



General Membership Meeting

Monday, January 9, 2017 ~ 12:00 p.m.

Ambassador Restaurant

Minutes

- I. **Welcome, Prayer and Pledge of Allegiance:** Jim Quimby led prayer, Krista Preston led pledge of allegiance. Kari Montgomery opened the meeting at 12:13 p.m.
- II. **Review of December 5, 2016 General Meeting Minutes:** Steve Tuttle made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Jim Quimby seconded the motion; motion carried.
- III. **Committee Reports:**
 - a. *Education Committee report* – Consuelo McFadden reminded those present of the Education Committee meeting date of January 17. The group meets at noon at the Pub on the Bricks. The committee has developed into an inclusive community education committee.

OPSU classes will begin on Wednesday, January 18 for the 2017 Spring Semester.

OPSU Foundation has sent information to alumni and friends on the planned Campus Housing Drive. The initiative will address campus student housing improvements.
 - b. *Ambassadors' report* – Kari Montgomery reported that the Ambassadors' new President is Rick Roberts. All Ambassadors earned the 1,000 points necessary for the year.
 - c. *Ag Committee report* – The Excellence In Ag Experience is scheduled for Thursday, January 26, 2017. Nominations for the Ag Producer and the Ag Business of the Year are accepted until January 18. The guest speaker is Dr. Tim Faltyn, OPSU President. Tickets are \$15 each until January 19, \$25 after or at the door.
 - d. *Leadership Guymon Committee report* – Jada Breeden announced that applications for the 2017 class are due January 10. At the time of the meeting, the committee has ten applications. The theme for this year's class is "Success through Synergy".
 - e. *Rodeo Committee report* – Jim Quimby stated that the committee is busy contacting sponsors for the 2017 event that is May 5 - 7. The 12th Annual Dinner, Dance and Draw Down is on Saturday, January 28. Tickets are available, need not be present to win.
- IV. **Upcoming Ambassador/Chamber Events**
 - a. *Education Committee Meeting* – 12:00 pm, Tues., January 17, Pub on the Bricks – Sponsored by OPSU.
 - b. *Leadership Guymon 2017 Class Reception* – Thurs., January 19, 2017
 - c. *Excellence In Ag Experience* – 5:30 pm, Thurs., January 26, 2017 at Pickle Creek Center
 - d. *Dinner, Dance & Draw Down* – 6:30 pm, Sat., January 28, 2017 at Pickle Creek Center
 - e. *Eggs & Issues* – 7:00 am, Friday, February 3, 2017 at Ambassador Restaurant
 - f. *Guymon Chamber of Commerce General Membership Meeting* – 12:00 p.m., February 6, 2017, Ambassador Restaurant

V. Community Events

- a. *Shop Local, Shop & Dine* – 4:00 – 7:00 pm, Tuesday, January 31, 2017
- b. *Annie’s Project* – OSU Extension workshop series begins January 9, 2017
- c. *Women In Ag Mini Conference* – OSU Extension, January 19, 2017
- d. *OPSU Top Hand Labor Auction* – Saturday, February 4, Pickle Creek Center
- e. *Guymon High School Fine Arts Production* – February 10 & 12, 2017

VI. Old Business: No old business discussed

VII. New Business: No new business discussed.

VIII. Adjourn: KC Rothschoopf made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Krista Preston seconded the motion; motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 12:26 p.m. ***Next meeting:*** Monday, February 6, 2017, at 12:00 p.m. at the Ambassador Restaurant

Presentation: No Presentation

Jada Breeden

Respectfully submitted

Approved