

LAST MEETING was held on February 4 with Lion Ozzio Duonocristiani presiding (practicing for next year) and Lion Bob Woodall as acting Tail Twister.

Guests for the evening were: Deputy District Governor Al Lazarini, Mike Castagnetto - guest of Lion Ron Faina, Bill Pisani guests of Lion Tom O'Connell, Joe Canepa guest of Lion Frank Bulleri.

BOWLING. Lion Ken Edwards gave us report on the bowling situation (we are doing OK but he had one question WHERE ARE OUR SHIRTS FOR THE BOWLERS?)

Lion Ken also informed us about the Geneva Project and how grateful they are for our support.

STUDENT SPEAKER Contest is scheduled for Wednesday, February 18, 1976 at the L & L Castle Lanes, Banquet Room on Geneva Avenue at 7:30 PM - reported project chairman, PP Pat Martin. It is a Ladies Night and any Lion with teenage children are requested to bring them along.

This is the 39th Annual Contest. The topic is CITIZENS RIGHTS vs CRIMINAL RIGHTS. The following High Schools promised participation in this year contest: Balboa, Lowell, Marcy and Riordan.

SENIOR CITIZENS activities were reported by Lion Frank Fazzino, who informed us that we have two new clubs in our district.

NIGHT AT THE RACES. PP Ray Squeri, chairman of the project, reported at the Board of Directors meeting that on Friday, January 23rd we had attendance of 325. Net profit was \$1,000.00 which includes donations of \$20.- from Fred Bonetti and \$17.50 from Ray Squeri.

Sincere thanks go to Rose Fraher who sold 40 tickets to the Nite at the Races and the followings: Joe Farrah, Chuck Bottarini, PDG Bob Marshall, Erv Smith, Bill Tonelli, Tom O'Connell, Pat Martin, Al Gentile, Bud Coletti, Bob Dobbins, Ron Faina, Giulio Francesco ni, Mike Spediacci, Frank Ferrara, Al Kleinbach, Bill Shea, Jim Tacchini and Ray Squeri.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS at the last meeting authorized donations of \$25.00 each to the Lions Eye Foundation in memory of the late Lions: Mario Massagli and Ray Hagerman.

Lions Al Fregosi and Frank Fazzino were appointed to the Board of Directors in order to fill in the two vacancies.

RUMMAGE SALE was a success - reported chairman Lion Jack Parodi. The net profit was \$945.85. The committee is planning an other rummage sale in about October 1976. Many thanks to all members who helped to make this project a success.

NEW 4-C4 PIN. Deputy District Governor, Al Lazarini introduced to us a new trading pin - for District 4-C4. In the past we had only pins for Multiple District 4. The new pin - can be ordered by your Secretary at \$1.25 each. If interested place your order with Lion Joe Farrah.

MEMBERSHIP DUES are due and payable. Please, send your check to Lion Fred Krahl!!!

THE RAFFLE WINNERS were: Joe Pisani - a bottle of AA; DDG Al Lazarini - \$3.00; Mike Castagnetto - \$1.00.

#### COMING EVENTS:

February 18th - Program meeting. LADIES NIGHT & STUDENT SPEAKER at the L&L Castle Lanes  
It will be a regular sit-down dinner meeting. All teen-age children are invited.

February 25th - Board of Directors meeting at Lion Jack Parodi's residence.

March 3rd - Business meeting.

March 17th - Program meeting. PAST DISTRICT GOVERNORS NIGHT.

March 24th - Board of Directors meeting.

May 19-22nd - Santa Rosa Convention.

FOR THE RECORD. As of November 30, 1975 Lions International had 1,135,158 members in 28,929 clubs in 148 countries and geographical areas.

LIONISM. Lions Clubs are non-political, non-sectarian service organizations composed of the community's leading business and professional men. Membership is by invitation only

The purpose of a Lions Club is more than good fellowship and club social life, important though these are. It is to recognize community needs and develop means of meeting them, either through its own effort or in cooperation with other agencies.

Lionism is an active and efficient medium for united community effort and enterprise. It is also outstanding medium for national and world service, exerting tremendous influence for national welfare, international amity and peace, and human progress socially, culturally and economically. The importance of Lions work in all these fields is widely recognized.

\*\* Duty: Looked forward to with distaste, performed with reluctance - and bragged about over after! \*\*