

ASSOCIATION OF SACRAMENTO COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT VETERANS AND EMPLOYEES



711 CLUB ² NEWSLETTER

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From the President

Hello members. The 7-11 Club met on Wednesday, February 10th 2021. This was our first general membership meeting since November of 2020. We had some 24 members in attendance, a relatively small turnout, as was November's meeting. I attribute these light turnouts to the Covid pandemic, which hopefully will be put behind us before long. One benefit of a smaller turnout however, is that one's chances of winning one of the three free lunches increases!

The Club welcomed one new member at this meeting, Martin Crosby who just recently retired from SSD.

I am in the process of scheduling a range day in May of 2021. As you know this day offers the opportunity to qualify, and also remain eligible for out-of-state carry of a concealed weapon as per Federal statute 19USC926C. This event also includes lunch, which is optional, catered by the famous Thai-Mex catering. You must have a holster to shoot, and as I remember each shooter must provide his/her own ammunition, twenty rounds.

An announcement will be sent out at a later time, once the exact date is established, to include the details of the event and the cost.

I have scheduled John McGinnis as a guest speaker for the March 10th, 2021 meeting. I have scheduled Supervisor Sue Frost for the April 14th, 2021 meeting. As always, any ideas or suggestions for a guest speaker are encouraged.

The Officers and Board of Directors met at the conclusion of the general membership meeting, February 10th. Among the items discussed was an amendment to the Club's by-laws concerning the voting procedure. This is addressed in further detail see page 4.

Our next general membership meeting is set for Wednesday, March 10th at 1100 hours at the SCDSA office. I hope to see you there.

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Take care, Sam

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SCDSA Magazine offer "The Deputy"

"The DSA would like to facilitate the option for 711 Club members to receive a copy of "The Deputy" magazine mailed directly to them at no cost. The Deputy is published twice per calendar year: Winter/Spring and Summer/Fall. To have "The Deputy" mailed directly to you, email DSA Communications and Media Director, Julie Prayter, at jprayter@scdsa.org. In this email, please include your name, mailing address, and mention you are a 711 Club member."

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February Birthdays

- 1. David Wilson, Mike Dutra, Bill Schneider
- 2. John Thompson
- 4. Carl Stincelli
- 5. Larry Laird
- 6. Joe Rye
- 7. Sam Flores
- 8. Al Chidester, Dan Studebaker, Steve Ahee
- 9. Michael Barroga

- 11. Pat Ditlevsen, Robert McFarland
- 16. Ron Howell
- 17. Irv Hatfield, Gary Bottini, Bob Currie
- 18. Jeff Gordon
- 21. Rich Peretti
- 22. Ed Thomas
- 25. Ron Cole
- 26. Bart Reynolds

2021

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Meeting Minutes

January meeting minutes not posted due to delay in transcription.
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- Editor

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By Law Revision

To all 711 Club members:

Problem:

The following is a copy of the amended By Laws for the 711 Club approved by the Officers and Board. It will go into effect April 14, 2021. The change is to address the number of members necessary for a quorum at meetings to approve business. The old By Law 5, paragraph 5 requires a quorum of 10% which is approximately 50 members. Our meetings rarely draw 50 members at one time and that hinders business being conducted that needs member approval. This change would allow business to be approved by a majority vote of the members present at the meeting. It would also allow members not in attendance to use a proxy to vote.

Current: 711 Club By Laws as amended November 14, 2018. By Law 5, paragraph 5 reads:

5. A quorum of regular members will consist of at least ten (10) percent of the regular members in good standing. All business of the membership will be conducted by majority vote, by show of hands, at any meeting at which a quorum is in attendance. A lack of a quorum at the time of the vote will defeat the vote. If any vote results in a tie, a secret ballot may be conducted.

Solution:

Rewrite: of By Law 5, paragraph 5 (draft) as of Feb 10, 2021:

A quorum of regular members will consist of a **majority** of regular members in attendance at any regular or special meeting. All business of the membership will be conducted by majority vote, by voice or show of hands, at any meeting at which a vote is taken. If any vote results in a tie, a secret ballot may be conducted. **Proxies** may be given in writing to any Officer or Board of Director member attending the meeting, to be used in the member's absence.

I hope you as a member agree with the necessary change. No response is necessary if you agree. If you don't agree please notify a board member to voice your opinion.

Submitted to Treasurer Kathy Shannon, February 15, 2021, <u>for dissemination via email to all members. It will also be published in the February Newsletter.</u>

Submitted by Larry Jarvis, Board Member & for the Board. Approved by President Sam Gault

Speaker for March 10th, meeting will be former Sheriff John McGinnis.

Next Meeting - March 10th, 2021

SDSA Facility
640 Bercut Drive, Sacramento
11:00 AM Social hour
12 Noon Lunch
Followed by raffle
RSVP By:
March 4th
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