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REGULAR MEETING: The next meeting of the Clemson Lions Club will be on Thursday, December 13, 2007 at 7:00 PM in the Ballroom on the second floor of the Clemson House. The program will be our annual Christmas Event. This year we will hear Ms. Ann Russell give a review of her recent book "Legacy of a Southern Lady, Anna Calhoun Clemson, 1817-1875". All are encouraged to bring guest/guests so 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 no Board Meeting but members are reminded to 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 of interest for discussion at the next Board meeting.

FROM THE LAST MEETING: Our program was presented by Mr Jim Hill, who serves as a Financial Advisor at Edward Jones here in Clemson. Mr. Hill shared a presentation on "Perception is Reality". He discussed the stock market and where it is going.

NEW BUSINESS: Lion George Fletcher asked the club if they would consider donating the club's large TV with remote control since it is too big and not being used to a family who could use it. The authorization was approved.

Lion Chuck Rivers shared a community concern regarding Nan Davis and her husband. This is the couple that received the Lions Habitat Houses a few years ago. She is totally paralyzed/crippled. They recently had to purchase a new van that accommodates her disability and they owe approximately \$17,000 on this vehicle. Lions Chuck and Alex requested that we consider providing some financial support to assist them since we already have established a relationship with them. A special committee consisting of Lions Chuck, Alex, and Tom Hayden will follow up on the request and report back at our December meeting.

GUEST: Our speaker Mr. Jim Hill. Lions Muriel and Barnes Bishop had as their guest, Asim Manizade

LION PARD: Lion Warren Garner chose Lion Tom Brooks to receive 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	\$ 410.27	\$ 1,877.85
Activities Fund	\$ 4,185.06	\$ 4,294.81
	\$ 4,595.33	\$ 6,172.66

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

Committee Chairman Lion Tom Hayden reported that the Finance Committee met prior to the regular meeting to discuss several findings from the audit report which are being dealt with and addressed. Resolution of these items include the Constitution Committee working on resolving some of the particulars such as the second signature for check writing. He also reported that he shared the ClubMate Treasurer's software program with the accountants and the results from their review indicate that it is acceptable. Based on this, we do not have to use Quickbooks and will still adhere to all income-tax guidelines

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE: Chairman Alex Hash reported Lion Ray Harrell's request for resignation. This request was approved with regrets.

CARE COMMITTEE: Lion Mary Ann reported that Lion Pat Fulmer is being checked out by his cardiologist. Lion Ensley Feemster is still recovering very well from his illness. In fact, he was in attendance at the meeting.

CANDY AND COUNTER MINTS SALES: Chairman David Harshman indicated there is still fruit flavored candies that need to be sold and/or given away that were not sold during Candy Day. A motion was made and approved by a Club vote that all left over candy be given to some charitable origination.

CAMPAIGN SIGHTFIRST II: Our Club has forwarded only \$8,550 of the \$20,400 pledged to this project. Maybe at the years end would be a good time to make your contribution.

UPCOMING CHAPTER PROGRAMS & ACTIVITIES:

Jan. 4 & 5 - Mid-Winter Rally - Greenville Hilton
Jan. 10 - Regular Meeting
Jan. 24 - Regular Meeting