**Senior Men’s Club of Birmingham**

**Minutes of the Regular Meeting – 9/28/2019**

**WELCOME:** President McGee welcomed Members and then led the Club in the *Pledge of Allegiance.* Mike Albright led the Club in *America the Beautiful*. Al Roberts offered the invocation.

**CLUB BUSINESS:
Minutes**: Minutes of the 9/20/2019 meeting have been posted both on the bulletin board and on the Club’s website.

**Guests:** John Mehan was introduced by Tom Utter, Lyle Beadle and Diane Bert were introduced by Malcolm Hendy and Carroll Deweese was introduced by Bob Peliska.

**Life Member Recognition:** President McGee recognized Life Member - Norm Bergmann

**New Members Elect;** Associate member Michael Moran was nominated by John Marsh for full membership. Associate member John Mills was nominated by Jack Davis for full membership. Both members were elected to full active membership by a unanimous vote of the members.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**.
**Visitation and Health** – Dr. Vishwanath Mali reported on the health status of Robert Frank and Mahesh Bhatt.

**Camera Group** – Jay Hall reported that on Oct 8 at 3 p.m. Dennis Winowiecki will present slides from the Holy Land and on November 12 Martin Rowell will present slides from Railways in Europe.

**Classic Movie Group** - Fred Hansz reported that on October 8 at 1 p.m. there will be the annual meeting of the group to select movies for the next year.

**Computer Group** – Tom Allen reported that the group will meet at the Apple store in Somerset mall on October 16 at 9 a.m. to learn about the health-related apps. The following meeting will be at the Microsoft store on November 20 to discuss a topic of our choice. In December they will learn about what is hot for the Holidays from Richard of the Microcenter store.

**Genealogy Group** – Dave Bakos reported that the group will take a tour of the Birmingham Greenwood Cemetery on October 7 at 2 p.m. They will learn about the history of persons buried there in 1800s.

**Investment Group** – George Miller reported that the group will meet on October 9 at 2:45 p.m. Dawn Schluter from Miller Canfield will speak on Investments, Estate and Tax planning.

**Reading Group** – Frank Snower reported that on October 2 at 10:30 a.m. the Wednesday Readers Group will discuss the book *The Great Gatsby* by Scott Fitzgerald. Discussion will be led by Maynard Timm. On Monday, October 21 at 3:00 p.m. we will discuss: *"The Coddling of the American Mind: How Good Intentions and Bad Ideas Are Setting Up a Generation for Failure"*By Greg Lukianoff and Jonathan Haidt. The discussion leader will be George Stern.

**Special Events:** Mike Clement reported on the upcoming events: 1. Oakland County Color Tour on October 15. 2. Zonjic concert on November 7. 3. Schoolcraft Culinary college dinner on November 14.

**Moment of Interest** – Jim Bayson reported on his volunteer involvement with various non-profit organizations in the past and at present.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**:

SPEAKER: September 27, Pierre Boutros and Olivia Dinsmore, R.Ph, Mills Pharmacy and Apothecary Drugs, Compounding and the Future.

SPEAKER: October 4 Debi Hollis, President and Campaign Chair of the Michigan World War II Legacy Memorial...*Honoring our Greatest Generation by Teaching Future Generations.*

November reminder deadline: October 11

Normal Dress Code begins next week

Associate Orientation meeting October 4 @ 9 a.m.

Executive board meeting: October 8, 2019 @ 9:30 a.m.

Prez says: Today is "National Crush A Can Day".

**RECESS UNTIL**: 11:05 a.m.

**PROGRAM:** PROGRAM: Martin Rowell - Program Chairman September Pierre Boutros and Olivia Dinsmore, R.PH, Mills Pharmacy and Apothecary Drugs, Compounding and the Future. They spoke about compounding of drugs for allergy, pain control, hormone therapy and other uses. These are made for the use by animals, children and adults. They have recently started compounding with CBD (Marijuana) oil for pain management.

**ATTENDANCE:** 158

Respectfully submitted by
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