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This week

Our Special Guest today is Annette Warren who will be bringing her best friend, Fido, a young guide dog in training. She is with Guide Dogs of America in Sylmar. Met us at Lions White Cane Days by the way. Good things happen when we go a begin'.

Next week

Lion IVP Jim PLISKY provided your BE with two months of programs a while back. Unfortunately, today's program was the last one he sent.



Last Week

It was the last Friday of the month, and miracles of miracles, it was open.

Winners

Lion C Andy STAY has Free Fines today, while Lion 2VP Roman VAISMAN is our Greeter. After Lion Andy picked up his \$30 Attendance Prize last week, Lion Dr. Richard FIGUROA had his name pulled for \$5. Of course, Lion Richard hasn't attended a meeting since Teddy Roosevelt was President, so he didn't qualify. Today we'll draw for \$10. In the Mad Marble Malarkey, Lion 3VP Tom CONTRERAS had his ticket punched for

\$166, but plucked the colored orb.

Adopt-A-Poll

One of the activities we can perform and earn Admin money is the Adopt-a-poll. We will get paid for our activity. We need about 6 people at all times and it is a long day. We also need to have one Spanish speaker available at all times. Lions LT Dick MAGGIO and BE Toby SCOTT will be there the whole time (with meal breaks). Lion Pat RIGGS will be there quite a bit. But we still need a huge effort from the club to pull this off. If you haven't, please volunteer. Lion Pat has the volunteer list.

District Convention

Our District Convention in Paso Robles begins today and runs through Sunday. All incoming Presidents, Treasurers and Secretaries are required to attend, but in typical Noontimer fashion, they probably won't.

Our Bulletin Editor, Lion Toby SCOTT will be attending and voting. We should get a report next meeting.

On Saturday there will be sessions on what the various officers should do, how to recruit new members, how to create effective fundraisers and what new laws affect our clubs and what we need to do to protect ourselves. Nothing there a Noontimer would need to know.

New Event

The Oxnard Harbor District will be holding their First Annual Banana Festival on either September 8 or 15. They will sell booths very inexpensively, but organizations will have to create some kind of banana dish and give it away. They will also be able to sell other food or items to raise funds. Lion D Will BERG, Director of Marketing for the Harbor District, has offered us a booth. He will be working at the event, so we will need a lot of other Noontimers to volunteer. Please keep the dates open.



Welcome New Member

What a welcome your BE had for our new member last week. At the Bored meeting we welcomed a new member, but in typical Noontimer fashion, your BE misspelled his name. Our new member is Lion Pat OROZCO (last name was spelled "Orosco" last week).

We certainly hope that he receives a better welcoming from our members in the meeting than he did from our something less than illustrious Bulletin Editor.

calendar

- May 4-6 _____ District Convention, Paso Robles
- May 28 _____ Lion S Jeff NORRIS' birthday
- May 30 _____ Bored Meeting, Lion C Andy STAY's house
- June 5 _____ Noontimers Adopt-A-Poll for the election: 7 AM to 9 PM
- June 8 _____ Tentative date for Installation of Suckers
- July 1 _____ New Suckers take office
- Sept. 8 or 15 ___ Banana Festival at Oxnard Harbor. We will give away a banana dish and sell something else