

MINUTES OF BROMELIAD SOCIETY OF AUGUST 26, 2018

Terry Burke gave a talk on “Sun, Sand, and Sea” – bromeliads that can take just about anything. Genera included, Aechmea, Alcantarea, Androlepis, Hohenbergia, Neoregelia, Portea, Quesnelia, and Tillandsia. For a description of these general go to <http://fcbs.org>.

The business meeting started at 3:20. Mary White announced that we need to decide how the President and Vice President would be selected for next year. Both she and Tootie are retiring. Options include: someone volunteering or a nominating committee. Since no one volunteered for either position, nor for the nominating committee, no action was taken. Mary invited suggestions by email.

The Treasurer’s report indicated that we had \$1,262 spendable cash in the treasury.

A head count at the meeting indicated 23 people in attendance.

Tootie indicated that the speaker for September would be Mike Michalski from Miami and he would speak on Native Tillandsias: Everglades and Loop Road.

For October, the speaker will be Jay Thurrott from Port Orange and he will report on the World Bromeliad Conference May 29-June 3, 2018 in San Diego, California.

There would be no speaker for the November 25 meeting; instead there would be a gift exchange and ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR 2019.

There would not be a meeting in December.

Meeting concluded at 3:40