

The meeting was called to order by Acting President Galdo Pavini. The Salute to the Flag was led by Lion Joe Giuffre, and the Invocation led by Lion Ron Faina. President Joe Farrah, and the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Vice-Presidents and the Secretary were unable to attend tonight's meeting. Lion Galdo did an excellent job as Acting President and also as Secretary.

The highlight of the meeting were Frank Ferrera's guests from New Zeland. They were Lioness Sue Andrew from the Mt. Albert Lioness Club, District 202, and Leo Lion Etta Prentice. Both young ladies are from a suburb of the city of Auckland, and they are on their way to the Montreal Convention. Lioness Andrew told the meeting her club was started about seven years ago and their major projects are a children's hospital and the elderly. She presented our club with a banner and a kiss for our acting president. (Bad timing Joe)

Lion Dick Harrison was congratulated on the birth of a daughter, KATY, six pounds, ten ounces, born May 30. Lion Dick received a round of applause, however, this was really intended for you Marilyn. Congratulations. Lion Dick also announced he hosted a group from the Geneva Project to breakfast at his Coffee Shop. He reported he sold his business and will be moving with his family to the Tahoe area within two months. Lion Dick has been a good member, participating in many club projects.

During the meeting we learned about a serious auto accident which took the lives of several relatives of the Spediacci family. Our condolences to the family.

Lions Ed Damonte and Ray Squeri were hospitalized during the week. We understand both are doing okay now.

Acting President Galdo announced the Geneva-Excelsior Lions awarded \$2,000 in Scholarships to graduating high school students. Names and schools of scholarship winners will be published.

CADILLAC RAFFLE tickets are being sold. Give a friend the opportunity to win a 1980 CAD or \$10,000 CASH.

Lion Charlie Bottarini presented the club with a check for \$84.00, which he received for about five tons of newspapers collected at the collection bin located at Russia and Mission Streets. Please get into this project. More newspapers are needed to keep it successful.

Lion Fred Melchiori made a blood donation and suggests members consider doing the same. Any donations are credited to the G-E Lions.

Lion Ozzie Buoncristiani announced approximately 80 are attending the Geneva-Excelsior Lions Installation of New Officers, on June 9.

On June 2, President Joe Farrah and his wife Emily, attended the South O'Market Lions Installation which was held at the Sawmill Restaurant in Mill Valley.

Lion Chuck Grisenti took over program duties for Program Chairman Ed Damonte. Chuck presented Paul Brand, an information Officer with the Bay Area Pollution Control District. His slide presentation and talk were very interesting and informative. Another super program arranged by Lion ED.

RAFFLE:

\$5.00, Lion Jerry Ennis (to Bill's fund)
 \$3.00, Lion Frank Ferrera (to convention fund)
 \$1.00, Lion Al Gentile " "

Mystery: \$5.00, Joe Giuffre

Coming Events:

June 13, Council of Lions Meeting, Granada Cafe.
 June 20-23, International Convention Montreal.
 June 27, Joint Board Meeting. Location will be announced.
 June 28 to July 4, FIREWRKS STAND. (A volunteer is needed to head this project.)
 June 30, Mission Lions Installation, Ramada Inn, Millbrae.
 July 15, North Beach Lions Installation, at residence of Lion Joe Cervetto. Lions
 August 10, Chinatown/Installation.
 August 18, Cabinet Installation, Burlingame-Sheraton.
 August 26, Cabinet Meeting at Burlingame Rec Center, 9:00 a.m.
 September 22, FIL-AM Lions Installation and Datsun Drawing.
 October 20, Geneva-Excelsior Lions Cadillac Raffle, Corpus Christi Hall.
 October 20, Lions Police and Firemans Award.
 November 3, International Night at St. Francis Hotel.