



General Meeting Grupo Pro Sayulita Feb. 25th, 2010

Rear, Blue Iguana Restaurant

Making Sayulita a better place for everyone to live and visit

Secretary's Approval of Minutes: Moved by Cap Sparling, seconded by Janet Anderson-carried.

Committee Updates:

1. **Fiesta Fundraiser** (Leslie/Janet)-Ticket sales are our priority now. Remember that you are getting a supporting membership with the ticket price and the individual or casa benefits that come with that. Tickets and memberships and donations are available online at www.prosayulita.org.
2. **Beach Safety and Preservation**:-Jose Luis- Once a week Jose Luis is in touch with the members of the municipal team that comes to clean the beaches. They will help with the Beach Cleanup day on Sat. Feb. 27 and 8:30. Everyone is asked to come out to the area by the fishing boats to help keep our beaches clean and safe. Bring a hat, gloves, and a water bottle. The Recycle Truck will be there to take recycled bottles, cans and clear glass for Sayulita Recicla. The organization Ocean Conservancy is now working with Punta Sayulita to promote the cleanliness and health of the ocean. Rubi asked that Calle Coral at the beach be a special spot for cleanup this time around and that if possible the big old recycle bin that is sitting there be taken away. Water tests in the area of the river have been good but there is work to do to hook up the drains that empty near the south end so that those test levels are acceptable. Jose Luis will contact Roberto Villavincencia regarding the lifeguard situation here in Sayulita.
3. **Safety and Medical Response** (Mike Beck mikehbeck@msn.com)

Mike will give Trujillo the new cell phone tomorrow so we will be able to call Municipal police with one number.

The committee asked Gina Portillo to see if she can find a small desk for the police station. This is the last piece necessary to complete outfitting the station with furniture. Tuck has done much work. The place looks very good and the police seem very happy.

Fabian Ramos has agreed to refurbish my old desk top computer (needs hard drive for \$600ps) and I will donate it and a monitor to the police station. If they can't use it, we'll hold for something else.

Mike will coordinate date at Cultural Center with Dr. Moy for AED/CPR training later this month with Dr. Moy, who will determine best way to approach people who refurbish and donate ambulances.

4. **Traffic and Streets** (Jeff)- The money we put forth to use for cleaning the streets is now finished and the merchants association is being asked to donate for the work towards the next few months. The areas of town have been divided into 3 areas and individuals from those areas are asking for support to do this. Donations will go Dr. Moy's office and Daniel will keep a

spreadsheet of this money and update and send to Cheryl the treasurer as GPS will still disburse the money for the payments.

5. **Animal Clinic:** A vet from La Cruz is looking into coming for spay and neutering clinics for one day a week.

New Business: We had a visitor from La Penita, Mr. John Nielsen. He is involved with Los Amigos de La Penita. Their recycle program had a budget last year of \$200,000p and is collecting just plastic right now. Their meetings are held at Gutty's restaurant on the beach to the right as you head straight into town on the main road. They are the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month. Their Education Committee is judging an art contest this coming Tuesday, March 2 as they have their inauguration of the Las Cabras Kindergarten that they and the community have worked so hard to build. Drive toward Tepic and at km 89, turn left. That is 1 km past the Pemex on the north side of town. Lunch is at 2 p.m. and the ribbon cutting is at 3p.m..

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Next meeting, noon-1:30 PM, March 4