



Friday, January 6th, 2023

Introduction

The meeting was called to order by President Carrie Dreifurst. The blessing was given by Ron. Carrie thanked everyone for attending and introduced five guests. Carrie shared Sunshine News of the Packers win on January 1st against the Vikings. Carrie presented the club's holiday thank you to Sandy for all of her hard work in 2022.



Steve Goldermann 2022 Red Shoe Award Recipient

Award History: The first Red Shoe Award winner was Ed Winborn in 1992 for his outstanding tree sale techniques. It is still unknown how the red heel made its way in to the tree trailer.

Q: What is a New Year's Resolution?

A: Something that goes in one year and out the other.

upcoming events

Friday, January 12th- Beacon of Hope

Friday, January 20th- Impact Life

Friday, January 27th- Make A Wish

Thursday, February 9th: Optimist Challenge @ BBBS Putt-Around

Saturday, February 25th: Junior Achievement Bowling Event @ TBK

Notes from the board meeting:

This year's focus:

- website
- treasurer swap
- committee structure with standard operating procedures

Business

Website update: currently at 50% completion

Update from Kathy Vondran: Social Event to be held in February

Member Goal: 104 members (currently at 84)

The Board approved \$1,000 for Friends and Family of Reese Morgan

RSVP to Jim King for Junior Achievement Bowling Event. The club is sponsoring 2 teams of 5 for February 25th at TBK.

Kathy Cox is looking for volunteers for Night to Shine February 10th 6-9

Tree Lot update from Aaron: 50 extra trees were sold this year and the lot finished in 11 days for a very profitable year. Aaron thanked helpers and committee members.

Big Brothers & Big Sisters Putt-Around. Keep a look-out for Aaron's email to volunteer or RSVP.

*Sergeant in arms: Terry waved fines for the holidays.
Monthly drawing winners: Jeff Wahler, Andy Voss, Laurie Danner (were not present.)*

The meeting was closed with the Optimist Creed.

