

DISTRICT 4-L6

DISTRICT GOVERNOR

Mary J. Rynearson (Lion Randy)

West Shores Lions Club

District Governor Mary was born in San Diego, California. She is the youngest of five children who were all raised working in the family restaurant, Mary J's Cafe. MJC was a landmark from 1963 -2008 in National City, CA. It was this hardworking atmosphere that formed DG Mary into who she is today and taught her that it takes a team to get the job done.

Lion Mary and Randy have been married for 30 years. They have three daughters and two sons and are gifted with seven grandchildren.

Lion Mary worked in the Chamber of Commerce Industry for 8 years and received her "IOM", (Institute of Organizational Management) Certification from the United States Chamber of Commerce in January 2007. This training has proven to be very beneficial moving through the Leadership levels in Lions. DG Mary's Lion career began in 1998 when she joined the Alpine Stagecoach Lions Club. In 2008 Mary and Randy moved to the West Shores of the Salton Sea in Imperial Valley, CA and formed the West Shores Lions Club. She had the honor of being the club's Charter President.

On the District level, Mary has served as Lions Learning Day Chair and taught the Treasurer's Class. Mary has been El Capitan Zone Chair and Cabinet Treasurer. Mary has attended the Multiple District Leadership Classes held at Harris Ranch, and the International Lions Leadership Institute in Ontario, Canada. In 2010 Mary and Randy became hardware entrepreneurs starting an independent hardware store in Salton City. Mary has enjoyed moving through the leadership roles in District 4-L6 and looks forward to being District Governor in Lion Year 2014-2015.