



Home of the AmTryke



We meet
Each Thursday at Noon
in the Heritage Room of
1st United Methodist
Church
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THE BOCCANEER

LONGVIEW AMBUCS

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Presiding: Chapin Miller
Prayer: Charlie McGregor
Pledge: Paul Herring

Members: ?

Guests:

- David Ware of John Durst
- Natalie Owen of Duke Owen
- Meagan Owen of Duke Owen

Attendance: \$413 John Durst

50/50: - \$53 Mike Tomanio

***8-27-15 speaker is Senator Louie Gohmert**

***9-3-15 David Collins – PT Football**

***9-10-15 Open**

***9-17-15 Business Meeting**

***9-24-15 Nathan Olson – Lgv Theater**

anyone who would like to do a trial run to help work out the kinks. Hot dogs will be served afterwards.

*Saturday morning, anyone who signed up for parking needs to be there at 5:30 a.m. Parking will begin at 6.

*Sunday morning, meet at WHQ at 7a.m. We need to move the obstacles back to WHQ. Should be done by 11. Lunch will be served.

*Texas Rangers donated \$10,000 again this year!!

*Ron Massey donated \$10,000 to the Miracle League so that Bob would take down the signs in front of Jucy's Taco. Good thinking Bob.

Mobility Bash

Paul Herring reported that there are still tickets outstanding. Sell them or get them back to him. He has people that want to buy them.

See Jeff Bishop with silent auction items & donations.

Next meeting is 8-26, 5:30 @ World HQ.

Ramps

Starting back up in September.

Social W/ National President

Patty will be in Longview August 30th for a social @ Carmela Davis' house at 6PM.

National Convention

Early registration was extended to September 14th. Rip the band-aid off & save \$50 by signing up now. This event is in Biloxi Mississippi September 30th-October 3rd.

Golf Tournament

Tommy said we're still on for October 16th.

Big Hatters

-Football Pot: Dick Allen & Tommy Knight are selling squares. There are around 20 left. Let them know if you or someone you know would like to participate. Remember, \$100 per square.

-Social: Danny Lee reported that even though he wasn't there, all that attended had fun.

-Newest Members: Congratulations Robert Lee!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Miracle League Mud Run IS THIS SATURDAY

*Bob says we need 10-12 more pop up tents for this event. Contact him at 903-235-3715.

*Friday the 21st, Groundbreaking ceremony is at 9 a.m. at Leer Park. Need as many AMBUCS there as possible. Be there at 8:30. Will be over by 10.

*Friday afternoon at 4p.m. we are meeting to put up the AMBUCS tent. Also, the course is open to



Also not pictured is Mike Tomanio who signed up 3 new members during spring roundup. According to Danny this is a record to the club.

Scholarships:

*Tubb was not present to give an update on scholarships. However, visitor Natalie Owen, a recipient of a \$1,400 scholarship was present to offer her thanks to the club.

Membership

*Danny Lee reported that we need more! Invite someone to lunch. The club will take care of their lunch on the first visit. You never know when the next visitor may be the guy who hits home runs during fund raising time.

Betty Banana

MIA again.



Today's Business Meeting

*Chapin discussed last night's board meeting, badgered Hewitt, & John Durst read the minutes.

Ambuc of the Day

Our newest Ambuc spoke to us today, Doug Barnard of Texas

Oncology. Doug has been married to his beautiful wife of 29 years. They have 2 children; a 23 year old son who is still figuring out what he wants to do, & a 20 year old daughter studying nursing @ Baylor with aspirations to be a nurse practitioner. Doug shared that his passion is golf.

Prayer Requests

*Harry Barth & his family need our prayers. His son & daughter are both battling cancer.

*Former member Tom Newton is having part of his leg amputated due to diabetes.

NEXT WEEK'S MEETING

We will be starting the meeting promptly at noon on Thursday to give Senator Gohmert time to visit with us. It's a good idea to show up by 11:30.