

COBB-MARIETTA RETIRED EDUCATORS

March 12, 2020

President Sue Hawkins called the meeting to order at 11:30 AM and led us in the Pledge. She introduced the speaker Audiologist Laurie Nelson and Trina Griffith, a candidate for State Court. Kitty Smith, Charlotte Carroll, and Peggy Meyer were in charge of the decorations. Carolyn McCarthy did the Inspiration and Ida Dixon did Joe's Brag Jar in his absence. Birthday celebrants and a visitor were recognized before lunch.

Sue reminded us to continue reporting Hours for Others and to make suggestions for programs next year. Ida Dixon introduced Laurie Nelson who focused on hearing loss and solutions.

During the Business portion of the meeting, the February Minutes were approved. Beverly Shumake gave the Treasurer's Report –

General Account	\$2,947.91
Money Market	\$20,858.63
Wright Fund	\$26,573.20
McClure Fund	\$159,243.89

Beverly reported that we have 13 Spot Light Ads.

Sue read the ByLaws additions on Succession of Officers and a vote was taken. It was approved and will be in the new Program Books. Judy Munson reported that we did increase our GREA membership 10% and have 124 members in that organization.

Sue stated that as of now our April Meeting and the May Convention are on. That may change. March 12 was Legislative Crossover Day. Our decorated MUST Bags are down from last year. We collected \$121 and many boxes of slightly used towels and blankets for Cobb Animal Services.

Everyone was encouraged to purchase books. Door Prizes were distributed. The meeting was adjourned at 1:27 PM.