



John Slayton
President



OHCC SERT Club General Meeting

Friday, February 12, 2021

Our presentation will start shortly.
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Hi, I'm John Slayton the President of the SERT Club and Incident Commander of the Emergency Response Team.

Please note that everyone's audio has been muted. I would now like to introduce Jill Lemons, the Club Secretary.



Jill Lemons
Secretary



Use the CHAT button at the bottom of your ZOOM screen to submit your question or send us an email ohccsert@gmail.com and we will send you a response.

We will try to answer your questions during the ZOOM conference. If we cannot we will respond to you via email.

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During the meeting today, we will be sharing several initiatives as the SERT Club continues to move forward and promotes Safety in our community



Jill Lemons
Secretary

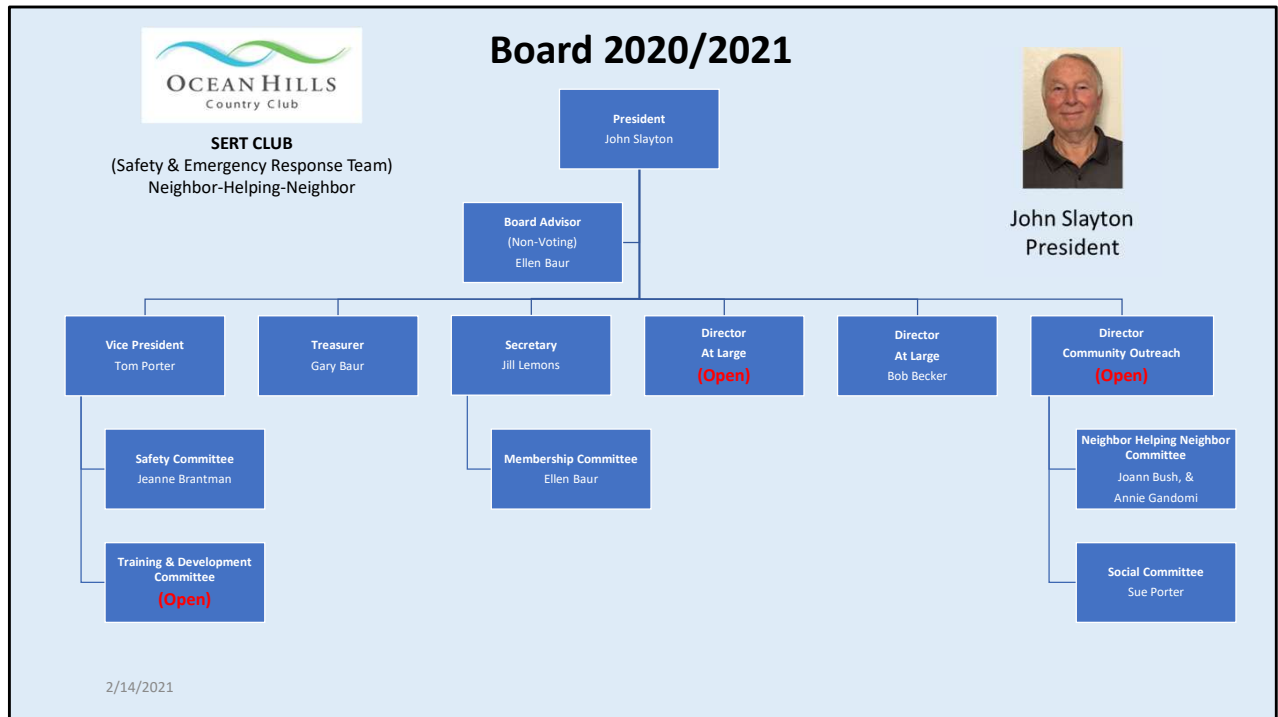
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Accessing in-meeting chat

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If you are unfamiliar with the Zoom Chat function these instructions are very easy to follow. Once your question is received, our Club Secretary, Jill Lemons, will try to have your question answered during the meeting or we will respond to you after the meeting.



On the SERT Board of Directors, we seek one Director-At-Large and the Director of Community Outreach, who has oversight of the NHN program and the Social Committee. In addition, we are looking to fill the position of Chairperson of the Training & Development Committee. Does one of these important volunteer jobs have YOUR NAME on it?



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President

Incident & Emergency Preparedness

- **Major focus** of the Club
- **Train OHCC residents** to help themselves
- **Train** Club Emergency Response Team members in incident response
 - **Emergency Response Team (ERT)** - SERT Advanced Safety Skills & Preparedness Training
 - **First Aid** – Basic Red Cross Adult First Aid and
 - **Advanced First Aid** - for those with a medical background



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John add your speaking points here.



Gary Baur
Treasurer

Treasurer's Report

- Comerica Bank, S. Melrose Dr., Vista
- Current Balance as of January - \$1,539.05

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The current balance is \$1,539.05.



Tom Porter
Vice President

SERT Club Website

<https://tinyurl.com/ohccsert>



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SERT CLUB

(Safety & Emergency Response Team)

Neighbor-Helping-Neighbor

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EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS & RESPONSE

TRAINING

ADMINISTRATION

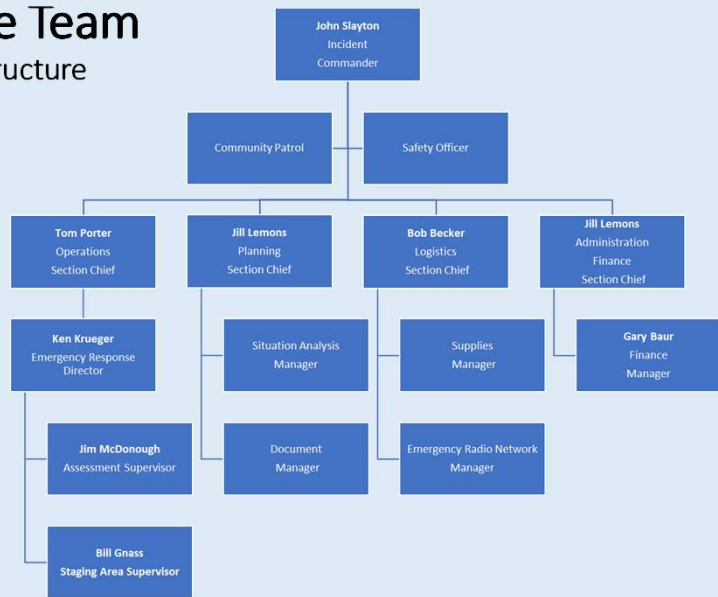
We regularly update and expand the SERT website. It is packed full of pertinent and helpful information and important resources. These 5 major sections each have multiple drop-down menus. By next week, we will post the video of this presentation so you can watch it again or share it with your neighbors.

Emergency Response Team

Command & Control Org. Structure

Emergency Response Team (ERT)

activates after a major natural disaster or local incident that affects OHCC. We are a team of trained responders to assist others in their time of need. Our team members have advanced first aid skills and training to assess the community's safety and any structural damage.



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What is the Emergency Response Team with the acronym ERT? It is a team of SERT Club members who have received specialized training to help others, following an emergency. We are organized in a Command & Control structure, so when the team is activated its response will address as many of the needs of OHCC as we are trained to deliver.



Tom Porter
Vice President

Emergency Response Team



Emergency Response Team consists of SERT Members who are graduates of the FEMA CERT Academy or SERT Advanced Safety Skills & Preparedness Training.

SERT Members who have an assigned call sign of a "C"=Command, "L"=Leaders, "T"=Tactical, "A"=Affiliated, or "F"=First Aid are members of this team.

A current Red Cross Adult First Aid course and continued education are required. If you would like more information, please contact SERT at ohccsert@gmail.com.

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The ERT members are assigned a call sign that designates their level of training so they can easily be deployed to meet the needs of the community. We are always looking for new ERT members.



Tom Porter
Vice President

Training & Development Committee

This committee reports to the Club Vice President.

Those who volunteer need to be able to facilitate training sessions and must be on the Emergency Response Team (ERT). Some knowledge of content development and the use of PowerPoint is preferred.

Emergency Response Training – Four-part series of 1-hour sessions

In-person or via ZOOM. Tentative dates for classes are:

- Session times: 9 AM, 11 AM and 1 PM
- April 15, April 22, April 29, May 6 (May 13 and May 30 make-ups)

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We are still looking for a Chairperson for the Training & Development Committee. If you have experience in corporate training or were an educator, this position could be the one for you. If you would like to find out more about this opportunity, please contact me.

Additionally, we are going to hold training classes for all members who are, or wish to become, members of the Emergency Response Team (ERT). Hopefully, we will be able to hold these classes in person. If not, we will offer them via ZOOM. There will be a series of 4-classes, and each class is approximately 1-hour. Members of the ERT must complete all four sessions as well as the Red Cross First Aid course for Adults. Did you know that Red Cross First Aid courses are the only courses that the State of California recognizes under the Good Samaritan Law! The Red Cross course is \$35, and the club will reimburse you if you become an ERT member.



Ellen Baur

Membership Committee

Working with the committee chairperson, the committee function is to:

- **Maintain and expand** the club membership
- **Organize** Dues Day activities and staff club table
- **Collect** dues and donations
- **Maintain** the club's membership database
- **Conduct** new member orientation meetings
- **Review** new member committee and/or Incident Response Team (IRT) interest requests and forward information to applicable committee chairperson

This committee reports to the Club Secretary

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As Membership Chair since September, I have not as yet sought to organize the Membership Committee due to limitations caused by COVID-19. However, numerous efforts have been ongoing in an attempt to keep our community informed about emergency preparedness. In addition, we have succeeded in interesting more and more residents in SERT membership and volunteering. We are seeking someone well versed in the use of computers to create a non-member email database to be used to reach out to our entire OHCC community with important SERT messages. Might anyone listening be interested? If so, please send a chat message during this meeting or email: ohccsert@gmail.com Thank you.



Joann Bush



Annie Gandomi

Neighbor Helping Neighbor (NHN)

Our Purpose:

- **Establish and support** the Street Captains and Co-captain program
- **Coordinate** efforts with the SERT Club Board to attend OHCC Village Board meetings (8 Villages) explaining our mission and, when permitted, posting SERT information in the individual village newsletters and/or on their email eblast
- **Publicize** the actions and needs in the OHCC LIVING and VILLAGE VOICE magazines
- **Connect** with the RV Club, and other OHCC social clubs to introduce the NHN concept and seek their assistance in furthering the safety of the OHCC residents

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Joann/Annie add remarks



Annie Gandomi

Neighbor Helping Neighbor

Establish a Neighborhood Plan:

Street Captain and Co-captain Program to cover every street in OHCC

- **THE ROLE of captains and co-captains** is to reach out to each OHCC household, collecting the Neighbor Helping Neighbor form, when possible, from people willing to participate
- **Explain and encourage use of** the “OK/HELP” Red/Green Sign and the “Vial of Life”
- **Identify** those who may need help in an emergency (e.g. loss of power, fire, earthquake) and link them with a neighbor who is willing to assist
- **Encourage** residents to prepare and be ready for various disasters
- **Promote a friendly and caring atmosphere** on the street by encouraging random acts of kindness among the neighbors
- **Be an ambassador** for SERT by explaining its mission and encouraging membership in the club, help with publicizing SERT events. When permitted, help organize social events for their street.

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Joann or Annie please add content and if you want to change the slide content let me know. Tom



Annie Gandomi

Neighbor Helping Neighbor

PRESENTLY WE HAVE 83 Street Captains and Co-captains who have generously volunteered to help their neighbors be prepared for a disaster. Our gratitude to these individuals cannot be overstated. They are the “boots on the ground” and make this program come to life. Thank you to our captains and co-captains for putting showing how much you care through your actions!



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Annie

Neighbor Helping Neighbor

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Forty-five positions are open, and we ask your help in finding these willing souls.

Street Captains are needed for these Villages/Streets:

Village of Corfu

Adra (2), Alicante (4), Denia (2), Keos (2), Icaria (2), Santorini (2), Siros (2)

Village of Hydra

Poseidon (2), Pylos (2), Tilos (1)

Village of Majorca

Barcelona (1), Cordoba (4) Majorca (1)

Village of Mykonos

Athos (2), Collinos (2), Lemnos (2)

Village of Portofino

Dassia (4), Patmos (2)

Village of Santorini

Rhodes (2), Kalamis (1)

Village of Zante

Andros (2)



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President

Call for Volunteers

- Board of Directors (2)

- Committee Chairperson
 - Training & Development

- Emergency Response Team
 - Command Staff
 - Emergency Responders
 - First Aid



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John add your speaking points here.



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Safety Committee Presentations 2021

The dates of the Safety Committee presentation in 2021 are:

May 7 –Managing Expectations Following a Disaster

August 6 - TBD

November 5 - TBD

At this point we do not know if these presentations will be virtual or live

[Have topic you would like to see cover?](#)

email to OHCCSERT@gmail.com

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These are the upcoming Safety Committee presentation dates in 2021. Our next presentation on May 7 will be about “Managing Expectations Following a Disaster”. What safety related topic would you like to see addressed?



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Today's Presenters



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Annie

John add your closing remarks