## **CROATAN WOMEN'S CLUB JANUARY 2020 MINUTES**

President Martha Davenport was on vacation, so Vice President Jan Perriello conducted the meeting. She began by thanking Priscilla Ayers for hosting the meeting and opening her beautiful home for the club to enjoy. Members brought 6 delicious soups, wine, and desserts to try. A "favorite soup" vote was taken. Although all the soups/stews were amazing - the Clam Chowder team of Mary Adams, Sam Anderson, Anne Mannarino and Kathy Donahoe was the winner.

- 30 Members attended this meeting.
- Margaret Roomsburg reported that the club had \$2,564.37 in its bank account, and 62 paid members.
- Kathy Donahoe made the group aware of some CCL activities -
  - There will be a membership drive to help bring new members into the civic league and explain the value it delivers to the neighborhood. A raffle of 2 tickets to the Spring Fling will be held to recognize paying members.
  - There is a Civic League Facebook Page members can join to keep current with planned events, and neighborhood news.
  - The Spring Fling will be held June 6, 2020.
  - There is discussion about the publishing of a new Civic League Membership Directory online, paper or both.
  - $\circ~$  Beach replenishment discussions are ongoing with the CVB update in the next newsletter.
- Linda Ritchie-Royal introduced the upcoming CWC programs currently planned.
  - February Valentines Party Wine Tasting Angie Schwartz hosting
  - March 5 Shades of Green Members should come wearing their favorite "green" to celebrate the coming of Spring
  - April Craft activity etching glassware Kate Ripberger hosting
  - May Met Gala event (members are encouraged to team for this event to create unique table settings, outfits and food to fit their "campy" theme) Amy Arnesen hosting
  - June End of Year Event Karaoke at Jan Perriello's home

Jan ended the meeting by thanking all attendees, encouraged them to spread the news about the club and kicked off the soup/stew tasting which was enjoyed by all who participated.

Respectfully submitted,

Cathy Callahan Secretary