Minutes of the MD7 Business Meeting 4/30/16 Clarksville, AR

The meeting was called to order by CC Angela Smith at 3:25 p.m. The following committees were introduced:

- Credential Committee
- Rules Committee
- Resolution Committee
- Constitution & By-Laws Committee
- Sergeant- at- Arms Committee.

There was no old business to conduct. The following committee reports were provided under new business:

- Credential Report by PDG Rich Fischer. Lion Fischer reported that there were no resolutions to vote on this year.
- Rules Committee by 2nd Vice District Governor Bobby McMillion. Lion McMillion stated that 2016 MD7 Standing Rules of the MD7 Convention was provided and there were no changes.
- No reports were given by the Resolutions or Constitution & By-Laws Committees.

Centennial Celebration: Cake, Ice Cream, Punch and FUN! DGE John announced the winners if the MD7 Challenge.

- Lion of the Year: Lion Katherine Keahey (Grady) sponsored five new members
- Lion of the Year: Lion Ronald McNamar (Malvern) sponsored five new members.
- Club of the Year: (Legacy project) Little Rock South Lions Clubs restoring history by refurnishing a bell tower for Landmark School.
- Membership Challenge: (Large Club) Hope Lions Club with a increase of 13 new members.
- Membership Challenge: (Small Club) Gravel Ridge Lions Club with a increase of 12 new members.

CC Angela shared that the 2017 State Convention will be held in Hope, AR on April 28 -29. The Hope Lions Club will be the host club. The 2017 Mid-Winter Leadership Forum will be in Harrison, AR on January 27-28. The Harrison Lions Club will be the host.

CCE Stan stated the Special Olympics Summer games will be held on May 27-28, at Harding in Searcy. A great way to get involved and volunteer.

With no further business to conduct a motion was made by CCE Stan McDougal to adjourn. Second by Lion Art Ritter. Motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

Wanda Barnett Administrative State Secretary Lions of Arkansas