ST. LUKE CATHOLIC MEN’S CLUB

 GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

 Monday, March 21, 2016 @ 7:30 PM

 Saint Luke School Cafeteria

Called Meeting to Order: President Mike Raign called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm following the meal.

Opening Prayer: Ben Olenick led the opening prayer.

Pledge of Allegiance: Robert Camacho led the membership in the pledge of allegiance.

Welcome New Members And Guests: The following guest introduced themselves as future members of the Club: Paul Rodriguez and Leo Alvarez.

February Birthdays: Several individuals stood before the membership. The oldest was Richard Harman, 76 years old. The youngest is Tony Paniagua, 51 years old. The membership sang happy birthday and each was given raffle tickets.

Introduction of the Cooking Team: Mike Lutz introduced the cooking team who were Ike Eisenmenger, John Donnellan, Buddy Kondoff, Benny de los Santos and Elizandro de los Santos.

Minutes of the Previous Meeting: Secretary Gilbert Ortiz emailed a copy of the January minutes to the webmaster for posting on the Saint Luke Men’s Club website. There were no corrections or additions. The minutes were accepted as presented.

Treasurer’s Report: Joey Groff was not present at the meeting. No report was presented to the membership.

Club Correspondence: Secretary Gilbert Ortiz announced that the club received a lot of thank you mail for Rico Silvas from young individuals who showed their particular animal at the Gerlach Stock Show. The club donated money to many of these young kids in support of their activities, hence Rico received many thank you cards and letters.

REPORTS OF APPOINTIVE OFFICERS

Budget & Finance: Larry Ridder stated that he had no report.

Chaplain: Larry Fuentes was not at the meeting therefore there was no report presented.

Inventory Control: Rico Silvas was not at the meeting and no report was presented.

Procurement: Russell Phillips stated that he had no report.

Membership; Todd Shannon reported that there are 285 members, 9 new member, 46 lifetime members, 17 mail out members and 95 members that have not paid their dues.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Communications: Henry Garcia was not at the meeting and no report was presented.

Webmaster: John Hardin was not at the meeting and no report was presented.

Christian Services: Wallie Fields was not present at the meeting and the president urged everyone to review the prayer list which was emailed to all members and keep everyone in their prayers.

Entertainment: Steve Kelly stated that he is checking on a gambling boat at the Texas coast probably in Corpus Christi. He will have details at a future date should any members which to participate in a pleasure trip sometime in the summer months.

Public Relations: Tony Paniagua stated that the cafeteria ladies will be cooking our next meal during the general meeting in April. Traditionally it will be spaghetti.

Benevolence: Ralf Meneses was not at the meeting and no report was submitted.

Wild Game Dinner 2016: Matt Mora was not at the meeting and no report was submitted.

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REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN;

Scholarship: RC stated that he had no report at this time.

Nominations/Lifetime Member: Terry Sparrow had no report.

Audit: Paul Biever. Presently out of cycle.

REPORTS OF AD HOC COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN;

Logo Attire: Todd Shannon stated that he has a limited supply of polo shirts and T-shirts. He also has a limited supply of aprons with St. Luke’s Men’s Club on them. He also has denim shirts and if anyone wants a shirt to see him after the meeting.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

The president previously stated that the Dish Network had sent the dish and was received late today. There was insufficient time to set it up for tonight’s Spurs basketball game. In addition Russell Phillips stated that they are working on the purchase of a television set.

NEW BUSINESS:

None

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE GOOD OF THE CLUB

Don O’Brien commenced in heading the St. Patrick day toast. Thimble size cups were passed out containing Irish whiskey. While this was being done Don proceeded to entertain the membership with numerous Irish jokes.

The president said that he had announcements for the good of the club. Reno Puente announced that on May 9, 2016 the Knights of Columbus will hold a golf tournament and asked that if anyone is interested to see him.

The president announced that he received an email from a member of the club asking if anyone found a small red key at the wild game dinner. Apparently this key belongs to his toolbox and he’s looking to recover this key.

The other announcement was that Augie de la Cruz was able to get a new tumbler to be used at the wild game dinner. This was donated to the club by M&M Industries.

MOTION TO ADJOURN: A motion to adjourn was made by Loren Brown. This motion was seconded by Rick Hite. The meeting was adjourned at 8:00 PM.

CLOSING PRAYER: John Martinez led the membership in the closing prayer.

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Raffle Winner Results: Three liquor bottles were available for this raffle.

1. Reno Puente
2. Tony Paniagua
3. Paul Rodriguez