USF ST. PETERSBURG RETIRED FACULTY/STAFF ASSOCIATION
March 6, 2007


Called to order at 1:43 by Herm Brames.

Minutes of January 6 meeting read. Amended to read "Herm & Les" are the nominating committee for new slate of officers. Minutes accepted as amended.

Treasurer has no definite sum to report today.

Jon - Will make list of who has paid for 2007. Phone calls will be made to those who paid for 2006, but not 2007.

Winston - Luncheon was fine. OK to repeat next year, but will be happy to consider other locations.

Jon - We now have better method for identifying new retirees. Web site has been updated. Jon has been pushing students to apply for our scholarship. This is NOT the normal time for applications - but he has five good ones. Herm, Les & Eleanor will look at them today after this meeting. Jon has no firm figure for endowment fund, but some gifts came in at the luncheon. Herm suggests perhaps he, Les & Jon could make up a follow-up letter to members, suggesting contributions to scholarship fund. Jon - Normally solicitation is made in the fall for Scholarship Fund. We can make it personal, name former recipients, etc. There is an Annual Endowment Report, comes out in late fall, giving figures for fiscal year, paragraph about scholarship - comes to donor organization from Foundation Office.

New Business - Eleanor spoke of Jack Robinson - he would be willing to teach astronomy class on this campus if enough want it. Harriet Deer teaches a class on the Tampa Campus. There is a space problem here - no classrooms available at night. Eleanor will speak with Jack - see if he would be willing to teach on Saturday. We DO have the senior audit program here.

Next meeting - Tuesday, August 21 - 1:30 at Williams House.

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