

**TORRANCE WOMAN'S CLUB
GENERAL MEETING MINUTES
NOVEMBER 6, 2013**

President Sharon Hooper called the November General Business Meeting of the Torrance Woman's Club to order at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, November 6, 2013. The Renewal of the Pledge of Allegiance to the United States flag was led by **Deanna Hanson**.

Sharon welcomed the 76 members and 11 guests paying special attention to the introduction of the table guests. **Sunshine Chairman Char Kyes** addressed the health issues of the membership.

Recording Secretary, Deanna Hanson read the recommendations from the October 30th Board Meeting which were all passed by the membership.

Treasurer's Report was read by Deanna Hanson in the absence of Jeaninne Glomboske. The balance in the General Account for September 2013 is \$4,607.78 and the Clubhouse Account shows a balance of \$20,341.91 for September 2013.

1st Vice President, Anita Dinicola announced the November District Meeting will be held on Friday, November 15th at the Woman's Club of Hermosa Beach. She encouraged attendance as it is a good way to meet not only your Marina District officers but also members from other clubs in the Marina District. Breakfast is served for a minimal charge of \$5. **Sharon introduced Pam Ament who is the Area C Vice President** and commended her on a very successful workshop held in Granada Hills on October 26th.

2nd Vice President, Membership, Beverly Greeno acknowledged the October birthdays followed by the introduction of five new members: **June Ann Baker; Susie Rice; Karen Peters; Hope Rhodes and Alice Honda.**

3rd Vice President, House Chairman, Fran Day announced there should be new heaters in the clubhouse next month.

Corresponding Secretary, Millie Blazejack read thank you notes from Guide Dogs of America and Breast Cancer Research for our recent donations.

Fran Glauber standing in for **Ways and Means Chairman, GG Mansfield** announced she has a list of the dates for Barnes & Noble giftwrap project and encouraged members to sign up to assist with this fundraiser. Fran also thanked those that attended the Rail & Sail two day excursion which turned out to be very successful and enjoyable.

Janet Payne, Chairman for the Rummage Sale, asked that members bring in their items on Friday, January 3rd to allow time for pricing, set-up, etc. for the actual Rummage Sale which will be on Saturday, January 4th.

Fran Glauber suggested that if there are persons interested in attending the Palm Springs Follies in March that they should email **Judy Burrow** to get on the waiting list.

We were reminded that Game Day is the 3rd Wednesday of each month.

Marilyn Keller announced that we made \$115.96 at our restaurant fundraiser at Marie Callender's, Mark your calendars for the December restaurant outing(s) at the Lazy Dog has given us 4 days - December 9, 10, 11 and 12 from opening to closing. Flyers will be available at the December meeting.

Press Chairman Kathleen Davis reported that not only were there ads promoting our Sock Hop in the Daily Breeze but that CitiCABLE 3 is running their film of the event spotlighted on This Week in Torrance.

Bette Herbst announced the Holiday Bazaar is today and also at the December meeting. She thanked everyone for their contributions and support. CitiCABLE 3 will be at the Helping Hands meeting on Nov. 13th and Bette asked that members be here at 9:30 a.m. She announced they will be tying quilts which are given to Rainbow Services at Christmas and also that 46 quilts had been sent to Oklahoma tornado victims.

Announcements, etc.

Anita announced that the city needs applications from any members who are planning to volunteer to read to children at the Katy Geissert Library.

Joan Earhart, Marina District Photography Chairman has information for the District Photography contest.

The Torrance Police Dept. will hold an informational meeting at the Geissert library on December 3rd from 10 a.m. to 12 noon on Holiday Safety Tips as well as Seniors - Don't Be Scammed.

The meeting recessed for lunch and shopping at the Bazaar followed by a presentation of Oklahoma by the Cup of Water Players.

The meeting was adjourned at 2 p.m. to December 4, 2013 at 11:00 a.m.

Deanna Hanson
Recording Secretary