



Scots—American Society of Brevard
P.O. Box 3325, Melbourne, FL 32902

Palmetto & Thistle

Sept 2020 **USE YOUR SETTINGS TO ZOOM OUT FOR A BETTER VIEW** Issue 43-01

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Monthly Meetings are held at:

Front Street Civic Center

2210 South Front Street, Melbourne, FL

Every 2nd WEDNESDAY

Months September thru April

Doors Open-Social Time: 6:00pm

Dinner is Served: Approximately 6:30pm

Meeting Time: Approximately 7:30pm

Entertainment to follow.

Officers / Staff:

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September Monthly Membership Meeting

When: **Cancelled**



President



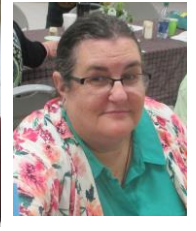
V, President



Secretary



Treasurer



Pgm. Coord.

Well, Hello Everybody,

We trust that all is well with you and yours. We understand that this virus thing has not been kind to everyone. It has not been fun being stuck inside our homes as we have been but we are seeing the light at the end of this tunnel. We are trying to organize a re-opening of our Society and there will be some changes as you might all imagine. We are even researching a new venue which might be finalized by next month. The enclosed survey is very important so please return it as soon as possible. It will be a most critical part of planning future meetings.

The elected board will be having a meeting before we finalize anything and you will all be notified and asked for approval of any decisions made. As the survey will tell us, the following items are being considered:

- 1) Should we move from our present location to a new one where we can consider the following items. We are aging so any ease of meeting operations is welcomed.
- 2) What day of the week? Are you still happy with the current 2d Wednesday?
- 3) Should we shift to an afternoon instead of evening? Some folks consider driving at night bothersome now.
- 4) Changing how we get our food items. Our current system is trying on members. Need new ideas. Going to a restaurant room format offers variety and ease.
- 5) Entertainment works as we do it now but can be expensive when combined with other costs-venue, food.
- 6) Our membership is shrinking and with that our bank balance. We need to consider all of the above in light of that very important fact.

2020 – 2021 Season Projected SASB Activities

September 9 Monthly SASB Membership Meeting - Cancelled
October 14 Monthly SASB Membership Meeting - Not Scheduled Yet
November 11 Monthly SASB Membership Meeting - We're Hoping !!
Veterans Day

Birthdays: Winifred Schuman 9-8

Anniversaries: Charles & Paula Davis 9-3

Dues are Due: Individual - \$35; Couple - \$55; Family - \$60.

We're not meeting in September "out of an abundance of caution" and we're working on things for October. We would encourage asking people to go ahead and pay dues now.

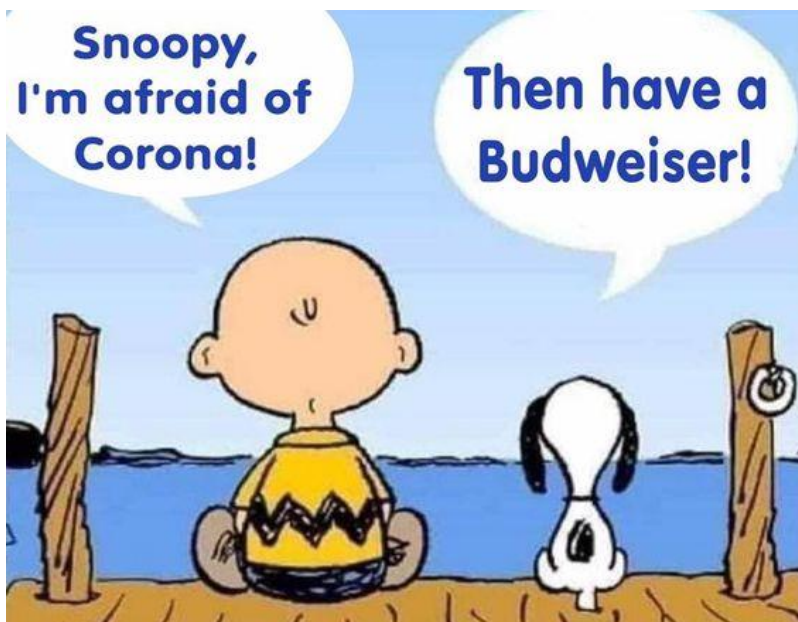
We are considering prorating but need to get other needs sorted out first.

Please mail all dues payments to the Society Treasurer:

Ms. Paula Davis - 325 Polaris Dr., Satellite Beach, FL 32937

<https://brevardrenaissancefair.com/weekends/celtic-weekend/>

Do we want to participate as a group with a tent, or as a joint/shared tent with the Brevard Celtic-Norse Heritage Society?



105 year old lady's advice to us all



"For better digestion I drink beer. In case of appetite loss I drink white wine. In case of low blood pressure I drink red wine. In case of high blood pressure I drink scotch. When I have a cold I drink Schnapps."

"When do you drink water?"

"I've never been that sick!"

