



Discovery Bay Lions Club's

# Newsletter

for

August 2018



**Hi, Hey, Hello Again!..... All Discovery Bay Lions Club Members!!**

Join us at our August meeting in the Bilge Room downstairs in the Yacht Club by the Discovery Bay Marina at 6:30pm sharp on **Tuesday, August 7th**. We encourage you to come before the meeting at 6pm to buy the deliciously famous "Yacht Club Tuesday Dinner" for only \$13 each upstairs in the Yacht Club and bring it down to the meeting.)

**Mark Your Calendars for these Lions Club Supported August Activities (for longer range activities see Page 3):**

DBLC Regular Meeting = August 7

Big Cat Poker Run = August 18

DBLC Board Meeting = August 21

**July Lions Club Members Birthdays:** Linda Fadda 8/13; Cherral Castillo 8/23; Amy Buck 8/31; Derek Griffin 8/30

**Report from Lion Secretary Diane Alexander on the Board Meeting of July 17th**

We welcomed new members Barbara Rose, Tamra Harris and Cheryl Simmons. (See page 2) Also we are happy to have a transfer from the Byron Delta Lions, Judi Antoniotti. The boat show netted \$23,000 and \$3 million worth of boats were sold. The Lion District Governor, Skip Zehnder, will be attending our August 7th meeting. Plans for our Big Cat Poker Run on August 17 - 19 are going well. On Friday participants will go to the Sugar Barge. On Saturday they go to Pittsburg Marina where a big tent will be set up with activities. Then they go to the Pittsburg Marina and then return to Discovery Bay for a band and dinner.

**Help Needed for Big Cat Poker Run, August 17-19:** According to Lion Glenn Hoffman: We need to promote volunteerism for Big Cat. As usual, we need help with everything except beer and wine pouring. Registration, ticket sales, banner set up and take down at stops. Set Up, Tear Down, cleaning tables, and kitchen help. Safety Boats are all still needed. Dock hands are needed at all stops now. We have a group of older boaters that need to have the ability to load and unload their passengers before they side tie to another boat. We also have a small group of Gentlemen that we are going to recognize this year that have been Gold Sponsors or above since inception - they need VIP Docking as they have a difficult time walking over the bows of our boats. Please contact Allen Bellinghausen for specific help needed: (email him at: [ab@diablomed.com](mailto:ab@diablomed.com))



We welcomed new members, Tamra Harris and Cheryl Simmons with their sponsor, Amy Buck at our July Meeting!

**Reminder Request For Support from Lion, Bev Rossi:** I am asking for samples of soap, lotion, hair supplies to be given to Veterans. I am collecting clothing, household goods, etc. for the Lions Closet Thrift Store in Pittsburg (no magazines, no books, please!) Also, I am asking for all of you to save your “pull tabs” that you get off your soda pop/beer cans, etc. to be used for school art projects. I am always asking for glasses, hearing aides, and hearing aide batteries for the visually and hearing impaired. Also need small furniture and small ink cartridges. Thank You! and God Bless! (For more info, call Lion Bev on her cell phone at 925-813-8491)

## Future “Discovery Bay Lions Club” Supported Events



DBLC Regular Meeting = August 7

Big Cat Poker Run = August 18

DBLC Board Meeting = August 21

DBLC Regular Meeting = September 4

Car Show = September 9

DBLC Board Meeting = September 18

Summer Jam 2 Concert at Community Center = September 22

Motorcycle Run = September ??

DBLC Regular Meeting = October 2

DBLC Board Meeting = October 16

Eye glass sorting and cleaning scheduled for October 20th has been cancelled due to a conflict with PDG Walter Griffins schedule..We will try to set another date in early 2019

California Cowboy Benefit = October ?

Halloween Candy Walk for Discovery Bay School = October 31

DBLC Regular Meeting = November 6

Adopt a Family for Thanksgiving = November 16-17

DBLC Board Meeting = November 20

Parade of Lights = December 7

DBLC Lions Christmas Party (replaces regular meeting) = December ???

### Lions Club International Mission Statement:

To empower volunteers to serve their communities, meet humanitarian needs, encourage peace and promote international understanding through Lions Clubs.

### Discovery Bay Lions Mission Statement:

Whenever a Lions Club gets together, problems get smaller, and communities get better. That's because we help where help is needed – in our own communities and around the world – with unmatched integrity and energy. (Since 1983 the Discovery Bay Lions Club has raised over a million & half dollars for our great community. Fundraising events from Boat Shows, Concerts, Golf Tournaments, Poker Runs, Crab Feeds, Car shows and many more, have allowed us to provide help in many ways to so many kids and other organizations in Discovery Bay and beyond. Composed by Lion Dave Ciruli)

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That's all the Discovery Bay Lions Club News fit to print by your Lions Club Newsletter Editor, Lion Frank Alexander, with some help from other infamous Lions too numerous to mention!