


ANNOUNCING



OUR MISSION

Through community input and involvement, San Diego Beach Improvement Group (BIG), a non profit organization, will bring people and resources together to enhance and revitalize the beach experience and build athletics for all ages through camps, clinics and healthy competitions.



This area was originally enhanced in 1997 by Bill Walton, Bruk Vandeweghe, Jeanne Kestly, Diane Yoshida and many others with 14 beach volleyball courts, basketball court resurfacing and backboard replacement and new landscaping. This sports park is maintained by funds raised by the people who play volleyball here and sponsorship with Digster and Ion Sports. Help support our volleyball community by donating to the courts, raising awareness of San Diego BIG and bringing your ideas and efforts to enhance our beach.

OUR GOALS

Our goals for each area of focus is to collect surveys of local community members, business owners and visitors; vote on enhancement options, such as children’s play equipment, improved landscaping, athletic equipment, drinking fountains and more; then actively pursue resources through sports events, fundraisers, donations, grants, and partnerships with sponsors and other non profits to accomplish our goals. Our first area of focus will be the South Mission Beach Sports Park.

WHO’S INVOLVED:

- BOARD OF DIRECTORS +
- Bruk Vandeweghe** PRESIDENT/FOUNDER OF SOUTH MISSION BEACH SPORTS PARK
 - Mark Antis** VP/VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR/MORTGAGE CONSULTANT
 - Luke Fairfield** CPA/TREASURER
 - Diane Yoshida** SECRETARY/BEACH VOLLEYBALL ENTHUSIAST
 - Laura Hendrickson** EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR FOR SMBSP AND SAN DIEGO BIG
 - Dave Behar** FOUNDER OF THE DIGSTER SIX ON THE BEACH CHAMPIONSHIPS, ION® SPORTS NETWORK
 - Bill VanDeWeghe** FINANCIAL AND BUSINESS PLANNER
 - Pat Valentino** LEGAL CONSULTANT/EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE WOLF CENTER
 - Jeanne Kestly** VOLLEYBALL ENTHUSIAST/INTERIOR DESIGNER
 - Laura Ratto** PRO VOLLEYBALL PLAYER/SPORT AND EXERCISE PSYCHOLOGY CONSULTANT, SDSU

HONORARY MEMBERS +

Bill Walton – *“South Mission Beach Sports Park is a way for me to give back to San Diego, a community that has brought me so much joy throughout the years that I’ve lived here.”*

We are currently raising funds to maintain the beach volleyball courts here in South Mission Beach and get your input for other enhancements listed above. We need poles, nets and lines. Your name will be added to our list for update and events including volleyball socials, mini tournaments, camps & clinics and our Digster Six on the Beach Festival October 6, 2007. Thank you for your support.

Name: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____ What do you want improved: _____

- Supporter (Free updates)
- \$20 Member (Updates and early registration to events)
- Would like to be involved (Be A Volunteer)
- Underwrite a project: Poles (\$150ea), Lines (\$40ea), Nets (\$400ea)

Make check payable to South Mission Beach Sportspark, 10762 Charbono Ter, San Diego, CA 92131. SanDiegoBIG@san.rr.com

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