

On June 16th we held our last program meeting in 1975/1976 at the "old home" place. The guests for the evening were: Dino Benetti guest of Lion Frank Ferrera; guest speaker Mr. Donald Schwarz of the Better Business Bureau, the two winners of our Scholarship: Alex Hochstraser of Balboa High School and Ronald O'Rourke from Lick-Wilmerding High School - both with their parents. Our young scholarship winners expressed their appreciation for the awarded scholarship and they were presented by the Club with our plaques. Lion Bob Dobbins was in charge of the ceremony.

LION BILL Tonelli read a received letter from Lions in the Genua territory in Italy. The letter was read in the "native" language of our Club (I still don't know what it was all about it...)

SEA SCOUT Ship "Plymouth" is in trouble, reported Lion Ron Faina. The insurance - Company notified the scouts of cancellation of the policy. In order to renew the cost of it would about \$900.00 per year, compare to previously paid about \$36.00? Lion Ron will inform us of the results of special meeting to be held over this week-end.

STA ROSA CONVENTION report was given by the Treasurer, Lion Bill Tonelli, who also returned to the Club unused portion of the money.

SPAGHETTI DINNER-DANCE. In addition to our last report about the Dinner Dance held on May 3th, Lion President Al Gentile notified me that the top prize at our party was given by Lion Sam San Filippo, who donated and delivered a case of car oil. Many thanks, Lion Sam

PROGRAM. Thanks to Lion Frank Bulleri we enjoyed a very interesting talk on activities of the well known Better Business Bureau in our City and all over the Country. The President of this institution, Donald Schwarz, informed us of their activities and operation in this country. Many thanks for interesting program.

The Raffle winners were: Don Schwarz - \$5.00; Alex Hochstraser - \$2.00; Mike Castagnette - \$1.00 (donated to the Kitty); Mystery Raffle won Ted Zagorowicz (\$200000) donated to the Kitty.

PROCLAMATION. San Francisco Mayor, George R. Moscone, issued a proclamation as follows:

"The Geneva-Excelsior Lions Club will celebrate its 25th Anniversary at a banquet in Fort Mason Officers Club on July 10, 1976.

The Lions International Club is one of the most worthwhile and respected organizations in our community. Its charitable projects are known throughout the world for the good they accomplish. San Francisco is particularly fortunate to have such active and hard-working members who are dedicated to serving the needs of all our citizens.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, George R. Moscone, Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco, do hereby proclaim July 10, 1976 as GENEVA-EXCELSIOR LIONS DAY in San Francisco and urge all San Franciscans to be aware of the beneficial activities of this fine organization.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of San Francisco to be affixed this tenth day of June nineteen hundred and seventy-six. (Signed) -

George R. Moscone, Mayor."

In addition to the above proclamation we received greetings from Archbishop of San Francisco Joseph T. McGucken and Lions International President Harry J. Alan. They will be included in our commemorative booklet issued for the Charter Night.

CHANGE YOUR ROSTER. PP Bill Tonelli presently with 1800 Sullivan Pharmacy, 1800 Sullivan Ave in Daly City, 94015, phone 756-1800.

#### COMING EVENTS:

- June 23rd - Board of Directors meeting at Lion Ron Bankson's residence. 8:00 sharp.
- June 23-26 - Lions International Convention in Honolulu.
- June 28-July 4 - Fireworks stand at the QFI parking lot in Daly City. Your help is needed. Please call Lion Charlie Cara or Joe Giuffre and tell them when and you available. Day or evening help is needed!!!
- July 7th - Business meeting.
- July 10th - Installation of Officers and Charter Night.
- July 21st - Program meeting.
- July 24th - Joint Board of Directors meeting.

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 GENEVA-EXCELSIOR LIONS  
 ANNUAL OFFICERS INSTALLATION  
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 CHARTER NIGHT

Saturday evening, July 10th  
 Fort Mason Officers Club  
 Bay and Franklin Streets  
 No Host Cocktails at Seven  
 Dinner at Eight  
 Dancing Ten until One  
 \$12.50 per person, T & T Incl.  
 Celebrate our installation  
 Charter Night in the Bicentennial  
 Year.  
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