

Raymore Chamber of Commerce
General Membership Meeting Minutes
June 29, 2011

The Raymore Chamber of Commerce held its regularly scheduled general membership meeting in the form of a progressive dinner on Tuesday, June 28, 2011. Chamber members met and parked their cars & loaded the bus provided by Apple Bus Company at The Chamber Office located in the Country Club Bank building.

The first stop was at Foxwood Springs where appetizers were served. The bus unloaded at the main doors. An array of appetizers were served in Bromwell Lounge along with a variety of beverages.

The next stop was for salads hosted by The Rehabilitation Center of Raymore. The salads were delicious & most everyone agreed that they should stop eating at this point, but still have two more stops to make!

As the group unloaded the bus & walked up the stairs at Community Bank of Raymore the smell of chicken lemonada & fresh steamed vegetables enticed their pallets & all were ready to eat again.

While Chamber members were enjoying the main course, Bryan Mallory, President, called the meeting to order. Prayer was led by Jason Matters and the pledge to the American flag was recited. Secretary and Treasurer's reports were distributed on the tables for members to review.

Wendy Brown, Membership Committee Chairman, presented certificates for business of the month to Dairy Queen & Mr. Stephen Rew, Choir Director for the Raymore-Peculiar Intermediate Schools.

After the brief meeting, the group of approximately 50 was transported to The Country Club Bank for cupcakes & ice cream. A wonderful way to top off a great evening of fun.

Office Updates:

- 2011 new/renewed membership currently stands at 155. 53 New Resident packets were mailed out for the month of June, 2011.
- \$5 KC Royals tickets were made available to Chamber Members. 760 tickets have been given to the Raymore Chamber of Commerce for the August 7th game to distribute and sell. All profit of the sale of these tickets will go directly to the Chamber. Members were encouraged to promote this great deal that could generate as much as \$3,800.

Upcoming events were listed on the agenda which include the following:

- Thursday, June 30 – Golf Tournament Committee Meeting at the Country Club Bank Community Room, 9 am.
- Thursday, June 30 – Research Belton Hospital Diabetes Education 101 Seminar, Research Belton Hospital Community Room, 2-3:30 pm.
- Saturday, July 2 – Awe Massage Open House, 200B S. Sunrise, 10:00 am – 3:00 pm.
- Monday, July 4 – Raymore Chamber Office Closed for Independence Day Holiday.
- Friday, July 8 – Monthly Morning Coffee hosted by Heritage Chiropractic & Wellness Center, Raymore, from 7:30 – 9:00 am.
- Wednesday, July 13 – Membership Committee Meeting, Country Club Bank, 11 am.
- Thursday, July 14 – Cass County Coalition of Chambers Meeting hosted by the Belton Chamber of Commerce, 11:45 am. Location to be announced.
- Thursday, July 21 – Monthly Board Meeting at Country Club Bank Community Room at noon.
- **Tuesday, July 26 – Monthly Membership Luncheon Meeting at Gregory's 11:30 am – Networking/Registration. Noon – Meeting / Luncheon**

Meetings & Events:

Thursday, July 7 – Open House / Meet & Greet to introduce the addition of Dr. Spencer Kurk, General Surgeon, to Research Belton Hospital. (7:30 – 8:30 pm)

Every Tuesday during the summer – 4:00 – 8:00 - Raymore Farmer's Market (located on Washington Street). There are 17 vendors at this time.

With no further business to be brought before the general membership, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara Long
Secretary