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## **THE LION'S ROAR**

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- Board Meeting (Jan 6, 2010): Lion President Ron Raines called the Le Grand Lions Executive Board meeting to order. Members present were Lions Ron Raines, Doug Gallaway, Sonny Hultgren, Jeff Stephens, Louie Aguilar, Concie Moreno, Anne Vandermeer, George Dickinson, Bob Enochs and Fred Silveira.
- Since Lion Scott was not at this month's meeting, the December issue of the club bulletin served in place of reading the minutes. In his treasurer's report, Lion Jeff related that money in the general fund is becoming somewhat depleted in comparison with past years. An extensive discussion ensued on budgetary categories as to how proceeds are raised, allocated and then drawn from which designated fund. Focus was especially pointed to the handling of the club's community service fund. For the time being and record keeping purposes, donation requests made to LGLC will be drafted from that category.
- Due to extensive travel to visit relatives during 2010, Lion Louie is taking a one year leave from handling bar duty. In place, Lion Bob offered to help with the responsibilities. Other club members will be needed in the effort and are requested to contact Lion Ron to volunteer.
- All equipment has now been received for the club's new sound system. Components that had been received at the time were displayed and utilized at the Christmas dinner and will now be available for this month's student speaker night.
- Lion Ron is still upgrading the club's award banner, plaques and signs. He has made and installed a new sign at El Vecino which relates the correct time and dates for the monthly Le Grand Lions executive board and general meetings. The Helen Keller Fellowship plaque is currently being restored by the company which originally manufactured it.
- The high school sports banquet last month was a success. Lion Bob thanked all club members who helped in the effort which also has resulted in 53 hours being added to LGLC service hours..
- This month's general meeting features student speaker [and ladies] night. Certificates and money prizes will be issued as part of the contest. Lion Rob will handle master of ceremony duties.
- There was a discussion and motion made to hold this year's installation at Fernando's Bistro. Mainly due to concerns of cost, the motion failed and then the issue tabled for consideration at a later date.
- Other Discussion and Commentaries: The barn dance in the spring is scheduled for May 29<sup>th</sup>. Lion Doug is still trying to secure the band, Second Wind, for the event. A visitation is scheduled by Lion Ron to Oakdale on January 14<sup>th</sup> to retrieve our gavel. Consideration is still being given to the purchase of one or two steers for a club fund raiser, dependent upon availability of pasture grass this season. Lion Doug will monitor conditions. A special thank you goes to Santa Clause [Lion Louie] and all his helpers in making Christmas festivities an exceptional event for Heat Start.
- General meeting / Jan 20<sup>th</sup>, 7pm: Student Speaker [and ladies] night. Head cook: Lion xxxxxx

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