

# Brazos Valley API Minutes

## September 8, 2015 Minutes

The September meeting of the Brazos Valley API was held at the Wings-N-More party room on Tuesday, September 8, 2015. The meeting was called to order at 6:41 by president Dwayne Williams. The pledge of allegiance was recited and a prayer was led by Harrold Smith and dinner was served.

Everyone was thanked for coming out. New members that were in attendance stood and introduced themselves to the membership.

Dwayne thanked Outlaw Welding as they were the meal sponsors for the September meeting.

Mandy Burlin, Director of Fundraising, Stillcreek Ranch, talked to the membership about Stillcreek Ranch. She discussed what the ranch does for kids and the fundraising events that they have coming up. Dwayne mentioned that we have supported them in the past and that the board would look at donations in November.

The treasurer's report was given by Jessica Ritter. A motion was made to accept the report. The report was accepted. The minutes of the May meeting were posted online. A motion was made to accept the minutes. The minutes were accepted. Harrold asked if anyone was not getting the email notices to contact him as there are some bad ones. He also noted that forms for the remaining events this year are online.

Dwayne thanked Outlaw Welding as they were the meal sponsors for the September meeting. Dwayne asked for sponsors for the next meeting. Raider Pumping Services volunteered to sponsor the October meeting.

The sporting clays committee stated the event was held on the 29<sup>th</sup> of August and that everyone had a good time. There were 23 teams entered.

The Fishing Tournament committee stated the lake would be open and the tournament would be held at Overlook Park on the upcoming weekend, September 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>. The API has donated money in the past for the pavilion. Friday night would be registration with kids donations needed for giveaways and door prizes. Friday meals would be fish from Nalco Champion and pork chops from KSI. The event is open to the public. Saturday they would serve Hamburgers from DNOW.

Dwayne mentioned that elections would be coming up this November with nominations at the October meeting. We will need to elect 3 board members and all of the officers.

Dwayne mentioned that Christmas charities are being looked at so if anyone had one they wanted to consider they needed to get it to the board for consideration. This is one of the reasons for our events throughout the year and we would start fundraising over after the first of the year.

There was no new or old business discussed.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:48.

A short break was taken and door prizes were drawn.