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# Loma Rica Foothill Lions Club



# Roar!

**LION'S ROAR Bulletin**

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## **Requesting Donations for Final Taco Night**



Our "Back by Popular Demand" Final Taco Night for 2019 will be on November 18<sup>th</sup>. All the profit will be donated in our clubs name to Lions Project for Canine Companions for Independence. It would be outstanding if we can get all of the ingredients donated. Thank you to those that have already volunteered to donate. I have a list of ingredients or you can make a cash donation and I will purchase the materials. All the materials will need to be at the club by Saturday November 16. Yes, we will need our kitchen crew!! Looking forward to a great turnout and a lot of fun!!!

If you have any questions please call Cindi Fitzgerald 742 6387

Submitted by Lion Cindi

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

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**OUR MOTTO:  
WE SERVE!**



## **2019-2020 Officers**

### **President**

Lion John Newlin (301-5692)  
1469 Stetson

Woodland, CA 95766

### **1st VP**

Lion Mary Burnett (692-1030)

### **2nd VP**

Lion Bill High (701-7588)

### **3rd VP**

Lion Paul Halcomb(682-0394)

### **Secretary**

Lion Sally Carter (743-5311)  
12286 Scott Grant Road  
Marysville, CA 95901

### **Treasurer**

Lion Kim Hall (923-5805)

### **I.P.P.**

Lion Sheri Vess (743-4084)

### **Tail Twister**

Lion Susie Trundy (742-3041)

### **Lion Tamer**

(open)

### **Membership**

Lion Mike Reinoso (301-1276)

### **Club Manager**

Lion Gertie Moore (749-9809)

### **Bar Manager**

Lion Al Beeson (370-3358)

### **1st Year Directors**

Lion Gerry Farrell (692-1507)

Lion Laurie High (701-7589)

### **2nd Year Directors**

Lion Cindi Fitzgerald (632-5655)

Lion Janet Mincer (923-0585)

## **President's Message**

Be Prepared!

The recent wildfires and power outages have made us all retake stock in how we can cope with what life throws at us. Many of our friends or relatives have had their lives turned upside down.

The motto of the Scouts is "Be Prepared!"

Just how prepared are we? Are we ready?

I think about our club members and I'm amazed to see the depth of commitment to our club and our community! We all have skills and abilities, and those amazing abilities come out when we band together.

Our clubhouse has been dark. Yet, the Taco gang brought lights and cooked up tacos for our community.

I sometimes forget to share my knowledge, ignore others, and put my head down and plow ahead. Other times, I pull it together and lend a hand.

Are you ready to serve? Do you have knowledge to share? Please share it!

Be prepared!

Lion John



## **50-50 Winners**

Congratulations to Lion Stan and Lion Dorothy, our 50-50 winners for the month of October.





## Editor's Message

Lion Laurie High

I encourage all members to submit pictures and articles for the Foothill Lions bulletin.

**Event Chairpersons—please email articles for your events to me by the 25th of the month.**

Let me hear your ROAR!

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## Treasurer's Report

### Unrestricted Income:

Bar Income	\$5739
Car Show	\$4816
Chili Cook-off	\$2207
Hall Rental	\$80
Member Dues	\$240



### Expenses:

Bar	\$3340
Club	\$457
Membership Dues	\$197
Property Tax	\$2334
Sales Tax	\$747
Tax Preparer	\$400
Tax & Fees	\$35
Utilities	\$1255
LEF	\$405



happy  
birthday

## November Lion Birthdays

- Ralph Farrell
- Linda Saala
- Duane Taylor
- Susie Trundy

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!



## Sunshine Corner

Our thoughts are prayers are with Lion Liz, whose sister recently passed on.

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!





1st Place—Cal Fire—Dobbins Station

## Chili Cook-Off And Cascade Country Festival

On Saturday, October 12th, the Foothill Lions Club held its 2nd annual Chili Cook-Off and Cascade Country Festival. This event has become a well-attended annual event to show appreciation for first responders and to honor the fortitude of our foothill community.

The determination of this community was evident, as the event went on as planned despite the power outage affecting the majority of residents. The power was not restored until 8 pm the evening before the event. Nevertheless, the event carried on as scheduled. The profit from this event was over \$2,300. A big thank you to event chairman, Lion Lissa Ferguson, and the overwhelming support from our community!





# Chili Cook-Off Kid's Country Corner



The Kid's Country Corner activities were supported by local community members and businesses and offered hours of enjoyment for the children. Local resident Shayla Sullivan operated the pumpkin decorating station. Hayrides were provided by Tommi's Hay Barn.





Hi everyone! 😊 Yes as you can see, I am getting into the holiday spirits. A few of us have been tossing around a few questions. For example; How can we help our Community during the Holidays? What service project/projects can we do?

So, I contacted the Foothill Food Pantry and learned a lot. They alone cover the whole Foothill area when someone needs help. Right now, they are taking care of 40 families. She gave me info on how to approach our schools for our Angel Tree and our Christmas Program. I asked her if they did anything for Thanksgiving, she said NO, they do a big push at Christmas. They try to give each family a weeks' worth of food, plus toys for the kids. I asked her is there anything we as a club could do to help them; that we were thinking of a Food Drive. She was ecstatic! I started to name off food items, and I mentioned sugar, flour, & rice - you know, staples most of us take for granted. She told me if we could get the sugar, flour, and rice, it would be a godsend. A true gift. For they normally don't receive such items to hand out. I asked how much she needed, she said 250 pounds of each, this way they could give each family 5lbs of each item.

So, as you all know me, I spoke up and told her not only will we do a Community Food Drive, but our club will cover the Flour, Sugar, and Rice. So, as your IPP I am asking each Foothill Lions member to bring (5lbs of Sugar, and 5lbs of Flour and 5lbs of Rice) to the Club by December 5<sup>th</sup>. 2019.

As for our Food Drive I plan to have a meeting Thursday Nov. 7<sup>th</sup> 5 pm before our regular meeting. If you cannot make this meeting please call me and let me know you are interested in volunteering, by Nov. 7<sup>th</sup>. Lion Sheri Vess 632-6285





## Minutes – Board Meeting – October 29, 2019



Due to power shut off the meeting is being held at the Pizza Round Up party room

Meeting called to order at 6:15 p.m. by President John. There were 13 members present and 2 guests, Region Chair Lion Roberta Halcomb and Lion Debbie Burlingame.

Financials were submitted by Treasurer Kim Hall. Discussion was held and Lion Sheri made a motion to accept the financials, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Lion Gertie Moore.

Secretary Sally submitted \$120 in dues to the Treasurer.

### UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Treasurer Kim gave a report on the Chili Cook Off. Even though the power was off until 8:00 pm the prior evening, the event went on as scheduled. The profit from the event was \$2,356.75! Thank you to our chairman Lion Lissa Ferguson and the overwhelming support from our community.

Lion Susie gave an update on the Crab Feed. They are ready to go even if we don't have power. Lion Berl and Lion Jeff brought a generator to provide some power for the Trick or Treat Street and the November Crab Feed. There were 159 tickets sold and raffle prizes are requested.

Lion Sally gave an update on the Peace Poster Contest. Due to the power and the schools being closed, we may not be able to have the event this year. Lion Sally will be talking with the principal of Foothill to see what can be done. More information to come.

President John inquired about the back-up generator project. A lot of discussion was held regarding the permits needed, the size needed and how long it will take to get the project up and going .

Treasurer/Zone Chair spoke about the District Cabinet Meeting to be held at the club on November 9 – 10, 2019. We are providing lunch, dinner and a continental breakfast on Sunday.

Trick or Treat Street will be held using borrowed back-up generator if needed.

Lion Sheri – update on New Year's Eve Dinner. WE HAVE A BAND! The event will be FREE! The taco events throughout the year will cover the expenses.

### NEW BUSINESS:

Lion Sally discussed the Spring Valley Christmas Project. We will have 12 children, 10 boys and 2 girls, with another 4 children at the end of November. The limit on the toys will be \$25.00. Lion Sally said she will have the "wish list" from the school soon.

Lion Sally – the Christmas Bazaar and Faire will be held on Saturday, December 7 starting at 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Setup will be 8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. Booth fees are \$15.00. There will be pastries, coffee, tea, apple cider and Gertie's hot dogs.

Lion Sally suggested that we have an "Ugly Christmas Sweater" contest at the Christmas General Meeting this year. She said she would donate \$25 to the winner of the contest. The attendees agreed.

Lion Gertie – update on turkeys for the churches. Gertie said the churches didn't request turkeys this year. Discussion was held about having a canned food drive this year. Lion Sheri said she would chair the food drive. More information to follow.

(Board Meeting Minutes continued on next page...)

## Minutes of Board Meeting – October 29, 2019 (continued...)



Lion Sheri said the “Angel Tree” for gifts for needy children will be held this year. The tree should be up on December 5<sup>th</sup>. We will continue with the food basket this year for needed families to be picked up on December 22<sup>nd</sup>.

Lion Cindi said LPCCI will host a Taco night on November 18<sup>th</sup> as a fundraiser for this program.

President John asked if the Student Speaker Contest information had been ordered. Lion Sally said they were ordered before the October 1<sup>st</sup> deadline. Region Chair Roberta Halcomb suggested the contests be held at our club. Further discussion will be held later.

The club will hold its Love Lights A Tree ceremony at the first meeting in December. This ceremony is in remembrance of lost loved ones.

### OTHER BUSINESS:

There was no other business or correspondence to discuss. Motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:35 p.m. by Lion Mary and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Lion Mike – vote MSP

Submitted by Lion Sally – Goodnight All – Be Safe!

### EMERGENCY BOARD MEETING VIA E-MAIL REGARDING AUTHORIZATION TO PURCHASE THE BACK-UP GENERATOR.

Secretary Sally emailed the board members on Friday, November 1, 2019. There were 11 responses received which were all “yes” votes. This is a majority, so the vote is to authorize the purchase of a backup generator; however, Lion Susie has asked some pertinent questions; namely, How are we paying for it? Do we have the money? and Are we getting a grant from International? These questions need to be answered.

Submitted by Secretary, Sally Carter – November 2, 2019

## Adopt-A-Highway Clean-up

A stretch of highway 20 is a bit cleaner, thanks to the Foothill Lions Club Adopt-a-Highway crew. The crew this month consisted of Lions Ralph, Gerri, Judy, Bill, and Laurie and chairperson, Lion Susie. The most interesting find of the day was a small animal skeleton discovered by Lion Gerry.





# November 2019

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<div> <b>What's for Dinner?</b>  November 7 — Tri Tip by Lions Gerry and Darlene  November 21 — Beef Stew by Lion Susie  (December meetings will be potlucks) </div>					1  (Billy)	2 Crab Feed  (Jeff, Lissa, Korin)
3	4  (Kenn)	5 (Susie)	6 (Bill)	7 General Mtg Tri Tip Dinner (Sheri)	8  (Al/Rob)	9 District Cabinet Meeting 
10  District Cabinet Meeting	11 Veterans Day Parade 11:00a.m. 	12  (???)	13  (???)	14  (Jean Marie)	15  (???)	16
17	18  (Kenn)	19 (Susie)	20 (Bill)	21 General Mtg Board Mtg Beef Stew Din- ner (???)	22  (???)	23
24	25  (???)	26  (???)	27  (???)	28 	29  (???)	30

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**. IN THE NEXT ISSUE...**

- ♦ Love Lights a Tree—December 5th
- ♦ Ugly Sweater Contest—December 19th
- ♦ Angel Tree—Ready December 5th
- ♦ New Year's Eve Event—December 31st
- ♦ Spring Valley Christmas Project
- ♦ Christmas Bazaar & Faire—December 7th



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*Give us a call for more information about*

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



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