



# Geneva-Excelsior Lions Club

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## Meeting Digest 6-19-24

The meeting was called to order by Lion President Stephen Martin. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Lion President Stephen Martin. Invocation was offered by Lion Bob Lawhon. Introductions were handled by Lion Tail Twister Bob Fenech. 9 of our Lions were in attendance: Stephen Martin, Lyle Workman, Bill Graziano, Bob & Zenaida Lawhon, Joe Farrah, George Salet, George Leeds, and Coni Binaley.

In addition to our members, present at the beginning of the meeting were, L to R below, Marcia Parrott (F'63), Vickie Hackett (S'71), and Jorge Leiva ('89), representing the Balboa Alumni Association. They gave us a good breakdown of where/how our donations are spent. They departed before the meeting started.



Vickie Hackett adding her view of how our donations are spent.

## Covered During the Meeting

- The Balboa JROTC was talked about briefly during the Balboa Alumni discussion.
- Lion Stephen Martin gave us additional details on the recent 4-C4 Convention in Redding.



Banner patches received at the 4-C4 Convention from the Lions Eye Foundation.

## 2024-25 Installation of Officers

Immediate Past President Bob Lawhon has contacted the Basque Cultural Center about our event, which could be happening on July 17th, our second meeting in July. Preliminary

info shows the cost could be \$60 per person, up slightly from last year's \$57. Decision may not be made until the Business & Board meeting. Stay tuned and plan on being there.

## Meeting Change Confirmed

In a 9 - 0 vote, those members present voted to end our Zoom meetings which have replaced our first meeting of the month since January 2020. **Please note:** our meeting on July 3rd will be a Zoom meeting because the IASC will be closed.

## Etcetera



6-10-24 - Margot Clews' 90th Birthday, Sharp Park Restaurant, Pacifica - Enjoying themselves are, L to R, Terri Farrah, Bob Lawhon, Linda Workman, Lyle Workman, Zenaida Lawhon, and Joe Farrah.



6-10-24 - L to R: Joe, Terri, Deena, and Nick Farrah. Enjoying an early Father's Day at Original Joe's Westlake.

## Our Coming Events

7/3 Business & Board Meeting via Zoom; our last Zoom unless something comes up.

7/4 Independence Day

7/17 Installation of Officers; keep an eye out for more info.

## Birthdays & Anniversaries

7/9 Happy Birthday to Lion Bob Lawhon!

## Attendance Raffle

Since it was the last meeting of the fiscal year, we drew names until there was a winner - it didn't take long. Lion George Salet cleaned out the funds, a whopping \$140.00, and then donated it all back to the Activities fund. Nice!

## Around the District

### July 2024

Thursday, July 4

Half Moon Bay: **4th of July Pancake Breakfast**

Foster City & Foster City Bair Island Cyber:

**Foster City 4th of July Celebration**

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED FOR THIS 4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION. Come down volunteer a couple of hours and enjoy live music, food trucks, vendors and, of course, FIREWORKS SHOW. Details are at the bottom of the flyer.

**Saturday, July 6**

Multiple Clubs: **Blood Drive**

**Sunday, July 7**

Silicon Valley: **Annual Picnic**

San Mateo Metropolitan: **Installation**

**Tuesday, July 9**

San Mateo & Peninsula Special: **Interest Annual Restaurant Walk**

**Friday, July 12**

Burlingame: **Installation**

**Sunday, July 14**

Foster City: **Installation**

SF Unified: **Get Your Rear in Gear**

**Friday, July 26**

Save the date: San Bruno: **Installation**

**Saturday, July 27**

San Carlos: **Fundraiser for Mahaney Hall**

**August 2024**

**Saturday, August 10**

District 4-C4: **Cabinet Installation**

**Saturday, August 17**

Millbrae: **Millbrae Machines**

Peninsula Special Interest: **Medical Clinic**



6-16-24 - from Roxanne Gentile's Facebook - May 2018 - Dad, Al Gentile, in his childhood happy place, Aquatic Park; in a whale boat no less. He was on the Galileo High School Whaleboat racing team in the 1940s.

## From the Inbox



**About Lions International** including:

- **From Intl. President Dr. Patti Hill:** Celebrating our service. Available online.
- **From Brian Sheehan, LCIF Chair:** Your June LCIF News. Available online.

**About District 4-C4** including:

- Planning Service for 2024-25. Available online.

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

- The Science of Having a Great Conversation.
- How to Survive a Long Flight.

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