

MINUTES OF BROMELIAD SOCIETY OF SEPTEMBER 23, 2018

There were problems with getting the presentation to work so at 2:20 Mary held the business meeting.

Mary reported that there will be a discussion of new officers next month. Also, someone had suggested possibly moving the date and time of the meeting. This will also be discussed next month.

The Treasurer was not present but Mary indicated that we had approximately \$1,100 in the treasury.

She then invited everyone to have some gumbo and then come back for the presentation.

Mike Michalski brought a variety of Vresia, Tillandsia, Aechmea, Billbergia, etc. to show to the group and to sell. Many of them were blooming. He had prepared a talk on Tillandsia and the Loop Road in South Florida where there are many wild Tillandsia, but since the projector wasn't working, he couldn't show his slides.

A head count at the meeting indicated 19 people in attendance, with 2 visitors.

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 4:00