

Celebrating 80 Years of Cooperation

PSREC celebrated its 80th anniversary of incorporation and the 30th anniversary of PST's incorporation with a lot of help from our friends and neighbors. Though we had a gully washer the day before, even Mother Nature smiled on us Saturday, with clear skies and mild temperatures.

Gates opened at 10 a.m. Members registered, collected gift bags, meandered through Eastern Plumas Health Care's health fair and PSREC's community expo, and visited Plumas-Sierra

Telecommunications' broadband information booth.

Folks enjoyed bingo called by the Calpine Elks, and tasty tri-tip and pulled pork sandwiches served by the Las Plumas 4-H Club.

PHS Alumni kept lemonade and iced tea flowing, while Portola Preschool served up a rainbow of luscious snow cones.

PHS Soccer was on hand to keep the bounce house safe and jumping, while the Beautiful Feet Dance Company of Quincy con-

ducted games and children's activities.

Sierra Valley 4-H Club was here again this year with some members sharing their furry and feathered friends, while other members gave roping demonstrations.

Our celebrities, Smokey and Willie Wirehand, garnered smiles and hugs from little ones.

Corby Erwin, member services manager, and David Hansen, PSREC board secretary/treasurer, presented winners of the Washington Youth Tour, PSREC/PST citizen scholar scholarships and PSREC photo contest with plaques and ribbons.

Mike Vergara, PSREC's legal counsel, called the business meeting to order following the invocation led by Reverend Becky

Stockdale of the Portola United Methodist Church, and the presentation of colors by the American Legion, Post 329.

Representatives from PSREC's power suppliers (Northern California Power Agency, Western Area Power Administration and Utah Association of Municipal Power Systems) delivered updates on the power market.

Members re-elected board directors Tom Hammond, District 6 and Nancy Miller, District 7, and passed the bylaw amendments.

The directors met following the meeting and re-elected board officers.

The meeting concluded a little after 2 p.m. with door prizes, including electric bill credits of \$200, \$300 and \$500. Join us next year for your chance to win. ■





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