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This week

Lion PDG Richard WATTS will be visiting the scene of his crimes today along with several members of the Cathedral City Lions — who are in Ventura for their convention. Should be fun, especially since . .

... your BE has no idea if we have a program this week . . .



Next week ... or next week.

Last week

Officer Cliff Waer from the Oxnard Police Department conducted the Alcohol Beverage Server Training for those of us who were going to work the Strawberry Festival.



.Whispers from Will

D'day Lions. Next Wednesday the 25th is Bored Meeting time. We hope this month to inaugurate Lion Todd's new place over on the north side of town. This will also be the last Bored meeting before the joint installation next month on the 18th at the Bard Mansion on the Navy Base. The Strawberry festival was a bit of fun. Did anybody notice that there were a lot of out-of-towners there? I was

thinking that I hadn't seen anybody I knew there when Lion Bedford walked by remarking that he hadn't seen anybody he knew there. I think locals are attending less and

less. As Yogi said,"nobody goes there anymore, it's too crowded." Tips weren't the best either: I think we netted less than \$200 on tips. If the beers could have been priced differently such as a dollar or even 50 cents either way I believe we could have done better with the tips. Sunday's check out went very strangely. I know we lost a few cups, and served a lot of the premium beer in the bud and bud lite cups etc but still managed to balance out to the dollar. Go figure? It was a lot of fun anvway. I found myself wishing we could find more such activities during the year 'cause it's fun working with the guys. [Editor's Note: You may get

your wish, Lion Will, as Lion S/ZC Rick SMITH is working on getting us the beer concession for the Salsa Festival in July. He's so confident of getting it that he took beverage training even though he couldn't make the Strawberry Festival.]

Winners

Because of the beverage training last week, all winners from two weeks ago will collect today. So, Lion Irv TUCKER has Free Fines today, while Lion D Pat RIGGS is our Greeter. Lion Dr. Richard FIGUROA wasn't here when his name was called two weeks ago, so he won't collect \$10 even if he shows today. In the Mad Marble Malarkey, Lion IPP Ross OLNEY didn't grab the right marble, so he won't collect \$204.



Strawberry Festival report

We had a lot of fun and the club will receive \$1,500 for its troubles. In addition we collected tips of \$86.75 on Saturday and \$90 even on Sunday. \$176.75 is less than in previous years, but still decent. Lion David MIGOCKI did a

fabulous job putting it all together. Also thanks to those Noontimers who poured their hearts and beer out: Lions D Dick MAGGIO, D Pat RIGGS, Chris PACHANA, Irv TUCKER, T/BE Toby SCOTT, Byron WEDEMEYER, 1VP Dennis AMICK, Bobby MULLINS, John FARRAR, Kirby KANESHIRO, D Todd REHANEK, George THOMPSON and P Will BERG.

Installation dinner

Next week is the deadline. We need to know who is coming and who is staying home for the Installation on June 18. Be sure to contact your wives, girlfriends, passers-by on the street, etc. and make sure you are both able to attend.

CALENDAR

May 20	Cathedral City Lions Visit our meeting
May 28	Lion Jeffery NORRIS' birthday
May 29	Bored meeting: Lion D Todd REHANEK's new digs, 6 PM
June 18	Joint Installation of area Lions Clubs: Bard Mansion, 4 PM