



VANCOUVER CATHAY NEW CENTURY LIONS CLUB

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Vancouver Northern Star Lions Charter Night

by Alvina Seid

On March 1st, President Biston and Secretary Alvina attended the newly formed Vancouver Northern Star charter night. Charter President Susan Park wowed us with the wonderful food, and entertainment by none other than PDG Jimmy Ho. It was an honour to attend their charter night. I know that under the leadership of Charter President Susan Park, the new club will be great.

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Chinatown Lioness

Spring Fling Fundraising

by Leanna Cheung

On Sunday, March 6th, we had the pleasure of attending the Chinatown Lioness' fundraising event for The Bloom Group, a local charitable organization that provides various social services for the Vancouver Downtown Eastside community. The Bloom Group has been in service for over 50 years and it was quite fitting to have the event at Federico's, a popular Italian restaurant located within the area that they serve.

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The night was filled with amazing food, great company, spectacular service and wonderful live entertainment. The restaurant owner, Federico, graced the stage with his beautiful covers of old favourites and to our surprise, even sang a song in Mandarin!

Everyone in attendance had a fabulous time and we look forward to the Lioness' next Spring Fling!

FEEL FREE TO COME!

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Our club meets regularly on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month from September to June. If you are interested in meeting us, please send us an email: info@vancouverlions.com.



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Broadway Fundraiser Night

by Biston Cheung

A successful dinner was put together by Vancouver Broadway Lions to fundraise in support of Covenant House Vancouver. The event was held on March 6th at the Cambie Kirin Chinese Restaurant. Many fellow lions in District 19A got together in full force and made great contribution for homeless teenagers in Vancouver. We had a very delicious Chinese New Year dishes, followed by series of Bingo games. Although we did not win any prize, it was very fun to participate in the game. Overall it was a very amazing night!



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Vancouver Cathay New Century Lions Club 10th Anniversary Gala

by Kitty Chiu

Our club has been chartered over 10 years now, and on March 12, 2016 we celebrated with many at the Hilton Vancouver Airport. We were joined by 15 other Lions Club from District 19A, a Member of the Legislative Assembly as well as many former Lions club members and many close family and friends. That evening, we had great company, good food, heartwarming speeches and fun interactive games. On behalf of our club, we would like to thank all of you who came to celebrate our 10th anniversary with us. Without you, it would not have been as fun and merry as it was that evening.

This party was very special and its success was due to the fact that we have a great club with great teammates. Each and every member of our club pitched in and contributed to this event....

- Secretary Alvina did a great job coordinating all the logistics and just "made it happen"!
- President Biston and Karen did an overwhelming job of promoting our 10th anniversary.
- Treasurer Sophia and her significant other put a lot of time and effort in creating our 10th anniversary program which is simply a "masterpiece"!
- PP Lap made a wonderful slideshow and contributed a lot as well into our anniversary program.
- PP Carlo's was ever so helpful with taking care of our 10th anniversary pins and our pretty attire for the night - purple bowties and fascinators!
- Raffle Queen Lion Bonnie did an exceptional job of getting all the raffle prizes and selling raffles too of course with a few little helpers.
- Lion Wendy "beautified" the ballroom with colorful balloons and wonderful centrepieces and put together a fun photobooth.
- PP Kevin and Lion Brenda were absolute remarkable and entertaining as our emcees of the evening.
- Lion Leanna and Lion Rey were also great helpers and greeters at our event!
- Lion Charlene and Lion Cliff unfortunately could not be with us that evening.
- As for me, I just did whatever that needed to be done .

For those of you who were unable to join us at our joyous event, please check out our Facebook page for more photos!



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Marpole Grandview Lions Dog Race

by Alvina Seid

On March 19th, Lion Alvina attended the Marpole Grandview Lions Dog Race. This year it was held at Van Dusen Garden. Prior to attending, I had no idea what this "dog race" was. It was a life size board that they drew with tape on the floor, and the "dogs" were wooden dogs. People who wanted to race would bid for a "dog". Bidding started at \$35, and highest bidder got the dog. There were 8 people playing each race. People not playing in the race were allowed to bid on who they thought the winner would be. There were 4 races: First to cross the finish, Last to cross the finish, obstacle course, exact number. Then they played 2 VIP rounds.

I sat with the Chinatown Lioness. They had purchased a VIP dog #8 named Angels. Although their dog "Angels" didn't win, the whole table had great fun cheering "Angels" on. Our table managed to only lose \$2 each, during the betting on which dog would win.

It was a very interesting evening, packed with great entertainment (the dog race), and great food.



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Templeton Lions Bowling Fundraiser

by Biston Cheung

On March 20th Lions Biston and Alvina attended Templeton Lions Bowling fundraiser. The event took place at Revs Bowling & Entertainment Centre; and all net profit proceeded to the BC Children's Hospital Foundation. Pizzas were served right out of the oven, they almost stole the event! We were allocated lane 45, competing with PZC Lawrence Tam and his grand-daughters. The game was very exciting since Lion Biston has very poor Bowling skills. With all the effort, Biston was eventually on par with Lawrence's 3 year-old grand-daughter, Morgan. It was a very fun event, and a good lesson for Biston!

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