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opened his own CPA office in Santa Barbara in 1981.

A friendly neighbor, community supporter, and volunteer, Dennis was active in Old Spanish Days (OSD) for the past decade. He became El Presidente in 2014, following in the footsteps of both his grandfather and father. He rode in the Fiesta Parade on a handmade silver saddle that had been created for his grandfather. His First Lady for OSD and in life was Dianna Bottoms.

Dennis was a primary mover in getting OSD to enter a float in the Tournament of Roses Parade, their first Tournament of Roses float in more than 60 years.

Dennis was also a member of the



ennis, John, Robert, and Tom attended the Santa Barbara Airport n Ceremony on September 13th, 2013

am proud to have had the honor of spending time with Dennis," commented Cas Stimson, 2015 El Presidente, on his Facebook page.

Dennis was born the great-great-grandson of Jose De la Guerra y Noriega, the first commandant of the Royal Presidio of Santa Barbara. His grandfather, James B. Rickard, was a US postmaster and his grandmother was Acacia Oreña Rickard, granddaughter of Jose De la Guerra y Noriega and Maria Antonio Carrillo.

A funeral mass and memorial service were held at the Old Mission Santa Barbara on January 9th, 2016. Fr. Larry Gosselin, OFM presided at the service. Speakers included his brother Tom Rickard, Erin Graffy de Garcia, Cas Stimson, and Father Gosselin. The mission was full to capacity for the service and a salute was fired by Presidio reenactment soldiers in his honor. Dennis was buried in the family crypt at the Old Mission Cemetery. A reception followed the service at the Santa Barbara Club.

Dennis was preceded in death by his mother, Marion Foster and father, John T. Rickard, and cousin Charles Rickard King, of Los Alamos. He is survived by four brothers,



El Presidente **Dennis Rickard** with his Grandfather's silver saddle

Jim, Bob (Marianne), John (Nikki), and Tom (Caroline), nieces, Sarah Rickard Carey, Susan Rickard Hansen, Mary Rickard Huston, Elizabeth Rickard Tobin, Maria Rickard Arroyo, and Alexandra Rickard, nephews, John (Jennifer), Jimmy (Mare) and John (Jenna), The King Family of Los Alamos, California, Bill and Sondra, Jenny (Luke) Hardin, and Katy (Randy) Sharer, Terry (Peter) Price, and Tina (Brian), Muir, and his first lady, Dianna Bottoms.

Donations in memory of Dennis can be made to the Carriage and Western Art Museum, P.O. Box 1587, SB, CA 93101.

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Santa Barbara Museum of Art

Women's Board Luncheon



HE WOMEN'S BOARD
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recently gathered for their annual luncheon at the Santa Barbara Club. The event welcomed new members to the organization and honored

the chairs of major fundraisers since 2000.

Guests enjoyed lunch over introductions to the past chairs by Helene Segal, President of SBMA Women's Board. SBMA CEO Larry J. Feinberg, the Robert and Mercedes Eichholz Director, and Fran Morrow, Vice President Membership of SBMA Women's Board welcomed the new members which included Julie Blair, Caroline Harrah, Carol Dee Jones, Patricia Kohlen, Marjorie Robertson, and Laurel Rose.

1 Honoring Chairs of Major Fundraisers are Mavis

Mayne, 2004; Cecia Hess, 2008 and 2010; Karen Chin, 2014; Kathy Weber, 2015; Lynn Brown, 2016; Roxana Anson, 2007; Mary Maxwell, 2007; Doloras Manclark, 2000; Gwen Baker, 2013 and 2015; and Deanna Major, 2002 and 2011. (Not pictured Dor Stampfli, 2012) 2 The 2015-2016 Women's Board Executive Committee: Gwen Baker, Parliamentarian; Gayle Cummings, Secretary; Nancy Werner, Treasurer; Helene Segal, President; Jeanne Fulkerson, VP Development; Fran Morrow, VP Membership; and Carolyn Williams, VP Social Activities. (Not pictured Melanie Brewer, VP Communications) 3 SBMA Women's Board New Members: Carol Dee Jones, Patricia Kohlen, Marjorie Robertson, Laurel Rose, Julie Blair, and Caroline Harrah



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