

## MINUTES

**Newcomers of Catawba Valley  
Monthly General Meeting  
October 11, 2017  
Governor's Western Residence, Asheville, NC**

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### **WELCOME: Joe Paussa, Vice President**

Joe Paussa called the meeting to order at 10:55 am.

Joe welcomed Newcomers and thanked Dianne Straley for organizing the general meeting at the Governor's Western Residence.

### **General Meeting Minutes:**

Louse Judd made a motion to accept the September 2017 minutes and Hedy Paussa seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

### **TREASURER'S REPORT:**

<b>Ending Balance</b>	<b>September 2017</b>	<b>\$3,134.06</b>
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Lynne Montgomery made a motion to accept the September 2017 Treasurer report and Betty Schwartz seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

### **PROGRAM: Dr. Karl Campbell**

Following the social on the patio of the mansion and opportunities to the tour the mansion, the program was held at the covered patio.

Dr. Karl Campbell, Appalachian University History Professor, talked about the late Senator Sam Ervin and his role in Watergate along with his biography. Sam Ervin was a native of Morganton, NC. He was elected to the Senate in 1954 where he served for 20 years. Sam Ervin served on the Watergate Committee from 1972 – 1974. For more information, read 'Senator Sam Ervin: Last of the Founding Fathers' by Karl E. Campbell.

The meeting ended at 12:05am. Next General Meeting: Wednesday, November 8, 2017.

Minutes submitted by,  
Francine Gissy, Secretary