

**Noventa y Nueve
Rio Grande Norte 99s
February 2005 Newsletter**

Upcoming Events

- March 10-12 – Women in Aviation conference – Dallas (www.wai.org) for information
- March 12 – Chapter gathering – possible change of date for the Scottsdale fly-out
- April 22-24 – SC Section Meeting – Grand Junction CO – chapter fly-out/gathering (www.scs99s.org) for registration form/information
- May 14 – Fly-out to Sedona
- Late July/Early August – Fly-out to the Ozarks and Clancey's lake house.
- August 21-26 – International Conference – Christchurch, New Zealand (www.ninety-nines.org) and January/February 2005 issue 99 NEWS

Rio Grande Norte 99s – Minutes, February 12, 2005

The meeting was called to order at 9:30 a.m. at Santa Fe Jet Center. Members Ginny Boylls, Elizabeth Hunke, Susan Larson, Kate Florio, Clancey Malone and Arlene Walsh were joined by Alaska 99 Judy Bronson, who has just moved to Santa Fe. Due to a very rainy day, the fly-out to Belen was cancelled.

Minutes from the January meeting were approved. Clancey had the final figures for the fall Section Meeting: Revenues - \$10,352.07 and Expenses - \$7876.91, resulting in a balance of \$2475.16. Chapter members were reimbursed a total of \$390 for full registration paid at the section meeting. The ending balance, January 31, 2005 was \$2605.86. A committee (Clancey, Susan and Arlene) met to select options for donations to the 99s scholarships, endowment fund, museum, headquarters and AE house. Information was e-mailed to all members and \$1500 will be sent to the above. Clancey will write and mail the checks before the end of the month.

Clancey will have additional name badges made. New members (spouses/significant others included) should let her know names. The cost is \$12.50 per badge. There are also a few chapter golf shirts available at \$24 each.

Nominations for chapter officers for the next year will be listed in the March newsletter and election will be held in April. The 99s year is June 1-May 31, so the officers will be installed at the June meeting. Ginny will "survey" members for the slate of officers. Elizabeth has volunteered to be the treasurer.

The chapter has been asked by the committee for the International Meeting in Colorado in 2007 to work on the Amelia Earhart Scholarship banquet. We will be working with the AE scholarship board and be responsible for the table decorations, printed program, etc.

Clancey talked about the proposed fly-out to the Ozarks this summer. The Whiteman Air Show has been cancelled (July 23-24), but she suggested some time in early August. She has details on hotels and air rental if we decided to go. Either a weekend or during the week (which would be less crowded!!) is a possibility. Warrensburg is about a 1-1/2 hour drive and Versailles, less than an hour.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:15 a.m.

News Notes

Doris Meyer's husband is having a hip replacement on Feb. 21 and has a doctor's appointment in ABQ on March 15. She has suggested the Scottsdale fly-out be rescheduled for March 19th. Carolyn Cook is in charge of that event and will notify members of the decision.

Congrats to Hollis Walker and Amy Ecclesine for the wonderful article in the January/February 2005 issue of the 99 News about their meeting with the 99s German Section women.

It was great to meet Judy Bronson at the last meeting. We look forward to another RGN chapter member.