

## SCHENECTADY G.E. Apprentice Alumni Association, Inc. Website: <u>www.geaaa.org</u>

## April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2023 MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

President Ron Puccicalled the monthly meeting of the GE Apprentice Alumni Association to order onApril 5<sup>th</sup>, 2023, at the Boulevard Bowl Paddock Room, 1315 Erie Blvd, Schenectady, NY at 11:18AM.

Members Present: Dan Van EppsRon Pucci Jim Kulbako John ChiachiarettaEugene Jackey

Excused:Bob Brooks, Ron Mazure, Chuck Amell, Mark Ecker, Chuck Cusano

Motion made byGene Jackeyand 2<sup>nd</sup> byJohn Chiachiarettato accept the reading of the minutesfor theMarch1<sup>st</sup>,2023 Meeting.

## **STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Life Member Report: Chaired by Bob Brooks (518-863-8947): No report.

Entertainment Report: Chaired by Chuck Cusano (518-883-8860): Given by John Chiachiaretta.

<u>Annual Outing (Banquet indoors):</u> July 22,2023, 12 PM to 4 PM at the C & R Restaurant, 1396 State Route 29, Galway NY 12074. Guests are welcome. Cost \$20 for members, \$25 for guests. <u>110<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Banquet</u>: September 23<sup>rd</sup>,2023, 12 PM to 4 PM at the Turf Tavern, 40 Mohawk Avenue, Scotia NY. Guests are welcome. Cost \$15 for members, \$20 for guests. <u>Annual Meeting and Luncheon</u>: December 2<sup>nd</sup>,2023, 12 PM to 3 PM at the Boulevard Bowl Paddock Room, 1315 Erie Boulevard, Schenectady NY. (No guests) Cost \$10 to be refunded at the meeting. <u>Annual Banquet</u>: January 20<sup>th</sup>,2024, 12 PM to 4 PM at the Turf Tavern, 40 Mohawk Avenue, Scotia NY. Guests are welcome. Cost \$15 for members, \$20 for guests.

Motion made by Dan Van Epps and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Gene Jackey to accept the report.

Publicity Report: Chaired by Ron Pucci (518-393-6548):

For the period of March 1<sup>st</sup> to April 5<sup>th</sup>,2023, there were 11 new visits to our website for a total of 11,237 visits.

Motion made by John Chiachiaretta and 2<sup>nd</sup> byDan Van Eppsto accept the report.

Representatives Report: Chaired byChuck Cusano (518-883-8860): No Report.

Treasurers Report: Chaired by Chuck Amell (518-355-0954): Given by John Chiachiaretta:

For the period of March 1<sup>st</sup>,2023 to April5<sup>th</sup>,2023

Motion made by Dan Van Epps and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Gene Jackey to accept the report.

Financial Secretary Report: Chaired by Chuck Amell (518-355-0954): No Report due to no activity.

#### **Reading of Communications:**

An e-mail was received from Bob Prevette, a 1960 Foundry Apprentice Program Graduate inquiring about membership information.

The Board encourages <u>ANY</u> graduates who are not currently members to join. Please see our website at <u>www.geaaa.org</u>

#### **Old Business:**

# **PLEASE TAKE NOTICE !!!** We are looking for a volunteer to fill an immediate opening on our Board of Directors.Please contact any Board Member if interested.

2023 Dues are due (from **Non-Life** members only). Please make \$10 checks payable to the GEAAA and mail them to Chuck Amell, 61 Brendan Lane, Schenectady NY 12309.

#### New Business:

A motion was made by Ron Pucci and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Dan Van Epps to purchase 9,000 prize tickets from Vincey's Printing. Motion passed.

### Good and Welfare:

Members are encouraged to **bring guests** to the Annual Outing, the 110<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Banquet and the Annual Banquet.

Anyone having trouble getting to any of our events, contact a Board Member and we will provide transportation if at all possible.

If you have an e-mail address let John Chiachiaretta know at <u>jjchiachiaretta@yahoo.com</u>. This can help us to better communicate with our members in the future.

Anyone knowing of a deceased member please let Bob Brooks or a Board Member know.

Meeting adjourned at12:02PM on a motion byGene Jackeyand 2<sup>nd</sup>byDan Van Epps.

Respectfully submitted, Jim Kulbako Recording Secretary