

ROBSON RANCH WOMEN'S CLUB LUNCHEON

Monday, May 2, 2022

The general membership luncheon meeting of the RRWC was held on May 2, 2022.

Business Meeting:

President Rose Depoe called the meeting to order at 12:15 following a buffet lunch. She provided a quote from Laura Stavoe Harm in honor of Mother's day- "We have a secret in our culture, and it's not that birth is painful. It's that women are strong."

Rose began her presentation with introductions of seven new members present and then we celebrated May birthdays.

Rose provided a review of RRWC progress.

Membership – Current RRWC membership is 407 members. Lisa Olson hosted three successful happy hour meetings in April for new members and Board members to connect.

Treasury- as of April 30, 2022, balance is \$13,059.28. Current operating funds spent to date is \$1,481.72 out of \$6,581.28.

Rose thanked Debra Noguera and all of the individuals on the Luncheon Committee. She reminded RRWC members that current luncheon policy is stated on RRWC website to include deadline for luncheon payment that was changed to Monday at 8 am one week prior to meeting. Reservations may be cancelled until noon on the 20th day of the month prior to meeting.

She also thanked the Hospitality committee who participated as greeters and table decorators for the luncheon and commented on lovely pictures of our Moms and significant women at our tables.

Community Outreach – Rose thanked members and advised \$420 was collected today for Denton Community Food Center. Our Home and Garden Show donation of \$19,076.50 was delivered to ODB on 4/14/22.

Rose mentioned the Sunshine committee and reminded members that a sheet was on the table to write down the names of any one we would like a note sent to whether they need a congratulations or condolence. Sandra conducted May Birthday drawing for free lunch and lottery ticket.

Service Committee upcoming events are Mother's day at the Ranch this Friday 2 – 3:30 pm, Celebrate Grandparents day at he Ranch and Santa at the Ranch. All details are on RRWC website.

Special Projects- Trailer was shown for Downton Abbey movie. Reservation sheets are available for May 20th Downton Abbey trip to movies at Cinemark Theatre at end of meeting and on website.

RRWC 20th Anniversary Celebration – Nancy Garre presented overview of September 6th RRWC celebration at the September Luncheon and the 5pm to 8pm 20th Anniversary Gala open to all Robson Ranch. This is our time to highlight RRWC charity results through the years and share fun events and memories. Please purchase raffle tickets for \$1000 prize to help fund this exciting event.

Rose reminded people of our website—RRWomensClub.org

Diane Eoff announced June program – Randy Schmidt will present - Little Girl Blue- The Life of Karen Carpenter.

The Business meeting ended at 12:40 pm

Program:

Kay Thibodeaux – The Touring Chocolatier presented her journey into the chocolate business. She discussed her adventure at Kuia Cocoa Farm in Maui (Hawaii is only state that can grow cocoa beans) providing a step-by-step process of how “ good” chocolate is made. Kay has various chocolate making programs for groups and sells her chocolate goodies at her shop and RRWC farmer's market.

Rose Depoe adjourned the meeting at 1:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Donna Romano Gardner
Community Outreach Chair, RRWC