



Wichita County Aggie Moms  
GENERAL MEETING  
March 9, 2021 @ 6:00 p.m.

**Welcome:** Kathy welcomed all members in attendance and Sandy opened the meeting with prayer. Sixteen members were present at the meeting.

**Minutes:** Rebecca presented the minutes from the February 2021 General meeting. Motion to approve the minutes as written was submitted and seconded. No revisions were requested.

**Treasurer Report:** The Treasurer's report was presented by Kathy. Deposits totally \$49.65 were made in the past month. There were no expenditures in the past month. Total account balance is \$2,007.67.

**President Report:** Kathy reported that there will be a District Aggie Mom meeting in Bowie, TX on March 28<sup>th</sup> from 2-4 pm at the Spicy Mexican Restaurant. She is looking for members who would like to attend the meeting. She also provided information about upcoming federation virtual conferences. If members are interested in attending the conferences, they can be found on the Federation website ([aggiemoms.org](http://aggiemoms.org)) under Aggie Mom University.

**Membership:** Sandy still has a few membership booklets and a few Aggie Mom shirts for those who may be interested. She is continuing to send birthday cards to Aggie students.

**Programs/Socials:** Kathy shared that she would like to have a social at the 6<sup>th</sup> St. Winery. She is going to ask about availability for either Thursday, April 15<sup>th</sup> or Thursday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>. More to come on this event.

The group also discussed the Wichita County Aggie Mom Social and Silent Auction Fundraiser. This event is tentatively scheduled for Thursday, May 20<sup>th</sup> at the Stone Palace. We are planning to invite local Aggie Alumni, local 2021 Freshman Aggies and families as well as all Aggies and families of current club members. Kathy has requested the formation of an event committee to determine food, beverages and decorations for the event. At this time the group thinks that heavy appetizers would be appropriate and that we may want to request RSVPs for the event so we can plan for food and drink. Members are encouraged to continue to think of silent auction ideas. Currently, these are the ideas: Wine basket (using the CC Creations \$100 gift card), Coffee basket, Silver Texas A&M earrings, Signed Aggie Spirit print, Corn hole game. We will have our raffle drawings for our raffle items (Aggie quilt and gift card tree) during the silent auction event.

**Communications:** Jennifer provided a quick update on the club website. Minutes are now posted on the website. She is always interested in posting pictures and news about our Aggies. You can submit pictures or info to her at meetings or through email.

**Fundraising:** Terri reported that she has received checks from Jason's Deli and On the Border from our restaurant fundraisers. The checks will be deposited this month. She is waiting on a check from Rapid Fire Pizza. Terri is continuing to collect gift cards for our gift card tree. You can bring gift cards to the next Aggie Mom meeting to contribute to the raffle item. As you sell raffle tickets you can submit those tickets and funds to Terri. We will be selling raffle tickets until May 20<sup>th</sup>. Terri will be pursuing participating in the Art Walk in April and May. This would be on the first Thursday of the month. Terri will be looking for volunteers to man the raffle table during the event to sell tickets (more to come on this). A flyer has been created to advertise our raffle items. This flyer as well as a donation form were distributed at the meeting and have been sent to club members via email.

**Aggie Bags:** Laura reported that finals goody bags will be stuffed at the Stone Palace on Sunday, April 25<sup>th</sup> at 3:30pm. Then the bags will be distributed from Lot 58 on TAMU campus on Tuesday, April 27<sup>th</sup> from 10am to 2pm. The distribution will be a drive through event. She is currently estimating that we will have 57 goody bags to fill and she requested to avoid bringing items that would melt or easily crush due to the fact that she will need to store them in her car until the delivery date. You have the option of purchasing a \$10 gift card for your student to go into the finals bag from either Starbucks, Fuegos, Canes or Whataburger. The sign-up sheet for purchasing the cards will be available at the April meeting. Laura also reported that this semesters picture for the bag will be of Reveille 10.

**Scholarships:** Belle reported that she will send an email when the application for scholarships opens and that applications will be due April 30<sup>th</sup>.

**Aggie Federation Scholarship:** Kathy provided a follow-up about the Joyce Gregg Memorial Student Aid Fund and the process of changing this fund to a scholarship. She has received paperwork from the Texas A&M Scholarship and Financial Aid department to sign to complete this transition. However, we are still unsure if we can have these funds rolled into our other funds that we are raising for scholarships. Terri volunteered to reach out to her contacts in the financial aid department to get a clear answer on this request prior to signing the forms to change the fund to a scholarship. The current balance of the fund is \$812.50.

The meeting was concluded with members sharing updates on their Aggies.

Next meeting Tuesday, April 13, 2021 @ 6:00 pm

Kathy thanked everyone for attending the meeting and for their input. The meeting adjourned at 7:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Rebecca Schrass  
Secretary 2020-2021  
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