

**Eastern Kentucky University Retirees Association Meeting
October 15, 2013**

Location: Morning Pointe

Time: 11:30 a.m.

Guest Speaker: Administrator from Morning Pointe

Topic: Information about the facility

Fawn Conley, President of EKURA, called the meeting to order. She expressed our appreciation for the lovely lunch Morning Pointe provided. She introduced Zach Davis, Morning Pointe representative, who described the facility and the things afforded to the residents. He offered to take interested members on a tour following the business meeting.

Since the minutes are now available to members on the EKURA website, Laura Melius moved, seconded by Ron Wolfe, that they be accepted as written. The motion was passed. Dues are due to Pat Ridgley. There is \$2,189.77 in the treasure at this time. Fawn Conley reminded the membership that canned products and dried beans may be left today or taken to the campus building where Home Meals Delivery is located. School supplies may be brought to meetings or taken to Jackie Vance who will deliver them to Model. Fawn will be sending a report to KRTA regarding our projects and would like for each member to send her a report of volunteer hours by December 1 or they may be brought to the December meeting.

The December meeting will be December 16 at Heritage House; note the change to MONDAY. President Michael and Debi Benson will be our guests. We will bring hats, scarves, and gloves for distribution to the Salvation Army.

Ron Wolfe presented a membership report; membership month is November. He displayed the brochures available and mentioned the benefits available to us as members of the state organization. He responded to questions and suggested answers to be sure potential members have awareness about. He mentioned Ken Hazelbaker, who speaks to groups about setting up trusts and retirement management in particular, as a possible speaker for the upcoming program year. We are encouraged to contact our representatives so that they are VERY aware of our positions as retired educators. We have many from the Central Kentucky/East district who are on our side and speak on our behalf.

Martha Davidson spoke about the upcoming November 14 Friends of the Library dinner. Jon Carloftis will be the featured speaker. She also recommended Kari Martin as a possible program speaker for next year. The group was reminded of the upcoming trip to The Breaks Interstate Park. Contact Charles Hay for information.

Fawn Conley reported that the brochure is ready for distribution. Don Calitri moved, seconded by Margaret Gibson, that \$102 be allocated to prepare 850 copies of the document. Fawn also reported that \$570 had been received from KRTA for our representation at the ECU Retiring faculty and staff dinner in April of 2013. We are encouraged to be more visible at functions such as this. October 21-27 is the first annual Kentucky Retired Teachers Week.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:00 and a tour of the Morning Pointe Personal Care Facility was conducted.

Respectfully submitted,

Jackie Vance
EKURA Secretary