

CARROLLTON-FARMERS BRANCH RETIRED SCHOOL
PERSONNEL ASSOCIATION

Minutes of October 18, 2017

The meeting was held at Webb Chapel Church of Christ in Farmers Branch, Texas and was called to order by Della Swaim, president at 11:35. Della Swaim and Wanda Patterson introduced guests. Della led everyone in the US and Texas Pledges.

Pat Enlow spoke about the ABC Book Fund Raffle. Raffle tickets are \$5 for three tickets and \$2 for one ticket and will be sold at the October and December meetings. The raffle will be held at the December meeting. All proceeds will go to the book fund.

The invocation was given by Doyle McWhorter, followed by lunch. Door prizes were distributed by Beth Sargent and Lee Nitcholas.

Pat Enlow introduced the guest speaker, Tim Lee, Executive Director of TRTA. Mr. Lee spoke on state and federal legislative issues. He emphasized the importance of voting in the elections for candidates that support the issues facing the retired school personnel in Texas.

Treasurer's report and minutes are posted on the website. Minutes were approved by committee.

The following announcements were made:

- A food drive for Metrocrest will be held at the December meeting.
- Kay Edmondson reminded everyone to report volunteer/community service hours to her. The hours are reported for the calendar year to TRTA.
- A field trip to the Arboretum will be held on November 30 to the Twelve Days of Christmas exhibit. Beth Sargent reminded everyone to sign up for the trip.
- Kathy McWhorter asked that she be notified of members to be sent a card from the Sunshine Committee.

The Book Fund Raffle was opened for ten minutes for members to make purchases, followed by a drawing for the raffle special participation drawing.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:20.

Janet Truett
Secretary