

L.A.D. Board Meeting

Saturday, August 7, 2010

Lafayette Athletic Association of the Deaf Hall

Vice President Ed Wood called the meeting to order at 9:05 a.m.

Absent: President Randy Pippins and Alexandria Chapter Representative Thelma Covello.

Present: Vice President Ed Wood, Secretary Pauline Wood, Treasurer Kenny Davis, 3 members at large: Bobbie LeFors, Cleve Cormier and Joseph Perrodin. Chapter representatives: Donna Cormier for LAAD, Judith Perrodin for LADBC, and Shirley Delahoussaye for LRID.

Joseph Perrodin led the pledge to the flag.

The minutes of the board meeting last May 8, 2010 was approved without correction.

V.P. Ed Wood read President Randy Pippins' report:

- * Encouraged us to have the next conference at Alexandria on June 3 and 4 of 2011.
- *Already asked Dr. Glenn Anderson to be our workshop speaker. He accepted to do so.
- *Encouraged us to attend Hatrak sisters workshop on August 21.
- *Encouraged us to support Dr. Monita Hara who is the new director at L.S.D.

V.P. Ed Wood's report:

- * Bingo workers have done an outstanding job every Tuesday and Friday.

Secretary Pauline Wood's report:

- *NAD conference at Philadelphia, Penn. last month went well. NAD covered airfare, room, registration and banquet for two delegates for a total of \$2,485.00. The balance NAD owes us is \$2515.00.
- *Randy Pippins and Pauline Wood went to Southwest Regional Black Deaf Advocate conference in New Orleans last July 30 and 31. It was hosted by New Orleans Black Deaf Advocates.
- *There was a town meeting at LSD with Dr. Hara last Aug. 2. LAD will be on advisory council which is new at LSD.
- *Contacted NAD's new CEO, Howard Rosenblum to be our guest speaker at LAD conference this coming June.
- *Contacted Ella Lentz of Deafhood to confirm about the workshop on March 19, 2011.

Treasurer Kenny Davis's report:

***Audited and approved. (3 pages)**

***Website is up and running. Got positive comments about it.**

Members-at-large reports:

***Cleve Cormier expressed concerns about deaf senior citizens. We could help them receive information via web.**

***Bobbie LeFors encouraged us to read more about HR3101.**

Unfinished business:

Pauline Wood = We need to remind Randy Pippins to meet with Dr. Hara about needy students at L.S.D.

New business: Three (3) Motions

- 1. Kenny Davis (B. LeFors) Conference in Alexandria on June 3 & 4 of 2011. Carried**
- 2. Pauline Wood (K. Davis) Complimentary 2 year membership to Dr. Hara. Carried**
- 3. Shirley Delahoussaye (C. Cormier) Send LAD's representative, Pauline Wood, to LRID conference this October. Carried**

Announcements:

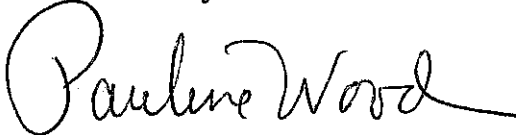
=Judith Trahan- LADBC will celebrate it 30th anniversary on September 4.

=Donna Cormier thanked us on behalf of Mary Breaux for our support.

The next board meeting will be held at 9:00 am on Nov. 13 at LAD office in Baton Rouge.

Meeting is adjourned at 11:00 a.m.

Submitted by

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Pauline Wood". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a large initial 'P'.

Pauline Wood, Secretary