

Merry Christmas ladies!

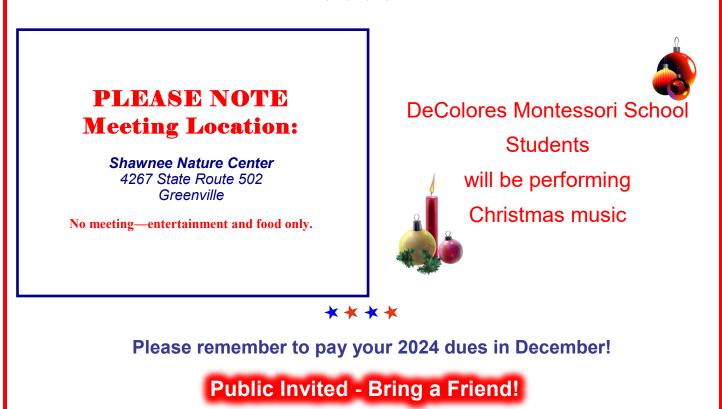
I am praying that you had a wonderful and safe Thanksgiving. I would like to thank Judge Ron Lewis for his informative talk with our group last month.

Our upcoming gathering for December 11th will be at 6:30 p.m. **at the Shawnee Prairie Nature Center. Please note that there is a Detour to that location.** We will not be having a business meeting, on that date.

Please remember to bring whatever food item that you signed up for during the October meeting. If you did not sign up for a dish, please bring your favorite dessert or snack to share with everyone.

****Important**** We need to have everyone get their dues in at the December meeting. Please give your check to Cindy Pike. Thank you.

Robyn Whitaker, President





Meeting November 13, 2023

Meeting was called to order by First Vice President, Delores Ely at Double M Diner. Donna Gasper offered the prayer, Cindy Pike led the Pledge.

Members present: Lyn Bliss, Judy Bridges, Charlene Sinclair, Pepper Wright, Wavelene Denniston, Donna Gasper, Betty Hill. Anna Mae James, Kim Davis, Peggy Jasinski, Cindy Pike, Margaret Manix, Barbara Kimmel. Guests present: Meladi Brewer, Greg White, Aaron Flatter, Jeff Whitaker, Laura Waymire, Ron Lewis.

A quorum of regular member is present.

Second District Court of Appeals Judge, Ron Lewis was the guest speaker. Judge Lewis gave an overview of the operations of the Court of Appeals and shared interesting cases that he has had to weigh in on and decide.

BUSINESS MEETING – Motion to approve the agenda by Cindy Pike, second by Lyn Bliss and approved.

TREASURER's REPORT – Balance of \$1,498.84 in checking, \$983.30 savings, \$100.80 in Memorial Fund.

SECRETARY'S REPORT – Motion by Betty Hill to approve the minutes of the September 11, 2023 meeting as submitted. Kim Davis seconded and approved.

COMMITTEE REPORTS – SOCIAL gave a report on our December 11, 2023, meeting to be held at Shawnee Prairie at 6:30. No regular business meeting will be held. Montessori School Orchestra is providing the entertainment. Everyone is asked to bring a snack or finger food. Reminder that State Route 502 is closed. Directions are to go out 571 and turn left on Daly Road and turn left on State Route 571 to Shawnee Prairie.

A motion by Cindy Pike to make a \$75.00 donation to the Montessori School Orchestra. Seconded by Judy Bridges and approved.

CAP – A second team of Kathy Brewer and Charlene Sinclair been added. A request was made for third team.

FUNDRAISING – It was decided to postpone until 2024. Delores Ely is donating a quilt hand made by her mother.

A reminder that 2024 dues are due January 1, 2024 and there will be no January meeting.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:00 P.M.

Cindy Pike, Acting Secretary



Ladies are needed to volunteer from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. ONE Friday each month at the Darke County Clothing Bank. Job entails checkout and/ or accepting and processing donations. All proceeds from the Clothing Bank go to support the Darke County Homeless Shelter. This is such a worthwhile cause and is not a hard job at all! Please consider giving 4 hours each month!

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Darke County Republican Women's Club Christmas Tree at the Shawnee Nature Center

Thank you to: Margie Manix and Barb Kimmel