

DCBA Membership Luncheon Minutes

January 9, 2009

1. **CALL MEETING TO ORDER:** Hugh Coleman
2. **GUESTS:**
 - a. Sherry Shipman introduced attorney David Moore.
3. **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**
 - a. JP LeCompte – GDYLA
 1. USO phone card drive. Please donate from \$5 up to our service men
 2. PAD mentors needed
 3. Kinship Fair Fundraising concert to be conducted in late April
 4. GDYLA mtg, Feb. 5th at 11:45 at Frilly's off of I-35
 - b. Travis Biggs – DCBA Social Chair
 1. DCBA County Tour – Thursday, Jan. 15th from 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm at the Law Office of Abernathy, Roeder, Boyd & Joplin, P.C. located at 1700 Redbud Blvd., Ste. 300 McKinney, TX. 75069.
 - c. Eddie Meaders - UNT
 1. Moot Court Judges needed March 6th or 7th. Please contact him at: 940-565-2310 or meaders@unt.edu.
 - d. Andrew Passons – Family Law Section
 1. Mtg Jan. 26th at 5:30pm at Giuseppe's
 - e. Guardianship Ad Litem Seminar: Feb. 6th from 8am – 5pm at Oakmont Country Club. Registration Forms have been emailed out. Cost: \$75 before Feb. 1st \$100 after Feb. 1st.
4. **TREASURER'S REPORT** – Dena Reecer
 - a. Current checking account: \$7,836.64. Total Assets: \$72,998.21.
5. **CLE SPEAKER:** introduced by Joe Zellmer
 - a. CLE Speaker: Harper Estes, TX State Bar President
 1. Introduced Catherine Dilworth, Communications Division / Project Coordinator for the State Bar.
 2. Called on attorneys to help him in 3 areas: Legislative Process, Providing Legal Services to the Poor, and Public Education on Rule of Law.
6. **MEETING ADJOURNED:** Hugh Coleman