

**Regular Minutes of the Houston Cy-Fair Lions Club  
Tuesday April 28, 2015 at 7PM at the Lions Den**

**Members: 6**

**Guests: 0**

President Paul opened the meeting promptly. Lion Clayton gave prayer. Lion Kamal led the pledges to the flags. Lion Don led us in singing "Oh Beautiful, Beautiful Texas."

There was no program tonight. Lion Sandy reported that we will have a representative of an Early Vision Screener at our next visit, and an optometrist who recently did a vision mission trip at the second meeting of May.

Secretary's minutes were emailed to all, and reportedly read. Motion to accept the corrected minutes as sent out was made by Lion Kamal, seconded by Lion Don, and passed.

A brief treasurer's report was given.

The District Lions Convention was held this past Saturday. Our Club had a great turnout. Lion Don will be inducted into the Lions State Hall of Fame at the State Convention next month. Lion Paul was honored with the Past District Governor's Outstanding Achievement Award. His mother, father-in-law, two daughters, son-in-law, and grandson were present for this great award.

Lion Kamal asked how many members owed dues to our Club. It was explained that three members who are delinquent have been sent letters, invoices, and contacted personally. They will be dropped from our membership at the end of the month unless payment is received. Since the Treasurer was not present, it was unknown if there are more who are behind on dues.

President Paul read a letter about a drawing for the Lions Eye Bank of Texas to raise awareness of sight preservation. Tickets are \$5 each, or three for \$10. Drawing will be held July 20, first prize is \$1000. Tickets will also be available at the next meeting.

President Paul read a thank you letter from the Lions Eye Bank of Texas for our participation at the successful Bowl-A-Thon.

The Magic Show, which we hope to do again this fall, needs a planning committee. If you are interested, please contact Lion Paul.

Lion Sandy reported that the Head Nurse of the Cy-Fair School District has contacted her about school nurses needing replacement screws and nose pads to repair broken eyeglasses for school children. Lion Sandy has contacted the Conroe Eyeglass Recycling Center, and they will set aside unusable eyeglasses from which we can then remove the screws and nose pieces. It was asked if anyone would be willing to help disassemble eyeglasses for parts. Lion Paul suggesting getting Scouts to help. Lion Kamal will assist.

The memorial tree for PDG Fred Hamilton has been planted, and the bronze plaque has recently been received. We will plan on having the dedication of the tree on Tuesday May 26, and invite Lion Fred's children to be present. Lion Sandy inquired if anyone had post hole diggers for the plaque installation, and Lion Milly said she has some which she will bring to the next meeting, if Lion Sandy reminds her.

The Installation of Officers will probably be Tuesday June 23. President Paul will ask if District Governor Elect Noah Speer is available.

Lion Sandy reported that DGE Noah had trees fall in his house in Huntsville this past week from the local storms. She also reported that Chuck Deavers, who has attended our Lions Club meetings as a representative of the Boy Scouts, and was instrumental in working our Bike Ride, was killed at Stephen F. Austin State Park during the storm.

With no further business, meeting adjourned after a weak Roar. Tail Twister collected \$5.30 in assorted fines.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandy Martin, Secretary