Frostburg Lions Club Minutes - November 12, 2014

The special dinner meeting was called to order by president Lion Bill. Lion Pat led the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag and the first verse of "My Country, 'Tis of Thee". He also gave our invocation. Dinner was catered by The Princess Restaurant.

After dinner, business was conducted. Members introduced themselves to our guests, Dianne and Bobby Care. Copies of the minutes from the previous meeting were distributed for members to read. Minutes were approved as written. Treasurer Lion Cindy gave her report.

REPORTS

Lion Linda advised that she will be attending the Region Wide Zone Meeting in Grantsville on Thursday, November 20. She asked Bill to provide her with a list of items he wished for her to report on at that meeting.

OLD BUSINESS

Lion Linda advised that her Pampered Chef Cooking Show was a success with 13 people present. On that day her sales were over \$1,100. Frostburg Lions will be receiving a check for \$200.

NEW BUSINESS

Lion Linda informed the members that she and Bill had "adopted" two children for Christmas. She advised that the Salvation Army had an article in the paper asking for sponsors for needy children in our area. According to the article they still had over 300 children that needed to have Christmas gifts bought for them. Once Linda gets the list of sizes and needed items, she will shop and purchase them. Items will be taken to the Salvation Army Headquarters. We will list this project as one of our service activities for the year. Linda advised that the money from Pampered Chef could be used for this project, along with private donations from Club members.

Lion Tina asked if the Club would be willing to give a donation towards the price of the bus taking the Mt. Ridge Marching Band to Disney World. A motion was made, seconded, and carried that we give the band \$100.00.

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was turned over to our guest speaker, Dianne Care, founder of the Ark of Hope Animal Rescue Shelter in Oldtown. The Ark takes in abused, abandoned and neglected animals and depends solely on private donations. We are still trying to raise money for her to purchase an 8 x 14 foot trailer. Upon conclusion, Dianne was presented with a \$500.00 check from the Club.

Respectfully submitted, Linda Baker (Secretary)