

# CMS FORERUNNERS

## SOUTHEASTERNS CHAPTER

*"The mission of this organization is fraternal, to represent the interests of all retirees; to expand and strengthen fellowship among its members; and to provide leadership, information, programs and social activities."*



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The breakfast meeting was held on **October 7, 2019**. Members in attendance: Harry Redford, Tony and Linda Homolka, Jim and Linda Thompson, David Harvey, Henry Hinojosa, Jerry Ridner, Eddie Weaver, Doug Petee, Bill Conner, Brian Watters, Darlene Collins, C.J. Schwartz, Frank Lambert, Steve Taddonio, Neil Wagner, Floyd Martin, Ralph Luft, Steve Marshall, and Tim Kolb.



Today the 50/50 was won by Bill Conner....again!



The Treasure's report shows \$139.00, including today's drawing earnings.

As always, there was some discussion regarding our healthcare insurance. As you know, open enrollment runs from October 15th-December 7<sup>th</sup>. This is the time to assess the health insurance coverage you have and decide if you want to make any changes or stay the same..

This is a big month for the Ridners. Happy birthday to Margie and Happy 56<sup>th</sup> anniversary to you both!



There is a Forerunners Board meeting on November 6<sup>th</sup> in Howell, MI. Please think about ideas to give us to present to them. The organization is in need of leadership and ways to encourage membership. Bring your ideas to the November 4th meeting.



**SAVE THE DATE!** We have decided that the Christmas party will be held the same day as our usual monthly meeting, **Monday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>**. We will meet at 12:00, have a short meeting and then have lunch. Please bring your spouse or significant other as we celebrate the holiday. You will order off the limited menu and the bar will be open ;-). All of you who live out of town will have plenty of time to get here, right? (We hear that Santa may show up!)

Instead of a big raffle basket, we will just pass the hat to add to our treasury. We have a couple of ideas regarding the charity we will support this year but if you know of a local organization that you want to donate to, please let us know in November.

See you all on **November 4th at 9:00** for our next regular meeting!

Respectfully submitted,

Linda Homolka

## FORERUNNERS Member Application

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse Retiree? \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Date Retired \_\_\_\_\_

Headquarters Retired From: J.R. Whiting

Forerunners Chapter \_\_\_\_\_ South Easterners \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate address: Winter \_\_\_\_ Summer \_\_\_\_

Forerunners Dues \$10/year plus any Chapter dues: Attached Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

Note: We are always searching for more efficient and timely methods of communicating with our members. Electronic communications are very helpful in this regard. Your e-mail address may be used to send information of interest to retirees by the Forerunners, for example, notification that the Retireeline has been posted on the retirees' website, important issues concerning the company, etc. Your address, of course, will NOT be shared outside of the Forerunners office.

By giving us your e-mail address, you are agreeing to receive information from us via e-mail.

Please complete and mail to:

Consumers Energy Forerunners, 1945 Parnall Road P21-504, Jackson, MI 49201. If you have any questions, please call us at 517-788-1221.

