MINUTES WOEA-R

May 18, 2022

Location: Ray's Wine Spirits Grill 8268 N. Main St. Dayton, OH 45415

Welcome: Sandy Freeman introduced the speaker

Meeting began at: 12:08

Members in attendance:

<u>Those in attendance</u>: Jim Brinkman, Emmy Brudzynski, Sandy Freeman, Sharon Jenkins, Doris Moore, Debbie Owens, Jane Rahn, Karen Shires, Willie Terrell, Dawn Wojcik

Visitors: William Moore, Kristin Sanderson

Speaker: Kristin Sanderson is in marketing. She has published a novel: Inquire of the Dead, April 2021 (Romantic Ghost Story). She belongs to a local Dayton writer group. She did 1 &1/2 years of research into a variety of topics to prepare to write her book. She needed to learn about physics, Quantum physics, different types of writing techniques, the genre Paranormal, etc. She swapped stories on Twitter, seeked validation (NY Literacy group). Then she spent 4 years on the concept and rough draft. She then had to find an agent/publisher. Inquiry- 100 agents (1 &1/2 years), Researched self-publisher and then finally published it on Amazon. She is now working on her second book.

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Secretary Report: Lori Moodie- no report (Lori was absent, due to traveling back from the OEA-R Spring Conference in Dover, Ohio). Emmy Brudzynski filled in for Lori

-Approval of the minutes: Debbie Owens (first); Dawn Wojcik (second)

Treasurer Report: Sandy Dobberstein; Total Assets: _____

-no report (absent)

President's Report:

Vice Chairperson Report: April 20 was the WOEA RA

Committee Reports:

-Newsletter Editor: Wayne Wlodarski- absent; no report

Deadline dates-

- -Membership: Jane Rahn (absent) and Emmy Brudzynski- no report
 - 1. New Members-

-Community Outreach: Marge Punter (absent)
Artemis- No Report

-Sunshine: Debbie Owens- no new requests

-Legislative: Dawn Wojcik -no report

-NAACP-Willie Terrell and Doris Moore
-no report

-Advisory Council- Joni Watson (absent)

-Read Across America: Val Roldan (absent)

WOEA Committees:

- a. Collective Bargaining: Jane Rahn (absent) and Lori Moodie (absent)
- b. Local Development and Training: Doris Moore- no report
- c. Professional Efficacy: Val Roldan and Arnetta Depp (both were absent)
- d. Human Rights: Doris Moore- no report
- e. Organizing Strategy: Phil A. Long (absent)

WOEA Uniserve Council Meetings:

- 1. Far West, Miami A and B, Western-Sandy Dobberstein (absent)
- 2. Grand Lake, Grand Old River, Phil A. Long (absent)
- 3. Greene Co. Happy Trails- Jane Rahn (absent)

Facebook/web: Debbie Owens

Unfinished Business:

New Business: none

Announcements for the Good of the Order: In Memorium- Nancy Mullins and Margaret Peters

-Join OEA Campaign team (Contact Jeff Wensing- OEA VP); Campaign 2022@ohea.org

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Adjournment: