



GENEVA EXCELSIOR LIONS CLUB



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July 4th Meeting

Meeting was cancelled due to the July 4th holiday.

July 18th Installation of Officers

President Ward called the meeting to order. Salute to the flag was led by David DeMartini, and the invocation was given by Al Gentile. A total of 26 members, ladies and guests were in attendance.

May Wong treated the club to delicious hors d'oeuvres she prepared and brought. The club is grateful to her and to Viela duPont who brought chocolates and table decorations.

Treasurer Handford Clews distributed copies of his monthly report and a July 3rd letter from the Franchise Tax Board regarding an exemption application. The Board's requirements appear almost impossible to meet. The matter will be brought up at the upcoming Board Meeting.

Emily Powell turned in used eyeglasses to the club, and presented Balboa Certificates of Recognition to Ward Donnelly and Bill Graziano.

Ward Donnelly introduced PDG Eugene Chan from the Chinatown L.C. Lion Eugene called on Margine Sako and formally inducted her into the ranks of Lionism. Margine told of her background and employment. She grew up in Daly City and presently lives in St. Mary's Park. Then the Installing Officer called up the incoming club officers and board members, explained to them their respective duties and obligations, and formally installed them into their positions. Congratulations to Bob Quinn and all officers. Ward Donnelly reviewed his year in office and thanked his hard-working committee chair people.

The club's in-house printer Lyle Workman came through with memorable programs for this occasion.

BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES

7/9 Robert Lawhon; 7/18 Bobbi Damonte; 7/28 Calista Shea; 8/1 Bill Mayta; 8/3 Handford & Margot Clews; 8/7 Bob Fenech; 8/13 Bre Jones

COMING EVENTS

7/22 Cabinet Installation at So. S.F. Conference Center; 8/1 Board meeting; 8/15 Program

SHORTS

The club received an e-mail from Linda Cecchi in Minden, Nevada informing the club that former member Hugo Cecchi passed away recently at the age of 95. He was a member from 1960 to 1981. Hugo was a partner at Pine Lake Market, 1215 Vicente St. He was sponsored by Frank Bulleri.

This club's incoming Region 1 Chairman is Augusto Valera from the Fil-Am L.C. The club's Zone 1 Chairman is Carl Tebell from the Castro L.C.

Past District Governor John Benson of the Burlingame Lions Club passed away June 22nd.