



#### **SAPHC - We Party with a Purpose!**



OCTOBER HAPPY HOUR! Next Happy Hour is Thursday, November 21st, 2024 The Mineshaft 902 NE Interstate 410 Loop San Antonio, TX 78209

## **President's Letter to the Phlock**



HOWDY YA'LL! ITS FINALLY FEELING LIKE FALL IN TEXAS! I CANNOT BELIEVE IT IS ALREADY NOVEM-BER!! WURSTFEST TIME!! PROST YA'LL!!

OCTOBER was a busy month with 2 house concerts at Isla Bella. Jonas Lorence and his band celebrated his and Sara's birthday on October 5th ....it was a great time! Donny Brewer and John Patti had a CD release house concert on October 12th also at Isla Bella. The Seguin HH had Billy Snipes from Port A at Billy's Ice House in New Braunfels and Canyon Lake PHC had John Patti at their HH at Breakwater Grill.

We are so blessed to have all these fabulous musicians come to South Texas. Our October Halloween Happy Hour was at Bracken and we were so happy to have Joel Block from Rockport Texas play for us! The weather was beautiful, and he did a Phabulous job entertaining us. Thanks to everyone that came out and dressed up for the occasion and brought donations for SA Inner City Development....we cannot do this without you!!

The "Girls from San Antonio" travelled to Cabo for the Blue/Black Marlin Fishing tournament October 19th-26th instead of MOTM this year! We love CABO especially this time of year! We travelled



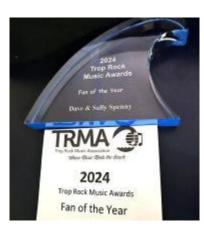
with a few other Parrot-Head Phriends and Trixie and visited some of our favorite places. Even went to Todo Santos to Hotel California and visited with Manuel at Tequila Sunrise Bar and Grill for some of the BEST FRESH MARGARITAS!!





## **President's Letter to the Phlock Contd.**

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THE TRMA WINNERS AT MOTM especially Cooler Dave and Sally for winning FANS OF THE YEAR!! WELL DESERVED!





I AM SO THRILLED THE US ELECTION IS OVER!!!! Lets Make America Great Again!!

We have a great HH coming up this month with Music by Kirstie Kraus and Krystal King are Nashville recording artists and you will love them!! Make plans to be there!!!

Please keep in mind that my niece has a beautiful condo/townhome in Port Aransas that I am assisting her with this year. Here is the link to check it out, but don't book it there as we can offer you better rates. https://abnb.me/ ldK4Gk78Cvb If the dates are available when you check out the link, please text me at 210-219-3768 and I will get you a quote.

Please keep your membership current and tell your phriends about us! We are looking for ways to boost membership! If you have any ideas, please let us know! Please do not hesitate to contact me with any new ideas and check out our calendar as there are a lot of great events in 2024/2025!!

*Phins up! Bubbles Up! Lori Parker-SAPHC President* 



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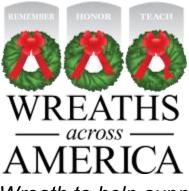
Come join us for great phriendship, music and phun at The Mine Shaft Saloon.



Join for great Happy Hour. You don't want to miss Kirstie Kraus and Krystal King as they bring the Nashville Trop Rock sound to San Antonio.

We are starting our annual Coat Drive at this Happy Hour. So, if you have a gently used or new coat you don't need please consider donating--yes it is time to clean out that closet!!

Our Charity this Month is WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA.



**"Remember** the fallen. **Honor** those who serve. **Teach** the next generation the value of freedom.

You can join us by sponsoring a wreath, volunteering or partnering with us on National Wreaths Across America Day and every day." You'll be able to buy a

Wreath to help support this tremendous effort!!!!!



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#### Happy Hour at The Mineshaft Come join us for great Phriendship, Music, and Phun!

We have a great raffle for a 75 Rugged Quart Cooler (Thx Connie and Scott for donating)-winner will be drawn at our 21st November Happy Hour. \$5ea or 5 for \$20. Additionally we'll have our 50/50 raffle.



We will have a Sign In Membership Table set up to pick up your badges, renew membership, etc. Please keep your membership up to date. We'd like to get two volunteers for a 6-7 and 7-8 shift to assist with the Table. We will continue collecting toiletries for Soldiers Angels. We will be taking these at any Happy Hour so start your collection now. NOTE: We're going to keep collecting pop tabs for Ronald McDonald house. We give these to our Canyon Lake Parrot Head phriends as their Ronald McDonald charity is now collecting them!!





SAPHC Members at Skipping' and Sippin' !!

We did it! Many thanks to all of the San Antonio Parrot Heads who joined the South Region Parrot Head TEAM PAM group for Skippin' and Sippin' at MOTM. We had 50 people officially registered. We beat our closest opponent by three for the LARGEST TEAM award. Members from SA were joined by PH from all over Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Missouri, and Alabama -- a group that extended beyond the boundaries of the South Region. Austinite Pam Starling (for whom this team honors) has a huge network of friends! Also, PHLOCKERS MAGAZINE graciously advertised for us. Thank you, Cindy Muir! (See PHLOCKERS for a recap of the entire event).

The morning included a 5K, a fun run, free shots, beer, and food from Lulu's. All participants received a t-shirt and goodies at the event. Proceeds from the walk aid cancer patients in the Gulf Shores/Foley area.

Watch for info from me next year when MOTM registration opens for the 2025 Skippin' and Sippin' walk/run. It is a worthwhile and fun event. More pictures of our team are on the LAKESIDE LANAI Facebook page! Here are a few highlights:

Our own Amy Hughes crossing the finish line (after a "strenuous" jog!)









#### TEAM PAM - Largest Team Award

We started the morning with mini donuts and shots out of the





Kristi Dowden and Stacy Wallace in full pink attire.



## **SAPHC Happenings**

- 21 November Happy Hour with Kirstie Kraus/Krystal King, Mine Shaft -General Membership Meeting.
- 23 November Adopt-a-Highway Cleanup--NEW
- 14 December, Food Bank Work Day--NEW
- 19 December Happy Hour--Venue TBD--NEW

### Membership Update - November 1, 2024

Number of Current Members as of November 1 – 204

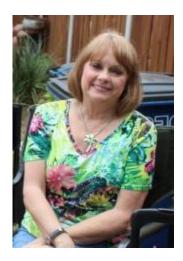
A loss of 2 since the October 1 Membership Report

Number of members renewed in October: 5

Number of outstanding renewals for October: 7

Number of new members: 0

Members at October Happy Hour: 43





### Marisela's and Luis' Drink of the Month

# Muerto-Rita

#### Ingredients:

2 ounces Herradura Blanco tequila
0.5 ounce Cointreau
1 ounce lime juice, freshly squeezed
0.5 ounce agave syrup
1 drop black food coloring
Ice



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#### **Directions**:

Add all ingredients into a shaker with ice. Shake and strain into a chilled cocktail glass. Enjoy



"Some of it's magic and some of it's tragic, but I had a good life all the way." - Jimmy Buffett

#### Who We Support

Adopt-a-Highway Alzheimer's Association Converse Animal Shelter Elf Louise Project NEISD McKinney Vento Project Cool Ronald McDonald House San Antonio Food Bank SAMM'S Seton Hall Soldier's Angels

#### Who Supports Us

Troy Realtors The Mine Shaft Saloon River City Deck and Patio Rebecca Creek Distillery Margaritaville Foods Island Hotel, Port Aransas Bracken Saloon and Ice House Lakeside Lanai



Hello Parrot Heads! We make buying or selling real estate like a day at the beach! And who couldn't use that!

Please support all of our sponsors. However, please do not solicit new sponsor support or contact any current sponsor directly for contributions to the club without prior approval from the Board of Directors.

#### San Antonio Parrot Head Club

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#### DECEMBER

#### JANUARY

Julie
Mani
Debby
Gary
Sheree
Rus
Susie
Maryann
Lindsay
Randall
Andrea
Ronald
Sharon
Tom





Members who need to renew now can do so online by going to the club membership page at https://www.saphc.org/membership and filling out the online form. You can then pay online by credit card by following the link to the Club Square store. You also have the options of printing a form and mailing it in with a check, or by signing up in person at a Happy Hour meeting with Membership Director Diane Elliot.

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!!



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### **DECEMBER/JANUARY BIRTHDAYS!!**

DECEMBER

JANUARY

Dave	5
Scott	19
Dale	21
Carlos	23
Gaby	23
Tom	24
Gloria	26
Lori	27
Albert	28
Andrea	31
	Scott Dale Carlos Gaby Tom Gloria Lori Albert

Carey	ТС	1
Freise	Bob	1
Busch	Mike	8
Leesman	Larry	11
Allison	Walter	12
Andrade	Julie	15
Ruckman	Paul C.	20
Cushanick	Marguerite	22
Sherman	Rhonda	23
Bunt	Jimmy	24
Childs	Rob	26



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Parrot Heads in Paradise http://www.phip.com/Index.asp

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