# San Jose Nisei Bowling Association Meeting December 3, 2007 4<sup>th</sup> Street Bowl

Meeting called to order by President Marc Tsuchiya at 7:10pm

Board members present:

President:Marc TsuchiyaTreasurer:Frank LumMen's VP:Jody KawamuraSecretary:Lindsey Wong

Women's VP: Stefanie Hirata

JANBA Rep: Lynnie Itatani, Vince Itatani, Sayo Togami, Jody Kawamura

League Representatives Present: (NP)=Not Present

Nikkei Mixed Fours: Dick Horio 725 Mixed Scratch: Mark Nishihara (NP)

Reiko Yagi Nisei Juniors Yosh Hiraki (NP)
Naomi Tomisaka Tues. Sansei Mixed: Dale Ando (NP)
Savo Togami Weds. Sansei Mixed: Dale Ando (NP)

Yu-Ai Kai: Sayo Togami Weds. Sansei Mixed: Dale Ando (NP)
John Shigemoto 4<sup>th</sup> St. Mixed Trios Yosh Hiraki (NP)
Kenji Numoto 4<sup>th</sup> St. Tues. Trios Ozzie Shimada

# **Review of Minutes:**

No Changes

Motion by Naomi, Seconded by Reiko.

## **Treasurers Report**

Koden Check for \$25 for Suzuki Family. Some outstanding checks for end of season high games and scrips for Ham and Turkey shoots. Money in and out of Tournament Account for Senior No-Tap and Fuzzy Shimada Tournament.

Bring ideas for spending overage of funds for year. Possibly donate to juniors, Seniors etc.

Current Account Balances as of 12/3/07: Association Acct. \$3217.34, Tournament Acct. \$8804.31, JANBA Acct. \$8000 (unchanged), Total for all accounts \$20,021.65 Motion by Stefanie, Seconded by Jodi.

#### **Nisei Juniors**

Yosh not present, but contacted Marc. Currently have 23 bowlers and need to recruit. Made \$120 at bake sale.

#### **Fuzzy Shimada Memorial**

Stefanie: made profit of approx. \$2200, congrats to Sayo and Harold for winning generation No-Tap. Overall very happy with event good turnout and prize fund and hope it will improve for next year. Suggest taking individual names and will pair people up for Generation No-Tap.

Will plan for moving the event to June starting in 2008. Potentially June 21-22, 2008

#### **Old Business**

• End of the year surveys: More squads for Fuzzy, maybe rotate houses, Oakridge problems, issues with Federation.

# **New Business**

- A. Federation News: San Francisco and Sacramento Associations are going to allow non-Federation bowlers participate in their upcoming tournaments. Federation still would like to discuss San Jose returning to the Federation.
- B. Koden for Mark Ueda, father passed away
- C. Stefanie brought SF entry and passed out, due on 12/10.
- D. Marc will write thank you letters for scrips.

# JANBA News

JANBA entries out, no raffle tickets yet. Entries taken until Jan. 1, will take average verification from USBC (bowl.com). Information has been slow to get out.

<u>www.janba2008.com</u>. Suggestions to bring up at Board meeting: ability to consolidate schedule based on number of entries, increase entry fee to help boost prize fund and move tournament date to later in year. **Need to do ad for booklet**.

### **Next meeting:**

Monday, January 7, 2008 at 7:00pm 4th Street Bowl

Motion to adjourn by Naomi seconded by Reiko.

Minutes submitted by Lindsey Wong, Secretary.

# **Action Items:**

- 1. Bring ideas for spending overage of funds for year. Possibly donate to juniors, Seniors etc.
- 2. Marc will write thank you letters for scrips.
- 3. Need to do ad for JANBA booklet.

Promote 4<sup>th</sup> street bowl changes, moonlite, about the people, social networking.

What can we do to make people excited about bowling again. Youth bowlers. Bowling associations. Promote BOWLING!