

No Tents? OSJ Goes Mobile, Stages Actions At Unpredictable Locations

San Jose Occupier

OSJ Black Friday

A half-dozen members of OSJ held a spirited demonstration at Santana Row this Black Friday. Shaun, Owen, Joseph, Christy, and Sandy paraded through Santana Row with signs and chants, rallying the shoppers to support Occupy San Jose and the 99%. Security and San Jose PD were friendly and did not interfere



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with us. Many shoppers gave us thumbs up and high fives. We were interviewed by KTVU and NBC11.

We were respectful to the shoppers and generally received enthusiastically, with only occasional catcalls from diehard supporters of the 1%. We joined forces with Girl Scouts caroling for charity, firefighters conducting a toy drive, and animal rights protestors chanting, "Fur is Murder."

We also conducted a walk-through of Valley Fair, where we were gravely warned by security guards to stop immediately because this was private property. We continued anyway, chanting, "Banks got bailed out, we

got sold out!" Unable to stop us, the security guards courteously provided us with an escort as we walked the length of the center both upstairs and downstairs. What were they going to do, pepper spray us?

From Valley Fair, we proceeded to the nearby Chase Bank where we were told by an extremely cross manager to leave immediately or she would call the police. We stayed briefly, chanting loudly, but left shortly because there were no customers inside – apparently they had already moved their money to credit unions!

Above all, we sent the message loud and clear for all to hear: Occupy San Jose is here to stay!

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Wish List (also see website)

- **Donate at wepay.com/donate/306804**
- Poster supplies: markers & foam/poster board
- "for-sale" easels for signs

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