



**GENERAL MEETING
November 28, 2012**

President Mark Brandon called the meeting to order at 7:05PM.

It was moved and approved to accept the minutes from last meeting as well as the Treasurer's Report.

Chris Miller thanked everybody for their hard work before the election and for keeping Nevada blue.

President John Ponticello from Paradise Democratic Club reminded us that their holiday party takes place Wednesday December 19 at 6 PM at the Culinary Training Center 710 West Lake Mead at 6 PM.

Steve Sibelius gave a spirited talk about the election results that came as a surprise to the Republicans. Contrary to expectations the Democrats gained seats both in the National Congress and in the Nevada legislature. There were a lot of very close races. Some of the Republicans victories like Dean Heller's were really by a hair. Obama won a convincing general election with 3.5 mill. Votes. Much to the glee of the Democrats, the Republican Party in Nevada is split between a rather extremist Ron Paul faction and a more Chamber of Commerce dominated moderate faction. May they oppose each other for a long time! To find something bad to say about governor Brian Sandoval proved difficult. He has turned out a lot more moderate than he was in his campaign and has not made any mistakes to speak of.

The pot of gold of \$ 75 was won by Valerie Kruger.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Lisa Kershaw

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