

Solon Civic Club – September General Meeting Minutes

Date: September 10, 2024 – 7:00 pm

Location: Burntwood Tavern, Solon

WELCOME – Nicole welcomed and thanked everyone for attending. A lot of information will be shared tonight! The SCC Mission Statement was read to ensure everyone is familiar with the purpose of the organization. Lunch with Santa will be held on Saturday, December 7, with set up on Friday, December 6. Please save both dates and plan to help!

FUNDRAISING – Michelle Williams introduced herself and the rest of the fundraising committee. They are looking for one more member. The annual Wine Raffle will move to February this year. They will accept donations of wine bottles or gift bags at any time. Please use the papers and pens at the tables to list any fundraising ideas that you would like to share.

SOCIAL – Tera Gross shared upcoming plans for Wine Tasting (Sept 25) and Glass Blowing at Glass Asylum (date TBA) and passed sign-ups for both around. Tera and Sheryl are excited about their plans for the year. Coffee Meet Ups will begin October 4 at Heartwood Coffee Roasters at Pinecrest and will continue on the first Friday of every month at locations around the area.

SUNSHINE – Jody Halley will be the chairperson this year. Contact her if you have any information to share about a member that could use some sunshine.

TREASURER – Kim Cullers – Kim introduced herself as the new treasurer. The proposed budget is on the tables and will be shared again next month and voted on at the following meeting. The budget is similar to last year's. Please submit any receipts you have for reimbursement. If you pay for membership via Venmo, please note that the funds are for membership.

SECRETARY – Denise Maiorana – Please contact Denise if you want to change your email address for the newsletter. Please review minutes before the meeting each month because we will vote to approve them at the end of each meeting.

VICE PRESIDENT – Jackie Chapnick - Our meetings are the second Tuesday of each month, held regularly at the Solon Senior Center. Some featured topics and speakers this year will be Fostering Hope, Walls of Love, and Humble Design. There is a Sign-up Genius for refreshments for each meeting. In addition, there will be an in-person volunteer opportunity with Fostering Hope on October 21 at 6:30 pm.

NEW BUSINESS - Vote to approve minutes from the May meeting. Jennifer Kavanagh motioned to approve the minutes as posted online. Andrea Fishman seconded the motion A vote was taken, and the minutes were approved.

RAFFLE – Winners were chosen for each of the three baskets and two tote bags.