

Chino Hills 55+ Club
General Meeting Minutes
Chino Hills Community Center
May 24, 2024

Officers Present

The Officers present were President, Jane DeFrank, Information Officer/Web Administrator, Sharon Stuewe, Treasurer, Andrea Welch, and Secretary, Judy MacDonald.

Vice President, Debi Hernandez, was not in attendance.

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by President, Jane DeFrank at 10:06 am. Military veteran, Chuck Haeflinger, led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Quakes Game

Jane announced that the Singles Group would be attending a Quakes baseball game on June 7, and that it is open to all Club members. Chuck Haeflinger mentioned that anyone interested must purchase tickets from him by the end of the meeting. Tickets are \$12.00 each, and because it's family night, prices for food and drinks are reduced substantially.

Minutes

Minutes from the April 26, 2024 General Meeting were approved.

City Report

Armando Aguirre mentioned that the Active Adults 50+ Newsletter for Spring is currently available.

Armando shared that a "Golden Summer Luau" would be held at the Chino Hills Community Center (CHCC) on Wednesday, August 21, from 1:00 to 3:00 pm. Tickets are \$5.00 each.

A concert by Andy Vargas is coming to the CHCC on Saturday, September 7, at 7:00 pm. Attendees are asked to bring chairs and blankets.

Additional information for these and other recreation events is available at <https://www.chinohills.org> or by contacting the Recreation Office at (909) 364-2700.

Information Officer's Report

Sharon delivered the first reading of the proposed changes to the Bylaws and Standing Rules. The second reading will take place at the June 28 General Meeting.

Anyone with suggestions for additional changes and/or revisions should speak with Sharon.

Vice President's Report

In Debi's absence, Jane introduced visitors and new members who are attending the meeting.

Membership renewals are ongoing, and electronic payments with Zelle are now accepted.

Mixer

Since it is Women's History Month, today's mixer will be, "First Lady Facts". Members received a fact sheet and questionnaire about our first ladies and answered as many questions as possible. Many interesting facts were learned about the ladies who inhabited the White House.

Guest Speaker

Chino Hills Mayor, Cynthia Moran, was our guest speaker, and she shared some interesting statistics about our city.

- Chino Hills' population is 76,414
- The average household income is \$132,851.00
- There are 26,142 housing units
- 3,000 acres of open space
- Forty-four parks
- Forty-eight miles of trails

The Mayor offered the following:

- Two new housing projects are coming to the Hills.
- A new fire station is opening in the Butterfield area.
- City officials are opposing the transfer of death row inmates to the Chino prison.
- Restrictions for trucks driving in Carbon Canyon go into effect May 30.
- Movies in the park return on June 6.
- Concerts in the park begin June 12.
- National Night Out will occur on August 6.

Sunshine Committee

Loretta Szudy called members who are celebrating May birthdays: Robin Metcalf, Jeanne Dighton, Bert Fortier, LaTanya Sharp, Cynthia Moran, Molly Czworniak, Lorraine Rice, Sandy Nila, Nan Paden, Susan Aldaco, Gary Larson, Amber Castaneda, Maria Bautista, Dennis Frankeberger, Elsa Pankiewicz, Rick Cecala, Panee Ruttanasee and Joe Klecansky.

Those celebrating May wedding anniversaries are:

- Judy and Rick MacDonald – 50 years on May 4.
- Annette and Paul Christensen – 41 years on May 20.
- Sylvia Nash and Loren Lillestrand – 22 years on May 25.
- Nan and Ron Paden – 53 years on May 29.

50/50

The Club sold tickets totaling \$188.00 and the Club netted \$95.00. The winners were: Debbie McKeon, Stan Good, and Mary McCarthy, each of whom won \$31.00

Next General Meeting

The next General Meeting will be held on Friday, June 28, 2024.

Following adjournment of today's meeting, those interested in lunch should meet at Luna's Grill.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 12:11 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,
Judy MacDonald, Secretary