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## [This week](#)

Believe it or not, it's the last Friday of the month and we have no program scheduled.

## [Next week](#)

Next week will be on January 4. We are dark the next two weeks. Next week we are dark because of the Christmas Party that evening and traditionally, we have been dark on the Friday between Christmas and New Years.

## [Last Week](#)

Paul White & Scott Kavanagh from Stronghold School Systems, which is a non-profit organization whose sole goal is to transform our school system, decided to tell us about Stronghold.

It's an interesting approach. All students and faculty are regularly drug-tested. Students must hold a part-time job and 15% of their earnings must go into sav-



ings. They audit this. Classes are only 4 hours a day, but students must participate in one community service activity per week as well as hold a part-time job. Parents must also participate.

## [Winners](#)

Lion D Pat RIGGS has Free Fines, while Lion MC Pat OROZCO is our Greeter. Lion S Jeff NORRIS wasn't here when his name was called, so he lost his change to pocket \$30 today. Today we draw for \$35. The fact that the Attendance Prize is so large is a testament to the fact that attendance has been horrible lately. If no one comes, no one can win the Attendance Prize. In the Mad

Marble Malarkey, Lion John FARRAR whiffed on his shot at \$200.50.

## Christmas Party

Next Friday, December 21, is our Christmas Party at 5:30 PM. We will NOT have a lunch meeting that day. Please tell Lion LT Dick MAGGIO what you and your guests wish to eat. Choices are chicken, salmon or pot roast.

The event is at The Kitchen, 529 South A Street in beautiful downtown Oxnard. Get your meal reservations and preferences to Lion LT Dick MAGGIO immediately. Also, let Lion Dick know what auction items you are providing.

This is your last chance to invite guests to help make this event hugely successful. Step up.



## Activities Needed

We have nothing scheduled for January and very little for February — just the Student Speaker Contest. We need events to keep members engaged. Any ideas?

Are we going to have a Valentines Day celebration where we invite wives and significant others? It's been a huge success in the past.

# calendar

December 21 \_\_\_ No Noontimer Meeting at Noon. We are dark until the party at 5:30  
December 21 \_\_\_ Noontimer Christmas Party: The Kitchen, 529 S. A Street, 5:30—8:30 PM  
December 28 \_\_\_ Lion P Roman VAISMAN's birthday  
December 28 \_\_\_ Noontimers are dark  
January 5 \_\_\_ Lion Loyal FRAZIER's birthday