

Geneva-Excelsior Lions Club

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Meeting Digest 9-5-18

The meeting was called to order by Lion President George Salet. Lion WarD Donnelly led the Pledge of Allegiance. The invocation was offered by Lion Bob Lawhon. A total of 11 members were in attendance.

Lion Tail Twister Bob Fenech went to work on introductions; the question of the day was "What was your motivation for joining Lions?" Responses were a mixture of motivations from wanting to do some good to not knowing why they joined. We're still glad they're here. Lion Bob, once again, did a badge and pin check. Several Lions were fined for not having such. *Consider yourself warned!*

Guest Speaker

S.F.P.D. Captain Jack Hart from Ingleside Station will be our guest speaker at the September 19th meeting. He may be speaking on what's going on in our area and how we can lend a hand.

Football Fundraiser



The season has begun to a subdued crowd. Winners from the first game are Bob Fenech, Fita Toki, Mick Dimas, Marie Annuzzi, and Art Galla. Many more to come. Volume 69, No. 5, September 12, 2018

Youth & Community Raffle



Phase 1 is just about to begin. That's distribution of tickets to selling groups. A few groups have not responded, so they'll be contacted. Right now, everything is according to plan. Any ideas, let me know.

Crab Feed

Lion Bob Fenech will be reserving the Yacht Club for the Crab Feed. He'll be checking on February 23rd and March 2nd.

Board Meeting

The meeting was called to order and the Minutes of the Previous Board Meeting were approved as read. The Treasurer's Report was approved as emailed; 4 members have late dues. Report was approved. Attendance for August was 56%. There was no further new or old business so the meeting was adjourned. Meeting was kind of like an express freight train going through.

Attendance Raffle & Mystery Lion

Attendance Raffle winner was Lion Steve Martin who grabbed up \$1,200. The Mystery Lion was Lion Bob Fenech - his only victim was Lion Joe Farrah.

From the Inbox

8/26/18 from Lions International - The September issue of Lion Magazine is available online and through the Lion app for your phone. Many more things are going digital - perhaps more than we'd like, but we better deal with it.

9/2/18 Very long time supporter Randy Tonelli, son of our past Lion Bill Tonelli, passed away on July 28th. Our condolences to the Tonelli and Mandoli families.

9/4/18 District 4-C4 Newsletter came out via email. If you'd like to read, let the editor know. A little short on substance, but a lot of photos.

Etcetera

Below is **Lion Steve Martin**, newly minted San Francisco Deputy Sheriff. He's happy to have graduated and to be done with bootcamp.



Linnie Faina recently sent in a collection of Lions pins (5 baggies full) and a stack of photos from Lion Ron Faina's time as a member. They'll be added to our collection in due course. Some great photos - many unseen since the sixties and seventies.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

9/11 Happy Birthday to Al Fregosi! **9/20** Happy Birthday to Millie Gaw!

Coming Events

9/19 Lions Meeting
10/14 70th Anniversary Celebration of the Brisbane Lions
10/17 District Governor's Official Visitation to our Club
11/14 World Diabetes Day

A ton of events around the District are shown in the District 4-C4 Weekly Thread email which is forwarded to all members that want it, and linked under Upcoming Events on the District website. If you don't have an email address, get one.

Members with email: Look in your inboxes in the next few days for an email allowing you to subscribe to emails I receive from the District, International, and more. More and more info is being sent out via email and you might want to read some of it.

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