Gwinnett Senior Golden Games Meeting Minutes February 18, 2009

Bob, our President, called an Executive meeting at 9:00 A.M. to discuss more details for our Golden Games. Promptly at 10:00 A.M. we had our general meeting.

Bob started the meeting with a prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance to our Flag. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Then Chris gave the treasurer's report. The balance was \$11,575 but our registration fees are beginning to come in. So as of today we have \$13,500 plus what was turned in at this meeting. Chris also announced that he renewed our tax exempt papers with the IRS and the State of GA.

Bob reminded everyone that our opening and closing meetings will be held at Rhodes Jordan Park. He also announced the Volunteer of the Year – Doug Jones, chosen for the Gwinnett Senior Golden Games. Congratulations Doug, for your time and loyalty.

The cost of the t-shirts was brought up to discuss. We may have to pay something for them this year. Delta Apparel has always been so generous and would donate them to us; but with the economy being as it is, our sponsors are cutting back which we could understand. We will work with them on this issue.

We will have a gift this year for everyone registered to come to our Opening meeting.

Door prizes will be great this year! We will have 40 or 50 of them and they will all be gift cards; a variety of them including shopping, restaurants and groceries!

We voted on the menu. All were in favor of what we will be serving. I think everyone will be pleased. It will be a hot lunch, baked chicken or Bar-B-Q, vegetables and desserts for the opening ceremony and box lunches for the closing.

This is election year for the officers. If you would like to run for a position, please speak up! Have a friend spread the word or just nominate yourself. We would like to see new faces running the meetings while we sit back and enjoy. Nominations will be at the opening meeting and the elections at the closing.

Our entertainment this year will be "The Hi-Lo-ettes" For those of you that haven't heard them sing yet, you are in for a treat!

We want to thank Gwinnett County for picking up the cost of the booklets, the calendars for the packets and the postage. We appreciate your helping hand.

Bob thanked everyone for coming. Our next meeting will be March 16th. MANAGERS' PACKETS will be available for pick up at this meeting so we hope we will see you all there. There was no further business or questions so Bob adjourned the meeting.

PLEASE HAVE YOUR REGISTRATION FORM IN BY DEADLINE MARCH 1ST. Thank you.

Sincerely, Marie Hickman, Secretary