

Papillion Junior Woman's Club

MEETING MINUTES for: May 7, 2008

6:00 Social Hour/Dinner at the Summer Kitchen Café in Lavista, NE

7:00 President Judy Anderson called the meeting to order.

The meeting opened with the Club Collect, Junior Pledge, and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Theresa Richey called roll. Members present were: Dee Alfrey, Judy Anderson, Kerri Ann Becker, Renee Black, Marlene Brandt, Roxi Clausen, Karen Crandall, Royce Dent, Jane Draper, Lisa Erxleben, Kathy Flock, Jackie Fowler, Bindy Frederick, Kristy Funk, Barb Jackson, Angie Johansen, Marie Kuklinski, Jackie Mach, Carol Milliken, Karen Olson, Nadine Palmer, Kathy Pohl, Beth Ragland, Theresa Richey, Cheryl Strickler, Jane Swartz, Mary Weekly, Shirley Witcofski, Diane Withem.

Theresa Richey read a thank you from the **PLHS Fine Arts Department**.

Kristy Funk: gave

Treasurer's report—our beginning balance April 1, 2008 \$1,976.03 and our ending balance \$855.49.

PJWC Annual Budget Report.

2007-2008 Budgeted \$4566.00, Spent \$2945.08.

2008-2009 Proposed Budget \$4516.00

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Kathy Flock crowned PJWC club member, Karen Olson as our Princess of the Jennie Award nominees. Karen was one of 5 finalist for the award at the **NFWC State Convention** held in Lincoln April 17-19, 2008. Kathy says the convention was uplifting for all the attendees starting Thursday with the guest speaker, Sheila Shae, the Boston Area NFWC Treasurer. On Friday, Mary Kay Mueller spoke about Taking Risks. On Saturday, the Chairman of the 2010 National and International NFWC Convention asked attendees to sign up for committees for the 2010 Convention. Judy Anderson, concurred with Kathy that it was an excellent convention.

Roxi Clauson, **Conservation Committee**, reported on April's Arbor Day activities. On 4/25/08 ten students from the Papillion-Lavista schools were announced winners for their Arbor Day posters at the Walnut Creek Amphitheater.

Theresa Richey, **Papio Duck Paddle Committee**, encouraged club members to sell the 20 raffle tickets they would be given tonight for our main fundraiser. She reiterated that she would be willing to sell tickets with any club member in a neighborhood if they want a partner. PJWC members bought 5 gift certificates for face value from area businesses with proceeds going back into the Papio Duck Paddle budget. Cheryl Strickler asked club members how many Duck Paddle posters they would be willing to take to area businesses for publicity.

Karen Crandall and Kristi Funk thanked the PJWC members who participated in the **Hat, Gloves, and Bags** clean up project 4/5/08 at the Papio Duck Pond. It was a fun community project.

Kathy Pohl and Debbi Reasoner thanked PJWC for their donations throughout the past year for the **Sarpy County Child Protective Services**.

Theresa Richey thanked PJWC members who volunteered 4/24/08 at the **Ronald McDonald House**. The residents enjoyed the Italian dinner and it was our pleasure sharing it with them.

Barb Jackson and Bindy Frederick, reported 17 PJWC members toured **Project Harmony** 4/6/08. Our community is very fortunate to have this outstanding child protection center.

NEW BUSINESS

Karen Crandall announced an **American Girl** Program to be held 6/16/08 at 1:00pm at the Sump Memorial Library in Papillion. This is part of the library's Summer Reading Program. Karen asked for volunteers to help with this activity.

Jackie Mach and Mary Weekly passed around the sign up list for this year's **Funnel Cake Booth** during Papillion Days.

Anyone interested in helping with the **Kiddie Days Parade**, please call Michelle Harris.

The Papillion Recreation Department is looking for volunteers to work at the **Papillion Half-Marathon** Sun. 5/18/08 7:30 am at Papillion South High School Stadium.

Cheryl Strickler and Roxi Clauson are looking for club members to sign up to volunteer at the **GFWC 119th Annual International Convention** that will be held at the Hilton/Qwest Center-Omaha, NE June 9-15, 2010. There are a number of volunteer preferences listed on the volunteer sheet. Cheryl will have a brainstorming luncheon meeting Fri 6/13/08.

Barb Jackson conducted the **installation of 2008-2010 PJWC officers**: President: Karen Crandall, President-Elect: Renee Black, Secretary: Royce Dent, Treasurer: Marie Kuklinski.

Perfect Attendance: Judy Anderson, Renee Black, Jackie Fowler, Angie Johansen, Jackie Mach, Karen Olson, Theresa Richey, Jane Swartz.

Service Awards: Jan Jones 10 years, Roxi Clauson, Jan Kay Kelpé, Kathy Pohl, and Mary Weekly 20 years, Barb Jackson 25 years.

Club Member of the Year: Renee Black **New Club Member Award**: Royce Dent

President Judy Anderson summarized her past 3 years **Go Sailing with GFWC** as PJWC president. She emphasized empowering women and Domestic Abuse Prevention. Throughout her presidency we had interesting and informative speakers at all our monthly meetings.

Barb Jackson, **Papio Duck Paddle Ticket Chairman** distributed 20 tickets to each club member to sell between now and Papillion Days.

Respectfully submitted,

Theresa Richey