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[This week](#)

Lion 1VP Jim PLISKY allowed Lion Chris PACHANA to schedule today's speaker. Whomever he is, he will be speaking on corrosion, salt water, boats and sealants, but Lion Chris never let Lion Jim know the name of our Special Guest today.

So, we are rude to yet another speaker. What else is new?

[Last week](#)

It was open — as planned.

[Next week](#)

Lion Bedford PINKARD has been twisting arms at Pacifica High School and we will have a Student Speaker Contest next Friday. Who knew?

[Winners](#)

Lion Sig ASKVIK is our Greeter today, while Lion Jeff NORRIS has Free Fines (what kind of jokes does he tell with free fines??). Lion Bobby MULLINS



wasn't here when his name was called so even if he shows today, he won't be \$5 richer. Today we'll draw for \$10. In the Mad Marble Malarkey, Lion Chris PACHANA took Lion Mike PLISKY's turn at the marble bag and had the same results. He missed \$253.

[Day of Service](#)

Special thanks to Lions Pat RIGGS, Byron WEDEMEYER, John FARRAR, S Ev BATEY, MC Mike PLISKY, Chuck CONWAY, Jeff NORRIS, Bedford PINKARD, IPP Will BERG

and BE Toby SCOTT for making tons of calls in support of Food Share last Saturday. Food Share was most appreciative (Lion Toby will read their thank you card today at the meeting).

One thing all Noontimers should be aware of is that Food Share has several meeting rooms ranging from small conference rooms to huge warehouses that they let out to groups. We can use their rooms for free

(I'm sure they want a donation, but we support them anyway). We could have our Christmas Party there in one of the smaller warehouses. It's a bit industrial, but the price is right — and there's plenty of room.

Cabinet Meeting

On February 19-20 the Noontimers will be hosting the third Cabinet Meeting for the District at Santa Clara High School. The Noontimers have volunteered to cook lunch on Saturday, the 20th. Lion 2VP Tom CONTRARES has secured the cafeteria, so we'll be able to cook on their grill.

The Saturday dinner is courtesy of the Channel Islands Lions and features tri-tip and chicken, salad and lots of other goodies. There will be a no-host bar as well. Price is just \$12 (if you reserve early or \$15 at the door). It's part of the sock hop in the gym. There will be raffle prizes, dancing, food and booze. What more do you want?

We will have a signup sheet next week for those willing to cook and serve. Please keep the date open. We need you at Noon on Saturday, February 20.



Also, please let Lion Toby know what you can donate to the cause. We need lots of prizes. Thanks.

Thanks

Thanks as usual to Lion LT Ross OLNEY, but also to Lion C Andy STAY who provided the picture of us phoning at Food Share. Yes, the picture is blurry, but it does show an excellent conference room we can use for events.



calendar

- February 16 ___ Lion Bobby MULLINS' birthday
- February 18-19 _ District Cabinet Meeting: Oxnard (we host)
- February 19 ___ Lion S Ev BATEY's birthday
- February 22 ___ Deadline for Club Student Speakers Contest
- March 4 ___ Strawberry Festival Booth Drawing, Performing Arts Center, Camarillo Room, 4 PM
- May 15-16 ___ Strawberry Festival, Strawberry Meadows