

Rotary Club of Rayne

Minutes

April 18, 2019

The meeting was called to order by President Jimmy Fontenot with Prayer and The Pledge of Allegiance.

The speakers list is as follows:

April 25, 2019 –DeBorah Smith

May 2, 2019 –Phyllis Arceneaux

May 9, 2019 – Ed Taylor

May 16, 2019---Michelle Veillon

May 23, 2019 --- Not filled yet.

President Fontenot reported that Paige Dupont has two RYLA applicants and possibly a third one.

Board Meeting was held on Wednesday, April 17, 2019. Cynthia Oliver presented a request to the Board and membership that our Rotary Club and Rayne High Interact Club work at the refreshment booth at Rayne Frog Festival on one or all days from May 9-11, 2019. After a brief discussion, a motion was made by Jared Lawless that we work Rayne Frog Festival Refreshment Booth the Thursday and Friday, May 9 and 10, 2019. The motion was seconded by Ed Taylor and carried.

President Fontenot received a letter from Frank Bradshaw telling our club that an International Rotary Director will be elected at the 2020 Rotary International Convention in Hawaii. The RI Director nominees are among those in our zone and they are as listed below:

Martha Collins PPD 17-18 - Mike Collins PPD 08-09 - Mike Hayes PDD 15-16

Greg Landry PDD 09-10 - Francis Nezianya PDD 16-17

The membership decided to wait to vote at next Thursday's regular meeting. Deadline for submitting a vote for one of the above is May 8, 2019.

Ken Arceneaux sent a message that the plumber he spoke with is acquiring a new water fountain and donating it to the Children's Museum. We will acknowledge his generosity with a thank you card signed by members.

Bob Landry reported that 48 bricks will be installed at the Veteran's Memorial in Rayne. He also reported that this installation of the bricks will bring capacity to 50% full.

Steve Bandy made a motion to approve the minutes as circulated. The motion was seconded by Bob Landry and carried.

Nick Simoneaux made a motion to adjourn. Motion was seconded by Abby Guidry and carried.