

MONDAY, July 10, 2017 WEBSITE: HAPPYWANDERERS.NET

Meeting was called to order on Monday, July 10, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. by Chris Bengtsson

Flag salute by: Chris Bengtsson

Invocation by: Jackie Miller

Attendance: 33

VISITORS AND GUESTS & NEW MEMBERS: Welcome to Ron and Suzette LaGrasse and Dusty Brosius who became new members this evening. Please feel very welcome and just “jump right in” with our fun club! On our campouts we wear our Happy Wanderers name badges and proudly fly our American, State and Elks small flags which can be ordered through our treasurer Kathy Berthiaume. We have “sheriffs” on our campouts who tend to fine those who forget!

.....Minutes of the meeting for June 12, 2017 were motioned by Bill Bergman and 2nd by Bob Deyoe and were unanimously carried.

.....Cache Holder Report for July 20, 2017 was prepared by Kathy Berthiaume and approved by Dan Miller and seconded by Dave Berthiaume and was unanimously carried.

SUNSHINE AND SICKNESS

Sunshine: Chris and Sue Bengtsson’s daughter is expecting their first baby in January 2018. This will be the first baby girl born in their son-in-laws family in 100 years!!!! Chris and Sue just returned from their 4,100 Canada trip goof-free. No better news than that! Bernie Wright, Ron Freeman and Dan Miller are able to be with us tonight as they are all recuperating from various medical issues, good to see you guys!

Sickness: Joe Beautz is home recovering from having both feet amputated at the arches. Please send prayers and wishes for a speedy healing.

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES:

Birthdays for July, 2017 are: Connie Bachman, Jerry Colin, Ed Colleran, John Dowell, Ronda Freeman, Bob Glover, Ron Hilmer, Ken Papotta, and Bill Sears.

Happy Birthday Everyone.

Anniversaries for July, 2017 are: Ed & Claudia Aposhian, Mike & Kim Bovero, Bill & Lyn Owen, Marv & Pam Richardson, and Ed & Sally Slattery.

Happy Anniversary Everyone.

COMING EVENTS AT THE LODGE:

07/04 July 4th Celebration from 1 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

07/04 No Lodge Meeting

07/07 Birthday Steak Dinner @ 6:00 p.m.

07/08 House Committee & Trustees Meetings @ 10:00 a.m.

07/10 Camping Club Meeting @ 7:00 p.m.

07/18 No Lodge Meeting

07/28 PER Dinner @ 6:30 p.m.

08/06 Annual Car Show from 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENT THIS MONTH: Kitchen serving dinner Monday, and Thursday @ 5:30 p.m. Friday dinner at 6:30 p.m. Saturday lunch served from 12:00 – 2:00 p.m. Elk’s Breakfast every Sunday from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Bingo every Wednesday evening at 6:30 p.m. (early bird).

Elk’s, American and State flags are for sale. Contact Kathy Berthiaume if you would like to purchase any. Reminder to our new members, we proudly fly these 3 flags at all our campouts. Our name badges have gone up in price to \$7.95 each. Please remind the wagon masters if you have special needs for any campout.

WEBMASTERS REPORT: Ron Russell is on the “road again”.

ER’S REPORT: Keith Scott joined us this meeting to ask our club to review “a work in progress” to make new Simi Valley Elks R.V. Parking Rules. After discussion, Keith suggested we form a small committee to

review these and make some suggestions. A committee was formed of Chris Bengtsson, Dave Berthiaume, Bob Glover and Steve Cole. They will try to have these suggestions ready by the next Building Committee meeting in August. Keith is in the process of forming a Greeting Committee, 5 year vision of where our lodge will be, having lodge shirts available for purchase and also asked if anyone would like to join any of the committee's listed in our Bugle. He would like to see each lodge member give 2 hours of volunteering service within our lodge.

ASSISTANT WAGONMASTER: Ron Russell is still on the road. Hope you're having a great time!

OLD BUSINESS: Dee Glynn is working hard on making the gift baskets to donate to the car show. Kathy Berthiaume has T-Shirts for sale for this event if you are interested in purchasing one. We have volunteers to work the event, thank you, LaVerne Glover, Kathy Berthiaume, Dan & Jackie Miller.

NEW BUSINESS: Ed Aposian has proposed a day tour of the Port of Hueneme through the Harbor Commissioners if our club shows interest. We will obtain more information when Ed returns from his trip and discuss this at our next meeting.

CAMPOUTS:

August **9-14 Santa Barbara Lodge Campout: Miller's, Glover's**
Reserved 16 spots. Must confirm with Santa Barbara Lodge by Friday, 7-14.
Signup sheet available after the meeting so far we have 4 rigs signed up
Anyone interested in going please call Jackie Miller 805-583-3030
Fee is \$25.00 per night
Food assignments will be assigned later & you will be contacted

September **28-10-4 Chula Vista Campout: Bengtsson, Owens**
Thursday, \$52.80, Friday/Saturday, \$58.80 you can extend your time
20 spots reserved, full hook-ups
4 star resort, beautiful facility
Sign-up later.

October **10-12 Kenny Grove Campout: Schuler, ???????**

November **2-5 Piru Campout: Fuller's**

December **???? Christmas Party: Fuller's**

GOOF OF THE MONTH: Hard to believe, but no goofs this month!

Lost and Found: None

50/50 OPPORTUNITY DRAWING: The winner was Lyn Owen who won \$17.00. Congratulations Lyn!
Meeting was gracefully adjourned at 8:00 p.m. by Dave Berthiaume who made the motion and was unanimously carried.

Respectively submitted: Jackie Miller, Secretary

CC: Lodge