

ROBSON RANCH WOMEN'S CLUB LUNCHEON

November 2, 2020

The general membership luncheon meeting of the Robson Ranch Women's Club was held Monday November 2, 2020 at the Robson Ranch Clubhouse. President Gayle Coe called the meeting to order at 11:15 am and warmly welcomed 100 members back and explained new plated lunch procedures and social distancing guidelines. President encouraged members to sign up and pay for December meeting since there is great demand expected for attendance. Grill staff and Technical staff were recognized and thanked to enable meeting and luncheon to take place within guidelines.

New members were welcomed.

Those celebrating November birthdays were recognized as well as all birthdays April to September.

President Coe provided the following committee highlights:

Membership: 373 members as of today.

Treasurer

October End of Month Balance	\$8529.00
Budget	\$4603.00
Carry Over Funds	\$2,560.00

RRWC 2020 books will have an audit in January.

Service Denton Community Food Bank charity table was outside clubhouse entrance for food collection and donations.

Denton Community Food donations today: Nanci Odom reported \$809.

Community Relations Nanci Odom advised Our Daily Bread and Denton Community Food Bank need volunteers. Members can check their websites for information or contact Nanci for volunteer information.

Sunshine Card Reminded members to contact Sandra if they know of anyone needing a word of cheer or sympathy.

Welcome

Glenda Carr introduced Robson Ranch Women's Club Social Holiday Mask Social Monday, December 7, 2020 at 11 am in Clubhouse Ballroom. She demonstrated some fun masks for the social. Five members' decorative holiday masks will be chosen by "Elves " during the social and prizes then awarded during the Christmas meeting. All in attendance will receive a holiday gift. Encouraged members to sign up now for December meeting.

Ways and Means Nancy Garre reviewed the trying but still very successful year for RRWC charities. Nancy provided heartfelt overview of how she and her committee worked/moved obstacles/achieved \$29,000 in donations **to date** for Our Daily Bread and Monsignor King (The Junction). Requested members to support Home and Garden Show vendors listed on RRWC website.

Home and Garden Show had three dates and was ultimately cancelled due to COVID issues. Nancy and team appealed to Home and Garden Show vendors to use their booth fees to donate to needy charities Our Daily Bread and Monsignor King. Only eight vendors did not and RRWC presented \$15,000 to charities.

Holiday Helping Hands Go Fund Me set up for October 12 to 23rd since Holiday events were also cancelled due to COVID concerns. Excellent response and check for \$13,865 was presented to Wendy McGee, Executive Director of Our Daily Bread. As of November 2nd, \$14,000 is now total collected. Sharon Foy and Gayle Coe were thanked for their help to advertise this project.

Election of 2021 Executive Board

Gayle Coe introduced each candidate and asked if any other nominations from the floor.

Luncheon Coordinator Joyce Ambre

Parliamentarian	Pam Dotson
Treasurer	Terri Bush
Secretary	Donna Gardner
VP Programs	Dee Sico
VP Membership	Lisa Olson
President Elect	Rose DePoe

Ruby Wilson made motion to accept 2021 slate of Executive Board as presented and Sharon Foy seconded. All voted in favor of election slate.

Gayle asked members if agreeable to add one more member at tables to seat 5 and she received positive response to expand attendance for December meeting to 125. She reminded members to make sure pay pal account was up to date. Gayle thanked Kasie for excellent organization for luncheon and Jeremy and team for great food.

Door Prize Drawing Four Grille gift cards were given out for door prizes.

VP Programs

Rebecca Bafford announced Dallas Christmas Carolers for December program.

Rebecca introduced Isabelle and Tammy from Patriot Paws which is a non-profit service dog training program for Veterans with physical /mental needs to help them restore independence. RRWC donated \$500. to organization. The cost to train one service dog is \$32,000.

Isabelle and Tammy from Patriot Paws provided history/mission/volunteer groups/training procedures and challenges to train service dogs for veterans. We met Butch a beautiful service dog in training and he assisted Tammy with tasks that would help veterans in daily lives. Members asked questions to learn more about this wonderful program.

The meeting adjourned at 1:15 pm

Respectfully Submitted

Donna Romano-Gardner

November 3, 2020