

South Cirby Neighborhood Association Meeting Minutes
October 13, 2015 at 7:00 p.m.
Crestmont Elementary School Multi-Purpose Building

Present: Marilyn Floyd, Colleen Cole, LaRon Golden, Helen Dorr, Joe Dorr and Blanch Beckes

Meeting called to order by Vice President Marilyn Floyd at 7:00 p.m. Marilyn welcomed and introduced everyone.

Meeting Minutes: Hearing no objections, the vice president ordered the September 8, 2015 minutes approved as submitted and placed on file.

Treasurer's Report: The report covers activity from September 1, 2015 to September 30, 2015. The beginning balance was \$524.61. Deposits of \$340 for garage sale registrations, \$43.50 for garage sale coffee, donuts and water sales and \$20 for donations along with expenditures of \$98.96 for the garage sale floating event bring the ending balance to \$829.15. Hearing no objections, the president ordered the treasurer's report placed on file as submitted.

Reports/Old Business

Roseville Police Officer Neighborhood Report: A police officer was not able to attend.

Neighborhood Watch (NW): The next NW Informational Meeting will be held October 27, 2015 from 5:30-6:30 p.m. in the Mark White Room at the Roseville PD. RSVPs are appreciated at PDCommunityServices@roseville.ca.us or 774-5050. Marilyn hopes to attend this meeting because a speaker from the Dispatch Department will be telling us when and how to use 9-1-1.

Neighborhood Garage Sale: LaRon reported 47 garage sale registrations raised \$470, two donations raised \$20, coffee, donut and water sales raised \$43.50 and expenses to be reimbursed by RCONA were \$98.96. LaRon felt the sellers were wanting to get back home quickly after picking up their helium balloons and extra maps so the coffee and donuts didn't interest them. Colleen had asked Cesar from Bel Air what his thoughts were and he said it was wonderful to be part of our community and he suggested we offer some healthier options next year. Fruit, cookies or breakfast bars could be considered. Not enough coffee was sold to make a profit so we will not sell coffee next year. Marilyn, Joe and Helen were sellers and they were very pleased with how our first neighborhood garage sale went. Marilyn thanked Joe and Helen for their connection with Good Day Sacramento. Many shoppers mentioned seeing the short segment on CW31. Stephen, Joe and Helen all represented SCNA well with their live televised interviews. We need more map passing volunteers next year. Most comments heard from sellers were very positive and appreciative. Some people suggested a date change to the first Saturday of a month since state workers are paid monthly on the first and this could increase shoppers. Marilyn added that our sale was also the same Saturday as Rocklin's huge sale.

Stephen's written comments follow as he was unable to attend the meeting and we want all comments included in this recap. Stephen spoke with many neighborhood garage sellers for their input. He received a lot of positive feedback and a couple of constructive critiques for next year. Most of the participants were very happy that we had planned the event and liked the idea of having a yearly sale. Many of them thought this was a benefit to the neighborhood as it promoted neighbors to come out and talk with one another, gave everyone an opportunity to clear out some unused items from their home and would limit the individual sales throughout the year. Many people were excited to hear that so many people participated in the event and thought it would grow next year as people came to expect the annual event. While many of the neighbors liked the time of year we picked (early fall), one neighbor recommended having the event at the beginning of the month as she felt we would get more traffic. She also suggested trying to coordinate with one of the youth events at the park, if possible. The same neighbor also

recommended bigger, more visible signage for the event and decided to put out their own to help draw traffic to their sale.

One incident was reported to Stephen by a buyer coming to our event where they had a confrontation with a seller and felt intimidated by the seller and a few of their associates. The buyer was upset, but acknowledged there wasn't anything she felt we needed to do other than to be aware of the incident with the particular seller. This seller was an unregistered participant in the sale.

We had a handful of unregistered sellers participate in the event. After talking with many of them, they said they had planned to pay, but either forgot or didn't feel like they had enough time before the deadline. A couple of sellers dismissed the idea of paying and registering for the event.

General Meeting Topics/Speakers for Future Meetings: Colleen reported that David Dominguez, Roseville Electric, would be willing to do a solar presentation sometime in the spring of 2016. Also, Paul Camilleri, City of Roseville Code Enforcement, would be happy to attend one of our meetings in the future. Colleen has not heard back yet from City of Roseville Parks & Recreation so it is doubtful there is interest there. Colleen has not yet checked with Einar Maisch (former mayor Susan Rohan's husband) who works for Placer County Water Agency. Depending on our water situation this winter, this may be a topic of interest around springtime. After the holidays, we will select a general meeting month (March or April) and our guest speaker.

Sponsorship Relationship Building: Colleen solicited stores in our general area with Cool River Pizza and Bel Air being incredibly supportive for our garage sale. Free medium pizza coupons from Cool River Pizza were included in every registered participant's garage sale packet. Coffee, donuts and bottled waters were generously donated by Bel Air and three of their employees provided help during the early hours of the event. A response from 7-Eleven corporate has not yet been received so we were unable to approach our 7-Eleven neighborhood store at this time. Party City corporate replied that they exclusively donate to the Boys and Girls Club. Colleen asked if we should consider soliciting at the Rocky Ridge Town Center for donations for future events. Members felt our neighbors shop there so we could inquire.

Boo: During the first week in October, eight Boos were delivered by Stephen, Marilyn, Colleen and LaRon to homes in our SCNA known to have young families. Our goal is to spread good cheer throughout SCNA.

Topics for Newsletters: Blanch would like to collect people's worn flags and she will take them to the Elks for proper disposal. A neighborhood member not in attendance suggested instructions for requesting a Vacation House Check from the Roseville PD. Colleen suggested box top information for people that may want to help local schools. We encourage people to let us know what they would like to learn from the SCNA newsletter.

Acknowledgments will be included in the November newsletter. Foothill Toastmasters, 1070.toastmastersclubs.org/, and Timmi's Treats, A Cookie Boutique, timmi-treats.com/, will be recognized for their participation in National Night Out by setting up event booths. Garage sale acknowledgments will be: participants, garage sale donors (money and raffle prizes), volunteers, Bel Air, Cool River Pizza, Good Day Sacramento, garage sale sponsor and SCNA board. Raffle prize winners will also be announced.

New Business

Roseville Police Department App (similar to Folsom's): Tabled to next month.

Roseville Police Department Using Nextdoor.com: The City of Roseville posts on Nextdoor.com and also responds to posts where correction is needed. The Roseville PD may learn helpful information from this site.

Dates to Remember:

RCONA Representative for October 15, 2015 RCONA Meeting: Colleen plans to attend.

Next Community Coffee with City Council: October 19, 2015 with Pauline Roccucci, 1:00 p.m., Martha Riley Library

Next NW Informational Meeting: October 27, 2015, 5:30 – 6:30 p.m., Roseville PD, Mark White Room

Future Community Coffee with City Council: November 5, 2015 with Bonnie Gore, 10:00 a.m., Downtown Library

Next SCNA Meeting: November 10, 2015, 7:00 p.m., Crestmont Multi-Purpose Building

First Town Hall Meeting: November 17, 2015 with Police Chief Daniel Hahn and staff, 6:00 – 7:30 p.m., Roseville PD

Future RCONA Meeting: November 19, 2015, 7:00 p.m., Martha Riley Library

Santa in the Park: December 12, 2015, 1:00 – 5:00 p.m., Mahany Roseville Sports Center Room

Future RCONA Meeting: December 17, 2015, 7:00 p.m., Martha Riley Library

Future SCNA Meeting: January 12, 2016, 7:00 p.m., Crestmont Multi-Purpose Building (no December meeting)

Meeting adjourned at 7:57 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Colleen Cole, Secretary