

BLUEGRASS RETIRED TEACHERS ASSOCIATION  
EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING  
November 19, 2020

The Executive Board of Bluegrass Retired Teachers met November 19, 2020 at 3:30 pm via Zoom. Members present were Karen Guffey, Carolyn McKeehan, Bonnie Sousley, Jane Jolly, Claire Batt, and Virginia Cheek.

President Karen Guffey called the meeting to order and shared a thought about Gratitude.

Karen reported a newsletter had been emailed to those members she has an email address for. It includes a form for reporting volunteer hours. This form should be sent to Lisa Baradaran, the new vice president for Fayette County.

Minutes from our previous board meeting will be posted on the website. Board members were emailed the financial report. Karen will be sending out copies of the most recent treasurer's report.

Community Service – It was decided to donate \$50 each to backpack programs in Fayette and Bourbon Counties. Since we are not meeting in person, it was suggested that members take Christmas cards to a local nursing home.

Membership – Karen reported we currently have 354 members. She announced that BGRTA face masks are available to order. The cost is \$10 and can be ordered from Lisa Stuckey.

Legislative – Claire Batt reported there is concern about the budget that will be passed next year. We need to closely watch bills that affect retired teachers and proposed changes for current teachers.

New Business – Karen led a discussion of ideas for our December meeting. There will be an ugly sweater contest and Claire Batt and Jane Jolly volunteered to be the judges. Claire offered to donate some gift cards to use for prizes. A year's membership to BGRTA would also be used as a prize.

There have been no entries in the Logo Contest. It was suggested that Karen contact art teachers to see if they were interested in having students design a logo.

The next board meeting will be planned for some time in February.

The meeting adjourned at 4:35 pm.

Virginia Cheek  
Secretary