

October 9, 2007

The meeting of the Oxford Lions Club was brought to order at 7:00 pm by President Ron Charles at Fred's Inn.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read by Lion Carol. Lion Bill made the motion to accept the minutes as read. Lion Ken seconded the motion. All approved.

Lion Joe presented the treasurer's report, Lion Bob made the motion to accept, with the second motion by Lion Mike. All approved.

OLD BUSINESS:

Lion Ron received from Richard Phillips a newsletter for The Association for Vision Rehabilitation and Employment, Inc. (A.V.R.E.). They had a representative at a Zone meeting this past winter with a request for funding. It was adopted as the 05-06 Zone project which we were in agreed to. Lion Bill made the motion to approve, second by Lion Neil. All approved.

Lion Joe notes Highway Cleanup will be Sunday October 21, 2007. You should meet at Blueox 8:00 AM for donuts and coffee. Lions Bob, Jerry, Ava, John, Mike and Carol have volunteered their time. Workers still needed. Only takes one hour.

The Christmas Dinner is slated for Saturday, December 15th Please make sure you get you signed up for this yearly dinner.

The board of directors has approved the application of Lion Debbie Martinson. She will be inducted at our next meeting.

The budget committee will be meeting at the American Legion Tuesday at 6 pm

The committee consists of Lions Mike & Ava, Joe, Mike Mayhood, Carol, & Ron.

We are requesting the opportunity to host an Oxford after School program dance at the middle school. This is for 5-8th grades only, and we would need to provide snacks, Juice, a DJ, and 10 to 15 charpones. This has the potential of earning \$400.00 to \$600.00.

Lion Ron reports that the surveys are coming in and there is interest in planning a Chicken Bbq. Lion Bob suggest maybe having this at the Wal-mart parking lot or maybe Mayhood's. Lion Debbie states she knows a group of College students and her son in Morrisville College running a Casino night for a donation of \$300.00. She felt she could get the group to come and present their proposal. Another point that his is finding from the surveys that members would like to be attending other clubs meetings and would like to see if there if more interest in this.

Cal Locke a past member of club recently passed away. Lion Howard suggested we sent a donation of \$20.00 to hospice in his name. Lion Bob seconded the motion. All approved.

NEW BUSINESS:

The Perch Derby date is set for the first Saturday in February, postponement date two weeks later. The Crappy Derby is the last week in January. Lion Mike wants a news release out soon. Lion Bob motioned to lion Neil seconded. All approved.

Lion Mike Mayhood took his grandson to an event called "Big Trucks". This event was held at

A gravel pit, admission \$4.00 parent and under 3 free. There were all types of construction equipment, trucks, semi's etc. They included the high school foot ball team to help haul the little ones up into the seats of these big machines. Everyone got excited at the potential of this event and will hope to include it in the event line up some time.

Dinner Lion Dave

50-50 Stony

Adjournment: 8:29 Lion Stony