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- Board Meeting (Nov 4, '09): Lion President Ron Raines called the Le Grand Lions Executive Board meeting to order. Members present were Lions Ron Raines, Anne Vandermeer, Doug Gallaway, Sonny Hultgren, Jeff Stephens, Louie Aguilar, Jim Pacheco, Bill Frizell, Concie Moreno, George Dickinson, and Fred Silveira.
- Lion Scott was not in attendance, so minutes of the October meeting were not read. Lion Jeff gave a treasurer's report. Routine expenses were paid and purchase of the auction door prize (digital video recorder) was made. Only one member now is delinquent on dues.
- Details for the November 7<sup>th</sup> LGLC auction were covered. Set-up is scheduled at the Legion Hall at 10am that Saturday. Committees involved: Lion Bob (dinner); Monica Bianchi (decorations); Lion Ron (set-up); Lion Doug (donations); Lion Jeff (door prize and tickets); Lion Louie (bar) and Lion Sonny related a "dessert auction" will be part of the activities with a special guest auctioneer (not Lion Doug). Members are requested to bring desserts (preferably homemade) that may be auctioned. There will also be a 50/50 raffle. Most of the clean-up should be handled after the dinner/auction that night with a touch-up Sunday morning. **ALL CLUB MEMBERS ARE NEEDED AT THE AUCTION.**
- Lion Greg has the ALH barbeque completed and ready to be installed on Saturday, Nov. 7<sup>th</sup>, during the auction dinner set-up. **WE NEED TWELVE MEN AT 10 o'clock SHARP** to lift and install the new BBQ grill assembly at the Legion Hall. Thanks to Lion Greg for the construction.
- Participation this year (Oct 24<sup>th</sup>) was the best ever by LCLC for White Cane Day, co-chaired by Lion Rob and Lion Bill (Frizell). Members participating were Lions Louie, Dave (Moroni), Rob, Bill (Frizell), Dario, Anne, Ron, and Jeff. The club will secure 1,000 miniature white canes for next year's event.
- Motion made and approved to donate \$150 to Lions Project for Canine Companions for Independence which will make LGLC a partner in the project. Lion Don Allen will give a presentation on LPCCI as the program for this month's general meeting.
- Members are reminded that December's general meeting is our annual (Ladies Night) Christmas Dinner and it will be held on December 16<sup>th</sup> in Merced at The Branding Iron. LGLC members will be contacted to ascertain an attendance number for the Christmas festivities and dinner.
- Other Discussion and Commentaries: Lion Doug is still working on securing and booking the *Second Wind* band for the barn dinner/dance. Lion Don Allen and other Oakdale Lion members will be attending this month's LGLC general meeting. As stated above, Lion Don will be the program speaker. Lion Bill (Frizell) requests club members continue to collect pull-tabs from sodas and beer cans which is a club project to help raise funds for the Ronald McDonald House connected with Valley Childrens' Hospital in Madera County. The student speaker contest, chaired by Lion Rob, is re-scheduled for the club's January general meeting and Monica Bianchi will be guest speaker for February. Jill Loving will be giving a talk on Camp Pacifica at LGLC's March meeting.
- General meeting, Nov. 18<sup>th</sup> at the American Legion Hall, 7pm. Head Cook will be Lion Rick Furey.

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