

## **FCGC Monthly Minutes**

### **9/13/2019**

Meeting was brought to order at 12:00 pm by our President, Susie Metcalfe. Eighteen members were in attendance.

The Pledge of Allegiance was said, followed by an introduction by Carol Wood of our speaker, Christina, Operations Director for the Citrus County Blessings program. After the speaker, Alice Webb made a motion that the Club donate \$175 to the program to sponsor one child for the entire school year. Carol Wood seconded. In a sounding of voices, motion carried. Lona Bassett then made a motion that we sponsor a second child for the year. Ralph Johnson seconded. After a short discussion, it was decided to table this motion until the budget is set for the year, which is scheduled for the October Board meeting.

At 12:15, a short break was taken.

At 12:30, business meeting resumed with announcement of birthdays and singing of Happy Birthday to all those with birthdays during the summer, and in September.

Susie thanked the setup/cleanup crew, our greeter, Carol Wood, and hostesses, Alice Webb and Linda Westrich. Remembrances were made for those members who have had difficulties in their lives of late.

Recording Secretary, Kathy Lingusky, reported the minutes from May. No changes were noted, so will be accepted and filed as is.

Susie gave the financial report in place of Treasurer Mary Graff.

The correspondence report from the summer was given by Sandy Van Tassel.

A review of the 2019/20 yearbook and plan, including field trips, was given by Susie, with comments by Carol Wood and Jane Stewart. A discussion was held concerning options for field trips.

Jane Stewart announced that she would like to get a team together for the Citrus County Walk Aware for Alzheimer's to be held on Saturday, October 19, in Floral City. Call Jane if you are interested in participating.

Carol Wood informed members that FFGC Opportunity Drawing tickets are now available from any one of several members who are now involved with the Federation.

#### Announcements:

- Blessings (B group) will be working September 19.
- Roadside cleanup is set for September 25. Meet at the Duval Island boat ramp parking lot.
- Blessings (A group) will be working October 3.
- The next Board meeting will be October 7 at 10:00 am at the President's house.
- The next Club meeting will be October 11, 11:00 am.
- Memorial Garden work day (8:00 am) and Blessings (B group) will be October 17.
- District V meeting will be October 25 in Homosassa.