



AFA Chapter 416 – Northeast Texas

Meeting Minutes: 18 June 2014 // 11:30 // McCullough room

Meeting call to order: Opening comments from Trey Johnson

- Trey Johnson presided and called the meeting to order and thanked all for attending.
- Minutes from last month's meeting were distributed and approved.
- Trey needs to check back with Greg Hamilton and get commitment, if possible

Treasurer's Report:

- Treasury Report approved – Trey distributed treasurer's report
- Total balance is \$14,824
 - Vance reminded all that we need to draw down the delinquent education funding such as the Billy Bryant Fund to make education/scholarship payouts.
 - Trey mentioned that Joe will get tax free form to IRS asap
 - Need new Treasurer; Joe Gauthier will be officially resigning

ADVOCATE

Golf Thing: (Terry):

- Event will be held on the 27th of September

- Vance mentioned that if Marcy Whited and Paula Uland could both still work the Golf Thing, then it's possible that we could increase their requested donation of \$730 for their Rocket Science Project. – Larry will talk to them
 - Will need (4) people for (2) courses instead of the normal (2)
- AFI is preparing to ship box with auction items
- HMX1 auction item contact is no longer available – Terry will try to make a new one
- Tournament is committed to both Oak Creek and Municipal this year
- We just need to have (1) auction site
- Need to tag and price auction items
- Vance said we should have a good program setup to print out invoices, receipts, letters and checklists this year
- We need to get posters and flyers out asap
 - Vance will get with Proposal Services

Newsletter: (Vance):

- Working with Proposal Services on the first draft for the 2nd quarter issue

AFA Magazine: (NTR)

Wingman Magazine: (NTR)

Webpage: (Vance):

- Attendees voted on providing \$1200 for Wordpress software upgrade
 - ½ now; ½ later
- Working with Audrey Casper to get ENP photos uploaded

Coins: (NTR)

EDUCATE

ENP Scholarships:

- Vance will be pushing out ENP requests
- Trey will get photos of GCS TOY sign out in front of the school for publicity

ENP Banquet Prep: (NTR)

CyberPatriot:

- Trey mentioned he got email from CyberPatriot with latest news
- Vance is going to followup to see who is coaching during the next session

Robotics (NTR):

Other STEM efforts:

- Larry Ratliff provided handouts for Farmersville Science Projects from Marcy Whited:
 - \$730 for Rocket Science
 - Up to \$5000 for Outdoor Lab
 - Some research data was provided for possible jet propulsion projects in the future

SUPPORT

CAP:

- Chuck Meador at doctor for his back
- Today is Patrick Pierce's first day at the Air Force Academy

Community Partners:

- CPs are in good shape
- (4) are overdue, but Danny Keen said he will renew
- There are (30 new CPs to cover for the (3) CPs we lost due to business shut downs
- Terry thinks we can renew Applebee's – He will visit
- Trey asked about Lloyd Bly – Terry said his membership application was sent out in the mail
- Trey asked about the Waterpark CP – Terry said subcontractor pulled out
 - It might start up in time for next Memorial Day
- Vance mentioned Alliance Bank – Rockwall as a possible CP – He will visit
 - Terry mentioned that Charlie Helm is one of the chairs on the Alliance Bank board; that could help

Social Media:

- Vance working to get ENP video uploaded to Facebook
- Google security issues
- No way to tell if site is getting visited

Veteran's Affairs: (Larry)

- Next Bonham visit will be Nov 1
- Trey talked about the 70th anniversary of D-Day and Harold Dietz being inducted into the French Foreign Legion as a result of his service during D-Day
- Tyra from the Bonham VA Hospital is now Tyra Johnson – she just got married
- Saturday, the 21st is Audie Murphy Day in Farmersville
 - It will last from 9:00 am to mid-afternoon
 - Ted Oats will be speaking at the Onion Shed downtown

Membership: (NTR)

Airpower Advocate: (NTR)

Future Interactive Efforts: (NTR)

Additional News

- **Trey will be attending state meeting in Abilene August 1-3**
 - **Vance trying to get there for Saturday sessions**
- **Nathan Thern attended for the first time Lives near Bonham; Randolph AFB – Is a member of the Air National Guard - Engineering and Insulation Squadron — travels a lot**
- **Registration for National Convention is now open**
 - **Trey and Vance are attending**
 - **Need to get registered, setup travel and reimbursements**
- **Trey needs to talk to L-3 management on donation plan**

Meeting adjourned at 12:20

2014 Meeting Attendance

Name	Jan 8th	Feb 12th	Mar 12th	Apr 9th	May 14th	Jun 18th	Jul 9th	Aug 13th	Sep 10th	Oct	Nov	Dec
Tom Bailey	X	X	X	X		X						
Luis Benavides												
TSgt Cheyenne Bode			X	X	X							
Tammy Bryant		X										
Mark Bushnell		X	X									
Jim Carter	X											
Vance Clarke	X	X	X	X	X							
SMSgt Curtis Chism	X		X	X								
Foye Davis												
Joe Gauthier												
SMSgt Greg Hamilton		X										
MSgt Erik Halvorsen												
Jim Henderson												
Trey Johnson	X	X	X			X						
Marsha Krotky												
Dennis Mathis		X										
Chuck Meador	X		X									
Ted Oats			X									
Larry Ratliff			X	X	X	X						
Nathan Thern						X						
Terry Thomas	X	X				X						
Ricky Williams			X			X						
MSgt Ryan Wiebbecke				X								
Joe Wiser												

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