



**ASSOCIATION OF SACRAMENTO COUNTY  
SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT  
VETERANS AND EMPLOYEES**



**711 CLUB  
NEWSLETTER**

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**From the President**

Greetings to all:

Our first meeting for 2012 was held on Wednesday, January 11, at the Rancho Cordova Elk's Lodge. There were 43 members present at the luncheon including our new member Larry Rael, retired lieutenant from the North Division. Let's give Larry a warm welcome from our members.

Captain Jim Cooper was planning to speak at this luncheon but had to cancel. He will however be speaking at our next meeting on Wednesday, February 8th.

Ernie Owen reported a new Sheriff's Academy class is in the works, hopefully to start around June of this year. Ernie said he would keep us informed on the Academy's progress.

Thank you Guns and Hoses for your donation of 12 game admission tickets for our raffle. Mark your calendar for their game on Saturday, January 28<sup>th</sup>, at the CSUS Hornet's Field. Phyllis Francis is asking members to bring aluminum can "pull-tabs" to each monthly meeting. The pull-tabs are used to raise money for the Ronald McDonald House in Sacramento.

The 711 Club annual shoot and barbeque will be held at the Sheriff's Kenneth Royal Range Wednesday, May 16<sup>th</sup>, (3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday). The shoot times will begin at 0800 hours with lines running every hour until lunch. I will update you with further information regarding this event as soon as it's available.

Be sure to RSVP for the February 8<sup>th</sup>, meeting no later than **February 2<sup>nd</sup>**, so Frank can insure the Lodge will have enough seating and food available.

**See you in February, Judy**

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### Range Notice - for those qualifying

SSD Range Sgt. Harding wants to remind you about the new procedures in effect for our qualifications:

You must have a holster for your weapon(s) or you will not be allowed to qualify.

Ammunition will be provided to the range. However, if you have an usual caliber you may want to bring some ammo.

**Note:** Range Day & Barbeque will be the 3rd Wednesday which is May 16th. There was a schedule conflict for the 2nd Wednesday.

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## February Birthdays

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|--|----------------------------------|
| 1. David Wilson // Mike Dutra          | 12. Charles Taverna              |
| 2. John Thompson                       | 14. Mike Dutra // Larry Phoenix  |
| 4. Carl Stincelli                      | 16. Ron Howell                   |
| 5. Larry Laird                         | 17. Irv Hatfield // Gary Bottini |
| 6. Joe Rye                             | 18. Kim Crews // Jeffrey Gordon  |
| 8. Al Chidester // Bob Buckman         | 21. Rich Peretti                 |
| 9. Larry Stamm // Michael Barroga      | 25. Ron Cole                     |
| 11. Pat Ditlevsen // Robert Mc Farland | 26. Edward Reynolds              |

# Meeting Minutes

## 711 Meeting Minutes

Date: January 11, 2012

Location: Elks Club Rancho Cordova

Meeting was called to order at 12 noon by: President Judy Denton

Pledge of Allegiance" was recited by all present.

Judy asked for a moment of silence in remembrance of Mike Greene and Richard Safholm

Lunch was served at: 12:30 pm

### The following Officers and Board Members were present:

#### Officers

X\_ President Judy Denton  
 X\_ Vice President: Bill O'Connor  
 X\_ Treasurer: Frank Davidson  
 X\_ Secretary: Marilyn Siefker  
 X\_ Sgt. at Arms: Kathy Shannon  
 \_\_\_ Past President: Sam Gault

#### Board of Directors

\_\_\_ Sherry Matranga  
 X\_ Clem Meier  
 X\_ Larry Jarvis  
 X\_ Paul Schmaltz  
 X\_ Walt Horne  
 X\_ Barbara Smith

**General Members Present:** 43

**New Members:** Larry Real

**Guests:** There were no guests at the meeting.

**Treasurer's Report:** Frank Davidson gave a complete report for 2011. He listed the raffle profits, including the Christmas raffle, the donations made by the Club to local charities, death benefits, and the balances in all accounts. He also reported there are currently 444 members. This number includes 11 widows and 6 life members.

**Minutes from last meeting:** The Minutes of the November meeting were read and approved.

### **New Business:**

1. Ernie Owen reported that the Sheriff's Department will have a new class at their Academy starting in June 2012. There will be approximately 60 recruits. Larry Stamm made a motion that the 711 Club increase their donation to the class from \$500 to \$1,000. It was seconded by Bob Doherty. The president indicated that the Board of Directors will look at the issue at their next meeting. The motion was tabled for the moment.
2. Judy explained the "Purple Pig" project sponsored by all Elks Clubs. Each Club has a Purple Pig Bank. Members and guests are asked to place their loose change in the banks. The money goes toward an Elks charity project.
3. Phyllis Frances asked the membership to save all their pull tabs from drink cans. The project helps support Ronald McDonald House.
4. Barbara Smith reminded the membership of this years "Guns and Hose" game. It will be help January 28<sup>th</sup>, at Sac State. There will be tailgating this year.
5. Judy has developed a form for members to use if they have topics for discussion or speakers for future meetings. The form will be on the President's table at each meeting.

**Old Business:** There was no Old Business to report.

### **Sunshine Report:**

1. Get Well cards were sent to Rich Madrigal, Eileen Kobza, Mabel Armstrong, Gina Leal and Ken Martin.
2. "Thinking of You" cards were sent to Bev and Dick Price, Patti and Jim Fox, Don VanSlike and John Smith.
3. A sympathy card and check was sent to the family of Mike Greene.
4. Larry Stamm reported that he had spoken to Gene Bradley's wife and that Gene has received over 60 get well cards from the membership and that they were very much appreciated.

**The raffle was held and the free lunches were won by:** Kathy Shannon, Linda O'Connor and Candy Ackler.

**Meeting Adjourned at:** 1:30 pm. **Next Meeting:** February 8, 2012

**Minutes Submitted by:** Marilyn Siefker, Secretary

## CLUB DUES

Club dues were due as of December 31st, for 2012. They are \$24 for the year. Please get your payment to Treasurer Frank Davidson before your dues lapse. Thanks to those who have paid early.

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## GARAGE SALE

Sherry would like to remind everyone that the April Garage Sale will be here before we know it. It is a good time to put those unwanted gifts away for the sale, or as you clean out the house to make room for those new items, set the old ones aside. It is one of our major fund raisers. **The success of the garage sale depends on the items we receive to sell.**

Any questions, contact Sherry Matranga.

## Our Next Meeting - February 8th

**Rancho Cordova Elks Lodge**  
11440 Elks Circle, Rancho Cordova  
11 AM Social hour  
12 noon Meeting and Lunch  
Followed by the raffle  
**RSVP**  
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