



# GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES

April 15, 2006 – 9:00 am

**General Updates**..... Sandy Norell

1. New Memberships: 03-18-06 – 04-14-06

There were a total of **52** new members for this reporting period for a grand total of **559** members. The Board of Directors continues to staff a membership table each weekend at the Dog Park (weather permitting) to answer questions, enroll new members, and raise funds for the park. We are grateful to Tom and Patty Moore and Chuck Simons for their volunteer support in staffing this table and would be happy to have additional volunteers join us. Please email us via the [www.orangedogpark.com](http://www.orangedogpark.com) site if you are interested.

2. City Council Report: We plan to update the City Council at an upcoming May meeting to inform them of our progress after almost one year of being open. An email announcement will go out alerting members to which exact meeting, and we encourage members to come to the meeting and wear your shirts.

**Secretary’s Report:** ..... Sandy Sladen

03-18-06 Membership Meeting Minutes are posted on the website.

**Treasurer Report:** .....Margaret Manson

Due to the fact that the Treasurer has been out of town for 3 weeks, there is not a Treasurer’s report for this month.

**Old Business:** ..... Sandy Norell

1. Signage

Our request to have a sign posted on the Chapman Ave. facing Dog Park fence was denied by the City due to concerns about traffic safety. The Board will continue to pursue this issue with the City.

The Board will be installing “Off Leash Beyond This Point” and “On Leash Beyond This Point” signs for the gates of each section of the park. It is very important that park users keep their dogs leashed until inside the entry pen and to unleash them before entering the park. This is critical for safety of people and dogs.

2. Orange Progress

In addition to having a Dog Park announcement in the Orange Progress, the Board has asked the City to indicate that the Dog Park is part of Yorba Park on the page that lists all the city parks.

3. Orange International Street Fair

An application for a booth is being submitted.

