



# Geneva-Excelsior Lions Club

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## Meeting Digest 5-18-16

The meeting was called to order by Lion President Viela du Pont who also led the pledge. Invocation was given by Lion Bill Graziano. There were only seven Lions at the meeting, and it turned into mostly a yak session, so bulletin notes are a bit thin.

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## Y & C Raffle

Congratulations to Lion Bill Graziano and crew for leading us to receive the Alma & Rudy Laredo Perpetual Award for most tickets sold, the Greg Hugera Perpetual Award for most tickets sold per capita, and Sales Contest in club membership category of 1 to 29 members. We really cleaned up thanks to all our members and participants. We look forward to next year? Below: Members with all our spoils. From left: Sharon Eberhardt, George Salet, Viela du Pont, Ward Donnelly, Lyle Workman, and Steve Martin.



Below: Lion May Wong (left) receiving the proceeds from the Y & C Raffle from District Governer Macy Mak Chan.



The numbers are in and we sold over 25,000 tickets and our Club has forwarded \$12,191 in proceeds to organizations selling tickets; our net was a generous \$6,785. Our purchasers won 9 of the 50 overall prizes. Great work! Lion Bill Graziano made it clear that he will not lead the Y & C Raffle next year and beyond. New leadership will be found.

## Board Meeting

The meeting was called to order and the minutes of the previous meeting were approved. A Treasurer's Report was not available, but he will furnish as much info as possible as we transition to a new Treasurer. A short discussion of Grant Awards was held; discussed were Balboa High School, Clinic by the Bay, Teen Challenge, as well as others. The possibility of having awardees present info at our Club as well as the needs of senior services and the needs of the area were discussed. The Excelsior Collaborative is holding a dinner on Friday, June 17th, 5:30 PM, and could be a source for new awardees.

## 4C4 Convention

This years 4C4 Convention was held at the Red Lion Hotel WoodLake Conference Center, 500 Leisure Lane, Sacramento. Lions Ward Donnelly and May Wong attended; they picked up our accolades from the District on the Youth & Community Raffle. Lion May provided several photos with our thanks.

## Donations - Think About It

We'll be discussing more about this year's donations at an upcoming meeting. Start thinking about who we should give to.

## Transition to New Officers

There was a discussion of how we transition to officers and chairman, and who takes care of what. More discussion may be necessary; check with some of the members who been around the block a few times to see how it's been done.

## 2016-2017 Club Officers

The Installation has been set for Saturday, July 16th at the Basque Cultural Center. Pricing info to follow. Lion PCC Emil Kantola will be the installing officer. The cost will be \$55 per person with the reservations going to Lion Viela du Pont. A flyer is attached or emailed.

## Attendance Raffle & Mystery Lion

**5-18:** Attendance Raffle winner was Lion Bre Jones who missed out on \$2.00; the last Mystery Lion, Lion Bob Fenech, failed to appoint a new Mystery Lion. He will be visited by the Tail Twister. **6-4:** Attendance Raffle winner was Lion Ed Damonte who missed out on \$4.00; Lion Bob still has not appointed a new Mystery Lion.

## Etcetera

Lion Al Gentile is recovering from surgery to remove skin cancer. He's doing well rom reports received.

Attendance for the month of May was 54%.

The team of Jim Zimmer, Toni Perrin, Bob Fenech, and Robert Rice won the 2016 CALI Golf Tournament in Rancho Mirage with a 4 under score of 67 (in 104 degree heat.) Has Bob been sand-bagging us?

Thanks to Lion May Wong for sharing continuing to share photos with the editor. Any club photos can be sent to Lion Lyle Workman.

## Birthdays and Anniversaries

6/22 Lion Zenaida Lawhon; 7/9 Lion Bob Lawhon

## Coming Events

6/15 Regular Lions Meeting

7/16 Installation of Officers

7/30 District 4C4 Installation with Int'l. President as Installing Officer.

## Dorothy Pearson

The Club sends its deepest condolences to the Peason family on the passing of Dorothy Pearson. She passed away on June 7th. Howard Pearson was a member of our club from July, 1982 until his passing in February 2000.

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**GENEVA EXCELSIOR LIONS CLUB INSTALLATION of OFFICERS**

**PLACE:** Basque Cultural Center  
599 Railroad Avenue  
South San Francisco, CA 94080  
**DATE:** Saturday, July 16, 2016  
**TIME:** 5:30 pm Reception  
6:30 pm Dinner  
**PRICE** \$55.00 per person

***A DELICIOUS THREE COURSE MEAL***  
***(salad, soup, bread, entrée, coffee and dessert)***  
***ENTRÉE CHOICE***  
Rack of Lamb  
Salmon with Champagne Sauce  
Vegetarian Pasta

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Please make checks payable to:

**Geneva Excelsior Lions Club** and mail to: Viela du Pont, 327 Lisbon St., San Francisco, CA 94112 Phone # 415-314-5075

Lion Name \_\_\_\_\_ Dinner Choice \_\_\_\_\_

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