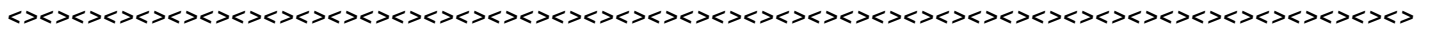




# The Lions Tale

**SAN PEDRO LIONS CLUB -- 82 YEARS OF COMMITMENT**



*November 11, 2004*

## Calendar

**November 11th - 7:00 pm** - Board Meeting. - Frank Colello's house, 2275 Elanita Dr., San Pedro, CA 90732

**November 18<sup>th</sup> - 12:10 pm** - Regular meeting. Ante's Restaurant, 729 South Palos Verdes St., San Pedro, CA 90731. Sharon Ventrice and Kaaren King will present a talk about P.A.M., Prayer Angels for the Military.

**November 25<sup>th</sup> - No Tri-club Meeting. HAPPY THANKSGIVING!**

**December 2nd - 12:10 pm** - Regular meeting. Ante's Restaurant, 729 South Palos Verdes St., San Pedro, CA 90731.

**December 9th - Holiday Party** - Eddie Keyse's house, 1743 Chandeleur Dr., San Pedro, CA 90732

## *Meetings*

The November 4<sup>th</sup> noon meeting at Ante's was a bit sparse. Lions George Keens, Dennis Lord, Sandra Prebanda, Michael Weitzman and Tom and Susan Dorsey attended. Lion Mike shared a wonderful card and picture from Martina, a child that he and Lion Annette Cicketic had helped with her vision deficits. It was a heartwarming experience.

Please make an effort to attend a meeting this month!

If you missed the event, you missed a good time, good food, a wonderful talk and great fellowship. And, we missed seeing you!

## *Fish Dinner*

The Harbor City - Lomita Lions 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Charity Fund Raiser Fish Dinner was a great success. The upper dining room at the San Pedro Fish Market Restaurant was filled! There was great food, great conversation and a raffle that seemed to last forever because there were so many items to be won. Many San Pedro Lions attended and all had a good time.

Hats off to the Harbor City - Lomita Lions for a great event!

## *In the Hospital*

Lion Jim Trani continues to recover from his fractured hip. He is currently hospitalized at Little Company of Mary San Pedro Hospital.

Lion Vince Zabica is also ill and hospitalized at Little Company of Mary San Pedro Hospital

Our thoughts, prayers, and best wishes for a speedy recovery go out to Lion Jim and Lion Vince.

## *Peace Poster Contest Wrap Up*

The Peace Poster Contest Exhibit and Awards Ceremony took place on 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday, November 4<sup>th</sup> at Muriel Olguin's Studio, The Loft, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, 401 S. Mesa St. San Pedro, CA 90731. A jury of local artists judged the posters. 15<sup>th</sup> District Councilwoman Janice Hahn attended and presented certificates to the winners and honorable mentions.

Grant Ackerman, Holy Trinity Catholic School won 1<sup>st</sup> place. Roland Stein and Gabriel Alconcel, Mary Star of the Sea Elementary School, were the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place winners. Vanessa Romo, Danielle Bogdanovich, and Crystal Idibi, Mary Star of the Sea Elementary School, received Honorable Mention.

We had a great turnout of students, parents, teachers, principals, Lions, artists and community members.

Lion David Staley, Chairman of the Peace Poster Contest, Lion Mike Weitzman, and Lion Susan Dorsey put a lot of time and effort into making this a wonderful event. Muriel Olguin was instrumental in the success of the contest through the donation of her studio space and formation of a committee of judges. 15<sup>th</sup> District Councilwoman Janice Hahn took time out of a very busy schedule to honor the winners. Thank you all!

The Peace Poster Contest winner, Grant Ackerman, was asked for a "Student's Quote on Peace" as part of the entry procedure for the Lions International Peace Poster Contest. He had no idea he was going to be asked for a quote. Twelve-year-old Grant summed up the concept of peace when he said, "Peace is like power, you must treat it respectfully."

## *From the President's Computer*

I forgot to include Lion Wayne Bettis as one of the Lions who helped with the Mobil Screening Unit was at the "Justice for Murdered Children" Heath Fair at Ports O'Call on Saturday October 30<sup>th</sup> My apologies!

You can find our web site at <http://www.sanpedrolionsclub.org>. The web site has a current calendar and copies of the *Lions Tale* posted online. Suggestions for the web site are very welcome!

