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This week

Our Special Guest today is Dave Wilson, with the Vietnam War Veterans, who is here to talk about programs for Vietnam War Vets.

Next week

We have three potential speakers, but haven't decided which one will speak.

Last Week

Abel Magana, Executive Director of the Downtown Oxnard Management Merchants Association, stopped by to talk about the downtown district, which stretches from 2nd to 8th and Oxnard Blvd. to C. The downtown is doing well, despite a plethora of Mexican restaurants. The theater still needs support to keep the doors open, but it provides activity in the evenings important for healthy evening activities. They have had some success in making downtown Oxnard a destination location, which is improving business. Lots of positive news, with lots of things left to do.

Winners

With only 6 Noontimers present, we would have lost money running the raffle, so we elected to post-pone drawings until this week.



<u>Upcoming</u> <u>Activities</u>

With our depleted resources we are going to have to stretch hard for the upcoming activities:

Banana Festival: September 24. We are going to need quite a few people all day. It's about time for a signup sheet to begin circulating.

White Cane Days: October?. In the past Lion Jim PLISKY has scheduled this. As no one has talked to him in

ages, we need someone to fill in. Any takers?

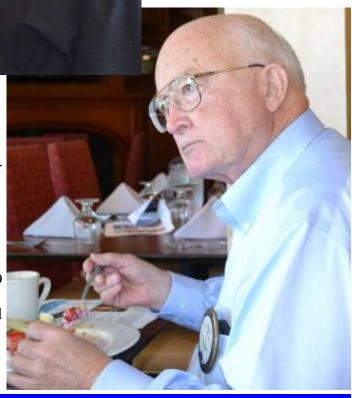
Health Fair Vision Screening: Sunday, October 16. Again we need several volunteers for all day. It's a large project. We will be booking 14 hotel rooms for the Lions Friends in Sight, who bring the exam equipment and glasses, plus their staff.

We will be manning the voting site at the Coast Guard station on November 1. This takes about 5 people from 6 AM to 9 PM.

Christmas Party: December 16. We'll need volunteers to handle getting raffle items, designing and printing invitations, arranging for entertainment (maybe) and

registering guests at the door with their raffle numbers.

Do we have enough people for these events?



calendar

September 24 Banana Festival, Port of Hueneme

October 16 __ Health Fair Vision Screening: Our Lady of Guadalupe, all day

November 1 _ We man the voting site at Coast Guard station, all day

December 16 60th Annual Christmas Party

March 18 District-wide Eyeglass Recycling Event