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That faith in God gives meaning and purpose to human life;

That the brotherhood of man transcends the sovereignty of nations;

That economic justice can best be won, by free men through free enterprise;

That government should be of laws rather than of men;

That earth's greatest treasure lies in human personality;

And that service to humanity is the best work of life.

C. William Brownfield

FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

Hi Everyone!

Well, 2021 is in the books and we are well underway with 2022!! It was great seeing everyone that came from near & far at our Holiday Social in December and had a great event at the Medieval Times for dinner on Saturday night. Thank you to Sherrie Jones, Carolyn Smith, Kris Fletcher and Pam Brannen for making this a successful weekend!! Thank you to President Mike Andrews #58312 and 1st Lady Linda Andrews #71434 for joining us for the Holiday Social.

It was great seeing everyone in Melbourne for our Winter Board Meeting. The highlight of our weekend was our Region X dinner at a Seafood restaurant called Squid Lips!! Food was great and the view was awesome! Fun times to be had by all. Thank you Dianne von Borstel for setting this up for all of us.

Thank you Mike Anchie for hosting our 3rd quarter meeting. The weather was great and the food was awesome!!! Thank you to everyone that attended. Always glad to see and chat with all.

Our Region X meeting is coming here!! I hope to see everyone the weekend of March 25th at the Staybridge Suites in Chandler. On Saturday we will all get together at the Desert Botanical Gardens to be followed by dinner and our Region X meeting.

We said goodbye to some close friends with the passing of Amy Buchman, Marilyn Buck and J. Tom Martinez. Our memories of them will always be special.

Thank you everyone for all your support. I wouldn't be able to do this without you!

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ARIZONA JCI SENATE **SECRETARY**

Sherrie Jones #78417

3rd Quarter **Meeting Minutes** February 12, 2022 Mesa, AZ

The meeting was Called to Order at 11:15 AM Invocation by our Chaplain, Ernie Weirich #12557 Pledge of Allegiance led by Mike Anchie #73632 Attendees:

Lowell Vahl #40315, Debbie Vahl FR #42, Cindy Naylor #62479, Corri Miller #54501, Tanis Jimeno-Friedman #70297, Phil Friedman #61455, Dianne von Borstel #55954, Lynne Starr Minick #69594, Art Shane #27322, Mike Anchie # 73632, Elaine Rudolph #57086, Teddy Clarke #37167, Jim Hampshire #38626, Ernest J Weirich #12557. Mike Schmitt #39725, Bonnie Schmitt (guest), Kris Fletcher #65619.

Officer Reports

Secretary - Sherrie Jones:

Sherrie was unable to attend the meeting. However the notes from the November meeting are in the most recent issue of the Spokesman. Corri moved to approve the Secretary's report and was seconded by Phil. Motion passed Treasurer - Cindy Naylor: A detailed report for all accounts was reported 47 members are due on March 1. 35 are Life Members. Of the 12 others, 8 renewed and we are waiting on 3 others. We lost 1 member this quarter, J Tom Martinez. We did pick up 4 new

though.

It was moved and seconded to approve the Treasurers report. Motioned passed.

Chairman Reports

Adopt a Street - Art Shane & Cathy O'Hara Next date will be in April TBD. Socials - Art Shane and Cathy O'Hara

Will continue. Thank you for your submissions!

Foundation Scholarships - Kris Fletcher:

We had received only 2 applications for scholarships and those 2 were sent into National for judging.

Products - Phil Friedman New purple Senate shirts (to honor Amy) are available, let Phil know if you would like to order one.

Return the Favor - Committee Easter Parade April 16th. Brian Brown is in Yuma helping w/ rodeo this weekend.

Life Members - Mike Schmitt: Doug Meyers #21511 is our newest Life Member #151. If anyone wants to be number 152, please let Mike know. Rolling over CD on 2/16/22.

Roster- Mike Schmitt New rosters were distributed. If you move, change phone numbers, etc. please let Mike know so he can update his file.

Freshman Senators -

Committee

It was announced at the last meeting that 2 new Senators would be awarded at the Holiday Social. Only one was available at that time. Brian Brown #80073 was awarded his Senatorship at the Holiday Social. The next one will be awarded at the Region X meeting. Kris moved to approve reimbursement of new

senator plaques, Mike seconded. Motion passed. Spokesman - Cindy Naylor Articles are due Saturday, February 19, 2021. The majority of the newsletters are emailed out with approximately 60 hard copies being mailed out. Hospitality - Carolyn Smith No report. **Region X Future Directions** No Report Webmaster - Lowell Vahl No report **Unfinished/Old Business** Holiday Party – Dec. 17 – 19, 2021 Great weekend! **New Business** Yuma Rodeo – Feb. 11-13, 2022 4th quarter year end meeting – Date & Time TBD - Will be up in Prescott in May. Election of Officers - Dianne is committee chair with Kris & Cindy as members. President,

Secretary, Treasurer. **National Meetings**

March 25 - 27, 2022 - Region X Meeting, Chandler, AZ. Gary Pittenger is coming. June 26 - July 1, 2022 - Year

End Louisville, KY Who is attending? Dianne, Kris & Glen, Pat, Carolyn, Slick, Lynne & Dave, Phil & Tanis Region X Booth - M.A.S.H ideas discussed & roles assigned

Sept. 28 to Oct. 2, 2022 - Fall Board, Golden, CO

Jan. 18 - 22, 2023 - Winter Board, New Orleans, LA

June 26-30, 2023 - Year End, St. Louis, MO

Good of the Order:

Kris - Amy's house - Lots of items donated to worthy causes and friends.

Region X Advisor Comments: Phil is looking to promote Arizona Senators to National offices and appointments, if

interested, please let him know.

Region X NVP Comments: Dianne It's been a great year so far! Looking forward to Region X meeting.

Chairman of the Board/Presidents Comments:

It was great to see everyone here at the meeting. Thank you all for coming and thank you to the Anchie's fpr hosting.

Adjourn with the creed at 12:07pm.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cindy Naylor #62479 LM #109

Our dues submission are due March 1st. There were 47 members due with 35 being Life Members, 30 membership renewal letters were sent to ALL AZ Senators that received there Senatorship in this quarter searching for new membership and to renew their membership in the AZ JCI Senate. There were 12 members due to National who are not Life Members. Thank you to Bob Beatty #20038, Peggy Collins #72129, Ralph Henderson #38008, Carole Hlavay #65583, Pat Holbert #55454, Sherrie Jones #78417, Bill Mosley #44784 and Michael White #20092 for renewing your dues on time. We lost 1 member J Tom Martinez #21801 who was due March 1st. We added 4 new members this quarter. Thank you to Pete Reinecker #11777 from the OR Jaycees. We added a new Senator from the Phoenix Jaycees Brian Brown #80073 who received his Senatorship in Dec at the Holiday Social in Tempe. We

added 2 new Life Members Doug Meyers #21511 LM 51 from the CA Jaycees and Jeff Jacques #69657 LM 50 from the WY Jaycees.

As always, we are continually looking for Ways and Means projects to help our General Fund.

ROSTERTERRIAN Mike Schmitt #39725 LM #42

Rostefarian Matters:

This quarter we must add a name to the "Lost" Senators list. The annual dues letter to **Allen Starr** #16483 (Phoenix '73) was returned as "undeliverable at this address." So if any of you know how to reach Allen Starr please let us know.

It sure would be nice if we could locate the following Senators. It's been a long time (over 10 years in some cases) that these Senators have been on this list. If you know the whereabouts of any of the following, please let me know. Here is the list of "Lost" Senators that we ask your assistance in locating: Carl W. Bienert #25891 (Yuma '78), Donald Boggs #32141 (ASPOT '82), Ralph L. Brooks #09625 (Mesa ·69). Garv Burger AZ #36909. LM #124 (Ahwatukee '84), Phillip J. Carr #20224 (Phoenix '75), Ken P. Hill #20095 (Mesa '75), John Himes #21603 (Scottsdale '76), Andrea Hudson #69269 (Yuma '10), Carl R. Johnson #29066 (Apache Junction '80), Donald Lawson #02880 (Tucson '61), Gerald Milam #18139 (Phoenix '74), Rebecca S. Polmanteer #53502 (Mesa '95), Billy G. Purdy #53366 (Glendale '95), Timothy J. Rethlake #46441 (Ahwatukee '90), Jennifer Rindal #68112 (Scottsdale '08), Dale Schwartz #6942 AZ LM #63 (San Diego '67), Allen Starr #16483 (Phoenix '73), Debra Steele #57068, AZ LM #81 (San Jose, CA, '97), Don F. Steward #09566 (Camelback '69), Mike Travnor #28403 (Chandler '80). Ron L. Walker #33258 (AZ Jaycees '82), Ed J. Wasielewski #09796 (Phoenix '69) and Albert E. Wenger #19122 (Flagstaff '74). (Total: 23) Please let me know at 480-759-0007 or e-mail if you know the address or phone number of

the address or phone number of any of these "Lost" Senators.

If any Arizona Senator missed the last meeting and would like a hard copy of the Senate Roster, just give me a call (480-759-0007) or send an e-mail request () and I'll be glad to mail you a copy.

US JCI SENATE LAIASON Jim Hampshire #38626 LM #20

The last AZ Senate meeting was February 12th in Mesa. Dianne von Borstel, our Region X VP, attended the meeting. The Winter BOD in Melbourne, FL January 20-23, 2022 was good time. AZ had good attendance. The next AZ Senate meeting will be the elections of the 2022-23 Exec Officers. Date, time and location TBD. The 2022 National meeting will be in Louisville, KY June 26-July 3.

2022. Fall BOD 2022 is in Golden, CO September 29-October 2. Meeting was moved at the Melbourne meeting. Winter BOD 2023 will be in New Orleans, LA on January 18th-22nd, Year-end meeting will be in St Louis. MO June 26-30, 2023. Think about joining the US JCI Senate Foundation. Keep your dues up to date, that way you will keep up to date with the latest information. Registration forms for upcoming meetings of the US JCI Senate can be found on the US JCI Senate Web site. Keep watching for AZ Senate Socials that Art Shane and Cathy O'Hara have going from time to time in AZ. They will also get the date for the next Adopt- A-Street out for next one. Art Shane has web social e-mail going out last Friday of each month. Send him what you are doing in your life. Mike Schmitt is on look-out for new Life Members. You can be next with number 152. Look in the Secretary report for information from February 12th meeting about Fundraisers and other information. AZ had two Foundation Scholarships names sent in this year to National. Things our members have going are: white bottle caps to Ernie, plastic bags to Carolyn for homeless mats and hotel toiletry items to Dianne for homeless along with suitcases and duffel bags to Dianne for foster kids. Thanks

Mike Anchie for hosting our last meeting. Look for other reports from people about the February 12th AZ Senate meeting in this newsletter. Keep the loved one in your life close at this time of the year.

LIFE MEMBERS Mike Schmitt #39725 LM #42

Life Member News:

Happily Added:

Doug Meyers #21511 LM #151 (Lafayette, CA '75). Congratulations Doug! Wear your new Life Member pin with pride.

Next Available Life Member: #152

"Here's to you if you're #152" and skip any future dues letters by sending your \$225 check made out to AZ USJCI Senate, PO Box 50713, Phoenix, AZ 85076.

US JCI SENATE CONVENTIONS

US JCI Senate National Convention Louisville, KY June 27-July 1, 2022

Full Reg by 4/27/2022 \$140.00 Late \$165.00 On Site \$165.00 Hotel: Crowne Plaza Hotel Louisville-Airport Expo Center

830 Phillips Lane Louisville, KY

Cut-off date: May 27, 2022 Phone: (877) 227-6963

Group code: JQ2

\$145.00 + Tax

US JCI Senate 2022 Fall BOD Golden, CO Sept 29-Oct 2, 2022

Full Reg by 8/15/2022 \$75.00 Late \$85.00 On Site \$95.00

Hotel: TBD

\$129.00 + Tax

Cut-off date: Aug. 30, 2022 Phone: will be forthcoming Group code: 2710984

*** If you need registration forms for any or all of these conventions, contact James Hampshire (623) 979-4393 ***

ADOPT A STREET & SOCIALS

Art Shane #27322 & Cathy O'Hara FR #77

SOCIALS

We are still in somewhat of a "covid" mode. Sure don't want to be super spreaders but sometimes it seems as if it is safe enough, whatever that is. Let us know if you have a suggestion for an in-person happy hour, you know like a visiting Senator, celebration of some sort, free beer, things like that. Meanwhile the Virtual Social continues unabated with plenty of submissions and lots of favorable comments. Remember, it gets sent on the last Saturday of the month at about happy hour so send us an email

() telling us what is going on in your life and we will pass it on along with all the others.

ADOPT A STREET

We usually do the spring clean up on Rio Salado in April however the Ahwatukee Easter parade on the 16th is excuse enough to think about a May date. How about May 5 and Mexican food? Well, that is a Thursday but what the heck, we can be close by doing it on the 7th. We will firm it up as it gets closer and let you know. Meanwhile Cathy and I will "scout" the nearby pubs and find a suitable place. Long story short: pencil in Adopt-A-Street for May 7.

2021-22 REGION X VP

Dianne von Borstel Senate # 55954 Connecting Friendships

Hello Everyone,

I am your Election committee chair for the 2022-23 Senate year. Joining me on the committee are Kris Fletcher #65619 and Cindy Naylor #62479. We will elect a President, Treasurer, and Secretary during our Annual meeting in May (Prescott Valley). Below is a little information about each office (summarized from our by-laws), if this is of interest to you or of you have any questions, please let me know.

The **President** is the Arizona JCI Senate representative at all functions and presides at regularly scheduled meetings. The President is the spokesman of the organization, and exofficio member of all committees, and is required to attend Fall and Annual meetings.

The **Treasurer** shall prepare, attach payments (if required) and submit in a timely manner all required Federal and State tax returns and Arizona Corporation Commission Annual Report & Certificate of Disclosure. The Treasurer also bills and collects dues, keep accurate books and financial records, be responsible for the Arizona JCI Senate's checking and saving accounts.

The Secretary shall assume the President's duties and responsibilities when the President cannot be present at a regularly scheduled meeting or other function. The Secretary also takes and publishes the minutes of each general membership, Annual, Board of Directors, and Executive meetings.

Please be aware that there is a change for the Region X meeting is the weekend of March 25 to 27, 2022 in Chandler, AZ. Instead of a baseball game (due to the MLB lockout), we are going to spend an afternoon at Desert Botanical Gardens () in Phoenix. Ticket prices are \$39.95. If interested, please fill out the updated registration form on the US JCI website:

Arizona JCI Senate Website

US JCI Senate Website

IN MEMORIAM AMY BUCHMAN #63442 LM 98

Recently a number of AZ Senators cleaned out Amy Buchman's house. In addition to the clothes, shoes, purses, jewelry, furniture and other household goods that were donated to various charities throughout the Phoenix Valley; she had a very large collection of beads etc for making jewelry. We ended up donating a large portion of these beads, wire, tools, etc to Pamela Kerley who teaches jewelry making classes along with making her own jewelry both of which she does thru "Sip & Shop" in Gilbert, AZ. Some of the jewelry Pam will be making (with Amy's beads) and then selling in the future will be called "Amy's Gems Collection Jewelry". Pam is currently donating \$100 towards the US JCI Senate Scholarship fund on behalf of Amy Buchman #63442.

Also one of Amy's Parada del Sol Rodeo jackets, lanyard, beer mug & rodeo shirts (from her time with the Scottsdale Jaycees) have been donated to the 'Old Town Scottsdale Rodeo Museum" and hopefully will soon be on display for this year's upcoming Parada del Sol rodeo season.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS – UPCOMING EVENTS

March 25-27, 2022	Region X Meeting	Chandler, AZ
April 2022	AZ Senate Meeting	TBD
June 26-July 1, 2022	US JCI National Meeting	Louisville, KY
Sept 29-Oct 2, 2022	US JCI Fall BOD	Golden, CO
January 18-22, 2023	US JCI Winter BOD N	lew Orleans, LA
June 26-30, 2023	US JCI National Meeting	St Louis, MO

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