

**LYIN' TALES FROM THE SONORA LIONS**  
**THE BULL PINE BUGLE**  
**GOLD GAFF FROM THE DIGGINS**

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### **BIRTHDAYS**

January 4th..... John Bristow  
January 15th.....Bob Leslie  
January 21st.....Pat Green PDG  
January 26th.....Tim Atchley

### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

### **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

January 13<sup>th</sup> - Board of Directors meeting,  
5:30pm, Mother Lode Mobile Estates, 14292  
Tuolumne Road, Sonora, CA. Remember this is a  
make up

Our nex important event will be the Cioppino  
Dinng.

### **NEW MEMBER**

There is never better news than a new  
member. **Lion Jamie Peterson** was inducted on  
December 3<sup>rd</sup> by our secretary **Lion Bob Bader**.  
Now, let us make her feel at home.

Here is her information:

Jamie Peterson

8919 Highway 49, Sonora, CA 95370

Telephone 588 9636, Cell 532 5209

FAX 532 5209 –Spouse David

Birthday 10/11 – email - [jrotary45@yahoo.com](mailto:jrotary45@yahoo.com)

Sponsor - Lisa Melville.

### **IDLE CHATTER**

December 3<sup>rd</sup> - We were visited by members  
of The Tracy Breakfast Lions, **Lions Roy Paterson**  
and **B Jim Sami**. **Lion Paterson's** wife was with  
the visitors, but **Jamie Peterson** is a member of the  
Delta Lions in Stockton. Those **Lions** attending  
with out their vests were **John Egger**, paid the fine,  
**Jim Rende** didn't pay he was the taitwister. **Don**  
**Warren** paid fine, **Jack Nahmias** stuck **Bob**  
**Bader**, **Lion John Bristow's** wife Barbara  
finished first in a flower decorating contest. **Lion**  
**John Bristow** reports that **Lion Cal Critchfield** and  
**John's ' wife** are just doing great. **Lion Don**  
**Warren** put up a happy buck, celebrating how well  
his wife is doing. **Jamie Peterson** a happy buck for  
the wonderful sunchine. (Soon to disappea)r). **Lion**  
**John Egger** won a chance for the marble, no deal.

**Lion Jack Nahmias** won the kitty.

**Lion Bob Bader** inducted **Jamie Peterson** as a  
new member.

December 10<sup>th</sup> - **Lions Lisa Melville** (paid  
double) and **John Egger** (paid fine) arrived with out their  
vests. **Lion Al Durston** is in the hospital with his bad  
back. **Lion Cecil Steen** was the secret **Lion**. **Lion Jim**  
**Gormely** fined. **Lion Lisa Melville** was fined for  
appearance on the radio, the wheel was spun and  
everyone paid. **Lion Bill Dunlavy** and I coughed up a  
happy buck. I don't know why **Lion Bill** did, But mine  
was fo my trip. Our guest was the author of Pinecrest  
Gerald French. **Lions Jim Gormely** and **Jim Rende**  
were late and fined **Lion Jim McCoy** won the kitty and  
**Lion Tim Atchley** picked the right ticket for the marble  
but no luck.

### **CHRISTMAS SOCIAL**

Some 35 or 36 **Lions** and guests enjoyed our  
annual Sonora Lions Christmas Social at Mountair  
Springs. Birdie's catering served a wonderful buffet with  
sole almandine, pork loin, mixed veggies, salad and  
dessert. Everyone enjoyed the fellowship and chance to  
celebrate the season with friends. It was great to have  
long time member **Lion Jim Gullion** join us, as well as  
PDG **Felix Romo**, and **Lion Diego Martinez** from the  
Mountain Lions, and DG **Pat Casey Gillum** and her  
guest in attendance. The high light of the evening was  
the presentation of a Life Membership Award to **Lion**  
**Cal Critchfield** by DG **Pat**. A rousing round o  
Christmas carols, led by **Lions Dunlavy** and **Atchley**,  
topped off the evening.

### **CHRISTMAS BASKET**

I received this message from our treasurer, **Lion Jack**  
**Nahmias** We collected \$395 for the Christmas Basket.  
. I've sent the check to ATCCA. Not as robust an offering  
as in the past but I am sure it is well received.

### **EDITOR'S NOTE**

There was only two meetings and no Board of  
Directors meeting. There was nothing in the near  
horizon to report. So, I wish you all a very **HAPPY**  
**AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.**