



THE LIONS DIN

Oxnard Noontimers Lions Club

Published Weekly

Meets every Friday at Residence Inn by Marriott in Oxnard

P.O. Box 8155 Oxnard, CA 93031

March 8, 2013

Issue 55:31

District Governor Tony Manuel 1468 Ivory Dr Los Osos, CA 93402 Santa Maria, CA 93455-4091 tonymanuel@verizon.net	President Roman Vaisman 505 Poli Street, Suite 301 Ventura, CA 93003 (805) 229-1353 roman.vaisman@ezlogy.com	Secretary Jeff Norris 3600 Harbor Blvd. #484 Oxnard, CA 93035 (805) 815-3460 secretary@noontimers.org	Treasurer Tim Tenopir 5115 Longfellow Way Oxnard, CA 93033 (805) 488-5395 & 760-2771 treasurer@noontimers.org
1st Vice President 2nd Vice President Event Coordinator Lion Tamer Tail Twister Chaplain	Timur Taluy Jim Plisky John Farrar Dick Maggio Will Berg Andy Stay	Membership Chair 1st Year Directors 2nd Year Directors	Will Berg/Pat Orozco Toby Scott John Farrar George Thompson Pat Riggs
			Immediate Past President Ross Olney Bulletin Editor Toby Scott 2175 Goodyear Ave. Unit 117 Ventura, CA 93003 (805) 289-3960 toby@lions4a3.org

[This week](#)

Today is the election of officers for next year (starting July 1). Lion IPP Ross OLNEY has been laboring mightily to bring this election to you. For all his efforts, he really deserves a hymn.

[Next week](#)

Nothing scheduled yet. Can someone please step forward and help Lion IVP Timur TALUY out? The tax issues in Washington really has him working overtime. If you have a possible program, please work through Lion P Roman VAISMAN for the time being.



[Last Week](#)

Lion BE Toby SCOTT finished up his program on the structure of Lions, from International, the division of the world into Multiple Districts (of which California is MD-4), which is divided into Areas (we are in central California — Area A) which are in turn are divided into individual Districts (of which our District

is 4-A3). The 4 means the Multiple District of California, the A is for central California (C is northern and L is southern) and the 3 means we are the third (of 5) districts in area A.

[Winners](#)

After a two week hiatus of the raffle prizes, we had an eventful meeting. Lion C Andy STAY won Free Fines, Lion Bedford PINKARD is our Greeter and Lion Bedford also had his name drawn for the Attendance Prize. Should he manage to escape the clutches of the younger and greedier Noontimers, he will pocket \$30 by attending today. The big news was in the Mad Marble Malarkey. Brand spanking new Lion Bill GREEN managed to walk off with \$619 when his number was called with exactly ONE marble remaining. Even a rookie Noontimer was able to get the correct marble that way. If he quits Lions now, he'll walk away a winner.

Student Speaker Report

Andrew Khodanian, the winner of our club contest spoke at the Zone Speech Contest, and lost. He attempted to put his entire speech on a 3x5 card and spent his speech with the card close to his face while squinting at it. He just wasn't prepared. At the club level, he could use sheets of paper, but at Zone, you are restricted to a single 3x5 card. Too bad. The content of his speech was superior to the winner's.



Signature Event

Lions P Roman VAISMAN, D Pat RIGGS, T Tim TENO-PIR and LT Dick MAGGIO got together Wednesday to discuss creating a signature event for our club. They



have come up with some suggestions, but would like even more — and feedback on the ones they came up with. We will discuss this after the election today and hopefully work up something soon. Here are the current ideas:

1. Baby race/baby fashion show
2. Wine and cheese tasting
3. Fresh fish festival
4. Ship related event
5. Car show/BBQ/Vendors/Harbor/Wine, Beer
6. Food festival
7. Kite flying contest
8. Something in the airport
9. Chess tournament
10. Lions drag strip
11. RC racing competition
12. Hawaiian Night/harbor/theme
13. Artistic show
14. Italian/German/multi ethnic/festival
15. Sand castle festival



calendar

March 8 _____ Noontimer Election at the meeting: Noon
March 12 _____ New Member Breakfast: Saticoy Country Club, 9 AM
_____ Lion D George THOMPSON's birthday
March 21 _____ Lion TT Will BERG's birthday
April 7 _____ City of Hope Lions Day
May 3-5 _____ District Convention: Santa Maria