

3.25.11 EBRM ARKANSAS CITY EARLY BIRD REGULAR MEETING

Lion Vice President, acting President today as Lion Jean was late arriving, called meeting to order @ 6:34 AM. **Flag Salute** by Lion Marvin. Lion Mary **led the song.**

Invocation was by Lion Chauncey.

Roll call by Lion Sara. Present were Lions Don, Sara, Tim, Patrick, Dennis, Ruben, Jacque, Laurie, Mary, Dick, Mike, Chauncey, Jean, Vern, Brad, Bob, Rex, Marvin, Visiting Lion Floyd McCord, Guest Speaker, Dr. Nixon, and Dennis Ainus from Cedar Vale. A total of 18 club members, one visiting Lion, Program person and a late visitor.

Introduction of visitors by Lion Tim..Lion Floyd McCord, Winfield Club and Lion Tim received a call from Lion McNicol apologizing for not being in attendance as he'd intentions to be here today.

Acting He-Lion Bob asked in club members had received **the minutes** of the last meeting and if there were any additions or corrections. All indicated the previous minutes be accepted as presented.

Treasurers Report~Lion Tim indicated that the Treasurers Report will be given the first of April and is a quarterly report.

Communications~ None by secretary. Lion Bob did show the club a certificate from the Salvation Army, recognizing our Lion's Club for their help with ringing of the bells during the holiday.

Acting He-Lion Bob asked Lion Tim to introduce **our program**~ Lion Tim introduced Audiologist from Winfield, Dr. Nixon.

Committee Reports :

1) Membership/Lion Mary had nothing 2) Programs/ Lion Tim next program will be announced at a later date. 3) Lion Ruben has assisted 22 since the first of the year and does have one to visit today.

Unfinished Business:

1) Last meeting had we'd voted in the Board Meeting to give \$250 to the Little League. This amount was \$100 instead and as of this date there has not been notification that enough teams were interested.

2) Hot Dogs/Lion Dennis hasn't a \$ figure for the cart at this time. There is a meeting 4/15 @ 12-1PM in which he may attend.

New Business:

1) Lion Ruben attended the recent Cabinet Meeting and brought back 13 Lion Tags for the club. He gave them to Lion Sara to hold until we determine who will be receiving them. 2) Lion Marvin approached the group, happy about attending the local college and now is asking the club to support him in purchasing him a lap top. (this will be

brought up at the next Board Meeting). 3) Lion Bob reviewed for the club the slate of proposed officers for 2011-2012.

Drawing won by Lion Patrick. He asked the money be donated back to the club. Drawing from last meeting will be donated back to the club also. Tail Twister \$2.25. Fines \$2.00 Drawing \$10 + \$4.72 from last meeting. Totals=\$18.97.

Reminders Lion Rex informed group of a NRA Banquet 4/23. Next Lions meeting will be 4/8 same time and same place. That will be 14 days from today and we'll have the election of officers. Program to be announced.