

SVTC Meeting Minutes
Thursday, September 21, 2023
7:00 pm
Google Meets Meeting

Present from the SVTC Board:

Lil Nover, Susan Carolin, Jeaneth Green, Sean Tompkins, Juta Birkenthal

Absent:

Julia Schriber, Harsh Sangani (both with prior notice)

Guests:

Elected Officials:

- Jermaine Lark Rocacorba from City Council D6
- Officer John Briggs: Community Relations Officer, Northwestern Division, SDPD
- Evan Bridgham: County Board of Supervisors D3 Terra Lawson-Remer

Spencer Katz

Suzi, Pacific Ridge Resident

President Lil Nover called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

Agenda:

I. Lil made a motion to approve the agenda. Susan seconded and all voted Yes to approve the agenda.

II. Susan made a motion to approve the August 17th meeting minutes. Lil seconded and all voted Yes to approve.

III. Elected Officials/Government Agencies

a. Officer John Briggs' talking points.

Electric bikes are still a concern. Everyone should be familiar with the laws related to electric bike riding, including teenagers.

There have been some recent commercial burglaries in the Mira Mesa area, but fortunately, there have been no home burglaries in the past couple of months.

A "Trunk or Treat" Halloween event is scheduled for October 30th.

Lil was wondering if she could post on Nextdoor about e-bikes for parents. Officer Briggs will post information on Nextdoor himself. He also mentioned that a letter was sent home through the schools to inform parents. Susan suggested posting information on the SVTC website and newsletter. Officer Biggs will compile some information and send it to Lil.

b. Jermaine's talking points.

Jermaine had previously sent an email containing information about several upcoming events, which Lil forwarded to everyone. Lil would also like to post these events on the SVTC website.

The "Bye Bye Mattress" program's mattress collection event is coming up at Miramar Landfill. Jermaine has been working on weed abatement and will also be working on a tree trimming request.

Jermaine has extended an invitation to participate in the D6 Budget Survey.

There will be a prescription drop-off event at the front of the Mira Mesa library on October 28th.

c. Evan's talking points.

Meet and Greet at La Jolla Coast Walk.

Gun Violence Reduction Summit. Evan will post both RSVP links in a chat.

Evan will be coming to our meetings every other month.

IV. Committee Reports

a. Presidents Report

Our Spooktacular flyer needs updating for distribution to elected officials and the neighborhood.

V. Old Business

a. Spooktacular.

Julia will take care of the goodie bags. Jeaneth will help her with the stuffing. Lil, Jeaneth and Susan have been reaching out to potential Spooktacular sponsors.

Susan asked who would help set up the craft tables for Spooktacular. Juta agreed to set up a craft table, and we should also set up a pumpkin and bag decotaring tables like last year.

Action Items:

- Juta will update the Spooktacular flyer.

- Susan will reach out to Sorrento Valley Children's Center again regarding co-sponsoring Spooktacular.
- Lil will check to see if we have enough bags. She will also check with Julia when she returns from her vacation.

Adjournment: Lil adjourned the meeting at 7:23 pm.

Juta Birkenthal, Recording Secretary