

JMU Staff Emeriti Association: Agenda

August 20, 2024; 11:30 AM, O'Neills Grill, Harrisonburg

- Welcome new member, Paula See. Approve May 21, 2024 Minutes.
- Staff Emeriti membership (**Tina and Milla Sue**): update on new members (20 total in 2024; 323 total), Pres. Alger Welcome packet and reply card.
- Goal #3: Increase awareness (**Tina**): updates to website sent to Amanda Thomas (minutes, agendas, events); plans for SEA table at Retirement Fair Oct. 16; Madison Magazine fall article submitted; correspondence with Interim Pres. Charlie King and David Kirkpatrick.
- Goal #2: Volunteer activity (**Tina, Milla Sue, Kathy**): update on “adopting” Food Pantry project; reminders to membership for rest of year giving.
- Steering Committee structure (**all members**): delegate some duties (secretary, membership, pantry, events); strategies for adding new members for next year; procedures manual for chairperson and committee members.
- Goal #1: Membership development (**all members**): follow-up on June 6 annual membership luncheon (35 members, 7 guests, 2 admin. = 44; not attending/cancellations 16 members, 4 guests = 20); feedback on the event.
- Fall events (Sept.-Dec.) (**all members**): Sept. 12 lunch at Cracked Pillar, Bridgewater reserved by Donna Burch, need invitation.
What to plan next? Prior ideas: Tours of UREC, Student Services bldg., hard hat tour Library renovation; Membership luncheon with JMU administrator; Gallery exhibition; Attend an athletic event (softball, baseball); Monthly lunches (speakers?); Mini-golf outing; Shenandoah Tours lunch/play; Movie outing. Lunch sites: Vinny's Italian, Cracked Pillar, Capitol Ale, Island Wing, Cross Keys Vineyard, Romano's, Taste of Thai, El Charro, College farm, Wood Grill Buffet, Bella Luna (new info).
- Other business/Next Meeting: when?

Goals for 2023-2024:

1. Membership development through increased communication and new activities - ongoing.
2. Coordinate a volunteer activity – ongoing.
3. Increase awareness of SEA on the JMU campus