



## Oklahoma City Chapter Mother's Meeting Minutes

September 14, 2014

**Members Present:** Aquilah Ahmad  
Valeria Benabdallah  
Sharri Coleman  
Yolanda Coronel  
Cherdena Daniel  
Cheryl Dixon  
Chaya Fletcher  
Tamara Griffin  
Kristi Pendleton-Harrison  
Danne Johnson  
Jillian Jones  
Angela Powers-McPherson  
Nicole Mitchell  
Tori Perry  
Susan Porter  
Latrina Rich  
Traci Rhone  
Patrina Sattiewhite-Walter  
Angel Williams  
Shana Trevillion  
Sherrita Wilson

**Call to Order:** *The meeting was called to order by President Cheryl Dixon at 3:15 pm*  
*LaTrina Rich introduced the new officers*

**Prayer:** *Sharri Coleman*

**Jack and Jill Hymn:** *Sung in unison*

**Minutes:** *Minutes were approved by the body without any corrections or changes*

**Regional Treasurer Report:**

- *Traci Rhone mentioned that the cluster is soon approaching and will be held in Little Rock, Arkansas*
- *President's Retreat will be held September 20<sup>th</sup>*
- *September 30<sup>th</sup> Chapter per capita is due*

**Officer Reports:**

**President Cheryl Dixon:**

- *One Goal of the chapter is to grow the chapter*
- *National Programmatic Thrust: THE POWER TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE*
- *Walk off the Pounds- compete against other chapters and will discuss at the retreat in Kansas City*
- *Discussion to possibly change standing rule in regards to due date of chapter dues*
  - *Suggestion- all monies due before May 31<sup>st</sup>*

- *Danne will clarify information in standing rules*
- *One objective of the organization is to create a medium of contact for children which will stimulate growth and development through constructive educational, cultural, civic, recreational, health and social programs*
  - *Age appropriate activities for the year*
- *Emphasis being placed on the 1 in 4 rule*
  - *By the fourth year of active membership, mother must attend a cluster, regional or national convention*
- *Emphasis on volunteering with the Boys and Girls Club*
- *Presidents retreat-Biggest Loser competition in January against other chapters*
- *Education-Leadership modules; only three financial literacy modules for teens and twins*
  - *Louis Jackson STEM Initiative*
- *Focus on mental health*
- *Initiative of Cradle to college*
- *Please continue to Cherdena and her family in your prayers and please sign-up to donate items.*

#### **Vice President Patrina Sattiewhite Walter**

- *Vice President Walter discussed the following:*
  - *Each month there will be a Mystery Mom at the meetings*
  - *All new moms will be paired with a mentor; activity to come*
  - *Mr. and Miss Jack and Jill; participate in the LU Homecoming parade*
  - *Please wear **pink** to the October meeting for breast cancer awareness and support of our Jill's.*

#### **Program Director- Cherdena Daniels (for Charifa Smith)**

- *Information was recently sent about our program and still working on the information*

#### **Correspondence Secretary- Nicole Mitchell**

- *September 3<sup>rd</sup>, email was sent referencing Mr./Miss Jack and Jill*
- *National exercise thrust*
  - *September 16<sup>th</sup> webinar at 9pm*
- *Central Region Summer updates*

#### **Treasurer- Angel Williams**

- *12% of moms still owe dues*
- *Tabled a discussion about late dues*
  - *Suggestion to send a letter that would state the National Process*

#### **Editor- Cherdena Daniels**

- *Two Press releases sent to major newspapers*
  - *Positive Tomorrow's*
  - *Jack and Jill Derby Day*
- *Send to Privileged Information for free*
- *Social Media Recommendation*

- Website
- Facebook
- Group Me

### **Foundation/Fundraising- Susan Porter**

- Update on Derby
- Positive Tomorrow's representative will be at the Derby
- Need to sell, sell, sell tickets

### **Children's Coordinator- Shana Trevillion**

- Activity calendar will stay as is (for now)
- There is money allotted for various activities

### **Hostess Activity**

- Information and prizes about Cholesterol Education month

### **Standing Committee Reports**

- **Jack and Jill Annual Campout**
  - Osage Pavillion
  - Various Activities
  - President reserved some tents and if use one, please return it in the condition you received the tent
- **Mother's Night Out**
- **Health Committee**
  - Presented information about Gynecologic Cancer Awareness month

### **Children's Activity Reports**

- Fishing activity hosted by Oklahoma Department of Wildlife
- September-toured the Governor's mansion (legislative event-all ages)

### **Teen Report**

- Pool Party- No swimmers
- Business meeting was hosted in the home of Traci Rhone
- Possible Activity-H&8<sup>th</sup>

### **New Business**

- Thank you card –Griffin Family
- Thank you card – the Daniels Family

**Dates to remember and announcements- listed on each monthly meeting agenda**

**Meeting adjourned at 4:52 pm**

**\*Chapter photo**

## **Committee Planning Session II**

- *Consisted of Mother's Night Out, Holiday Party and Youth Leadership/\$Management*

## **Closing Remarks-by President Cheryl Dixon**