

Optimist Club of Fort Sam Houston
Minutes of Meeting
May 24, 2012

President Rick Coleman called the meeting to order. Sarah led the invocation, which was followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. The following members were present:

Russell Shrader	Sarah and Y Villarreal
Bob Hogue	Fay and Jack Hopkins
Barbara Brice	Betty Gower
George Fisher	Rick Coleman
Ed Parnell	Dean Wilson
Jack Kellmann	Becky Kuykendall

Rick corrected his own agenda. He added collect fines after the humor.

Our guest was Mark Corsi, a prospective member who happens to be working on his Phd in Philosphy. Welcome, Mark!

Rick announced that he will be gone for the next 2 weeks on a sorely-needed vacation to Alaska with his wife of 25 years, Kimberly. They will be celebrating their anniversary. As such, Barbara Brice moved we move our regular board meeting date on the first Tuesday to the second Tuesday of the month. Russell seconded the motion and the motion carried. Likewise, the business meeting will be cancelled to that Thursday, following the board meeting. Those dates are: Board Meeting-June 12, and Business Meeting- June 14.

Rick thanked everyone for their participation in the successful garage sale at his home. We netted \$801.66. We no longer have need for the storage facility. Most unsold items were donated to Goodwill. Dean will try to sell the last dishwashers on Craigslist. Good times, good food, and a very successful sale! HOORAY!!!!

George Fisher suggested 2 venues that we may look into for fundraising---- a charity ball, or a golf tournament. Rick asked Ed if he would contact Chauncey Spencer to see if he'd be interested in helping with a golf tournament.

Our guest speaker was Steve Mise. He is a member of a consulting firm and gave an interesting view on the state of Social Security and other pension plans. We hope he will come speak again!

Fay Hopkins won the drawing----\$15.00.

Following the Optimist Creed, the meeting was adjourned at 12:53.

Respectfully submitted,
Becky Kuykendall