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- Board Meeting (Mar 5, '08): Lion President Gallaway called the Le Grand Lions Executive Board meeting to order. Members present were Lions Doug Gallaway, Sonny Hultgren, Louie Aguilar, Ben Esquivel, George Dickinson, Concie Moreno, Ron Raines, Danny Silva, Anne Vandermeer, Gail Wills, Jeff Stephens, Scott Lucas, Martin Ramirez, and Fred Silveira.
- Minutes of the February meeting were read and declared approved. The treasurer's report was then given, A cross check was made with Lion Jeff's membership list and that of the club roster with some members being deleted and one added. The two lists now coincide.
- Megan Thiel, a junior at Le Grand High School, made a presentation requesting a donation to help fund her trip this summer with the People to People Sports Ambassador Program to be held in Austria. Her total cost will be \$6319. The purpose is to gather athletes from around the world for understanding and fellowship. Motion made/passed of \$1000 to help toward her needed costs.
- Details and logistics of the Spring/Dinner Dance were discussed. Tickets will be \$35 for dinner/dance and \$10 for dance only. It will be held May 24 (Le Grand Community Day). Lion Ron and Lion Scott will design and make a poster to promote the event. Lion Ben then gave a report on the Tri-City Youth Football Dinner which will be held April 26th.and requested help from Lions members and for Le Grand Lions to provide the liquor/dance license. That was agreed upon along with a motion approving a \$200 donation for the event
- Lion Doug researched costs of purchasing Le Grand Lion pins that he (as president) and club members can trade with other clubs. The board authorized an expenditure to buy the pins. Lion Doug will oversee the project. He then followed-up on last month's discussion regarding a mobile club barbecue and in addition repairing the outside barbecue at the American Legion Hall. Motion passed to renovate the ALH unit and in addition purchase of a mobile barbecue within a reasonable price.
- Discussions: Lion Doug announced the Lions Club Convention will be held at South Lake Tahoe, April 17-20th. Contact him for additional details. A Lions Cabinet meeting is scheduled at Murphys, May 9-10th. A thank you letter was received from Campaign Sight First for our recent donation.. Lion Doug found a group that will pay up to \$50 per used cell-phone dependent upon condition which can then serve as fund raising for our club. A group of Le Grand Lions members attended last week's Merced Breakfast Lions Club to retrieve our stolen gavel, which was accomplished including Lion Doug then walking off with MBLC's bell ! Club scholarship applications are being redesigned and will be available soon for distribution to prospective applicants. Appreciation goes to Lion Louie for procurement of three new sewing machines for the Le Grand 4H organization.
- March cooking duties will be headed by Lion Gail. Dinner meeting, March 19th.
- **Special thanks to our webmaster for purchase of a Le Grand Lions apron for the bulletin editor....

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