

Monthly Meeting Minutes

Rolling Plains Chapter, Texas Master Naturalist

Tuesday, June 2, 2026

7:00 pm, MSU Texas, Bolin Hall, Rm 127 and on Zoom

The meeting was called to order by President Penny Miller. The meeting agenda, financial reports, and last month's minutes were presented to the members via email before the meeting.

Welcome and Introduction of guests: There were no guests present.

Members and guests attending: Sandy Underwood, Judy and Larry Snyder, Penny Miller, Carl Brown, Linda Price, Terry McKee, Debra Halter, Dana Leonard, Laura Gillis, Jim Masuoka, Kevin Seager, Allen Brajer, Lynn Seman, Michael Lopez, Tiffany Herring, Kay Murphy, Lisa Taylor, Stephen Conner, Jason Young

Via Zoom: Sue and Warren King, Chris and Donna Honkomp

Meeting Minutes & Financial Report

The financial reports and May minutes were distributed via email. Financials and Minutes were accepted.

Old Business:

- **Scavenger hunt** - Bring to the August meeting
- **WFMA (Animals in Art):** Laura had 15 attendees at the nature journaling class. There is a nothing event planned for July 25 - more information to follow.
- **City Nature Challenge:** results are in the June newsletter
- **3Rivers Ranch Bioblitz:** The bioblitz increased the diversity project by over 100 species
- **Graham Library:** The library recorded 167 people, many who came by the TMN table.

New Business:

- **Certifications and Awards:**
 - **Recertifications:** Laura Gillis, Michael Lopez, Lisa Taylor, Sandy Underwood
 - **Hours milestones:** DeAnn Bullock (250), Stephen Conner (250), Leslie Cusick-Fernandez (250), Marla Havins (250), Lynn Seman (7,500)

- **Upcoming Projects & Opportunities:**

- **TMN Tuesday:** (2nd Tuesday of each month at 12:00 noon) June 9 at noon.
Topic: *Ground Water in Texas: Aquifers, Policies, and Management* Speaker:
Adam Foster, Texas Alliance of Ground Water Districts Executive Director
- **Water Testing:**
 - Friday, June 12 at 9:00 - 11:00 am at Lake Wichita and Wichita River (Lucy Park)
 - Friday, June 19, 9:00 - 10:00 am Lake Gordon.
- **Lake Arrowhead SP Bird Outing:** Saturday, June 13, 8:00 am.
- **Quail Project:** Spring Quail Call Counts are finished and the dummy nests are established.
- **Pollinator Garden Collaborative Project:** June 6 at 8:00 am at The Forum. Joint project with NPSOT. Weeding and planting beds.
- **Mark Howell Memorial Fishing Rodeo:** June 6 10:00 am - 12:00 pm, Lake Arrowhead SP
- **Monthly Adventure:** June 6 1:00-3:00 at LASP Dragonfly Trail
- **Adopt-a-Trail:** June 20 8:00 - 9:30 am (Watch for Adopt-a-Highway soon)
- **Horned Lizard Bioblitz:** June 20 - 28 Watch for more information
- **Texoma Gives:** We are not planning on participating this year.
- **Annual Meeting:** Room blocks are open, agenda will be out July 1, Registration opens August 1, Submit contest items by Sept. 1

- **Committee & Project Reports**

- Education & Outreach Committee:
 - **Region 9 Teacher Training:** June 3 and 4 There are plenty of volunteers
 - **City Summer Camps:** Let Lynn know if you want to help.

- **Partner Updates:**

- **River Bend Nature Center:** Several members helped with Bugfest.

Next Meeting: Tuesday, July 7 at 7:00 pm. at Bolin Hall room 221. Program will be Bats by Michael Lopez

Meeting was Adjourned

Program: No program this month due to technical difficulties

VT: .5 hour

AT:

Respectfully,
Sandy Underwood