

PHILO General Meeting by Zoom – January 12, 2021 at 7:00 p.m.

President Rita Harden welcomed everyone, introduced Danita Nixon as monitor of Zoom Meeting and Stacey Kersley as monitor of chat box.

Committee Reports:

Treasurer – Peg Isakson: Balances General Fund - \$24,728.13

Dine Out With Heart - \$10,973.99 Golf/Scholarship - \$11,730.42

Shop With Scrip (December trial project) profit to Philo General Fund - \$428.23

King Soopers Community Awards profit (July-December) - \$401.79

Amazon Smile profit: October-December will be available in February

Committee Income & Expenditures through donations by check or PayPal, purchases through Shop With Scrip, and other Holiday gifting will be available from the committee chairs.

Alternative to Violence – Jamie Powell: You can now go online to donate and PHILO will benefit. Instructions will be in the Newsletter.

Blood Drive - M.J. Bergstrand: We have a good new site for donations, but are limited to 12 donors, by appointment only. It will be on February 16 at SW 14th Street where the Bloodmobile will be. Please let M.J. know if you can attend.

Canned Food Drive – Eileen Huddle: Collected \$3,847, plus 13 \$50 cards.

Christmas Food Baskets – Susan Trumbo: No report

Dine Out With Heart – Stacey Kersley: There are \$12,000 in committed funds to be awarded in May. We are looking for online donors, and donations can be made through our website. Let Stacey know if anyone can help or suggest new donors.

Golf Tournament – Denise Rhoades: The Committee is having a Zoom meeting January 14, when there will be more to report. Theme for this year is “Diamonds in the Rough”.

Early Childhood – Cheryl Hitchens: Thanked us for over 100 donations, using donation centers. However, we did not do as well as expected in the Barnes & Noble Book Fair.

Newsletter – Danita Nixon: January 23rd is deadline for next newsletter.

Duck Race – Carol Rieser: They are in the process of collecting money for this year’s drive.

Scholarship – Mary Starck: All information is up on the website, so if you know anyone who is interested, direct them to the website. They will be interviewing schools this month.

Sunshine – Florence Doksansky: A list of all January birthdays was read. Mary Starck will be needing heart surgery soon, and Florence will keep us updated. Anne Anderson commented that it was nice to be able to keep up to date with the minutes being posted on the website.

Honoraries – Rita Harden: No report.

Publicity/History – Linda Stangel: We are making progress with the theme “where we’ve been and where we’re going”, but need to find a systematic way of documenting our history. Now we have a lack of continuity and technology. Need individuals to pull everything together at of each year, and a system to rely on, not just individuals. Must go digital!