

Minutes for the Tuesday, July 16, 2024 Regular Meeting St. John's Methodist Church—Ward Hall

The following members were present: Amber Bellah, Jeff Callis, Susan Callis, Vivian Clark, Lou Ann Finley, Bill Finley, Pat Friday, Charles Goodman, Joyce Haskell, Adam Keller, Art Lader, Russell Rosier, Susan Selden, Larry Wood, Mary Woolhiser and Phil Woolhiser.

Lion Charles Goodman, president opened the meeting at 6:30 pm and welcomed everyone that came. The Pledge of Allegiance done by PDG Dr. Joyce Haskell. PCC Lion Bill Finley did the Blessing.

Everyone went to get the Arby's sandwich. Lion Charles had a little talk prepared for us. He read a letter from Helen Keller where she requested the Lions to Knight of the Blind and Hearing.

He gave many interesting facts about important Aikenites that were Aiken Lions members. If each member brought in one new member we would have a lot more hands to do service.

Lion Charles passed out the questionnaires he had emailed to individuals. Several were turned in so he will look them over and we will discuss the results at the next meeting which will be on August 6 at 7 pm. BOD will be at 6 pm.

He asked for Committee Reports, Lion Bill discussed the Golf Tournament and getting busy with that. We will need Lions selling sponsorships, prizes and getting golfers. It will be held at Houndslake on Monday, September 23 and we need help with setting up the registration area and putting out the tee signs.

The Leos are doing something for Childhood Cancer. This is one of our main categories.

Lion Joyce offered to host the Christmas Party again this year and we need to decide if we are going to do the Angel Tree. She of course will continue with the Hope Center eye glass collection on the third Wednesday at 1 pm.

Lion Charles decided we will have the next Broom Sale on Friday and Saturday, October 25 and 26 in front of Unique Expressions Parking Lot on Whiskey Road.

Lion Art Lader brought up the fact we do not have a website. He said he will need info but is willing to work on it.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:45 pm with a motion by Lion Pat Friday all were in agreement.

Respectfully submitted Lion Pat Friday, Secretary