



# Geneva-Excelsior Lions Club

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## Meeting Digest 1/4/23

The meeting was called to order by Lion President Bob Lawhon. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Lion Sharon Eberhardt. The invocation was given by Lion Zenaida Lawhon. Introductions were handled by Lion Lyle Workman. 6 of our Lions were in attendance: Bob & Zenaida Lawhon, Lyle Workman, Joe Farrah, Sharon Eberhardt, and Paul Corvi

## Correspondence

Reported by Lion Secretary Joe Farrah:

- MD-4 Regional Leadership Institute.
- MD-4 February 24-25 Convention and Delegate Form.

## During the Business Meeting

Also discussed during the meeting was:

- The Kleinbach Family and Hilda's Pastries in Auburn and if the Kleinbach family still participates in our Football fundraiser.

## Board Meeting

Covered in a quick meeting:

- Roll call and quorum.
- Minutes of the previous Board meeting.
- Treasurer's report.
- Screening: Clinic by the Bay's year end appeal has not been reported on.

## Upcoming Meetings

- **January 18th:** Our Student Speaker Contest; **see more below.**
- **February 1st:** The District Governor's Official Visit; please plan on attending. Installation of our new member, JP Verzosa, may be included.

## Before and After

Member discussions before the meeting:

- Cruise destinations and a Club cruise taken way back in the 70s or 80s.
- Losing power and Vont lanterns.
- Zenaida's sister's medical problems and continuing care.
- What those present did for New Year's Eve - not much was reported.
- Elder care facilities and costs.
- Paul in Cabo, their Covid problems, and finding medical care.

Member discussions after the meeting:

- Sunday on KQED: Ken Burns new video "U. S. and the Holocaust."
- Joe's computer mouse needing batteries.
- Paul and Rosalinda's U.S. travels.
- The Daily Wire: "What is a Woman?"



Lion Paul Corvi set January 18th as the date for our Club contest - live at the Italian American Social Club. The theme this year is: **"Social Media: Connects Us or Isolates Us?"**

We'll have one speaker this year, so far, and Lion Paul will need the help of several members during the contest. ***Please make every effort to attend and help as needed.***

- crab or from up north; pricing is not available yet.
- Members should start thinking about getting their groups and guests together; invite as many as possible.
- Flyers and tickets are available from our website or by phone.
- Tickets must be paid for in advance.
- Discussion of our Facebook postings for the event. If you see it, share with all your friends to spread the word.



## Lions Youth & Community Activities Raffle

### Up to the minute stats:

**Members:** No changes; members have ordered 113 books of tickets and sponsored \$4,350.00 in prizes and ads.

**Friends & Family:** A total of 408 books of tickets have been purchased via our Friends & Family supporters. Hopefully, a few more will be spoken for.

**Selling Groups:** To date, 1683 books have been sent out to various groups working with us. 68 books have been returned by one group and they have already received their \$476 in earnings. It would be great if one or two more groups would partner with us.



Winners on 12/24: 1st Quarter: Bernie Heckenkemper; 2nd Quarter: Al Fregosi; 3rd Quarter: Kleinbach & Bottarini (donated back to our Club); Final: Marvin Nasrah; Reverse: Bob Fenech.

- Price per person is set at \$70.00.
- Crab should be available, either local

Winners on 1/1: 1st Quarter: Jilda Gumina;  
2nd Quarter & Reverse: R. S. Reinertson; 3rd  
Quarter: Mick Dimas; Final: Joe & Catherine  
Kleinbach.

## Our Coming Events

**1/18** Regular and Student Speaker Contest  
live meeting @ IASC.

**2/1** Business & Board Zoom Meeting and  
District Governor's Official Visit.

## Birthdays & Anniversaries

**1/14** Happy Birthday to Lion Joe Farrah!

**1/15** Happy Birthday to Lion Ward Donnelly!



"Happy New Year" from Lion Paul &  
Rosalinda Corvi who were in Cabo San Lucas  
for the new year. They were taking care of  
Rosalinda's father and stepmother.



## Around the District

### January 2023

**Wednesday, January 4**

**Lions Day at Disneyland**

**Friday, January 6**

Peninsula Special Interest: **10th Annual  
Diabetes Lobster Fest UPDATED**

**Saturday, January 7**

**Multiple Clubs Blood Drive**

**Sunday, January 15**

Save the date: **District 4-C4 Plastic Film**

**Recycling Drop Off**

**Monday, January 23**

Save the date: **Peninsula Council of Lions  
Clubs Meeting**

**Saturday, January 28 - Monday, January 30**

**MD-4 Lions Leadership Institute - Santa  
Rosa**

**Saturday, January 28**

San Carlos: **Crab Feed**

### February 2023

**Saturday, February 11**

Save the Date: **District 4-C4 Third Cabinet  
Meeting**

**Saturday, February 25**

SF Geneva-Excelsior: **Crab Feed**

**Sunday, February 26**

Save the date: **District 4-C4 Region 4  
Pediatric Cancer Fundraising Event**

### March 2023

**Friday, March 3**

**Lions Day with the UN**

## From the Inbox

About Lions International including:

- From Douglas Alexander, LCIF Chair:  
December LCIF News. Available online.

**From the far corners of the web:**

- The Coolest Space Images of 2022.
- The 26 Most Anticipated Movies of 2023.
- How to Ask Good Questions.

**From Multiple District MD-4 including:**

- Santa Rosa Regional Leadership Institute. Available online.

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