

**LGAA August Meeting Minutes**  
**Aug. 12, 2015, 5:30 p.m. VFW Hall**

**In Attendance:** Jerry Yates, Roxann Yates, Jennifer Henson, Betty Perkins, Marsha Whalen, Fern McFarland, April Stone, Ray Grass, Doris Rable, Pam Quantie, Kelly Palmer, Mark Palmer, Safie McClure, Shaun Perkins

**Treasurer's Report:** See attached

**LGAA Newsletter Report:** Roxann reported new ads from Clay Saffel and Low Water Dam Store. Next month, she will include stories about Saffel and the RAE Corporation.

**21<sup>st</sup> Century Grant:** Marsha Whalen, LG Schools grant writer, explained the LGAA role in the grant she wrote for the schools—volunteer time and funds for April's Monday program. Whalen also gave information on a variety of grants available for LGAA and offered to write some for us.

**Newspaper Stands:** The town approved 6 LGAA newspaper stands for Main Street, and we decided to spend \$175 to purchase old Tulsa World stands for this. Ray will paint the LGAA logo on them.

**Sponsorship Stickers:** Kelly will look into making some sponsorship stickers with the donation of printer usage from Anchor Stone.

**Reimbursement:** Reimbursement was made for those who bought supplies for the Meet & Greet and the teacher luncheon.

**Fall Art Tour:** The decision was made to not have a traditional tour of places and instead have a downtown event with sidewalk chalk art, window painting, and desserts. A committee of Ray, Pam and Roxann will plan the event for Oct. 10. Jennifer is also going to look into having a wine garden during the event.

**Mural:** Ray Grass submitting receipts for the purchase of the paint he is using on the town mural and updated us on his progress. We also learned from Marsha that she and her students originally painted the mural.

**Christmas Parade & Home Tour:** The LGAA will have some kind of float for the parade, on Dec. 5, as will the Children's Theater. The Home Tour will be Dec. 5 and has two people signed up so far: Betty Perkins's Writer's Cottage and Angela Holman. We are looking for at least two more.

**Band Reunion:** The LGAA is not officially involved in this, though the Rural Oklahoma Museum of Poetry will have a homecoming "float" and has invited band members to join them after the parade at Pipe Springs Park for a rhythm circle.

**Children's Theater:** April reported that she will be writing a play about Willard Stone for the kids and that she has been planning activities for when she started the Monday program for the schools.

**Other:** We acknowledged Brenda Adair who came to the meeting to pick up a door prize she won at the teacher's luncheon. She is a K-5 band teacher, and we are proud to have her in our group.