

**VALLEY HO POWER SQUADRON – MINUTES 24 APRIL 2004**  
**AWARDS AND RECOGNITION DINNER MEETING**  
Held at Billingsley's, 6550 Odessa Avenue, Van Nuys, CA.

Cdr J. Michael Kabo called the meeting to order at 1930 . P/C Marv Nelson led the Pledge of Allegiance. The Past Commanders and Officers were introduced.

P/C J. Robertson moved that we accept the minutes of 20 February 2004, Change of Watch, as presented. Seconded and passed.

Cdr announced Darcy M. Kennedy has applied for membership. Betty Allen moved that we accept Darcy as our member. Seconded and passed.

District 13 Fall Conference tickets (11 for \$7.00) will go up to \$10.00 on July 22.

Lt/C John Van Doorne spoke of the 1 May New Member Cruise, BBQ/Picnic and US Coast Guard visit.

Lt/C Cheryl Dellepiane: Current balance in all accounts: \$8,940.78.

2004-2005 Annual Budget: P/C Nat Goldberg moved that the Budget, as printed, be approved. Seconded and passed.

Cdr Kabo called for a break while we were served our dinners. (Prime Rib or Teriyaki Chicken)

After dinner, Cdr Kabo resumed the meeting with Awards and Recognition:

P/C Walt Wood received his Life Membership (25 Merit Marks) at the D/13 Spring Conference.

Lt/C Ed Hansen received an Appreciation of Valor for his Web Page and Full & By.

D/Cdr Allan W. Lakin was installed as the new D/Cdr at the Spring Conference, and was congratulated on a successful Conference and a job well done.

The J. Robertson Perpetual Trophy winners were Marv Nelson and Ed Hansen.

Senior Navigator award was presented to D/Cdr Allan Lakin, SN.

The Albert N. Zalon Perpetual Trophy, for educational excellence, was presented to J. Robertson.

The Welcome Trophy, for outstanding achievement in membership involvement, was presented to Sharon Breitling, who was unable to be with us.

Two Senior Member plaques (5 merit marks) were for Dorothy Sam and Earl Hammond. They were not able to be with us.

**CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION PRESENTATIONS:**

Galpin Ford, Bert Boeckmann, owner, (meeting facilities)

St John's in the Valley United Methodist Church, (Basic Boating Classes)

Dorothy Sam, D/Conf. Ship's Store

Lola Robertson, Sea Gal President

Megan Hansen and Ed Hansen Spring Conference Team Members

Millie Hess, Band procurement

LaMarr Kuhlman, Co-Chairman of Conference

Allan Lakin, D/Spring Conference Committee

Certificate of Appreciation Presentations, cont'd:

D/Spring Conference Committees: Nat Goldberg, Betty Allen, Barbara Nelson, Sharon Breitling, Vi Licari, Rayetta Haugh and William Haugh.

P/C MARV NELSON, CHAIRMAN OF THE DISTRICT 13 SPRING CONFERENCE.  
All received beautiful certificates of appreciation from Cdr. Kabo.

P/C Max Yost presented the Predicted Log Race Trophy to P/C Nat Goldberg and his boat "Go Nat." Nat has won in 2002 and 2003.

Cdr Kabo presented MERMAID pins to 9 Sea Gals. Two additional Sea Gals were not able to be present.

Nat Goldberg is making plans for the 4<sup>th</sup> of July week-end cruise and fish-fry.

Meeting was adjourned at 2100.

Respectfully submitted,



Lt/t Betty Allen, S  
Secretary, Valley Ho Power Squadron