



SOUTHERN ROAR



President Angelo Emmunuel
Secretary Sandy Summerbee
Bulletin Editor Joe Borg

Meetings every 2nd & 4th Tuesday at the
Lions Millennium Place 6:30 P.M.
3655 Clark Drive

May 2006

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Bulletin Editor	Joe Borg
Bar tender	Grant Crowley

- ◆ A motion was made by Angus and seconded by Roy that the cost of the Zone Meeting breakfast be covered by the Club – carried
- ◆ Branko will be bringing a guest on May 9th to speak on a fund raising project he is involved in
- ◆ Marco would like to see \$2000.00 donated to BC Lions Society Kids Camps and the Diabetes – CDA Kids Camp, Elphenstone, Gibson – it was decided it would be brought up the next meeting Treasurer Gregg attends
- ◆ Roy spoke on the Ways & Means committee recommendations and the following are the results which were voted on and approved:

ORGANIZATION	AMOUNT
CARE	\$500.00
LCIF	\$500.00
Lions Fdn (dog training)	\$500.00
Lions Journey for Sight	\$500.00
Lions Boat Cruise	\$200.00
LCIF-Sri Lanka	\$2000.00
Alzheimer's Society	\$2500.00
Community Police	\$2500.00
Richmond Lions	\$3000.00
Jayo- Leos Club	\$500.00
David Thompson Secondary	\$1000.00
John Oliver Secondary (sports teams)	\$3000.00
John Oliver (scholarships)	\$1000.00
Team MS Fund Raising (walk)	\$1000.00
BC Paraplegic Association	\$2000.00
CDA (paid already)	\$1600.00
Crime Stoppers	\$1000.00
Food Bank	\$1000.00
SOS Childrens Village	\$1000.00
Victorian Order of Nurses	\$1000.00
Pacific Riding for Developing Abilities	\$12,000.00
Valley Theraputic Assoc	\$1000.00
Western Blind Curling Assoc	\$1000.00
ACCESS Community Therapists	\$500.00
Vancouver Fire & Rescue	\$2000.00

TOTAL
\$42,800.00

LAST MEETING (S) *in brief*

- ◆ President Angelo spoke with Roy Hamade and he is in good spirits but is unsure if he will attend any future meetings
- ◆ Alan spoke briefly on the Car Boot Sale and gave out posters the Sandy had printed off
- ◆ Roy spoke on the Truck Rodeo, Costco, Fletcher Meats, Old Dutch, Canadian Bread have all been locked after....bodies are needed!!
- ◆ Grant spoke with Gay Hahn at Avalon Dairy and at this time the chance of Van South working at Avalon Dairy Days is still up in the air
- ◆ The cost for the Club for the Spring Conference was Hotel \$198.00, Liquor \$225.00 – Marco made a motion that the costs be covered by the club – seconded by Roy – carried
- ◆ It was brought up that Van South establish a fund for our community so that the community can benefit
- ◆ Marco volunteered to write up a report re: our donations and put in the courier

◆ In lieu of our last meeting we had 10 members and 4 spouses attend the appreciation dinner for International President Ashok Mehta. It was a great evening and the attendance was well over 400. Lion Grant and I were honored to have the club choose us as recipients of the Melvin Jones Fellowship award. We were both taken by total surprise. It was truly unexpected. Thank you and behalf of Grant and myself. Along with us there were 43 more lions that were awarded Melvin Jones awards and one no other than our current zone chairman Betty MacDougal. Congratulations Betty well deserved.

Board . members . for . 2006/07

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BIRTHDAY'S . THIS . MONTH

Roy Teather

ANNIVERSARY'S . THIS . MONTH

To be married later this month Jeff & Amber and Sandy & Alan. Congratulations

U P C O M I N G . E V E N T S

May 6th Truck Rodeo 8:00 am til 3:00 pm all hands on deck. Lion Roy will be contacting all club members to verify your participation. Clear your calendar please.

May 7, 2006 Lions Journey for sight Walk-a-thon Central park Burnaby 10:00 am registration walk 11:00 am contact Laura Huang 604-889-6100

May 14th Boot Sale 10:00 -2:00 Contact Alan or Marco to volunteer for your shift. There will also be more discussion at our next meeting

June 4th Zone boat cruise plaes see Sandy for tickets. If you have not been it is a must.

September 17 Avalon Dairy days all hands on deck. Grant will keep us posted

A . L I T T L E . H U M O R

A REAL NEWFIE GHOST STORY

This happened in a little town, Norris Arm, in Newfoundland, and even though it sounds like an Alfred Hitchcock tale, it's absolutely true.

This guy was on the side of the road hitchhiking on a very dark night in the middle of a terrible rain-storm, and no cars were on the road. The storm was so strong the guy could hardly see a few feet ahead of him.

Suddenly, he saw a car come toward him and stop. The guy, without thinking about it, got in the car and closed the door and only then did he realize that there was nobody behind the wheel! The car started to move very slowly.

The guy looked at the road and saw a curve coming his way.

Petrified, he started to pray, begging for his life. He had not come out of shock when, just before the car hit the curve, a hand suddenly appeared through the window and moved the steering wheel. The guy, now paralyzed in terror, watched how the hand appeared every time the car was approaching a curve.

Finally, although terrified, the guy managed to open the door and jump out of the spooky car. Without looking back, the guy ran through the storm all the way to the nearest town.

Soaking wet exhausted and in a state of utter shock the pale, visibly shaken guy, walked into a nearby bar and asked for two shots of Screech. Then, still trembling with fright, he started telling everybody in the bar about the horrible experience he just went through with the spooky car with no driver and the mysterious hand that kept appearing. Everyone in the bar listed in silence and became frightened, listening to this eerie story, hairs stood on end when they realized the guy was telling the truth because he was crying and he definitely was not drunk!

About half an hour later two guys walked into the same bar and one said to the other, "Look, me son, there's the arsehole who got into the car while we were pushing it!"

That is it for now
Joe