

**SAN DIEGO SANTAS
A CHAPTER OF FORBS**

Membership Meeting Minutes for November 3, 2021

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<https://realsantasandiego.com/minutes/>

REMINDER: ALL CHECKS FOR DUES, NEEDS TO BE MADE OUT TO: FORBS San Diego



Board Members: President John Lorne Jr., Vice-President Joe McGrievy, Treasurer Kathie Wellington, Sergeant at Arms Greg Cook, and Secretary Mary Ann Schafer

Commenced: 1:03 pm at the Golden Corral **Adjourned:** 2:01 pm

The meeting was called to order by John and he welcomed the members present. He asked if we had any guest(s) present, we had two new Guests, Jack and Debora Yuill; who became members during the members meeting. John led the members in reciting **the Pledge of Allegiance**; the **Invocation** was given by Mark Hartman; then the members sang **“God Bless America.”**

Member(s) Not Feeling Well: Joe informed us that Cindy is doing better and that she is here today with us. No one else was mentioned.

Members' Minutes from October 6, 2021 was up for approval and since there were no corrections or additions noted; Minutes were **Approved**.

Treasurer's Report for November 2021 was given by Kathie who said the General Fund has \$ 9050.49, the Reunion Fund has \$ 2161.61, and the Santas' Special Delivery has \$ 9075.32. So the total in our Accounts is \$ 20,287.62. Kathie also said that from the 10% Fund Raiser at the Texas Roadhouse Restaurant on October 26th we raised \$276.12. They will be sending us a check so it is not included in the total. (**Note:** Treasurer's Report was Approved at the Board Meeting)

Sunshine Report was given by Pam Scatterday and she announced the November and December's Birthdays. Happy Birthday was sung by the members.'

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| Nov 2 | Donna Barnes | Nov 5 | Thomas Shaff | Nov 7 | Richard Stahley |
| Nov 8 | Dale Law | Nov 9 | Pamela Swank-Yates | Nov 11 | Jacquelin Balogh-Bailey |
| Nov 13 | Randy Floyd | Nov 22 | Steve Schafer | Nov 26 | Brittany Skipper-Ruz |
| | | Nov 27 | Ken Hunt | Nov 30 | Mike Trant |

December's Birthdays

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| Dec 5 | Renee Deede | Dec 19 | Greg Cook |
| Dec 27 | Gretchen Callahan | Dec 30 | Steve Dawson |

CURRENT BUSINESS:

1. Santa Special Delivery:

- Kathie informed the Santas that if they haven't sign-up to be one of the Santas volunteer for the Special Delivery program please sign up, volunteer sheet is going around.

- Kathy gave a description of what the delivery entails.
- Kathie said that as soon as she receives the list of families from the Breast Cancer Angels, she will be contacting the Santas so that she can match up families with each of them and give them the distribution of the money.
- The distribution of funds for each family is: \$200 per children, \$50 per parent, \$100 Food Gift Card per family (Kathie will find out what grocery store each family does they shopping at;, and up to \$25 for the Santas to use for items for the wrapping the gifts.
 - **Remember receipts need to be turned in to the Treasurer for all money spent either by mail or by email.**
 - **Santas' can get an advance from Kathie to buy the gifts for the children and the parents, and the food gift card if they need to. Let her know.**
- If Santas have a question, please contact Kathie Wellington at (C) (619) 368-8751 (H) 619 669-2764 or email: santastreehouse@gmail.com.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Dues:

- Dues are payable to our Treasurer Kathie.
 - You can mail Kathie Wellington a check for \$10, made out to FORBS San Diego and mail it to her at: 15263 Lawson Valley Road, Jamul, CA 91935 or
 - If you have a PayPal account use the link: paypal.me/forbssandiego If using PayPal when asked to who you are paying the funds to, please use the Personal (Family/Friend). If you don't, PayPal will apply a service fee.
- **2022 FORBS Reunion:** Mary Ann said that the 2022 Reunion is being held at the Knott's Berry Farm Hotel and the links to review the available Registration Packets, to Register and also information on the hotel, are below:
 - Link to Register for Reunion: <https://fs2.formsite.com/55v3Hm/pbjoor5sgp/index.html>
 - Link to Review Packages: <https://forbsantasreunion.com/packages/default.html>
 - Book your room, \$121 plus taxes and fees, at the Knott's Hotel on 7675 Crescent Avenue, Buena Park, CA 90620 Phone number (714) 995-1111. Remember to tell them you are with FORBS for the January 2022 Reunion.
- 2. **2023 FORBS Reunion:** The 2023 FORBS Reunion will be a cruise. It will be on the Carnival line. It is a five day cruise out of Long Beach. He said there are two days at sea, and that we will do the Reunion part of the events will happen during those sea days. The cruise will stop at two ports, more information to follow.
 - If you want additional information on the 2023 FORBS Reunion Cruise, please let Mary Ann know and she will send you the information. You can reserve you spot now and make payments.
- 3. **2024 Reunion:** Our San Diego Chapter will be hosting the FORBS 2024 Reunion. Jacquelin Balogh-Bailey will be the Committee Chairperson.

OTHER ACTIVITIES:

1. John said to the membership that he wishes them a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year and that they have a great Santa Season.
2. Pam Scatterday what to give Thanks to God and said that she made different types of pastries as Rod and her way of saying thank you and a blessed holiday season .
3. Rod Scatterday want to say thank you to his wife Pam and let everyone know that Pam made the goodies out of love, even though she has a bad back and had to do a lot of standing.
 - The membership thanked Pam for the pastries and all the goodies she makes for the Birthday.

TRAINING: Joe gave training on the characteristics of Santa

Since there was no other business, meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by Mary Ann Schafer, Secretary