

Minutes of Annual Meeting
South Carolina Autism Society
Adams Mark Hotel
Columbia, S. C.
October 12, 2002

President Amy Weeks called the meeting to order at 2:07 p.m.. A quorum was declared. Amy Weeks thanked the Society staff for the hard work they did in putting together the wonderful conference held on October 10, 11 and 12. She commended the parents and professionals for their assistance.

Treasurer's Report: Craig Stoxen in Mitch Yell's absence
Craig recognized Vickie Stowe for 5 years of service with the society.
He stated that a complete printed audit is available upon request. The treasurer's report was presented as information.

Silent Auction

Amy Weeks announced that the silent auction raised \$2,500.00.

Election of Board Members

The following nominations for board members were submitted for membership approval:

Chair -----Cheryl Bauerle
Vice Chair -----Aixa Rodriguea-Mariana
Secretary-----Becky Hughes
Treasurer-----Mitchell Yell

Board Members for 2003-2006:

Beverly McCarty
Susan Durant

Drea Kithianis-- Pee Dee East (Marlboro, Dillon, Marion, Horry, Gerogetown,
Darlington, Florence)

Roy Williams—Midlands West (Aiken, Lexington, Newberry, Chester, York)

There were no nominations from the floor. A motion was made that the slate of officers be approved as presented. The motion carried.

Craig called attention to the new logo for the South Carolina Autism Society.

30th Anniversary Celebration

Bill Bishop, charter member of the South Carolina Autism Society, gave a presentation that recalled early beginnings of the Society and challenged the current membership to continue in that same tradition of commitment to the task of helping all persons with autism reach their potential.

Awards

Amy Weeks and Craig Stoxen presented the awards for the year 2002
The meeting was adjourned.

