Board of Directors Meeting April 4th, 2024 7:03 a.m.

1. Meeting called to order at 7:03 a.m. 10th board meeting of 23-24 Rotary year.

Roll Call There was a quorum present.

Role	Name	Present
President	Yolandea Wood	Yes
President-Elect	Lori Ehlers	Yes
Previous President	Libby Quinlan Yes	
Treasurer	David Gornstein	Yes
Admin	Kevin Gederman	Yes
Membership	Vacant	Vacant
International / Foundation	Mike Nowobilski	Yes
Service Projects	Mary Jo Nowobilski	Yes
Flags Committee Chair	Jim Burton	Yes
Exec Secretary	Catherine Taylor Yank	Yes
Youth Chair	Vacant	Vacant
Public Relations	Steve Stater No	
Secretary	Tim Sipes No	
Member at Large	Ray Rohr	No

2. Introduction of Visitors/Club Members

- Rich Lunan Made a pitch for RLI
 - o There are 3 parts of training and he recommends you take all of them
 - Part 1 is scheduled for Saturday, 13 April at O'Fallon Methodist Church (50 Hiway), from 9:00-4:00 PM

Part 2 to be scheduled in the Fall

Does the board want to pay for the registration cost?

Motion: Motion to pay for full registration cost for members who sign up.

Motion made by: Catherine Taylor Yank

Seconded by: Libby Quinlan

Motion: Approved

- District Assembly coming up on Saturday, 20 April
 - o Assembly will be on line from 9:00-12:00

3. Announcements:

None

4. Review and Approval of Board Minutes from March 2024

Action: March board meeting minutes were reviewed and approved as revised by the board. All had read and some sent corrections. No motion to approve was made

Motion:

Motion made by: Seconded by:

Motion:

5. Review and Approval of Financials for March 2024

- David distributed the monthly financial reports and reviewed them
- 2 CDs just changed over at 4 or 5%
- The \$1000 funding for the all access park will go out in May

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Motion: To approve the financial report Motion made by: Libby Quinlan Seconded by: Kevin Gederman

Motion: Approved

6. Past Presidents Report: Libby Quinlan

 Golf Tournament checks and sponsors coming in o Need more teams put in from club members

7. Presidents Report: Yolandea Wood

- RLI See discussion above
 - o Facilitator training May 4th
- Goals Several goals have been met
 - Plan to get with (8) members to encourage them to contribute \$25 so we have 100% coverage
- A girl approached Yolandea about gaining sponsorship to become a Peace Fellow – she has been invited to a meeting so we can get to know her
- Grant Training In progress

Libby will run the weekly meeting May 8th

8. President-Elect Report: Lori Ehlers

- New director of Mid-America Airport will be speaking 8 May
- Working on other speakers
- Working on grant training
- **9. Committee Reports -** Club Administration, Membership, International and Foundation, Community Service, Flag Report, Youth, YEO Report, Public Relations, Member-At-Large, Programs, and Calendar Review.

• CLUB ADMINISTRATION: Kevin Gederman

- Change Over dinner
 - 19 June, 5:30 at Vine Street Market
 - They did not charge us this year
 - Kevin sent an updated insurance rider so alcohol will be allowed
- Kevin still plans to speak to the mayor about adding welcome signs on the way into town and highlighting the different service clubs.
 - Will approach the other clubs, see it they want to participate,
- o 5th thru the 12th of June need to do Rotarian of the year

MEMBERSHIP: Vacant

- Received a membership application and a \$370 check for membership from Beth Shackleford, the new high school superintendent
 - Need to forward to club members for input
- Need to update the application to reflect the current \$400 dues

Motion: Motion to accept the application.

Motion made by: David Gornstein

Seconded by: Libby Quinlan

Motion: Approved

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• INTERNATIONAL AND FOUNDATION: Mike Nowobilski

- District Grant Training
 - Helping Lori and Mary Jo complete theirs
 - Yolandea, Mike, David only need to do part one of the training since they are (re)certifying
 - Grant is due on the 15th
- 8 people will going back to Malawi late Sep or early Oct
 - If anyone wants to go from our club they will get first dibs
 - Sent \$3000 to Malawi part of which to be used for electric well pumps

• COMMUNITY SERVICE: Mary Jo Nowobilski

- District grant will be for Sleep in Heavenly Peace
 - Supporting their national build day (14 Sept) where they are looking to build 50-100 beds
- April 6th is a garden work day with Rotaractors
- April 13th is the YMCA picnic table project (to put together)
- How to spend Pat's money
 - Looking at donating that to Habitat for Humanity
- o PCs for People Recycling event will be postponed until later in the year
- Flags and garden support coming up

• YOUTH: Vacant

- Rotaract (Martha) Nothing to Report
- Youth Exchange Officer (Catherine)
 - Working on host families for our inbound exchange student
- Youth Exchange Councilor (Mike Mojzis) Nothing to Report

FLAG REPORT: Jim Burton

- Captains met to discuss using Boy Scouts to help with Flags
 - Decision was made to give them the route by Memorial Hospital
 - Some flags need to be moved as they have planted trees in from of them
 - Jim passed out some flag invoices for board members to make personal visits to collect funds

10. PUBLIC RELATIONS: Steve Stater

Not present

11. MEMBER AT LARGE: Ray Rohr

Not present

12. FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER (around the room)

- Kevin Nothing
- Dave Inbound Student from Japan
- Mike Nothing
- Mary Jo Nothing
- Libby Knee surgery on the 15th
- Catherine Ponies for Polio, Sat, October 19th at the Swansea Moose
- Tim Not present
- Lori Nothing
- Jim Nothing
- Steve Not present
- Yolandea Nothing

Motion: No motion made, meeting ended at 0800

Motion made by: Seconded by: Motion:

Next Board Meeting is Thursday, May 2nd, 2024 at 7:00 AM!!!