

PAW Picnic 2024-06-22

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PAW General Meeting/Picnic June 22, 2024

This year our annual pot luck picnic was held at the Clubhouse at Victorian Estates in Prescott Valley. Special thanks to Gene and Shirley Perryman, who live at Victorian Estates, for making this possible.

The club provided Jack Daniels Pulled Pork sandwiches, water and soda. Those attending provided delicious salads and desserts. We certainly ate well!

The sign-in sheets showed total attendance of 69, of which 25 were guests. When everyone had found a seat, President Ric Davis greeted everyone. Among the announcements he gave was the reminder that Jay Loden wants pictures of each member for the website. Jay will be at the Tool Sale in July. Ric thanked Dean Humphrey for his work at the Farmer's Market and Larry and Ginny O'Brien for their work at the MAG sale.

Ric called upon Kathy Allen to describe the fledgling Women in Turning (WIT) club-within-a-club, who have had their initial meeting. The PAW WIT group is associated through PAW to the AAW. WIT recognizes that not all turners are men, and women may want their own slant on the process.

Howard Kesselman announced that PAW was named in the estate of former member Mike Adler. When all the paperwork is complete, PAW will have a sizeable nest egg. A committee of 7 has been named to oversee this money, and to make careful, long-range plans for its use.

Bruce Peek, who coordinates the Beads of Courage program, said he has a number of BoC containers in his inventory, but that he is always willing to store more. Bruce urged us to continue creating the containers, but, perhaps, to keep them at your shop until the call for more.

Ken Allen will be the demonstrator at the August General Meeting. His topic will be faux basket-weave embellishment.

This may have been the best picnic ever! The clubhouse at Victorian Estates is beautiful. Tables and chairs were provided and the kitchen better equipped than most homes. The assortment of foods was enticing, but the chance to visit with everyone was the best.

Respectfully submitted,

Marge Hunt, Secretary