GCWA Meeting

May 17, 2016 (Fairfield Inn)

(Minutes)

Meeting called to order at 4:11pm

In attendance: Don Cappelli, Tim Jacobs, Jennifer Fitzgerald, Gary McLouth, Irene Smith, Geneva Kelly, Bob McCarty, and Mike Cole

President- Don gave us print outs on meeting agenda.

Programs- Bob says he has speakers lined up through the rest of the year except for August. (In July we will start the program for workshops) He spoke to speaker for Saturday and she is very excited about coming.

Special Events- Gary will send details for writing contest, award ceremony and children's program approval. Discussion about possible word press class in the future...

Treasurer- Mike handed out detailed print outs of revenue report-**Gary makes motion to approve budget the way it is. Everyone accepts.**

Membership- Irene said there are 177 members. (55 Non-renewals from last year) There was also a discussion on starting an Associate Program for members in their last year of high school. Their first year of membership could be free. Irene will follow up with info.

Webmaster- Jennifer said in order to fix internet problem, members would have to call their provider and have them fix it. Mail chimp could possibly fix it but only for a price. She also mentioned that nothing is happening on Facebook and in order to attract younger members, we need to reach them where they are.

Jennifer makes motion to vote on something through email if it is in between meetings and an emergency. Gary wants to discuss it. Then all are in favor – approved.

Meeting adjourned at: 6:00pm.

Submitted with best regards, By: Geneva Kelly 5/27/2016