

**Texas Master Naturalist
El Camino Real Chapter
Chapter Meeting Minutes
June 8, 2017**

Program: Presentation by Cheryl Lewis. **Topic:** "Making the World a Better Place One Yard at a Time"

President Phyllis Shuffield called the meeting to order at 7:50pm following the presentation by Cheryl. The meeting was held at the Milano United Methodist Church. Those present included: Clyde Adcock, Nancy Adcock, Scott Berger, Sherry Colley, Ann Collins, Joyce Conner, Mike Conner, Edward Dworaczyk, Sandra Dworaczyk, Pat Holley, Janice Johnson, Kathy Lester, Donna Lewis, Billy Moore, Pamela Neeley, Phyllis Shuffield, Sheri Sweet, Wes Sweet, Cindy Travis, and Don Travis. Guests included Sam Jolly and Cheryl Lewis, speaker.

Secretary's Report: Nancy Adcock

Donna Lewis made a motion to approve the minutes. Sandra Dworaczyk seconded the motion. The minutes are posted online.

Vice-President's report: Sandra Dworaczyk

July meeting: Dale Kruse

August meeting: Kelly Simon on iNaturalist

September meeting: Lynn and Don Hagan on the total solar eclipse

Treasurer's report: Barbara Cromwell

The treasurer's report is filed online for audit.

Nature Stories:

Pamela has black walnut seeds and plants to share. Contact her if interested.

Sandra's son saw giant swallowtail butterflies while fishing on a golf tour in Indiana.

Host: Sherry Colley

Everything is OK.

Membership: Donna Lewis for Debbi Harris

Awards: Recertification—Dorothy Mayer, Phyllis Shuffield, and Joyce Conner

500 hours—Cindy Travis Congratulations to all!

Advanced Training and Volunteer Opportunities: Kathy Lester

Texas Water Specialist Program—Watch for email from Don.

Old Business

Don is following through with the "Remembering Katherine" video. Watch email for further details.

The Lions' Club Radio Auction—Phyllis put together a basket for their auction from the chapter.

New Business

Dorothy needs help with the new class. She needs assistance with contacts, and someone to attend training classes. Please contact Dorothy if available.

Discussion: It was discussed that articles from our newsletters be submitted to local newspapers for publications.

Scott Berger won the door prize.

Pat Holley moved to adjourn the meeting. This was seconded by Sheri Sweet. The meeting was adjourned at 8:30.

Respectfully submitted,
Nancy Adcock