



Sunset Beach Community Association Newsletter Fall/Winter 2023

"Important Letter from the President" October 20, 2023

Dear Friends and Neighbors,

The SBCA had a great year and were fortunate to have several interesting guests speak at our meetings. Here is a list of some of our speakers:

Nancy Galeanda, Director of Waymakers Youth Shelter. For those who aren't aware, the SCBA has an annual food drive and all our donation are given to Waymakers.

Tony Strickland, Huntington Beach Mayor.

Michael Gates, Huntington Beach City Attorney.

Andrew Do, Orange County Supervisor.

Army Corp of Engineers regarding the Sand Replacement Project.

We also need to mention our regular attendees:

Huntington Beach Council Woman Natalie Mosher, who is a great friend of Sunset Beach, and Huntington Beach Police Lieutenant Roman Altenbach who addresses all of our police related issues.

In 2020 I questioned if we were taking advantage of all the benefits of being a 501 (c)(3) charity.

I discovered that we hadn't been taking advantage of possible property tax reductions. I filed the proper paperwork with the state and the county in early 2020 and we were turned down. But with the help of our treasurer, Chris Harrison, and our accountant, Chris Montana, CPA, they led the charge and resubmitted the paperwork. With their hard work and diligence, they arranged a site survey by the county

and in September we were awarded a discount on our property taxes. This reduction lessens our annual overhead by a third. Our community owes thanks to these two for their hard work for the last 2 years.

With COVID restrictions in our rearview mirror we were able to hold all our annual events in addition to a couple new ones. In January Tincan Beach Comb-ers, a local charity that focuses on clean beaches, clean food and local music, held a CPR class at the community center. They also, with the Huntington Beach Fire/Lifeguards put on a presentation called S.A.L.T., Surfers Awareness in Lifesaving Techniques in April. Great information for water goers.

Over Mothers Days Weekend Las Damas held the Sunset Beach Art Festival and as always, it did not disappoint. Thousands of people attended and this event went off without a hitch.

Starting off the summer events in July, the SCBA held our annual pancake breakfast where we had static displays for the police and fire department and of course, delicious pancakes with all the orange juice provided by Sammy Perricone. Followed by Barbara D'Angelo's Electric Rock Concert in August with a portion of the proceeds going to the SCBA. Ending the summer events was the Woman's Club 24th annual Chili-cook-off, which also shares a portion of their proceeds with the SBCA. This was their best year ever, according to Woman's Club President Dawn McCormack.

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3RD ANNUAL SUNSET BEACH FOOD DRIVE WAYMAKERS YOUTH SHELTER

WE WILL BE COLLECTING FOOD AT OUR
NOVEMBER & DECEMBER MEETINGS AT THE
SUNSET BEACH
NOBLES FAMILY COMMUNITY CENTER



SBCA meetings
7pm on Thurs 11/2 and 12/7
or from 12/7 -12/17 drop your donation at
Timeless Treasures Boutiques
7227 Edinger Ave, H. B. 92647

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The last two events of the year were the Superhero Halloween party held on October 28th the week prior to Halloween. Hundreds of costumed kids enjoyed last year's party consuming free pizza and Halloween candy. Thank you to the Nobles Family for their generosity by throwing this party.

Lastly, our K9 mayor fund raiser. The 2023 Mayor is Chase, he proudly held the office but was unable to ride in the Huntington Beach 4th of July parade due to his human being ill. We are currently looking for our 2024 mayor so please check the website.

For information on the upcoming K9 election, check our website at www.sunsetbeachca.org

Again, this year we are asking all our residents, homeowners, and visitors for a donation. Your donations are tax deductible (we are a 501(c)(3) organization) and help us to sustain our community center and support community events. No amount is too small and let me thank you in advance for your donations. You may use Venmo or PayPal (on our website) or mail a check or cash to our P.O. Box 215, Sunset Beach CA 90742.

I wish everyone a happy holiday season and I am looking forward to 2024. Please share your email with us so you can stay in touch with all events in Sunset Beach.

Best Regards,

Kevin Paulson

Sunset Beach Community Association President

SUNSET BEACH COMMUNITY HALLOWEEN EVENT

SATURDAY OCTOBER 28th

5pm-9pm
Free Entry – All Ages



FREE ADMISSION

- GAMES
- BOUNCE HOUSE
- FUN PHOTO OPS
- CANDY

Sunset Beach
Community Center &
Nobles Family

PICK-A-PUMPKIN



FREE
PUMPKIN
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This Years
Theme
SuperHeroes

**SUNSET BEACH
COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION**

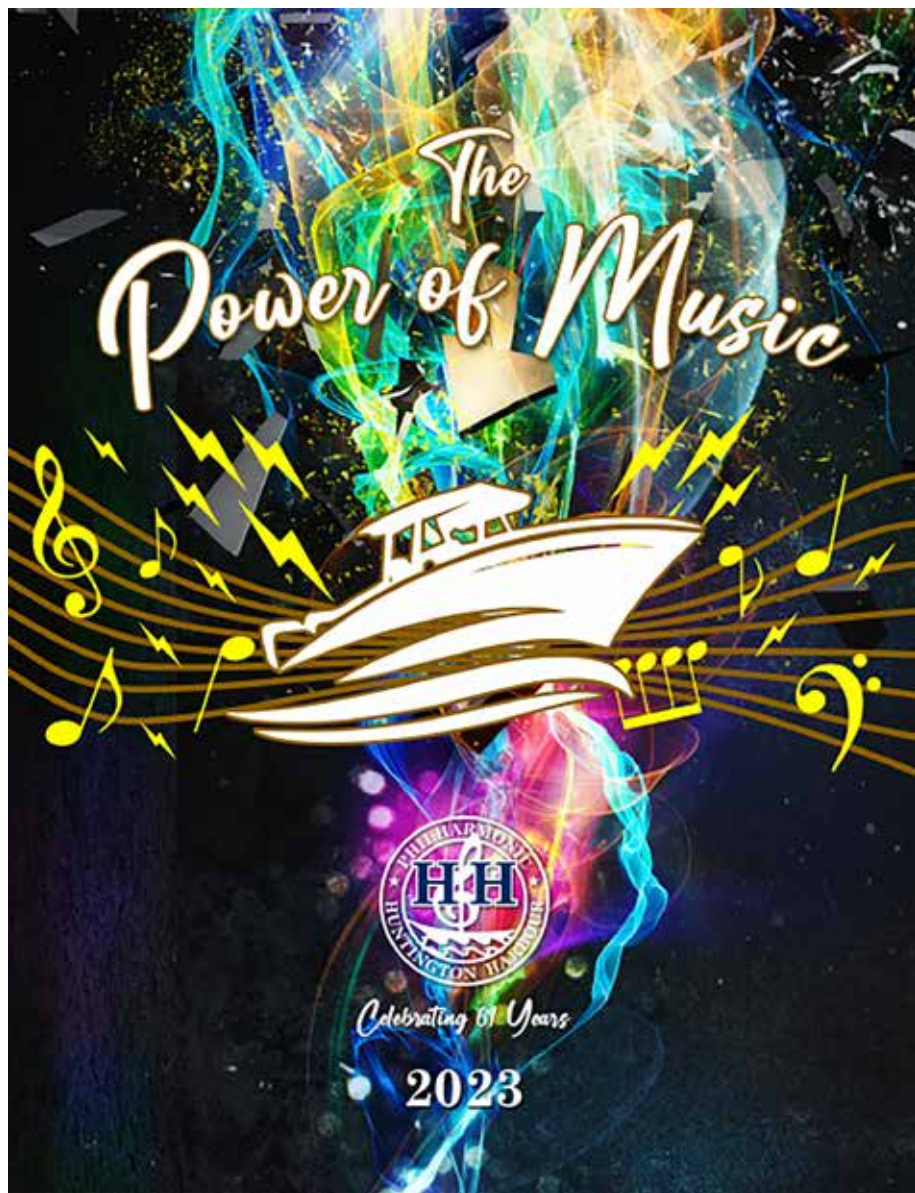
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LAS DAMAS of SUNSET BEACH

61th ANNUAL Huntington Harbour Boat Parade

DECEMBER 9th & 10th / www.hhboatparade.org



2023 Theme The Power of Music... Celebrating 61 Years

Grand Marshal: Weikko Wirta

Keep the Tradition Going! Support the Boat Parade. No act of generosity is too small to make a difference.

It is that time of year when we get excited about the upcoming boat parade, where we have the opportunity to view our traditional favorites, while adding new and unique entries.

The all-volunteer Huntington Harbour Boat Parade is the non-profit Huntington Harbour Philharmonic Committee's way of saying "thank you" to the Harbour residents for decorating their homes.

Unlike many other boat parades, the Huntington Harbour Boat Parade is not produced or managed by a marina company, City, or Chamber of Commerce. It is an entirely volunteer effort.

Please note public viewing areas at the beaches fill up quickly with very limited parking. One of the best ways to see it is to be in it by entering your boat!

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