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REGULAR MEETING: The next meeting of the Clemson Lions Club will be on Thursday, January 24, 2008 at 7:00 PM in the Poole/Shanklin Room at the Clemson House. Our program will be presented by Patrick McMillan, Department of Biological Sciences, Clemson University. Please contact Lion Susan Pope, Secretary, at 646-6217(H), 656-6673(W), or by email at sc@clemson.edu by 2:00 pm Tuesday, if you will bring guests or will not attend.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING: There will be a meeting of the Board at 6:30 PM, on Thursday, January 24th at the Clemson House. All members are reminded to be present to participate in the discussion and decision-making. Please contact President Peter Newell by phone at 654-8769(H), 672-4363(W), or by e-mail at peter.newell@alumni.clemson.edu by Wednesday, if you have items for discussion at the next Board meeting.

FROM THE LAST MEETING: Lion Chuck presented our strategy for the golf tournament. Details are in the Golf Tournament Committee Report

Old Business:

- A committee was appointed at the November meeting, consisting of PDG Tom Hayden, Lion Alex Hash and Lion Chuck Rivers to look into a request made by Nan and Terry Davis to make a contribution to help pay for a wheel chair lift for their new van. Nan and Terry Davis is the couple buying the Clemson Lion's Club Habitat House. A report was made that approximately \$4,000 is in an existing "Nan's Van Fund" at the Lawrence Creek United Methodist Church for this purpose. The committee made a recommendation to contribute \$500. After a short discussion, the board voted to give \$500 to this cause.

New Business:

- Lion Tom reported the rent for the picnic site has been paid. The picnic date is 8 May.
- Lion Jean said Lion John Welter would be contacted immediately to cater the picnic.

GUEST: Asim Manizade was the guest of Lions Barnes and Muriel Bishop. Sharon West, was the guest of PID Bill.

LION PARD: Lion Joyce Adkins awarded Lion Chuck Rivers the free meal.

TREASURER'S REPORT: The Treasurer's report as presented by Chairman Tom Hayden was as follows:

	<u>Previous Mtg.</u>	<u>This Mtg.</u>
Administrative Fund	\$ 1,877.85	\$354.26
Activities Fund	\$ 4,294.81	\$2,400.71
	\$ 6,172.66	\$2,754.97

Notes: Income Fund of America - \$8,872.88
Capital Income Builder - \$5,378.76

CARE COMMITTEE: Lion Susan Pope is having some dental work.

GOLF TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE: The date for the Golf Tournament has been set for March 27th with a rain date for April 3rd. The format will be the same as in prior years. A goal has been set for a minimum of 42 Sponsors and 80 players (20 Teams). With this goal, the profits from this event can be over \$6,000. Last year, 18 Lions required 40 Sponsors. We have asked these 18 to repeat this again this year. Sponsor sheets have been handed out to these Lions. If any other members can add sponsors, please fill out the sheet passed out and when received, a Sponsor's Agreement will be filled out and returned. This will prevent duplication in calling of potential sponsors and the potential sponsors name can be added to the master list. It is essential that these sponsors be secured by the end of February as their names will go on the players application which will be mailed out during the first week in March. Please support this committee and your Club in this important fund raising project.

NOTES FROM MID-WINTER RALLY: (Continued from last week) Gregg Turner, SCLCS Exec. Director announced that we are implementing a new fundraiser to supplement Candy Day, called Tootsie Pop Day. It will be held April 3-5. SCLCS requests 50% of the net from this event. The reason for this is that the current Candy Day is not doing the job financially. The Tootsie Pops are not as expensive as the candy rolls and should be more attractive to the children. Our District goal from this event is \$18,000.

UPCOMING CHAPTER PROGRAMS & ACTIVITIES:

- Feb 14 - Sweethearts Banquet
- Feb 28 - Regular Meeting