

**THE LION'S ROAR**  
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- Board Meeting (Dec 3, '08): Lion President Gallaway called the Le Grand Lions Executive Board meeting to order. Members present were Lions Doug Gallaway, Sonny Hultgren, Scott Lucas, Concie Moreno, Louie Aguilar, Jeff Stephens, George Dickinson, Anne Vandermeer, Jim Pacheco, Ken McPherson, and Fred Silveira.
- Minutes of the November meeting were read by Lion Scott. Lion Jeff presented the treasurer's report to the board. There are still some proceeds to be added into the balance from the auction.
- Motion passed to donate \$200 to Lions in Sight.
- The "Light Up Le Grand" account has been closed. All funds that remained were transferred to Josephine Giampaoli.
- Members are again reminded the 90<sup>th</sup> Annual Multiple District-4 Convention will be held in Fresno, February 13<sup>th</sup>, 14, and 15, 2009. International Lion President, Albert Brandel, will be a keynote speaker at the session.
- Motion passed to donate \$500 to the Le Grand community food basket program.
- Due to restrictions set by the Merced County Board of Education, LGLC might not participate this year in the local Head Start holiday program.
- The annual LGLC Christmas Banquet will be held at The Branding Iron in Merced on Wednesday, December 17<sup>th</sup>. The club will pay dinner costs for club members attending and in addition pay for one guest each (spouse, friend, relative, or etc.) per member. A gift exchange will be part of the event. For those wishing to participate, it is requested two gifts (no more than \$10 each) be brought, one a woman's present, the other for a man. Attempts were made by Lion Fred in contacting all members to ascertain their attendance and the selections/choices of main menu items. For those indicating they would attend, if by chance need to cancel, be sure to let Lion Doug know in advance of the change in status, otherwise, the member will incur dinner charges. If you were not reached, but intend to be at the banquet, contact Lion Doug beforehand so your attendance may be added to the total count. Festivities start at 6pm for the no host social, with dinner being served at 7pm.
- Other Discussions and Commentaries: Lion Ron sent word of appreciation to Le Grand Elementary for the use of its facilities, to Lions Doug, Sonny, and Ken (McP) in providing the lunch which all made for a successful district computer technology symposium held on November 22<sup>nd</sup>. Thanks goes to those LGLC members who helped with White Cane Day. Lion Rob was not present at this board meeting, so details will be reported later. Raffle tickets are still available for The Student Speakers Foundation Fund. Contact Lion Doug if you wish to purchase tickets and support the drive.
- No general meeting this month. In its place, the LGLC Christmas Banquet (Dec. 17<sup>th</sup>, details above).  
Cooking and cleaning duties will be handled by The Branding Iron!

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