

MINUTES

Catawba Valley Newcomers General Meeting November 14, 2018 Hickory Regional Airport

WELCOME: Carol Hoover

Carol called the meeting to order at 10:45am. She welcomed members and guests and thanked Dawn Remus, Cathi Montgomery, and Kathy Rozea for bringing refreshments.

MINUTES: Brenda Ireland

Carol Hoover made the motion to approve the Minutes for Oct 10, 2018 General Meeting and Adra Kryszczuk seconded the motion.

BUDGET REPORT: Vince LeGrand

Beginning Balance	\$ 4,081.53
Income +	381.00
Expenses -	956.91
Ending Balance	\$ 3,505.62

Vince also indicated that we have 10 new members.

SPONSORS REPORT: Dale Pfingst

Dale reminded us all to be sure to patronize all our great sponsors.

QUARTERLY CHARITY: Joe Pausa

Joe stated that we are again helping the U.S. Marine Corps' Reserves TOYS for TOTS. Don't forget to bring a new and unwrapped toys to any NCV event this month.

PROGRAM: Dianne Straley

Vickie Blevins, from the Council on Aging talked about the free counseling available for retirees to make sure they are getting the best drug plan under Medicare Part D. These plans change annually so your 2018 plan may be very different from the same plan available in 2019. She provided great information and answered many questions from our group. Vickie also encouraged the group to view the website for the Council on Aging: www.catawbacoa.org and to also sign up to get their Newsletter.

50/50 DRAWING: Adra Kryszczuk

Half of the monies collected go to the Winner and the other half to our Quarterly Charity. \$80.00 was collected and the winner was Greg Dostal. Congratulations!!

OPEN MIC

Mike Sigmon indicated to all that Hart Square Christmas tickets were still available and Adra spoke about South Mountain Foster Care Stockings for Kids and that the Board had approved \$150 towards this project. Adra stated that this year there was 44 kids proposed "passing a hat" to have the members and guests donate monies to help the kids.

Meeting was adjourned at 11:44am

Next Board Meeting: 11/28/128 10am @ Patrick Beaver Library

Next General Meeting: 12/12/18 @ 10:30am @ Hickory Airport

Minutes submitted by: Brenda Ireland, Secretary