June 2024 NASFA Minutes

by Steve Sloan

The June meeting of the North Alabama Science Fiction Association was called to order on Saturday, June 15, 2024 in the Madison satellite location of Willowbrook Baptist Church at 6:20:47 PM by President Mary Lampert and the traditional gavel.

OLD BUSINESS

Nope.

NEW BUSINESS

Doug moved to change the pictures on the plinth some time this year. No seconds.

The NASFA picnic will be held on July 20 at Gary's house, then the auction will be held in August. We can auction the rights to select and change the plinth pictures then.

Again, the picnic will be at Gary's house. Feel free to arrive any time after noon. Gary will be providing baked beans and at least one burger for everybody. (Each, or one big burger?) He's planning to start cooking the burgers around 2 pm.

NOT-A-CON BUSINESS

Not-a-Con co-con chair Mary said that there will be one. Memberships are available now for \$30. There will be games and food, and probably author readings and presentations, as well as t-shirts.

Where can someone find a link with the details? The NASFA website.

The con hotel is currently open for reservations.

The NASFA Christmas party will be held in the same programming room as Not-a-Con.

Sam moved to adjourn at 6:27:27 PM.

Mike S. announced a library free movie update. The library showed *Flash Gordon* last Thursday, and they will be showing *Batman* (the Michael Keaton and Jack Nicholson version) next Thursday. Renasant Bank provides refreshments: drinks, snacks, and even ice cream. The event starts at 6 pm at the Madison Library, then the movie starts at 6:30 pm.

Dave Watson recently published his science fiction novel, *Refugee*. (See DSWatson.xyz for details.) For the June program, he gave a book reading and talked about the process of getting his book published. The After the Meeting Meeting was held at the same location as the meeting.