

WHITE COUNTY RETIRED TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION
OCTOBER 24, 2007
SUBLETTE'S RESTAURANT

President Karen Ward opened the meeting. President Ward led the Pledge of Allegiance and offered the thought for the day on five life lessons. The minutes from the September 26 meeting were distributed and approved as corrected. Treasurer Leona Gordon presented the treasurer's report showing a final balance of \$358.00. The report was filed for audit.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

AUDIT: Vicki Condo audited the books and found all accounting to be in order.

COMMUNITY SERVICE: Colleen Shook reminded us to continue keeping track of our volunteer hours and to separate the youth hours from the other volunteer hours. She also reported that this year's hours will need to be turned in by December.

CONCERNS/SERVICE: Lynn Zygmund reported that she had been notified of concerns for Karen Ward and Nadine Walker for their upcoming knee replacement surgeries.

LEGISLATIVE: Dave Kelly reported on COLA legislation.

NECROLOGY: Leona Gordon reported that Betty Cleefman has passed away.

PROGRAM: Frank Walker asked for suggestions for future programs. Leslie Goss from the White County Foundation was suggested. Connie Richardson also agreed to do a program on China

OLD / NEW BUSINESS:

CASA: Karen Ward discussed the Lafayette Journal and Courier article about the CASA program of advocates for children in the court system seeking the help of retired teachers. She stated that the program is not yet available locally.

WEB PAGE: Glen Wentland reported the website www.wcretiredteachersassoc.org is up and running. Some of the features include a

brief history of White County Education, minutes of the meetings, and links to the web sites for the four school corporations.

OTHER BUSINESS: The high school has asked for volunteers to act as greeters.

LUNCH:

Frank Walker offered the blessing before the lunch was served.

A delicious lunch was prepared by the staff of Sublette's Restaurant.

A big thank-you goes out to our hostesses Jennie Peters, Linda Terrell, and Lynn Zygmund for their delicious treats and beautiful decorations.

PROGRAM:

Juanita Rapp, former area 3 director, gave a terrific program on Sacagawea and her role in the Lewis and Clark Expedition. Her costume and props added greatly to the program.

NEXT MEETING:

The next meeting will be Wednesday, February 27, at Angler's. The program will consist of a legislative update.

Respectfully submitted,
Wanda Wentland, Secretary