

South Ambergris Caye Neighborhood Watch



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NEXT MONTHLY MEETING

Wednesday, December 11th, 7:00pm

SomePlace South CafeBar

SACNW Meeting Minutes

November 13th, 2024

SomePlace South CafeBar

Present:

EC - Al Domescik, Martin Reiser, Mary Shaw, and Dawn Domescik

Members and Guests – 41 people with 11 tourists

President's Welcome: Al Domescik opened the meeting at 7:03 p.m. thanking everyone for attending. Al thanked Kristen, the owner of SomePlace South, and staff for hosting the meeting. He then gave a brief overview of the organization for the guests that were at SomePlace South and advised that questions are welcome at any time.

Treasurer's Report: Presented by Mary.

Mary told the membership that in October we collected approximately \$10,000 and spent approximately \$15,000. Expenses were higher than normal as we had the severance to pay to Mr. Cob and extra maintenance to the carts.

Mary is working on a budget for 2025.

Financials are on the SACNW website.

Please remember that SACNW operates solely on member contributions! All contributions are used for Patrol Salaries and expenses needed to operate i.e., Golf Cart repairs, Fuel, Bank Fees etc. All administrative costs are volunteer and donations!

Note: Social Security is paid based on the prior month's salaries.

Security Report: Presented by Martin.

October 10th to November 12th

Wednesday, October 16th —At approximately 1:30pm a male person was detained at mile 2.5 for "Disorderly Order." The male person was escorted to the police station.

Wednesday, October 23rd —At 6:02pm patrol received information about a fire at mile 2.5 the BTL tower. Checks were made and the person was advised not to leave the property until the fire was out completely. BTL employee raking and burning leaves.

Friday, November 1st —At around 4:30pm Patrol and police stopped a 10-wheel truck around mile 5 and detained the driver for driving recklessly in the area. The driver was turned over to the police under suspicion of drunk driving.

Thursday, November 7th —At 4:30 patrol and police responded to an incident where a captain lost control of his boat and caused damage to an establishment. A verbal agreement for damage compensation was made between the captain and the owner.

Sunday, November 10th —At around 9:30pm patrol and police received information about two suspicious persons within the area. The two people were located at mile 2.5 where a search was conducted on them. The police found an amount of green leafy substance suspected to be marijuana on one of the suspicious persons. The person was detained and escorted to the police station.

During this period the patrol also assisted two different people with fuel, and they stopped and searched 35 suspicious persons.

Fundraising: presented by Dawn

Annual SACNW Kelly McGuire beach party

-Party changed to Saturday night February 15, 2025, from 4 pm to 9 pm

-Duty free alcohol for lucky sip

-Want to help in a fun way? When you're traveling, snag some duty-free liquor to donate for our Lucky Sip Raffle at the beach party.

-We need volunteers, give us your email tonight or email Dawn at DawninBelize@gmail.com

We're also on the lookout for someone to lead our **Neighborhood Cleanup Crew!** If this sounds like your calling, talk to Dawn after the meeting or shoot us an email at info@sacnw.org.

Rumors:

-The EC did not and would not Petition to Town Board about the road.

-The monthly meeting is not moving from Someplace South.

Are you getting our emails? If not, please email us at info@sacnw.org and we will make sure you are added to the email list.

Items Needed for Patrol:

Toilet paper, **mosquito repellent**, first aid supplies, broom, cleaning supplies, paper towels, coffee (instant preferred), sugar, creamer, trash bags (big and small).

In Closing:

President Al Domescik expressed his thanks to all attendees. The meeting was adjourned at 7:26 pm.

-Next meeting is Wednesday, December 11th, 2024.

DONATION INFORMATION:

Credit Card donations are accepted at Black Orchid and SomePlace South.

Cash or Check Donations can be dropped off at the Barrier Reef Drive office of Ambergris Seaside Realty, addressed to Josh Buettner, or given to Mary Shaw.

Time and Talent – Community member involvement is always welcomed.

Contact Information:

Please email any questions, comments, or suggestions to info@sacnw.org

Facebook: [SACNW Facebook Page](#)

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SACNW Mission Statement

To deter crime, promote community spirit, and create an environment that encourages awareness and continual improvement within our area.