First Junior Woman's Club General Meeting Minutes March 1, 2016

The meeting was called to order at 9:13 am.

Missy welcomed everyone and thanked us all for supporting the auction.

Jorge stopped by to share a few announcements:

- The Community Center's annual *Lend a Hand Poker Tournament* at Lakeside will be March 10th. Pokino and Bingo will be played as well.
- He mentioned how grateful he was for the landscaping help the Center received from the students participating in SHS Big Day.
- He also announced that Leadercast, a leadership event out of Atlanta will be broadcasted live at Studio Movie Grill on May 6th. Tickets are available online at <u>leader-cast.com</u>.

All February and March birthdays were celebrated.

1st VP Programs - Robin Howell

Robin announced that our speaker for our April meeting will be Maurine Richter. She will present to us all on the changes for high schoolers preparing for college. Our Spring Luncheon will be at Royal Oaks Country Club on May 3rd at 11:30 am. An Evite will be sent out soon.

2nd VPs Ways and Means - Meredith Lamberton and Debbie Green

Debbie thanked everyone involved in making the auction a huge success and great group effort. The members that donated items to enhance the centerpieces received a special mention. Debbie and Meredith have served their term as Auction Chairs, and Debbie announced an opening for the Board position.

3rd VPs Membership - Kim Wood and Michelle Airola No report

4th VP Philanthropy - Adriana Read

Adriana asked us to continue to send in our service hours. **CanCare** has a mail-out this week that they are asking our help with. Missy then shared that Nancy Tucker had retired from her position at CanCare, and we would be doing something special for her.

Treasurer - Allison Moak

Allison thanked Debbie and Meredith for their great job on this year's auction. She announced that the final figures were still being tallied, but we had probably raised close to the \$35,000 we made last year. *Paddles Up* for scholarships alone raised \$7,000.

Recording Secretary - Karen Miller

January General Meeting minutes were approved. The motion was made by Gena Kooken and seconded by both Maurine Richter and Missy Shelton.

JJ Liaison - Beth Dean

Beth announced that the JJs had participated in the Family Point Resources Valentine's Day party. They planned, shopped, and hosted activities. Their next event will be stuffing Easter eggs for Sherwood Elementary with the Juniorettes.

Juniorette Liaison - Jennifer Barker

Jennifer announced that the Juniorettes will hold their next meeting on March 7th at 6 pm at The Refuge. They will be stuffing Easter Eggs for Sherwood Elementary. They have requested 600 Easter Eggs be stuffed. She asked each Juniorette to bring 2 dozen empty eggs and a bag of nut-free candy to the meeting. Jennifer also announced that she is hosting a Sorority recruitment meeting at her house Sunday, March 6th from 4-6 pm. This meeting is for any senior Juniorette that missed the organized meeting to participate in SHS Big Day. Spring Celebration will be held Sunday, April 24th from 3-5 pm at The Well. This year it will be mandatory for all JJs, Juniorettes, and Work Crew to attend.

Work Crew Liaison - Anne Hachtman

All Work Crew officer applications need to go to Anne. Please have your son(s) report their hours to workcrewhours@gmail.com.

Robin introduced our fabulous speaker, Melissa Sands. Melissa took us all through the process of making super-cute bows.

A member, Paula Balcezak, asked when enrollment begins for new members. Missy told her new enrollment begins on May 1st.

The meeting adjourned at 9:45 am.

Respectfully submitted by Karen Miller, Recording Secretary