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[This week](#)

Our Special Guest today is Jose Rivera, from CB Navy Base, to talk about the Celebrations commemorating the 75th Anniversary of the Navy Construction Force.

We also will be visited by the Pleasant Valley/Somis Camarillo Lions Club (the longest Lions Club name in captivity). Early reports said 7 might make the trek all the way to Oxnard. In the rain? Probably only a couple of those sissies will make it.

[Next week](#)

Sal Fuentes from the City of Oxnard will be here to discuss the city's 2017 Plans for Oxnard Downtown Heritage Square. We will also have a visitation from the new Oxnard Downtown Lions Club.



history of the institution. Fascinating parents with a different view of how to raise children.

[Winners](#)

Lion T Tim TENOPIR has Free Fines. Lion Barry BRAFF, who brought Lion D Bedford PINKARD to the meeting, had his name called for the \$5 Attendance Prize, so he'll collect if he shows today. In the Mad Marble Malarkey Lion Byron WEDEMEYER took aim at \$148 but missed.

[Last Week](#)

Laura and Victor Gallardo dropped by to brag about their two daughters who went to the U.S. Army Military Academy, West Point. They were the two and only sisters ever to graduate from the 2015 year

[White Cane Daze](#)

We finally have a date for WCD. It's March 25. Save the date and beg for money or pay a forfeit of \$65.

[Bored Meeting](#)

Your BE was unable to attend the Bored Meeting. Lion S Sal GONZALEZ reports that Lion Timur TALUY's request to go member-at-large was approved.

That's all that was reported.

[Lions Collaborative](#)

The Lions Collaborative is in the process of raising \$200,000 to create a Lions signature Diabetes and Vision Center within the Ventura

County Medical Center. Lions have not done a good job of telling the world what we do, so having our name on an important facility will be a huge plus.

The first event they have planned is a District-wide Installation of Officers at the Camarillo Air Museum on June 10. This will also be the District celebration of 100 years of Lionism. It's going to be a huge event. Please mark your calendars now so you don't schedule vacations or other activities on the date.

Lion Don Fromberg from the Ventura Downtown Lions Club is heading up the Installation. He also runs Ventura's Crab Feast, which nets about \$50,000 per year, so we really expect to do well on this. It won't be the last fundraiser, either.



calendar

- February 17 _ Club Student Speakers Contest (no other program)
- March 18 ___ District-wide Eyeglass Recycling Event
- March 25 ___ White Cane Daze, Vons, 1219 S. Victoria Avenue, all day
- May 12 _____ Bunko Night with Channel Islands Lions at River Ridge Golf Club, 6 PM
- May 20-21 ___ Strawberry Festival: We serve beer
- June 10 _____ Installation: Camarillo Air Museum