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[This week](#)

Our Special Guest today is Jon Belanger, Director of Business Development for Axianta, a financial advisor.

[Next week](#)

Lion 1VP Todd ADAMS reports he has speakers for the next three weeks, but he reports in dribs. We'll find out who it is next week.

[Last Week](#)

It was open, although two members of the Channel Islands Lions Club dropped by to talk about their Bunco Night. Should be a great event.

[Winners](#)

Lion TT Pat RIGGS won Free Fines, which is pretty much a lost cause. The Tail Twister can't be fined anyway. Lion LT Dick MAGGIO is our Greeter.

Do you speak Italian? Lion Timur Taluy had his name pulled for the \$25 Attendance Prize, but wasn't here to qualify. Today \$30 is up for grabs. In the Mad Marble Malarkey Lion Patrick OROZCO tried to steal the \$302.50 (subject to audit by our Treasurer, Lion Tim TENOPIR), but was unsuccessful.



Elections

The Election Committee is hard at work with secret meetings in Bangkok. We will have a slate of officers by the middle of this month, so we can print the slate the required 3 times and then hold the election before the April 15. Taxes aren't the only deadline on that date. We have to hold our elections before the District Convention (the new officers are expected to attend). The District Convention may be held any time between April 20 and the end of May. This year it is May 20-22, about as late as it ever is.

District Convention

For the past 6 years the District Convention has been held in Santa Maria and we haven't attended in force, and hence have not participated in the Food Fair or Hospitality Room.

This year the convention will be held in Ventura. We are pretty much duty-bound to participate, just as the northern clubs have been doing for quite a while.

Do we want to cook or prepare something for the Food Fair on Saturday at Noon? Or perhaps we could have a Friday evening hospitality room. At the Channel Islands Visitation, there was talk of joining forces — perhaps with them cooking on Saturday and some of us helping serve and us hosting a hospitality room. Something to think about — and start planning now.

What is the pleasure of our club? We need to start planning now.



Strawberry Festival

We have the opportunity to man a booth at the Strawberry Festival where we would oversee rock climbing and other activities. We would need 10 people at all times on both days. We'd earn around \$2,000. Is there any interest?

calendar

March 21 ___ Lion Will BERG's birthday
April 8 ___ Bunco with Channel Islands Lions at Elks Lodge
April 15 ___ Deadline for Club Election
May 20-22 ___ Lions 4-A3 Convention, Ventura
June 7 ___ Election Day: We man the voting booth at Coast Guard Station, all day