



The Santa Rosa Host Lions Club

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Club Meetings

1st & 3rd Tuesday 12:15 PM
Cattlemen's Restaurant
2400 Midway Drive
Santa Rosa, CA

Board Meetings TBD

Club Contacts

Robert Reuther, President
Dennis Meermans, 1st VP
Dee Dee Byrnes, 2nd VP
James Oswald, 3rd VP
Diane Stevens, Secretary
Charlene Goodrich, Treasurer
John Horwath, Tail Twister
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Vicki McCartney, IPP
Lynne Galletta, 1 Year Dir.
Jim MacMillan, 1 Year Dir.
Susan Childers, 2Year Dir.
Linda Clustka, 2Year Dir.
Vicki McCartney, Membership

Appointed 1 year Directors.
Marla Vickrey
Mike Rogalski
Sandra Stevens

Honorary Board Members
Doug Weber, PDG
Claude Schwarz, PDG
Bob Reuther, PDG
Joe Massoni, PDG
Henrietta Sommerville, PLDP
Barry Bialkoski, 1st VDG

A Message From President Bob



Editor's Message:

Our Club has its biggest fundraiser on Saturday August 19, the **PARKING LOT RUMMAGE SALE**. Every member of the club should be involved. For those who have not signed up for a committee, expect a phone call asking for your help. Everyone's help is important for the club and this activity to succeed.

The modern trend of our world is away from formal meetings, and more with community activism like our rummage sale. Claude, Vicki, and Sandra have been working on membership in this direction. We are in the process of creating a Facebook club with dues at \$75 a year. The complete right answers will probably come incrementally over time. A winning team like the Warriors does not happen overnight, but takes a lot of team building to be effective.

On another thought, Linda Clustka is looking for alternative meeting places. Some of our members want a change in the food, price, or to be able to order what they want in quantity and quality. The board will meet at Legions the fifth Tuesday in August at noon for factual observation of one alternative. We should not be blind or dead-ended in our current situation. Our contract for the luncheon is up in October. The restaurant is currently remodeling, and it may mean that the cost for lunch will be raised. We need to have bargaining power and make decisions on observed presence, not unseen opinions.

If you have any thoughts on ways to improve our club, speak up and give us your suggestions or thoughts; nothing is out of bounds if it is for the benefit of the group.

Yours in Lionism

Bob Reuther, President

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Upcoming Speakers

August 15, 2017, PDI (Pediatric Dental Initiative) Hazel Whiteoak, Development Director
August 29, 2017, Noon Board Meeting fifth Tuesday Legions

September 5, 2017, District Governors Visit

September 19, Debbie Mason Healthcare Foundation of Northern Sonoma County, Overview

4-C2 Officers

Leslie Mize, Dist. Gov.
 Connie Marelich, Cab. Sect.
 Art Zimmer, Reg. Chair
 Chris Nolan, Zone Chair

Club Make-up Meetings

Montgomery Village Lions; The Villa Restaurant, 3901 Montgomery Dr.; 1st & 3rd Tues. 7:00 pm.
 Roseland Lions Club; Boys & Girls Club, 1011 Hahman Dr. 1st & 3rd Wed. 6:00 pm
 Windsor Lions Club; Windsor Community Ctr, 901 Adele Dr.; 1st & 3rd Thurs. 7:00 pm
 Cloverdale Lions Club; 1 Citrus Fair Dr. Cloverdale, Thursdays 7:30 pm

Month - Birthdays

DEE DEE BYRNE
 BRUCE ABRAMSON
 VICKI McCARTNEY
 KATHLENE NELSEN
 OLGA SEITZ
 JOANNE PEXTON
 JULIE KAY
 SUSAN CHILDERS



It was later reported that his wife got out safely, and that he did indeed par the hole. He says the divorce isn't going to be that bad, now that there's no house involved. Sent to me by an avid golfer !!!

Calling all Lions – Spot Vision Opportunity!

Will a spot vision camera and MVL tent be available?

Date: Saturday 9/30/2017

Time: 8 am set up / 9 to Noon screenings / 12:15 break down

Where: Parkland Farms Park 325 Bridal Path, Healdsburg, CA (Hwy 101 to Dry Creek Rd Exit, left on Healdsburg Ave, right onto Parkland Farms Blvd, left onto Spur Ridge Ln, destination will be on the right (Bridle Path/Park)

Still trying to find out if there will be any power source out there! No buildings; bringing in port-a-pottys. If we do not have a power source, we cannot print the spot vision test result page, correct? I'm new to this and trying to figure out. Can we run an extension cord to a R.V. for power source?

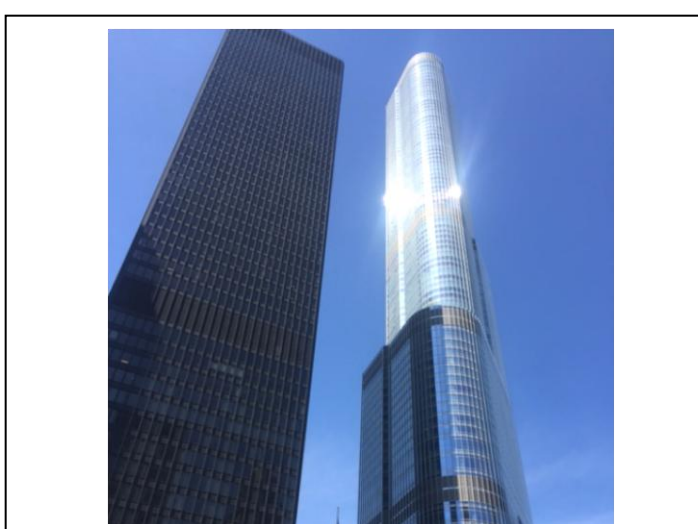
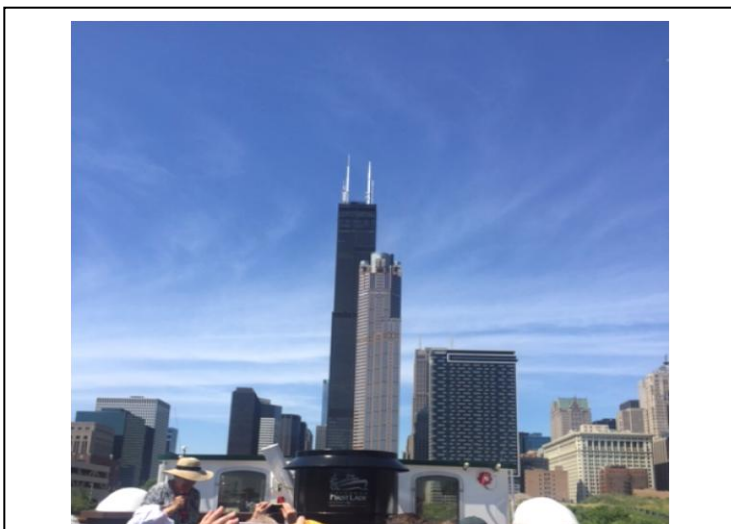
Can I get some folks to assist me with the screenings and setting up an information table about Lion Clubs (with laptop showing videos of Lions, flyers, membership applications, schedule of upcoming events, etc.) ?

Thanks a bunch, Lions! Vicki McCartney

Immediate Past President/Spot Vision Chairperson

Santa Rosa Host Lions Club

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Here are some pictures sent to me by our own 1st Vice District Governor, Barry Bialkoski of his time at the “Lions International Convention” that was held in Chicago. You can see people gathered for one of the largest parades ever held in that great city as well as some of the Lions walking in the Convention Center. He also included pictures of some of the large buildings that adorn the city’s landscape.

**Growing old is
hard work...
The mind says
"yes" but, the
body says "what
the hell are you
thinking"**



I phoned up a really gorgeous ex-girlfriend of mine the other day. We lost track of time, chatting about the wild nights we used to enjoy together.

I couldn't BELIEVE it when she asked if I'd like to meet up and maybe rekindle a little of that magic.

"Wow!" I said "I don't know if I could keep pace with you now! I'm a bit older and a bit balder than when you last saw me!"

She giggled and said she was sure I'd meet the challenge! "Yeah," I said, just so long as you don't mind a man with a waistband that's a few inches wider these days!"

She laughed and told me to stop being so silly! She teased me, saying she thought tubby bald men were cute!

"Anyway", she said, "I've put on a couple of pounds myself!"

So I hung up.

A 90-year-old man was having his annual checkup and the doctor asked him how he was feeling. "I've never been better!" he boasted. "I've got an eighteen year old bride who's pregnant and having my child! What do you think about that?"

The doctor considered this for a moment, then said, "Let me tell you a story. I knew a guy who was an avid hunter. He never missed a season. But one day went out in a bit of a hurry and he accidentally grabbed his umbrella instead of his gun." The doctor continued, "So he was in the woods and suddenly a grizzly bear appeared in front of him! He raised up his umbrella, pointed it at the bear and squeezed the handle. And do you know what happened?"

Dumbfounded, the old man replied "No." The doctor finished, "The bear dropped dead in front of him!" "That's impossible!" exclaimed the old man. "Someone else must have shot that bear."

"That's kind of what I'm getting at," replied the doctor.

Adam was walking around the Garden of Eden feeling very lonely, so God asked Adam, "What is wrong with you?" Adam said he didn't have anyone to talk to. God said he was going to give him a companion and she would be called woman.

God said, "This person will cook for you and wash your clothes, she will always agree with every decision you make. She will bear your children and never ask you to get up in the middle of the night to take care of them. She will not nag you, and will always be the first to admit she was wrong when you've had a disagreement. She will never have a headache, and will freely give "love" and compassion whenever needed." Adam asked God, "What will this woman cost?" God said, "An arm and a leg." Adam said, "What can I get for just a rib?"

The rest is history.

Here is something to think about that was sent to me in an E-Mail.

All the pictures that we have of Adam and Eve show them with

"belly buttons"!!!!