

## District Meeting Minutes

April 4, 2011

District Director Annie Hall Bosché opened the meeting at 10:12 a.m. at the Lake Forest Beach and Tennis Club. The group recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

In Sharon Smith's absence Paddee Neff read an inspiration message.

The minutes of the last meeting were sent out via email. They were approved.

Treasurer, Janet Parsons gave her report. The previous balance was \$12,290.11. Income was \$2,754.00 and expenses were \$1,795.59. The balance is \$13,258.52. Janet also gave the report for the Winter Board meeting. Total income was \$14,578.00, the expenses were \$13,241.80, and the balance was \$1,336.20. The report was approved.

Attendees included: ALL - 1, Anaheim – 0, Beach Community Garden – 0, Canyon Crest – 6, Casta del Sol Heritage – 0, Del Norte – 6, Floral Arts – 0, Floral Design – 0, Hort. – 0, HB Tree Society – 0, Huntington Harbour – 0, Huntington View Garden Club – 2, Laguna Beach – 0, Lake Forest – 15, Makiko Floral Design – 0, Newport Hills – 1, Niguel Shores – 3, OC Cactus and Succulent – 0, OC Chrysanthemum – 1, OC Organic Gardening – 0, San Clemente – 11, Sea Isle – 0, and Tustin – 1.

Annie announced the sudden passing of Amy Inoue. She will be greatly missed as she gave so much to the members of her club and the District! Annie presented the new officers and they are **District Director** – Launa Gould, **Programs** - Beth Schweitzer, **Ways and means** – Darla Miller, **Treasurer** – Missy Schweiger, and **Recording Secretary** – Betty Langford. Annie reported on the Crystal Cove Project. There will be another planting soon and she will contact those who have signed up to help. One of the cottage gardens will be worked on. Annie commented that it was hard to identify plants from black and white pictures that were taken when the cottages were in use! No one has turned in an application for the District scholarship. The Club Presidents have the application forms to distribute and are asked to follow up.

The Tustin Club's annual home tour is April 28<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 to 3:00. The cost is \$30.00. A box lunch will be available for purchase and there will be a painting and plant sale as well. San Clemente's Garden Fest and Plant Sale will take place April 9<sup>th</sup> at the Community Center on Del Mar from 8:00 to 4:00. Laguna Beach's Gate and Garden Walking Tour will be May 6<sup>th</sup> and costs \$35.00. Lake Forest will have a Plant Sale May 7<sup>th</sup>. Newport Hills will have their fundraiser on April 21<sup>st</sup> starting at 9:30. There will be an appraiser to talk about antiques and a luncheon and live auction are included. The cost is \$30.00. The geranium and Chrysanthemum Societies will both be at The Fullerton Arboretum April 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup>. Canyon Crest will have a Plant Sale April 30<sup>th</sup> and May 1<sup>st</sup>. Paddee Neff presented a "Thank You" to Annie for her two years as District Director.

Following the floral design demonstration by Kathe Hayden, raffle winning numbers were announced and lunch was served.

*Respectfully submitted by Linda Wright, Secretary*