



Geneva-Excelsior Lions Club

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Meeting Digest 7-15-26

The meeting was called to order by Lion President Stephen Martin. The Pledge of Allegiance and invocation were skipped. Four of our Lions were in attendance: Stephen Martin, Lyle Workman, George Leeds, and George Salet.

During the Meeting

As there was not much Lions business to attend to, those present took time to move from one subject, to another. No notes were taken, so your guess is as good as mine as to what was talked about.

We Don't Need No Stinkin' Badges?

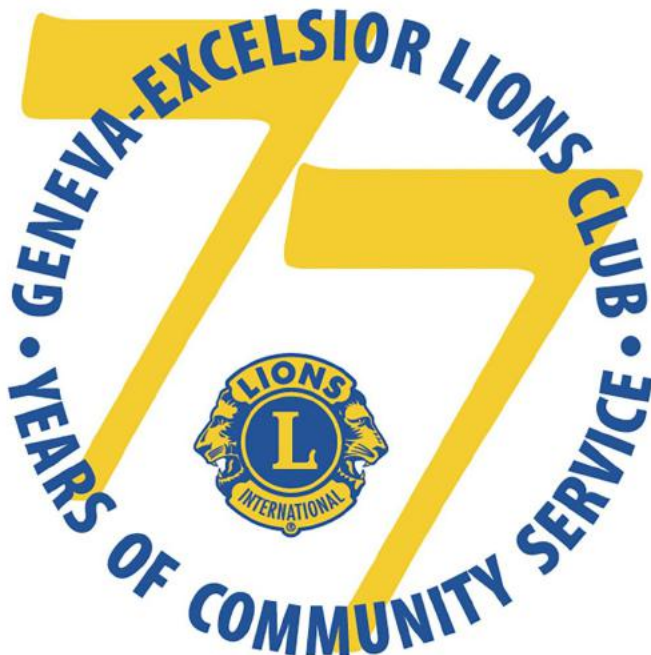


2025-26 LCIF (?) banner patch.



2025-26 Wilderness Camp for the Deaf banner patch received for our sponsorship of a child to the camp.

On top of the two above, a 2024-2025 LCIF Average Donation per Member patch showed up. Wonder who's been holding on to this one for two years?





Lions Youth & Community Activities Raffle

- **Ads & Sponsors:** Letters will be going out to those who have sponsored in the past. We're starting out with a deficit this year: Two of our long time sponsors passed away this past year. Lion Ward Donnelly and Margot Clews, our only outside sponsor, who together sponsored \$700. The chairman hopes the membership digs deep to make this up, and perhaps, lines up some new outside sponsors. As always, we need to raise \$4000.00 just to hold the raffle. Sponsors don't need to send in funds now, just commit to sponsoring. Commitments have already started as shown in the graphic.
- **Marketing:** Facebook, and starting this year, Instagram posts have began and will continue every Monday and Friday, twice per day, through the end of November looking for new groups to participate. If you see the post please like and share it to your Facebook and Instagram feed.

If you don't know about any of this, have forgotten, or are interested - just ask!



Work has begin soon on this year's Lions Football:

We have a similar problem on this fundraiser as the Youth & Community Raffle. Two of our long time players passed away this past year. Lion Ward Donnelly, who handled 7-8 squares, and Margot Clews who had 1.

We do have several people on the waiting list, but will have several extra square available. Let the chairman know if interested.

Our Coming Events

8/5 Business & Board Meeting via Zoom.

8/19 Regular Lions Meeting @ IASC.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

8/7 Happy Birthday to Lion Bob Fenech!

8/12 Happy Anniversary to Jackie & Lion Gerald Lowe!

Etcetera



Enjoying dinner with family at Ti Amo. On the left, Joe & Nick Farrah, with family on the right.



From Facebook

Around the District

July 2026

Wednesday, July 29

Bay Area Special Olympics: **Installation & Membership Dinner**

August 2026

Saturday, August 8

Bay Area Global Outreach: **Glitz & Glam Fundraiser**

Sunday, August 9

SF Chinatown: **Installation**

Sunday, August 19

Save the date: SF Unified: **Picnic Installation & Induction of New Members**

Saturday, August 29

Save the date: **District 4-C4 1st Cabinet/District Meeting**

September 2026

Friday, September 18

Daly City Host: **Pasta Bingo**

SF Dynamic, SF Healthcare Providers Cyber,

SF Bay Area Educators Cyber: **Installation**

NEW

Sunday, September 20

Pacifica: **Installation**

October 2026

Sunday, October 11

SF Latinos Unidos: **Health Fair**

Saturday, October 17

Save the Date: San Carlos: **Texas BBQ with a bit of Memphis Dinner**

November 2026

Saturday, November 7

Save the date: **District 4-C4 2nd Cabinet/District Meeting**

From the Inbox

About Lions International including:

- **From LCIF Chair A.P. Singh:** Welcome to a new Lion year.
- USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum.
- Welcome 2026-2027 Club Officers including:
 - Club Officers Guide.
 - Best Practice for Financial Transparency.
 - Weeks of Service Initiative.

About Multiple District 4 including:

- MD4 California Project Share 26-27.
- Lions Float Texas Hold 'em Poker Tournament.

About District 4-C4 including:

- Greetings from several new District Officers.
- A District Directory is available online. It is restricted to leadership.
- The District Hub (Thread 2.0) is available online here.

From the far corners of the web including:

- Our 10 Most-Saved Pastas for Lazy Summer Nights.
- This 20-Minute Morning Ritual Can Boost Your Energy All Day Long—And It's Surprisingly Simple.
- 15 Easy One-Pot Dinners Kids Actually Love.
- “Better Than Baked Beans!”: Why Cowboy Beans Are the Easy Side to Serve All Summer.

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