

# City of Coral Gables

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## Meeting Minutes

Thursday, November 2, 2017

5:00 PM

The Board meets the first Thursday of each month.  
Coral Gables AAC, 2 Andalusia Ave, Coral Gables, FL 33134  
**Senior Citizens Advisory Board**

**CALL TO ORDER**

**@ 5:06 PM**

**ROLL CALL**

**All present except Hendricks Woods (excused) and Richard Thurer.**

**APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES**

**Minutes from the October meeting approved. Jane moved to approve the minutes. All voted in favor.**

**VICE-CHAIR VOTE**

**Vote for Vice Chair**

**Mitch recommended that this be moved to the next Board Meeting sheduled for December 7th. All agreed.**

**MEETING DAY/TIME CHANGE DISCUSSION**

**The Board agreed that the Meeting date for Senior Advisory Board will remain on the First Thursday of the Month at 5:00 PM**

**AAC COORDINATOR REPORT****AAC Coordinator Report**

Fabien was excited to report that the annual Health Fair on October 25th was very successful. The highest attended at the AAC with 250 attendees. The event was promoted in the "Neighbors" newspaper by Baptist South Florida. The event was well organized, with more booths and presenters than last year.

The Palace provided the food for the Health Fair and opened the gate to allow easy parking.

Next year's event date was reserved for late October 2018.

The AAC Concert Series continues to be popular. We continue to have well attended Rising Stars Concerts. The next one is scheduled for November 9th to celebrate Veterans Day that will feature American style music.

The Dr. William M. Schiff Art Show was very successful. The winning pieces are currently displayed at the AAC.

Fabien was excited to see that the "Best Painting" winner was won by a new AAC participant and the "Best of Show" winner was also a first time entry. Fabien has asked the Board members for help further promote the Art Show for 2018.

The Aging Well Series Program continues this fall with a SCAM Seminar on November 3rd and a Cancer Seminar hosted by the organization called H3 on Saturday, November 4th. The panel is made up of doctors, survivors and cancer support personnel.

The AAC Annual Holiday Party is scheduled for Dec 15 from 3-5 PM. This is a registered event via Eventbrite and it will be catered by The Palace.

The AAC is looking forward to a new registration system called RECTRAC. This program is user friendly and efficient for both participants and staff members. It has been designed to improve many of the current registration issues and significantly reduce paper handling for both staff and participants.

Mitch offered to do a demonstration of the RECTRAC Registration System at the next Board meeting scheduled for Dec 7th.

The Winter/Spring Newsletter will be available on December 4th. The format of the Newsletter is changing to reflect the "format and look" of the City of

Coral Gable Leisure Guide. It will also be offered digitally through the City of Coral Gables website.

Mitch discussed options regarding the request for the City to subsidize Theater tickets. No final decision has been made. Fabien is following up and will report at the next meeting.

The group also discussed ideas for starting a Theater Club that could be offered as a new "program" to further promote the Theater group.

**ITEMS FROM SECRETARY**

Next meeting will be on December 7th.

**ADJOURNMENT**

@ 6:00 P.M. Motion made by Jane and seconded by Jim