

Minutes of the last reunion

REUNION MINUTES

July 19, 2008

The meeting of the 67th Reunion of the vonRosenberg Family of Texas was called to order by President Pam Peters at 1:00 p.m. on July 19, 2008. Following the Pledge of Allegiance, the President welcomed everyone.

Clayton Bechtol traveled the farthest distance, coming from Reno, Nevada. Edna vonRosenberg, at 98 years of age, was the oldest family member present. The youngest member present was Rebecca Juranek, five years old; the daughter of Ann and Tom Juranek.

Graduations, births, and employment were among the family achievements reported. Art and Susan Green's son was married in Norway, with Glenn and Jo vonRosenberg in attendance to represent the von Rosenberg family. Art will be showing a video of the wedding and reception later this afternoon for those interested.

Self introductions were made. There were approximately 66 members in attendance for the whole weekend, plus many more who came just for the business meeting.

Motion was made, seconded and carried to dispense with the reading of the Minutes of last year's meeting. Forrest Campbell read the Treasurer's Report, showing an ending balance of \$4,007.89. Forrest asked for donations for the beer and lifeguard funds. We will also have some expense for the entertainment scheduled for tonight.

Historian's Report: Arthur von Rosenberg has been elected Chairman of the Historical Committee. Arthur announced that Ann Barnes will be stepping down from the Committee and thanked her for all her work. Ann was thanked with a round of applause. Ann then presented J. T. Koenig's report, in his absence. Robert Barritt of Branch V was introduced and presented some very informative information he has researched on Amanda Fallier.

Old Business:

There was a review of our book inventory. A discussion of tee-shirts was held and a committee of Susan von Rosenberg, Darlyn Cartwright, and Kurt von Rosenberg was appointed to produce tee-shirts for our next reunion.

New Business:

Motion made, seconded and carried to hold our Reunion next year here at Camp Lone Star at the same time as this year.

The President stated that the present officers will be completing their terms of office next year. She has appointed a nominating committee, with Karl von Rosenberg as the Chairman. If anyone would like to serve as an officer, please let us know. Shirley Meerscheidt was thanked for her eight years of service as Secretary.

The President reminded everyone to send in their registration forms for next year's Reunion. She has to give the Camp the number of people we will have for meals, and it is difficult when we don't know who is coming. She also encouraged everyone to participate in the silent auction, as this is one way we pay for the expenses of the reunion.

Bill von Rosenberg III reported that the third annual golf tournament was played on Friday at the LaGrange Country Club and they hope to return to this course again next year. He announced the winning team and encouraged everyone to play in the tournament next year, whether you have experience or not.

Neale Rabensburg was thanked for the morning tour of the Krieske Home and the Brewery. Neale then invited everyone to the Meerscheidt House at 7:00 p.m. tonight for a dessert reception. He announced that we will have live music by Pam Peters' sister Pat and her polka band from Austin.

There being no further business, the meeting was closed at 2:15 p.m.

Shirley Meerscheidt, Secretary