

Katy/West Houston Aggie Moms Club General Meeting Minutes October 15, 2024

President, Dawn Champagne

The meeting was called to order at 7:04 pm. and President Dawn Champagne welcomed everyone.

6th VP of Publicity, Amber Kenney

Amber shared with the members that pictures are shared on Cluster, links to join subgroups such as Fish Mom, and that information is shared on Remind, emails, and social media. If you are not receiving the newsletters, please contact Amber.

President Elect Candice Huddle

Candice shared a seasonal word search as members mingled.

1st VP Programs Ana Kopf

At each table was a list of the services that students pay for through the University Advancement fee. Ana presented information about this fee that students pay. The presentation will be posted on the website. Students pay almost \$2000 in fees every semester, and it is charged whether your student uses the services that are included in the fees or not. The University Advancement fee provides services such as Student Center Complex fee (for MSC), Beutel Health Services, counseling, Academic Success Center, Aggie Print services, Student Rec Center, Library resources, and so much more!

Treasurer, Sharon Mitchell (information shared by Dawn)

Dawn shared the Financial Report.

2nd VP Membership – Erin Mozisek

Members are encouraged to bring Aggie Mom friends to our meetings and social events!

3rd VP Fundraising, Debra Stovall (information shared by Dawn)

CleanScents is a Houston-based detergent sheet company started by 5 mothers. CleanScents sheets are eco-friendly and are available for purchase online with free shipping. Members were provided with a sample. CleanScents will give back 25% of sales to the Club to go towards scholarships. They also generously donated door prizes and samples for the care packages! Loanne Tran, Brian Lam (Class of 2021), and Vivian Tran attended the meeting and shared information about the product.

- All money from fundraisers and sponsorships go directly to scholarships for Aggies.
- Corporate Sponsorships: if you work for a company that matches donations, please ask for that or a donation. \$1000 donations are given a named scholarship and advertised on the club's website.
- Royers Pies are on sale through November 3rd.
- Josephine's Day Spa has donated money for a scholarship and is also offering a give-back of 10% on all services when KWHAMC is mentioned at checkout.
- Get Gigged signs are available to rent for graduation parties, tailgating, acceptance to A&M, and other occasions. The fee is \$35 to rent the gig 'em thumbs and \$50 for Aggie Bound signs.
- Care Packages: All 200 care packages were sold and we will deliver them the Monday before Thanksgiving. We will assemble care packages during the November 12th meeting.

5th VP Socials, Lori Hahn

- The recent Social at Katy Wine and Beer Garden was a success.
- Fish Link, Alicia Rehfeld The next FISH Link 2nd Saturday coffee will be on Saturday, November 9th.
- Ring of Honor Moms, Luanne Humphrey. Luanne hosted a social for Ring of Honor Moms before the meeting and she invited all Moms of new graduates to attend the Aggie Mom "pin dunk" at a future social.
- Corps Moms, Beth Ramsey. Connect with Beth to share information about the Corps.

Hospitality, Lisa Magana and Lorena Blackman

Thank you to everyone for contributing refreshments. A QR code will be available for donations.

Closing Dawn closed the meeting with door prizes and members volunteered to share Aggie Mom Moments.

Announcements:

- The next meeting is November 12, 2024. We will pack up Care Packages and have a Friendsgiving meal.
- Ignore emails from Dawn Champagne which ask for money. Call or text Dawn Champagne (832-549-2059) if there are any questions.
- Thank you to member Amy for creating the quilt square to represent KWHAMC on the Aggie Mom quilt.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.