2010 George Washington Taylor Family Reunion Meeting Minutes Sunday, February 7, 2010

I. Call to order

The meeting was called to order at 1:12 pm, Sunday, February 07, 2010, at the Stephanie/Marvis Haley residence in Vacaville, California.

II. Roll Call:

G. Eaton Sr. Gordon Jr. & Kenya Eaton

James McDowell II Stephanie Haley
Linda Eaton-Young Jeannette McClendon
Cherita Dilley Evelyn Barfield

II. Old Business

A. REUNION DATES:

i. Friday July 16, Saturday July 17, & Sunday July 18, 2010

B. Dues collected (\$20 per household per mtg)

Treasurer- Eaton Sr.(\$20) Eaton-Young (\$20)

Eaton Jr. (\$20) Haley (\$20) McDowell Sr. (\$20) Dilley (\$20) McDowell Jr. (\$20) Barfield (\$20)

McClendon (\$20)

Total Amount collected \$180.00

C. HOTEL (Marian/Marvis/Cherita):

Rooms reserved at the COURTYARD BY MARRIOTT -1350 Holiday Lane, Fairfield, California for \$99.00 per night plus tax, total rooms reserved 30. Individual rooms will be reserved per family under George Washington Taylor Family Reunion.

D. PICNIC ACCOMMODATIONS: (J.D./Gordon Sr./Gordon II):

J.D. presented the updates on the picnic site. Allan Witt Park in Fairfield, CA. Picnic will be located at Area 5 & 6.

- 1. \$278.00 was **paid** to secure the park. The fee covers the park amenities.
- 2. Marvis is going to see if he can secure a large tent, similar to a church tent in order to protect the food from the heat, and provide shade.
- 3. The cost of the food is estimated to be approximately \$700.00, and will be prepared by the picnic committee.

E. SCHOLARSHIP + FUNDRAISING (Linda / Gordon Sr.)

Linda gave an updated report. She has opened a business checking/savings account with Chase Bank. Currently, there is \$1020 in the account. Contributions are welcomed.

One of the first steps in trying to get the scholarship idea off the ground is to determine how many high school seniors in the "Family" will be graduating and planning on attending some

level of college. IF YOU HAVE SOMEONE THAT FITS THESE CRITERIA, PLEASE RESPOND TO THIS EMAIL WITH THE PERSONS NAME ASAP.

F. T-SHIRTS (Stephanie/Cherita):

- 1. Group decided on the "Meet the Taylors, hello my name is...) shirts. The deadline is May 21, 2010 for submission of T-Shirt orders.
- 2. Extra shirts may be ordered depending on demand.
- 3. Separate t-shirt registration form sent out.

G. ICE-BREAKER ACITIVITY (Gordon II/Kenya/Cherita/Evelyn /Reggie/ Gina):

- 1. Group will have an outline of ideas for ice-breaker, get to know you activities
- 2. Marian will get the menu from the Hotel. Hotel committee and Ice-breaker committee will work hand in hand on food for Friday night.
- 3. Food will be buffet style.

H. HISTORY/PROGRAM BOOKLET (Kalenda and Evelyn)

1. Kalenda is currently researching additional historical data and will update the committee on her findings. Evelyn will work on putting together a package (history book or cd) with original photos.

I. REGISTRATION (Linda)

- 1. Registration forms were emailed out.
- 2. Priority registration is due by April 30. 2010. After April 30, registration fees will increase by \$10.

J. CHURCH (Cousin Samuel/Clara/Marian/Esther)

1. Samuel and his daughter Esther Collins will work with the church committee to put together a program for Sunday services.

III. NEW BUSINESS

A. ACCOUNTING

1. Open new account for registration and t-shirts.

B. NEXT MEETING

1. Easter Sunday at Young residence in Mather (Sacramento).

Meeting adjourned at 2:18 pm

Note: 6 Families registered, 5 Families with T-Shirt purchases