

Shelton AARP Chapter 3240 Membership Meeting

October 15, 2019

Call to Order:

The meeting was called to order at 1:35 p.m. by Walter Roog. A moment of silence was observed for Marilyn Plainer on the death of her family member. This was followed by the Pledge of Allegiance, and the singing of God Bless America.

Secretary's Report: Linda Gabor
(Presented in writing, not read at meeting.)

Minutes of the September 17, 2019 membership meeting have been posted on the Chapter Documents page of the website.

A copy of the September minutes is available for review in the binder on the front table.

Website / Newsletter: Linda Gabor
(Presented in writing, not read at meeting.)

The October newsletter has been emailed and posted to the website. Copies of the newsletter are available on the front table. Feel free to take a copy to give to someone you know who may be interested in our chapter.

Photos from the September meeting are posted to the Speakers page of the website, and are also in the binder on the sign in table.

Please watch the website for the latest information on our upcoming events and let Linda know if you have any questions or suggestions.

Treasurer's Report: Charles Vollaro
Report for September 2019

Beginning Balance (as of 8/31/2019)	\$2,256.45
Income	\$150.00
Expenses	\$0.00
Ending Balance (as of 9/30/2019)	\$2,406.45

Membership: Vincent Ribeiro

Total members:	55
Emeritus:	20
Dues Payable	35

Since the last report we have reached out to members to see if they are still interested. The numbers reflect these changes.

Members can pay their 2020 dues now.

Programming: Walter Roog

The Holiday Luncheon is on December 11, 2019 at 12:30 p.m. Tickets and copies of the flyer were available at the meeting.

Hospitality: Joan Platt
Baked goods are available after the meeting.

Community Outreach: Walter Roog
Our chapter will have a table at the Senior Health and Wellness Fair being held at the Shelton Senior Center on October 28, 2019. CT AARP will also have a table.

Health Advocate: Dot Ward
Medicare open enrollment runs through 12/7/2019. The Medicare Handbook describes the changes. Read it carefully. There are 800 numbers for all plans in the back of the book.

It is time for flu shots. The CDC expects a slightly more virulent strain. Call ahead to your pharmacy to see if they have the high dose shot for those over 65.

Dot provided copies of information on vaccinations for high dose senior flu, pneumonia and shingles, as well as an article on Eastern Equine Encephalitis.

Sunshine: Dot Ward
No report.

Legislative: Byron Peterson
No report.

Public Relations: Marilyn Plainer
No report.

Nominating: TBD
Walter asked for nominations for 2020-2021 President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. If we don't get people to serve as officers, the chapter will fold.

Other Business:
None

Program – History of Shelton
Presented by Tracey Tate from the Shelton Historical Society

The presentation covered the history of Shelton since colonial times, as well as the work of the Shelton Historical Society.

For more details, see the November 2019 newsletter.

Adjournment
The business meeting adjourned at 1:50 p.m. The program ended at 2:45 p.m., followed by refreshments and social hour.

Respectfully Submitted: Linda Gabor