

St. Rita's Men's Club Monthly Meeting

September 16, 2010

7:00 PM

The meeting started out with a joint meeting with the CCW. That meeting was conducted by Joe Colello to discuss the details of the pancake breakfast and the responsibilities of both the men's club and the CCW club. Ed Carone will take care of the kitchen along with help from the men's club the CCW club will be assisting in serving and assisting guest. It is our intent to have all of the ingredients donated, for advertising Tom O'Hare said he would have his son Brian make a poster boards for this fundraiser and Tom would cover the cost.

Attendees at this meeting are as follows: Father Tom, Ron Michalak, Bill Bergelechner, Gene Fowler, Tom O'Hare, Charlie Thompson, Jim Kelly, Jim Mahan, Joe Colello, Vic Penn, Michael Klein.

St. Rita's men's clubs meeting was called order by Michael Klein approximately at 7:30 PM.

Minutes were read by Mike Klein for the April meeting of 2010. A call was made to accept the minutes as read by Gene Fowler were seconded by Jim Kelly and were voted for approval.

There was no treasurers report because Vern Quast was absent from the meeting because of the surgery that was being performed on Margie.

Old Business:

The progress and future requirements for the food trailer were discussed. The trailer will be 24 feet long 7 feet wide a sign will be provided to identify the trailer, insurance requirements were discussed and that information would be available for the next meeting. The trailer is in need of the following equipment, a three compartment sink, and an exhaust system the projected increase in cost would be approximately \$2500. These additional items are required in order to meet licensing requirement for the state of Florida. A motion was put to the floor to assign \$2500 to be used for the added expenses to bring the trailer up to code. Joe Colello said that at present the men's club has a zero balance in the checking account and that we would have to wait for money to be raised from both the pancake breakfast and future fish fry. Joe also told the men's club that we had to borrow money from the CCW women's club and we would pay that money back from future fundraisers.

New Business:

There was a request that the men's club we do the cooking for the blessings of the pets on Wednesday night. Father Tom told us that there would not be a mass and a spirit night meeting. Joe said that he would make the arrangements and acquire the necessary food.

Stewardship Sunday was discussed as to the meaning of stewardship and how the members of the men's club could and should participate in meeting new people that we see that our attending St. Rita for the first time, or are sitting alone, or need help in any way to provide assistance and help to those people that are attending St. Rita.

Mike discussed the revenues from last year and its distribution which included the monies spent on the trailer, the monies distributed to the CCW, the house of humanities, and other distributions.

Mike Klein brought up a motion to supply a breakfast for the South Walton high school football team. The dates available are October 22, the 29th, and November 5. Ed Corone said he would help. The cost to provide the food was discussed and a determination of approximately \$100 to \$125 would be required. Joe brought up the information that the men's club had no money at this particular time to cover this cost. It was discussed and decided that any members that were present at the men's club meeting would volunteer to donate approximately \$20-\$25 each so that we could provide this request from South Walton high school. Four members came up and donated \$20 each for a total of \$80 and the balance to be collected at our next meeting. The following donated the \$20, Bill Berglechner, Charlie Thompson, Joe Colello, and Michael Klein. Joe Colello brought up the motion, it was seconded, and approved.

A motion to adjourn was made by Jim Kelly, it was seconded, and approved

The meeting ended with a prayer