



Coming Events March 5, 2019

Attendance, 16

Guests: Joe Chee

Drawing Winner: Linda French

March Birthdays: Milford Shepherd 12, Lindsey Wulff 14, Harold Hackman 21, Craig Adams 23, and Hugh Murrell 31

Cooks, Linda French, Mike Gregory, and Jack

Coming Events:

AMC WBB, Th, Mar 5, 7:00, Tm 3

Lacrosse, Sat, Mar 7, 1:00, Tm 5

Gymnastics Tournament, Fri-Sun, Mar20-22

Lacrosse, Sat, Mar 28, 1:00, Tm 3

Today's Meeting: President Mike Gregory opened the meeting at 6:45. Lloyd Viehland led us in our invocation. Lauren Helmreich led us in the Pledge of Allegiance. It was reported that Linda French's back surgery has been moved back to April 6. Bob Bratton and Tom Andert are both making good progress in their recuperation. We keep getting good reports on Jim Ballenger and we hope to have him back with us someday soon. Kenny Ratliff volunteered to join Tom and Lloyd in the rotation for setting up the clubhouse before our meetings. Don't forget next Thursday's evening meeting will be a St. Patrick's Day celebration with a corned beef and cabbage dinner. Get your Irish deserts and side dishes ready. Jack went over the work schedule for Columbia College. The big thing on the horizon is the State Gymnastics Tournament on March 20-22. Kayde Holton read the minutes from our last board meeting. We talked briefly about former CC Director of Athletics, Bob Burchard and his fishing prowess. Bill Clark did a recent 3-part article on Bob. You can find Bill's columns on www.patreon.com/yeoldclark. Doug Oncken and Mike Gregory have been putting up some new siding in the clubhouse and the room seems much brighter. Thanks guys. We should be ready for the painters to come in the week of March 16, Cheryl Gregory led us in the Optimist Creed to close the meeting.

Today's Program: This morning, Joe Chee spoke to us about a new organization in town called UKATSU. We worry about kids spending all their time playing video games. UKATSU preaches balance between gaming, relationships, physical activity and personal development and how parents can get on board with the idea of the UKATSU Gamer. They teach what it means to be a good "digital citizen" and how to behave with respect online. Learn more online at ukatsu.org.

Upcoming Programs:

Mar 12 Pet

Mar 19 Diamond Council

Mar 26 The VA Resource Center