

August 2025 Secretary's minutes for Power from the Past EDGE-TA #240.

The August regular monthly meeting was held August 4, 2025, at Peace in the Valley Lutheran Church in Benson, AZ. The meeting was called to order by President Zane Parker at 6:00 P.M. We joined together in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

Board members Zane Parker, Lyle Rasmussen, Jerry Hayes, Julia Davis, and Rose Tidwell were present. There were 15 members in attendance.

The Secretary's minutes were approved as read. The Treasurer's report was approved with a discrepancy in the checking to be reviewed. Also, a new deposit for a lifetime member will be directed to the Edward Jones account.

No news from the Vice President or the President to share.

Communications with an invitation to return to Oro Valley's Blues Cruise BBQ was approved for next February 7. For November we were invited back to Caterpillar Proving Ground for the Cruisin' for United Way car show. This was also approved. And an invitation to participate in Willcox Holiday parade in December was declined as it conflicts with our plans in Huachuca City the same day.

From Safety we had a review of a successful day at St. David Pioneer Days with a good showing and lots of ropes being made.

Our Care Person Ruth Perkins shared efforts at communicating with our members.

We received the best vehicle certificate from the St. David parade and Seth and Mel went to the recent Rodders luncheon recognizing their key supporters and we received a nice plaque.

Engine chair led a discussion on the repairs needed on the Western engine including some wiring issues. Regarding membership, a name badge has been ordered for our newest member Jane Blair. And you can get new club T-shirt from Jim Fieber.

We reviewed our next event, the Santa Cruz County Fair in September.

In old business we heard the computer and printer were purchased for the President's use and is up and running. Also, we still need to schedule maintenance on the ice cream trailer when the temperatures cool down and the club trailer brake project was completed.

In new business we discussed planning for the December dinner meeting location and date. Julia Davis will check on a location. and we made plans to purchase ice cream mix and get the food service certification and insurance for the Santa Cruz County Fair with Greg Skaggs offering to chair the event.

Zane shared with us the new insurance the Phoenix area club is using and their plans to change the date of their Apache Junction event.

Ruth thanked everyone for the cards and phone calls she received from club members. And Greg gave the board his compliments on resolving the board positions so quickly and smoothly.

Closing statements and the meeting was adjourned at 6:51 p.m.

Rose Tidwell, Secretary