

MINUTES OF HRSPA LUNCHEON

April 26, 2018

The meeting was called to order at Willow Oaks Country Club by Jackie Warren, president. She led the members and guests in the Pledge of Allegiance and invocation. She announced that minutes, treasurer's report, bylaw change, and slate of officers were on the tables for review.

After lunch Pat Rollison, scholarship chair, introduced our personnel winner Pauline Espree who spoke. Next she introduced our student winner Bailey Nixon from Deep Run H.S. who also spoke.

Our guest speaker Robley Jones was introduced and he shared the important changes that have taken place in Virginia public education during the tenure of governors beginning with Linwood Holton.

Bruce Adie also spoke briefly about insurance needs and how he can help through VRTABenefits.org.

Business portion

The minutes and treasurer's reports were approved as presented.

Dianne Shuler, nominating chairman, presented the slate of officers for the 2018-2020 term. With no nominations from the floor, the approved new officers are Jackie Warren, president, Tina Whitaker, Vice President, Betsy Pike, secretary, and Becky Goshorn, treasurer.

The bylaw change was presented. After some discussion and clarifications, it was approved and now reads

Section 1 – the organization is open to all former Henrico County School employees and other friends of education, including, but not limited to, full retirees, early retirees, persons on disability retirement, and those who resigned from the system.

Becky Goshorn gave a brief report on the VRTA Spring Conference attended by her, Tina Whitaker, and Jackie Warren. A more detailed report will be sent out by email.

Reminders

Use your membership cards at Staples.

Keep your contact information with HRSPA up to date.

Encourage former colleagues and new retirees to join HRSPA.

Remember the HRSPA scholarship fund for donations.

Nov. 1 is the fall luncheon.

Table prizes of lottery scratch-off tickets were awarded, and Betty Anne Duncan won the 50/50 raffle.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Jackie Warren (for Betsy Pike who was out of state welcoming a brand new grand baby)