

## **SaddleBrooke Genealogy Club Minutes of Meeting on December 5, 2019**

President Carol Tibor called the meeting to order at 1:00 P.M.

### **Guests and New Members**

There were no guests or new members.

### **Speaker**

Rondie Yancey introduced the speaker, Bridget LeFevre, who is a graduate of Brigham Young University with a degree in Family History. Ms. LeFevre is the Director of the Family History Library located on McGee Rd. between Thornydale Rd. and Cortaro Farms Rd. She talked about the library's facilities and what the library has to offer us as genealogists.

### **Business Meeting**

Christine Nelson, Secretary, read the minutes for the November meeting. There were no corrections or additions. The minutes were accepted as read.

Ms. Nelson announced that she had purchased a new laptop computer for the club which she will pick up on Wednesday, December 11<sup>th</sup>. It will replace the old laptop at the January meeting.

Pat Rourke, Treasurer, gave the treasurer's report. The beginning balance on November 1 was \$3,323.35, and the ending balance was \$3,435.84. Petty cash was \$41.50. There were no corrections or questions about the report. The treasurer's report will be placed on file.

Ms. Rourke invited Pat and Dave Tiefenbach, former members, to the holiday party on December 11<sup>th</sup> at her house. She received a letter from Pat Tiefenbach who said they would be unable to come to the party but told a little about their life in their new community of Green Valley. Ms. Rourke read the letter. The Tiefenbachs have joined the Southern Arizona Genealogy Society (AZSAGS.org). Dave is teaching classes on Roots Magic, and Pat is working in the library.

In response to a comment about needing to copy something larger than standard paper, Pat Rourke said that Jones Photo can copy larger than standard size items and also make copies from negatives.

Patty Burke described the genealogy section of the library at Desert View and assured us she will be buying new books on genealogy as they become available, including books on software programs.

Bridget LeFevre commented that Google Books has a lot of free E-books available on line.

Ms. Tibor announced that the Irish SIG will resume meeting after the first of the year.

### **New Business**

Ms. Tibor announced that the board will be reviewing the club bylaws in February for possible revisions. The club members will be consulted on any proposed revisions.

Ms. Tibor announced that there will be a genealogy workshop on March 12<sup>th</sup>. It will be similar to the workshop held last year but holding the workshop in the morning and the afternoon is being considered.

Ms. Tibor reminded the members about the holiday party on December 11<sup>th</sup> at Pat Rourke's house. She will send out another flyer with directions to Pat's house.

The speaker for January will be Nicole Dryer whose topic will be Using Timelines in Research.

Ms. Tibor asked if there were any other announcements or any questions. A question was asked about the status of the beginning genealogy class. The response was the class is half over.

The drawing for door prizes was held. The winners were Pat Rourke and Ann Kurtz.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:59 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Christine Nelson, Secretary