

**Torrance Woman's Club
Executive Board Meeting
October 31, 2012**

President Barbara Freeman called the executive board meeting of the TWC to order at 9:35 A.M. on October 31, 2012

Barbara welcomed members and guests.

Recording Secretary Anita Dinicola read recommendations passed at the October 3rd. business meeting. Minutes are posted.

Recommendations made at the October 31st. Executive Board Meeting:

TWC support the South Bay Community Concerts.

TWC donate \$100.00 to buy food for the family we are supporting this holiday season. (Recommended by the Redondo Beach Battered Woman's Unit.)

TWC donate \$200.00 to the Wellness Community Organization from the Bingo proceeds.

**TWC support a bus trip to Laughlin April 9 through the 11th., 2013
Auditor recommend bills be paid.**

Treasurer Jeaninne Glombosky read the treasurers report for September 2012. Balances are \$2,829.72 in the general account and \$16,548.30 in the clubhouse account. Treasurer's report is posted.

First Vice President Sharon Hooper reported the forms for volunteer hours need to be turned in. It is important to get these hours written and turned in as soon as you can. Volunteer hours are club related only.

Sharon reported on the District meeting in Playa del Rey and the next district meeting will be held at the Clark Building on November 16th hosted by the Hermosa Beach Woman's Club. Signup sheet will be at the

General Business Meeting on November 7th. (See Newsletter for address)

Santa Claus is coming to the TWC on November 10th from 9:00 A.M. to 1 PM ~ cost \$10. 00 proceeds to go to the Torrance Police Dept. Canine Unit.

Comedy Night will be November 10th at the El Segundo Woman's Club. Cost \$ 20.00 this is a District Fundraiser ~~ doors open at 7 PM. Tickets are available from Barbara Freeman.

Bring your non-perishable food goods to the November and December General Meetings.

A plea has gone out for clothing for children, ages 2 through 12 by DCFS. Bring to the meetings and Sharon will deliver them to the Center. An "Art Chairman" is needed for Marina District. If interested see Sharon.

Third Vice President Fran Day reported the final events of the Torrance Centennial were successful. The Historical Home Tour was followed by an "Open House" at our clubhouse and Fran thanked the ladies who helped serve lemonade and cookies.

Corresponding Secretary ~ Caroline Martin read a thank notes from the "Happy Hats" foundation, the Breast Cancer Center and the Historical Society.

Parliamentarian Deanna Hanson reported that the Volunteer Center has sent out personal letters to the Volunteers that helped read for the "Teddy Bear Project. " Deanna also said Ralph's Rewards Program will be sending the checks from our spending anonymously ~~ the club receives an a percentage of what we buy at Ralphs.

Deanna reported the Annual Festival of Trees is looking for volunteers to help on November 27, 28, and 29th.

Ways and Means Fran Glauber reported the first restaurant fundraiser at Mimi's Restaurant on October 25th was a success and we

should support these events. Next restaurant fundraiser is at "Lazy Dog Cafe" on December 11, 2012. See Newsletter for upcoming events and dates to remember.

Roaring 20's Gala dinner on November 17th is a fund-raiser for the K9 Unit of the Torrance Police Dept. tickets available.

Rewards Cards are here for \$10.00 and can be used at many restaurants and shops in our Community.

Bingo will be held on November 12th at the clubhouse from 12 noon to 4 P.M.

At the general meeting there are always flyers on the back table. Always refer to the Newsletter and the back page for information regarding upcoming events.

Program the Program for November General Meeting is a speaker from H.E.L.P. program.

Press Kathleen Davis reported the Daily Breeze has been notified of our upcoming events

Helping Hands ~ Bette Herbst reported the November meeting will be held on November 14th at 10:00 A.M. At the November 7th general meeting the Helping Hands "annual Holiday Bazaar" will take place. Items donated to sell can be brought to the clubhouse Tuesday November 6th.

Announcements:

Newsletter ~~ always get news to Gerry Bennett by the 3rd. Wednesday of the month.

Read newsletter to see coming events, items to collect and bring to meeting, and dates to remember

President Barbara Freeman adjourned the meeting at 10:42 A.M.

Anita Dinicola recording secretary