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[This week](#)

There is no program listed on the club's Google calendar, nor has your BE received any notice of a speaker. If you are a speaker, please be aware that Noontimers are a special breed and advance-planning was bred out of them. We will, however, treat you marginally better than we treat each other, which translates into us only being moderately rude. Sorry about that.

[Next week](#)

Nothing scheduled yet. Poor 1VP Timur TALUT still has his head stuck inside his software coding book making changes as rapidly as the IRS implements the new tax laws.

[Last Week](#)

It was the Student Speakers Contest, won by Andrew Khodanian. What is noteworthy about this is that Leo Albea, who won our club contest last year and then won both the Zone and Region contests, lost



by a narrow margin to Andrew. Andrew should do well in the coming contests. Thanks also to the judges: Gig Wishon, Brian Elster and Chris Zsarnay.

[Winners](#)

We didn't sell any raffle tickets last week because of the Student Speaker Contest. Nor did we fine anyone, Greet anyone, hold Attendance Drawing, etc., so, the winners from the previous week are held over:

Lion IPP Ross OLNEY has Free Fines yet again (he's threatening to hand out more books) while new Noon-timer Lion Bill GREEN is our Greeter. Lion Bobby MULLINS wasn't here two weeks ago although he did make it last week, so he loses his shot at the Attendance Prize of \$25. Today we draw for \$30.

Cabinet Meeting

We have a new world record. Four Noontimers actually attended a District Cabinet Meeting: Lions P Roman VAISMAN, S Jeff NORRIS, T Tim TENOPIR and BE Toby SCOTT. However, in typical Noontimer fashion, Lion Roman ducked out after an hour or so and wasn't here to sign the official attendance sheet and so didn't officially make the meeting.

One of the really excellent presentations was on why and how a club might want to have a 501 (c) 3 corporation. Lions Clubs are 501 (c) 4 corporations, which means they are service organizations, but miss out on one feature: donations to them are NOT tax deductible (unless Lion 2VP Jim PLISKY is your accountant). The Lions District is putting together the tools to fairly quickly and inexpensively (about \$700) create a 501 (c) 3. The Bored took this up at the meeting Wednesday.



Ross Olney
Sig Askvik
Bedford Pinkard
Todd Rehanek
Dave Tapie
Pat Riggs

Notes on Directors: It is intended that the loser of the President election will become a Director. We have no hold-over Directors who would be 2nd Year Directors as both of them have other titles this year. So all Directors will become 1st Year Directors.

Election Time

This is the third publication of the candidates for office for next Lion Year (July 1, 2013—June 30, 2014). Next week we will hold the election, as required in our Constitution.

President	Roman Vaisman George Thompson.
First VP	Timur Taluy
Second VP	Patrick Orozco
Secretary	Jeff Norris
Treasurer	Tim Tenopir
Event Coordinator	John Farrar
Lion Tamer	Dick Maggio
Tail Twister	Jim Plisky
Chaplain	Andy Stay
1st Year Directors	



calendar

March 6 _____ Zone 7 Student Speaker Contest: Food Share, 4156 Southbank Road, 6:30 PM
March 8 _____ Noontimer Election at the meeting: Noon
March 12 _____ Lion D George THOMPSON's birthday
March 21 _____ Lion TT Will BERG's birthday
May 3-5 _____ District Convention: Santa Maria