

06/09/2022  
SOLOS Meeting Minutes

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New members, Bob Lunette, Sandi Kiece, and Shawne Smith, were welcomed and introduced themselves. Returning members introduced themselves to the new members.

David White asked about the frequency of the lunch and dinner meetings; that we had started out in April with lunches on the 1st & 3rd Tuesdays of each month and dinners on the 2nd & 4th Thursdays of each month. However, it appeared the number of outings had dropped to one of each per month. There was a bit of discussion about attendance and moving the lunch time to later. Most everyone agreed to start doing each outing twice per month again and to have lunches start at 11:30 instead of 11:00. Pat Bolz will ensure the locations get put on the calendar on her website <https://pbolz.host>

Additional eating establishments, as well as previous ones, were brought up: Grinders, Express Lunch, Country Kitchen, Country Cupboard (before noon or 1:00 or later), Fortes (need a reservation), Lefty's, Cracker Barrel, Christy's Grub Hub, Abuela's Cuban Cafe, and The Brambleberry Cafe.

There were 10 in attendance at the Playhouse for Murder on the Orient Express. The next play the group wants to see is Escape to Margaritaville, which is scheduled for 7/15 - 9/8. Interested members are: Judy S. (aka Pam - NOT), John S., Charlene, Pat B., Sandi, Shawne, and Debbie.

Pat is going to make a SOLOS sign so that we can sit together at the Lake Tansi Tuesday concert series. Sandi and Shawne take their boat out and listen. They offered to take up to 10 people on their boat for the concert one night.

David White said there's a Jamboree in Smithville the weekend before 4th of July for anyone interested. There is also another free concert on 6/23 @ 7:00 pm at the Stone High School, but David won't be playing as it conflicts with his volleyball schedule.

Pam H. mentioned that Melissa Ellis will be doing an outdoor concert at the Cumberland Playhouse on 6/12 @ 6:00 pm.

Pat brought up doing a Potluck at the Hiawatha, either inside or at the pavilion. Will need to plan a date; maybe do it before one of the Tuesday concerts.

The meeting was adjourned and 12 of us went on to Casa Grande for dinner.