

CALDWELL-WEST CALDWELL SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB  
30 Clinton Road, West Caldwell, NJ  
Minutes of the Meeting – January 8, 2020

The meeting was called to order at 12:30pm by the President, Bill Edge, with a salute to the flag.

Reading of the minutes of the Regular Meeting in November and the Treasurer's report was waived. No Regular meeting was held in December.

The membership year has begun and dues are due; \$10 per person.

Attendance: 42 members present including 10 new members joining this date. Six new members were recruited at the Holiday Luncheon in December.

Bill announced that AARP Volunteers will begin filing free tax returns, by appointment, for Seniors at the West Caldwell Public Library beginning in February. Regarding Calling Post notifications for CWC, he instructed members to let the whole message come through, caller is the Township of West Caldwell, before picking up. Otherwise, the message will discontinue.

Bari distributed the following fliers: CWC Calendar for 2020, Strength Training for Seniors at the WCPL, application form for the Hunterdon Hills Playhouse trip in April, and notice of the Chinese New Year Lunch Meeting in February for which RSVP is mandatory. She requested by a show of hands interest in a trip to the Monmouth County Race track on a Friday evening or Saturday. Many members would like to go, Saturday preferred.

Old Business: Copies of the proposed revision of the Constitution and Bylaws were distributed at the November meeting with the announced intention that the proposal would be brought to this meeting for a vote by the General membership. A brief statement was made by the Chair, Polly Payne, noting that an amendment had been made to replace the Trustee role with Member-at-Large. A motion was made to adopt the revision as proposed and, with little discussion, the motion passed without dissent.

Program: Police Officer Dan Camiano of the West Caldwell Police Department presented a program on Senior Safety in the New Year. He demonstrated how quickly and easily through the technology of today's social media how a great deal of personal information can be obtained making us vulnerable to opportunists. He commented on several strategies to keep our person and belongings safe and advising us to look out for each other. Several members offered experiences of their own.

Pizza was served.

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Meeting adjourned at 1:50pm. Next meeting, February 12 at the West Caldwell Public Library.

Submitted by Polly Payne, Secretary