



Geneva-Excelsior Lions Club

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Meeting Digest 4-17-19

The meeting was called to order by Lion President George Salet after which Lion Lyle Workman took over to conduct the Youth & Community Raffle drawing. The pledge and invocation were skipped, as were the introductions. 7 Lions were present.

District 4-C4 Convention

The District 4-C4 Convention is quickly approaching. The "Carnival" will be held May 2-5 at the Red Lion Inn in Redding. Lion Sharon Eberhardt will be going - who else?

Student Speaker Contest

Our contestant in the Student Speaker Contest, Michael Gray from Archbishop Riordan High School, has won the District contest and will be advancing to the Area 2 contest. The contest will take place on Saturday, May 11th at 2 p.m. at Tierra Linda Middle School in San Carlos. It would be great if some members can show up and show our support. Lion Joe Farrah reports that Jeanette Pavini was our last contestant to go to upper levels many years ago.

Guest Speaker

Lion Sharon Eberhardt has invited the Director of the Excelsior Boys and Girls Club to come to the May 15th meeting and tell us about their Summer Camp and other programs we might be interested in supporting. They do scholarships for kids who can't afford the fees to go.

Youth & Community Raffle



Drawing: Lion Lyle Workman conducted the Youth & Community Raffle drawing by having members present draw winning tickets in turn. Present were Lions Eberhardt, Donnelly, Fenech, Workman, Graziano, Farrah, and Salet. It went very quickly with no winners present. A complete list of winners is available on our website. The things left to do: count the money and spend it.

Etcetera

The meeting turned into one of the infrequent talking sessions where everyone talked about what interested them. Topics were DNA testing kits and their results; what we eat traditionally, as families (each member told their family's story in turn); and other fraternal and service clubs and where clubs will be in the future.

Attendance Raffle & Mystery Lion

Attendance Raffle was not held. The Mystery Lion was a no show, again.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

None for the next few weeks

From the Inbox

If any Lion, or other person, wants to see the emails this info came from, **email me** and let me know what you're interested in. They'll be available for a short time.

International President's Message: Info on Marketing: 101 and ways to promote your Club; Raising Awareness through Social Media; and Special Membership Awards.

LCIF Campaign 100 Tip of the Week: LCIF has helped Lions improve the world for more than 50 years, providing \$1+ billion to fund local projects around the world. Still, many Lions aren't familiar with LCIF and the service it's made possible for them. Stories of help and hope on our blog help tell the story. Make sure you club members know they can access the blog easily from our website.

From the Web

An interesting article penned by Darius Foroux titled **"11 Unproductive Habits You Want to Quit"** on the Pocket website.

From Facebook



4/24/19 - Lions Emily Palmer and Joe Farrah catching up after running into each other at Lunardi's Market. From Terry Farrah.

Coming Events

- 5/1 Business & Board Meeting
- 5/2-5 District 4-C4 Convention, Redding
- 5/11 Area 2 Student Speaker Contest
- 5/15 Lions Meeting with guest speaker

Blast from the Past

PDF of original available on our website

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by Lion Jack Parodi

NEXT WEEK'S PROGRAM

Next week will be the Annual Past Presidents Night. On this evening, we honor all the past presidents of the Geneva-Excelsior Lions Club. Plan now to attend this gala affair.

LAST WEEK'S MEETING

Last week's Father-Son Night turned out very well. There were 32 Lions in attendance and 37 children and 6 guests. Mr. Metcalf, sports announcer from Channel 11, showed movies on drag racing. Frank Silva demonstrated a fire-proof suit which is worn by race drivers.

VISITATION

Monday, Feb. 14th, there will be a Ladies Night bus trip to the San Lorenzo Valley Lions Club in Felton. If you are planning to attend please contact Lion Al Kleinbach for reservations. Only 38 seats are available on the bus. Price of the evening will be announced next week.

YOUTH GUIDANCE

January 30th is the next party at the Youth Guidance Center. Lion Al Gentile will be the chairman. His committee consists of Lions:

Joe Armanini, Andy Baxter and Art Blum.
Please arrange for someone to go in your
place if you cannot attend yourself.

YOUTH WELFARE

Have you sold any Youth & Welfare tickets???
Lion Ernie Loconsolo would like the books
turned in to him as soon as they are sold.
Remember there will be prizes for the 3 men
who sold the most books, so let's get busy.

COMING EVENTS

Jan. 26th, Past Presidents Night, Chuck
Wagon

Feb. 14th, Ladies Night Visitation, Felton

Feb. 15th, International Counsel, Chuck
Wagon

March 1st, Student Speaker Contest, Son of
Italy

BOWLING

Last week the Vigliachs won 2 games and lost
1. Lion Ken Edwards bowled a 215 game and
Lion Bob Woodall came through with a 515
series. Team No. 1 tied 1 game and lost 2.
Lion Ron Faina bowled a 500 series.

HUMOR

A young man approached his family physician
and said: "Doc, I'm afraid you'll have to
remove my wife's tonsils one of these days."
"My good man," replied the doctor, "I
removed them six years ago. Did you ever
see or hear of a woman having two sets of
tonsils?" "No," the husband retorted, "but
you've heard of a man having two wives,
haven't you??"

Yours in Lionism, Jack Parodi

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