



Coming Events June 8, 2023



Attendance: 10 Members

Guests: Jan Bradley, Jolene Hackman, and Lori Baumgartner.

Drawing: Lloyd Viehland

June Birthdays: Darin Chandler 3, Don Helmreich 10, and Lauren Helmreich 25

Cooks: the Membership

Coming Events:

Club Soccer, Sat, June 10, 3:00-5:00, Tm 2; 5:00-7:00, Tm 3

Club Soccer, Wed, June 14, 7:00, Tm 4

Club Soccer, Sat, June 17, 3:00-6:00, Tm 5; 6:00-9:00, Tm 1

Today's Meeting: Lloyd Viehland opened the meeting with our invocation, then we sat down to our slider dinner. We heard from Lori Baumgartner, from the Cinderella's Closet before we started our business meeting. Jan Bradley let us in the Pledge of Allegiance to open our meeting. It was reported that Wayne Forbis is home from the hospital and feeling better. It was also reported that Larry French is scheduled to begin kidney dialysis treatments. Kayde Holton is still at her daughter's home, but is feeling better. The club has purchased a Square reader which will allow us to accept credit cards at our Columbia College concession stands. We will try out this new system at the soccer double header this weekend. Mike Gregory is scheduled for back surgery in a couple of weeks. We need a volunteer to help with the lawn mowing at the clubhouse for the rest of the summer. We are looking at a fund raiser at a local restaurant. There are several restaurants who will help us raise funds by giving us back a portion of the proceeds from food sales on a designated day. All we have to do is get a code to use at the register when we order our food and we will get a rebate on sales. We do not all have to dine at the same time, but we can use the code for our orders all day long. We are looking at doing this at Shakespeare's Pizza next month. The Columbia service clubs are looking at a Habitat for Humanity blitz program to build four homes this fall. We will get more information on this program at upcoming meetings. Loren and Lindsey have set up a new club website. I can access the site on my phone, but I cannot access it on my computer. I don't know what the problem is, but I will pass on the information when we resolve the problem. Cheryl Gregory led us in the Optimist Creed to close the meeting

Today's Program: Lori Baumgartner spoke to us about the Cinderella's Closet program. She showed pictures of happy girls they have helped. This past prom season, they helped 40-42 girls attend their high school proms. They now have their own permanent location in Millersburg for their storage and meetings. We have supported this group for several years now and earlier this year we contributed \$500 to their cause. If you have clothes, shoes, or jewelry to contribute to their operation, you can donate to Upscale Retail and specify the gift is for Cinderella's Closet.