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[This week](#)

Today is the last Friday of the month — sort of. Because of Thanksgiving, we will be dark next Friday. Don't show up. Traditionally, the last Friday of the month is open, when we trot out our best jokes. Recent tradition has updated that: we are open all the time and the jokes are awful.

[Next week](#)

There won't be a next week. Or at least there won't be a Noontimer meeting next Friday.

[Last Week](#)

Your BE really screwed up. Six weeks ago, he arranged for Lion Steve Bowman from the Ventura Downtown Lions club to speak and forwarded the info to Lions P Roman VAISMAN and 1VP Timur TALUY, but neglected to enter it on his calendar. So, there was no info about our program in the Bulletin last week. So stupid. Sorry.

Lion Steve had a fascinating story. His private investigation firm, Sintra Group, has been hired to in-



vestigate a murder that took place 40 years ago. He is hopeful they can figure out what happened, but need some DNA work done and have been waiting for 18 months. Fascinating story.

[Winners](#)

Lion Bill GREEN has Free Fines today, so we'll need an alternate source of income. Lion Steve Bowman is our Greeter, but as he was the speaker and is from the Ventura Downtown Lions, he probably won't greet anyone. Lion MC Pat OROZCO was here when his name was called, so if he shows today, he'll enrich himself by \$5. It would have been

\$35 but Lion Bill GREEN had the temerity to show up to grab the pot last week. In the Mad Marble Malarkey, Lion MC Pat OROZCO attempted to arrange a double-win, but was shot down on his attempt to garner \$201.50.

Christmas Party

We are dark next week. Our next meeting is December 6. Those who can read calendars will realize that this will be the last meeting before the Christmas Party (on the 13th for those who have been hibernating). We need a hugely successful Christmas Party and in order to pull that off, we need three things: (1) An enthusiastic membership with near 100% attendance; (2) all of us inviting guests; (3) and generous Noontimers willing to donate excellent door prizes and raffle items.

Get busy inviting friends, neighbors, clients, co-workers, strangers on the street or visiting aliens. Solicit them for door/raffle prizes, get lots of your own and show up for a great time.

Done right, we can make a lot of money. Done Noontimerly, we will break even or make \$2. It's your call.



Region Meeting

Lions T Tim TENOPIR and BE/Zone 7 Chair Toby SCOTT attended the Region/Zone meeting last night at Food Share. Mike Ramirez was there and made a plea for food for Thanksgiving. They will feed nearly 1,000 people. A couple of donors of food in the past have not stepped forward, so they are beating the bushes looking for donors of turkeys, potatoes, drinks (non-alcoholic) or money to close the gap. Any takers?



calendar

November 30 ___ Lion C Andy STAY's birthday

December 13 ___ Noontimer Christmas Party: Residence Inn, 5:30 PM Cocktails, 6:30 Dinner