

Tyler A&M Mothers' Club General Meeting & Tailgate Cookout April 5, 2024

The Tailgate Cookout was held in Karyn Ard's Backyard at 6:00 p.m. with 22 in attendance. Thanks to **Tracye and Kevin Martin** for providing and cooking the fajita meat, bacon-wrapped eggs and jalapenos, and sausage! Thanks to **Jones and Karyn Ard** for hosting! Thanks to the **Muffin Man** for baking his scrumptious caramel bars for dessert! Thanks to the **officers** for bringing the side dishes and accompaniments!

After eating, at 7:25 p.m., Treva Tew, President, welcomed everyone with a "Howdy". She thanked the Martins and the Ards.

Treva noted that:

- We had twenty-four qualified **scholarship applicants** who will each be getting \$500.
- We need help at **Boutique** next weekend, April 12 – 13th at our booth.
- The **Spring Goody Bag** orders are due April 18th. There will be a stuffing party that night at Pollard Methodist Church. Delivery will be Monday, April 29th.
- The **end-of-year meeting and officer installation** will be by May 2nd at Roma's Italian Kitchen.
- **Muster** will be held April 21st at Willow Brook Country Club. This is sponsored by the Tyler-Smith County A&M Club. They will present their scholarship winners that night. They had forty applicants, and we hope to get their names to invite their moms to join our club. We plan to work together more with the A&M Club.

Treva read the slate of **proposed officers for next year**:

President: Treva Tew

Vice-President-at-Large: Margaret Rapp

1st Vice-President (Membership): Jennifer King

2nd Vice-President (Programs): Angie Wood

3rd Vice-President (Publicity): Sarah Jane Walker

4th Vice-President (Projects): Karyn Ard

5th Vice-President (Hospitality): Lubica Pitonakova

Recording Secretary: Jessica Knowles

Corresponding Secretary: Denise Acosta

Treasurer: Shelley Mraz

Parliamentarian (Goody Bags): Susan LeJeune

Historian: Kathryn Whitmore

Ring of Honor Chair: Karyn Ard

Treva noted that we need coordinators for the various fundraisers: Boutique, Butter Braids, Garage Sale, Raffles, and T-Shirts. Karyn has lots of ideas for next year.

Robin Parrish made a **motion to elect the officers** presented. The motion was seconded by Lylyan Nobles, and it carried.

The meeting concluded at 7:35 p.m.

(Minutes by Jessica Knowles, Recording Secretary)