## **ACTIVITIES UNLIMITED GENERAL MEETING MINUTES**

## **April 11, 2023**

- Call to order by Harry Bennett 2:12 PM at the Wyckoff Reformed Church
- Jim Webb led us in the Pledge of Allegiance.
- Pastor Andy provided the invocation and a good joke.
- Treasury Report Mike advised that we are in a sound financial position. We have 277 paid members. Mike received a check of \$550 from the AU Bridge Club which represented their semi-annual payment for their use of the Larkin House.
- Care and Concern—Dr. Richard Botta has passed away. AU donated \$50 to the St Francis Bread Line in NYC. This was Dick's favorite charity.
- Membership Dave Voehl informed the group that we have 324 members.
- General Meeting Harry discussed the new AU Web page and asked everyone for a round of applause for John Abrahamsen. Unfortunately, John Abrahamsen did not attend the meeting. Harry mentioned that the AU Band is playing at the Spring Luncheon at the Indian Trail Club, which is scheduled for May 9<sup>th</sup>. Harry recommended that all Club Chairs do a 60 second advertisement about the upcoming BBQ at the Wyckoff YMCA.
- Club Activities John Caikowsky from Trips & Tours mentioned that on Sunday May 21, we are having a wine and pizza afternoon at Total Wine River Edge, NJ. Wives and significant others are invited. John mentioned that Trips & Tours are looking into a bus trip to *The Culinary Institute of America* in Hyde Park, NY as well as a beefsteak dinner at the Brownstone Paterson, NJ. John Murphy and Joe Pullaro updated us on the AU BBQ being held at the Wyckoff YMCA on June 8<sup>th</sup>. Jim Webb encouraged everyone to come out for AU golf on Tuesdays and Thursdays.
- Jim Atieh introduced William "Pat" Schuber who gave an highly energetic and exceedingly informative presentation on the D-Day Invasion, June 6, 1944.
- There were 57 members in attendance. Zoom was not provided.
- Harry adjourned the meeting at 3:28 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Rich Bernarde,

Secretary