



Sonora Lions Club Bulletin



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Notes from May 25, 2022 attended by six Lions. Lion Phil convened after a little fellowship at 12:00. We discussed meeting with lunch at the Senior Center. Cost is \$6.00 and for those \$4.50 for those over age 60 years. The menu was really impressive.

Meals on wheels is being done on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. The pet food program is being taken on by Sheri Fleming by Sheri Fleming.

Discussion how to prepare and use an omelet in a simplified way to prepare for breakfast and later in the day for fund raisers. Frank has the recipes for these. We also discussed using other venues for fundraisers. The one brought by Lion Phil was the Columbia Airport Fly-in on June 18 and 19th. This may be too short a notice but could be done for a close fundraiser. COVID prevented a sooner notice or consideration.

May Guest Speakers & Recognition



Left – Guest speaker Trinity Abila, CEO Habitat for Humanity

Right – Lion Ray Bailey, Happy to win the fine free stuffed lion



Look forward to a Commenerative Special Edition:

Sonora LIONS One Hundred Year Anniversary Celebration

Photos with descriptions

The Second Annual Sonora Lions Wheelbarrow Raffle Winners!

Yesterday, at the regular Wednesday meeting of the Sonora Lions Club, the drawing was held for the 2nd Annual Wheelbarrow Raffle. Our favorite waitress came in to help us draw the tickets. And the winners are (cue the drum roll please)... For the first set of garden tools, John O'Malley (from Kamps Propane!) and the second set went to Lion Susan Gall! Each drawing included one (2-wheeled) wheelbarrow, a shovel, a scoop shovel, a garden cultivator, a leaf rake, a shrubbery rake, branch loppers, hand pruners, a set of 3 hand garden tools, a basket to keep them in, a kneeling pad, a hose & nozzle, a bird feeder, a bird house, a flower pot with tray, a push broom, a sweep broom, a 5-gallon gas can, a water can, a pair of male work gloves, a pair of women's work gloves, and a \$25 Visa card to use for gas in the gas can! Each wheelbarrow package deal is worth over \$500 in value. Congratulations to this year's winners! We look forward to bringing you a new and exciting package of goodies again next year!



Lions PDG Tom & Wendy with Samantha drawing tickets



John O'Malley and PDG Lion Tom with the first set of garden cleanup winning!



Lions PDG Don & Susan Gall with PDG Tom with the second set of garden cleanup winnings!

!!! BREAKING NEWS !!!

Guess who is graduating from the 8th grade and getting ready to head to high school? Lion Paul Berg's son, Dean, will be graduating from his 8th grade class on June 8th, 5:30 pm at the Columbia Elementary School Auditorium. All are welcome to join in with Lion Paul and his family to wish Dean the best of luck on his next adventure as he goes on to attend Sonora High School. Many of us in the club have known Lion Paul's boys since they were very little, and it would be super if we could be there to cheer him on.

Congratulations! Dean, on this milestone in your life!



WELCOME our new Sonora Lions Club Member

Welcome our new member approved by the BOD. Lydia Osias, a former member of the Castro Valley Breakfast Lions. Roster info: 13440 Cabezut Rd, Sonora 95370 (510) 910-4718, email losias@comcast.net. Husband Gary.

H.E.L.P. Hospital Equipment Loan Program . . . Chairs Lions Dan & Kelly Ward

Items	Loaned	Item Value	Contribution in Kinds
Wheelchairs	14	\$50.00	\$700.00
Commodese	19	\$20.00	\$380.00
Bath Chairs	10	\$20.00	\$200.00
Shower Benches	9	\$20.00	\$180.00
Walkers	12	\$20.00	\$240.00
Walker w/Seat	7	\$30.00	\$210.00
Canes	1	\$10.00	\$10.00
Crutches	1	\$10.00	\$10.00
Risers	1	\$10.00	\$10.00
Reachers	0	\$5.00	\$0.00
Sock Aide	0	\$5.00	\$0.00
Misc	3	\$5.00	\$15.00
Total Pieces Loaned	77		
Total Contributions in Kinds		\$1,955.00	
Total Hours Contributed	19.25		
Month:	May-22		
Prepared By:	Dan Ward		



Community Service

- Aid for Seniors: Wendy Penhallegon and John Nolan
- Food Pantry: Tim Atchley, Jan Newman
- MOW Pet Program: Cat and Nick Reuter

Collections

Eyeglasses – Jerri Regelin
Hearing Aids – Tim Atchley
Ink Cartridges, Cell Phones & Green Bag Day – Jill Schwab
May Items for Veterans – Hair Care Items

Green Bag Day

June 15th Meeting

Bring in-date food cans & packages

2022 Calendar

The Club meets all Wednesdays at 12:00am. It is being decided if to move to the Senior Center. First meeting will be there to gather input from the members. Each meeting will be announced this month with the firm location for the Installation of New Officers.

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June 1 Wed – Noon Meeting: Speaker TBA, Senior Center

June 8 Wed – Noon Meeting & Board Meeting, Speaker Betsy Morrell Hurst-Younger & Guest Allison Daniels
“Covid and how it affected Tuolumne County”

June 15 Wed – Noon Meeting, Speaker Amy Falken, “Organic Gardens for the needy in Thailand”

Green Bay Day

June 22 Wed – Noon Meeting, Speaker James Garcia, District Manager for Waste Management,
“Recycling strategies and services”

June 29 Wed – Noon Meeting, Sierra Bible Church, Installation of New Officers

July Meetings TBA next Bulletin

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Editors NOTE: *It has been a pleasure to provide a Bulletin during this “interim time.” . . . Lion Irene Wetzel*

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