

## **Robson Ranch Women's Club Luncheon Meeting**

**July 5, 2016**

The general membership luncheon meeting was held on Tuesday, July 5, 2016 at the clubhouse.

**President** Darla Mahan opened the meeting at 12:00 pm after giving everyone a five minute warning. She asked first time attendees and guests of a member to stand up. **President Elect** Sharon Foy walked around the room and had each one tell us their name, where they came from, what street they live on, and how long they have been at Robson Ranch. Next, **President** Darla Mahan asked all members, who have a birthday in July, to stand up and be recognized.

**President** Darla Mahan reported for the following board members:

\* **Treasurer** Carol Cooley reports that the bank balance is **\$12,988.88** which includes restricted funds of **\$6,523.77** and the customary **<\$2500> carry-over**. The funds currently available are **\$3,965.11**.

\* **Vice President Membership** Moe Fitzgerald reports that with the members who joined today, we now have **422 members** in the RR Women's Club.

\* **Luncheon Coordinator** Joan Krause reports that next month's menu is: CHICKEN FAJITAS, CHEESE ENCHILADAS, SPANISH RICE, SALSA, SOUR CREAM, SHREDDED LETTUCE, and TRES LECHES CAKE for DESSERT. The reservation deadline to attend the **August 1st Luncheon** is **Noon, Tuesday, July 26th**. Put **\$15 check** in the box in the Ladies Lounge at the Sport's Center. If you are bringing a guest or want an alternative meal, write that information on the front of the check and not on a separate piece of paper or on the envelope.

\* **Sunshine Chairperson** Pat Knight placed a pink sheet of paper on each table. If you know of anyone who needs a word of encouragement, is ill, hospitalized, or lost a loved one, write their name on the paper and a card will be sent from the RR Women's Club.

\* **Service Chairperson** Paula Monroe reports that the contributions for the charity, **Denton Community Food Bank**, today was **\$294** and **40 pounds of personal products**.

\* **Community Relations Chairperson** Judy Ondina reported that everyone had a great time at the **June 15th Social** at the **Pool** and thanked all who attended. The next RR Women's Club **Social** will be held at the **Grill**.

**Ways and Means Chairperson** Diane Khalar informed us that the charity event, **A Night to Remember**, was a great success. She thanked her committee for all their hard, dedicated work and also thanked everyone who participated in this endeavor. A representative from each of the charities: **Monsignor King Outreach Center of Denton** and the **Hearts for Homes**, were each given a check for **\$1337.91**. On the night of the charity event, **Ciera Bank** also gave a representative from each charity a **\$1,000 check**. The representatives from both charities thanked everyone for their generosity and how much these funds will help seniors and the homeless in the Denton community.

**Past President** Teresa Blackburn-Korn reminded everyone of the upcoming election in the fall. She put a sheet of paper on each table asking for members to help on the nominating committee and/or volunteering to run for an office in the Robson Ranch Women's Club for the 2017 calendar year.

**Vice President Programs** Joyce Frey gave us a preview of the upcoming **August 1st Program** featuring **Sandra Moore Williams, a certified face reader**. Face reading is a fascinating study and can tell an amazing amount about someone's typical behaviors. Our **President** Darla Mahan has graciously volunteered to be one of her subjects to see what her face says.

**President** Darla Mahan, then reported for our **Hospitality Chairperson**, Ruby Wilson, that today's **greeters** were: Aurora Forsting, Patti Dalzell, Geraldine Gawle, Sharon Heiderbrecht, and Barbara Leurig. The **table decorations** were done by Diane Eoff and Kasey Miller.

Aurora Forsting called the table numbers for lunch.

After lunch **Vice President Programs** Joyce Frey introduced our guest speaker, **Jill Beam, the reigning Ms. Texas Senior America**. Jill competed in the Ms. Senior America Pageant in Atlantic City where she made it to the top ten. She has taught in the DISD, is currently a Jazzercise instructor, and plays the flute in the Mesquite Symphonic Band.

Jill presented a program full of fun and laughter. She said she always looks on the bright side of life. Using a flute, she played some snippets from popular musicals and even did some singing and dancing. Jill feels that to have a joyous, fulfilling life, one must give **LOVE, PEACE, COURAGE, AND COMFORT**. She ended the program with performing her talent competition from the pageant.

**President** Darla Mahan reminded all new members to come to the stage at the end of the luncheon for a picture. She adjourned the meeting at 1:45 pm.

Submitted by **Secretary** Joyce Ambre