

Optimist Club of Fort Sam Houston

Weekly Meeting Minutes

July 23, 2015

The meeting was called to order by President Fay Hopkins at 11:58.

The invocation was presented by Sarah Villarreal, and Russell Shrader led us in the Pledge to the Flag.

The following members were present:

Rick Coleman	George Fisher
Betty Gower	Fay Hopkins
Jack Hopkins	Jack Kellmann
Alan McDonald	Russell Shrader
Sarah Villarreal	Y Villarreal

Betty Gower's sister Rosemary Philmon was a guest.

Birthdays for the Month are:

July 8 Lloyd Buckmaster

July 31 John Urda

Minutes from the July 26th meeting were read by Secretary Jack Hopkins. A motion to approve was made by Jack Kellmann and was seconded by Y Villarreal. The motion Passed.

Humor was presented by Russell Shrader, Jack Hopkins, and Rick Coleman (2 jokes).

The fines were collected by Acting Sergeant at Arms Russell Shrader.

President Fay informed us that Dean Wilson forwarded her an e-mail regarding the Harlem Ambassadors as a fundraiser.

Jack Hopkins announced that before the meeting, Brenda Rich submitted her membership application. Brenda had a noon appointment and had to leave before the meeting.

Rick Coleman introduced his granddaughter.

He then introduced our speaker Marshall Groce, giving a detailed bio of his accomplishments.

Marshall gave a great talk about wills, the things to be careful of, and the advice to use an attorney.

A lively question and answer period followed.

Marshall drew the winning ticket and Rosemary (Betty Gower's sister) won \$11.00.

President Fay presented a plaque and a coaster to Marshall Croce for his excellent talk. Jack Hopkins took a picture for the website.

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Following the Optimist Creed, the meeting adjourned at 01:00.

Recorded and Submitted

Secretary Jack Hopkins