

Minutes of the Twin Lakes Audubon Society (TLAS) Meeting

Oct 10, 2012

7 – 9pm

UMHB York Science Building, Belton, TX

24 members present

Bert Pope (Vice President), opened the meeting at 7pm, and invited everyone to enjoy the refreshments and visiting time.

The **lending library** was available.

Bird Sightings were shared. Migration continues and some winter birds are arriving.

Attendance roster and sign-up sheet for refreshments was passed around.

Treasurer Report: Marilyn Miller reported we had a deposit of \$285 since the last meeting, resulting in \$5,219.95 in the account. Extraco is charging \$4.95/month. It was suggested we look into an account with 1st State Bank for free checking with interest for non-profit organizations.

Digital Presentation:

Gil introduced our guest speaker: Dr. Terry Lairmore, a surgeon at Scott and White in oncology.

Terry shared his love of photography and hummingbirds which began in his youth. He has traveled the Western Hemisphere to “capture” these winged gems.

Field Trip for Saturday, Oct. 13, was discussed.

Meet at Miller Spring’s nature center in Belton, on the north side of the dam at 8am.

We can divide into two groups, depending on the level of exertion required. We hope to see rock wrens, warblers, kinglets and the orange crowns.

Ilse held a drawing for the two plants she brought.

Meeting was adjourned with visiting, and cleanup.

C. Shoop (Secretary)