



**Police & Fire Retirees Club** **January 2010**

*President* = Mike Varga 750-2552 *Vice President* = Larry Bowlby 751-0654  
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**NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting is **Tuesday, January 5, 2010 at 7:00 PM** at **LaHacienda Rec Center**. We are back in our normal room, bigger and newly remodeled. The speakers for the meeting will be members of the **Sumter County Sheriff's Office**. Donuts, coffee and tea will be furnished.

**FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS**

At our November 2007 meeting it was voted to support the Christian Food Pantry in Lady Lake or other needy Food Pantries by bringing canned or dried food products to each of our meetings so we hope you will bring what you can.

**CHRISTMAS PARTY**

We had 59 at our Christmas Party which was apparently enjoyed by all who attended. I think especially by Jack M.

**CLUB WEBSITE**

Please visit the club's website, <http://www.policeandfireretireesclub.us>, and check out the "Buy & Sell" section. If you have an item to sell or are looking for something please email the webmaster to have it listed.

Shirts

Both members and spouses shirts can be ordered at **3 Amigos Pro Shop** next to McCall's Restaurant. There are Club Jackets available through **Audrey Williams (406-7609)**.

**HELP WANTED**

We have our coffee and donut people but are still looking for a couple of volunteers to handle the club's golf outings. We normally have 2 per year.

**DUES**

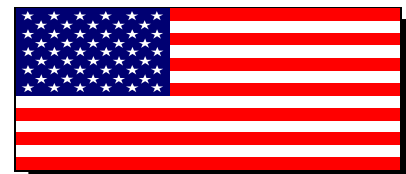
2010 dues of \$10 are now due. Please bring a check for \$10 made out to "Police and Fire Retirees Club" to the January meeting. Bob's helper, Rosanna, will be back.

**SICK BAY**

If any member becomes aware of a sick member or spouse whom we should respond to, let **Helen Cusack** or **Mike Varga** know. Contact Helen at **753-1873** or at [patandhelen@embarqmail.com](mailto:patandhelen@embarqmail.com)

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION**

The Officers have proposed amendments for three Articles of the Constitution that will be presented to the membership this month for voting at the February meeting. The changes are in red and underlined with deletions having a strikethrough. The amendments are on the next page.



**ARTICLE IV**  
**MEMBERSHIP**

**SECTION 3** A non-voting honorary membership may be prescribed for a worthy adult resident of the community, provided that said individual has been proposed in accordance with the bylaws of the organization. *The spouse of a member shall automatically become an honorary member.*

**ARTICLE V**  
**OFFICERS**

**SECTION 1** The government of this organization shall be vested in an executive board. This board will be charged with the management of the organization within the established policy of the membership. *A spouse of a member may be eligible for election to the position of Secretary.*

**SECTION 2** The executive board shall consist of:

The Chair:     President  
                  Vice President  
                  Secretary/~~Treasurer~~  
                  *Treasurer*

**ARTICLE VI**  
**ELECTIONS**

**SECTION 1** The officers of this organization shall be elected to *biennial* offices by ballot during the regular monthly meeting of May with the first nominations in April. *The President and Treasurer shall be elected in even years and the Vice President and Secretary shall be elected during odd years.*

**SECTION 2** ~~Ten (10)~~ *Forty Five (45)* members present at this meeting will constitute a quorum for the purpose of electing said officers.