

**Almaden Senior Association  
Minutes of the Meeting  
May 3, 2017**

**Vice President Rich Sanders** opened the meeting explaining President Bill Hubka was on jury duty.

**Announcements:** Showed the award the Association received by the San Jose Recreation Department at the Recognition Dinner last week at Happy Hollow.

**Minutes of April meeting were approved** as written by Peggy Crisler. Peggy is on leave of absence until the fall.

Treasurer Report: Art Randall is still in New York on family business. Report was based on our safe log. It will be updated when he returns.

**City of San Jose Report:** Assistant to Councilmember Johnny Khamis, Denelle Fedor, noted Johnny was at the annual San Jose Police Memorial Ceremony.

- VTA update: buses and light rail staff need to talk to people about how VTA works
- Planning and Building Dept. Open House May 10 6-8pm
- Clipper Card available for seniors must do at downtown office

**PRNS Reports:**

- Adriana Copado reported \$1200 expenses from membership fund included food, entertainment and stamps.
- Dominique Pacolba noted the sound system was fixed, projector fixed, lights are always being worked on, and they too will be fixed.

**Events and Trips:** Rich Sanders

- A Day in Paris, Sat. June 10, on target; a high end food event; Sons of Jubal dance band entertainment
- Co-Chairs needed for Oct, Nov, Dec
- Trips: price for Rosie the Riveter Museum June 20 set at \$60

**Friends of the Library** representative Monica Bellizzi announced they raised over \$3500 at their book sale. Many people are using tablets so fewer books than usual were donated.

Citizens for Fiscal Responsibility Rich Crowley

Discussion on Senior Tax Exemption on the parcel taxes just passed for the San Jose Unified School District. He handed out a sheet which also noted other school districts in the Almaden area. The sheet explained how to obtain property tax exemptions.

Must submit separate application for Union Elementary and Campbell High School Districts.

Submitted: Marlene Duffin