

El Cajon Valley Lions

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48 Members and 8 Guests

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OPENING

Again, I'll start off with it was a beautiful day in El Cajon and I was excited that I was going to be able to make a meeting. It had been awhile and I needed my fix of camaraderie and bantering with my Lion friends. As I walked in, I thought I might have come to the wrong place. There were so many La Mesa Lions there. Then I saw Lion PP Ron Snow and PP Warren Dedrick in the room so I knew I was OK. Lion President Gary started on time with the bell. (Boy, things have changed since I've been gone.) Lion PP Jerry led us with God Bless America and the fearsome 2 some was in harmony. Our long lost PP Ron Snow conducted the pledge reminding us that our heart was on the left. And as usual, PP Guy Duffin handled the invocation with an oration that Stephen A. Douglas would have been proud of.

GUESTS

As I said earlier, we had a lot of La Mesa Lions here on a visit. Lion PP Mark Clifton was smart enough to introduce Lion Secretary Susan Hatch and then asked her to introduce the others from her club. We had IPP Doris Culkin, 1st VP Bob Hollie, PP George Jones (not the singer), PP Marge Dyke, Lion Martie Shaffer our Award Winning (of the whole world) District Bulletin Editor, and PP Mary McDonald. Glad to have you all here. Also Ron Paris invited John Martez who is running for city council here in El Cajon.

EVENTS

The most important announcement is the HOBAN PARTY this coming Sunday (31st). His address is 14939 Rancho Real, Del Mar 92014. If you missed the last one, you can't miss this one. It's an event that will go down in Lion History. Contact Lion Tom to RSVP.

Lion Felina spoke about the up-coming Picnic at Santee Lakes. (Sept 14th from 11 to 4.) Need to sign-up now. She could also use some help. Contact Lion Felina to volunteer. It's the major event for the entire family, don't miss it.

Lend-A-Hand is this Saturday. It's the final installment on our house. All Lions are encouraged to attend. The more help we have, the less work you do, and the more fun we have. Contact Lion PP Ed Waymire for more information.

Lion PP Mary Jo McDonald spoke about the La Mesa Lions Golf Tournament at Sun Valley Golf Course in La Mesa. It's on Sept 9th, with a shotgun start and only \$35.00. Contact La Mesa Lions for more details.

2nd VP Marlene got up and spoke about the success at Stoney's Party last Wednesday. She didn't have a final tally but she estimated in the millionsmm .

Our club will be recognized by the city council on Sept 9th at 3:00pm. All are invited to attend.

HAPPY DOLLARS

Lion PP Dick Rogers started off by giving 5 for a vacation at the Glacier National Park. PP Phil Smith gave 30 for his 30th High School Reunion. Lion Skip Kiefer gave 10 for a trip to New York. Lion PP Ron Snow gave 100 because he was just happy to be back. (We were happy too!) PP Lion Ray Hackworth gave 5 for losing at poker and wouldn't name the winner but he virtually pointed the finger at Lion Warren McKenna. Lion Warren gave what was left after taking his lovely wife Joan to dinner. PP Ed gave 20 for being back and

thanked Lion PP Bruce Boorman for covering for him these last couple of weeks. Lion PP Trent Huls gave 5 for going fishing and not catching anything. Over a hundred and eighty five collected today. Thanks fellow Lions!!!

VP REPORTS

3rd VP Lion Don asked Lion Sharie How Many, Sharie to which Lion Sharie with a commanding 48.

2nd VP Lion Marlene said Progress

1st VP Lion Walt spoke about the board thinking up more fundraisers. He mentioned Horseshoes and Poker night. If you have any ideas, come to the board meeting or contact Lion Walt.

PROGRAM

We had Officer Michelle Nuno from the Border Patrol with us today. She said this was her first time speaking but you would have never have known it. She was very informative and it was an interesting program.

ATTENDANCE DRAWING

Lion PP Tom Normandie walked away with the grand prize of a gold medal. It has chocolate inside so he was a happy Lion.

Golf Humor

A man entered the bus with both of his front pockets full of golf balls and sat down next to a beautiful (you guessed it) blonde.

The puzzled blonde kept looking at him and his bulging pockets. Finally, after many such glances from her, he said, 'It's golf balls.'

Nevertheless, the blonde continued to look at him for a very long time, deeply thinking about what he had said.

After several minutes, not being able to contain her curiosity any longer, she asked; 'Does it hurt as much as tennis elbow?'

Golfer at the dentist: – A man and his wife walked into a dentist's office. The man said to the dentist, 'Doc, I'm in one hell of a hurry. I have two buddies sitting out in my car waiting for us to go play golf, so forget about the anesthetic and just pull the tooth and be done with it.

We have a 10:00 A M tee time at the best golf course in town and it's 9:30 already. I don't have time to wait for the anesthetic to work!'

The dentist thought to himself, 'My goodness, this is surely a very brave man asking to have his tooth pulled without using anything to kill the pain.'

So the dentist asks him, 'Which tooth is it sir?'

The man turned to his wife and said, 'Open your mouth Honey, and show him.'

Upcoming Programs

Sept. 1 – Labor Day

Sept. 8 – Open

Sept. 22 – Veteran's Hospital. Gary Roissio. Current Challenges for San Diego and future issues.

Sept. 29 – Torrey Pines Golf Course. John Maddern. US Open, challenges, successes and what's next.

Oct. 6 – San Diego County Sheriff Dept. Bill Gore, undersheriff. The state of the department and service to us.

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Where Lions Meet

MONDAY	El Cajon Valley Host	12 Noon	Ronald Reagan Community Center	195 E. Douglas, El Cajon
TUESDAY	La Mesa	12 Noon	La Mesa Community Center	4975 Memorial Dr.
	Hillcrest-Mission Valley	12 Noon	Imperial House Restaurant	505 Kalmia St, San Diego
	Santee	1st & 3rd, 6:30 P.M.	9535 Mission Gorge Rd #H,	Near Scootz Restaurant, Santee
	San Diego Host	12 Noon	Lions Community Manor	310 Market St., SD
	Rancho Bernardo	2nd & 4th, Noon	Stoneridge Ctry. Club	17166 Stoneridge Club Ln., Poway
	Lakeside Highway Club	2nd & 4th, 6:30 p.m.	Santee/Lakeside Elks Club,	11633 Woodside Av. Lakeside
WEDNESDAY	North Park	12 Noon	Lions Clubhouse	3927 Utah St., SD
	Heartland	2nd & 4th, 6:30 P.M.	Coco's	1025 Fletcher Pkwy, El Cajon
	Spring Valley	1st & 3rd, 7 P.M.	Casa De Oro Cafe	9809 Campo Rd., Spring Valley
	El Centro Host	12 Noon	Denny's	1455 Ocotillo Dr., El Centro
THURSDAY	Alpine Stage Coach	6:00 PM, 2nd & 4th weeks	The Bread Basket	1346 Tavern Rd., Alpine
	Julian	2nd & 4th, 7 P.M.	Town Hall	2133 Main St., Julian
FRIDAY	Harbison Canyon	6 P.M.	Old Ironside Pk. Community Ctr.	326 Harbison Cyn. Rd., El Cajon

LIONS CLUB OBJECTIVES

- TO CREATE and foster a spirit of "generous consideration" among the peoples of the world through a study of the problems of International relationships
- TO PROMOTE the theory and practice of the principles of good government and good citizenship
- TO TAKE an active interest in the civic, social and moral welfare of the community.
- TO UNITE the members in the bonds of friendship, good fellowship and mutual understanding
- TO PROVIDE a forum for the full and free discussion of all matters of public interest, partisan politics and sectarian, religion alone excepted.
- TO ENCOURAGE efficiency and promote high ethical standards in business and professions: provided that no club shall hold out as one of its objects financial benefits to its members

Attendance is the PRICE of MEMBERSHIP



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