ROCKY MOUNTAIN DEPRESSIION GLASS SOCIETY MINUTES July 18, 2017

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER BY PRESIDENT LOIS GOULD.

Minutes of May meeting were approved as printed. They were distributed by email and are on the RMDGS website.

No Correspondence. Seretary Marj was not present.

Treasurer JoEllen was not at the meeting. They financial reoeorting would be about the same last time she was present (Balance was reported as Checking: \$10,837.58; Savings: \$10,564.27).

Vice-President Sue reported that all programs and refreshment slots were filled. .

Librarian Judy reported that she and Ron were putting out 3 boxes of the books. Please be sure to take advantage of the library we have many books to lend. Judy reported that she has most of the outstanding books resolved.

Elections: Lois, Marj and JoEllen all have agreed to stay for another year in their current positions. Roberta was elected as VP.

A discussion ensued regarding participation in the fall show organized by Jody. It was decided to get the contact over to JoEllen so she can complete it and return it to Jody with fee.

Reminder from last month: Lois and JoEllen volunteered to Chair the group who will participate and in August will make arrangements for work schedules, division of tables and other necessary appointments. JoEllen volunteered to do the taxes and financial work.

All arrangements must be set up in August since both JoEllen and Lois will be out of town much of September.

Our main program was presented by Lois a collector of Duncan. She had the group help identify the items she displayed which were shown in the previous Duncan journals. In addition she presented many Duncan platters of various patterns including Canterbury, Sandwich, Spiral, American Flare, and Hobnail.

Judy Knoshaug talked about the American Cut Glass Assn annual convention that she and Ron attended in Corning, New York, last week. Highlights were the Corning Museum of Glass, with exhibits featuring 5,000 years of glass wares from 3,500 BC to the present; the Dorflinger Glass Museum in White Mills, Pennsylvania; and presentations by knowledgeable glass experts, especially Master Engraver Max Erlacher. The Dorflinger Glass Works created exquisite cut glass, including stemware for the White House from Lincoln's administration to Wilson's.

Show and Tell: Ken shared a couple shakers from his collection.

Refreshments were served by Lois, Judy and Sue.

Door prize was won by Lois Gould.