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This week

Today is the one day of the year when we the elite of our district descend into Noontimer Hell for a visit. As much as they'd prefer to visit Charlie Manson in prison, they are required to suffer this indignity once per year.

So, we should see Lions DG Mike Brown, 1VDG Dick Kane, 2VP Tony Manuel, Region N Chair Barbara Penney, Zone 7 Chair Dan Harbold and probably some other hangers-on who got roped into sharing the misery.

Still, they are pros, so expect they'll put on a brave face and say that the Noontimers aren't as bad as their reputation. Don't believe a word of it.

Last week

It was a makeup open meeting, but Lion D Pat RIGGS did bring a comedy routine on a CD that was a quite humorous speech by a Barack Obama impersonator.



Next week

Who knows? We're Noontimers. Ever heard of the last minute???

Winners

Lion D Todd REHANEK is our Greeter, but the big disaster is that Lion P Jim PLISKY has Free Fines. We'll be broke this week. He's usually good for about \$20, so someone else is going to have to step forward. Lion D Will BERG wasn't here when his name was called, so he's out the \$20 Attendance Prize. Today we draw for \$25. In the Mad Marble Malarkey, Lion John FARRAR was unable to find the correct marble and missed his shot at \$204.50.

Health Fair

We have a final count on the Health Fair. We screened 561 patients. Only 61 needed no prescription. We fitted 485 pairs of recycled eye glasses and have 15 pairs being created at the labs because we didn't have a fit. One patient needs cataract surgery on at least one eye, 2 need surgical excision of their pterygi-

um on at least one eye, one needs laser treatment for proliferative diabetic retinopathy, 2 need treatment for glaucoma, one needs treatment for superficial punctate keratitis, one need a follow-up on a retinal hole, another needs follow-up on a pupil anomaly and one more needs LPI for narrow anterior chamber angles. Got that???

It is not possible to describe how much better a service we are providing this year than in years past. Friends in Sight has really stepped up to deal with the hard cases.

Future Events

The official club date for White Cane Daze is November 6-



7. Several Noontimers have a problem with the date and are invited to setup an alternative date. We could probably get permission to use Smokey's more than once.

But do make sure you solicit one way or the other. With the results of the health fair, we are going to need it.

Plans for the Christmas Party are firming up. It is scheduled for the Embassy Suites on December 12 and Lion P Jim PLISKY has booked entertainment, so we are in decent shape. We need to get organized on raffle/auction items.



calendar

- .October 8 ____ Lion DG Mike Brown will be visiting (no program on this date)
- October 9 ____ Lion Bedford PINKARD's birthday
- October 20 ____ Lion Otto SCHIMMEL's birthday
- October 25 ____ Lion Sig ASKVIK's birthday
- November 6-7 __ White Cane Daze at various locations in Oxnard
- November 12-13 Second District Meeting, Cambria