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Crab Feed - Roland Mellor

Corned Beef and Cabbage

Stan Pronzini

Truckers Ball - Roland Mellor &

Julie Hanson

Rotary Bike Ride - Dan Colville

July Celebration - Board of Directors

Hawaiian Luau - Kim Hanson

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Next Directors Meeting:

Tuesday, May 8, at 6:00 PM
at Joe Pedrani's place



Penngrove Social Firemen GAZETTE

MAY 2018

P.O. Box 264, Penngrove, CA 94951

2018 Truckers Ball ~ May 5, 2018

Penngrove Community Hall
Cocktails 5:30 PM, Dinner 7:00 PM

MENU: TRI-TIP, CHICKEN, BEANS AND SALAD

Tickets: \$25.00

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Rotary Bike Ride

Petaluma Sunrise Rotary Club
will host its Annual Back Road
Challenge on May 19, 2018 at
Penngrove Park.



The Penngrove Social Firemen
will be preparing food for the event. PSF will be paid \$5 per head for
preparation (generally about 1,000 riders).

Next Membership Meeting: Wednesday, May 2 at 6:30 PM, PSF Clubhouse
~ Dinner will be tacos prepared by Robin Booth & crew ~

A Note from Member Chuck Lucas

As many of you know, if it wasn't for me being kidnapped by friends and taken to the emergency room in January with the flu, pneumonia, and complications from the fire, I might not be around. I was in the ICU for four days and three more days in the hospital.

During that time, I became acutely aware of the skill, kindness and professionalism of the nursing staff and wanted to do something for the nursing program to "pay it forward." Most of them were trained at the Santa Rosa Junior College. The cost of tuition for the two-year program is \$7000.00.

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PSF Monthly Meeting - Wednesday April 4, 2018

Absent: Joe Pedrani, John Rossi, Julie Hanson, Dan Colville, Stanley Pronzini
Meeting called to order at 6:30 PM by Scott Finley. Joe Perry led us in the Pledge.

Good to the Order: Claudette Azevedo passed away. She had Azevedo Antiques on Main St for some years. An active participant in several of our functions with her husband Pete. Our condolences to the family.

Julie Hanson had shoulder surgery. Wishing her a quick recovery.

Minutes approved.

Treasure's report:

General Checking	\$96,637.57
Petty Cash	\$450.00
Poppy Savings	<u>\$39,526.90</u>
Total	\$136,614.47

Exchange Bank Ball Field Fund	\$1,425.71
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Bill King Memorial 2018 Donations	\$650.00
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The Board has decided to leave monies in place, as is.

- Greg Karraker, President of the Rancho Adobe Fire District, and Mike Weinham, Battalion Chief of RAFD, spoke about the shortfall the district will face within 5 years, and shared what is needed to keep stations from closing and laying off employees. They currently have 13 full-time, and 20 part-time employees. Revenues come from property taxes. Budget is 4.2 million, and property tax brings in 3.3 million. RAFD is requesting \$2,000.00 to help financially with their ballot campaign. (Please reference informational flyer included with this newsletter). Lee Brian pass a motion, Bill Fishman second, to support the campaign and let the BOD decide the final approval.

- Thank you to all for making the St. Patty's dinner successful.

- Tables in park are still in the works. We will have a work day coming up.

New Business:

- The Trucker's Ball will be held on Saturday, May 5th. There is always good food, drinks, and dancing. Tickets are available at JavAmore Café 794-1516 or Julie Hanson 546-6362.

- The Bike Ride is Saturday, May 19th. We help the Petaluma Rotary Club by preparing the food for the cyclists. The Rotary reimburses us for the food and pays us a per person allotment. Last year, we made \$4,500.00. Dan Colville is this year's Chairperson. Please see him if you can help.

- Kim talked about the decision not to move forward with bingo. After going to 3 bingo games and observing the process, it would cost the PSF close to \$5,000.00 to invest in needed equipment. But mostly, the concern was having enough volunteers. It appears we would need 10 volunteers each month to give 4-5 hours on a week night. This does include time needed for banking, ordering supplies, set up/down. At this time, bingo will go on the back burner.

- We will continue to look into having movies in the clubhouse. The Penngrove School gave us a projector and we need to see if this will suit our needs. More to come about the movies.

- Kathryn Wickstrom thanked the members for donating to the Golden Gate Arabian Horse Association.

Thank you, Kim and her helpers, for our meal tonight. Cooks for May will be our newest member, Robin Booth and her crew. In line with Cinco de Mayo, tacos will be on the menu.

Meeting adjourned at 7:10 PM

Board Meeting, Tuesday, April 17, 2018 at Joe Pedrani's house

Absent: John Rossi, Stanley Pronzini

Meeting came to order at 6:00 PM

Discussion:

- How do we recruit new members? If each member could reach out to friends, relatives. We need more members who have the time and ability to help with ongoing maintenance, and volunteering with events.
- Craig Jacobson has a student in mind for the Bill King Award. This award is given to a student selected by his teachers to be the recipient of a new welder. This award will be given out at the May Membership Meeting.
- Rip City Riders (non-members) offer a lot of help to the PSF in the spring and fall with park cleaning. This includes moving the wooden tables at the park and clean up. They rent the park each spring to hold one of their fundraisers. At a later meeting, we will consider giving them a discount on next year's rental.
- Julie received a couple of old dinner tickets at the \$10.00 rate at last meeting dinner. Just remember that dinner has increased to \$12.00 to help offset the rising cost of food.
- Much talk about the needed repair/replace of the asphalt in front of the clubhouse. This is a hazard to us all. Tabled for now but we'll decide at the next meeting how to move forward.
- As the BOD are also the Parade Committee, a meeting will be held in May with Stanley and Lisa who have had a strong presence in the BBQ area to see what they will need (such as servers and clean up staff). Their jobs require hours of preparation and they need help. Last year, they served close to 1,200 meals. That takes A LOT of work. A meeting with them will not take place until after our May meeting, so please look for the sign-up sheet at the June meeting.

Motions:

- Penngrove Community Church will be holding a BBQ in the park in August to celebrate their 120-year anniversary. Motion made by Dan, and 2nd by Nick to charge them a flat \$500.00 fee, which will include use of the kitchen, chicken racks, and umbrellas. No security deposit will be collected. Insurance applies.
- At April membership meeting, Greg Karracker and Battalion Chief Mike Weinman talked about the need for a measure to go on the ballot to help the financial needs of the RAFD. They need to raise funds for this and asked PSF for a donation of \$2,000.00. There was much discussion about the importance of the RAFD and their goal to reach out to the community, however, the final vote was the PSF does not get involved with political issues. Therefore, their request was denied.

Meeting adjourned 7:45 PM

A Note from Member Chuck Lucas... (continued from page 1)

I thought of some kind of scholarship, but that is already well funded. However, each student is charged a \$60 parking fee per semester. That is a significant amount for a student so what I thought of was creating a fund to pay for their parking permits.

So, with the help of Maggie Fishman, the president of the SRJC Board, and Kate McClintock, the Executive Director of the SRJC Foundation, I set up the "Parking Assistance For SRJC Nursing Students" fund. The goal is to take the parking fee burden off the students. I am asking everyone who is capable to make a small donation to the fund. Any amount from \$10 on up would be appreciated. A \$60 donation would pay for one nursing students parking for one semester. I am planning to ask the dealers on Auto Row to make larger donations with the knowledge that graduating nursing students often buy cars and they would look there first for their purchase.

There are 60 students and the \$60 fee would come out to \$3,6000 per year. I think that is doable.

Thank you for your generosity.

Chuck Lucas

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