ENCORE MEMBERSHIP MEETING

NOVEMBER 27, 2017

Members present: Rollie Lindstrom, Marlene Colendich, Gail Sunderland, Kay Limbird, Art Limbird, Aletha Westerberg and Elfi Gross.

Members absent: Hazel Sealy, Nancy Hutchins and Charlotte Thiringer.

Rollie called the meeting to order at 1:07.

Gail read the corrections to the minutes from the previous meeting. There were several items that needed further explanations. Aletha made a motion to accept the corrections.

Aletha passed out a copy of the Christmas invite for us to look at. There were a few corrections on the meal items that will be corrected. Aletha will get reimbursed for printing and postage.

Rollie was able to get the information on the exact membership numbers. There are 121 members of which 20 were new members. He has yet to receive a list.

The holiday bash will be held at the Elks Lodge on the second floor from 12-4pm on December 15.

Our approved menu for our Christmas bash is as follows:

Prime Rib and Italian Baked Chicken, garlic mashed potatoes, carrots with rum sauce and raisins, tossed green salad, rolls, dessert, coffee and tea. There will also be a no-host bar.

The cost will be \$15.00 for members and \$20.00 for non-members and guests.

The dinner will be served buffet style and each table will be assigned a number and will be excused one at a time by Aletha. Numbers will be drawn at random. Art thinks that he has the table numbers in storage. If not, Aletha can make them for the tables.

Aletha volunteered to be our person doing door coverage. Aletha will get a list from Evei for sending out the invitations and for the list of those attending. Aletha can mark them off as they arrive. Aletha will hand out name tags for everyone to write their own names on. Everyone arriving will also receive a raffle ticket for the prize drawings. There will be 6 gifts, scratch-offs and Christmas ornaments. Charlotte will be choosing the Christmas ornaments.

Decorations: Elfi has a lot of greenery to bring for the tables. Marlene, Gail, Elfi, Art, Kay and Aletha have all volunteered to set up the decorations. Not sure if the Elks will have a Christmas tree. Encore will need to furnish the dessert plates ourselves.

Our music this year will be a cd player. Aletha can bring one if the Elks do not have one.

After our Christmas dinner you can have your picture taken with Santa. A donation is very much appreciated and will be given to a worthy cause. At the time your picture is taken you will get a photo release form to sign if you do not mind your picture being used on our website.

There will be no lunch bunch for December due to the Holiday Bash. Carey is in charge of the lunch bunch.

At 1:30 Matt Burns will be our guest speaker at the Holiday Bash. He will talk about the history of film making in the U.S. before Hollywood. Since he cannot accept a fee for coming we will donate \$75.00 to the Historical Society of Clatsop County in his name.

January 15, at 11:00 am is our next scheduled meeting which will be held in the poolroom or the classroom.

Meeting adjourned at 1:55pm.