



# GENEVA EXCELSIOR LIONS CLUB



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## October 2nd meeting

The meeting was called to order by President May Wong. Pledge to the flag was led by May and the invocation was given by Zenaida Lawhon. Introductions were conducted by David Demartini. A total of 11 members and 2 ladies were in attendance.

### Committee Reports

Viela duPont reported to date cash received for the Charity Raffle was \$18,950.00. (Did somebody purchase one-half of a ticket?)

Lyle Workman gave an update on the Football Pool.

Lyle Workman won \$2 in the Attendance Drawing. Handford Clews missed the \$57 in the Convention Raffle.

### Board Meeting

Treasurer Handford Clews reported California is requesting additional 990-ez reports. In all, two two additional form requests from the State and one from the Federal. He also stated he can not do this forever. A suggestion was made to hire a CPA, however it was not considered due to costs in hiring a professional. President May suggested that Handford recruit his grandson, a CPA, into joining the club and eventually taking over his duties.

There was a discussion of the club's Crab Feed. It concluded with a committee of Salet, Bottarini, Gentile, Clews and Z. Lawhon meeting with I.A.S.C. manager Julie Clima and report back to the club as to how the club will proceed.

There was also discussion on hosting the Turkey Luncheon at Mission Educational Center. May will contact again with the school to determine how many children will be served. As half of Monroe School is currently using M.E.C. while construction at Monroe is underway, she suggested that a bag lunch be provided to the Monroe students instead of a hot lunch. She explained that the space is small and it is too time consuming to serve two hot lunches, and with so few Lions able to participate, it would be more effective to serve one hot meal.

A notation was made to send a donation to the Lions Eye Foundation in memory of Mike Castagnetto. All agreed.

Lion Ward mentioned that the club's I.D. number should be included on the club's letterhead. This was in response to a referral for glasses that Lenscrafters required to proceed with referral.

## October 16th meeting

The meeting was called to order by President May Wong, who hosted with cookies. Pledge to the flag was led by Bob Fenech, and Ward Donnelly gave the invocation. A total of 11 club members plus 3 ladies were in attendance. David Demartini conducted introductions.

### Official Visit

This was the occasion of the district governor and members of his cabinet making their annual visit to the club. They were Governor Steve Picchi, 2nd Vice Governor Macy Mak Chan, Executive Director Richard Picchi, and Michael Chan and John Gill from the San Mateo L.C. Governor Steve gave a "State of the District" update. He presented chevron monarchs to the following G. – E. Lions in recognition of milestone years of membership: Bob Lawhon, Bob Fenech, Paul Corvi, Bill Mayta, Bill Graziano, Terence Lee, Bill Shea (50), Chas. Stuhr (60) and Chas. Bottarini (60). Steve brought and gave to the club copies of 1966 G. – E. bulletins handed down from then D.G. Si Moyer of the Half Moon Bay Lions.

Absent Margine Sake missed out on \$2 in the Attendance Drawing.

### BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES

10/10 Donna Francesconi; 10/12 Terry Garcia; 10/23 Handford Clews; 11/1 Lyle & Linda Workman; 11/6 Linda Workman

### COMING EVENTS

10/16 District Governor's visit; 11/6 49ers Night; 11/9 Cabinet Meeting; 11/24 Charity Raffle drawing