

COBB COUNTY RETIRED EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION

M I N U T E S

FEBRUARY 21, 2005

THE MONTHLY MEETING OF THE COBB COUNTY RETIRED EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION WAS HELD AT WEST COBB SENIOR WITH 36 IN ATTENDANCE.

THE INVOCATION WAS GIVEN BY **DAVID HILTON** FOLLOWED BY THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG.

OUR CONDOLENCES GO OUT THE FAMILIES OF **HERSHEL STRICKLAND** AND **LEE DAVISON** WHO PASSED AWAY AND TO **MILLIE MOORE** WHOSE SON PASSED AWAY. WE WERE INFORMED THAT **HARRY INGRAM** WAS SICK. WE WISH HIM A SPEEDY RECOVERY.

WE WERE GLAD TO HAVE **BECKY WILLIAMS** BACK WITH US. SHE IS RECUPERATING FROM AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT.

PRES. STORY INTRODUCED OUR SPEAKER, **BOB ORMSBY**, FORMER PRESIDENT OF LOCKHEED. **MR. ORMSBY** SPOKE TO US ABOUT ESTABLISHING AN AVIATION MUSEUM AT LOCKHEED. THE PURPOSE OF THE MUSEUM IS TO INSPIRE THE NEXT GENERATION OF ENGINEERS SCIENTISTS, AND MATHEMATICIANS TO RESPOND TO THE INCREASINGLY TECHNOLOGY DEPENDENT WORLD BY PURSUING THREE OBJECTIVES. THEY ARE HIGHLIGHT CRITICAL ANALYTICAL THINKING SKILLS, APPLICATION OF KNOWLEDGE TO THOUGHT AND ACTION, AND TO STIMULATE INTEREST IN PURSUING SCIENCE, MATH, AND ENGINEERING.

MR. ORMSBY INTRODUCED **MS STACEY SIMPSON BROWN** WHO EXPLAINED HOW WE MIGHT HELP BY MAKING CONTRIBUTIONS. WE MAY MAKE CONTRIBUTIONS IN MEMORY OR HONOR OF ANYONE WE CHOOSE. **MS BROWN** SAID VOLUNTEERS ARE ALSO NEEDED AS WELL AS FOUNDING MEMBERS. WE WERE GIVEN PAMPHLETS EXPLAINING THE FUNCTIONS OF THE MUSEUM.

THE PROGRAM DIRECTOR OF THE SENIOR CENTER INFORMED US THAT THERE WILL BE A SKIN CANCER SCREENING ON APRIL 18th FROM 10:00 A.M. UNTIL 2:00 P.M. SHE INVITED US TO STOP BY THE FRONT DESK FOR INFORMATION ON TRIPS ETC.

THE SECRETARY'S REPORT WAS REVIEWED AND TREASURER, **RUBY LOWRY** REPORTED A BALANCE OF CASH ON HAND IN THE AMOUNT OF \$689.35. A MOTION WAS MADE, SECONDED AND UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED THAT THEY BOTH BE ACCEPTED.

MIKE BOLEK PASSED OUT COPIES OF MEETINGS, OFFICERS, TELEPHONE COMMITTEE MEMBERS ETC. TO EVERYONE AFTER THE MEETING..THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS, THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED AT APPROXIMATELY 11:00 A.M.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED BY: **DORIS T. CASSIDY**-SECRETARY

APPROVED-YES _____ NO _____

