

Oriental Woman's Club
General Meeting Minutes
December 6, 2022

The meeting was opened by President Deborah Powers at 11:45 a.m. Deborah welcomed members and guests and thanked the Hostesses: Ann Stackhouse and the Education Department for arranging the Christmas luncheon.

Fay Bond led the Pledge of Allegiance and Elsie Roane gave the Inspirational Reading.

Minutes of the previous General Meeting had been read, approved, accepted for file and posted. The three volunteers who will read and approve the minutes of this meeting are Jean Chastang, Jody Riddle and Liz Tooley.

The Treasurer's Report for the previous month has been accepted for file and posted.

Ann Stackhouse introduced visitors and new members and announced members' birthdays for December. Ann also conducted a Christmas trivia game for the group.

Today's meeting is our annual Christmas luncheon and the installation of officers for 2023.

The meal, catered by Mary Ellen Ham, was served.

Carol Herman presented the 2023 slate of officers: Co-Presidents, Julie Wiegand and Ellen Blackmon; Vice President, Olga Herman; Co-Secretaries Jody Riddle and Sharon Morgan; and Treasurer, Deborah Powers.

New Business:

Gay Webster reported that \$450 had been donated by Club members for the "adopted" Christmas family, 2 young boys and their Dad. The gifts that were purchased with the donations were displayed.

Julie Wiegand then assumed her duties as President and announced that sign-up sheets for volunteering opportunities will be available at the January meeting. The Club is in need of a Publicity Chairperson, which is a voting member of the Executive Committee. Please let Julie or Ellen know if you are interested in volunteering for this position.

Julie also reminded members that dues are \$60 and if not paid already, will be collected at the January meeting.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 12:55 p.m.

Submitted by Lee Duer, Co-Secretary.