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District 4-L2 Newsletter

"We Serve"

District Governor's Message

#### District Theme: "Moving Forward with **Technology**

Members are the foundation of our organization. As such, my goal is to complete all 49 club visitations by November. At the time of this writing, I have already visited six clubs.

International President Barry Palmerøs theme is Follow Your Dreams. Everyone has a dream. If you do not follow District Governor Kenny Shu your dream, then it remains

just a dream. But if you act, that dream may become reality.

When I visit clubs, I always ask club members, õDo you have a dream?ö My dream is to grow our districtor membership by10%. If we can all grow by **10-10-10**, (10% Club, 10% Zone and 10% Region,) then we will achieve our goal of 10% growth. These gains will put District 4-L2 number ONE of 15 in California instead of 3rd.

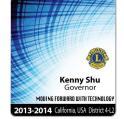
As of August 18, the clubs that have achieved 10% are the new Los Angeles Overseas Lions Club with 39 new members and West Covina Diamond Lions Club with 39%. Following closely is the West Covina Filipino Club with 9%. Where is your club on the progress chart?

Our Cabinet Secretary Nancy McAfee and I spent numerous hours perfecting our District Directory this year and succeeded in getting it out on time. The index listings are by first name, last name and club name. A new feature this year is the posting of the District Directory for 2013-2014 on our District website (www.Lions4L2.org.) You may view or download the entire directory by clicking õDirectory - District 4-L2ö button on the left hand column. The webpage also lists individual club links alphabetically. You may view individual club information by

In our Lions clubs activities, let us not forget the words of our mentor, Helen Keller, õThe best and most beautiful things in the world cannot be seen or even touched. They must be felt with the heart.ö

Yours in Lionism,

Lion Kenny Shu 4-L2 District Governor



			Cur-		Club			
Club	%	# 7/1	rent	Add	President	Zone Chair	Region Chair	Region
LOS ANGELES								SAN
OVERSEAS	00	NEW	39	39	Sharon King	A:Rico Sam	Ellen Wu	GABRIEL
WEST COVINA	39		25		Shen Mei			SAN
DIAMOND	%	18		7	Yuan	C: Lily Li	Ellen Wu	GABRIEL
WEST COVINA			59			C: Tommy		
FILIPINO	9%	54		5	Gigi Toledo	Garcia	Noel Wychico	FOOTHILL
SAN GABRIEL			29			C: Tommy		
TAIWANESE	7%	27		2	Rebecca Shen	Garcia	Noel Wychico	FOOTHILL
BELLFLOWER			18		Steven M.	C: Carol		
FAMILY	6%	17		1	Ytreus	Miller	Patrick Mcafee	BAY
ARCADIA			22		Dianne Chap-	A: Steven		
HOST	5%	21		1	man	Gutierrez	Noel Wychico	FOOTHILL
			30		Sabrina	B: Theresa		
LAKEWOOD	3%	29		1	Junkin	Prumatico	Patrick Mcafee	BAY
PASADENA			35		Thomas M.	A: Steven		
HOST	3%	34		1	Kester	Gutierrez	Noel Wychico	FOOTHILL
WHITTIER			166		Christopher J.	B: Frances		
HOST	2%	162		4	George	Couer	Bob Warnock	CENTRAL



#### 1st Vice District Governor Remarks

Well, summer is almost gone! Have you sent your officers for training? (President, 1st VP, 2nd VP, Secretary, Treasurer and Membership.) Remember, this training is open to any Lion that would like to participate.

District 4-L2 offers this training for free. Yes, FREE! So, if you have not had the chance to attend

any of these workshops, call GLT or GMT and have a workshop at your club. Combine two or three clubs and the workshop will become more lively. Sometimes a little refresher will give you new ideas that can be applied for the betterment of your club.

Have you had the District Governor visit your club? Send photos to Newsletter Editor, Lion Bea Proo, email address: <a href="4L2newsletter@gmail.com">4L2newsletter@gmail.com</a>. Photos of new members with their sponsors are also appreciated.

The following lists some values that our District brings to the clubs:

- 1) Training
- 2) Support
- 3) Programs
  - a) Exchange of ideas
  - b) A great pool of Lion members for any event.
- 4) Information
- 5) Insurance
- 6) Resources
- 7) Leadership Development
- 8) Recognition
- 9) Structure
- 10) Conflict Resolution
- 11) Inspiration
- 12) Great Friendship

Save the date: Sunday, October 13, 2013 is the District-wide Fundraiser Event. It will be held at the home of PDG Lion Mike Brassard, 9243 Flora Vista, Bellflower. This is the BBQ of the year for Lions, their families and friends including any prospective members. Plan on having fun. We need your support. Let make 4-L2 the best District in California. For more information, please contact your Zone Chair, Region Chair or the 4-L2 website: <a href="www.lions4L2.org">www.lions4L2.org</a>. You can also send me an email at <a href="mailto:alberto.montesdeoca@gmail.com">alberto.montesdeoca@gmail.com</a>.

Yours in Lionism, Lion Alberto Montes De Oca 1st VDG 4-L2

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## Words from 2nd Vice District Governor

Your district leadership has been busy with club visitations which began in early August and will be continuing for months. I see these meetings as a great opportunity to meet dedicated Lions in this great district and I have learned much from visiting each club.



Membership continues to be an area of concern for MD-4. At least, it became a big issue at the Council of Governors (COG) meeting in Walnut Creek. I have mentioned to some of you that I have been considering new ideas. When I put my thinking cap on I figured that since we tend to be visual learners, it would be helpful to have a regional map indicating our club locations.

After spending a few minutes on the internet, I ordered a Thomas Brothers L.A. Regional Map which I expect to arrive in time for our first district cabinet meeting. What I anticipate is that we will find cities within our district that do not have a Lions Club. With a community assessment, a meeting with the local Chambers of Commerce and possibly a visit to some city council sessions, I am betting that new clubs will form from this effort. Dongt doubt me on this issue.

I have been assigned the district service project by DG Kenny Shu. My observation has been that we need additional vision screening services for young students. Spot Vision Screeners by Pedia Vision could be the answer. These cameras can accurately detect six areas of concern: farsightedness, near-sightedness, astigmatism, unequal refractive power, eye alignment measurement and unequal pupil size. Interestingly enough, the time it takes to screen a student is mere seconds. An entire class can be screened in less than 30 minutes. The information is then given to the school nurse or administrator via a flash drive. My plan is to write an LCIF grant for eight cameras, two for each region. This will truly be a district-wide service project. It is my goal to have the International President visit a school using a screener during his visit in December.

Since the cost of a unit is \$7,015, I am encouraging district-wide support to achieve this objective. Together we can affect the well-being of many of our youth.

If you have any questions about this project, please contact me at (562) 331-9265 or email me at lwehage@aol.com. Donøt doubt me on this project! I believe in 4-L2 Lions!

Yours in Lionism, Lion Larry Wehage

4-L2 Second Vice District Governor

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#### **District Governor September Visitation Schedule**

9/3/13	Irwindale	Foot-B	Tue	11:45 AM	Irwindale Community Center 16102 Arrow Hwy
9/4/13	San Gabriel Taiwanese	Foot-C	Wed	7:00 PM	Doubletree Hotel 888 Montebello Rosemead
9/5/13	East Los Angeles	Cent-A	Thur	7:00 PM	Stevens Steak 5332 Stevens Place Commerce
9/9/13	Hacienda Heights	SG-C	Mon	7:00 PM	Marie Calenders 1560 Albatross Rd Industry
9/11/13	Rowland Heights	SG-C	Tue	7:00 PM	JI Rong Restr 8450 Valley Blvd. Rosemead
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	San Gabriel			7:00 PM	Sun City 7540 Garvey Ave Rosemead 91770
9/17/13	Artesia Cerritos	Bay-B	Tue	7:00 PM	Andy's Nursery 11514 E. 178th Artesia
					City Hall Council Chambers 4319 W. Slauson Ave
9/18/13	Maywood	Cent-C	Wed	Noon	Maywood
	Belmont Sh./E. Long				
9/19/13	Bch.	Bay-A	Thur	6:15 PM	Sky Links 4800 E. Wardlow Road, Long Beach
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-	West Covina				South Hills Country Club 2655 S. Citrus Ave
9/26/13	Pico Rivera	Cent-A		Noon	Casa Gamino Rest 9060 Slauson Ave Pico Rivera
	September Upcoming	Events			<b>District Officers</b>

### 9/14 Belmont Shore Lions Annual Dodger Night

Versus San Francisco Giants, 6:10 p.m. Tickets \$25. Seats behind home plate. Contact John Nelson (562) 804-9412 or Patrick McAfee (562) 599-9781. Tickets will also be sold at District Meeting.

**9/19 Paramount Lions 46th Annual Charity Golf Tournament,** Navy Golf Course, 5660 Orangewood Ave., Cypress, CA. Registration 10:00 a.m.; Putting Contest 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.; Lunch 11a.m.to 1:00 p.m.; Shotgun start 1:00 p.m. Buffet Dinner and awards follow. Information contact Bill Kalpakoff at (562)634-5420 or Darlene Harris (562) 420-7996.

**9/20 Bell Gardens Lions Golf Classic** Montebello Golf Course, 901 Via San Clemente. Registration 10:30 a.m. Shot Gun start 12:00 p.m. Awards banquet follows. Contact Alex Noriega (562) 806-7654.

9/29 Los Angeles Overseas Lions Club Charter and Installation Banquet 888 Seafood Restaurant, 8450

#### Health and Welfare

Wayne Martin (Whittier Host Club) is recuperating from his recent surgery at home.

Susan Sones (SOLA) broke her foot but, like a trooper, is back at work.

Steve Hernandez (Whittier Host Club) suffered bruises but no broken bones after a bicycle accident.

District Governorí í í í í í í í í í í ...í í ...Kenny Shu First Vice District Governorí í í í .Alberto Montes De Oca Second Vice District Governorí í í í í í í ....Larry Wehage Secretaryí í í í í í í í í í í í í í í .Nancy J. McAfee Treasurerí í í í í í í í í í í í í í í ......Donna Wang Global Leadership Coordinatorí í í í .PDG Chris Ohrmund Global Membership Coordinatorí í í í ..í Manuel Sanchez Immediate Past District Governorí í .í í .PDG Sally Torres Cabinet Advisorsí ...í ...PCC Roger Powell, PDG Judy Powell LCIF Coordinatorí í í í í í í í í í í ... David Williamson Bay Region Chairí í í í í í í í í Patrick M. McAfee Zone Aí í í í í í í í í í í í í í í Merlin Thimlar Zone Bí í í í í í í í í í í í ...í ..Theresa Prumatico Zone Cí í í í í í í í í í í í í í í carol Miller Central Region Chairí í í í í í í ..í í ...Robert Warnock Zone Aí í í í í í í í í í í í í í ...Victor Caballero Zone Bí í í í í í í í í í í í í í í í ....Fran Coeur Zone Cí í í í í í í í í í í í í í ....Manny Sanchez Foothill Region Chairí í í í í í í í í ...í Noel Wychico Zone Aí í í í í í í í í í í í í steven Gutierrez Zone Bí í í í í í í í í í í í í í í í Anita Ron Zone Cí í í í í í í í í í í í í ...í ...Tommy Garcia San Gabriel Region Chairí í í í í í í í í .í ... Ellen Wu Zone Aí í í í í í í í í í í í í í í í í í ...Rico Sam Zone Bí í í í í í í í í í í í í í í í í ...Jack Sun District Leo Advisorí í í í í í í í í ..í .PDG Sally Torres District Administrative Assistantí í í í í í í í ...Ivy Huang District Audio Visual Specialistí í í í í í ..í ..Alberto Perez

