

**Santee Lions Club Meeting**  
**Minutes – Membership Meeting**  
October 18, 2011

The membership meeting was called to order by 1<sup>st</sup> VP Artie Wall – 6:30pm – Sizzler – El Cajon

Guest(s): None

Approval of minutes: PDG Ike moved to accept the min. of Oct. 4, 2011 – Lion Barbara 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion - carried

Correspondence: “After 5:30pm Mixer” held at Cafe’ 67 on Thur., Oct 20<sup>th</sup>.

Lion Marilynn handed out the dues statements to those that were at the meeting, others will be mailed.

PDG Ike reported that our Burrito B’fast with OJ and coffee was successful. We also sold water. Thanks to DG Brad, PDG Ike, Lions Barbara, Larry, Artie, Susan and Marilynn for working at this event.

Lion Marilynn reported that we had two Santana Leo’s at our booth and they helped with our White Cane’s. One other Santana student was also there and he helped and will be joining the LEO’s club. They spent almost the whole day with our members.

Tree Planting: Lion Ike will check with one of the mgr. at the Santee Lakes to see what kind of tree our club can purchase to plant in the park.

Lion Ike said that we will be selling b’fast burritos, OJ, coffee, Danish and cocoa on Sat. Nov 5<sup>th</sup> and Sun. Nov 6<sup>th</sup> at the Santee Lakes Park for opening of the trout season. Lion Ike will purchase a new coffee pot. The small coffee pot will be used to heat water to make the cocoa. Set up time is 5am. Who will work Sat. or Sun. or both days and what hours? Please respond.

Nursing Home Project: Lions Barbara and Marilynn will start shopping for Christmas Stockings and gifts for the residence at the Santee nursing home. We will check with DG Brad to see if he can once again get slipper socks and will also check with Lions Mary or Randy to see if they can get magnifying glasses to be placed in the stockings.

Tail twister Lion Don Knoll: None

Volunteers for Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>. membership mtg. Invocation: Lion Don Knoll Pledge: Lion Artie Wall

Good of order: None Cake was served in honor of Lion Larry’s Birthday

UPCOMING EVENTS – PROJECTS – MEETINGS (please place dates on your calendar)  
Sat., Oct 22<sup>nd</sup>. Northeast Region Mtg. 10am – Sizzler – Fletcher Pky., Held in big mtg. room  
Board meeting: Mon. Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> – Margarita’s Rest., 5:30pm  
NO b’fast at the lakes on Sat. Oct 29<sup>th</sup>.  
Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> B’fast for the opening of trout season – Santee Lakes

Meeting adjourned: 7:30pm

Respectfully submitted,

Lion Marilynn Enzenauer,  
Secretary



Saturday October 8th saw the Santee Lions out and working at 6:00 AM in preparation for the Santee Car Show during which we sold Breakfast Burritos and Cheese Quesadillas. We also had 3 Santana Leos and a friend come and help us sell White Canes. The Leos stayed the entire day to help with the White Cane Sales.

Lion Brade purchased an enclosed booth so we could satisfy the Health Department by having our food enclosed behind netting.

The Car Show was the second annual put on by the Santee Chamber of Commerce who estimated that there wer approximately 20,000 people attending the show and at the end of the day a drawing was held for a completely restored 1967 Mustang. Unfortunately no Lions won the car.

## POLK COUNTY FLORIDA SHERIFF GRADY JUDD

An illegal alien in Polk County Florida who got pulled over  
In a routine traffic stop ended up 'executing' the deputy  
Who stopped him. The deputy was shot eight times,  
Including once behind his right ear at close range.  
Another deputy was wounded and a police dog killed.  
A state-wide manhunt ensued.

The murderer was found hiding in a wooded area and  
As soon as he took a shot at the SWAT team, officers  
Opened fire on him. They hit the guy **68 times**.

Naturally, the liberal media went nuts and asked why  
They had to shoot the poor undocumented immigrant  
68 times.

Sheriff Grady Judd told the Orlando Sentinel:  
*'Because that's all the ammunition we had.'* Now, is  
That just about the all-time greatest answer or what!

The Coroner also reported that the illegal alien died  
Of natural causes. When asked by a reporter how that  
Could be since there were 68 bullet wounds in his body,  
He simply replied "*when you are shot 68 times you are  
Naturally gonna die.*"

*that's an even better answer*



**2009-2010 Santee Lions Club Officers**

President	Lion Susan Godwin
IPP	Lion Brad Weeks
First Vice President	Lion Artie Wall
Secretary	Lion Marilyn Enzenauer
Treasurer	PDG Ike Enzenauer
Membership Director	PDG Ike Enzenauer
Tail Twisters	Lion Don Knoll
Lion Tamer	Lion Brad Weeks
Directors	Lion Barbara Fitzgerald
	Lion Mike Lawler
Bulletin Editor	PDG Ike Enzenauer
Chaplain	Lion Don Knoll
Photographer	Lion Bill Chisum
Leos Co-Advisors	Denise Wall
	Marilynn Enzenauer
Student Speaker Chair	Bill Chisum

**ANYONE NEED A MAKE-UP ?**

**Near-by Clubs Meeting Places, Days and Times**

**Alpine Stagecoach Lions Club**  
2nd & 4th Monday at 6:00 PM  
Alpine Inn 2225 Alpine Blvd.  
Alpine, CA  
Board Meeting 5:00 p.m. on 2nd Monday  
Alpine Inn 2225 Alpine Blvd.  
Alpine, CA.

**Heartland Lions Club**  
2nd & 4th Wednesdays at 6:30 PM  
Sizzler 1030 Fletcher Parkway  
El Cajon, CA.

**El Cajon Valley Lions Club**  
Weekly on Mondays at Noon  
Ronald Reagan Community Center,  
195 East Douglas Street, El Cajon, CA

**Harbison Canyon Lions Club**  
1st & 3rd Fridays at 6:30 PM  
Old Ironsides Park, Community Center  
326 Harbison Canyon Road. El Cajon, CA

**La Mesa Lions Club**  
Weekly on Tuesdays at Noon  
La Mesa Community Center,  
4975 Memorial Drive, La Mesa, CA

**Lakeside Highway Lions Club**  
2nd & 4th Tuesdays at 6:30 PM  
Elks Lodge  
11633 Woodside Ave. Lakeside, CA

**Singing Hills Lions Club**  
2nd & 4th Monday 7:00 PM  
Coco's Restaurant  
1025 Fletcher Parkway  
El Cajon, CA.

**Spring Valley Lions Club**  
2nd & 4th Wednesdays at 7:00 PM  
California Comfort Restaurant  
8910 Troy St.  
Spring Valley, CA.

**Other Santee Club Members**

PDG John Errickson	Associate Member
Lion Larry Fitzgerald	Active Member
Lion Mike Nowlin	Affiliate Charter Member
Lion Dan McDougal	Associate Alpine
Lion Mary Rynearson	Associate Member
Lion Randy Rynearson	Associate Member
Lion Jeanne Rose	Associate Member
Lion Alice Villa	Associate Alpine
Lion Joanne Villa	Active Member
Lion Denise Wall	Active member
Lion Gloria Work	Active Member



**HAVE YOU INVITED ANYONE  
TO  
JOIN US IN SERVICE TO OUR  
COMMUNITY LATELY?**





## The Thanksgiving Story



Most stories of Thanksgiving history start with the harvest celebration of the pilgrims and the Native Americans that took place in the autumn of 1621. Although they did have a three-day feast in celebration of a good harvest, and the local natives did participate, this "first thanksgiving" was not a holiday, simply a gathering. There is little evidence that this feast of thanks led directly to our modern Thanksgiving Day holiday. Thanksgiving can, however, be traced back to 1863 when Pres. Lincoln became the first president to proclaim Thanksgiving Day. The holiday has been a fixture of late November ever since.

However, since most school children are taught that the first Thanksgiving was held in 1621 with the Pilgrims and Indians, let us take a closer look at just what took place leading up to that event, and then what happened in the centuries afterward that finally gave us our modern Thanksgiving.

The Pilgrims who sailed to this country aboard the *Mayflower* were originally members of the English Separatist Church (a Puritan sect). They had earlier fled their home in England and sailed to Holland (The Netherlands) to escape religious persecution. There, they enjoyed more religious tolerance, but they eventually became disenchanted with the Dutch way of life, thinking it ungodly. Seeking a better life, the Separatists negotiated with a London stock company to finance a pilgrimage to America. Most of those making the trip aboard the *Mayflower* were non-Separatists, but were hired to protect the company's interests. Only about one-third of the original colonists were Separatists.

The Pilgrims set ground at Plymouth Rock on December 11, 1620. Their first winter was devastating. At the beginning of the following fall, they had lost 46 of the original 102 who sailed on the *Mayflower*. But the harvest of 1621 was a bountiful one. And the remaining colonists decided to celebrate with a feast - including 91 natives who had helped the Pilgrims survive their first year. It is believed that the Pilgrims would not have made it through the year without the help of the natives. The feast was more of a traditional English harvest festival than a true "thanksgiving" observance. It lasted three days. Governor William Bradford sent "four men fowling" after wild ducks and geese. It is not certain that wild turkey was part of their feast. However, it is certain that they had venison. The term "turkey" was used by the Pilgrims to mean any sort of wild fowl. Another modern staple at almost every Thanksgiving table is pumpkin pie. But it is unlikely that the first feast included that treat. The supply of flour had been long diminished, so there was no bread or pastries of any kind. However, they did eat boiled pumpkin, and they produced a type of fried bread from their corn crop. There was also no milk, cider, potatoes, or butter. There was no domestic cattle for dairy products, and the newly-discovered potato was still considered by many Europeans to be poisonous. But the feast did include fish, berries, watercress, lobster, dried fruit, clams, venison, and plums.

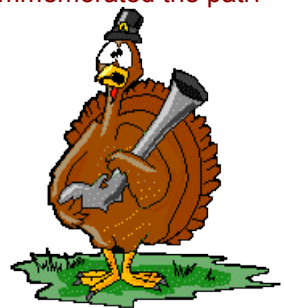
This "thanksgiving" feast was not repeated the following year. Many years passed before the event was repeated. It wasn't until June of 1676 that another Day of thanksgiving was proclaimed. On June 20 of that year the governing council of Charlestown, Massachusetts, held a meeting to determine how best to express thanks for the good fortune that had seen their community securely established. By unanimous vote they instructed Edward Rawson, the clerk, to proclaim June 29 as a day of thanksgiving. It is notable that this thanksgiving celebration probably did not include Native Americans, as the celebration was meant partly to be in recognition of the colonists' recent victory over the "heathen natives," (see the [proclamation](#)). By then, it had become apparent to the settlers that the natives were a hindrance to their quest for more land, so the good will they shared at the first feast had long been lost.



A hundred years later, in October of 1777 all 13 colonies joined in a thanksgiving celebration. It also commemorated the patriotic victory over the British at Saratoga. But it was a one-time affair.

George Washington proclaimed a National Day of Thanksgiving in 1789, although some were opposed to it. There was discord among the colonies, many feeling the hardships of a few pilgrims did not warrant a national holiday. And later, President Thomas Jefferson opposed the idea of having a day of thanksgiving.

It was Sarah Josepha Hale, a magazine editor, whose efforts eventually led to what we recognize as Thanksgiving. Hale wrote many editorials championing her cause in her *Boston Ladies' Magazine*, and later, in *Godey's Lady's Book*. Finally, after a 40-year campaign of writing editorials and letters to governors and presidents, Hale's obsession became a reality when, in 1863, President Lincoln proclaimed the *last* Thursday in November as a national day of Thanksgiving.



# November 2011

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
		MEMB MTG <b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	TROUT OPEN DAY BRKFST <b>5</b>
TROUT OPEN DAY BRKFST <b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	MEMB MTG <b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>
<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	THANKSGIV- ING <b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	LAKES BRK- FST <b>26</b>
<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	BOARD MTG <b>29</b>	<b>30</b>			



**Pancake Breakfast at the Santee Lakes  
November 26th**  
Serving from 8 AM until 11 AM at The Clubhouse  
Menu will be:

Scrambled Eggs, Pork Sausage Patty, Pancakes,  
Orange Juice & Coffee

Or Biscuits & Sausage Gravy & Eggs

Price per plate is: Adults \$ 6.00 ,

Children 10 & under \$ 4.00

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