

Lion President Danny Suh's Motto: Gift in Giving

President: Danny Suh
Vice President: Prince Jordan
Secretary: Dora Scott
Treasurer: Carol Fung & Mindie Chu
Membership Chair: Pragya Saxena
Service Chair: Paula Wong
Marketing & Communication Chair: Lorna Dietz
Leo Adviser: Danny Suh

SFULC Board of Directors
Carol Fung
Cindy Cheng
Howard Chin
John Tam
Susie Hong
Eric Shum
Kelby Wong

SFULC Director 2025-2027 (2-year term)
ONE open position (Nominations accepted at sfunifiedlc@gmail.com c/o Dora Scott)

Please email any Lions-related communications to Dora Scott (Secretary) or Lorna Dietz (Marketing & Communications Chair at sfunifiedlc@gmail.com.

The San Francisco Unified Lions Club was chartered in 2016.

Mission Statement
- To empower volunteers to serve our communities, work to meet the humanitarian needs of the community, to be forward thinking in our global approach to community service as a Lion.

Core Values
- Treat everyone with dignity and respect, be humble, develop friendships and unity as a club and as a Lion, carry the Lions spirit in our lives, and to help those in need.

Club Goals
- A club that is relevant to the current and future needs of our society. Bridging Communities and generations.
- Develop our youth and members to become future leaders.
- Supporting other Lions and worthy organizations.
- Have fun and develop solid relationships with our members.



All service leads to success

Our success is defined by our service. Here are key steps that can help us achieve even greater success through our service.

EXPAND YOUR NETWORK

Our global reach puts the world at our fingertips. Tap into the collective knowledge, cultural perspectives and success of Lions by taking advantage of the opportunities to learn, grow, connect and serve.

Lions must expand their network to build knowledge and bridges around the world. A.P. also encourages the establishment of Lions Business Networks in as many districts as possible to attract young entrepreneurs. He encourages travel to other districts, states and countries to meet Lions as part of service tourism to learn the best practices elsewhere and to share your own perspectives.

LEAD BY EXAMPLE

Lions follow what they see their leaders do, not what they hear their leaders say. Leadership is not about how many followers one has, but about how many leaders one creates.

Every organization needs to evolve with time. We need to encourage change because what was relevant earlier may have lost relevance today. Be the example that brings out the best in others, and yourself. This may involve learning, and even unlearning at times.

KEEP PACE WITH TECHNOLOGY

Technology is interwoven with how we live, and it creates new opportunities to improve how we serve. We may be surprised by the viewpoints of young adults, but they are, in fact, a different generation, one that has never lived without digital connectivity, and we may often be required to adapt to what they say.

Any organization will be only as effective as its technology and its ability to keep pace with the changing world. Lions have come a long way and are known to be able to adapt and grow. It is also time for us to integrate the power of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in our clubs and districts to be able to reach out and grow more.

When we embrace technology — and keep pace with it — we can benefit at every level and better connect with younger volunteers. So use the tools that can help us evolve and thrive. So the mantra is: We need every Lion to LEAD, SERVE, GROW.





GENERAL MEETING SCHEDULE FOR ALL SFUnifiedLC MEMBERS:

2025
10/30/25
11/20/25
12/18/25



2026
01/15/26
02/19/26
03/19/26
04/16/26
05/21/26
06/18/26



NOTE: The dates are tentative and are subject to change.
-Lion Dora



WHAT: General Membership Meeting

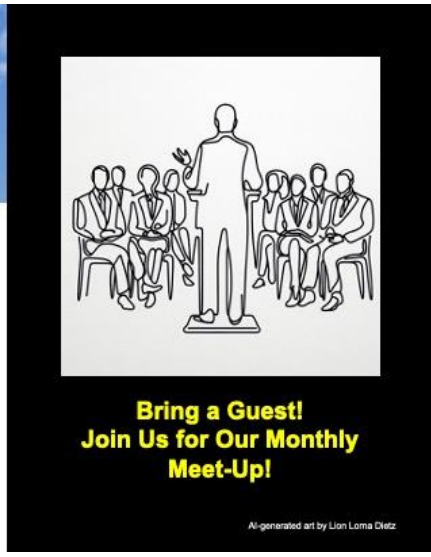
WHEN: Thursday, October 30, 2025
WHERE: Taraval Police Station
2345 24th Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94199

WHAT TIME: 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm

RSVP BY: asap (for headcount)
RSVP TO: sfunifiedlc@gmail.com OR
https://tinyurl.com/generalmeeting10302025

SNACKS WILL BE PROVIDED!

P.S. If you would like to donate your favorite food or non-alcoholic beverages, contact Lion Dora at liondoras@gmail.com.





VOLUNTEER FOR VISION SCREENING SERVICE PROJECTS!

Two to three hours of your time.
Contact Lion Carol at sfunifiedlcservice@gmail.com.

St. Stephen's
Tues., November 18, 2025 at 9:00 am
St. Anne's
Wed., November 19, 2025 at 12:00 noon
Utopia Preschool
Mon., January 12, 2026 at 9:00 am

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



San Francisco-Marin Food Bank

Nov. 22 & Nov. 29
Dec. 6, Dec. 13, Dec. 20, and Dec. 27

CALL for VOLUNTEERS



Get ready to bring holiday cheer during our December service projects! From a toy drive to bringing food happiness to seniors.

For service projects, contact Lion Paula Wong at sfunifiedlcservice@gmail.com.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

SF UNIFIED LIONS CLUB

SUNDAY, NOV. 9, 2025

San Francisco

VETERANS DAY PARADE

LET'S SALUTE OUR VETERANS FOR THEIR SERVICE

Attention Lions of District 4-C4!
Stand with the San Francisco Unified Lions Club as we proudly honor our veterans.

RSVP by October 31, 2025

Space on the float is limited!

https://tinyurl.com/sfveteransparade

CLICK HERE to Register

For questions, email Lion Carol
lioncarolfung@gmail.com (415) 999-6206



MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Second District Meeting

Saturday November 8

Meeting- 10:30

Doors- 10:00

*If you can come early we will be setting up at 9:30

RSVP to Lions4Service@gmail.com

New Vision UMC
450 Chadbourn Ave
Millbrae, CA 94030

Send checks to Lions District 4-C4 P.O.Box 25301 San Mateo, CA 94402

RSVP by November 1 $30 before $35 after



UNITED TO DO MORE 2025 - 2026 CINDY ZHENG DISTRICT GOVERNOR 4 - C4

District Governor Cindy's Challenge:

Earn 1 free reservation at February 7 Cabinet Meeting by RSVPing before 11/01/25 and attending the meeting with:

- Clubs with 60 members or less: 20% of membership along with the Club President attend
- Clubs with 61+ members: At least 10 members along with the Club President attend

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Who wants to join our bowling team?
Email sfunifiedlc@gmail.com!



MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Feel free to forward the flyer and registration google link to any student who would like to join. https://tinyurl.com/becomealeoyouthprogram

YOUTH COMMUNITY SERVICE

BECOME A LEO MEMBER

SFUNIFIEDLC

LEO

ALPHA

OPEN RECRUITMENT

Join Our Youth Program—LEOs in Action!

EQ Training Framework – 5 Pillars of EQ:

- Self-Awareness
- Self-Regulation
- Motivation
- Empathy
- Social Skills

LIMITED SPOTS AVAILABLE

TARAVAL POLICE STATION COMMUNITY ROOM

2345 24TH AVE., SAN FRANCISCO, CA

11:00 AM

NOV 22 ND 2025

Come be part of our vibrant Youth Program.

Become a SFULC LEO to learn the values of service with actions of compassion.

LEO = Leadership - Experience - Opportunity

LEO ADVISOR: DANNY SUH
SFULCDANNY@GMAIL.COM

SFUnifiedLC Charity Funds Requests are now open for FY 2025-2026!

Hi SFUnifiedLC members!

We're excited to invite you to nominate your favorite charity for a **$600 grant**. Each year, our club allocates funds from our Charity Account to support nonprofit **501(c)(3)** organizations nominated by our members. This is your opportunity to request a donation for a cause close to your heart and help make a difference in our community.

Donation Request Guidelines:

Each request may not exceed **$600** (amount subject to change).
Members may submit **one request per deadline**.
The nominated organization must be a **qualified 501(c)(3)** nonprofit.
Members **cannot** serve as a board member or officer of the nominated organization.

All submissions will be reviewed by the **Charity Committee Lions Mindie and Carol** on a first-come, first-served basis, and recommendations will be presented to the **Board of Directors** for final approval. Please note that approval is **not guaranteed**, as funding availability varies depending on the Charity Account balance and annual budget.

If you wish to submit a request, please:

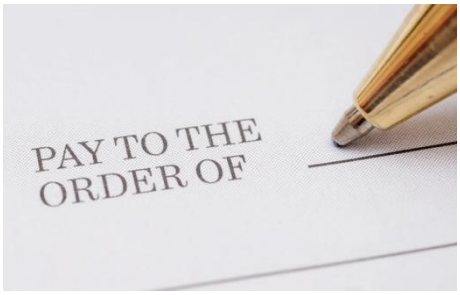
Review the attached **guidelines** that were sent to you via email.
Complete the **nomination form** (or request for a form).
Email your completed form to Lion Mindie Chu and Lion Carol Fung at sfunifiedlc@gmail.com by **Friday, November 7, 2025.**

Thank you for your time and have a great rest of your week!

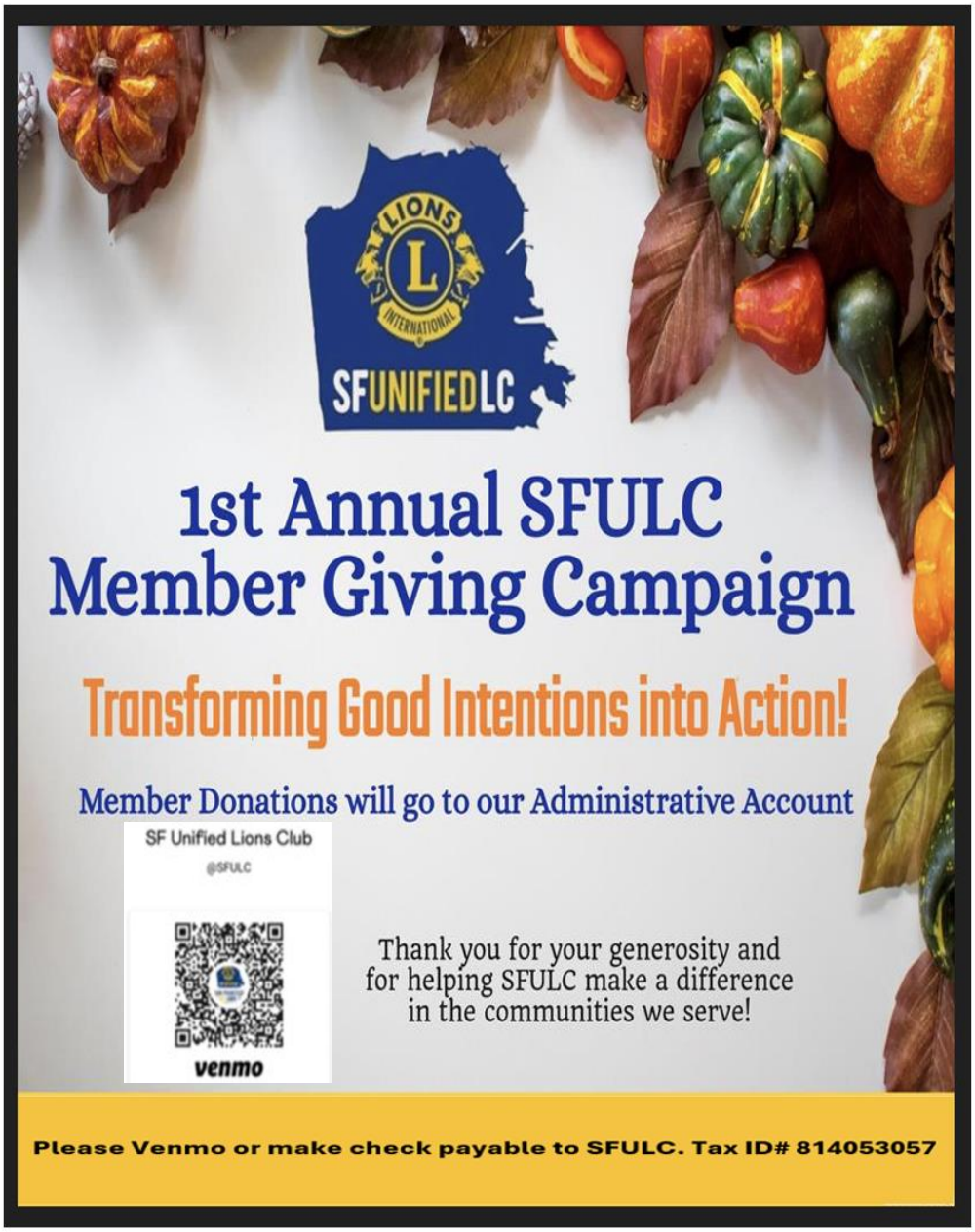
Lion Mindie
SFUnifiedLC Co-Treasurer

About Our Projects

ASK US WHAT THE SAN FRANCISCO UNIFIED LIONS CLUB FOUNDATION CAN DO FOR YOU!



Mission:
We are committed to partnering with community organizations to combine and amplify efforts, harness diverse talents, and pool resources. Together, we strive to create a significant and lasting impact on the challenges faced by our communities, helping to build a stronger and more connected society.



An administrative checking account is essential for a Lions Club to manage its internal finances separately from funds raised for charitable activities.

Here's a breakdown of its purpose:

1. Separation of Funds: Keeps club operating expenses distinct from public donations: This is crucial for transparency and accountability. It ensures that money raised for charitable causes is used solely for that purpose and not for the club's internal running.

2. Managing Operating Expenses: Paying dues, administrative costs, and social events for members only

3. Funding Sources: Membership dues and internal fundraising, including donations specifically designated for administrative use.

YOU ARE INVITED TO

10th Annual San Francisco Unified Lions Club
Installation of Officers and Directors

Event

Join us for a special evening of honor, unity, and celebration.

Friday, August 15, 2025
Far East Restaurant
631 Grant Ave., San Francisco
5:30 pm - 8:30 pm
$75/pp
RSVP by: August 8, 2025

Come support our new leaders as they step into their roles
with pride and purpose.
Together, we serve. Together, we celebrate.

Lion President Danny Suh's motto is
"Gift In Giving"

Checks payable to: SFULC
Mail to: 969-G Edgewater Blvd. #108
Foster City, CA 94404

Contact: Lion Dora Scott
(415) 377-5672
sfunifiedlc@gmail.com

This is a pre-paid event
A reservation made, is a reservation paid







INSTALLATION OF 2025-2026 OFFICERS & BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND NEW MEMBERS









PHOTO GALLERY

MEETINGS | FUNDRAISERS | FELLOWSHIP | NETWORKING

Please email your photos to sfunifiedlc@gmail.com

















PHOTO GALLERY

MEETINGS | FUNDRAISERS | FELLOWSHIP | NETWORKING

Please email your photos to sfunifiedlc@gmail.com.

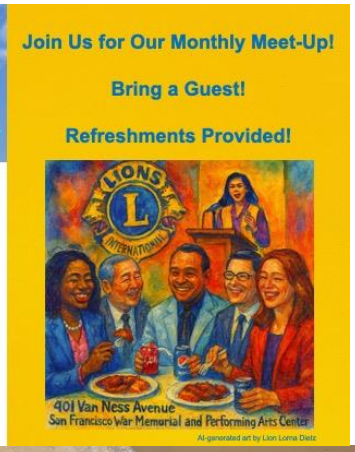


WHAT: General Membership Meeting

WHEN: Thursday, September 18, 2025

WHERE: War Memorial Veterans Building
aka San Francisco War Memorial & Performing Arts Center, Room 210
401 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102
https://sfwarmemorial.org/
WHAT TIME: 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm

RSVP BY: Tuesday, September 16, 2025
RSVP TO: Dora Scott at sfunifiedlc@gmail.com



Chef Danny Suh, aka Lion President Danny, cooked a sumptuous heart-healthy and diabetes-friendly dinner: Smoked Chicken Legs, Roasted Vegetables, and Garlic Noodles, sweetened by store-bought apple pie and pumpkin pie. Thank you, Lion Danny and donors!

For our meetings and activities, we encourage promoting one of our global causes, DIABETES, by preparing healthier food and snacks.









PHOTO GALLERY

MEETINGS | FUNDRAISERS | FELLOWSHIP | NETWORKING

Please email your photos to sfunifiedlc@gmail.com

RANDOM PHOTOS IN DISTRICT 4-C4





Aug. 27, 2025: The monthly meeting of the San Francisco Coordinating Council of Lions Clubs, District 4-C4, at the Veterans War Memorial Building. Lion President Danny Suh gave our club's report. Aside from supporting the council's member clubs in its projects, initiatives, and activities, here's some information about SFCCLC:

The District 4-C4 San Francisco Coordinating Council of Lions Clubs hosts a yearly event to honor police officers, firefighters, and sheriffs.





Sept. 27, 2025: Lions Tra Thach, Danny Ma, and Lorna Dietz take a selfie during District Governor Cindy Zheng's first District 4-C4 Cabinet Meeting at Mission Blue Center, Brisbane, California.

- More information about the District: https://lions4c4.org/



Personal News * Celebrations
Lions Doing Business with Lions



Holly Danell
(415) 990-9696
hollysellssf@gmail.com

- Real Estate Sales
- Financing
- Development
- Business Advisory

HollySellsSF.com

Holly Danell: Empowering Lives Through Real Estate, Service, and Community

For more than three decades, Holly Danell has built a respected career in real estate and mortgage lending across the Bay Area. As a trusted businesswoman and mentor, Holly has guided countless families, investors, and developers through the complex process of buying, selling, and financing properties. But beyond her professional success, Holly is known for something even greater — her deep commitment to helping others thrive.

Holly began her real estate journey in the late 1980s, earning her license in 1986 and her degree in Business Administration from San Jose State University in 1994. Over the years, she has managed large lending teams, developed land projects, and worked on major real estate deals involving hotels, spas, and residential communities. At Next Financial's Commercial and Residential Real Estate Division, she oversaw multi-county operations in California and New Mexico, turning simple developments into thriving neighborhoods.

Before that, at California Federal Bank, Holly managed over 200 accounts across San Francisco, helping restructure loans and secure investments for both families and startups. Her strategic planning and problem-solving skills have earned her a reputation as a top producer in competitive markets. She is known for her entrepreneurial drive, leadership, and ability to inspire teams toward success.

Yet, Holly's life isn't just about business. Her true passion lies in giving back to the community — especially to veterans, seniors, and young people. As an active member of the San Francisco Unified Lions Club, she devotes her time to fundraising, volunteering, and supporting local causes. She believes in empowering others, not just through financial help, but by teaching and connecting them with resources that improve their lives.

Holly's compassion for veterans comes from her family's proud military roots. Her grandfather was a veteran and a Mason who became her lifelong role model. Her father and favorite uncle both served in the Navy, instilling in her a deep respect for those who serve. Today, she uses her energy and knowledge to help veterans access mental health care and other vital support programs. "So many veterans don't know what services are available to them," she often says. "I love educating them and helping them find the help they deserve."

A natural connector and fundraiser, Holly has also long supported efforts that empower young women and keep children active in sports. Whether mentoring youth, volunteering at community events, or rallying donations for Lions Club projects, she brings the same enthusiasm and integrity that have defined her professional life.

Now an empty nester, Holly continues to channel her skills into building relationships, raising funds, and spreading hope. "Life is a lot more about empowering people's lives than about money," she says. With her positive spirit and generous heart, Holly Danell represents the best of what community service can be — a life dedicated to helping others grow, succeed, and feel seen.

We feature our fellow Lions' businesses and professions here, including discounts for our members.