



Geneva-Excelsior Lions Club

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Meeting Digest 8-17-16

The meeting was called to order by Lion President Sharon Eberhardt; Lion Lyle Workman led the pledge. Lion Bill Graziano gave the invocation. Introductions were led by Lion Tail Twister Bob Fenech. Stephanie Cajina of the Excelsior Action Group was again a guest of Lion May Wong; she last visited on July 6th. There were a total of 8 members present.

District 4C4 has, once again, been reorganized. Our Club is now in Region 4, Zone 3. Leadership for our Zone and Region will be listed in the upcoming District Rooster which should be distributed at Saturday's First Cabinet Meeting.

Lion May Wong has volunteered to bring biscotti to the upcoming Rocky Lombardi Memorial Wine Tasting on October 9th to benefit the Lions Eye Foundation. They are looking for participation from Clubs in the District to enhance the event.

Lion Bill Graziano will be the guiding Lion on the Youth & Community Raffle this year; Lion Viela du Pont will chair. Lion Bill discussed the prep work letting us know that at least 10 groups need to be contacted. Lots and lots of work needs to be done before, during and after ticket sales through members and groups.

Football pool is underway; lists have been sent to members and supporters. Funds will be coming in and prep work completed; sheets will be sent out when most of the players have sent in their funds.

Another discussion of the budget for the year; the big question is if the groups wanting our help will visit us during the year before we donate to them. A reformatted budget format was presented; the budget will be discussed and finalized at the next meeting on Sept. 7th.

The Police, Firefighters & Sheriff Awards was discussed. Questions were: Are we going to sponsor one person in each category?; How have we done or gotten sponsorees in the past? The consensus was we'd sponsor one in each category and that letters would go the Chief of each department, a list would be compiled and we'd be able to choose from that list when the list becomes available. More to come.

Attendance Raffle & Mystery Lion

Attendance Raffle winner was Lion Rebecca Chin who missed out on \$100.00 for not being present; Lion Viela du Pont was the Mystery Lion and had no victims.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

9/1 Rosalinda Corvi; 9/2 Diane Johnson; 9/11 Al Fregosi.

Etcetera

Nothing new in the trivia department; let me know if anything is happening.

Coming Events

9/7 Business & Board Meeting

9/12 First game of the year for the 49ers; Monday Night Football

9/21 Program Meeting

District Events of Interest

The Millbrae Lions will be hosting a celebration of Lion George Habeeb's many years of service; Lion George is 99 years old and still going strong. September 30th at the Basque Cultural Center.

From the Web

Check this out if you've wondered how various age groups give: [The Next Generation of American Giving](#). Do we need to think of new ways for others to participate with us if we want to get new and younger members?