Lakeview Soroptimist February business meeting Elks Lodge February 7, 2023

members in attendance: Nicki Alves, Lana Castel, Kit Collins, Ceci Farmen, Ann Logan, Joyce Mobley, Stefani Roseberry, Ann Sabin, Janine Simms, Barb Simpson, Gloria Stringer, Deanna Walls, Lissa Webbon, Judy Graham

President Janine called the meeting to order at 12:05.

- **minutes:** Deanna moved to approve the January minutes as emailed to members. Stefani seconded the motion which was approved unanimously.
- **correspondence:** Janine read thank-you notes from Susan Warner, Fremont/AD Hay principal, and Susane Davis, elementary music teacher, thanking Soroptimist for accepting their applications for Programs of Service monies.
- **treasurer's report:** January's beginning balance is \$11,376.95, and the ending balance is \$11,628.16. The report has been filed with the audit committee.

committee reports:

- **The Holiday Luncheon** All bills have been paid. As chair of the committee, Mikell will give us a report at the next business meeting.
- **SIA Award Committee** Kelly Utley has been selected to receive the Live Your Dream Award. She will be introduced at a meeting later this year.
- **Membership Committee -** Two new members, Lisa Pike and Nora Taylor, will be inducted next week at the February 14th evening meeting .There is a possibility of two more members, but final paperwork hadn't been submitted as of the board meeting. Teresa Barry will be conducting the induction.
- **Cow Pie Bingo** The committee has ordered tickets for the event which will be held Saturday, April 15th, in conjunction with the gun show at the fairgrounds.
- **Senior Girls' Luncheon** The luncheon has been scheduled for Tuesday, May 16th, and will begin at 11:30 am.

new business:

Soroptimist aprons – Beth Chartier will make new Soroptimist aprons at a cost of \$30 for any members who would like to order them. Bev Bender will make new member name tags with the new Soroptimist logo for \$2.00. Upon confirmation of the prices, Janine will circulate a sign-up sheet for orders. Payment must be made upon ordering. **Ways and Means:** As committee chair, Lissa Webbon proposed a new project for our club to sponsor: a Run for the Roses event to be held May 6th in conjunction with the Kentucky Derby. Any monies raised would be donated to the Elks' roofing project. After a brief discussion, Ann Logan moved, seconded by Kit Collins, to approve the project. Approval was unanimous.

announcements:

Zoom area meeting: Janine reminded us that the Zoom area meeting, hosted by our club, is Wednesday, February 22nd, from 6 to 8 pm. Janine will host light hors d'oeuvres and refreshments at her home, beginning at 5:45. Members can also log into the meeting at their homes. Gloria Stringer will be the guest speaker on the topic "Human Trafficking...Yes, even in Lakeview, Oregon."

Barb Simpson substituting for Sue McNeley, secretary