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Presidents Message.....

I'm sure that I don't have to tell you that election time is here. In fact before you come to the next meeting you have to vote since our meeting is on election day. If you haven't voted, you will only be allowed ½ a taco for Taco Tuesday.

The next meeting should be great. We are going to have some very special speakers. I say some because I don't know exactly how many we will have. They will be coming from Discovery Bay Elementary School and are kids that have participated in the speaker's contests in the past.

Principal Alan Petersdorf will be there to explain all about a proposal he is making to start a program for the younger children of the area. He feels that by starting a program earlier we will have much more talent for our High School Program.

It is also time to start thinking about the Christmas party. The board decided to keep it at the Discovery Bay Country Club so that everybody could have a good time and get home safely. It will be on Thursday December 4th.

That will be a busy week since on December 5th we will be building the Lion's Parade of Lights Float. I will host the float building. We have moved so please come to 4865 South Point to help us make another award winning float.

And of course it is not too early to begin thinking about the Crab Feed. Lion Bob Abbadie has the tickets and I am sure they will go fast. So if you can help sell tickets, call Lion Bob.

So see in the Bilge Room on November 4th.

Lion President.....Dave Ciruli

**UPCOMING
MEETINGS &
EVENTS.....**

Nov 4th Regular
Lions Meeting at
DBYC, Bilge
room 6:30pm

Nov. 4th
Don't forget to
vote

Nov. 11th Lions
Board Meeting at
President Dave
Ciruli, 4865 South
Point.6:30pm

***Just Thought Just thought
You'd Like to Know***

****Supported the Canine Companions for
Independence program.***

****Provided judges for the DiscoveryBay
Elementary School Booville program.***

****Celebrated Lion Ralph Ungemachs 90th
birthday.***

****Set the date for the xmas party for Dec.
4th at the Discovery Bay Country Club.***

****Tree light hanging set for Dec. 2nd -
Discovery Bay Shopping Center.***

****Parade of Lights Float decorating Dec.
5th.***

****Supported Halloween Party at the Blind
Center.***

***Remember the Challenge of the C's
Commitment, Communication, Charity,
Community, Club, Confidence, Courage,
Company, Can-do and Collaboration.***



Veterans Day November 11th

Guest Speaker

Principal Alan Petersdorf of the Discovery Bay Elementary School will be our featured speaker at the November 4th regular meeting of the Discovery Bay Lions Club.

Petersdorf will speak on a Special Speech Program being proposed. The meeting starts promptly at 6:30pm in the Bilge room of the Discovery Bay Yacht Club.

BOOVILLE 2008

The Discovery Bay Lions Bob and Pauline Abbadie, Len and Linda Fadda, Lee Ann Seamann and Omar Hindiyeh were judges for the Discovery Bay Elementary School Booville classroom contests. Awards were presented to classroom grouping K-1, 2nd and 3rd and 4th and 5th grades. The children did a beautiful mob and all were winners.



Joke of the Month

On his first day of training for parachute jumping, a young airman was listening intently to his instructor. He told the class to start preparing for landing when they reached 300 feet.

He raised his hand tentatively. "How am I supposed to know when I'm at 300 feet?"

"That's a good question," the instructor answered. "When you get to 300 feet, you can recognize the faces of people on the ground."

After a moment, the airman raised his hand again. "Sir, what happens if there's no one on the ground that I recognize?"

Christmas Party

Mark the date-Thursday, December 4th the Lions Club Annual Christmas party at the Discovery Bay Country Club.

Dinner, social hour, entertainment by the Rent a Carol and dancing is all for \$35 each. Invitations will be going out on November 1st be sure to sign up for the great event. Deadline is November 26th, 2008.

There will be a brief Board meeting held prior to the festivities. The Christmas party will be in lieu of our regular club and board meetings for the month of December.

Attendees are requested to bring an unwrapped gift to be donated to the Juvenile Hall (ages 8-18). A few suggestion items include games, comic books, hair dryers, stuffed animals, stationary, grooming products and gift certificates.

P.S. The Tail Twister rests during the month of December so this will be a fine free meeting.

Discovery Bay Lions General Meeting Minutes
October 7th, 2008
Discovery Bay Yacht Club

Meeting called to order at 6:30pm by Lion President Dave Ciruli.

The meeting was scheduled to have representatives of Gerald Mc Inery and Dean Andal candidates for the U.S. House of Representative. Unfortunately due to conflicts only John Franklin and Phil Rusek representatives for the Andal were able to attend. They provided a video and commented on Andal's position on a variety of issues.

Lion Bob Abbadie spoke on the Crab Feed in support of the Blind Center scheduled for February 28th in Brentwood. Lion Abbadie will have flyers and tickets out shortly.

Booville at Discovery Bay School was discussed with judges needed 3pm on October 24th to judge various classroom decorations.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 7:40pm

Respectfully submitted,

Len Fadda - Secretary



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