

## Hunter Family Reunion July 15, 2004

Meeting called to order July 15, 2004 at 1300 by Bill Hunter. In the absence of Warren Smith Eloise Sweet read minutes from 2002 Reunion. No corrections or comments noted.

Bill Hunter and Ed Hunter hung the United States Flag that is property of the Hunter Family and is the flag used in the dedication of the John Hunter memorial stone.

Bill Hunter called for registration forms to be completed and returned to Eloise Sweet. Lunch had been served and approximately 30 registries had enjoyed the buffet.

Motion made and seconded that: Registration fee is to be set at \$20.00 plus \$12.00 for lunch. Approved

Joyce Hunter from Florida made a quilt, reflecting the fall colors of east Tennessee which was donated, for raffle at this reunion.

Joyce had purchased the material in 2002 Reunion at the Jonesborough, TN quilt shop.

A box of soaps handmade by Mary Fitzgerald from Oregon, and other miscellaneous items were Kona Coffee, Macadamia Nuts, Genealogy puzzle. Raffle to follow at end of meeting.

Bill Hunter called for suggestions for 2006 reunion. Suggestions are Oregon, Arizona and Florida. Lori Smith moved, that Oregon be selected as next reunion 2006. Second by Elsie Simmons. Approved.

The 2006 Hunter Family Reunion will be in Central Oregon. Elsie Simmons Prineville, OR nominated and unanimously approved as Chairman.

Eloise Sweet gave a brief discussion on Wagon Train 1845, Absolom Frier and family were on this train and were lost in Central Oregon for several months before finding their way to The Dalles, Oregon. He later settled in Milwaukee, OR established an Inn.

Lori Smith nominated Richard Shroust as secretary second by Ed Hunter passed.

Eloise Sweet to continue as corresponding Secretary

Discussion about July being a good month for reunion, firm dates & places to be announced after Elsie and Eloise research area.

Question, is the Hunter Family Inc. ?? Jim Hunter stated we are Inc in Utah.

Motion by Lori Smith: A treasure report accompany secretary minutes; and the amounts that have been funded by Jim and Susan Hunter are included so organization can decide how to reimburse money. Motion died for lack of second after much discussion.

Bill Hunter adjourned meeting until 10 AM Friday July 16, 2004.

Meeting called to order July 16, 2004 @ 1130 am.

Discussion on meeting particulars and date 2006 were to be accompanied with Bill Hunters summer travel letter mailed approximately in Oct 2005. It was suggested and approved that a mailing for 2006 announcement be mailed by 11/15/2005 and secretary minutes including Treasury report, summer travel 200 accompany the announcement. A second reminder mailing be made by April 15 2006. Susan Hunter gave an oral Treasury report and written copy given to Eloise Sweet,

Bill Hunter made suggestion that the Family Organization needed by-laws:

Jerry Ruble made motion that a committee be formed to work on by-laws. Seconded by Lori Smith, motion passed.

Tentative appointment of by-law committee: Warren Smith, Florida, Jim Hunter, Tenn.

It was decided to place Family Dues at \$20 every 2 years per household.

Lori Smith made motion: That by-laws be created and available for membership at 2006 reunion. By-laws were to include description duties of each officer and committee. Second by Ed Hunter, approved by membership present.

Jim Hunter Utah suggested we have an over-all Chairperson to conduct meeting and check on planning committee. Did we want to elect new Treasurer? Did we want to continue to have Family Web site? Motion by Joe Jackson that the General Chairperson be Tom Fitzgerald, second by Jim Hunter, approved by membership.

Monica Miller made motion for Susan Hunter to remain as Treasury, second by Sharon Seidel, approved by membership.

Jim Hunter, Utah, moved that membership be incorporated into corresponding Secretary duties. Second by Susan Hunter, passed by membership.

Lori Smith thanked Jim and Susan for all their work as Treasurer, membership, and the Website that we have been using. She then made a motion: The family membership provided \$75.00 to be used to establish Dominion name for a web site for however long the money would provide. Second by Elsie Simmons, approved by membership.

Meeting adjourned.

Saturday July 17, 2004, Jim Hunter reported to corresponding Secretary Eloise Sweet that Web-site was up and in operation for 4 years and \$35.00; domain name; [www.johnhunterfamily.org](http://www.johnhunterfamily.org) .

Submitted by

Eloise Sweet  
Corresponding Secretary