EKU Retirees Association
Minutes of February 15, 2011
(Read and approved April 19, 2011)

Location: Gillum's Sports Lounge, Richmond Mall, Richmond, KY
Time: 11:30

Guest Speaker: Dr. Wagoner, Director of the Kentucky Retired Teachers Association

Topic: KRTA

President Dot Kirkpatrick welcomed our guest and the EKU Retirees Association members.

A treasurer's report was provided by Treasurer Karl Park.

Minutes for the October and December meetings were read by Secretary JoAnna Dickey. The minutes were voted upon by the EKURA members and approved.

After lunch was started, Dr. Bob Wagoner introduced his associate Harold Vanhoover and began his presentation. As Director of the Kentucky Retired Teachers Association, Dr. Wagoner provided facts and information about present and future challenges. At this time there is legislation being proposed to change the governance of the Kentucky Retired Teachers System. There is also legislation calling to change the Kentucky Retirement System from a "defined benefit" to a "defined investment" effective July 1, 2012 for all new state employees. He explained the need to keep informed about proposed changes as those changes may affect present and future KRTA members.

After the presentation, we thanked our speaker and the meeting was adjourned.

The next meeting is scheduled for April 19th at 11:30 in the Gillum's Sport Lounge, Richmond, KY. The guest speaker will present information about how to support Habitat for Humanity for Madison and Clark Counties.