

President's Message

by Larry Dicus

We will have a special treat at club this week – don't miss it! Several Hillview School students will be at our meeting with their Principal to thank us for providing transportation for their recent field trip to the Museum of Tolerance in Los Angeles. They want to share the impact the museum had on them. Again, our donation enabled them to travel to the museum.

I am pleased to offer congratulations and appreciation to the new slate of officers for 2006-2007 who were elected at last week's meeting. Your new officers are as follow: President – Ron Copley; 1st VP – Frank Hill; 2nd VP Drew Sones; 3rd VP Al Campano; Lion Tamer – Wes Romberger; Tail Twister by Committee – Bruce Martin; Board of Directors – Mike James, Doug Keeling, Jim Spaulding and Greg Williams. Lion Jerry Perisho will be appointed to the Board of Directors to replace Al Campano. Again, thank you to these Lions for agreeing to serve. Thank you also to Lion Past

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President Mike Loyet for suggesting that we use acclamation to complete the election process and to Lion Frank Hill, chairman of the nominating committee.

We will have an information booth at the upcoming Whittier Health Fair on Saturday May 20th. The fair will be held at the City Hall. If you can volunteer for a one hour period between 10AM and 1PM to share our good work with the community – please contact Lion Dick Norton at (562) 947-1714 or dicknjo2003@juno.com. We will debut a new Whittier Host Lions club brochure at the event.

Plans are underway for our 84th Annual Charter Night celebration on Friday June 2nd. Yes – our club has been around 84 years and is going strong!! You will not want to miss this dinner event! It will be held at Lion Frank Hill's home again – a great venue. Doug Keeling and the social committee assure me that there will be plenty of food and refreshments – so bring your wife and/or a special guest. It will be a fun evening.

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As I mentioned last week, the board at our last meeting authorized creation of a major donation committee for the purpose of identifying potential community impact projects – projects that could provide partnering opportunities with LCIF. I have already heard from some who would like to serve – please contact me if you are interested in serving – and/or have any suggestions regarding potential projects.

Thank you to the many Lions who have signed up to present flags to second grade elementary school children this month. I understand some presentations have already been made. Our Flag Day chairman, Lion Jim Spaulding shares that we are planning on having the flags and presentation materials at our meeting this week. He still needs a few Lions to present the flags at a few schools. Please work with Lion Jim to get your school scheduled – he has the contact information for each school. Again, our club has a strong and

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Tail Twisting

Bruce Martin or his designee will be Tail Twisting this week.

long tradition of presenting these flags to children in Whittier. We are targeting completion of these presentations before Memorial Day. We are continuing our 'New Member' drive - the club buys lunch for your guest(s). Why not consider inviting a friend who might be interested in learning more about us and helping support our community. Bring a guest – it's free!!

Lions District 4L2 Convention is being held next week at the Hanalei Hotel in San Diego. We have 6 Lions registered to attend - if you are interested in attending – please call Lion Drew Sones or visit our web site under Links and Resources for Convention information.

We will be conducting committee meetings this week. Hope to see you at club Thursday.

Yours in Lionism,

Larry

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Meetings:

Masonic Temple

Mar Vista & Greenleaf, Whittier, CA

Thursday at Noon

11:45 to 1:15 Belongs

to our Community

This Week's Program

Committee meetings will be held during program time this week.

Invocation

This weeks invocation will be provided by Michael James. Joe Corey will lead the singing of "America". Drew Sones and Cal Bryant will serve as greeters. Special guest Lion Tamer this week!

Important Dates

May 11-13
District 4L2 Convention
San Diego
Contact Drew Sones

June 2
Charter Night

Please bring your used eyeglasses and hearing aids to Club! Let's not forget this important project!!

*Quote for
the Week*

"One act of beneficence, one act of real usefulness, is worth all the abstract sentiment in the world."

Ann Radcliffe

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