



Geneva-Excelsior Lions Club

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Meeting Digest 12-3-25

The meeting was called to order, sort of, by Lion Treasurer Lyle Workman. Formalities were dispensed with. Four of our Lions were in attendance: Lyle Workman, Bob & Zenaida Lawhon, and George Salet. A late arriving guest was Lion Aaron Straus.

The meeting mostly consisted of numerous topics, some Lion's matters, and a bunch of other topics. Not much there there.

Correspondence

Received was:

- Lions Eye Foundation Fall/Winter News.

Business Meeting

Discussed was:

- Lion Bob Lawhon's continuing audio problem. A referral was made to someone who might be able to help.
- Lack of progress on our Crab Feed.
- Attendance; where's Sharon?
- Mission Education Christmas with Santa: They have not responded, perhaps due to a change in management.

Board Meeting

Budgeted and sent out:

- \$1,000 to SF/Marin Food Bank.
- \$200 to the Student Speaker Foundation.
- \$100 to Lions Float, Inc.

C & B and Standing Rules Changes

Discussed and approved by all present and to be sent to all members for a vote:


- **Constitution & Bylaws change:** Change definition of a quorum for Board meetings to 3 board members being present to establish a quorum. Requires 2/3 vote of all members to pass.
- **Standing Rules change:** Increase Entrance Fee from \$50 to \$75 to account for increased costs. Requires simple majority vote to pass.

If you have not sent in your vote, please do so ASAP. Only 8 of our 18 members have bothered to cast their vote - come on people!

Storage Items

All of the stored items have been removed. Lion George Salet took a few items to the dump and took several items and stored them in his warehouse. Lion Lyle Workman took home a butt load of files and raffle boxes and needs to go through them. Many will be tossed out.





Geneva-Excelsior Lions Club
39th Annual Marinated
CRAB FEED

Saturday, February 28, 2026
 No Host Cocktails 6:00 PM Dinner served at 7:00 PM

Star of the Sea Gymnasium
 4420 Geary Boulevard @ 8th Avenue, San Francisco
 see map on reverse
 Free Parking in lot behind church;
 entrance on 8th Avenue

Admission per person TBD
 Dinner includes salad, pasta & marinated crab,
 and also includes bread & butter, coffee & dessert
 Chicken available with 24 hour advance notice

All remittances to:
 Geneva-Excelsior Lions Club
 Lion Lyle Workman
 1039 Santa Lucia Dr.
 Pittsburg, CA 94565

For tickets contact a GE Lions member or
 Lion Lyle Workman 925.458.0103
 Reserve tickets online @
www.genevaexcelsiorlions.com



Lions Youth & Community Activities Raffle

Work continues on this year's Lions Youth & Community Activities Raffle and there is nothing new to report.



Game 11 winners: 1st quarter: Carrie Sambel; 2nd & 3rd quarters: Larry Genolio; final: Nietas Solis; reverse final: Salet.

Game 12 winners: 1st quarter: Bernie Heckenkemper; 2nd quarter: Ward Donnelly III; 3rd quarter: Marvin Nasrah; final: Marlene Picchi; reverse final: Art Galla.

Game 13 winners: 1st quarter: Mick Dimas; 2nd quarter: Aaron Straus; 3rd quarter: Sean Santiago; final: Joe Luchini; reverse final: Art Galla.

This editor is sorry to report that there has been no movement on the planning of our Crab Feed. More encouraging news may come out of our next meeting and is needed very badly.

Our Coming Events

- 12/17 Regular Lions Meeting @ IASC. Bring Christmas spirit!
- 12/25 Merry Christmas!
- 12/31 Happy New Year!
- 1/7 Business & Board Meeting via Zoom.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 12/18 Happy 58th Anniversary to Lions Zenaida & Robert Lawhon!
- 12/19 Happy Birthday to Jackie Lowe!
- 12/29 Happy Birthday to Lion Sharon Eberhardt!
- 12/30 Happy Birthday to Lion Rebecca Chen!

Etcetera



Around the District

December 2025

Friday, December 19

SF Ocean Ingleside: **Holiday Gift Bag Give-A-Way NEW**

Save the date: SF Bay Area Educators Cyber: **Charter Event**

January 2026

Saturday, January 3– Sunday, January 11

LCI Week of Service - Hunger: **CA Lions Service Challenge**

Saturday, January 10

Save the date: Bay Area Global Outreach: **New Year Celebration & Induction of New Members**

Sunday, January 11

District 4-C4 Region 3: **Service at St Anthony Foundation**

Wednesday, January 14

District 4-C4: **LCIF Fundraiser NEW**

Saturday, January 17

Save the date: San Carlos: **Whiskey Tasting**

Friday, Jan 23 - Sunday, January 25

MD-4 Regional Lions Leadership Institute – Sacramento

From the Inbox

About Lions International including:

- Your December Club Digest.
- December Mission 1.5 Bulletin.
- **From Intl President A.P. Singh:** Change starts with you.
- Register now for LDUN NY 2026.

From the far corners of the web including:

- Associated Press 100 Photos of 2025: AP photos that defined the year.
- The 10 Most Popular Recipes of 2025, According To Google.
- 15 Lazy Holiday Sides For When You Need A Dish, And You Need It Fast.

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