

MINUTES OF THE REGULARLY SCHEDULED  
CLASSMATE MEETING OF  
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2012

Classmates attending: **Farias, Paresa, Lyons, Hottendorf, Joy, Corenevsky, C. Ho, B. Freitas** (he brought two kinds of Chicken + noodles – Thanks Bernie), **Cruz, Rego, Yee, Hackbarth, H. Chun,** and **RAYBERN FREITAS** (Thanks to all 14 for coming)

**Call To Order:** **Farias** meeting was called to order at 6:30 P.M.

**Treasurer's Report:** **Rego** After including (+) \$20.00 from the August Golfers, and after deducting (-) \$500.00 (Refundable Christmas Party Deposit), the Fund/kitty has a balance of \$688.63.

**Old Business:**

(A) **August Golfing Event:** **C. Ho** There were 12 golfers at this event, it was a great day (weather wise), and everyone had fun. Winners and specifics are already posted to the Class Web Site [www.slc55.com](http://www.slc55.com).

(B) **2012 Christmas Party:** **Paresa** The price for the Christmas Party will be (all inclusive) \$37.00. The menu has been “set”, and includes Carved Prime Rib, Honey/Walnut Shrimp, A fish dish, salads, desserts and other items. There will be an e-mail issued, probably around the second week of October, which will have all of the specifics, and will include a map of the K.C.C. restaurant area. Deadline for receipt of payment(s) will be November 26<sup>th</sup>. All payments which are made by check, shall be made out to **SLC Class of 1955**, and then should be mailed out to George Rego *only* (not any other classmate). There will be games and prizes and musicians. We will be inviting guests (deceased classmate spouses/partners). Mark the date, December 8<sup>th</sup>, and watch for the e-mail that will explain all.

(C) **SLAA Elections:** **Farias** “There seems to be an imbalance of SLAA membership, and this signals some drawbacks to the leadership of the organization. If there is a need to “get more youth involved” in the activities and leadership of SLAA, then past graduating classes (those before 2012), should make strong attempts to recruit increased memberships so that those that are in fact “members in good standing” of the SLAA, can actually be more interactive and therefore “mold” a better leadership structure. Then and only then, can “youth” be a real and strong contributing factor in the makeup of SLAA. There seems to be a lesser amount of SLAA memberships in those classes from the 80's, 90' and 2000 eras , than from those classes of older graduating years. This appears to be hampering Alumni participation, and shows a “smaller footprint” of membership relative to more recent graduating classes”..

**New Business:**

(A) **October Golfing Event:** **N. Cruz.** Golfing will be on a ***Wednesday October 17<sup>th</sup>*** (not the normal Thursdays), and will be held at the Navy/Marine Golf Course, starting at 10:00 A.M. An e-mail to all golfers will be issued by 09/23/2012. Chairman for this event is Norman Cruz (808) 988-9358.

(B) **December Golfing Event** **Farias** Chairman for this event is Damien **Farias** (assisted by Harold **Chun**). Golfing will be at Hickam Air Base Golf Course; and will be scheduled for December 13<sup>th</sup>. More info to follow by e-mail.

### **Open Forum:**

**Farias:** There is a request by the SLAA asking all to participate in their "Crusader 4 Life" program which will assist the SL High School Athletic Program(s). This is a program that involves attendance at the Clubhouse and a percentage of the cost of purchasing drinks, that will be set aside to help the Athletic program. It will be on Wednesday evening, and starts at 8:00 P.M.

**Adjournment:** **Farias** meeting adjourned at 7:14 P.M.

**THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED CLASSMATE MEETING, WILL BE HELD ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2012, AT THE SLAAA CLUBHOUSE, STARTING AT 6:30 P.M.**