

Bexar Grotto Meeting August 11, 2014

Meeting called to order at 7:01p.m. by Gregg Williams

Visitors

Bernadette
Gabby
Gabe

Treasury Report

Petty cash \$384.84
Checking \$796.60
Savings \$2,635.09
Total \$3,816.53

Organizations

TCMA

Looking for people to be on their board. Let Linda Palit or Bennett Lee know and they can send list of duties. They are always trying to buy more caves. Need fundraising chairperson as well.

NSS

Geary Schindel said someone is donating cave entry to Binkley's cave. It is the longest cave in Kentucky.

TSA

Nothing major right now. Kurt Menking reminded us of TCR. It is the caver party of the year. There will be contests and vendors. People come from all over Texas. It will be held October 9 – 12.

TSS

Nothing to report

Bracken

We will be meeting at Bracken for the next meeting to see the bat flight. It will be a potluck. Bennett Lee was able to get the bat camera to work. They are still close to purchasing the land.

New Business

- If you want to be placed on the list for San Antonio Fire Department in case of emergency see Zach Schudrowitz and he will give you a form to complete.
- Chris will be gone for a couple of months for his job but will be returning once the job is complete.
- Geary Schindel is still working on the upcoming Hydro Geo workshop. So far there are 15 modules. We will host Texas Hydro Geo workshop at Cave without a Name. It will be held on September 27 and 28. Saturday night there will be a lecture in the cave.

- Guadalupe State Park started a project to start exploring. Bernadette volunteers out there.
- Gary White says there is an opportunity to upgrade our website.

Old Business

No new business

Trip reports

Marvin, Tom, Joe and some Austin Cavers went to a sinkhole. Near CM Cave. They will need to dig further to see if they can get further within the hole.

Upcoming Trips

September 20 - Deep survey trip.

August 23 and August 30 - Robber Barron trips. We need volunteers. There will also be an Open house on November 1st.

October 5 - restart of Government Canyon project.

Adjourned by Gregg Williams at 8:00

*Program will be Tourist Caving in Scotland and England.