

LaSalle County Retired Teachers' Association Meeting

Regular meeting on Monday, February 26, 2018, 9:00am
Sunfields Restaurant in Ottawa, Illinois

The LaSalle County Retired Teachers' Association under the leadership of our president, Jackie Sapienza, held their winter general membership mini-meeting at Sunfields Restaurant in Ottawa, IL.

Jackie Sapienza, LSCRTA President, called the meeting to order and offered some introductory remarks. She then introduced the members of the LSCRTA Executive Committee.

A delicious breakfast was then served.

Our first speaker was Ed Wollet, PAC Chair of the IRTA followed by Bob Pinkerton, Legislative Chair of the IRTA. Following them was Dave Sonnenville, Program Coordinator from A Matter of Balance.

Ed Wollet and Bob Pinkerton informed us of the current political, legislative and judicial state of affairs in Springfield pertaining to pensions and other matters of concern to retired educators.

Dave Sonnenville explained to us the purpose of A Matter of Balance as a means of informing elder adults on matters of improving their balance and how to fall safely. In addition to upcoming sessions, Dave inquired as to if any of our members might be interested in serving as trainers in the Matter of Balance program in our area.

Jackie Sapienza then provided concluding remarks and thanked everyone for their attendance at this winter mini-meeting.

Our next full general meeting will be on Monday, April 23, 2018 at Festivities Unlimited in Ottawa, IL beginning at 8:30am.

Respectfully submitted by -Dr. Conrad Spirrison, LSCRTA Public Relations Chair