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# This week

Our Special Guest is the City of Oxnard's Housing Director, Arturo Casillas. He will be discussing plans for homeless shelter this winter.

# Next week

There won't be a meeting next week. We will hold our Christmas Party next Friday evening. In fact, this is most likely the last meeting of the year. It is unlikely we'll have anyone show up for meetings on December 23 or 30. Just your BE's guess. It needs to be discussed today.

#### Last Week

No program was scheduled, so Lion BE Toby SCOTT talked about when he worked for the Kanas City Mafia in Las Vegas at the Landmark Tower, while it was under construction. Some interesting stories. Too bad most of you missed it.

# **Winners**

Lion D Ross OLNEY has Free Fines today and Lion 1VP Patrick OROZCO (P2) is our Greeter. No worries, Lion Patrick greets everyone every week any-



way. Is he a real Noontimer??? Lion Sig ASKVIK was one of the very few Noontimers in attendance. His name was called for the \$15 Attendance Prize, which he'll collect if he shows up today. Because of the light attendance, we held no Mad Marble drawing.

#### White Cane Daze

We are working on getting a date and setting up. This is supposed to be our big fundraiser for Sight & Hearing, but it sure has been shuffled off.

# Christmas Party

Our 62nd Christmas Party is Friday December 16th, 2016 at the Marriott Residence Inn. For the calendar-challenged, that's next Friday.

Doors Open at 5:30 PM, with a three course dinner Dinner at 6:30 PM. Choice for meals is Angus Beef Filet, Chicken Cordon Bleu, Baked Salmon or Vegetarian Plate and dessert is Truffle Torte. There is no cost to members, but guests are \$50.

We need Auction Items; Bring to Club, or to Otto's Mortuary or we will pick up! Donations are Tax Deductible and you will receive a Receipt from the Noontimers Lions Foundation.

# **Upcoming Activities**

Notice that we do not have any events beyond the Christmas Party scheduled. We should be doing White Cane Daze soon. Anyone have an idea for something?

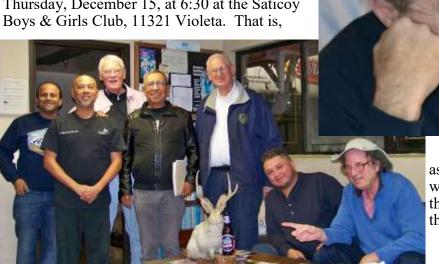
#### **New Lions Club**

It is traditional for old Lions clubs to purchase gifts for new Lions clubs. As we have a new Lions Club in Oxnard, we should probably get them something like a bell, gavel, banner or other meeting-related item.

#### **Visitations**

We needed a reminder we are Noontimers. Lion ZC Kalani JOSE scheduled a visitation to El Rio Lions for last night. Several of us greed to meet with him. Unfortunately, he hadn't called El Rio to make sure a visitation was OK. It was fine with them, as they are dark until January. They said "Come on over and let us know how it was." Visitation cancelled.

We'll visit the Saticoy Lions the following Thursday, December 15, at 6:30 at the Saticoy Boys & Girls Club, 11321 Violeta. That is,



assuming someone checks with the club to make sure they are actually meeting this close to Christmas.

# calendar

December 15 Visitation to Saticoy Lions, 11321 Violeta, 6:30 PM

December 16 60th Annual Christmas Party, 5:30 PM

February 17 \_ Club Student Speakers Contest (no other program)

March 18 \_\_\_\_ District-wide Eyeglass Recycling Event