

**Regular Minutes of the Houston Cy-Fair Lions Club  
Tuesday April 22, 2014 at 7PM at the Lions Den**

**Members: 12**

**Guests: 0**

President Stedman opened the meeting promptly. Lion Paul led the pledges to the flags. Lion Clayton gave prayer. Good deeds done were discussed.

Emailed minutes of the last meeting were received by all. Motion by Lion Chuck, seconded by Lion Clayton, to accept minutes after a minor date correction, was passed.

Lion Chuck reported that Easter Sunday when Bane Park was very full, people wanted to take our picnic tables to Bane Park, but were not granted permission.

The District 2-S 2 Convention is coming up. Lions John and Stedman are running for District Offices. We will need workers for the Hospitality room. Lions Bud, Dorothy, Audrey, Sandy and Chuck volunteered. Lion Sandy will bring fudge. Lions Stedman and John are to coordinate other food items to eliminate duplication with the Convention Chair as all candidates will share a room. \$100 budget for food was granted.

Lion Bud brought a newspaper about Jersey Village. It was suggested that we do a Needs Assessment for that area. Since Lion Don lived there and knows several prominent persons, perhaps he could help with this.

Lion Kamal suggested that 2 or 3 Lions Clubs get together and take a hand gun safety course. Discussion of whether a person would be willing to shoot another person ensued. Only Lions Kamal and Amanda were interested in taking such a course.

There will be a baseball tournament this weekend, with approximately 40 games Sat. and Sun. Workers volunteered from those present.

Lion Amanda reported on the Fun Event at the Marble Slab Creamery on April 11. There was a very good turnout, and all seemed to have a great time. There were four generations of Yackley's present. Ideas for future Fun Events included a Brunch some Saturday or an ice cream social where we bring ice cream and all the fixings at Bane Park. Lion Amanda will send out an email with the tentative date set for May 30.

Lion Chuck reported that Sue Leverett, widow of PID Howard Leverett, would like to donate a large warming oven and some steno burner hot trays. She would want a tax donation form in return. It is unsure if we could use the large warming oven, but we could sell it at a later date. Lion Dorothy will try to get her grandson and maybe some others along with a truck or trailer, to get it. Lion Sandy will notify Sue that we will get the items out of her garage.

Treasurer's report was given, will all bills except the recent exterminator bill paid.

Lion Chuck reminded Lion Paul to consider who he would like as the installing officer for his term, so that we can get them scheduled. Lions Chuck and Don are the only ones from our Club who could be the installing officer, but they cannot install themselves to office, so it needs to be someone else. It would be nice if we had new members to install at that time, also.

Lion Stedman, in honor of Earth Day, read many things we can do to reduce our footprint on the earth: turn off the computer when not in use, use cloth bags for shopping, wash clothes in warm water, buy local produce, etc.

Meeting adjourned at 8:20 PM after a pretty weak Lions roar. Lion Stedman will check on Lion Don.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandy Martin, Secretary