

UNOPA GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES

March 10, 2015

11:45 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Arbor Suite, Nebraska East Union

President Jane Schneider called the meeting to order at 11:58 a.m.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

The minutes from the February 10, 2015 UNOPA General Membership Meeting were emailed to the membership prior to the meeting. The minutes from the February 10, 2015 meeting were approved as submitted.

**OFFICER REPORTS**

**APPROVAL OF TREASURER'S REPORTS**

The February 2015 Treasurer's report was emailed to the membership prior to the meeting. The February 2015 Treasurer's report will be filed for audit.

**NEW MEMBER INTRODUCTION**

New member Keith McGuffey was not in attendance. New member Kelsey Sims was recognized and presented with a mug.

**GUEST SPEAKER**

The guest speaker was Susan Cook with the Homestead National Monument. Ms. Cook is a Ranger at the park and gave a history of the Homestead Act and an overview of the Homestead National Monument.

**NOMINATING COMMITTEE**

Donelle Moormeier urged members to nominate. There were 45 members nominated. Nominations accepted for president-elect: Tricia Liedle and Lisa King; Recording Secretary: none; Corresponding Secretary: Marsha Yelden; Treasurer: Alycia Libolt and Marilyn Johnson. President Schneider called for nominations from the floor. The following nominations were made and accepted: Recording Secretary: Barb Homer and Judy Anderson. A brief bio from each nominee is due to the Nominating Committee by March 13<sup>th</sup>. The bios will be sent to each member on March 16<sup>th</sup>. On March 24<sup>th</sup> the ballots will be available. Votes are due April 1<sup>st</sup>.

**HOSPITALITY-50/50 DRAWING**

The 50/50 drawing collected \$57.00 total. The winner of \$28.50 was Susan Thomas. HearU Nebraska will receive \$38.50. Door prizes of jars of candy were awarded to Edie Schleiger, Alycia Libolt, and Pam Waldvogel. Centerpieces were won by Donna Bode, Roddy Spangler, Beth Zager, Shelly Green, Lorraine Moon, Kristy Rejda and Jeanne Bonnett. There was a tie for guessing the amount of candy in the jar between Susan Thomas and Lindsay Augustyn. They both received a jar of candy.

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Registration for the Professional Development Day and NEOPA Spring Conference is due by April 2<sup>nd</sup>. We still need a few volunteers to work the parking lot for the Spring Game. The PSP Luncheon registration is due March 20<sup>th</sup>. Rose Frolik nominations are due March 12<sup>th</sup>. The Rose Frolik lunch will be held April 14<sup>th</sup>.

Meeting adjourned at 12:50 p.m.

Submitted by Marsha Yelden, Recording Secretary