



My Fellow Lions -

Congratulations for registering for your Lions District 4-L2, 81st Annual Convention, to be held at the Doubletree Hotel and Golf Resort in Cathedral City, near Palm Springs. The attached convention registration form may be completed manually with payment mailed as directed or processed electronically by credit card at our registration site using Eventbright.com. Please complete the separate hotel and convention registration processes as **soon as possible** to obtain the convention "Early Bird" and hotel guaranteed rates.

Regarding Hotel Registration, it is vital that you register directly with the convention hotel and use the contact information and reservation code "L15" located on the reservation form. That will identify your reservation so you will receive our contracted nightly rate during the convention. Of special note, this contract rate will also apply for the day before and the day after the convention should you choose to spend additional time enjoying the Doubletree Hotel and all that Palm Springs has to offer.

This year's theme is: "Celebrating Lions and Their Service", a tribute to your Lion's projects and accomplishments which allow District 4-L2 to be known as "The Best In the West".

This year two very unique situations will occur at your convention. A "Lions at Leisure" on Saturday afternoon will allow you time to explore and enjoy many of the activities and attractions available locally and in the adjacent Palm Springs area.

We are working to organize additional leisure time activities which may include joint participation with Lions District 4L4, who will be holding their district's convention at our hotel on the same week-end. While our events will be separate this will be a grand opportunity to meet and greet our fellow Lions from District 4-L4 and share our common "We Serve" spirit, activities and accomplishments. Our convention program will include a familiar agenda and allow us to celebrate, recognize, and enjoy our unique district, club and individual Lions accomplishments. This will also be a special time for our serving District Governor John Nelson to express his recognition and thanks to you our district members for your exceptional service and accomplishments.

Of equal importance will be our election of our next District Governor and their officers, so your attendance whether as "delegate" or club member or guest will make a vital contribution to the ongoing leadership and/or growth of our district. Conventions are a great opportunity to expose a potential member to our Lions family of service.

I wish you an enjoyable stay and experience at our upcoming convention as we carry forward our proud traditions of District 4-L2.

Sincerely,

Lion Tom M. Kester
Convention Chair
District 4-L2, 2018-2019

Lion Linda Birch
Pre - Convention Reservation Chair
District 4-L2, 2018-2019