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| Print all  In new window  Riverside San Bernadino minutes for August 13, 2022.  Inbox     |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **Paulina Vazquez** | | Sep 8, 2022, 8:18 PM (2 days ago) |  |  |   Riverside San Bernadino Chapter Minutes for August 13, 2022:  Meeting Started at 10:05 AM.  Recite the pledge: Lead by Tippi.  Rollcall: Carmen, Barbra, Jordan, Sylvia, Tippi, and Paulina.  Secretary Report: Jordan inquired about the bracelets. Barbra explained the bracelets she is creating includes happy phrases. Motion to approve the previous minutes as read. Moved by Tippy. Second by Jordan. All agreed.  Treasury Report: As of August 13, 2022: total: 1,730.77   Old Business:  National Convention Jul 5-10, 2022. Hotel issues due to a festival. Other issues with people having Covid.  Covid tests are available to use with a smartphone via Bluetooth. Visit [nfb.org](http://nfb.org/) for more or call national.  :. Will resend to list.  Elections:  Elections are open and occurs in October. All officers are open.  Carmen recommends reading the Chapters Constitution, so everyone knows what positions are responsible for.  If all positions are not filled board members need to take on more responsibilities along with the president. Need to be able to help the President with other positions.  Membership Committee:  Chairperson: Jordan.  Chairpersons If you do not hear from any board member or chapter member, please contact us with any ideas regarding the committees.  Duties: Includes If you need information such as membership roster and discussing with the board with any ideas related to membership.  Membership roster needs to stay up to date due to some members staying but are inactive.  The committee is encouraged to call inactive members.  Once updated roster all will receive a copy of the roster.  Legislative Committee:  Tippi indicated the access technology is really being pushed for. August is the best time to getting action to pushed towards. Getting close to getting the access to technology passed.  Any information related to the bills please forward to the list.  Contact people as no members response to the list.  Presidential Release:  Tippi briefly summarized the release for June. Discussed national convention, next years convention being July 1-6, 2022. Amendment to the constitution was adopted unsure which amendment was. Discussed ADA anniversary 36 years. October blindness equality awareness month. October 15th, white cane day. 2023 calendars are available. Trying to approve to NFB Newsline to give parental rights to monitor kids. Center for nonvisual access holding a seminar. Basics to technology www.nfb,org for more monthly biotech. Independence market has brochures as well. We may have brochures   Independence market website is being reworked on.    Resource meeting at Janet Goski:  On September 15, 2022, from 4-6 PM the Janet Goski is having a resource fair. We will have a booth where we share literature and other information related to the NFB. Members are encouraged to come and provide information. Read the literature before we go and assist. Paulina suggested gathering literature for any events. We will be ordering more.    October White cane day:  Need to find something to celebrate. Suggested a city walk. Suggested meeting to a location and walk together.   Wil discuss it more.  Suggestions are welcome.  Suggestion adding to blind equality awareness month tying it with national disability awareness month.  Events throughout the month.  We need a committee and chairpersons.  Chairperson: Paulina.  One committee for all these events.  We will know by next meeting.   President speaking at chapters presidential release:  The President can do a release at a chapter meeting.  More information to come.  Jazzy social book club:  Date: August 19, 2022, 6 PM.  Via zoom.  Book: What keeps me standing a grandmothers guide to hope and inspiration. DB: 59539.  10 hours read.  Will send to list.  Any recommendations let Barbra and Sylvia know.  Bell Academy:  Sessions were a success. Ended August 5, 2022.  Had 8 children this year.  New Business:  Washington seminar is occurring. More information by November.  Application is usually either during or after state convention.  Unsure how it is going to happen virtual or in-person.  Jordan suggesting Way Map If in-person.  Presidents Notebook:  Will send the next book for September so we can add others to the book club discussion.  More information will be available.  Deadline last week of the month.  Pac Plan:  Chapter is on our Pac plan. We can individually be on the Pac plan at a minimum of $5 per month donations towards NFB.  WE are 5th on the list of states for the PAC plan for members to apply for a plan.  NFB Interests California:    Barbra has a class for an interest group.  Jewelry making. Via Zoom second Tuesday of each month. Provides a list of materials, where to buy, and price. From 5-6 PM.  Next class: Tuesday: September 13, 2022.  Fundraiser:  Barbra has bracelets made for selling at state convention. Samples with name bracelets. Discussed having friendships with saying such as happiness, smile, and blessings. Creating more name bracelets. Currently has some starting with the letter A. Various colors are available.  Beaded bracelets.  With a block of letters that no matter which way it is turned the name is spelled out.  Currently have 10.  Needs assistance in creation of bracelets.  Paulina suggested a bundle package such as 2 for $10 or something else.  Suggested $5 per month.   Also, friendships are suggested.  Suggestions for different colors like holiday colors.  Thanksgiving colors.  Friendships is the focus for the fundraiser.  Name: Friendship bracelet fundraiser.  State Convention:  Location: Old town San Diego.  Dates: November 3-6, 2022.   Hotel: Courtyard Marriott.   3 days to cancel.  Price: $168 with Tax. Note mention you are with NFB. Without tax: $149.  Reservations are currently being accepted.  Pre-registration is currently available from August 8-October 31, 2022, note rates will increase.  Visit: <http://www.nfbcal.org/2022-state-convention/> for more information.  Transportation: Amtrack Pacific surf liner is 5 minutes to the hotel.  No agenda currently.  At least 6 people in the Chapter are attending.  Registration is usually $25.  Options may be available to aid with cost.  Recommended to get a stipend.  For convention.  Provide at least $100 to the state.  Possible money will take out stipend for registration and possibly banquet.  Basket:  Chairperson: Tippi.  Gift cards: for the basket.  Suggestion a Christmas stocking with the gift cards.  Theme possible: Christmas is closer.  Deadline: First week of October.  Gift cards at $100.  One per each store.  Three gift cards possible.  Tippi: $25 from target.  $25 Walmart Barbra.  Jordan: $50 Amazon.  Can add for candy or any other aspects to stocking.  Carmen will send money to people of stuff is purchased.  Still will need theme and items.  Adjournment:  Motion to adjourn the meeting.  Moved by Tippi.  Seconded by many.  All agreed.  Meeting ended at 11:54 AM.   |  |  | | --- | --- | |  | ReplyForward | |  |  |