Meeting opened a 6:00 PM by DCM Monte B.

Minutes were approved as published and mailed.

Gene A gave the Treasurer's report. A motion to accept was made by Ron F, seconded by JC and approved.

DCM report: Monte B talked about the upcoming area Conference in October and was prepared to go. The cost of conference was discussed by the GSRs. Monte wanted funds approved for two nights. The conference was two hours away and GSRs were planning on commuting. Discussion ensued considering cost. One night was approved for the DCM, but he declined to go as two night housing was not approved.

GSR reports:

Dawg Pound-Ron F: Meets Friday evening at 7:00 PM in Waitsburg. Attendance 3-5. One new guy.

Early Birds- Dawn B regrets; Craig B: Mets daily at 6: 30 AM. Attendance 15; no bds. PC 12.70

ABSI-Keith M: Meets Saturdays at 1 PM at Son Bridge; attendance 12. One 3 mos. BD.

WNFS-Bob S: Meet Wed. night at Son Bridge; attendance 20. Contribution to general fund \$100 PC \$21.75.

Water Tower: Meets M, W, and F at Noon; attendance 18 to 20. One BD Paul 38 yrs. \$200 to general fund.

Friends of Bill W contributed \$10.40 to general fund.

SMEO-Christina: meets Sunday at 10 AM at Son Bridge; attendance 20. One BD Gustavo 1 year.

MTOF-JC: Meets private residence; Rule 62 is enforced.

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Activities-Keith M: Gratitude banquet discussion. Son Bridge has granted use of the large room for the banquet including podium and Audio equipment. Kitchen facility is available. The Date will be November 9 (Second Saturday in November) commencing at 6 PM. The banquet will be pot luck as in the past with Home groups asked to bring a main dish and individuals to bring side dishes of salads, vegetables or deserts. The facility has no charge but the GSR's felt that a contribution would be necessary. The group discussed options and settled for \$60.00.

CPC/PI-Benjamin: Lit rack needs to be restocked and he will do this.

Answering service-Gene A: report cost was \$7.15 for August. Calls are \$1.35 each. Ron F asked that call center be ask to vary the calls as ha]e has never received a call.

Lit and Grapevine-Gene A: Reports for Literature. Sold \$41.35 and \$1244.45 in inventory. Pink Can collected \$140.71. Gene moved and Ron F seconded to purchase 2 subscriptions of the Grapevine for JJC and 4 copies for the penitentiary.

Schedules are again obsolete as the contact for the penitentiary is no longer Linda Finn abut is now Melissa Hutchinson.

The web page is current.

YIS,

Gene A