



## Star of the North

February 10, 2007

The meeting was held at Keewaydin Park in South Minneapolis.

The meeting was called to order by Larry at 10:20 am.

The Secretary's report was read by Leslie. Motion to approve by Ursula, seconded by Butch and the report was approved.

The treasurer's report was read by Marvin. The opening balance was \$1098.46. \$49 was paid to Larry for postage/mailings. \$105 was deposited for chapter memberships and an additional \$2 from the sales table. Final Balance \$1,156.46 A motion to approve was made by Butch and seconded by Ursula and the report was approved.

We welcomed new member Stephanie Orr. Marvin met her at the Highland Blockbuster where she works. She worked at MGM as a showkeeper. Her primary interest is animation. Her favorite character is Aurora followed by Tinkerbell. She draws characters and has offered to draw one per month and it will be offered as a door prize. She shared some fun facts about the characters - Mickey is usually an asian female to because of the size requirement (must be small enough) and Tinkerbell flying across is usually a guy.

April 14<sup>th</sup> will be the party, probably in the evening. The tentative place is the Doubletree Park Place in St. Louis Park. Once finalized, a notice will be sent out. We will invite past members and will be a sort of reunion party. Could be 50-60 people. Raleigh has agreed to be the point person for sending reservation. Also looked at Nicollet Island Inn. The concern is that most of the fee would be going towards food. Doubletree has the a/v capacity which the Nicollet Island Inn doesn't have. Also looked at Kozlak's, but concerns about the size of the room. The last time we were there it was pretty crowded. At Doubletree people could stay over, nice pool area. Warren will still put together a video presentation so members should submit photos (preferably electronic) to Warren. Any other ideas should be sent to the committee. Members are: Raleigh, David, Roxie, Cindy, Warren, Larry, and Elisa. Start saving pennies for the silent auction.

We talked about upcoming meetings? Leslie passed around a sign-up sheet. Discussed Pirates for maybe the June meeting? Do we want to have another "Taste of Disney"? Probably yes.

Also need hosts to bring treats and find a meeting place. Sign up sheet was passed around. After some discussion, meetings are set through August.

We had another plug for the yahoo list serve.

Roxie mentioned that the new Disney fabrics are out. Costco has a ton of Disney stuff for kids.

National membership has now been increased to \$29. Make sure you renew.

Brad said that the pod casts at "Mousetunes.com" have ended.

Roxie said that the DVC is going to be on animal kingdom.

A motion to close the meeting was made by Butch and seconded by Ursula. The meeting ended at 10:55.

Attendance: 18