

DRAFT MEETING MINUTES

NEW MEXICO HERPETOLOGICAL SOCIETY (NMHS)

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We held our Meeting at the American International Rattlesnake Museum in Old Town Albuquerque, New Mexico. 13 herpers showed up.

PROGRAM

At 7:18 PM we 13 herpers sat back as Keith Crow showed slides and told us about his work stay in the country of Uganda, Africa in 2012. (end 7:42 PM)

BREAKTIME Sue and Ted Brown brought in juice, apple cider and cookies for our eating pleasure.

BUSINESS MEETING

Josh Emms asked our Secretary Cosmos to read the Minutes of our Meeting on October 5, 2017. The Minutes were accepted as read by members present.

Josh asked our Treasurer Leititia Peirce to report on the balance in the NMHS checking account. Letitia said that the balance is \$2,792.00. The Treasurer's Report was accepted as read by members present.

OLD BUSINESS

August ? At Eagle Nest, New Mexico. Bear Fair. Jerry Tuttle showed his herps. 500 people attended.

October 19. At 7-Bar Elementary School in NW Albuquerque. Josh Emms put on a program for Girl Scouts. Most of the girls touched the snakes that Josh brought.

October 31. Sandia Pueblo Herpetological Survey. Ted Brown told us that the May - October Survey ended on Tuesday. Geezer herpers Ted, Garth Graves and Cosmos conducted the Survey without injury or untoward incident.

NEW BUSINESS

November 14 - 19 (Tu-Sun). Festival of the Cranes at Bosque del Apache National Wildlife Refuge near San Antonio, New Mexico. Ted Brown announced that NMHS will have herps on display during the weekend: on Saturday 9 - 4 in the Fire Station and on Sunday 9 - 2 in a classroom in the Visitors Center.

December 9. NMHS December Banquet 7 PM at Church Street Cafe', 2111 Church Street, NW in Old Town Albuquerque, Tel 505-247-2822. Ted Brown announced that Stacy Sekscienski of the Oklahoma City Zoo in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma will be our speaker. Stacy was a NMHS member while she was working at our Albuquerque Zoo. She will talk about the herp collection at the Oklahoma City Zoo and

her trip to Ecuador. Ted said that we will again have the Silent Auction. Josh Emms said that he will put out a flyer about our Banquet by email and Facebook group.

December ~15. Hoffmantown Church in Albuquerque. Jerry Tuttle will put on a program for 10 -15 homeschoolers grades 6-8.

Josh said that he had talked to Kelly Hill and Kelly said that he will return the 2 NMHS Vision Cages in November.

END OF MEETING (8:45 PM)

These DRAFT Meeting Minutes are submitted by NMHS Secretary Cosmos

Thank you very much Bob and Lorraine Myer for hosting us in R American International Rattlesnake Museum in Old Town Albuquerque, New Mexico

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