



Northwest Suburban Unit 90 Minutes

Wednesday, September 3, 2025 at 10:00 am - at Arlington Heights Senior Center

Meeting was called to order by Mark Boumstein at 10:02 am

Attendance: Mark Boumstein, Marna Boumstein, John Braglia, Janice Calvey, Rich Chierico, Karl Gabbey, Rainy Kaplan, Bob Kaplan, Gerie Kay, Bob Lyons, Jane McCauley, Marilyn Nadulek, Diane Pfister, Reinhard Taylor, Linda Wallin, Janette Wanner, Carolyn White and Ken Wolin

Before the Meeting we welcomed 2 new members at our New Member Breakfast:
Marilyn Nadulek, and Ken Wolin

1. Minutes (*Gerie Kay*) The minutes from August 6, 2025 were approved.

2. Treasurer's Report (*Reinhard Taylor*) The Treasurer's report from August 6, 2025 was approved.

3. President's Report (*Mark Boumstein*) Note Zoom Meetings:
Sept 11, 9:30 am Meet the Candidate Sept. 16 8:30 am
Mark announced that former Unit 90 President Ken Kortekaas passed away on Labor Day. At the IRTA Convention we will be informed of the votes for officers and amendments. Those Unit 90 members attending will be reimbursed for their registration fee and for the cost of the Monday Banquet Dinner meal after submitting their bill to the treasurer. The following volunteered to be at the schools at 3:45 pm to greet and pass out literature about IRTA.

Dunton School	Sept. 11 Carolyn and Mark
Barrington High School	Oct. 9 Diane and John
Schaumburg High School	Oct. 22 John, Jane, and Linda

4. Unit 90 Events for 2025 (*Linda Wagner*) Lake Geneva pictures are needed.
2025 Holiday Luncheon, Wednesday, December 3, at Inverness Golf Club. The motions passed that District 54 jazz band will entertain and the cost of the meal will be \$45. Flyers are available.

5. Committee Reports

Membership: (*Janette Wanner*) Currently we have 537 members in Unit 90..
Emails have been sent to join State and Unit.

Foundation/Scholarships: (*Diane Pfister*) No new deaths reported.

We might help fund applicants in our area to receive an IRTA Foundation Excellence in Education Grants.

Member Benefits: (*Rich Chierico, Janice Calvey*) Go to the convention and support the organization that gives you member benefits.

Communications/Website: (*Reinhard Taylor*) Website is up to date.

Volunteer Services: (*Carolyn White*) Future Date for volunteer activity:
FMSC September 17, 9am-11am, 740 Wiley Farm Court, Schaumburg.

Newsletter: (*Jane McCauley*) Our next Newsletter is November 5. Deadline for submissions is October 30.

Legislative: (*Karl-Heinz Gabbey*) Tier 2 HB271 and SB2 issues are still not resolved.

TRS: (*Bob Lyons, Rainy Kaplan*) No report

Media: (*Linda Wallin*) No new followers. We do have an increase in views.

Other Business: State Convention raffle tickets are available (see Rainy). \$50 for one or 2 for \$70. You may buy tickets at the convention or buy them online. You need not be present to win.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:15 am.

Meeting Schedule for 2025: First Wednesday of each month (except July and December).
Newsletters in February, May, August and November

Next Meeting on October 1, 2025 at the Arlington Heights Senior Center