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PRESIDENT'S CORNER – ANNUAL REPORT

Gwen Craig, *President* Greetings IRSPA members!



I hope that you are well and safe. I know some of you have not been out of your house since March. Larry and I have been out and about walking and going to safe places, using healthy guidelines and social distancing as much as possible. We wanted to take the time to send you information on our IRSPA finances, and I also wanted to send you my Annual President's Report, since we did not get to meet in May.

Our wonderful superintendent, Magda Hernandez, reported the state of the district in September and gave our members a chance to ask questions. Dale Howard, our District 10 Legislative Chair and

Representative Terry Meza reported the education victories and challenges in the 2019 legislative session. AMBA was also present to speak to our members about benefits that AMBA offers. Woody Schober and the Silvertones presented their Veterans Program in November and our District President, VaLois Hounsel, also spoke to us a few minutes. December was our Christmas Book Project Auction, at which we raised \$590. In January, we had MacArthur Medical Center physicians present a Healthy Heart Care Program. For February, Jill Bean entertained us with her music and laughter presentation concerning maturing. Eric Yancy from the Irving Police Department informed our members about Cyber Security in March. Unfortunately, we were unable to meet in April and May because of the virus. We were, however, able to celebrate our scholarship winners on May 13 with a drive-by celebration. That same day, we also installed our incoming 2020-2022 officers at Heritage Park.

Anne Bartlett reported that our Christmas Auction raised \$590 for the Book Project.

Evelyn Banks reported that we had over 60 participants at our Retirement Seminar, held at the Irving ISD Board Room in January.

Thenia Haynie, our Volunteer Chair, reported that we had 61,517 hours for the year with six individuals earning the maximum of 4,380 hours each. Those individuals are Myrna Lancaster, Rosemary Robbins, Sue Peddy, Tanya Lee, Katheryn Bush, and Nancy Hutchinson.

Carol Schober reported that IRSPA donated 2,520 books to Irving's elementary students.

Our "Walk Across Texas" Team walked 1,992.57 miles; the only team that walked more than our team was a team that walked 2,024.94 miles.

As you can see, though our year ended abruptly, we were able to do a lot as a local.

I want to say thank you for allowing me to serve as your president these last two years. I have appreciated your love and support during this time. I am looking forward to serving with our new president, Gary Schepf. He is going to lead us to greater things. May God bless you.

Irving Retired School Personnel Association Treasurer's Report June 1, 2020	
Balance on hand on May 1, 2020:	\$8,499.30
Receipts/Deposits:	
May 15 State Dues: Renewal Members: 48 New Members: May 15 Shirley Baring \$35.00 Scholarship Fund May 15 Pat Walker \$5.00 Book Fund & \$5.00 Scholarship Fund May 15 Jan Hahn \$13.00 General Fund May 15 Ilene Ashworth \$10.00 General Fund, \$10.00 Book Fund, \$10.00 Scholarship Fund May 15 Dr. Carolym Spain \$50.00 Scholarship Fund in Memory of Eddie Vernon	2,987.00
May 15 Liva Easter Barganier \$10.00 Book Fund May 15 Liva Easter Barganier \$10.00 Book Fund May 15 Jackie Whitley \$25.00 Book Fund & \$25.00 Scholarhip Fund in Honor Taryn Whitley Perkins (Nimitz Graduate) May 15 Carolyn Gordon \$10.00 Book Fund May 15 Marla Gallemore \$8.00 Book Fund & \$10.00 Scholarship Fund	2,987.00
May 15 Ed Bowers \$15.00 General Fund May 15 Thelma Johnson \$3.00 General Fund	\$11,486.30
Payments:	
May 1 Lee Mosty #108 Membership Mailing	57.17
May 14 First Christian Church #109 IRSPA Meetings	200.00
May 14 Nancy Hutchinson #110 Hospitality Mailings	16.50
May 14 Barbara Kemp #111 Membership Drawing May 14 Larry V Craig #112 Reimburse for Scholarship Reception	50.00 35.58
May 14 Renee Davis #113	103.00
May 25 TRTA Connect Members 48	1,680.00
Total Payments	2,142.25
Balance on hand May 31, 2020	\$9,344.05
Designated Funds:	
Book Project (\$900.00 = \$1693.00 Raised funds during Meetings)	1.012.85
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Total spent fiscal year 2019-20 for books: \$680.15	
Scholarship Fund: \$2000.00	\$2,000.00
Adminstrative Balance	\$6,331.20

Note: Members for 2020 - 21 (Approximate Number	rs)	
	State	Local
Associate Members (AS)	3	
Continuing Monthly Members (CM)	37	14
Bankdraft Member (DM)	6	
Life Members (LM)	18	8
Members (M)	278	120
Totals	342	142

Dr. Larry Craig, Treasurer

Health Care Marilyn Kolker

Informative & Protective Services

Ann Ouzts Legislative Nim Voelkle

Member Benefits Jerilyn Cook **Newsletter & Webmaster** Carolyn Gordon Nominating

Gwen Craig

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"Socially Distant" Installation of Officers (L-R: Evelyn Banks, Larry Craig, Nancy Hutchinson, Carolyn Gordon, Gwen Craig, and Gary Schepf at Heritage Park)

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2020 - 2022LEADERSHIP

OFFICERS President Gary L. Schepf **1st Vice President** Judith Nicholson **2nd Vice President** Carolyn Gordon **Recording Secretary Evelyn Banks Corresponding Secretary** Nancy Hutchinson Treasurer Dr. Larry Craig Parliamentarian Rachel Morgan Historian Donna Gooding **Immediate Past President** Gwen Craig **COMMITTEE CHAIRS Book Project** Carol Schober **Bylaws**

Rachel Morgan

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Carolyn Gordon

Foundation Representative Gwen Craig

SCHOLARSHIP PARADE

On May 14, IRSPA, under the guidance and coordination of Scholarship Chair Renee Davis, recognized the four Irving ISD graduating seniors who aspire to be teachers with a special Scholarship Parade. Such a great and unique way to congratulate these outstanding future educators!

> BRYAN GONZALEZ future elementary teacher Irving High School Graduate







The Scholarship Parade met at First Christian Church and drove to each of the homes of the scholarship recipients. STOP 1: Bryan Gonzalez STOP 2: Laura Hernandez STOP 3: Vianney Carrillo STOP 4: Mikaela Jauregui

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SCHOLARSHIP PARADE

LAURA HERNANDEZ future elementary teacher Irving High School Graduate





VIANNEY CARRILLO future middle school teacher Irving High School Graduate





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SCHOLARSHIP PARADE

MIKAELA JAUREGUI future elementary teacher Nimitz High School Graduate





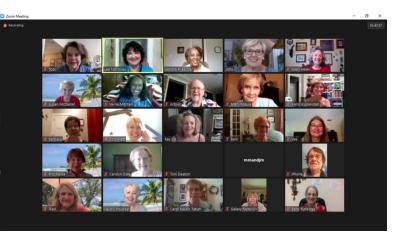
At our last stop, the group exited their parade vehicles and joined in the group picture.

ARE YOU READY TO "ZOOM"?

Gary L. Schepf, President-Elect

As we begin to step into the future, each of us will need to be ready to participate in a "virtual" meeting, and most of us are using ZOOM right now. While there are other programs available, ZOOM is what the Irving ISD is using, and is the one being recommended by TRTA.

Until July 15, TRTA has announced that meetings should remain "virtual." IRSPA membership should begin preparing for the possibility of using ZOOM, and while planning for our 2020-2021 meetings, I have shared with the speakers that we may have to use ZOOM.



TRTA District 10 Presidents met recently via ZOOM (see screen shot at right).

So, have you used ZOOM yet? If not, then using your computer (or even your smart phone), you can download the program/app for FREE (<u>https://zoom.us/</u>). More instructions will be shared as we get closer to our first IRSPA ZOOM meeting.

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