



**South Bay Civil War Roundtable
Meeting Minutes – January 28, 2014**

Meeting Location: Holder's Country Inn – Cupertino, CA

Special Activities & Events:

No Report

Officer Reports

President

- Welcoming message to members & invited guests
- 25th year / 275th meeting
- February 2014 meeting will be the 25th anniversary of the founding of the South Bay Civil War Roundtable
- Made presentation in January to the San Francisco Civil War Roundtable on his attendance at the Annual West Coast Civil War Roundtable Conference - Mexican Baja Cruise
- Presented 1859 Civil War era sabre that was purchased in new Orleans for \$3400

Vice President

No Report Given – vacancy to be topic of future meeting

Treasurer

Advised members that 2013-14 dues can still be paid

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Secretary

- Distributed November meeting minutes
- Changed quiz from review of previous meeting's presentation to topics on various Civil War events and participants
 - January: Emancipation Proclamation
 - February: Jefferson Davis
- \$74 collected for book raffle

Publicity Director

No Report Given

Preservation

No Report Given

Membership

No Report Given

Historian

No Report Given

January Presentation:

Speaker: Jim Rhett

Topic: Attack and Die: Cultural Impacts on Combat in the Civil War

February Presentation:

Speaker: Tom Roza

Topic: The Swamp Angels – Robert Gould Shaw and the 54th
Massachusetts Regiment