

The May business meeting of the Oak Grove Baptist Church was held on May 3, 2009. Kenneth Oakley, moderator called the meeting to order.

Orville Herndon made the motion; Jan Oakley seconded it to accept the April minutes with the following corrections: Paragraph four, Committee reports to read- Orville made a motion to approve the changed in the date of Vacation Bible School to June 7 and Mark Harris seconded the motion. (the presented minutes had the motion incorrect.) There was also an addition to the presented minutes concerning the profession of faith and request for membership from Marcus Harris. Motion carried.

The treasurer's report was presented, Jim Tribble stating the only out of ordinary expenses were the yearly maintenance of the mowers and the quarterly taxes. With there being no questions, a motion to approve as presented was made by Ned Davis and seconded by Joe Oakley. Motion carried.

Committee Reports: Sunday School: Orville Herndon reported an average attendance of 84 for April. Orville read the names of who had committed at this time to work with Vacation Bible School. Orville made a motion to approve these individuals, Scotty Hampton seconded the motion. Motion carried. (A listing of names will be attached to the minute's copy of record.) Discipleship Training: Connie Harris in the absence of Kathy McCraw reported an average of 31 for the month. Music: Mark Harris reported there would be a Fifth Sunday Night Singing Service this month. Youth & Children: There will be an outing not only for the youth and children but the whole church at Donnie and Kathy's on May 17. Deacons: No report. Brotherhood: None; RA's: Scotty reported an average of 18 in attendance. Women on Missions: Will be held at the home of Connie Harris this week. Ellie Herring reported the Celebrate Life group would meet this Thursday, with Peggy Kemp as the speaker. Connie Harris reported GAs had an average of 6 and Acteens 3. Andrea Hampton reported there was an average of 7 for Mission Friends.

Orville Herndon reported the contacts recorded for the month of April were 38 visits, 53 phone calls, 27 cards, 41 emails, 88 sharing of faith, 1 other, 2,083 website visits, 13,649 pages viewed, and 38,999 hits.

Other Committee Reports: Joe Oakley, representing the nominating committee reported that Mara Heckman had volunteered to complete the year for Jamie Hillyard. Scotty Hampton representing the building and grounds committee, made a motion to accept the proposal of \$4,500.00 (this would include everything) from Ricky Perry to complete the replacement of the ceiling in the basement. Joe Oakley seconded the motion. Motion carried. Scotty stated he would be taking care of the electric needs that might arise during this improvement. There was also information shared on the Associational Lock In that would be held at the Hopkinsville YMCA.

Old Business: None.

New Business: Joe Oakley informed the group of the opportunity for Oak Grove to have a participant in the Associational Mission Trip to Lambert, Mississippi, at not cost to the church. Joe Oakley made the motion for Larry and Amy King to be the participants. Bruce Thomas seconded the motion. Motion carried.

With there being no other business, Joe Oakley made the motion to adjourn, seconded by Jim Tribble. Motion carried. Pauline Crump dismissed with prayer.

Linda Tribble
Church Clerk

A special called business was held on Sunday, May 17, 2009 for the purpose of discussion of severance pay for Larry King. Kenneth Oakley, Moderator called the meeting to order at 7:12 PM. Donnie McCraw, chairman of the stewardship committee reported that the stewardship committee had discussed the following package: Payment of six months of pay, six months of medical insurance and allowed to stay three months in the parsonage. Donnie McCraw put the proposal in the form of a motion and Jim Tribble seconded the motion. Ann King requested the names of the persons serving on the stewardship committee (Donnie McCraw, Shawn Curling, Tara Alexander, Charlene Sheehan, Jim Tribble, Treasurer and Joyce Thomas, Assistant Treasurer are the current members of the committee). She then asked if this recommendation came from the committee as a whole. (It did). Greta also asked if the three months could be extended is needed. Donnie reported that could be discussed if needed, however his opinion was it would not be needed. With there being no other questions or comments, the moderator called for the vote by standing. The motion carried. Joe Oakley made the motion to adjourn and Orville Herndon seconded it. Donnie McCraw led in prayer.

On May 24, 2009 Katelynn Johnson made a public profession of faith and requested membership. Orville Herndon made the motion to receive her, seconded by Donnie McCraw. Motion carried. Angie Johnson asked for approval of membership by transfer of letter from Liberty Point Baptist Church. Orville made the motion, with a second from Joe Oakley motion carried.