Ruth LWML Guild Meeting Minutes

June 15, 2024

Members Present: 17

Mites: \$98.22 Mite Box: \$0 Mite Total: \$98.22 Home: \$151.00 Mite and Home Total: \$249.22

Pastor Grams led the Bible Study from the Spring Quarterly: Speak the Truth in Love

July Bible Study-Second Bible Study in the Summer Quarterly.

Members participated in a Story Book Scavenger Hunt that was done at convention.

Thank you to Max and Lois S. for providing treats for the June meeting.

Carol and Alverna are providing treats for the July meeting.

Report from Treasurer

Lenny has a check that was given as a donation to the Alpha Center for the Diaper Derby. This will be given to Mary and she will deliver the check with the diapers.

Members at Large for May-August—Jan F. and Phyllis. We will need 2 more volunteers for September-December.

St. Francis House-Serving a Meal

A group of members served lunch on May 29.

Book, Bake and "Other" Sale

Keep crafting for the Craft sale in September. Sign up sheets will be coming. If there is a specific area (e.g. Books, Food, Advertising, etc)that you would like to volunteer for let a Board member know.

Jar recipes will not be made by the Circle for the "other". If anyone is interested in making them on their own to donate, Julie has the recipe books.

Convention

Was held in Aberdeen June 7-8. Danaca S. was our YWR. Illa(Delegate), Mary and Tammie also attended. Donna Snow was the Bible Study leader. Pastor Seiler was the proclaimer for the worship service. Lots and lots of ingathering. Thank you to the ladies who contributed to this. Look at upcoming events /dates at the end of the minutes.

Diaper Derby

This ends Sunday, June 16. Diapers will be delivered to 3 places—Teddy Bear Den, Alpha Center

and Children's Home Shelter for Family Safety (formerly Children's Inn).

VBS Cookies

July 21-24. 9 dozen are needed for each night. The sign up sheet has been filled. Chez will let us know if registration looks like more than 9 doz cookies are needed each night.

Cheer Baskets

These will be put together on the August Day of Doing and then delivered in October. A \$250 Thrivent Grant will be needed. Members will also bring items to put in the bags. A list of these items will be available at the July meeting. The Grant money will be used to supplement what is still needed for the baskets.

August 17 Day of Doing

10 am-4 pm- Grill out for lunch? Possibly a few husbands can grill for us. Work on Cheer Baskets, Streets' ornament, Servicemen care package.

July 20-Ruth LWML Guild Meeting 10:00

July 25-July Board Meeting at 5:30

August 17-Day of Doing

September 12-Set up for Book, Bake and Other Sale

September 13-15-Book, Bake and Other Sale

September 21-Ruth LWML Guild Meeting 10:00-Board meeting to follow

October 5-Fall Rally at Zion

October 6-LWML Sunday

October 12-LWML District Fall Christian Life Workshop-St. John's Lutheran Church, Yankton, SD

October 19-Ruth LWML Guild Meeting 10:00-Board meeting to follow

November 16-Ruth LWML Guild Meeting 10:00-Board meeting to follow

December 14-Christmas Party-

April 25-26, 2025-LWML SD District Spring Retreat—Arrowwood Cedar Shores Resort-near Chamberlain

May 2-3, 2025--Back up Dates for SD District Retreat in case of bad weather April 25-26

June 26-29, 2025-LWML Convention-Omaha, NE "Growing in God's Grace"

July 8-11, 2027--LWML Convention-Oklahoma City, OK

Respectfully submitted, Julie