

President Ted called the meeting to order. The Pledge of Allegiance was lead by Lion Gil Small, and the invocation was given by Lion Pat Martin. Lion Frank Zumwalt, Secretary of the West O' Twin Peaks L.C. dropped in during the meeting.

An announcement from the Burlingame L.C. was read. They are having their Lions Eye Foundation 1st Annual Celebrity Golf Tournament on Monday, April 21st at Green Hills Country Club. \$75 per person includes green fees and cart, trophies, dinner and prizes. There will be awards for low gross, low net, celebrity and ladies. Tax deductible checks may be made out to Burlingame Lions, P.O. Box 206, Burlingame 94010.

#### COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Student Speaker Contest Ch'mn. Fat Martin reported he has contacted local high schools to nominate their speakers for the club contest to be held at the Ladies Night meeting of Feb. 20th. This year's topic is "Taxpayers' Revolt--Where will it Lead?"

President Ted announced that the new chairman of the Geneva Project is Lion Fred Krahl. Lions Chas. Bottarini and Pete Bello will serve as committeemen. This is the same winning team which has been in charge of the successful Paper Drive.

#### NIGHT AT THE RACES

Because Bay Meadows culinary workers and bartenders were on strike, the "Night At The Races" has been re-scheduled for Friday, February 1st. All tickets dated January 18th will be honored on Feb. 1st. Ch'mn. Ray Squeri considered a contingency plan of going ahead with the Jan. 18th date and bringing in some form of boxed meals if the strike was on, but the logistics and time factor were too much of a problem. With the added selling time, the club should have a sellout attendance of 350. Continue selling your tickets and keep Lion Ray informed as to what you are selling or not selling.

An added attraction to this year's event is "The 5 - 9 Exacta Selection Pool." Forms for participating in this pool have been distributed to members and are available from the chairman. The object is to name both the win and place horses in the 5th through 9th races inclusively. Players may complete more than one form. \$5 with each completed form must be turned in to the chairman prior to the end of the 4th race. The winner with the most correct selections will earn 50% of the total pool; second place will earn 25% and third place will earn 10%. The remaining 15% will be turned over to a club charity.

Acting Tail Twister Bob Woodall recklessly bet President Ted \$1 the president couldn't identify the only Lion who hadn't been fined during the meeting. President Ted accepted the

challenge, identified Woodall and collected his dollar.

The scheduled program speaker, Jim Meyers, General Mgr. of KSFO unexplainedly did not show up.

#### RAFFLE

1st Prize--\$5, Ron Faina  
2nd Prize--\$2, Gil Small  
3rd Prize--\$1, Joe Farrah  
Mystery Raffle--\$8, Joe Farrah

Belated congratulations to Lion Frank and Fat Ferrera who became grandparents of Adam Andrew Serrano on January 2nd. This announcement is belated because the supposedly proud grandfather almost appeared to be keeping a secret. No cigars, offers of drinks or store closings in celebration were evident.

Lion Al Fregosi telephoned blessings to the club via his telephone call to the mainland from his condo in Hawaii. He said that after being blacked out for five days, he sent his friends the worst storm Hawaii has felt since 1920. Thanks, Al.

Lion Ozzie Buoncristiani and Elva are back in town after a long visit with their oldest son in Kansas City, Missouri.

If it concerned anyone else the following wouldn't be noteworthy, but "Goldfinger" Tonelli was observed shooting dice with four friends for lunch at Joe's Fish Grotto on Friday. Lion Bill actually LOST and picked up the tab.

Birthday greetings to Carl Muehlendorf on Jan. 27th, Frances Spediacci on Jan. 30th and Ron Faina on Jan. 31st.

#### CONTRIBUTIONS SUPPORT RADIO FOR HANDICAPPED

Two Idaho Lions Clubs, Boise and Boise (Bench), recently made contributions totalling \$700 to the Radio Reading Services for the Blind and Physically Handicapped.

The contribution from the Boise club enabled the service to purchase a new set of headsets, and the Boise (Bench), Lions Club's contribution enabled the purchase of ten new recorders to be used by the volunteers.

#### COMING EVENTS

Jan. 22 Convention Meeting at the residence of Ron Faina, 8 P.M.  
Jan. 23 Board Meeting at the residence of Pete Bello.  
Jan. 26 Fil-Am L.C. Dinner-Disco at the Victoria Restaurant. \$11 per  
Jan. 30 No Meeting  
Feb. 1 G.-E. "Night At The Races"  
Feb. 6 Business Meeting  
Feb. 7 MD4 Convention at Pasadena  
Feb. 13 Past District Governors Nite  
Feb. 16 So. O' Market L.C. Annual Service Auction, Citizen's S & L, \$4 admission includes drinks and hors d'oeuvres.  
Feb. 20 Student Speakers Night