

RLECOC Minutes  
January 8 2014

The meeting was called to order at 5:37 by President Linda MacCracken. The pledge to the flag was led by Director James Jackson. A quorum of officers and directors was present at the meeting. Guests included OJ Platt, Roger Mitchell, Donna from Double D florists and Anne Hosner,

A motion was made by Chantel Lindstrom and seconded by James Jackson to pay the Lions \$500 for Christmas turkeys for local families. Reimbursement from Supervisor Roberta MacGlashan will be forthcoming. It was noted that Supervisor MacGlashan has been very supportive of our community. The motion passed unanimously.

It was reported for Lisa Morris that the next CASA meeting will be at 5:30 and will be followed by a meeting with Roberta MacGlashan.

Linda MacCracken listed several upcoming Grange activities including the 2/15 Chili and chocolate cookoff at the Grange Hall from 3-6 as well as a corned beef and cabbage potluck at the March meeting of the Grange. Other events will feature silent movies and the Bohemian players.

Chuck Gordon reported that Sarah's Kids ID registered 151 children at Food Source and Breakfast with Santa events in December 2013.

Director Linda Waldeck voiced the concerns of the local agricultural community about the ongoing drought and the economic impact that it could have on both business and hobby farming.

Chantel Lindstrom reported that she had survived the many hours of activities she directed for the local community during Christmas. Ruby's Baskets served 108 families this year. Sally McGrath of the Rio Linda Library said that her group of library knitters would like to help next year by making items to be included in the baskets. Thanks were sincerely given to Food Source for their assistance to Chantel to make everything work out.

The fireworks sale of 2014 needs to be organized and planned. A motion was made by Sally McGrath and seconded by Chantel Lindstrom to proceed with the sale of fireworks in 2014. The motion passed unanimously.

Director Flesch was not present but it was noted that the results of the 2013 Christmas lighting contest were published in the Rio Linda News on 12/29. Mention was made that the winner from 2012 had not received their award or a ribbon. Linda MacCracken will check with Don to make sure that the award reached the winner.

James Jackson reported that @410 dictionaries for local third graders had again been presented by the Masons. Installation of officers for the Masons will take place Saturday at 2PM.

Director Sally McGrath passed out calendars of events for the Library. The Friends of the Library bookstore will only be open on Saturdays for now.

Donna announced that Double D Florist has been in business for ten years. Special activities will be held 1/25 from 11-3 at the store.