



# TULSA AREA PRIME TIMERS PRIME NEWS

A Chapter of PrimeTimers® Worldwide

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### President's Note

Greetings, Tulsa Area Prime Timers!

Welcome to Oklahoma Winter. Be safe. Time to keep warm.

The TAPT events for Dec we had a great turnout.

TAPT Friday breakfast what a fair turn out. 8 members put on their bibs.

We had Dine out at Oklahoma Joe's 10 members present.

Jim got us to the movies to see The Fabelmans December 20. 3 members had time together.

We had lunch bunch on December 16. Went to Tim's Midtown Diner, 5 members had time to visit.

We did have Game Night on December 17 with 7 players. Thanks for new player Hai and JB.

TAPT Christmas Party at Chuck Cagle's December 10 23 members for dirty Santa.

See you at our next meeting on January 10. The The Equality Center is our meeting place.

Hug a Prime Timer today!

"Be seriously cheerful and cheerfully serious" Isaac Watts

Love, John Madigan

Life's Instruction book  
Watch a sunrise at least once a year.  
Never refuse homemade brownies  
Stop and read historical roadside markers.  
Learn to identify local wildflowers, birds, and trees.  
Be romantic.  
Be a good loser

Gusher



Happy Birthday!  
Bob Glahn January 4  
David Parsons January 4

## TULSA AREA PRIME TIMERS MONTHLY MEETING Dec 13 2022

The meeting was called to order by President John Madigan at 7:06p.m

The mission statement was read

7 members were present.

The minutes of the November 2022 meeting were read by the Norman Henley. Jim MacCatain moved to accept the minutes as read, Warren Duvall seconded. Motion passed.

Treasurer report for November 2022 was read by Bob Glahn. Warren Duvall moved to accept the report as read, David Parson seconded. Motion passed.

John Madigan made the activities report for January 2023. Jim MacCatain moved to accept the report as read, Warren Duvall seconded. Motion passed.

Old business: Photo roster was brought to the members present. Editor invited the members who had not submitted a photo you can do at any time.

Revisited the TAPT Christmas Party December 10 2022 at 6pm. Thanks to our host Chuck Cagle for opening his house to have 23 Prime Timers have fun and eat.

New business: It was reported that Steven Dubois has the website updated.

Early TAPT membership discount of \$27 and \$32 for 2023 membership. This continues to December 31 2022.

Motion by Norman Henley to have a check cut for \$87.05 for office expenses to John Madigan. Second by Warren Duvall. Motion passed.

Motion by Jim MacCatain to cut check to Prime Timers Worldwide for 2023 dues from TAPT.

Dues are \$2.00 for 41 members as of December 31 2022 to amount of \$82.00. Second by Warren Duvall. Motion passed.

The birthday boys for this month are: Jim Baum, Ron Mc, Matt Naseri. Warren Duvall

There was no suggestions or bright ideas.

Refreshments were provided by Jim MacCatain.

Jim MacCatain to provide refreshments on January 10 2023.

Warren Duvall moved for adjournment. Second by David Dowland. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 7:30pm.

Secretary Norman Henley

### **Want to Make a Difference?**

Thank you PrimeTimers for the year 2022.

We ended the year with 41 members. Thanks to the new members for joining TAPT. I hope the senior members will welcome you to events during 2023. You make TAPT move ahead each year.

In 2023 TAPT will celebrate in August it's 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary. This was the dream of our founders Omar and Wesley. Their values and aspirations were and are the foundation of TAPT.

Thanks to you who put on and partake in our monthly events. We all get enjoyment being with each other. That is our mission. Woody would be proud.

Thanks again for 2022 your President John Madigan



Our host Chuck had first draw for dirty Santa. Getting after the wrapping

### Split Rail Fence

I like to see a split rail fence  
 Along the country way,  
 No matter what it closes in -  
 Cattle, oats or hay.  
 It's always sure to weave a spell  
 And set my heart to dream  
 Of all the things I like to see  
 That make a country scene.  
 Pretty farms with quaint farmhouses,  
 Old-fashioned in their style,  
 Seem to bid each passer-by  
 To come and rest a while.  
 The sun-bronzed farmer in the field,  
 The sweet smell of the hay,  
 A weathered barn with cozy loft  
 Just right for a rainy day.  
 A split rail fence, like a picture frame,  
 Around a country scene,  
 Far from the rush of city ways -  
 A place to pause and dream.

Kay Hoffman

### Thumb Sucker

A boy had reached four-years old without giving up the habit of sucking his thumb though his mother had tried everything from bribery to reasoning to painting it with lemon juice to discourage the habit. Finally, she tried threats, warning her son, "If you don't stop sucking your thumb, your stomach is going to blow up like a balloon."  
 Later that day, walking in the park, mother and son saw a pregnant woman sitting on a bench. The four-year-old considered her gravely for a minute, then spoke to her saying, "Uh-oh, I know what you've been doing."

Gusher

The first snowman can be traced to Eau Claire, Wisconsin.  
 Yetty Paul and her father made it in January of 1809.  
 They made it to scare away the Boxing Day elves.

Gusher



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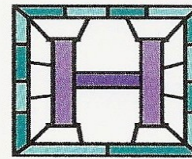
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# A TAPT **January** 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>1</b>	2	3	4	5	6 Breakfast at Apple Barrel time 9:30am	7
<b>8</b>	9	10 TAPT monthly meeting at Equality Center 621 E. 4th Street, Tulsa, OK. time 7pm	11	12 TAPT Dine Out at 918 Maples Cafè 8151 E 21st time 6pm	13	14
<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> TAPT Movie night at venue picked time set	18	19	20 TAPT Lunch bunch at Golden Chef of Tulsa 2819 S Harvard time 1pm	21 Game Night at John Madigan time 7pm
<b>22</b>	23	24	25	26	27	28
<b>29</b>	30	31				

# Can Do's for January 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3 OKEQ Seniors at The Equality Center time 10am free	4	5 Art Gallery At Equality Center time 6pm free	6	7
8	9	10 OKEQ Seniors at The Equality Center time 10am free	11	12	13 Theater Tulsa "1776" At PAC Time 8pm and 2pm	14 Tulsa Symphony "Invigorating " At PAC Time 7:30PM
15	16	17 OKEQ Seniors at The Equality Center time 10am free	18	19 TU Music "Vintage Wildflowers" At LPAC Time 7:30pm free	20	21
22	23	24 OKEQ Seniors at The Equality Center time 10am free	25	26	27	28
29	30	31 TU Music "Recital" At LPAC Time 7:30Pm				



TAPT Christmas Party 2022 big smiles for Santa

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### **TAPT'S BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2019-2021**

<b>President</b>	John Madigan	<b>Secretary</b>	Norman Henley
<b>Vice President</b>	Chuck Cagle	<b>Member-at-Large</b>	Bob Blum
<b>Treasurer</b>	Bob Glahn	<b>Member-at-Large</b>	Jeff Nguyen

### **Appointed Positions**

<b>Activities</b>	John Madigan	<b>Membership</b>	John Madigan
<b>News Editor</b>	John Madigan	<b>Webmaster-Liaison</b>	Steven Dubois

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