



Friday, November 18, 2022

Introduction

The meeting was called to order by President Carrie Dreifurst. The blessing was given by (guest) Rodney Tatum. Sunshine News: Rex has returned from surgery, Ron is out with COVID, and Bruce Mace has rejoined the club. Please keep Rex and Ron in your thoughts and welcome Bruce back to the club! Paul shared a Feather Party update: 1st-Anne, 2nd-Don, 3rd-Chris. Kristin is working on the launch of the website for later this month.

Membership Initiative this quarter (thru 12/31/22)

- 5+ new members= \$75 Casey's gift card
- 3-4 new members= \$50 Casey's gift card
- 2 new members= \$25 Casey's gift card



upcoming events

December 1st: Board Meeting 3:45p @ Jersey Grille

December 3rd: Holiday Party @ River Center

December 9th: Paul's retirement party 4p @ The Outing Club

Friday December 23rd & 30th: NO MEETING (holidays)

Friday, January 6th: Tom and Jerry Party 1p @ Armored Gardens



Business

Rex introduced our guests from Family & Friends of Reese Morgan, Inc. We were visited by President Cliff Hinton, Vice President Rodney Tatum, Registrar Tammy Trice, and Joe Obleton. The Family & Friends of Reese Morgan is a non-profit, offering a passing, shooting, dribbling camp 1 time a month to kids in the community. Camps are scheduled 11-2p at Davenport Central High School and are free. Each Camp provides the youth with instruction by experienced coaches, mentorship by local law enforcement, sports team jersey, and food and drinks. Two sportsmanship awards are given at the end of camp to both male and female participants. The camp was organized to honor Coach Reese who was lost 2009, but his legacy of helping youth lives on. There is no federal or state funding for the program, and current funding comes directly from Mayor Mike Matson and local Aldermans from the 2nd-5th Wards. The presentation was closed with a thanks to our guests and the Optimist Creed.