

# The Lions Din

#### Oxnard Noontimers Lions Club

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#### This week

Our Special Guest today is Charlie Kistner with the Oxnard Chamber of Commerce. He is here to talk about the State of Oxnard, business in Oxnard and how things are going at the Chamber.

#### Last week

Lion Steve Bowman of the Ventura Downtown Lions Club, decided to slum at the Noontimers last week. Lion Steve is a private investigator who retired from the Ventura

Police Department as assistant chief after 28 years. His knees gave out.

He discussed ways of protecting yourself in your home and on the street. Interestingly, he said that guns were a bad choice because trained police officers only hit 13% of their intended targets at a distance of 8 Mad Marble Malarkey, Lion MC Mike PLISKY yet -10 feet. Untrained gun users hit much less. Pepper spray is legal to carry without a permit, will reliably hit a target up to 25 feet, the cloud of spray makes it much more likely you'll hit your target and the spray



incapacitates the victim for about 20 minutes way more time than you need to get away. Good iob.

#### Next week

Nothing yet, but Lion P Dave TAPIE is hard at work.

#### Winners

Lion D Chuck CONWAY is our Greeter, while Lion Jim SZATKOWSKI has

Free Fines. He hasn't been a Noontimer long enough to know if this is going to cost us money or not. Lion Jeff NORRIS pocketed his \$5 Attendance Prize, so Lion 1VP Jim PLISKY only lost a chance for \$5 by ducking out early. We draw for \$10 today. In the again won the chance to enrich himself, this time to the tune of \$202.50, but he failed for the umpteenth time.

#### Strawberry Festival

The following have signed up for the Strawberry Festival:

Saturday, 8:30 AM—1 PM

Byron Wedemeyer

Jeff Norris

Kathy Riggs

Victoria Riggs

Saturday, 1 PM—5

**Chuck Conway** 

John Farrar

Sunday, 8:30 AM—1 PM

Ryan Althoff

Roman Vaisman

Dave Tapie

Sunday, 1 PM—5 PM

Lance Laffoon

**Barry Braff** 

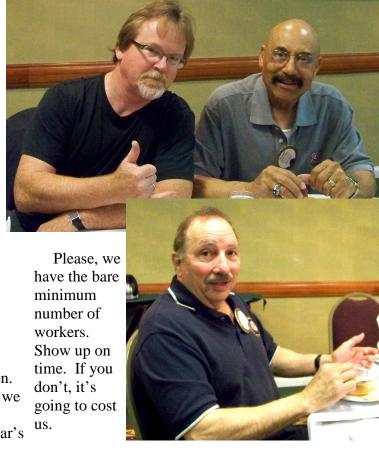
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George Thompson

We are short one worker for Saturday afternoon. If we don't have the full complement of workers, we will be docked a fair amount of money from our promised take and may not be eligible for next year's drawing. We desperately need someone.

Lion BE Toby SCOTT will be handing out maps

and the wristbands that you must wear. If you lose yours, you will need to pay to get in. They are encouraging workers to use the Park 'N Ride Shuttles. The locations are: Centerpoint Mall, Oxnard Transportation Center, The Palms Shopping Center, Channel Islands Harbor and Camarillo Premium Outlets. If you get close to any of these locations there will be a multitude of signs directing you.





## calendar

May 14-16\_\_\_\_\_ District 4-A3 Convention, Santa Maria

May 15-16\_\_\_\_\_ Strawberry Festival, Strawberry Meadows — we pour margaritas

May 28 \_\_\_\_\_ Lion Jeff NORRIS' birthday

August 20-21 \_\_ First Cabinet Meeting, Camarillo — Ranch House and Officers Club