



The Deck Chatter

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Agenda May 15, 2006

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President's Corner

by Lucretia Thomas

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...ing a report to you at the...
...May 15th meeting regarding the...
...District Convention. Also, our...
...day was a fantashow for Oral Fre...
...er many years as a pilot. Sp... we...
...your work, we appreciate it and...
...ed much from you. Oral...
...work at Tallahassee...
...is a kind word...

Important Dates

June 8 th	Board Meeting @ AmSouth Bank 6pm	June 12 th	Regular Meeting @ Julie's Place 6pm PLEASE NOTE DATE CHANGE
Oct 7 th	Project Lifesaver Jamboree!!!		

About the Club

Lucretia Thomas	President
Yvonne Hale	President Elect
Cathy Jones	Vice President
Pam Manley	Secretary, Editor
LaTanya White Petway	Treasurer
Bridget Gonzalez	Director
Dot McCaskill	Director
Linda Summerlin	Director

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Meetings each 3rd Monday at 6:00 p.m.

Our focus is on brain related disorders, brain safety, youth projects and Pilot scholarship houses.

Minutes

May 15, 2006

Attendance: Linda Puckett, Myra Blanchard, Karol Schneider, Carol Wolfe, Jane Furlong, Bridget Gonzalez, Emelia Gonzalez, Claire Mikko, Dot McCaskill, Linda Summerlin, Agatha Muse-Salters, Yvonne Hale, LaTanya White, Valencia Salters-Jenkins, Camy McGriff, Anarene Wineglass, Bea Mizell, Lakecia Watson, Pam Manley, Lucretia Thomas, Vicki Johnson, Emory Hingst, Carol Delouche and Dora Thomas.

Carol Wolfe read the *Seven Keys of Joyful Living* as the invocation.

Program

Emory Hingst presented a program for Ten Thousand Villages. He is a retired Lutheran minister who joined a group who went around the world concerned with nutrition and clean water for world's population. Ten Thousand villages is a store that is FAIR trade for 35 countries for hand-crafted goods at a reasonable cost. They negotiate with the artisan to meet their food and housing needs in exchange for their product. TTV pays 50% of the price for the product so they can purchase the resources for the product. Once the product order is fulfilled, the artisan is paid the remainder.

TTV was founded by the Menonites however, they do not retain control of the system. TTV is a 501.c.3. Store opened August 2005 and has 1.5 employees. New products are brought in each month (80-90 new skus each month). They sell gifts and musical instruments. Those associated

with the program are earning their living and providing a consumable product.

Carole Delouche also presented that TTV has been around since 1946. They work hard with the artisans to keep them out of poverty.

Initiation of New Member

Agatha Muse-Salters initiated Dora Thomas with her sponsor and cousin, Lucretia Thomas.

Birthdays this Month

Jane Parker and Dot McCaskill

Lucretia asked that those who were at District stand up and speak during dinner. We received 1st place for new members; 3rd for Outstanding Brain Awareness and Injury Award. We tied with Ann Freeman's club with having the most members at District.

We received a thank you letter from Opal Free. She really enjoyed the meeting. Additionally, she read a note from Dené Dixon who is resigning from the club so she can join a local club (Crystal River Club) in her area.

Minutes

Approved as submitted.

Treasurer's Report

Approved Filed for audit.

Fundraising Report

Lucretia auctioned off leftover pecans. Linda Summerlin announced that we have closed out the pecans after the sale of pecans tonight.

Projects & Youth

June 3rd is KidsFest at the Leon County Fairgrounds. We will be fitting helmets.

Yvonne, Myra and Claire went to BuckLake Elementary and gave out 103 helmets and all the coloring books and crayons. They also did BrainMinders for those children who were not able to get helmets due to their age. Additionally, they showed the “Egg Test” – dropping an egg into a helmet filled with Styrofoam.

200 helmets are being delivered to Lucretia’s house. We will announce via phone or email a meeting time to break the helmets out of the boxes and categorize them.

Bea commented on Convention and that we should have an informational session for attendees so that they would be able to get the most out of Pilot.

New Business

Yvonne proposed that we move the meeting place to Julie’s as they are more accommodating. In addition, she moved that next meeting to June 12th. It was moved by Jane Furlong and seconded.

Jane Furlong moved that the club amend the budget to pay for the rooms at District Convention. It was seconded and approved.

Announcements

Lucretia proposed that those who wish can carpool to International Convention in July.

President’s Elect Report

Yvonne has given direction to all for committees to review plans of work and the related portion of the budget.

I Love Pilot Award

Myra Blanchard presented the award to a member that has done much background work and organized many things for us – Yvonne Hale.

The meeting adjourned at 8:04 p.m.