

Texas Chefs Association

Chapter Meeting Minutes Brazos Valley Chefs Association



Meeting Date: August 14, 2019
Meeting Time: Called to order 6:07 P.M. adjourn 7:15 P.M.
Meeting Place: Rudder High School, 3251 Austins Colony Pkwy. Bryan Tx. 77808

Meeting called to order by: Mark Torres

Recognize host: Mark Torres

Attending members: Mark Torres, Director
Carolyn Becerra, Secretary/Treasurer
Alfonso Gonzalez, CEC
Luis Becerra, CEC
Beverley Kellman, CEC
Taylor Elkins
Josh Neubauer
Jason Branco
Aaron Burch

Call for the past meeting minutes to be accepted:

Motion from the floor made by: Mark Torres
Motion seconded by: Luis Becerra, CEC
Motion to accept past minutes as read was: Carried

Treasurer's Report: Given by Carolyn Becerra

Membership Report: Given by Josh Neubauer

A.) N/A

Certification Report: Given by Beverley Kellman

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Directors Report: Given by Mark Torres

A.) Chef Mark Torres stated that the TCA conference went smoothly. The TCA itself is very solid at this time with 600 members. They did not ratify a budget for

the coming year at this meeting, as they wanted to get input from the treasurers of all the chapters. They hope to ratify the budget by October.

B.) Chef Torres passed out member jackets to everyone who had not received theirs yet. Chef Torres then passed out the TCA awards to our members who were unable to attend the Chef Convention in Padre.

New Business:

A.) If anyone is interested in going to the National Convention in Dallas next year, they are offering a discounted rate if you register before the end of August. The ACF will be working with the TCA from now until the convention next year. The TCA is looking for volunteers for the conference and hope to have enough that no one person has to work more than a few hours during the convention.

B.) B.E.K. has agreed to donate part of the items that we will need for the Fiesta Patrias. Luis Becerra, CEC will get the grocery list put together and we will get that to Taylor Elkins ASAP. We will put together a volunteer form for the Fiesta, so everyone can come and work the festival, but hopefully not have to work the full day.

C.) We all need to get better at taking picture and getting them to either Josh Neubauer or Mark Torres to put them on our new Facebook page.

Old Business:

A.) An after-school meal program came to our get together in July and asked the association for our help. They are looking for volunteers to help prepare meals, and plan nutritious menus that adhere to the FDA guidelines. Alfonso Gonzalez, CEC made a motion for the chapter to partner with and help the organization. Chef Luis Becerra, CEC seconded the motion. The motion passed with 100% of the vote.

Adjournment

Motion from the floor made by: Chef Mark Torres
Motion seconded by: Alfonso Gonzalez, CEC
Motion to adjourn the meeting was: Carried

The next chapter meeting will be at Rudder High School
at 6:00 P.M. September 4th.