Gwinnett Senior Golden Games Meeting Minutes February 14, 2011

The Gwinnett Senior Bob opened the meeting with the invocation and Pledge of Allegiance.

The minutes of the previous meeting were unavailable; however, they are available online.

Chris reported a current balance of \$17,631. There were a few checks not yet processed.

Bob advised the members that the National Senior Games would be held in Houston, Texas in June of this year. He reported that their biggest sponsor was Humana. At this point, Bob introduced Brad Askew from the local Humana office, and announced that Humana had made a \$1,000 contribution to our games. Bob expressed our appreciation for this contribution.

Bob suggested that we might extend our registration for the games through March 18th at which time we will have a booth at the Health Fair. Anyone wishing to sign up must do so and pay the fee at the Health Fair as no more registrations will be accepted after that day.

The Senior Games Volunteer of the Year, Christ Moore, will be recognized at the annual Senior Council Awards luncheon on May 19th.

Susie submitted the following changes to the by-laws:

Article 1-Section A-Change our address to 225 Bethesda Church Road, Lawrenceville, Georgia 30044.

Article 7-Section C- Add "election years" at the end of first sentence. Section E-Change the following:

Board of Director terms are for two (2) years ending June 30th of election years. Directors are not limited to number of terms, but each Director shall state at the October meeting prior to an election year their intention to serve in the same capacity for the next two years. If no Director resigns at the end of the term an election is not necessary. If an election is necessary, it will only be for the vacant positions.

These changes were voted on and approved.

Robin was asked if she had been able to contact local papers in order to get information concerning the games published. She was unable to get in touch with anyone. She was never given a list of relative papers to contact. The Gwinnett County Life booklet did not publicize our games in the latest issue.

Pat Lark volunteered to write an article for the Gwinnett Post.

Susie suggested that at the March meeting we ask for volunteers to handle the sign-up desk at the Closing. The person normally handling this job will be unavailable.

A vote was taken to hold a raffle at the Opening. Winner will get 50% of the money received from ticket sales. Favorable vote. Doug will be in charge of this activity.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Elaine Shiver (for Marie Hickman)

Council Meeting will be January 20th at 10:30 with lunch. Everyone is invited.

Bob asked if there were any more questions or comments. There were none so the meeting was adjourned.

Our next meeting will be February 14th at 10:00 A.M. See you on Valentine's Day.

Sincerely,

Marie Hickman, Secretary