**Friendship Force of Greater Atlanta**

**Board Meeting**

**May 12, 2017**

**Members Present: John Wilhelm, Cynthia Williams, Linda Foley, Ron Scott, Anne Earle, Glenda Wilhelm**

John Wilhelm reported that Carole Dortch had resigned from her position as Secretary. John nominated Anne Earle to replace Carole. The motion carried.

John reported that Barbara Shields was stepping aside due to health issues. He appointed Glenda Wilhelm to replace Barbara as Social Chairman.

**MInutes**: The minutes of the April meeting were approved.

**Treasurer’s Report**: Ron Scott reported that “We have money.” The Treasurer’s Report was approved.

**Exchange Reports:**

Cynthia Williams reported that 8 ambassadors from Adelaide Australia will be arriving at various times, but they are all meeting at the airport on Monday morning, June 5 at 10 am. The Wilhelms will host a welcome party.

John Wilhelm reported that he has had difficulty getting in touch with the ED in Cairo. The Dayton, Ohio Club is going there in March, so perhaps October would be good for us.

Cynthia reported that 13 ambassadors from the Moscow Club plan to arrive November 27. They will be coming here from the Western North Carolina Club. Our Holiday Party will be their Farewell Party.

**Social Committee**:

Cynthia reported that the membership will be invited to the Stone Mountain Park picnic for the Australians.

John suggested that we plan a trip to the Booth Western Museum in Cartersville for the Southeast Cowboy Exhibition on October 28. A lengthy discussion of possible social events ensued.

The Holiday Party will be on December 2 at Petite Nicolette.

The Annual Meeting will be October 8 at Mimi’s Restaurant.

**Membership:**

Linda Foley reported that there is one new member.

**Old Business**:

John will appoint a 3-person Nominating Committee.