

Gold Country Amputee Support Group
July 7, 2016 Meeting Minutes
Black Bear Diner, Auburn
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Present: Rene Duncan, Paula Mosqueda, Dan Wheat, Cathy & Carlos Lopez, Tyson Brewer, Rob King and Becky Heaton, Diane Wilson, Ray and Lisa Yamasaki, Paul May, Melissa Horvath, Sammy Findlay, Guy and Jeanne Jergens, Randy and Patrina Norris, Robin and Willie Brewer, Jude Kempinen, Joey Esguerra,

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m.

Guest Speaker: Todd Bullock and Dean Barrett from Sierra Prosthetics Grass Valley Ca. Todd spoke on the new Socket-less socket for Transfemoral amputees. Many questions were brought up about this new product and its reliability and comfort. Todd stated that a fitting would be necessary for anyone that would like to try this new item and that it takes a few hours to set this up. This item is produced by Martin Bionics and further information can be found on their website. Sammy asked if insurance would cover this new item Todd stated that most insurance is accepted on this item. A new office will be opening in Auburn for Sierra Prosthetics more info follow.

Introductions were completed: NO NEW MEMBERS

The Minutes of June 23 2016 were read on line a Motion Made by Sammy and 2d by Tyson to accept the minutes as read on line. There were no additions or corrections.

The Treasurer's Report: \$6,957.07 is in the bank.

Rob King Requested a check in the amount of 144.12 for the groups website setup A motion was made in a previous meeting to allow this.

Old Business:

- Visit to Bella the Llama is scheduled for July 10 2016 3-5 P.M.
- Golf tournament registration and donation letters are out and ready to be distributed remember we are looking to have more golfers and even more donations so please hit the streets and assist in getting our group recognized. If you have questions please feel free to contact Dan Wheat, Doug Holcomb about the tournament or donations.
- Round Table discussion:
Melissa showed the most recent magazine by Jockey featuring a double amputee.

Jude told of her trip to Hawaii for her daughters wedding she had a great time.

Randy talked about the fall he had in his back yard and how difficult it was to try and get up on his own.

Joey finally got play golf and is looking forward to the golf tournament.

Dan talked about the growth of the group and for group members to be patience with the lack of room. We would like to keep going to this location but need help in making more room.

Dates to Remember:

September 5th 2016 BBQ at Dan Wheat Senior house.

- October 10 2016 Annual Golf Tournament
- Limb Loss Education Day Oct. 22-23 Times to be announced.
- November 3,10,17 Pro Bono Clinic

Meeting adjourned at 7:10 Motion by Rene 2nd by Jude

Next meeting July 21 2016 6:00 P.M.

These Minutes were submitted by Carlos Lopez on June 9 2016