

# **SCHENECTADY**

# G.E. Apprentice Alumni Association, Inc.

Website: www.geaaa.org

October2<sup>nd</sup>, 2024

### MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

President Ron Puccicalled the monthly meeting of the GE Apprentice Alumni Association to order on October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2024, at the Boulevard Bowl Paddock Room, 1315 Erie Blvd, Schenectady, NY at 11:03AM.

Members Present:

Chuck Amell Eugene JackeyRon Pucci Jim Kulbako

John Chiachiaretta Chuck CusanoMike Priess

Excused:Bob Brooks, Mark Ecker, Ron Mazure

Motion made by John Chiachiarettaand 2<sup>nd</sup> by Gene Jackeyto accept the reading of the minutes for the September 4<sup>th</sup>, 2024 monthly meeting.

#### STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

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

**Entertainment Report:** Chaired by Chuck Cusano: (518-883-8360)

The following are our planned activities:

Note: ALL of our activities are CASH BAR ONLY for alcoholic beverages.

<u>Schenectady County Historical Society Tour:</u> Thursday, November 14<sup>th</sup>,2024 at 10 AM. Admission is \$6 at the door. Reservations with Ron Pucci (518)393-6548 are appreciated but not necessary. <u>GUESTS</u> **AREWELCOME.** Lunch at the United Buffet will follow for those who wish to go.

Annual Meeting and Luncheon: December 7<sup>th</sup>,2024, 12 noon to 3 PM at the Boulevard Bowl Paddock Room, 1315 Erie Blvd, Schenectady, NY (Members only. No guests) We will be ordering off the menu with \$15.00 being credited to each attendee.

<u>Annual Banquet:</u> January 18<sup>th</sup>,2025, 12 PM to 4 PM at the Turf Tavern, 40 Mohawk Avenue, Scotia NY. **GUESTS ARE WELCOME**. Music by the Sophisticats!Cost \$25.00 members, \$30.00 guests.

Motion made by Chuck Amell and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mike Priess to accept the report.

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

For the period of September 5<sup>th</sup> to October 2<sup>nd</sup>,2024 there were 13 new visits to our website for a total of 11,762 visits.

Motion made by Chuck Cusano and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mike Priess to accept the report.

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

For the period of September4<sup>th</sup>,2024 to October2<sup>nd</sup>,2024:

Motion made by Gene Jackey and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Chuck Cusano to accept the report.

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

Reading of Communications: None.

#### **Old Business:**

Honorary Memberships to the GEAAA are now available! If you know a spouse or relative of a deceased GEAAA member who may be interested, please contact a board member.

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

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

2024 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: None.

## Good and Welfare:

The Boards thoughts and prayers are with Bob Brooks, our Life Member chairman, during his recovery.

Members are encouraged to **BRING GUESTS** to **ALL** our activities except the Annual Meeting.

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>jichiachiaretta@yahoo.com</u>. This can help us to better communicate with our members in the future.

Anyone knowing of a deceased member please let Ron Pucci (518) 393-6548 or a Board Member know.

Meeting adjourned at 11:29 AM on a motion by Chuck Amelland 2<sup>nd</sup> by Chuck Cusano.

Respectfully submitted, Jim Kulbako Recording Secretary