



Minutes from 2009 Annual LAB Banquet  
Island Pasta Company  
Melbourne, FL  
Saturday, June 13, 2009

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### **Welcome**

Nate Hosburgh, VP/President Elect, welcomed 28 attendees.

### **Installation of Officers**

Jack Newcombe conducted the installation of 2009/2010 Officers.

#### 2009/2010 Officers

- President: Nathan Hosburgh
- VP/President Elect: Richard Shea
- Past President: Jack Newcombe
- Treasurer: Deborah Anderson
- Secretary: Ashley Romans

### **Presentation of Plaque**

Suzy Kozaitis and Nate Hosburgh presented Jack Newcombe with a plaque in recognition of his service as LAB president 2008/2009.

### **Special Guest Speaker**

The guest speaker for the evening was Florida Master Gardener, John Boucher. He spoke on soil preparation, "right plant, right place", and vegetable, wildlife and ornamental gardening.

### **Door Prizes**

Several door prizes were awarded to lucky banquet attendees. The door prizes included:

- Nancy Pearl action figure donated by Suzy Kozaitis
- Hibiscus bush donated by New Visions Nursery
- \$10 gift certificate and a potted plant donated by Maple Street Natives
- Flower Bowl donated by South Brevard Nursery
- \$20 gift certificate donated by Rockledge Gardens
- (2) \$10 gift cards donated by Barnes & Noble FIT Bookstore