

South Goldenrod Safe Neighborhood Meeting

July 21, 2016

President Blackman called the meeting to order at 6:35pm

It was noted that John was still on vacation.

Guest Speaker

- Laura Lang was our guest speaker. She spoke about how to prevent fraud especially with the elders.
- She said Asia ranks #1 followed by USA as being the largest amount of seniors being scammed.
- Education plays an important role in helping us how to identify scams and fraud.
- Some examples of fraud are: by phone-cold calls, filling out forms on surveys or sweepstakes.
- Winning and agreeing will lead to persuasion and eventually to scam.
- Rick Singh – property appraiser will be our guest speaker for September.

Off Duty Patrol Report/ Orange County Sheriff's Department

- 6 dispatched calls, 87 self-initiated calls, 9 motor vehicles stops, 38 citations, 57 community contacts, 8 arrests average from June, higher numbers, however it was a total of 50 hours which was 10 more than in June.

Old and New Business

- Issues presented by neighbors in the area from the Driving/ Golf range - "Bad Dog" area –incidents at all hours of day, vehicles, and people in and out of a path. There are suspicions of drugs trafficking, weapons, homeless and even robberies. Police are aware of situation and are working on it.
- For tips and information from the community dial 407-521-2400 Narcotics Office phone.
- New trend and issue has been with the "Pokémon game" where people had been found invading private areas, following the game. Concerns have been raised where there could be possibilities of people getting into accidents because of driving while playing, also predators can try to take advantage and really invade peoples homes.

Treasure's Report

- Treasurer Miriam reported the South Goldenrod Safe Neighborhood fund balance as \$452.56, in addition to two donations- \$70.00 Gateway & \$35.00 La Casa both businesses who took out ads in our newsletter.. The new balance is \$557.56.

Review of Minutes

- Motion to accept minutes was presented by Paul Falzone and second by Sarah Davis. Minutes accepted by unanimous vote.

- 50/50 drawing total \$35.00 won by Ernesto. He was awarded \$15.00 and \$20.00 went to the treasury.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourn at 8:02pm

Next meeting September 15,2016