



DOGWOOD GARDEN CLUB

November 2, 2022 minutes

Debbie Bybee called the meeting to order at 11:00. She thanked Sandra for her help in organizing today's meeting. She will work with Sandra to reserve the Church facility for our February and November 2023 meetings.

27 members forged the first snow fall of the season to attend the meeting.

Debbie Brackman was a guest at this meeting, she has recently retired, looking for things to do, people to meet - she is looking forward to becoming a member.

Sunshine - Jeri Hartman reported that Valerie Laam is doing well in her recovery from knee replacement. Carol McBride is also doing very well in her fight - her recent PET scan showed minimal signs of cancer. All other members seem to be in good health!

Birthday Lunch - In Anne Mintmier absence Debbie reported the lunch will be held at Wally's Pizza Bar, 4079 Cameron Park Dr, Cameron Park, CA.

November Birthday members are: Anne Mintmier, Barbara Kaczynska, Barbara O'Sullivan, Becky McIntyre, Bunny Minkin, Jeri Hartman, Lexa Mack, Margie Thomas

Approval of Oct meeting minutes - Barbara O'Sullivan made a motion to accept the minutes and Lexa Mack seconded the motion.

Treasurer Report - Norma Ray - the current balance is \$6125, there is about \$1,000 committed expenses for the balance of the year with and estimated income for the balance of the year of \$1,200 (from the Holiday Faire). She gave a breakdown of all of the major fundraising events for this year -

Total Income to date: \$2,609

- Raffles - \$802 (\$180 to FOL and \$246 to Club Holiday Party)
- Wagon Train Root Beer and Bake Sale - \$400
- 4th of July Bake Sale - \$682
- Rummage Sale - \$725

Anticipated Income from Holiday Faire - \$1,210

Anticipated ending Balance for 2022 - \$2,335

Sign-up sheets - Debbie listed the final programs for the year. If you did not sign up and are able to help, contact the program lead or Debbie

- Judy Morgan Park Clean up - Sat 11/12
- Holiday Faire - Fri/Sat Nov 18 and 19th
- Holiday Faire Bake Sale - Fri/Sat Nov 18 and 19th
- Christmas Boughs - 11/29 @ 11 am in the Community Center
- Trees for Teens - Nov 29th at 1:00 pm at El Dorado Savings Bank
- Breakfast with Santa Sat Dec 3rd, 8:30 to 10:00 am at the Community Center
- Boys and Girls Christmas store - Dec 5th and 6th

Holiday Faire - Norma Ray thanked MaryLou Kanton and Diane Sargeant for posting flyers around Pollock Pines and Placerville. 24 vendors will participate in the event (totaling 33 tables) The Bake Sale will only need 2 tables this year so Norma will look into possibly selling the 3rd the club has used in the past. We have a number of club members selling this year.

Holiday Party - Carol Game gave an update -

- RSVP forms were available at the meeting
- Carol has met with the table hosts and they are gathering their table decorations and are set to go. She has informed them of set-up times, etc.
- The table host must provide Carol with a complete list of the members and guest at their table.
- There will be a seating chart so there will be no confusion on seating.
- The cost is \$35 per person. The deadline for payment is 12/2 - the final head count must be submitted to Allison that day.
- When you send your check if you do not have a specific table let Carol know and she will provide you with your table number.

Cookbook - Barbara provided an update - we currently have about 75 recipes - good but those came from 12 people. Again, strongly encouraged everyone to a few of their favorite recipes, they do not have to be something they originated, just recipes they enjoy. The target is to have the book completed and ready to print by the end of April so we can sell them at 2023 Wagon Train event.

Stars Come Out - Debbie reported that the event will be held on Nov. 17th, held at the Apple Mountain Golf Resort. All are welcome to attend. The cost per person is \$30. The deadline to nominate a "Star" Nov 10th.

Membership Renewal - Deadline for 2023 dues is Feb 15, 2023. We had 15 new members join in 2022. Debbie provided a gift of a succulent for all the new members.

2022 Community Contributions - Total 2022 contributions: \$3,985

- Boys and Girls Club of El Dorado Cty - \$900
- Friends of the Library - \$900
- Pollock Pines/Camino Community Center - \$900
- Pollock Pines Community Church - \$900
- Blooms on Wheels - \$175
- Interact - \$60
- Trees for Teens - \$150 (will decorate 1 tree and donate \$100 additional)

2023 Board Nominations - the membership approved the new board; Norma Ray swore the new Board members in; their term is effective as of 1/1/2023.

- President - Debbie Bybee-Crumpley
- Vice President - Carol Game
- Treasurer - Maryann Trijullo
- Secretary - Barbara O'Sullivan

Meeting Adjourned at 11:40 - motion by Barbara O'Sullivan and seconded by Norma Ray.