

The Santa Rosa Host Lions Club

Jungle Roar

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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

Jim Oswald, President
Diane Stevens, 1st VP
Vicki McCartney, 2nd VP
Bob Reuther, 3rd VP
Dee Dee Byrne, IPP
Claude Schwarz, Secretary
Charlene Goodrich, Treasurer
John Horwath, Tail Twister
Dee Dee Byrne, Lion Tamer
Linda Clustka, 1 Year Dir.
Lynn Nelsen, 1 Year Dir.
Robin Andersen, 2Year Dir.
Dennis Meermans, 2Year Dir.
Diane Stevens, Membership

Appointed 1 year Directors. Mike Rogalski Bill Gillespie Janah LoPresti

Honorary Board Members Claude Schwarz, PDG Bob Reuther, PDG Joe Massoni, PDG Barry Bialkoski,PDG Henrietta Sommerville. PLDP

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Dear Lions I can't believe it has been almost a year since our last installation of officers at Dee Dee"s. There have been so many challenges for each of us and I have been impressed with the strength and resilience of our club. It looks like the Covid epidemic is starting to resolve, hopefully by the end of July or August. We are all looking forward to going back to our favorite activities such as the pancake breakfast, speech contest, baseball and football pools, yard sale, and best of all eating at Cattlemen's and enjoying being together again. Hope this long break will not dim our interest in Lions. . It has been a great privilege to serve as a trustee for the Lions Eye Foundation and to see how many patients have been helped in saving their vision. Ophthalmology Residency program is wonderful and highly rated nationally. We will need to work hard on retention and recruitment to keep our club fully functioning in the future. Hope to see you soon on Zoom look for your invite at our normal meeting time on the first and third Tuesday every month.

Yours in Lionism
Pres Jim Oswald

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4-C2 Officer

Dist.Gov. PDG Joe Massoni

Cab. Sect. Cyndi Bainbridge

Reg. Chair, Art Zimmer

Zone Chair, Dee Dee Byrne

Club Make-up Meetings

Montgomery Village Lions; The Villa Restaurant, 3901 Montgomery Dr.; $1^{\rm st}$ & $3^{\rm rd}$ 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.; $1^{\rm st}$ & $3^{\rm rd}$ Thurs. 7:00 pm

Cloverdale Lions Club; 1 Citrus Fair Dr. Cloverdale, Thursdays 7:30 pm

March - Birthdays

Robin Andersen

Calendar of Events 2020- 2021

WHAT	WHERE	WHEN

LCIF UPDATE

As you know, an anonymous Lion will double every dollar you give, up to \$3000 during the months of Jan/Feb/March 2021. That means the amount you give will be matched & doubled towards a Melvin Jones, Donations accumulate towards a Melvin Jones & are held forever. The good news is that we now have \$2900! Once we reach the \$3000, the donor will add another \$2000, which means we can reach a total of \$10,000 & join Lions all over the world assisting those in need.

This is an opportunity to say Thank You to LCIF for supporting us since the Lake County fire in 2015. In total, they've contributed \$60,000 to the fire recovery. Many others need our help & this is our chance to give back. Please find it your Lions Heart to donate what you can afford. All you need to do is send it to LCIF Coordinator, Lion PDG Phyllis Rogers, 273 Belgreen Place, Santa Rosa, CA 95409. For questions, call 707-477-6771. She will take care of the rest. Thanking you in advance for giving. PDG Bob Reuther Co-Coordinator

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Santa Rosa Lions Club slate of officers for 2021-2022

President--- Diane Stevens 1 year Dir.----Linda Clustka 1st VP-----Vicki McCartnev 1 year Dir.---- Lynn Nelsen 2nd VP----- Bob Reuther 2 year Dir.---- Robin Andersen 3rd VP -----Barry Bialkoski 2 year Dir.-----Dennis Meermans IPP -----Jim Oswald Membership-----Diane Stevens Secretary----Dee Dee Byrne **Honorary Board Members** Treasurer----Charlene Goodrich PDG Claude Schwarz Tail Twister-John Horwath PDG Bob Reuther LionTamer---Dee Dee Byrne PDG Barry Bialkoski PDG Joe Massoni

PLDP Hennrietta Sommerville Note: If anyone wishes to run for any of these offices please contact Lion Dee Dee

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I couldn't get anyone to send me pictures of what they were doing to help our community so I took a couple pictures of our mall here in Santa Rosa at noon time to show you all how empty it is. I need pictures Lions!!!!



A taxi passenger taps the driver on the shoulder to ask him a question. The driver screams, loses control of the car, nearly hits a bus, goes up on the footpath, and stops centimeters from a shop window. For a second, everything goes quiet in the cab, then the driver says, "Look mate, don't ever do that again. You scared the daylights out of me!" The passenger apologizes and says, "I didn't realize that a little tap would scare you so much." The driver replies, "Sorry, it's not really your fault. Today is my first day as a cab driver. I've been driving a funeral van for the last 25 years."

Pedro lives in an orphanage. One day Pedro is heading towards town with his hands claped together, when the padre who runs this orphanage asks Pedro, "What do you have in your hands and where are you going?" Pedro replies, "Father, I have horseflies and I am going to town to get horses." Sure enough later Pedro comes back with two beautiful Arabians. Next day Pedro walks past the priest again with the same question, "Pedro, what do you have in your hand and where are you going?" Pedro replies once again, "Father I have butter and I am going to town to get butterflies." Sure enough Pedro returns with beautiful monarch butterflies. The very next day Pedro is headed towards town once again when the Priest asks the same question, "Pedro what do you have in your hands and where are you going?" Again Pedro replies, "Father I have Pussy willows-" "Wait, Pedro!" says the Priest, "I'll go with you!!"

In a tiny village lived an old maid. In spite of her old age, she was still a virgin. She was very proud of it. She knew her last days were getting closer, so she told the local undertaker that she wanted the following inscription on her tombstone: "Born as a virgin, lived as a virgin, died as a virgin." Not long after, the old maid died peacefully, and the undertaker told his men what the lady had said. The men went to carve it in, but the lazy no-goods they were, they thought the inscription to be unnecessarily long. They simply wrote: "Returned unopened."

Two blondes walk beside each other down the street. One of them sees a broken piece of mirror on the ground, grabs it, looks at it and says, "This girl looks so familiar, but I can't remember where I know her from." The other girl grabs it from her hand, takes a look at it, and says, "It's me you idiot!"