

**Sun City West Yoga Club  
Minutes  
General Membership Meeting  
6 May 2023**

Board Members in Attendance: Teri Huff (President), Marcia Kraft (Vice President), Susan Colvin (Treasurer), Sherry Gustafson (Member-at-Large), Mella Harmon (Secretary). Thirteen members were present (sign-in sheet available for review)

Call to Order: 12.37 pm by President Huff

Quorum: No quorum

Approval of Minutes from 18 February 2023 General Membership Meeting: Jack Leary moved to approve the minutes from 18 February. Gwen Rhoads seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Agenda Items:

Treasurer's Report: Treasurer Colvin presented the financial summary for the period 1/1/23 – 4/30/23. Income for the period was \$31,770. Expenses were \$30,432 with a net total of \$1,338. The bank balance as of 4/30/23 was \$22,604. Total members: 513; total attendees 5,631. Treasurer answered questions from the membership. Jack Leary moved to accept the Treasurer's Report, with a second by Dianne Heisner. The motion carried unanimously.

Purchase of laptop computers: President Huff and Treasurer Colvin announced the purchase of two laptops as approved by the membership. The expense will appear in next month's financial report.

Reminder to members to sign up for club emails: President reminded the members to sign up for emails. It is our primary form of communication. The instructors will be asked to remind their classes as well.

Elimination of monitor rewards per bylaws: President Huff announced the elimination of the monitor reward program because it was out of compliance with the club's bylaws. This section of the bylaws cannot be amended.

Hands-on monitor training will be offered through the summer: President Huff announced that hands-on monitor training would be offered during the summer. The Board members have volunteered to assist. One of the members suggested the training be video-taped and posted to the website. Vice President Kraft said she could do a YouTube training.

Reminder that no one can be in the yoga studio alone: President Huff reminded the members that no one may be in the yoga studio alone for more than 15 minutes. This applies to monitors as well. President Huff will send an email reminder in the fall.

General Discussion: Gwen Rhoades brought up ways to educate people about the benefits of yoga. We might request an interview on the radio station, perhaps with an instructor. We might also do commercials. We should do an article with photos for the *Independent*. There was a question about the open house. It won't happen this year. There was a discussion about the status of the classes over the summer. The schedule will reflect changes.

Adjournment: 1:06 pm

Next meeting date: 9 December 2023