

## Sertoma Club Meeting Minutes - August 25, 2008

The Gateway To The West Sertoma club met at Soda Foundation Square Restaurant on August 25th, 2008. Dinner was served at 5:30 p.m.. Terry introduced our guest speaker, Nancy Kelley, Executive Director, Center for Women In Transition, an organization that provides mentoring and advocacy for women that have been incarcerated and assist them in making a transition back into society..

A Business Meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m by Chairman Reitz with the following Club Officers and Directors in attendance: Bill Reitz, Mike Bradford, Sue Lewis, Walter Fussner, Art Segar, Steve Meyer, Terry Weatherby, Bob Versen, Sandy Jarzewiak, Beth Meyer, Mike Jarzewiak, Jack Fowler. Others in attendance: Kyle Meyer, Alan Weatherby and prospective member Sonja frisk.

Minutes: Minutes of the July 28th meeting were read and unanimously approved.

Communications: No Communications.

Treasurers Report: Sue Lewis presented the Treasurers Report. It was unanimously approved. Sue pointed out that our Club has a new Tax Exempt Form

Presidents Report: Mike Bradford reported his observations on Autism For Kids, and Crazy Bowl events recently held and being studied for fundraisers.

Finance Committee: Terry reported the progress of Greenwood Projects-Market Study and Lead Based Paint Study. Terry asked each member to study our Club Website to get a sense of history and the evolution of our Club. [www.gatewaytothewest.org/sertoma](http://www.gatewaytothewest.org/sertoma). Go to the "members only tab. The User Name is "helpisus" and the password is "sertoma77".

Membership: Steve made a plea for new members. Sonja Frisk, a prospective member in attendance, related to Sue Lewis, will be inducted at our next meeting.

Sponsorship: Mike B. on behalf of Mary Beth requested a \$500 donation to Urban K-Life, an organization who made a presentation at the last meeting.. Motion by Mike J. seconded by Sue. Bob asked if proper background checks were made. Mike B. will check with Mary Beth. Motion passed, 11 yes, 1 no, 2 abstentions.

Social: Christmas Party at 5-Star on December 13, at 6:00 p.m. (omitted from July Minutes)

Health: Nothing to report

Awards: Jack discussed Service to Mankind prospect. Alan Weatherby is a new member of the Awards Committee.

Publicity: No Report

Newsletter: Newsletter and minutes mailed and e-mailed.

Program:: Steve & Terry jointly announced our October Meeting will be held at St. Louis Aquarium .