRANDPARENTS
AND THE ANGEL CHILDREN
PICKING UP THEIR GIFTS.



GIFTS WRAPPED AND READY TO
GO TO THE ANGEL CHILDREN.



Submitted by Lion Sally

MINUTES – BOARD MEETING – DECEMBER 27, 2018



Meeting called to order by President Sheri at 6:01 pm. There were 11 board members present, 2 absent and 3 vacancies. There were two prospective members present, Darlene and Stanley Odell, who are both sponsored by Lion Gerry Farrell.

The Treasurer submitted the financials for review. After discussion and questions, a motion was made to accept the financials by Lion Bill and 2nd by Lion Susie. Motion passed.

Secretary Sally submitted \$200 in due funds to the Treasurer.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

President Sheri gave a brief update on the Came Fire. Our club will be helping when we are needed.

Lion Gertie/Treasurer Kim gave an update on the New Year's Eve Party. Everything is going well. The club will be decorating on Sunday, December 29th at 10:00 a.m. All members welcome to assist. The bar will open at 6:30 pm and the band will start at 8:00 p.m. Remember to bring finger foods. There will be Black-eyed peas and cornbread to bring in the new year!

President Sheri – update on Official Visitation by DG Susan Kerr on January 17, 2019. There is a possibility of having an induction of a new member at the meeting.

Lion John gave an update on the progress of the Student Speaker contest. The local competition will be at the first general meeting in February 2019. We currently have one contestant so if any member knows a student that may be interested, please contact Lion John.

President Sheri told the board the line dancing classes will continue with the first being held on January 8th and the 2nd on January 15th. After these classes, a decision will be made on the continuation of the classes. The classes will be a "beginner" class and there is an advanced class located in Yuba City.

President Sheri – The Boy Scouts will hold the first Lions Community Breakfast on the third Sunday in January 2019 as a fundraiser for Troup 6400. It is suggested that the following breakfasts be hosted by a project chairman, if possible. If this doesn't work out, the possibility of changing the breakfasts to a Quarterly breakfast will be considered.

NEW BUSINESS:

Lion Kim (Treasurer) will be holding a bartenders meeting in January 2019 to discuss procedures and the need for more volunteer bartenders. More information to follow.

Lion Gertie gave an update on the cleaning of the hood in the kitchen. She is having the janitors complete the project. They will be paid \$300 and provide the supplies to complete the cleaning project, which is required for safety.

Lion Gertie – the club will host the Annual Posse Dinner on Saturday, January 19, 2018. Lion Gertie said she will contact Lion Sierra to see if she still wants to chair the event. Volunteers will be needed to help, so please contact either Lion Gertie or Lion Sierra.

OTHER BUSINESS:

President Sheri read a thank you letter from the Smartville Bell Church Committee thanking our club for the recent donation of \$300.

President Sheri started a lengthy discussion on making the club a "no smoking" facility. President Sheri said she would get with Lion Laurie, the bulletin editor, to submit an article to the membership to get their input on this subject. More information will be provided later.

All suggestions and comments will be welcome.

Lion Susie stated there will be a committee selected to go over the recent proposed regulations regarding the well water from the County. The committee will be Lions Susie, John, Kim, Sheri and Linda. The results of the review will be presented to the board after the completion.

Motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:15 p.m. Voted – MSP

Submitted by Secretary Sally Carter

January 2019

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ALL BARTENDERS!!!!!! Please plan to attend the bartenders' meeting on Monday, January 14th at 5:00 p.m. 		1  Bar Closed	2 Bar Open (Sally) 	3 General Mtg Bar Open (Janet)	4 Bar Open (Billy)	5
6	7 Bar Open (Chris)	8 Line Dancing Bar Open (Peggy)	9 Bar Open (Bill) 	10 Bar Open (Jean Marie)	11 Bar Open (Al)	12
13	14 Bartenders Mtg (@ 5:00 p.m.) Bar Open (Mike/Kenn)	15 Line Dancing Bar Open (Susie)	16 Bar Open (Sally) 	17 General Mtg DG Visitation Bar Open (Opie)	18 Bar Open (Chris)	19 Posse Dinner
20 Lions Club Community Breakfast  (Hosted by Boy Scouts)	21 Bar Open (Chris)	22 Bar Open (Peggy)	23 Bar Open (Bill) 	24 Bar Open (Jean Marie)	25 Bar Open (Al)	26
27	28 Bar Open (Chris)	29 Bar Open (Susie)	30 Bar Open (??) 	31 Bar Open (??)	If you know of any high school students who might be interested in participating in the Student Speaker contest, contact Lion John Newlin ASAP!	

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. IN THE NEXT ISSUE...

- ♦ New Year's Eve Party
- ♦ Line Dancing
- ♦ Student Speaker Contest (February 7th)
- ♦ Crab Feeds (February 16th, and March 16th)

Are you interested in raising funds for your favorite Lions project? Sign up to chair a Lions Club Community Breakfast to be held the 3rd Sunday of each month. The proceeds will go to the chairperson's Lions project of choice!



Contact Us!

Give us a call for more information about

- **community projects**
- **functions**
- **hall rentals and**
- **membership application**



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