Question: Do there exist numbers M_n that are Fibonacci or Lucas numbers besides those given in (4.1)?

Remark: By virtue of the identity $4L_{2k}+(-1)^k 8 = (2L_k)^2$ (see identities I_{15} and I_{18} of [1]), it is not hard to prove that M_n cannot equal an even-subscripted Lucas number.

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