

CAPITAL AREA WATCHMAKER AND CLOCKMAKER GUILD

January 2007

Next Meeting is Tuesday, January 23rd - 6:00 pm - Tien Hong Restaurant (8301 Burnet Rd)

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FROM THE PRESIDENT

See you on Tuesday.

Rich

Last Month:

The Treasurers report: The operating account currently has \$2,183.48
The education account has \$10,058.28 in it.

Dues are now due for this year:

Education:

Mary Ellen Bell: Looking for ideas to flesh out a 'day long demonstration/problem solving' class for both clocks and watches.

Dennis Warner: The Swiss pocket watch class on Nov. 11th was full, and a great success.

Rich Reich: The 'casting' class will be done over 2 consecutive week ends after the first of the year. The primary focus of this class is pattern making so you can make any part you may need.

Gene Galbraith: Proposed a joint tour of the Lockhart tower clock for sometime in the Spring:
More to come on this topic.

Old Business: None

New Business: There was a proposal to create a Christmas party committee earlier in the year to avoid last minute choices, and to provide a choice of locations/costs etc.

Library Report: Making progress getting overdue books checked back in.

Remember: There is a minimum “gratuity” for all attendees at the guild meeting. Even if you do not eat or drink you will pay \$3.00, so be prepared. If you have any questions, call your officers.

Meeting program: The program will be **Horological things begining with "D"**. I hope everyone is much more creative than just bringing a "dial". I am tempted to add that to the penalty list, if you can't be more creative. I guess the exception would be some VERY rare or unusual dial. Don't forget you pay the penalty if you don't bring something and participate.

Next months program: Dennis Warner “watches”.

Sorry for the short letter, must be the cold.