

# AARP Chapter 2426

## Minutes from the September 18th, 2019 Meeting

Vice-President **Elaine Benton** called the meeting to order and lead the Pledge of Allegiance at 1:00 PM.

**\*Announcements:** The next regular Chapter meeting will be on October 16th @1:00PM at the South Austin Senior Activity Center. The next Board meeting will be on October 18th, 2019 at the Menchaca Road Branch of the Austin Public Library @ 10:00 am.

### OLD BUSINESS

**AARP Day** is October 14, 2019 and is to be held at the Bethany United Methodist Church, located at 10010 Anderson Mill Road. We are encouraged to be there at 12:30, event starts at 1:00pm. There will be 30 vendors present to visit. They are donating door prizes. Car pool is available at SASAC by 11:00 am.

**Minutes:** The minutes of the August 21st, 2019 meeting were corrected to read that the December trip to the Alice Theater in Georgetown still has seats available. Minutes read and approved as corrected.

**Diane McGowan**, newsletter editor and website manager, reminded the members that she will be out of town soon, so have your submissions to the newsletter to her by September 27th.

### PROGRAM

Our Health Committee Chairman, **Randy Hsi**, a licensed insurance agent, presented the program. The subject of the program was how to prevent trips and falls. Included in his presentation was the impact of falls and steps to prevent them. He also pointed out that some medications can effect balance.

### COMMITTEE REPORTS

#### Attendance and Membership Committee

**Margaret Hughes** announced that we have 13 guests and 88 members, totaling 101 present today.

#### Treasurer's Report

**Barbara Fetonte** reported that the Account Balances were :Savings \$25.00. Travel \$721.72 and Regular Checking \$2312.55

#### Community Service Committee

Chairman **Deborah Fennell** announced two upcoming trips. On October 30th we will be going to LBJ Library and on November 8th , we will be strolling the grounds at the State of Texas Cemetery.

### **Sunshine Committee**

There were 7 September Birthdays and 2 Anniversaries.

### **Travel Committee**

**Rosie Perez** announced that there are 12 spaces still available for the trip to the Alice Theater in Georgetown.

### **Hospitality Committee**

**Connie Flores** again thanked members for their generous food offerings and announced a change in requests for snacks. Please bring finger type snacks to share.

**Remember:** Bring your aluminum ring tabs to **Rita Forbush** for the Ronald McDonald House.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 2:20pm

**Marilyn Totten,**  
**Assistant Secretary**

**APPROVED** (October 16th, 2019)

\*Not read at the meeting, for informational purposes only.