

Marllyn McLean, 1st VDG

Lion Marilyn lives in Wheaton, married to Brian for 38 years. They have 3 wonderful children Patrick and Ellen Marie, and Ramon (JP). They were blessed with 5 adorable grandchildren.

She was introduced to the Lions and sponsored by Lion Merly Perricone, who passed away last December 24, 2017.

With her outstanding credentials, Lion Marilyn has been active Lion since 1989 and started as Lioness. She became a Lion and was a charter member of the Chicago Sampaguita Lions Club in 1992. Their club merged in 2010 and was transferred with the Chicago Bayanihan Lions Club, and now under the new name Chicago Bayanihan-Sampaguita Lions Club, while also maintaining 29 years of perfect attendance.

Lions Club Involvement

- 2nd Vice District Governor 2018-2019
- Club Secretary, Vice President & President-5 terms
- Region and Zone Chairman-8 terms
- Guiding Lions for two clubs - Broadview Lions Club and Mabuhay Centennial Lions Club
- LCIF Coordinator
- State Convention Committee Representative 2017 and Committee Election 2018
- Club Membership Chairperson / Board of Director
- Club Treasurer for 4 terms
- Chairman of club's service projects and fundraisers

Community Involvement

- Chairperson of many fundraising and internal committee
- Volunteered as Service Ministry at DuPage Convalescent
- Member of the West Suburban Group
- Volunteered at the Annual Medical,Surgical,Dental Mission in the Philippines.
- Participated in the humanitarian services like food giving and donating monetary to build Artesian Wells in the Philippines. Donated 5 Artesian Wells
- Participated as Model for Fashion for a Cause
- PIWC member committee for Youth Program
- Former Mrs. Universe/Philippines 1996-1997 sponsored by Homeless of the Philippine Foundation, Inc.
- Donated 4 Sewing Machines for the victims of abused children in the Philippines.

Community & Lions Recognition

- 100% Secretary and President Award
- Melvin Jones Fellow
- Lions of Illinois Foundation Fellow
- District Governor Certificate of Appreciation
- Lions of the Year Award by the Club
- LCI Presidential Region Chairperson Award
- GMT Award by District 1-A
- Medical Mission Association of Chicago Certificate of Appreciation
- Elmhurst Hospital Cancer Center Certificate of Appreciation
- Club Treasurer / Secretary / President Awards
- Lions of Illinois Candy Day Super Lion Certificate
- West Suburban Community Group Certificate of Appreciation
- Humanitarian Service Award by Chicago Filipino American Lions Club

Work Experience and Education

- Marketing Director for Superior Home Care
- Marketing Director for Larlin Home Health
- Material Auditor for Jovan Inc. (Beecham Lab)
- Administrative Assistant for NEC Home Electronics
- Assistant Controller for Illinois Metal Processing
- Accounts Payable and Receivable for Suburban GMC Truck Center
- Member of ASCP Board of Certification for Clinical Pathology
- Certified Phlebotomist and EKG at College of DuPage
- Studied Nutrition at Philippine Womens University
- Studied Nursing at Elmhurst College

After so many successful years in health, medical careers, and finance, she is now enjoying her retirement with Brian indulging in traveling, golfing, kayaking, and paddle boarding in Maine.