



General Membership Meeting

Monday, August 3, 2015 ~ 12:00 p.m.
Ambassador Restaurant

Minutes

- I. **Welcome, Prayer and Pledge of Allegiance:** Guy Langham opened the meeting at 12:15 p.m. Gary Holdeman led the prayer. Keith Logan led the Pledge of Allegiance.
- II. **Review of July 2015 General Meeting Minutes** – Larry Buehler made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Krista Hawkins seconded the motion; motion carried.
- III. **Committee Reports:**
 - a. Education Committee report – Dr. Bryant commented that OPSU will resume on August 12. The last pre-enrollment date is Friday, August 7.
August 10 is the OPSU Back to School breakfast is once again sponsored by Anchor D Bank.
Dr. Bryant invited anyone interested in attending the Education Committee (third Tuesday of each month) meeting is more than welcome to attend. Lunch is provided by OPSU. Consuelo McFadden informed those present that each month, the Education Committee will have a presentation to update the committee on progress, challenges, and other issues facing them. The upcoming meeting in August will feature Randy Williams; he will be discussing Concurrent Enrollment and engaging the youth in the educational field.
 - b. Ambassadors' report – Larry Buehler stated that the Ambassadors attended Santa Fe Trail Daze in Boise City and will be attending XIT Rodeo & Reunion in Dalhart, TX.
Larry Buehler demonstrated to the group the big orange scissors that will be used for ribbon cuttings. He mentioned that the Ambassadors have ordered new orange polo shirts for their summer attire and new aprons for serving food.
 - c. PBR Committee Report – Jim Quimby commented that the Kasey Hayes & Stormy Wing Invitational PBR BlueDef Velocity Tour was a phenomenal event that attracted 80% of the top thirty riders in the PBR World Standings. The stock contractor, D & H Cattle Co., brought exceptional bucking stock that is typically seen on the Built Ford Tough Series Events. Kaique Pacheco earned the highest score in the BlueDef history of a 94. The event was simulcast on Carbon TV; the video of the event is available for viewing.
- IV. **Upcoming Chamber events**
 - a. *Guymon Pioneer Days Rodeo Pro Rodeo Hall of Fame Induction* – August 6 – 8 in Colorado Springs, CO. Jim Quimby stated that the PRCA will induct the Guymon Pioneer Days Rodeo into the Pro Rodeo Hall of Fame this upcoming weekend. It is a great honor to receive this induction.
 - b. *Ambassadors in XIT Rodeo & Reunion Parade* – Saturday, August 8.
 - c. *Panhandle Exhibition/Texas County Fair* – Ribbon Cutting, 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 5.

- d. *Azuma Ribbon Cutting* – Sunday, August 9, 4:00 p.m. in front of Main Street Guymon, 116 NE 5th St.
- e. *Finance Director's Meeting* – Wednesday, August 12, at 11:30 a.m. Must register by August 5!
- f. *Senator Tom Lankford's Town Hall Meeting* – Monday, August 31, 12:00 p.m. at the Ambassador Restaurant (Dutch treat lunch).

V. Community Events

- a. *Lunch & Learn, Internet Safety* – Melyn Johnson announced that this Lunch & Learn will be rescheduled.
- b. *Farmer's Market* – Saturday, July – September, 8:00 a.m. in front of Texas County Courthouse.
- c. *Panhandle Exposition* – Wednesday, August 5 – Saturday, August 8.
- d. *Azuma* – Main Street Guymon, NE 5th Street & Main. 4:00 p.m., Sunday, August 9

VI. Old Business: No old business to discuss.

VII. New Business: No new business to discuss.

VIII. Adjourn: Larry Buehler made the motion to adjourn at 12:32 p.m., Jim Quimby seconded the motion; motion carried.

Next meeting: Ambassador Restaurant, Monday, September 14, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Presentation by OPSU Football Coaching Staff – Head football coach, Russell Gaskamp and Offensive Coordinator and Quarterback's coach, Coach Peters presented their upcoming team strategies and plans for the 2015 season.

Jada Breeden

Respectfully submitted

Approved