

MINUTES FOR SFTR WOMEN'S GROUP MEETING AUGUST 10, 2013

Dena Wagner hosted the August 10, 2013 meeting and provided delicious goodies. Those attending included Joan Beaumont and her guest and future resident Kathy Eppens, Sharon Beaver, Mary Ghormley, Lynne Parker, Kim Pronovich, Lanae Rossi, Nancy Scott, Carol Smith, Dena Wagner, and Barb Wurfel.

Barb opened the meeting with an update about Sue Down's health. Everyone sends best wishes to Sue as she continues with treatments and the acknowledgment that everyone misses her!

Other matters included the following:

---The reviews from the annual picnic held this year in May were overwhelming in approval and the consensus was to hold the picnic next year during that same timeframe. This year brought in a profit for which all are grateful. In evaluation of the process, it was decided that people volunteer sans the need to offer a raffle ticket to those who volunteer with the various activities in coordinating and setting up for the event. The suggestion was made that the ATV shuttle "service" should be more obvious to those attending. Perhaps a sign announcing the availability is appropriate. It will be more helpful for obtaining a head count for the event if the entrance/check-in area be made more obvious as well.

---The group decided that logo wear should be sold at cost + 10%, pens at 50 cents, and cookbooks at 5 dollars. Joan, Lanae, Carol and Dena will help Barb with the sales at the Annual POA Meeting, which realizes a change in venue and date this year. That meeting will be September 21, 2013 at the Massari. Because of confusing issues about food and drink at the venue, the consensus was that the Women's Group not provide for coffee and cookies this year.

---After much discussion the group decided that the Women's Group should host the annual Christmas party for the ranch on December 8, 2013. Mary will prepare a save-this-date flyer to be ready to hand out at the POA meeting. Barb will contact Purgatoire on Elm and Kim will contact the Club House Grill to discover what they can offer for such a gathering. All are encouraged to investigate other venues that might be a possibility and convey their findings to Barb ASAP. Once Barb has the information, she will contact all group members who are to answer with their choice. Thus the September meeting will be via e-mail or phone.

----Nancy shared a concern that the Fishers Peak Fire Department and its auxiliary always need help in raising funds. Nancy will channel any information she receives about their needs to the group and any who are interested in responding may do so at their own volition. Those present did agree that it might be a good thing to "sponsor" a fire preparedness and/or fire spotting training session for any who might be interested. Such a session would necessarily be held during the off season. Mary will contact Ed Gieske for more information.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Joan Beaumont (33171 Fisher Peak Parkway) on October 12, 2013 at 10:00 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted by Sharon Beaver