Tyler A&M Mothers' Club CHRISTMAS DINNER December 6, 2018

The Christmas Dinner was held at El Charro on the Ridge at 6:30 p.m. with 32 in attendance. A mini-Boutique of Christmas ornaments, aprons, and a few other items were for sale.

Katie Latham, President, welcomed everyone. She reminded everyone that they could still buy **raffle tickets** for the T-shirt Quilt and Jane Metz-designed Aggie Mom bracelet that will be given away tonight. The prizes were on display. The **Membership Directories** were available at the meeting. Thanks to Tracye Martin for getting them done. Katie announced that the club would be celebrating our 70th birthday in February.

Attendees ordered their dinner. While waiting for dinner, attendees held an **Aggie ornament exchange**. Rebecca Mohr, Vice-President-at-Large, coordinated a dice game where attendees exchanged their ornaments based on the number that they rolled. Some numbers were to pass right, pass left, trade all with red bows, trade all with those wearing maroon, or trade with the person of your choice.

Katie said a blessing and sang her grandson's blessing song. Attendees enjoyed their dinner.

After dinner, Katie made a proclamation honoring **Patricia** Cussen as **2018** Member of the Year. Patricia has been making our T-Shirt Quilts for 19 years.

She noted that the **scholarship application forms** are available tonight. They are due February 1st and must have a transcript with the application. This can be the unofficial version.

Katie made the following announcements about our fundraisers:

- We get a portion of the proceeds from **Grub Burger** sales every Tuesday if you mention the Aggie Moms.
- We will get a portion of the proceeds from **Panera Bread** on Monday, January 14th if you show the Aggie Mom flyer.
- We are looking for donations of good **auction items** for the February celebration.
- We will be having a **wine pull** that night and need members to donate bottles of wine (that cost at least \$12).
- The **SPLAHOF dances** are being postponed until warmer weather. They will probably be moved to Saturday nights.

Rebecca and Tracye Martin, Membership, held **Door Prize Drawings**. Three gifts were given out.

The **Raffle Drawing** was held. Rebecca and the waitress drew Wendy Milam's name to win the Bracelet and Joleen Doke's name to win the T-Shirt Quilt. Rebecca announced that we raised \$620 on this raffle.

Katie thanked Martha Jane Wallace, Hospitality, for setting up tonight's venue. The dinner was adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

(Minutes by Jessica Knowles, Recording Secretary.)