

MacWest General Meeting
May 7, 2010

Wally Bock opened the meeting at 1:00 p.m. with a welcome and introduction of guests. Also, a thanks to Gail and Karen for their great job with the cookies.

Wally called for a motion to accept the General Meeting Minutes of the April meeting as posted. It was so moved by Ron Watson and properly seconded and passed by club members.

Treasurer Bob Byrnes reported that there is \$17,715.12 in the treasury. Bob requested that the membership authorize the Board to spend up to \$3,000.00 during the summer for emergency needs. Bernardine Ginsberg so moved. The motion was properly seconded and passed by the members.

Judy Archer reviewed the method for signing up to monitor online.

Jean Christiansen reported that there are no classes until the Fall.

Program Chair Wally Bock reported that Friday presentations have been arranged through October and some in November and December. Wally advised that his committee will hold a brainstorming session to come up with fresh ideas for future presentations.

In Linda Victor's absence Wally told the group that 4,140 cell phones have been collected for Cell Phones for Soldiers which equates to 414,000 minutes of calling time for our troops overseas.

Ray Hicks won the 50/50 raffle giving him a whopping \$32.50.

New Business

Wally discussed laptops being used during the club meetings. He advised the group that the board had decided to request that members not use their laptops during presentations on Friday. It is acceptable to use them during Q and A, however, they are a distraction during the programs.

Announcement

There is no Q and A meeting on Tuesday, May 11, due to a Computers West meeting in Summit Rooms A and B at 1:00 p.m.

Meeting adjourned.

Submitted by,

Judy Van Sickle
Secretary