



SOUTHERN ROAR



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

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Happy New Year and all the best for 2007

LAST MEETING(S) *in brief*

Our last meeting was our annual Christmas party which was well attended by Lion members, Spouses, family and friends. The food was great Santa did his thing with the kids, and I believe everyone went home with a gift. How can there be anything wrong with that.

We had a short emergency meeting to change the tree lot hours for the final weekend. Everyone agreed to open on Saturday & Sunday at 10:00 am and leave the weekday at a noon opening.

The tree lot was once again supported by our members, family and friends and a lot of volunteer support. Although there were a number of trees left for us to send to the chipper, Grant has indicated we either matched or past last year in sales, he will give a report at our next meeting.

It took 9 of us almost 5 hours to clean up the lot on Saturday the 30th thank god it was a nice day. Where was everyone else?

Our next meeting on January 9th is our District Governors official visit. Jeff has also indicated he will be bringing a few guests to the meeting. I hope we can have a good turn out.

BIRTHDAY'S . THIS . MONTH
Patty Isley; Penny Radmilovic & Ian Reid

ANNIVERSARY'S . THIS . MONTH
none reported,

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

Little Johnny

A new teacher was trying to make use of her psychology courses.

She started her class by saying, "Everyone who thinks they're stupid, stand up!"

After a few seconds, Little Johnny stood up. The teacher said, "Do you think you're stupid, Little Johnny?" "No, ma'am, but I hate to see you standing there all by yourself!"

Little Johnny cont...

Little Johnny's kindergarten class was on a field trip to their local police station where they saw pictures tacked to a bulletin board of the 10 most wanted criminals.

One of the youngsters pointed to a picture and asked if it really was the photo of a wanted person. "Yes," said the policeman. "The detectives want very badly to capture him." Little Johnny asked, "Why didn't you keep him when you took his picture?"

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

At our upcoming Spring conference on April 20th & 21st PIP Ashok Mehta will be a guest speaker. This is a rare opportunity to listen to the Past International President. As voted on at one of our recent meetings the club will cover up to \$50 toward your convention costs. Please see Sandra to sign up.



Past President Mehta, chairperson and managing director of a company in India, is actively associated with more than a dozen major medical, educational, welfare, social and cultural institutions. A Lions

member since 1963, Past President Mehta organized more than 30 eye-camps all over India and Africa. He mobilized international support during major catastrophes, including earthquakes and super-cyclones in India. His peace mission to Pakistan, promoted by Lions of the two nations, added to the spirit of building bridges between the people of these countries.

Past President Mehta served on the Campaign SightFirst International Committee from 1990-95, collecting US\$150 million for the project. He has also presented papers on sight conservation and other topics at Lions international forums and conventions.

Because of his outstanding leadership and contributions, Past President Mehta has received many awards including Lions clubs' coveted "President's Medallion" for the last 23 years, the Lions International Key Award and Medallion for sponsoring 250 new members and 19 extension awards for organizing new clubs. We look forward to welcoming him to Vancouver in April.

Club Visitations Stay tuned for dates for our club visitations from our visitation committee. These will hopefully be mass visitations (as many members as possible) to clubs meeting on nights we do not meet.



Reminder
Dues are past due
for the
2006/2007 Lions year.
The cost \$75
which includes
a club roster.

That is it for now.
Joe

Note: If you do not see you or your spouses name in the birthdays and anniversaries it is because I do not have your information