

## **Cradle of Texas Chapter**

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Minutes: General Meeting, January 10, 2007

President Ed Barrios called the meeting to order at 9:05 a.m.

<u>Carl Dodson</u> presented the service awards for January.

Certification-40 Hours VT/8 Hours AT

Janet Clemenson, Gerald Forrest, Susan Severance, Mary Zacharias, George Zacharias Re-certification—40 Hours VT/8 Hours AT

Mickey Dufilho, Monica Krancevic

Bronze Dragonfly--250 Hours

Jim Calvert, Mary Helen Isreal, B. J. Stoerner, Clyde Zilliox

Silver Dragonflly-500 Hours

Carl Dodson, Jerry Eppner, Neal McLain

## **CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL**

Jerry Eppner, Treasurer, announced that dues for 2007 are now due.

Individual-- \$10.00, Family--\$15.00, Supporting--\$25.00, Life--\$225.00 (one time assessment) (See Chapter Policies and Procedures, pg. 10, for complete information. The renewal form is found on pg. 34.) <u>Dues are payable by before March 31, 2007.</u>

Roy Morgan, Advanced Training Chair announced that there would be a lecture, presented by Bill Ely, on Bird Habitat/Conservation at GCBO, 2:00 p.m., Sunday January 28,'07. (It has since been learned that this lecture will take place at the Houston Arboretum, Memorial Dr., Houston, **NOT** at the local GCBO site.)

<u>Jerry Krampota, Chapter Host</u>, asked the membership to sign up to help with refreshments at the '07 general meetings. He requested that there be a minimum of three (3) members per meeting. Contributions of refreshments by members save the chapter \$250.00-\$300.00 per year.

<u>Marty Cornell, Outreach Chair</u>, asked all members to help recruit interns for the fall, '07 training class. Marty is planning to attend civic and other club meetings to educate the public about the TMN/COTMN organizations. If anyone has a suggestion for an organization name, please contact Marty with the information.

<u>John Boettiger, '06 Vice president and Program Chair</u>, announced the program for the February meeting: "Feral Hog Damage in Area Parks and Refuges", by Mark Hazlerig and others.

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Respectively submitted: Barbara Burkhardt, Secretary