

Gwinnett Senior Golden Games

Meeting Minutes

October 15, 2012

Our President, Alan, called the meeting to order at 10:00. Glory started the meeting with the invocation and then we did the pledge of Allegiance to our flag. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Elaine gave the treasury report. Our balance is \$16,565.24. Then Bill and Sheri gave their report. Their business, "Positive Public Image" gathers positive information in the local area and then writes about it to make the public aware of what is going on. With this exposure, we hope to increase our attendance; especially with the younger seniors.

Perhaps tennis games scheduled in the evening for those that are still working and Saturday events would draw more seniors.

Robin is adding another event to swimming for more attendance.

Glory made a motion to move to Facebook, managed by Sheri for a year. Sandi seconded it.

Susie suggested that the event managers go on line and check the rules for your event and make sure they are correct. Also, Susie will need 2 volunteers to proof read the 2013 application form before it is sent out. Stella and Glory volunteered.

The Del Mar games held on Oct. 4th were a success. Everyone had fun and as usual, the luncheon was delicious. Thank you to all our friends at Del Mar Gardens that helped to make it a fun time.

The next event is The Senior Council Meeting this Thursday at 10:30 a.m. Everyone is invited, including lunch. And October 26, 2012, is the date of the Bethesda Health Fair from 9-12 noon. Circle this date on the calendar; you don't want to miss it.

Alan will be giving out funding packets at the next meeting. If you know a doctor, lawyer (or even an Indian Chief) that want to support our Olympics, please pick up a packet.

The Gwinnett Braves is having a ALS fundraiser for Sandi Neal. Alan made the decision to donate \$100 from our group.

Bob made an announcement to those that were planning to help him set up the trains at George Pierce. The dates have been changed to Nov 14th. Wed. for the men and Nov 15th Thurs. for the women both at 10:00 a.m.

The Georgia State Olympics results were in Sept. This is a qualifying year for Nationals. We received a certificate from Georgia State for participation.

Robin suggested the following menu for the opening and closing meals. For \$7.50 each there is a choice of (1) Italian pasta bar or (2) Taiwana buffet and for \$8.50 each bar-b-que chicken breast and 2 vegetables. We will decide at a later meeting. There was a question about snacks for each event. We will just provide water, snacks can get costly. We need Holey board courts to move the event along faster. If anyone knows someone that enjoys doing little projects like this please let us know. Johnnie Webb may have 2 boards that she is not using. Susie will check with Johnnie or events; like on health, diet, exercise, and tips on living a better life. If interested, call Alan.

Bud Kushman is our nominating committee chairman for the next 2 years.

We will again have an Event Manager's luncheon. Del Mar Gardens has offered to host it on Feb.7th or Feb. 21St. To be announced at a later meeting.

Our next meeting will be November 19th, the Monday before Thanksgiving.

There wasn't any further business to discuss so Sandi made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Joe seconded it.

Sincerely,

Marie Hickman, Secretary