

Optimist Club of Fort Sam Houston  
Minutes of Meeting  
February 21, 2013

Vice President Jack Hopkins called the meeting to order at 12:00. Sarah led us in prayer and Jack Kellmann led the Pledge of Allegiance. The following members were present:

Sarah and Y Villarreal	Jack and Fay Hopkins
Pam and Ed Parnell	Betty Gower
Russell Shrader	Becky Kuykendall
Bob Hogue	Ray Holmes

February birthdays were announced:

Thomas Carlucci—3<sup>rd</sup>  
Tracy Chavez—18<sup>th</sup>  
Letty Dietes—16<sup>th</sup>  
Jack Kellmann—11<sup>th</sup>  
Y Villarreal—18<sup>th</sup>

The minutes of the meeting were read. Jack Kellmann moved they be approved. Y seconded the motion. The minutes were approved unanimously.

Ed shared humor with the group.

Jack gave a report on the district meeting. Our club had the most members present. Jack showed the awards won by the club. Jack Kellmann said Dean has the awards banner to which the awards need to be attached.

Ed gave a report on the golf committee. The committee met and are trying to get Gunny Ermy to participate or attend the tournament. They set a tentative date at September 18, 2013.

The committee hopes to get the preliminary information out but not collect money yet. They're just trying to get obligations from possible hole sponsors. There was discussion on sponsoring a hole. Ed says they would like to offer a hole sponsorship, 4 golfers and 2 golf carts and meals for \$500.

The participation fee is \$85 per participant. Ray Holmes volunteered to sponsor a hole in the name of Fort Sam Houston Optimist Club for 4 wounded warriors to play. Ed said that Marcus Armstrong (a new member) has pledged a sponsorship, as well.

Ed Parnell was recently honored with a dinner at the Barn Door. He received a Lifetime Achievement Award from the NCOA. Congratulations, Ed!!!!

Ray drew Betty Gower's name for the kitty.

Following the Optimist Creed, the meeting was adjourned at 12:40.

Respectfully submitted,  
Becky Kuykendall