

**April 20, 2017**

**Brierwood Neighborhood Association**

**General Meeting**

**Baymeadows Baptist Church**

Board members present: Spickelmier, Barry, Yadon, Allen

Spickelmier opened the meeting at 7:07 p.m. We are now meet in the Sanctuary of the church instead of the office area.

Pledge to the flag.

Thelma Merritt led the convocation.

Steve, introduced our guest speaker, Daryl Davis, from JEA. Mr. Davis demonstrated and discussed all aspects of LED lighting. Lowes, Home Depot and Walmart all carry pre-discounted bulbs. LED come in all shapes and sizes now and use substantially less energy to do the same lighting as old incandescent bulbs. LEDs are coming down in price rapidly, they last for 20,000 hours and only reach 90 degrees. Incandescent bulbs may reach 500 degrees. Go to JEA.com for more info and energystar.gov. Mr. Davis also suggested replacing your heat pump if it is over 10 years old. New units are very energy efficient and will save you money.

Minutes were read and approved.

Treasurer's report was given by Spickelmier. Donations in March were \$40. Balance in the account is \$878.85. Registration and other state fees totaling \$265.25 will be due soon. Treasurer's report was accepted.

No CPAC report. Robin Pickle will attend the meeting on 4/24.

Sheriff's Watch report: Lora Lewis, Original Brierwood, is now the lead on the 'Next Door' app. She thanks everyone who weeded and planted in front of the wall on San Clerc. Nancy Barry, new Brierwood, reported that Camp Tomahawk improvements are still not completed.

New Business: New resident, Matthew \_\_\_\_\_, introduced himself and let us know about his pressure washing business. Alton Allen will get his info and include on website.

Crossroots Church property is for sale.

Gate carwash coming at corner of old Kings and Baymeadows where bank currently stands.

Two plant sales coming up next week: 4/22 Duval Extension Office and 4/29 Mandarin Garden Club.

Marian Graham reported that Barrington Oaks has had coyote sightings.

Spickelmier updated us on Veterans' activities.

Donations were taken. Residents introduced themselves.

Refreshments provided by the Merritts were served.

Next meeting will be May 18, 2017 at 6:30 pm at Wicked Barley, 4100 Baymeadows Rd.

Meeting ended at 7:58 pm