

Optimist Club of Fort Sam Houston

Weekly Meeting Minutes

September 3, 2015

President Fay Hopkins called the meeting to order at 12:00.

The invocation was presented by Sarah Villarreal and the Pledge to the Flag was led by Jack Hopkins.

The following members were present:

Betty Gower	Fay Hopkins
Jack Hopkins	Alan McDonald (late)
Russell Shrader	Sarah Villarreal
Y Villarreal	Jack Kellmann

Birthdays for the Month are:

September 12 Mary Byrnes-Wilson
September 12 Carlos Uresti
September 18 Tracy Chavis
September 21 Rick Coleman

Minutes from the August 27 meeting were read by Secretary Jack Hopkins. A motion to approve was made by Russell Shrader and was seconded by Y Villarreal. The motion Passed.

The Financial report showing a balance of \$11,746.61 was presented by Treasurer Russell Shrader. Jack Hopkins reported that the Foundation balance is \$10,779.69.

Humor was presented by Jack Hopkins.

The fines were collected by Acting Sergeant at Arms Russell Shrader.

Installation Banquet: President Fay has talked to Rick Coleman, and the Mariachis have been booked to play from 6:00 to 7:00 . Pins for the installation were discussed, as were door prizes. There will be a choice between a beef and chicken dish. Secretary Jack will send an e-mail to all inviting everyone to the banquet, requesting an RSVP with their meal choice.

We need two new members to be distinguished for the second time in a row, so we all need to work on membership.

Christmas Letty had called Fay - her WalMart is contributing 5 \$10.00 gift cards.

Jack Hopkins discussed the Helotes Winterfest on December 10 being run by the Kidsville Club. They need people to help with parking.

Also, the Metrocom Clubs has Cibolofest on October 10th. They need help to serve beer.

And the Alamo Heights Club's Night in 09 is April 16th. We will have a booth to sell water and sodas and whatever.

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President Fay related her experience at jury duty last week, and the discussion continued to downtown parking.

Russell Shrader (who won last week) drew the winning ticket and Fay Hopkins won \$8.00.

Following the Optimist Creed, the meeting adjourned at 11:55.

Recorded and Submitted

Secretary Jack Hopkins