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Soroptimist International Bidwell Rancho Business Meeting Minutes June 13, 2023

1. Call to Order

The Business meeting was called to order by Vice President Marie Hartman, in President Linda Lucena's absence, at 6:00p.m.

2. Pledge of Allegiance

3. Thought for the day - *"as you grow older you will discover that you have two hands. One for helping yourself, and one for helping others"* - Audrey Hepburn

4. Happy Bucks - If you were getting married next week, which band/artist-dead or alive would you want to play at the reception?

5. Approval of Board Meeting Minutes June 6, 2023.
The Minutes will be filed as written.

6. Approval of Treasurer's report.
The Treasurer's report is approved as read.

7. S.O.L.T. Soroptimist International Leadership Training - Soroptimist Development Retreat - Linda
An annual retreat held each summer in the Sierra Nevada Region. All members are welcome to come and join in the fun while learning leadership and personal skills that will help strengthen their clubs. Incoming officers are strongly encouraged to attend.

8. Program/Committee Reports

- a. Fundraising - Sheron reported.
- b. Fairview - Layne
The Committee had \$1375 left in the budget. We allotted \$500 to bus passes; \$500 went to help with the cost of caps and gowns for graduating seniors. The remainder was used to purchase an assortment of gift cards that were used as Raffle Prizes at the Senior Graduation Barbecue (Target, Big 5, TJMaxx and Tinseltown). Bidwell Rancho members also donated an assortment of salads and desserts to the event. Fairview Committee Members Renee Hauge and Michelle Chambers also helped with food prepping and serving.

Ideas in the works for the upcoming school year include forming a mentoring program with some of the girls who are alone and have no one to turn to, and also small group "life skill" classes such as balancing a checkbook, basic sewing skills, meal planning, etc.

- c. Special Events - Celeste reported.
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9. Unfinished Business

- a. SNR Conference - Michelle Judi, Yvette, Gayle, Susan and Maxine reported.
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10. New Business

- a. Budget for 2023-2024 Club Year - Judy presented.
 - b. Soroptimist Development Retreat (SDR) - Date change to August 19 & 20 at the Atlantis Casino Resort in Reno, NV.
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11. Correspondence

12. Calendar

June 24th Soroptimist Craft Brew Fest
June 27th New Board Installation @ Butte Creek BBQ, 196 Cohasset R pad, Suite #150
July 27-29 Soroptimist International Convention Dublin, Ireland
August 19 & 20 Soroptimist Development Retreat (SDR) Atlantis Hotel, Reno, NV
Dates TBD - Board and membership Retreats.

- 13. Meeting Adjourned - at 7:00p.m. by President Marie Hartman.
The Minutes were taken by Secretary Yvette Sanfilippo.

