

The Searcher
Sea Shell Searchers of Brazoria County
January 2012

President's Message

Happy New Year. See everyone at the January meeting.

Next meeting: January 3, 2012 7:00 pm

Program: Janey Nill will give a program on Cephalopods

Food: Potluck supper, please bring a dish to share

Drinks provided by the club

Minutes of the Sea Shell Searchers of Brazoria County

CALL TO ORDER: The November 1, 2011 meeting of the Sea Shell Searchers was called to order by president Frank Petway.

SECRETARY'S REPORT: Cliff Harris made a motion to approve the minutes, Wayne Humbird seconded the motion. Motion passed.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Wayne Humbird reported a balance.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

1. Membership Committee: Steven Coker – membership dues are due
2. Program: Rusti Stover announced that December is Christmas party, January is Janey Nill on Cephalopods, February is Sybil Burger from San Antonio on Antarctica, March is Wes Tunnel on coral book.
3. Brazoria County Fair Sea and Shore: Wayne Humbird – only had one empty case. Youth trophy: Daniel Hammond, Shell of the Show: Freida White, Mildred Tate Award: Janey Cormier, Best Exhibit of the Show: Janey Cormier

OLD BUSINESS: none

NEW BUSINESS: none

JAMBOREE:

1. Rusti Stover showed the shirts that will be for sale for \$25
2. Hotel is Sheraton 4 Point
3. Registration begins at noon on Friday

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1. Pat Blaikie is very ill, please keep her in your prayers
2. Next month we will have our Christmas party and will play Shelo, if you wish to participate in the gift exchange; bring a \$10 to \$20 shell related gift to exchange

ADJOURNMENT: Wanda Coker made a motion to adjourn; second made by Leslie Crnkovic

PROGRAM: Fabio Moretzsohn gave a program on biodiversity

Comments

1. Remember to put the Jamboree dates on your calendar – May 4-6. (This will be a repeating announcement.)
2. The silent auction of museum shells will be a monthly event.
3. Happy New Year. Hope everyone had a peaceful Christmas and a great holiday.