REPUBLICAN CLUB OF OCEAN HILLS GENERAL MEETING JANUARY 15, 2020

President Barbara Hazlett called the meeting to order at 12:45 PM. Ben Sullivan led the Club in the Pledge of Allegiance. President Hazlett welcomed guests, new members and elected officials. Two Republican candidates for Oceanside Mayor were present, Jack Feller and Rocky Chavez.

<u>Program:</u> 1 Vice Present Lavonna Young introduced the first Speaker, Patrick Snow. Patrick is the Campaign Manager for Brian Maryott, Candidate for the 49th Congressional seat. In 2011 the beginning of the clean the swamp movement began with the Tea Party groups springing up all over America. President Trump always states the left is after You, he is just standing in the way. Brian Maryott is a strong supporter of President Trump. Brian is a successful businessman and currently Mayor of San Juan Capistrano. He believes in continuing to expand health care choices for veterans. Mark Levin signed onto the Green New Deal and voted to impeach President Trump. Patrick shared three points required to assure a Republican Victory in 2020: Republicans must have a huge turnout, we must win the Independent vote and Republicans must devote time and money to Maryott, Burkholder, the President and all Republican Candidates.

Ray Pearson and Roake Shanley, Candidates for the San Diego County Republican Central Committee made brief talks about their individual campaigns and urged the Club's support.

<u>Keynote Speaker:</u> Judy Rees is on the San Diego County Republican Party Executive Board that oversees the overall operation of the Central Committee. She is serving her 9th year as San Diego County Republican Voter Registration Chair. The title of her talk was "The Importance of the Central Committee to Voters". The Central Committee works to get well qualified Candidates for all offices in San Diego County. All Candidates are vetted and one for each office will receive the County Official Endorsement. Financial and other support is given to the endorsed candidate. This is a great value to the voter. Another service is to bring nationally known speakers to San Diego, such as Candace Owens who is the Speaker at the SDCRP meeting on February 3, at the Town and Country Hotel in Mission Valley. The 76th Assembly District has six representatives to the San Diego Republican Central Committee. There are 14 candidates. She needs your vote to continue doing the vital work she began nine years ago.

<u>Minutes and Treasurers Report:</u> Copies of each were available on the tables. The November minutes were emailed to members. There were no corrections or additions. The motion was made to approve the minutes. The motion was seconded and approved by acclamation.

<u>Membership</u>: Chairman John Murphy stated the Club now has 118 members. As Website and Facebook Manager, John stated both are current and will have pictures taken at meetings and other events in them. Share the Facebook page with friends. John sent emails to precincts near OHCC telling about the Club and urging them to join. He also stated the dues can be paid at the meeting.

<u>Programs:</u> Chairman Lavonna asked members to bring their sample ballots to the February meeting. President Hazlett will go over all propositions at that time.

<u>Correspondence:</u> Secretary Peni Woehman sent birthday cards to members with birthdays in January.

<u>Telephone Committee:</u> Chairman Judy Smith stated the Callers are doing an excellent job with calls. She urged members to return their calls in order to assure an accurate account of those attending the monthly meeting.

<u>Newsletter:</u> Editors Don Squires continues to create and send the Newsletter to members on a timely basis. He also sends the press release to five publications each month.

<u>Precincts:</u> Chairman Mike Richardson stated the Republican Party has outstanding Candidates for the 49th Congressional District and the 79th Assembly District. We need to give support to such qualified and on fire Candidates as are Brian Maryott and Melanie Burkholder. "All politics are local" and we must contribute time and money to their campaigns. He urged members to have meet and greets at their homes.

<u>New Business:</u> As already stated Candace Owens will speak at the SDCRP on February 3, 2020 at 7:00PM. Recall petitions for Governor Newsome must be in by February,2020. Volunteers are needed for the Brian Maryott/Melanie Burkholder Campaign headquarters Monday through Friday, 10:00-5:00PM, located at 5541 Fermi Court, # 102.

The meeting adjourned at 2:10 PM.

<u>Opportunity Drawing:</u> Director Judy Buoniconti conducted the drawing where a Trump flag, MAGA hat, wine and chocolate were won by lucky members.

Respectfully submitted by Secretary Sally Booth