



District 2-T1 Cabinet Meeting

Dalhart, Texas

April 26, 2008

District Governor Bob Langhorne opened the meeting at 9:30 a.m. There were 115 lions present with 25 clubs represented at this district convention meeting. Governor Bob welcomed all and recognized all the Past District Governors present. They were PDG Don Max Vars, PDG Lila Vars, PDG John Nash, IPDG Gayle Cotton, PDG Jack King, PDG Ray White, PDG Rick Garrett, PDG Sid Shaw, and PDG Bill Auvenshine.

Governor Bob then mentioned the Marble Lion that donations are being accepted for and encouraged everyone to drive by and see it. He then introduced PID Roy Barnette from South Carolina. PID Roy discussed and explained the constitutional changes to be voted on in Bangkok at the International Convention.

The Minutes of the January 26, 2008 were reviewed with no changes to be made. Council Chair Ray White made the motion to approve the minutes and Dale Garner seconded it.

Kathryn Wiegand made the motion to nominate Royce Campbell to be the Eye Bank Director and listed all his attributes and experience with the Lions. Gerald Peyton seconded it.

PDG Lila Vars made the motion to nominate Bill Craddock for Vice District Governor and listed all his attributes and experience with the Lion Paula Davis seconded it.

Wheeler Lion Charles Kuntz was fined for nominating a dog.

PDG Rick Garrett nominated VDG Steve Wiegand for the District Governor for the 2008 -2009 term. He then listed all his attributes and experience with the Lions. Larry Stowers seconded it.

PDG Jack King made the motion to nominate Glenn Runion as a Director of the Texas Lions Camp, seconded by Phyllis Elsey. And PDG John Nash nominated Ken Hammons as a Director of the Texas Lions Camp, seconded by PDG Rick Garrett.

Discussion then turned to the bus to Kerrville. Governor Bob stated that as of now we are \$800 short on the cost. Amarillo Downtown Club said they would pay \$400 if Dumas Noon Club would pay the other \$400. They did and all is well.

Then it was discussed and decided where the next District Convention will be held. Amarillo North suggested Amarillo as the place to have it. And they felt that all the Amarillo Clubs would help. All agreed and it was decided it will be held in Amarillo.

Sandy Griffin a Leader Dog Trainer encouraged all to vote for Hal Griffin for the International Director, but did say that all the people running for this position had to want it bad, since they would be away from home about 35 weeks out of the year. Then PDG Lila Vars campaigned for Bev Stebbins and encouraged all to vote for her for the International Director. Also PDG Lila discussed the State Convention beginning on Thursday May 15th at the Palo Duro Canyon Amphitheater. She encouraged all to make plans to be there.

Governor Bob then discussed the new club at Silverton being formed with a total of 46 new members. The Amarillo Downtown Club will be their sponsors.

IPDG Gayle Cotton explained the ballots with the change in the Texas Constitutions as:

1. Replacing the council chairman if needed. 2. Electronic Banking 3. Elected officials

PDG Sid Shaw wanted every club and every member of every club to purchase a hole at the Harry Wickersham Golf Tournament. All proceeds go to the Texas Lions Camp Operation Fund. Holes are only \$100 each.

It was then finalized that the Amarillo North Club would take the lead for the District Convention in 2009 and all the other Amarillo Clubs would help.

The meeting was then adjourned at 10:15.

Kristen Odom from Wellington won the District Queen Contest.

Lion Steve Wiegand from Amarillo North was elected District Governor. Lion Bill Craddock from Canyon was elected Vice District Governor. Lion Ken Hammons from Amarillo Area Law Enforcement was elected Texas Lion Camp Director. Lion Royce Campbell of Amarillo North was elected Eye Bank Director Region 4.

District Governor

District Secretary

Bob Langhorne

Cari Stanley