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Newsletter for October 2023

Our last meeting: Pres. Alex President, 2nd Vice Rich O'Brien, Marshall Larry Gallegos, exec. Committee: Chuck Gullo, Charlie Cano and Lewis Borg were present. Also, Larry Shanahan and Dan Palermo were present too. 1st Vice Pres. Stan Martinez excused. Treasurer John Diaz stepped down as of 9/30/23.

Reading of the minutes of 9/17/23 were read. Council approved the minutes with no additions or corrections.

Pres. Alex Preciado read voucher prior before handling it over to the executive committee for review. Read receipts and the council received \$60.17 in total. As of 9/30/23 the checking account balance was \$19,546.20. The Merrill Lynch balance as of 9/30/23 was \$636,624.38. Both accounts total were \$656,170.58.

We have a new treasurer Dan Palermo. The Council approved and Dan Palermo was sworn in as the new treasurer. He is eager to take over the job.

Reminded the council regarding the Grand Council essay contest and raffle tickets. Additional applications and raffle tickets were given to the members. It was mention that Council 2 should purchase raffle tickets. It was voted on and approved. The council will buy \$160 worth of tickets.

2nd Vice Pres. Rich O'Brien will contact Fr. Paolo at St. Christopher Church to set up a memorial Mass for our fellow members that passed away. It will be sometime in November. The President will inform everyone date and time of the service.

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Note: In November, it is time for selecting new officers. Think about it. You must be in good standing. Nominations will be done in November, election in December, and installation in January.

Our next meeting: will be November 21, 2023. Doors open 11am, and meeting starts at 11:30am.