

ASSOCIATION OF SACRAMENTO COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT VETERANS AND EMPLOYEES



711 CLUB NEWSLETTER

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From the President

Greetings Everyone

I'm happy to report that our February meeting was a huge success. We had over 70 members in attendance to hear Richard Stensrud, CEO of our retirement system give his report on the health of our retirement funds.

Did you know that SCERS was nominated by AICEO as one of six (6) retirement systems in the world with assets fewer than 15 billion as the best in class? Mr. Stensrud reported that out of the 6 nominees, our retirement system came in 2nd. See the SCERS website for further details.

Meeting at our new venue (SPOA) went off with minimum confusion. The room is perfect for up to 129 for lunch. Wouldn't that be something if we could approach that number? I believe we can with everyone's support. I don't expect members to make every meeting, but I hope we could expect everyone to try. Circle the 2nd Wednesday of the month on your calendar as a reminder and Kathy will prompt you with the emails. The gauge I use to measure a successful meeting is the before and after chatter of those in attendance. We had that and I would like to see it grow even louder.

Did I say the meal was terrific? Mike and the Thai—Mex crew provided us with their usual enjoyable lunchtime faire. For our inaugural lunch at the SPOA, Mike splurged with two decorated 711 sheet cakes. Yummy! For March we will serve a traditional St. Patrick's Day Corned beef & cabbage. I've had Mike's rendition before and it's the best in town.

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We will have an expert speaker on Identity Theft for our March meeting. Please plan to attend and pick up preventative measures for yourself and to pass along this pertinent information to your friends and loved ones. For our April meeting, our own Sheriff Scott Jones is on deck.

May 14th (Wed) is qualification day and BBQ at the RCCC range. You can make your reservations with Kathy anytime starting now. Let's set a record and enjoy the day.

See you at the March 12th meeting, Dave

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LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS SAFETY ACT (LEOSA)

I received this excellent article on Title 18 U.S.C. Sect 926B & C aka HR 218.

It may answer some of the questions we have been debating about retired Officers authority to carry concealed out of state. The article as you can see below is from Police Magazine. To read the article retype or copy the address in your browser.

"Does the LEOSA Carry Apply to You?"

January 2014 issue of <u>Police Magazine</u> by James M. Baranowski. http://www.policemag.com/channel/weapons/articles/2014/01/does-the-leosa-carry-law-apply-to-you.aspx

SSD may have revised CCW policy regarding which weapon that has to be listed on our qualification forms vs. what we can carry. We'll get an update on Range Day—Editor

March Birthdays

- Del Stuck, Jim Monk, Art Stulmann, James Collentine, Leroy Worden
- 2. Nancy Gust
- 3. Barbara Scott, Charles Randall, James Babcock
- 5. Edward Rivera
- 6. Richard Matranga
- 7 Sue Safholm
- 8. James Bell, Juanita Hufalar
- 9. Richard Knight
- 11. William Brown
- 12. Carl Williams, Joe Doupe
- 15. Ed Doonan, Louis Blanas
- 17. Ferrel Pendleton, Robert Bell

- 18. Joe Simoni, Jim Ackermann
- 19. Sharon Cadagan
- 20. Earl Boyd, Vaughnene Putman
- 22. William Woodel
- 24. Neil Taber, Val Kobza
- 25. Gary Boutwell, Sharon Telles, Maurice Fix
- 26. Paul Evans, Steve Wright
- 27. Michael Linn-Kidwell
- 28. Jim Hall
- 29. Robert White, Darlene Painter, Bob Smalling, Don Jones
- 30. Sam Matranga
- 31. Willie Nix

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Meeting Minutes

Board of Directors

Date: 2/12/2014 Location: SPOA Facility 550 Bercut Dr., Sacramento

Meeting was called to order at 12 noon by President Dave Evans

Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all present.

Lunch was served at 12:10 pm

Officers

The following Officers and Board Members were present:

X__ President Dave EvansX__ Sandy Boyd-PierceNP_ Vice President Joe DoupeX__ Clem MeierX__ Treasurer: Kathy ShannonX__ Karen DoupeNP_ Secretary: Nancy GustX__ Earl EvansX__ Sgt. at Arms: San GaultX__ Walt HorneX__ Past President: Judy DentonX__ Barbara Smith

General Members Present: 68 New Members: Curtis Campbell and John Senna

Guests: Terry Wilson and Jim Holtzman

Treasurer's Report: is available for review at all meetings

Minutes from last meeting: Minutes of last meeting not read

New Business: Dave Evans reported that the next 3 meetings will be held at the SPOA facility on Bercut Drive. A signup sheet is available for members to help with set up of the facility.

Guess Speaker was Richard Stensrud, Chief Executive Officer of SCERS. He updated the membership on the status of the retirement system. He reported that the COLA for this year is 4% for those who retired prior to 1979 and 2% for all others.

Old Business: No old business to report.

Sunshine Report: Sympathy cards were sent to Retired Lt. Kenya "Ken" Noguchi and his Family for the loss of his wife and to Retired Deputy George McKinney who lost his wife Barbara on February 13, due to complications of the flu

A get well card was sent to Retired Deputy Carl Williams who recently underwent surgery for brain cancer and to Retired Deputy Don Beckers's wife, Linda who had open heart surgery followed by multiple complications and remains in the hospital.

Sunshine Committee Pat and Judy O'Neal, @ ono221@aol.com, or (916) 689-1475.

The raffle was held and the free lunches were won by: Larry Real, Mike Devilbus and Curt Campbell

Meeting Adjourned at: 2:00 pm

Next Meeting: March 12, 2014

Minutes Submitted by: Marilyn Siefker for Secretary Nancy Gust

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MUSEUM UPDATE

By Sharon Tellis

I can't tell you how encouraged I was to have so many people come forward to talk with me (some because I attacked them as they entered the building) regarding donating items to the Museum.

But the encouragement I received from some of you at the meeting, and the offer to donate items for display has jazzed me up so much! I promise you this museum will open for viewing (but not finished) sometime later this year. It will always be a work in progress. We can't display 160+ years all at one time. But you will be proud of what you will see when we are ready for a viewing.

I will make every effort to attend the next 711 meeting. So if you have items you want to donate, or put on loan, please bring them with you. I will have some forms available for distribution. If you know of a widow who might have some artifacts belonging to her husband and wants to make sure they have a good home please let me know. I am at the Academy each Tuesday from 0900 hours until 1530 hours. You can call 876-7497 if you have additional questions or leave me a message any day and I will return your call.

Look forward to our next visit......Sharon T.

Next Meeting - March 12, 2014

SPOA banquet facility
550 Bercut Drive, Sacramento
11:30 AM Social hour
12 Noon Lunch
Followed by raffle
RSVP By:

KSVP By:

Thursday, March 6th Kathy Shannon (916) 952-7395

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