ACDWC Board Meeting

2/5/2024

Members Present:

Ann Miller; Ann Mostoller; Regina Guy; Amanda Mantooth; Betsy Speed; Kay Brookshire; Pat Marshall; Laura Carrington (by phone)

Happy Dollars were received prior to the meeting coming to order.

Minutes:

Ann Mostoller provided minutes from the January Board meeting. Regina moved that the minutes be approved, with Amanda 2nd. All approved as written.

Treasurer's Report:

Amanda provided the report. We discussed that with the passing of Helen Jernigan, that trust will end; we acknowledged Helen's extreme generosity. Ann Mostoller moved to send the report to Audit. Regina 2nd and all approved. As to the 2023 Audit, Ann Miller will contact Elaine Mueller.

Business:

<u>Roles and Responsibilities</u>: After a motion by Ann Mostoller, with a 2d by Betsy, we unanimously approved the Roles and Responsibilities previously discussed. We still need additional assistance with hospitality and membership. Ann Miller will make contacts for help in those areas.

<u>Scholarship</u>: Paula Davis and Pat Marshall will oversee the scholarship; they have not yet had contact with each other due to travel. ACDWC awards one scholarship for the three high schools in Anderson County; the amount is \$1000 for a 4-year college. There was a general discussion of how we can make sure the money goes to the student without reducing his/her Tennessee Promise money since TN Promise grants last dollar assistance.

<u>We Care</u>: Pat Marshall will send a sympathy card to the Jernigan family and note Helen's lifelong commitment to ACDWC.

<u>Program</u>: Ann Mostoller presented a draft program for 2024. Ann Miller moved that we approve the draft, and Kay 2d. All approved.

<u>Budget/Goals</u>: While we have money in the bank currently, we are running at a deficit. In preparation for a Blue tent sale during this election cycle, Betsy reviewed the club's inventory.

The fundraiser for Gloria Johnson was a success. We discussed the possibility of a focus on members assisting in fundraisers rather than club contributions to candidates. We discussed a possible fundraiser for candidate(s) on a Thursday or Friday in March or April, with a possible ticket price of \$50 per person. Ann Mostoller will contact the Greens as a possible venue and report back for further discussion.

<u>Tennessee Federation of Democratic Women</u>: Ann Miller and Ann Mostoller updated the club on the TFDW meeting. After a general discussion of the membership numbers by various clubs across Tennessee and the fact that only persons physically present may vote, Regina moved to explore withdrawing from that PAC, with a 2d from Ann Mostoller. Exploring that matter was unanimously approved. Ann Miller will gather more information and report back at our March meeting.

<u>February general meeting</u>: We finalized details for the February membership meeting, which is a soup dinner provided by this Board.

Board Meeting Schedule:

The next meeting will take place at Ann Mostoller's office on Monday March 4th, 2024, at 5:30. Amanda will bring the snacks.

Adjourn: Ann Mostoller moved to adjourn.